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Recognition of Soviet Russia

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## BANKERS SEEK TO PROP TOTTERING GERMANY

### Here Is "The Daily"!

In the first issue of the Weekly Worker, Feb. 2, 1922, we wrote, "This, the first edition of The Worker, is the advance agent of The Daily Worker."

Now, in this first issue of The Daily Worker, we join hands with the comrades of the Communist International in declaring that the Daily is but "the forerunner of more revolutionary dailies in other parts of the country."

Thus, from one advance position, we move forward to another next ahead. The Daily is here, and we turn a new page in the world story of labor's struggle. Another chapter begins for America's working class. The first English-language Communist Daily in the world has been realized.

Only the momentous developments of the not far future will reveal the tremendous significance of this present historic achievement.

A giant is born! A new voice is raised, battling for the workers and farmers of America, carrying its promise of more such voices; of many Communist Dailies to come!

Not only in Russia, in Germany, in Italy, in the Scandinavian countries, in Czecho-Slovakia, in France, in Mexico, and in a host of other lands, but in those countries where the English language dominates as well, the Communist message will now spread daily among the marching, militant hosts of the exploited in the cities and on the land.

The Daily is born! It comes to fight! It comes to inspire and call the many to struggle! The Daily Worker is the voice of the whole working class!

The Daily has already aroused its enemies. The labor lieutenants of the established order, joined with the big business interests, the bankers, the merchant princes, the landlords and other profiteers, in a declaration of the National Civic Federation, seeking to prejudice the workers and farmers against it.

Secretary of State Hughes, at Washington, has translated and published in the subsidized press of this country, an article appearing in Moscow, in the press of the Russian workers and farmers, voicing their joy that the English-language Communist Daily in the United States is to be. Thus Hughes seeks to prejudice American labor.

But we have no fears. The bosses have declared The Daily their enemy, even before its first issue appeared. They know they have cause to fear The Daily. They know it will raise the standards of a real struggle against the few who rob and plunder the many, and keep them in submission. They know The Daily is a challenge to the continuance of their ruthless and bandit rule.

We have no fears because we know that the workers and farmers of the United States will rapidly rally in support of The Daily in increased numbers.

The Daily appears in Chicago but it is the expression of the oppressed workers and farmers of the whole nation. Its daily arrival in the shops, factories, mills and mines will be cheered by the workers because they will recognize in it their champion. It will be hailed by the agonizing tillers of the soil as their powerful weapon against bankers, landlords and the profiteers in the wealth they produce but do not enjoy.

The Daily fights for the new Communist order, where all classes will vanish for the first time in the history of civilization. But it also fights for the shorter workday, increased wages to meet the rising cost of living, better working conditions, against child labor, against injunctions and other judicial attacks on the workers, for free speech, free press, free assemblage, against the efforts to divide and crush the foreign and native-born workers, for the liberation of all class-war prisoners and the wiping-out of all anti-labor legislation. The Daily fights for the organization of all labor and the strengthening of its ranks everywhere. It is for the organization of the unorganized and for amalgamation as two powerful weapons to prepare for the coming industrial depression and unemployment immediately ahead.

The Daily raises the slogan "The land for the users of the land." Landlordism and tenantry must go. The Daily declares for a moratorium for all working farmers on their debts for a period of five years. It fights against the degradation of working farmers into peonage, against the creation of an American peasantry.

Tremendous struggles confront The Daily! It will not weaken before them! It will grow in the fight, because with each new struggle new masses of workers and farmers will recognize The Daily as theirs, and they will rally behind it.

The Daily Worker belongs to all who labor.

It is the rich possession of all who toil. Workers! Farmers! Rally to The Daily! Make it strong, with the strength of your numbers. Make it powerful thru your will to struggle and conquer!

Long Live The Daily Worker! Hail the triumph of America's Workers and Farmers!

## Oil Trust's Open Shop Guilty of Disaster

### DEATH FOR 40, INJURE MANY AT PEKIN, ILL.

#### Rockefeller Concern Smashed Workers' Organization

By TOM TIPPETT.  
(Staff Correspondent of the Federated Press and "The Daily Worker")

PEKIN, Ill.—Establishment of the open shop, criminal negligence on the part of the company and efficiency stunts are given by the survivors as the direct causes for the fatal dust explosion at the Corn Products Refining Company's plant here.

The main blow-up occurred when explosive dust was lit in the dry starch department of the plant. This was caused by a minor explosion in the grinding room that shot a flame thru the spiral conveyor into the dry room, according to men who were at work in the plant at the time.

Between 35 and 40 workmen were killed in the explosion and 35 others injured so badly that many of them will die. There were no dust elimination suction-fans in the wrecked building and no precautions against explosions were taken since the union in the plant was destroyed. During the war the plant, which employs 800 men was organized and won union recognition thru a decision of the War Labor Board.

In the general attack against the workers in 1919 when the Steel Strike was at its height the Corn Product workers' agreement expired. The company refused recognition and initiated a fight on the union which lasted many months. In a year the union was completely destroyed and the open shop established. This system here meant that every man with union affiliations or sympathies was summarily fired, an elaborate spy system installed and the "American Plan" of efficiency put into effect. Except for the 8-hour day all concessions won by the union were lost.

The starch plant operates 24 hours a day with 3 shifts, seven days a week. Explosions are not unknown in this kind of plants. This same company has experienced them in their works at Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Edgewater, N. J. The men worked in constant fear. The grinding room of the starch works here was built to accommodate explosions. The walls and ceiling were of glass. This explosion began in the grinding room where the walls easily gave way, the men who have since died in the hospitals were from this department. The dry starch building where the main explosion took place is connected with the grinding-room by a conveyor which carries the starch to be powdered and packed for shipment.

It is in this department that the plant's production is measured and loaded for market. The building was an old one that was not made over in the re-construction of the plant. There were 35 or 40 men employed on its 4 different floors. The explosion spent its force here, completely demolishing the building as though it were an egg shell. Every man in the department was killed.

While the union was functioning one of its conditions was that two men be kept at work in the dry starch building removing the dust. On Sunday, because of union double-time the plant was shut down, and this opportunity was taken by the dust men to "blow" the machines and clean the conveyors. Since the fall of the union no attention had been paid the dust and it had accumulated in deadly quantities thru out the entire building. The three shifts that pack and load the day's out put compete with each others for production records. Survivors say that the only consideration paid by the "efficiency experts" to the dust was a childish instruction to the men who sweep the floor to wrap their floors with burlap.

The plant is a ghastly sepulchre of ice for the curious crowds that mill around the high steel fence of the plant. Ten miles away in Peoria's most luxurious hotel, federal and state officers are in conference to "investigate" the explosion. The Corn Product Company is a Standard Oil concern.

### THREE BANKERS GO TO BERLIN



Robert Minor

Berlin

### UNITED FARMERS IN BIG FIGHT ON THE MILK TRUST

#### Profiteers Can't Disrupt Producers' Unions

The milk supply of Chicago has been reduced 75% as a result of the attempt of the profiteering milk corporations to disrupt the Milk Producers' Association.

Until recently there were two associations of milk producers in the field and as is the case when there are two rival labor unions in the same industry, the bosses played one association against the other.

Recently however, the two organizations of milk producers united and decided to resist the efforts of the Milk Trust to reduce the price of milk to the producer.

All the plants of the Bowman Dairy company are picketed, and roads leading to them are watched by the farmers. Their language is taking on a progressive color, such terms as a "united front" and "solidarity" being heard frequently.

F. T. Fowler, president of the Milk Producers' Association declares that according to a statement issued by Secretary Pushkewicz of the City Council of Living Committee the distributor now charging 14 cents a quart, could sell at 13 cents and still make a 21% profit.

### McAdoo Unmasked as Original Russian Recognition Foe While Hughes' Plot Falls by Wayside

(Washington Correspondence to "The Daily Worker")  
WASHINGTON, D. C.—When the Russian Soviet Government, thru its foreign minister, George Tchitcherin, in reply to the obvious suggestion for diplomatic rapprochement contained in President Coolidge's address to congress, held out the olive branch for a joint conference to compose the outstanding differences between Russia and the United States, Secretary of State Hughes within 24 hours, with a haste unheard of in diplomatic procedure, dispatched a note to Moscow via Riga slamming the door in the face of the Soviet Republic.

But the closing of the door of recognition to Soviet Russia by Secretary Hughes serves as an excellent opening for the big fight for recognition by the progressive senators who have been collecting data on the (Continued on page 2.)

### Expose Oil Trust's Open Shop

THE DAILY WORKER will publish a series of articles on the recent disaster at Pekin, Ill., and the conditions among the workers there both before and after the disaster. Tom Tippet, who covered the disaster in the Standard Oil Trust's Open Shop plant, in the story appearing in an adjoining column, will write the series. Watch for it!

### Help Break Rockefeller's Grip Daily Worker Sub Rates Cut!

Subscription rates to THE DAILY WORKER have been materially reduced. The new rates are set at \$6 a year, \$3.50 for 6 months and \$2 for 3 months outside of Chicago. By carrier in Chicago the rate remains at \$10 a year and \$1 per month; by mail in Chicago prices have been reduced to \$5 a year and \$4.50 for 6 months.

With the new low prices asked for THE DAILY WORKER, it is expected that within the next few months it will have more readers than any other daily labor paper in America has ever secured.

For the Chicago readers and prospective Chicago readers, who may query why the rates are higher for Chicago than in other places, it is explained that due to the fact that second class mail privileges are extended only for mail outside of Chicago, mailing costs within the city are more than \$2 a year higher than for outside.

Those who have subscribed for THE DAILY WORKER at the higher prices, will receive the paper for a proportionately longer period of time, THE DAILY WORKER business office announces.

### U. S. AIDS WALL STREET DOLLAR PLOT

#### Great Fear of Labor's Growing Discontent In Europe

Brigadier General Charles G. Dawes will preside over the first session of the sub-committee of experts investigating the German financial situation under auspices of the Reparations Commission in Paris on January 14th.

The other sub-committee charged with the investigation of the export of German capital will delay meeting until Jan. 21st, so as to give Henry M. Robinson, its American member, a chance to arrive on time for the sessions.

These conferences to fix Germany's ability to pay reparations will perhaps be the biggest gathering of financiers since the close of the war. Should these bankers fail to prop up tottering Germany the chances of a working class revolution sweeping Europe will be greater than ever. Fifteen delegates representing the financial and industrial brains of the United States, England, France, Belgium and Italy will convene to devise ways and means of compelling the German working masses to pay billions in reparations while at the same time continuing to pay heavy tribute to the German capitalists and landlords.

U. S. Representatives Reacting to the prominent international

Reginald McKenna, formerly British Chancellor of the Exchequer and now Chairman of the Midland Bank; Max Atthalin, director of the Banque Paribas; and Jean V. Parmentier, one of the managers of the Credit Foncier de France.

America's "Big Three" at the conference are typical representatives of Big Business. They are all out-and-out reactionaries and uncompromising enemies of the workers.

Brigadier General Dawes is the one who sold McKenna, the first imperial president, to the American people. He is President of the Central Trust Co. of Illinois. General Dawes, often called "Hell-and-Maria" Dawes, was Chairman of the General Purchasing Board handling supplies for the American military forces, and was the first Director of the Budget. "Hell-and-Maria" Dawes is an open-shopper and an eat-and-sleep swash-buckler whose attitude towards labor is best summed up in an address he recently delivered to the Chicago Chamber of Commerce in which he said that "the politicians these days are afraid of the labor unions, many of which are headed by criminals. We need men who are not afraid of mobs—who are ready to fight."

Morgan Interests Well Represented.

Owen D. Young, the second American member, is one of the directors of the International Chamber of Commerce, the United States Chamber of Commerce, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, the Bankers Trust Company, and Chairman of the Radio Corporation of America which was recently attacked by the Federal Trade Commission for exercising an illegal monopoly of wireless transmission circuits throughout the world. Mr. Young was a member of Wilson's second Industrial Conference and is now Chairman of the General Electric Co. which has extensive interests in Europe.

Henry M. Robinson, the third American representative, is a Los Angeles lawyer and financier. He is president of the First National Bank of Los Angeles and is prominently identified with many other financial and industrial institutions. Mr. Robinson is closely associated with the steel and rubber industries, power development companies in Southern California, and the anti-union American Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Thru the appointment of Owen D. Young and Henry M. Robinson, the Morgan interests are well represented. E. R. Stebbins and Dwight W. Morrow who are partners of J. P. Morgan & Co. are also directors of the General Electric Co. Mr. Robinson has for many years been closely associated with J. P. Morgan himself.

How much importance our financiers attach to these conferences is evident from the following statement (Continued on Page 12)

## "A WEEK!"

A Chance at Last to Get a Glimpse of the New Literature Created by the Young Writers of Soviet Russia. Watch "THE DAILY WORKER" for the First Installment of the World-Famous Bolshevik Novel "A WEEK," by Iury Libedinsky, an Epic of the Russian Revolution.

## WILL APPEAR SOON!

# SCAB RESTAURANT REFUSED LICENSE BY LABOR SOLONS

## Citizens' Alliance Is Frantic Over Defeat

(Special to "The Daily Worker")

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — Despite the efforts of Sam Levy, lobbyist for the Citizens' Alliance, the open shop organization in this city, the labor aldermen in the city council successfully countered an attempt to give an operating license to restaurants run by George Demos and Stafford because of their known antagonism to the Hotel and Restaurant Employees' Union.

Levy had been consulting frantically with Alderman Brown and Buck to get the licenses thru the council, but due to the prompt action of Alderman Bastis, labor, in moving to strike the two anti-labor restaurants from the license lists, the attempt of the reactionaries fell thru. The motion to refuse the licenses was supported by Aldermen Bastis, Scott, Gisslen, Bencke, Dunleavy and Hadley and was carried by the council with the opposition of the tools of the Citizen's Alliance.

# The Hughes' Plot Falls by the Wayside

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question. The senators who have recently returned from Europe, without exception, favor recognition. This fact has angered Mr. Hughes, who unofficially informed the public thru the press, that their views have caused indignation among administration officials.

"Upon what meat does this bewhiskered statesman feed that he has grown so great?" asks the Chicago Herald-Examiner. Are these men not entitled to as much credit for their reports as the lackeys of Mr. Hughes, George B. Harvey, the yankee devotee of knee breeches and Haig and Haig, and the millionaire flunkey, Myron T. Herrick?

### Secretary Hughes Got Stung

No sooner had Mr. Hughes disposed of the pesky Bolshevik menace than the latter turned itself as if by magic into a hornet's nest. Angry progressive senators began to buzz ominously around the secretary's ears. Senator Ladd of North Dakota introduced a resolution requesting the secretary of state to provide the senate with information concerning its Russian policy, particularly with reference to any "secret agreements, confidential understandings, diplomatic arrangements or verbal contracts" existing between the State Department and foreign nations "with a view to prohibiting, restricting or retarding trade" between Russia and the United States. The secretary was also requested to furnish the senate with all information concerning the alleged activities of the Russian government in spreading propaganda here.

Daunted but not subdued Mr. Hughes immediately gave the public a sample of the kind of "evidence" his Department of Justice can turn out at a moment's notice by making public an alleged letter of instructions from the Communist International to the Workers Party of America. This letter after going into the technical details of making bombs and training bomb throwers wound up with a fourth of July peroration hoping that in the not far distant future the red flag would be raised over the White House.

This did not take very well, so instead of open fabrication, forgery was resorted to. The secretary of state next had his agents translate or mistranslate an article from the Nov. 7, 1922, issue of Izvestia, the official organ of the Soviet Government, designed to prove that the Communist International and the Soviet government were identical.

### Editor Charges Forgery

M. Steklov, editor of Izvestia, accused Secretary of State Hughes of changing the sense of the article. "Mr. Hughes," he writes, "having extracted a few lines out of the general context of the article, added several lines of his own, thus changing the sense. Despite the external coincidence of the separate words, I still categorically declare that by quiting my words in the manner Mr. Hughes did, he consciously committed forgery."

M. Steklov continues: "As regards the material bonds between Soviet Russia and the Communist International, as contained in the November article, Mr. Hughes omitted the following phrase: 'The matter at issue is not material assistance about which the bourgeois press is speaking, which is a myth, but bonds of a spiritually political nature.'"

Mr. Hughes in his willingness to obey the dictates of the international bankers who are fighting Russian recognition has apparently bit off more than he can chew. There is division even in administration circles. It is reported on good authority that even the Department of Justice doubts its ability to furnish Mr. Hughes with the kind of documents necessary to make good before a senatorial committee the charges of Soviet plots in the

United States. Very few senators place any credence in Department of Justice "evidence" particularly since the disclosures brought out by Frank P. Walsh in his investigation of stool pigeon activities prior to the trials of William Z. Foster and C. E. Ruthenberg at St. Joseph, Michigan.

### U. S. Found Guilty

But while Mr. Hughes and William J. Burns were putting their ingenuity to the test for the ordeal ahead of them the Senate judiciary committee was quietly going ahead with an investigation of the investigators. While Mr. Hughes was bleating about mythical Soviet propaganda in America the judiciary committee was bringing in a verdict of "guilty" against the United States government on the charge of carrying on propaganda—yes and "force and violence"—against Soviet Russia.

This information is embodied in document 86, the result of the investigation of war loans by this country to foreign powers. A Universal Service dispatch under date of January 2 states:

"This series of amazing transactions with Boris Bakhmeteff, 'ambassador without a government,' showed that a considerable part of the proceeds of the loans Mr. Hughes demands the Soviet government recognize

## The Cause of Bad Dreams



before this country will enter into any negotiations looking to a resumption of relations with the support of Soviet enemies.

"Secretary Hughes in his flat rejection of Tchitcherin's overtures said the spreading of propaganda in the United States was the 'most serious' offense of the Soviet government. The Senate judiciary committee's inquiry unearthed a memorandum prepared by R. M. Leffingwell, then assistant Secretary of the Treasury, for the Secretary of the Treasury on December 10, 1917, a little over a month after the soviets overthrew the Kerensky regime, which contains these recommendations:

### Real Plotters Exposed

"I think the present situation calls for large expenditures for propaganda and for relief, and that food and military supplies should be sent forward to Russia; that so far as money is in hand here available, for that purpose, it should be used, and that so far as it is wanting the President's discretionary fund should be used.

"It is important also that the United States should decide promptly whether it will give aid to Kalendin and the southern Russians" (fighting the soviets).

### The committee found:

"According to a report by President Wilson of the expenditures made by him under the \$150,000,000 appropriation given him for the purpose of prosecuting the war, it appears he spent \$15,815,523.17 for investigations, relief work, etc., in Russia in 1917 and 1918."

A costly campaign The report includes \$25,000 for a publicity campaign in Russia."

Former Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo suggested the policy which has been followed in the matter of nonrecognition of the soviet govern-

ment in a letter to Secretary of State Lansing, dated January 17, 1918, two months and a half after the soviets came into power.

He demanded not only that all of the terms and conditions of the Russian debt be recognized, but that all of the transactions with Bakhmeteff be ratified.

Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana, commenting on the publication of the Hughes' forgery, declared, "It is inconceivable that the President of the United States would have in his message to Congress, tacitly invited the Russian government to apply formally for recognition had either the Department of State or the Attorney General, had in their possession such information as Mr. Hughes now points to. I think it will be proved beyond question that the evidence which they have is a myth and the product of the unbalanced minds of some sleuth who for some time past a la A. Mitchell Palmer has been able to see long-whiskered bolsheviks hovering over the capitol here in Washington. . . . In my opinion the detective dream will be exploded when it reaches the floor of the Senate."

### McAdoo's Plan

The vendetta of Secretary Hughes against Russia is revealed as the brain child of Mr. McAdoo, Ku Klux Klan favorite as presidential aspirant in the Democratic party. Tho in two different political camps they prove themselves loyal servants of the money power against the money powers' common enemy. The son-in-law of Woodrow Wilson, the world's champion political mountebank will soon seek to rally the workers of this country to his banner, but the workers will remember the unholy alliance between McAdoo the Democrat and Hughes the Republican against the Workers government of Russia.

While Mr. Hughes and his masters carry on this crusade against the Soviet Republic the nations of Europe are vying with each other in making trade agreements or political agreements with that country and while the Soviet idea is as repugnant to the European business men as it is to American capitalists the former have a sense of reality and know that whether they deal with Russia or not the Soviet idea is bound to win as it knows no barriers. And before long millions of American unemployed workers will be asking Mr. Hughes the well fed politician, why he continues to shut off the great Russian market from the product of America's factories thus shutting off employment from American workers.

Union men favor the TRADE UNION EDUCATIONAL LEAGUE because— It's so good, that it is something to Foster.

## GREETINGS

from the Friends of Soviet Russia (National Office)

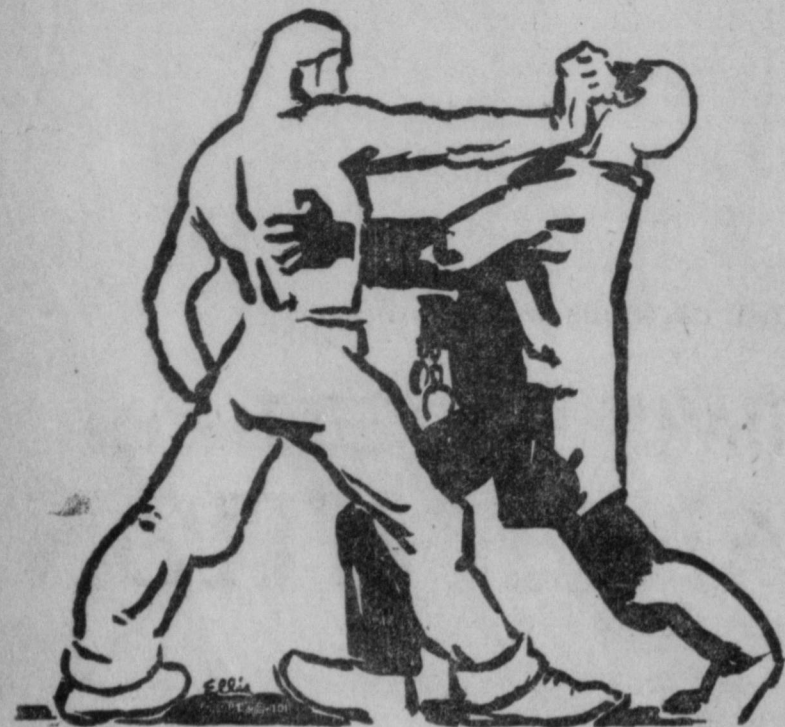
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# GET BEHIND THE RUTHENBERG APPEAL

This Appeal, Soon To Be Heard, Is The Cornerstone of Michigan Defense



## To All Friends of Militant Labor:

The workers of America are faced with the menace of the Johnson Bill—a "Super-Blacklist" against alien workers, and the Sterling Bill—a national anti-syndicalism bill, so drastic that under its provisions the simple exhibition of a button or emblem denoting sympathy with Soviet Russia or workers' Germany might be interpreted as rendering a worker liable to five years in prison or \$5,000 fine, or both.

Whether this Sterling Bill passes or not depends on the opposition labor puts up, and to a large extent upon the number of convictions secured under the state laws. Thus, the Michigan anti-syndicalism law becomes the focus of attention—and the Foster-Ruthenberg defense paramount in importance.

The official labor baiters of the Burns-Daugherty "Department of Justice," stinging from past defeats, have now turned their attention to Michigan and are out to smash the Ruthenberg appeal, which is about to be heard.

The Ruthenberg Appeal is the cornerstone of the Michigan Defense—if the appeal is successful, it is extremely unlikely that the cases of the other 32 defendants will be brought to trial at all.

The Defense Council must have plenty fighting material and must not be obliged to leave things undone for lack of funds.

This makes it necessary for the defense to concentrate all its energies and resources on the period just ahead. The Labor Defense Council sends out the immediate slogan, "GET BEHIND THE RUTHENBERG APPEAL."

We ask that you come to the support of the Foster-Ruthenberg Defense—generously and NOW. Send your contribution and what you can collect from others on the contribution blank printed below.

You may have already in the past supported the Labor Defense Council and sacrificed for the defense of Foster and Ruthenberg. But the present situation is critical. Keep the Michigan defendants out of jail, free to lead the fight of the workers.

### GET BEHIND THE RUTHENBERG APPEAL!

Fraternally yours,  
LABOR DEFENSE COUNCIL

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# WHERE MORE THAN TEN THOUSAND WORKERS BANK

# AMALGAMATED IN \$3,000 GIFT TO GERMAN WORKERS

## Clothing Workers Plan Drive on West Coast

The General Executive Board of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, in session in Chicago, voted \$3,000 to the needle trade workers of Germany, who are now in a condition of extreme want as a result of the terrible state of that country brought on by the decline and demoralization of the capitalist system.

Sidney Hillman, General President of the Amalgamated, in a special interview to The Daily Worker declared that the organization was in a very satisfactory condition despite the depression in the industry.

### Organization Drive Planned

A plan is being formulated for an organization campaign on the Pacific coast where the industry is newly established and rapidly spreading in the ready-made clothing business.

The report of the American-Russian Industrial Corporation, with recommendations that will further advance the Amalgamated's assistance to Soviet Russia, was adopted. A large number of organizers will be placed in the field at once, declared President Hillman. Their activities will be mainly directed toward what are known as the out-of-town shops, where the attempt is made by employers to establish old sweat-shop conditions.

### Big Fund on Hand

The Board decided to establish an Unemployment Insurance Fund, in the New York market along the lines now existing in the Chicago market. The Fund now held in the Chicago district amounts to three quarters of a million dollars.

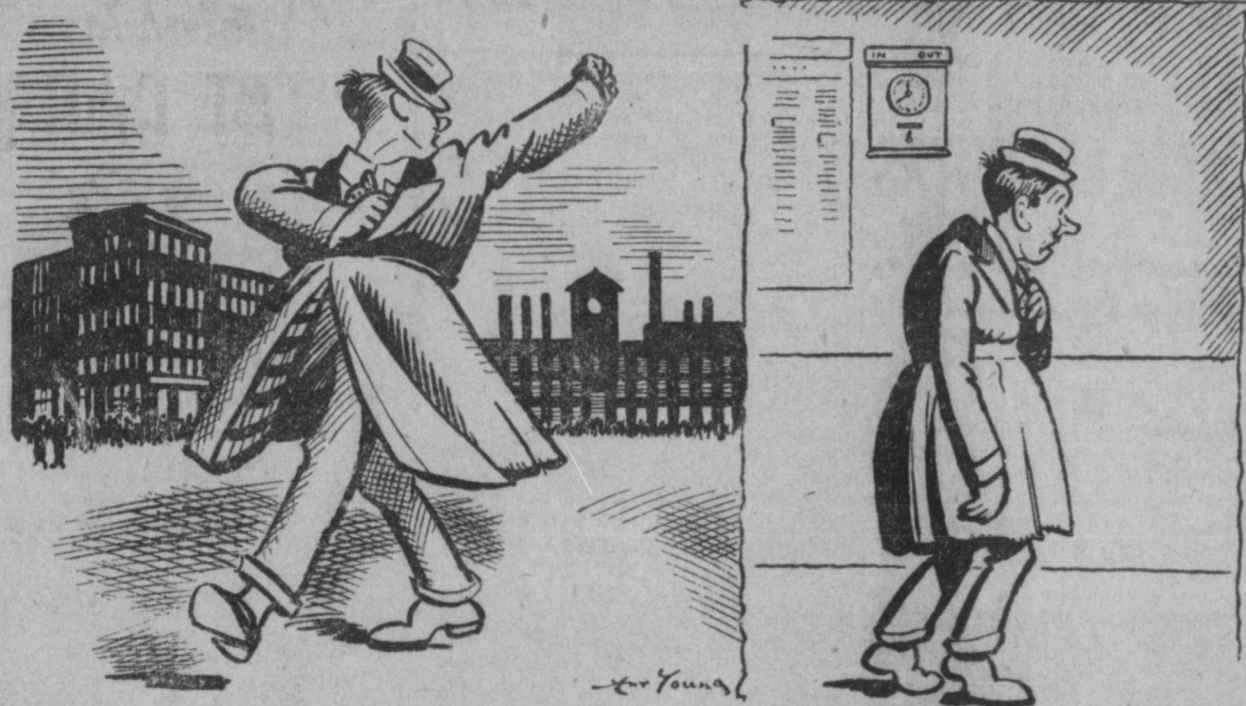
Favorable condition in the affairs of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' two banks are reported. Their combined resources at the present time are in excess of five million dollars.

### Greetings from

Greek Branch W. P.

Cleveland, Ohio.

## The American Rebel



Saturday Night: He tells the Boss to go to Hell.

Monday Morning: He slinks back to work, as Meek as can be.

## Secretary Hughes Continues To Spread Communist Propaganda

The latest eruption of the bewhiskered Secretary of State to come to our attention as we go to press is a letter sent to the Workers Party of America by Gregory Zinoviev, Chairman of the Communist International, greeting the American party on its decision to start a Communist daily. A telegram to the same effect was printed in "THE WORKER", but the complete text of the article which appeared in the Moscow Pravda, Dec. 14, last, was translated by Mr. Hughes' retainers and sent out over the wires to the American newspapers.

We desire to acknowledge our excellent piece of Communist propaganda. His friend Gompers will not thank him for it.

"The American workers whose thoughts and ideas for many years have been dominated by Gompers and Hillquit are beginning now to bestir themselves and rally around the young American Communist party," the translation says.

"Whoever desires," the translation continues, "to aid the Communist party to become, not a guild organization defending only the narrow class interests of the proletariat, but a party of the proletariat, such a person must, after having established a workers' party, direct its attention also to the conquest of the peasantry."

"In this respect the American Communist first felt out the new path. The American Communists have founded the labor farmers' party (preserving to be sure their Communist proletarian party as an independent organization.)

"Let the American comrades with still greater energy labor to conquer before all the hearts of the American proletariat, to snatch the American

indebtedness to Mr. Hughes for this working class and its labor unions out of the tenacious, dead embrace of Gompers and other agents of capital."

### 14 Washington State Politicals

SEATTLE.—There are 14 political and classwar prisoners in Washington state instead of nine, as previously reported. C. E. Payne, editor, Industrial Worker, lists eight Centralia I. W. W., defendants convicted. One was declared criminally insane. He is to be confined until a sanity board or physician of some kind declares him mentally responsible. The other seven are sentenced to serve 25 to 40 years each in the penitentiary for defending their hall in 1919 against an American legion mob.

### Merrick Frameup Trial Jan. 15

HAVERHILL, Mass.—John E. Merrick, the shoe worker being held under \$15,000 bond to answer a charge of planting dynamite at the shoe factory of Knipe Bros. Inc., Haverhill, will go to trial on or about Jan. 15.

## ANGLO-SAXON SECTION, MOSCOW IMMIGRANTS' CLUB, GREETES DAILY

Leontul'sky 16, Moscow, Russia. The English-speaking immigrants in Moscow, having suffered at the hands of Capitalism in America and Great Britain, and now living in freedom in the Workers' and Peasants' Republic of Soviet Russia, send GREETINGS TO THE "DAILY WORKER", ORGAN OF THE FIGHTING WORKERS AND FARMERS OF AMERICA, AND TO THE WORKERS PARTY.

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On behalf of the Bureau, With Communist Greetings, JOHN EMERY, H. GERISH.

### AMALGAMATION IN AUSTRALIA

A movement is now on foot in Australia to amalgamate all the various unions in the government railway services of Australia into one powerful union. If this scheme is carried out it will make the railway union the largest on the Australian continent.

## Amalgamated Food Workers Expose Despicable Fink In Employ of the Hotel Owners

Thru the clever work of Miss Dorothy Elster, office employe at New York Headquarters of the Amalgamated Food Workers of America, Harry Pulvers, stool pigeon in the pay of the Hotelmen's Association and member of the Hotel Workers' Branch of the Amalgamated was exposed and expelled from the union.

A picture of this miserable chunk of protoplasm appears in the January 1st issue of the Free Voice, official organ of The Amalgamated Food Workers.

He is a typical specimen of the degenerate that can be found to do this kind of work.

Pulvers joined the Hotel Workers branch last summer and immediately approached Miss Elster with a view to inducing her to turn over the names of the members of the union to the Hotel owners. For the work he has promised to pay her \$15.00 a week and additional sums for such special services as she might be called upon from time to time.

Miss Elster, informed, M. Obermeier, Secretary-Treasurer of the organization, at once of this offer and the latter instructed her to appear disposed to accept the offer with a view of getting the goods on the fink. She gave him lists which she assured him were secured from Obermeier. Pulver gave her \$15.00 and a five dollar bill on Dec. 10.

The spy signed a document guaranteeing to pay Miss Elster the sum of \$30.00 per week in the event of her losing her position as a result of her work for him. This document she immediately turned over to Obermeier.

The officers of the New York Hotel Workers' Union and particularly the young girl, Miss Elster, are to be complimented for their action in immediately putting the skids under this human sewer rat. He is only one of the many that infest the labor movement. And the fact that the trade unions, conservative as well as radical are their happy hunting ground bears evidence to the fear in which the unions are held by the employing class.

The unions are the first line of defence of the workers against their exploiters and the latter use every dirty method to smash the unions and expose their membership to danger. When a radical union such as the Hotel Workers exists, the bosses are still more willing to get rid of it because its officers are imbued not alone with the intention to improve the daily conditions of the workers but to reach far beyond that to the goal which will end all exploitation with the emancipation of all workers from wage slavery and the establishment of the proletarian state on the ruins of the capitalist system.

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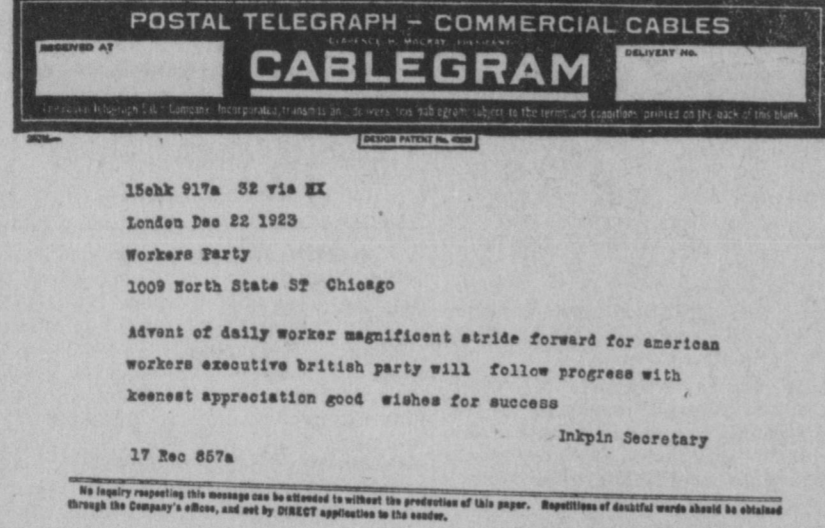
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### British Communist Party Cables Greetings to "The Daily Worker"

Here is a reproduction of the cable received from Albert Inkpin, secretary of the British Communist Party, greeting "The Daily Worker" on behalf of the Communist workers of Great Britain:



### Irish-American Workers Greet "The Daily Worker"

With the signing of the treaty bringing the so-called Irish Free State into existence the movement for Irish independence in the United States went on the rocks. The capitalist politicians who graced the platform when the propaganda for an Irish Republic was at its highest immediately accepted the new order of things and the great majority of them boosted the imperialistic Free State just as ardently as they had formerly shouted for the Republic.

The Irish movement in the United States has always been the football of capitalistic politics. Radicals paid very little attention to it, being of the opinion that it is nationalistic and therefore untouchable. Communists however not being petrified dogmatists who have swallowed the three volumes of Das Kapital but failed to digest them appreciate the propaganda value of the movement for the national liberation of oppressed peoples and are taking a lively interest in all such movements.

Nationalism in Ireland which takes on an anti-imperialist character is serving the purpose of weakening British imperialism, therefore communists support the Republican agitation in Ireland and the Irish-American organizations that support the Irish republicans even though these organizations are minus a constructive program or accept the fact of the class struggle.

The rank and file of the Irish workers in America are in favor of the Republican movement in Ireland and are providing the finances with which De Valera and his faction wage the struggle at home. Many of them, however, are not satisfied with De

Valera's leadership because he does not go to the bottom of things. The more radical among the Irish in America and the number is constantly increasing are becoming more and more anti-clerical. They see in the Roman Church one of the principal enemies of Ireland and attribute Ireland's unsuccessful struggles in the past to the Roman connection which enabled Irish priests to inform the British government through the confessional of any plots against the safety of his realm. Besides that, the Papal Bull granting the British king the power to rule Ireland for the consideration of one penny from each Irish house to the Vatican treasury gave British Occupation of Ireland, Papal sanction which to the ignorant Catholics meant divine sanction.

The progressive Irish workers in America believe that the capitalist system is the main enemy of the Irish workers as it is of all workers. But a concerted attack must be carried on against the Black International of Rome and against the British government. The radical Irish workers in America have cast in their lot with the revolutionary movement here.

They know that their duty is to fight for freedom here in America as well as fight for Irish freedom three thousand miles away.

The Irish workers of America who hold the same ideal of a republic as was held by James Connolly greet the Daily Worker and pledge themselves to support it. They know from experience that the truth cannot be expected from the capitalist press.

Mr. Pike is not alone in this attempt to block the national convention. Thomas Van Lear, the business manager of the Minnesota Daily Star, has allowed himself and the paper to line up with the Democratic Party. It is at present engaged in a campaign to show that the Communists are behind the Farmer-Labor movement and the proposed May 30th convention.

Pike and Van Lear are typical, unscrupulous opportunist politicians. They are true representatives of the Democratic party and its economic interests. They are in politics for the spoils, they know little about and care less for the genuine Farmer-Labor movement. They will side track and destroy it if they can to serve the bidding of their masters.

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MOSCOW.—The first All-Russian Congress of Scientific Workers has been inaugurated here. Upon the reports of Gregory Zinoviev, President of the Communist International and Chairman of the Petrograd Soviet, Mr. Lunacharsky, People's Commissar of Education, and Mr. Semashko, People's Commissar of Health—the Congress unanimously passed a resolution to the following effect: the former cleavage between the scientific workers and the laboring class is, today, a thing of the past; those former dissensions have now been supplanted by an ever growing rapprochement in the process of one common work of restoration of the country's economic and cultural life.

We, a group of workers of Hart Schaffner & Marx, Shop A3, members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, greet the first issue of "The Daily Worker" and wish you success in fighting for the interests of the workers. We pledge our whole-hearted support to you.

JEROME POSNER, }  
M. BEZOWSKY, } Committee.

### FIGHT MCADOO ALLY AMONG THE FARM-LABORITES

#### Minnesota Chairman Is Working for Democrats

(Special to "The Daily Worker")  
ST. PAUL, Minn.—A bold attempt is being made by State Chairman F. A. Pike of the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party to deliver the party to the Democrats in the event that William G. McAdoo gets the presidential nomination. This is clear from reports issued by the McAdoo headquarters at Chicago.

At the conference that was held here November 15, sentiment of the assembled delegates from all over the country was unanimous, that a call be issued by the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party, for a great national nominating convention to be held at the Twin Cities, May 30.

The delegates present were astonished to hear Mr. Pike make a bitter and stupid attack upon the proposal to hold the May 30th convention. The only clear idea to be gained from his confused speech was that the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party, of which he was careful to state he was the "legal" Chairman, should not join in a national Farmer-Labor movement until the other state Farmer-Labor parties showed more willingness to participate. His position was that nothing should be done on the matter of presidential nominations until after the old party conventions. He further stated as his own opinion that the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party should remain a state organization, and if one of the old parties nominated a "Progressive," the Minnesota organization should support him.

Now it becomes clear why he, the legal chairman of a state third party, was in favor of a nonpartisan stand nationally. Mr. Pike is a lawyer and a former democrat. He lost his standing among the democrats and joined the Farmer-Labor Party by having himself appointed state chairman, a very strategic position because it enables him to call, as he is doing now, hand picked conferences in the various state congressional districts. One of these conferences has just been held at which the only matters discussed was a series of resolutions written or inspired by Pike. Two of these resolutions are worthy of note. One authorized the state chairman to call a state conference and the other opposed the holding of the May 30th convention.

The conference was handpicked by Pike the resolution against the May 30th convention met with vigorous opposition. William

who was present, led the opposition on the grounds that the delegates were wholly uninformed on the real issues at stake. Following the clear cut argument of Mahoney, Mr. Pike made a wild and excited attack upon the idea of calling the national Farmer-Labor convention. He argued that if one of the old parties nominated a "progressive" it would be unnecessary for the Farmer-Labor Party to have a national candidate. In spite of the fact that Pike's conference was made to order, the resolution against the May 30th convention was only carried by a vote of 16 to 12.

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Congratulations on the birthday of "The Daily Worker" and Camilla Clausen's 60th birthday. January 13, 1924.

From H. P. Clausen.

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### All Over The World

#### THE STRUGGLE IN GERMANY

The miseries of the harassed workers of Germany were recently increased by the robbery of the 8-hour day, the only achievement of the bourgeois revolution. In spite of the collaboration of the social-democrats in this criminal move, the workers all over the country are voicing their protests against this act. In the Ruhr district, thousands of miners left the pits because of the discharge of a number of workers who refused to obey the new decision. The only healthy result of this new traitorous act is the continued increase of influence and membership of the Communist Party and Young Communist League, which are growing daily in spite of their having been outlawed by Germany's dictator, General Hans von Seeckt.

Even the intellectuals and petty business men are now following the leadership of the Communists as the sole agent capable of regenerating the life of the nation by the setting up of a new system of society. At a meeting of intellectuals and students' organizations in Berlin, resolutions of agreement with the Communists were adopted and ten bourgeois youth unions declared themselves ready to join the struggle for the emancipation of the proletariat together with the communists.

The Rote Fahne, central organ of the Communist Party, also suppressed by von Seeckt is appearing illegally, and being circulated in great quantities, under the name of the Rote Sturmabteilung (red storm banner.) Because of the suppressive acts, the executive committee of the Communist Party has voted to move to a neighboring country, from which the revolutionary activities of the working class will be directed until the attainment of power by the German proletariat which is conceded to be a matter of only a short time.

#### DEVELOPMENTS IN NORWAY

While the struggle goes on ever more sharply in Germany, France, Poland and other continental countries, the Labor Party of Norway has broken from the Communist International, a minority of the convention, which took place in Christiania a short while ago, forming itself into the Communist Party of Norway and immediately declaring its unreserved affiliation to the Communist International.

The fight in the Norwegian party is of long standing. The group of intellectuals, centering around the publication "Mot Dag," had done all in its power to break the party away from the international. Party comrades faithful to Communist principles were not permitted to voice their opposition to the tactics of the centrists. Many were expelled and the Young Communist League, which stood by the

Communist International was gagged completely.

The fight centered around the decisions of the Communist International for a struggle for a workers' and farmers' government, the campaign against religion and the centralization of discipline. Besides this, the trade union leaders combined with the "Mot Dag" faction in a fight against the policy of affiliation to the Red Trade Union International. After a long struggle, both within the party and at international congresses, the splitters broke the party. The newly formed Communist Party is already issuing its own daily, the Kommunistblad.

#### THE WHITE TERROR IN BRAZIL

At the other end of the globe, the Communists are being subjected to a reactionary suppression by the capitalists. The Communist Party of Brazil is having its most active comrades jailed upon the flimsiest excuses, and in many cases without any reason being given at all. Comrade Canelas, delegate to the fourth congress of the Communist International, is in jail. So also are Comrades Peres, Silva, Brandao, the proletarian writer, Marcillo, Escobar, Dias and Pereira, who published a prophetic pamphlet in March 1918, saying that the overthrow of German militarism would be accomplished by the bolsheviks.

Many comrades are being sent to convict prisons or deported and the protests of trade unions are ignored. One union was actually suppressed for such a protest.

#### WITH AMERICAN LABOR

Labor is seeing the need for a daily press more and more. The support which has been given to the campaign of the Workers Party to establish "The Daily Worker" is one evidence of this fact. Organized labor in Alameda County, (Oakland) Calif., is piling up support for the publication of a local daily which shall be the organ of the working class as opposed to the reactionary capitalist rags which infest the western (and eastern!) section of this country. A labor daily in Oakland will make the second one on the Pacific coast, the first being the Seattle Union Record, which has, unfortunately, degenerated into a Hearst-like sheet, and used as an organ for the pushing of wildcat speculation schemes of certain labor faking politicians. Here's hoping the way.

Definite proof that the organized labor movement is in favor of amalgamation venture doesn't go the same matting the various unions into solidified industrial unions is seen in the endorsements given by lodges of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen to the sending out of the referendum proposed by Lodge No. 229, of Minneapolis, which calls for amalgamation of the railway unions. Practically every state in the union and many provinces in Canada are among the endorsees, and dozens of additional endorsements come in every day.

### Birthday Greetings to "THE DAILY WORKER"

From coast to coast, from the lakes to the gulf, the Birthday Greetings have been pouring in to "The Daily Worker". Thousands of workers, everywhere, have made their Birthday Gifts to "The Daily", 25 cents, 50 cents, \$1 and up, and here are their names, the names of those who have joined in greeting "The Daily" on the day of its birth. Other lists will be found in other columns. Additional lists will be found in future issues of "The Daily". It isn't too late! Send in your list to "The Daily Worker", 1640 N. Halsted St., Chicago, Illinois.

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Page Mr. Hughes!

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This completes the advertisement with the exception of one phrase. Here is the Russian Soviet Government, advertising a full-fledged banking business in the heart of the London financial district.

Should Mr. Burns investigate the Guarantee Trust? Should Mr. Hughes write another essay on the connection between the Russian Government and the Third International?

Should the American Government wake up to the fact that the Soviet Government of Russia has become an integral part of the economic life of post-war Europe?

The peasants and poor farmers of every country in the world have continued in degradation as long as they left political and economic power in the hands of the capitalist class.

"Janet March" Suppressed

Joab Banton, district attorney of New York, read a copy of Floyd Dell's latest novel, Janet March, and was inexpressibly shocked.

Mr. Dell, while defending the tone of the novel, which is in delicate language, "the story of a girl's experience," stated that he appreciated the attitude of Mr. Knopf and would rather have the book suppressed than have it pushed into a big sale by the sensational publicity that a lawsuit would entail.

So it stands. If you are a worker, your morals are guaranteed. If you happen to be a fat lady with lots of money and a lap dog, or a tired business man, you will soon get a chance to buy the book from a literary book-keeper for the juicy price of \$20.

But let us hope that you are only a common worker. Then you will be able to go down on your knees and thank the gods that there exist district attorneys and societies for the suppression of vice who take upon themselves the weighty burden of protecting your delicate morals from corruption by the terrible books which are written nowadays for no other purpose, so we are told, than to inveigle the people of this glorious country into an orgy of rape, murder—and thought.

Gunboat Diplomacy

The flag follows the dollar. When workers strike at home against low wages and intolerable conditions of employment, the flow of dividends into the coffers of the employers are menaced and the flag soon follows the dollar.

This strikebreaking policy at home is translated into an iron heel policy abroad when the class interests of our capitalists are in danger. The United States pursues as vigorous a strike-breaking policy abroad as at home.

country torn by civil war with the hope of getting a better hold on the wonderful resources of China.

An American naval commander led the procession of gunboats and other armed craft under the guise of helping the weak Chinese people maintain their national integrity.

The Party Caucus

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace defeated Magnus Johnson in a milking contest.

After the photographers were through, the contestants—for the benefit of the reporters—left the cow to throw the bull.

We learn from a news item the directors of the Rockefeller Foundation at their December meeting appropriated \$2,725,000 for the medical schools of four universities.

John D. must surely be a real angel to the medical schools. Not only does his money go to them, but his industries can furnish the human wreckage for the medical schools to practice on.

For the worker—The fighting DAILY WORKER.

The Ohio State Journal says: "Henry Ford's declaration for President Coolidge is of great political significance."

Quite right. It is necessary to have an oil can with a Ford.

Fashion Hints For Radicals. That the fashions be in keeping with the coming industrial depression the fashion expert of THE PARTY CAUCUS gives the following hints:

Men's waist lines will be considerably narrower and pants will be worn much longer. But there will be no change in the pockets.

The women will be pleased to hear silk underwear will be much worn. Dresses will again be kept long and the women will get the usual trimming.

We Will—And We'll Wire Charlie Dawes in Europe!

In 16 days in congress, 50 resolutions were offered to amend the Constitution.

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Yes, Brother!—Fighting daily for the workers—is the fighting DAILY WORKER!

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radies in their work wherever they be working.

"Where to begin?," asked the little sheet "Iskra," edited by Lenin and other exiled revolutionaries, and answered, "In our opinion, as the starting point and the first step for the party organization, as well as the guiding principle to help us to develop, to deepen and to extend our organization, we must make the establishment of an All-Russian newspaper, because without a political organ, systematic and many-sided agitation and propaganda work cannot be done."

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Lenin and the Working Class People

By GEORGE HALONEN, Editor, Finnish Daily, Tyomies.

About 23 years ago the Russian Labor movement faced a situation which in many respects can be compared to the present turning point of the American Labor movement.

The organization question was not without controversies. Much was written on this subject, the fight being led by Nikolai Lenin.

And this paper must be national, not local.

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In our present struggle, "The Daily Worker" must be that ferment which enables the American workers and farmers to rise from the instinctive, weak struggle to the level of a class conscious movement.

Every class conscious worker must work for "The Daily Worker," find ways and means that it can be distributed everywhere, from the darkest alleys to the industrial and agricultural districts like leaves on the four winds of heaven.

The American Communist movement has now, on its part, taken the first fundamental step "The Daily Worker" is established.

The German Working Class Cannot Be Cheated of Its Victory

By GEORGE ZINOVIEV, President, Communist International.

A figure is emerging from the enveloping mists—a strong man destined to save bourgeois Germany, a sole dictator who will embody the will of the nation—in a word, a German Supreme Ruler. A German Koltchak has appeared on the scene.

But General Seeckt is another proposition. His movements are secret and cautious. He has managed to secure the backing of both the prudent section of the German Social-democrats and of the big bourgeoisie headed by Stinnes.

What is the relation between German Koltchakism (Seeckt) and the November Republic?

Heads World's Workers



GREGORY ZINOVIEV, President, Communist International.

made that fascism has defeated the November Republic in Germany and that the dictatorship of Seeckt marks a military reaction to it.

the Siberian socialist revolutionaries and mensheviks, call Admiral Koltchak to power, who then as was only to be expected, turned upon the revolutionary democrats and rent them?

Something similar is now taking place in Germany. What we are now observing amounts to this: the German November democrats are handing over power by instalments to the German Koltchak, General Seeckt.

With the first German revolution (November 1918), power passed entirely into the hands of the social-democrats, who set up the first "revolutionary" government of "national representatives" consisting of social-democrats and independent social-democrats.

German Koltchakism, like Russian Koltchakism in its time, is the logical development and consummation of the idea of revolutionary democracy, or, adapted to Germany, of the idea of the November Republic.

An Industrial Kaiser



HUGO STINNES, Germany's Ruler Today.

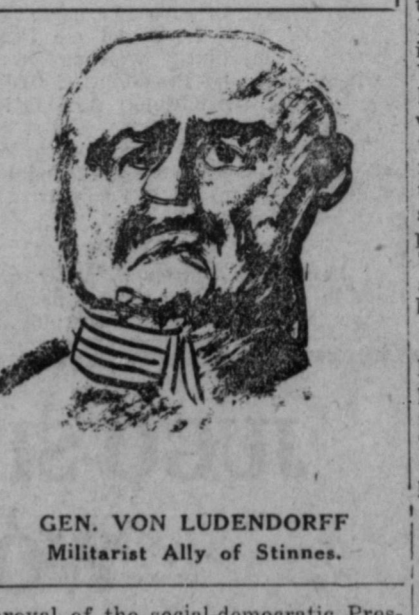
ment lead inevitably to the dictatorship of General Seeckt. General Seeckt has not defeated Ebert. As a matter of fact, Ebert needs General Seeckt much more than Seeckt needs Ebert.

"The Dictatorship of Seeckt." Similarly it would be just as incorrect to assume that a fundamental antagonism of interests exists between General Seeckt on the one hand and German fascism on the other.

It is in fact true that General Seeckt and the official organizations are not one and the same. But even Admiral Koltchak, in the first period of his activity, was in favor of the Constitutional Assembly and not of a "united and indivisible Russia," and certainly not in favor of "autocracy, orthodoxy and nationalism."

Instead of encouraging the German workers with talk of differences between General Seeckt and fascism, instead of basing our calculations upon such differences, it would be far better to study the facts carefully. Let us recall recent happenings. The Bavarian fascists effected a coup d'etat.

Kolchakist in Germany



GEN. VON LUDENDORFF, Militarist Ally of Stinnes.

proval of the social-democratic President Ebert, was concentrating 60,000 troops of the White Reichswehr in Saxony, it was given out that the concentration was directed against White Bavaria.

eratic workers regarded the occupation of Thuringia by the Republican Reichswehr almost as a victory for the German proletariat. If the Reichswehr did not occupy Thuringia, they said, the fascist would. While the right social-democratic leaders are terrifying the workers with the spectre of Hitler fascism, they are in fact setting Seeckt on the fascist throne.

Will this go on for long? It is hardly possible. There can be now little doubt that Germany will have to pass through a period of White Terror. There is also little doubt that the path of the German proletariat will be a difficult one and that many and heavy sacrifices will be demanded of it.

The German working class will have to pay a heavy price for its victory, but nothing can cheat it of that victory. Koltchakism will be a no more permanent phenomenon on German soil than it was on Russian soil.

# The American Revolutionary Movement Grows

## An Analysis of the Many Achievements of the Third National Convention of the Workers Party

By C. E. RUTHENBERG

Seventy-two hours of intense work, during which most of the delegates did not secure more than ten hours of sleep, was the record of the Third National Convention of the Workers Party of America.

The Convention summarized the achievement of the Party during the previous year and restated its policies for the coming year's work.

The report of the Central Executive Committee submitted at the opening of the Convention, brought out vividly the differences between the Workers Party of a year ago and the Party of today. A year ago the Party had not yet made itself felt as a political influence in the United States. It was still in the period of preparation for work rather than having a record of achievement.

At this Convention the Central Executive Committee was able to report that the Party, thru its work during the year, had achieved a place as a political influence in the lives of the workers of this country and that this influence was continually being strengthened and extended.

### The United Front

The report of the Central Executive Committee showed that it was thru the application of the United Front policy of the Communist International that the Workers Party had made the progress. United Front campaigns had been carried on for protection of the foreign-born workers, for defense of the Communists arrested in Michigan, and in the struggle for a Labor Party. The latter campaign, which had its first culmination in the July 3rd conference at which the Federated Farmer-Labor Party was organized and which is now in its second stage with the May 30th convention of the Farmer-Labor Party organizations at St. Paul, as its expression, had brought the Workers Party the leadership in the struggle for a class Farmer-Labor Party in the United States.

The second major achievement submitted by the Central Executive Committee, in its report, was in the form of the statement that the Communist Party in the United States had at last consolidated its forces and that the period of splits and factional struggles was over and there was no longer danger of the Party flying apart into various sections as had so frequently been the case in the years from 1919 to 1921.

### Organizational Achievements

During the course of the year the Workers Party added 2,000 members to its ranks. It extended its work into the agricultural section of the country, carried on a successful campaign for the establishment of a daily Communist newspaper, established the first of a series of book-stores for the sale of Communist literature, began the work of producing a Communist literature in the United States by the publication of eight books and pamphlets, and maintained a press service in which some 500 labor papers were furnished with material on the Communist movement and the campaigns of the Workers Party in the United States.

The comment on the year's work of the Party was submitted in the form of a letter from the Communist International, which summarizes the work of the Party during the year:

"To perform this and many other tasks confronting the Party, the Central Executive Committee of the Workers Party has rightfully conceived as the most important step the establishment of an English Communist daily . . .

"The excellent work that has been done by the Communists in the Left Wing of the labor movement in the United States . . .

"The propaganda that the Workers Party has conducted during the past year has been most effective . . .

"The vast sentiment for Communism that the Workers Party has aroused must be organized. The Central Executive Committee acted rightly in inaugurating a campaign for membership . . .

"The Workers Party has applied Communist tactics correctly in seeking a United Front of all forces to fight the capitalist system in the United States . . .

"The organization of the Federated

## The Workers Party---Labor's Unifying Power



Farmer-Labor Party was an achievement of primary importance . . .

"There is one problem to which the American Party have not applied themselves with sufficient energy, viz., that of American imperialism . . ."

### New Policy

Together with the report of the Central Executive Committee there was submitted a thesis containing a declaration of policy for the year 1924. This thesis contained a new proposal in the form of a statement of the policy to be followed by the Workers Party in relation to the existing tendency for the formation of a Third Party and toward such a party when it is organized.

The Communist strategy to endeavor to promote a split of the Third Party group, containing the middle class elements, from the Republican and Democratic Parties and if such a split was achieved that the Workers Party could, thru a Farmer-Labor Party, enter into an alliance with such a Third Party for certain specific purposes.

The problem of the Third Party became a tactical question of immediate policy in view of the possibility that the May 30th convention of the Farmer-Labor Party groups may be dominated by the middle-class-progressive-La Follette elements and not by those groups which stand for a class Farmer-Labor Party.

The discussion of issues before the Convention in the various District Conventions which elected the delegates to the National Convention had centered on the Third Party question. In all of the District Conventions in which a vote was taken the Central Executive Committee policy was upheld. It was expected that this question would be the storm-center of the Convention proceedings, as there were in the Convention a bloc of some fifteen delegates out of the total of 53 who opposed the Third Party policy.

However, upon the opening of the discussion on this question, Comrade John Pepper made a statement to the effect that the Party membership had not been sufficiently prepared for the adoption of this policy. There existed, he said, still a large section which believed that a Communist Party should be a mere organization for propaganda and education and the organization of revolutionists into a Party, and not an organization which maneuvered in the political struggle of this country for the purpose of securing the leadership over wide masses of workers.

Under these circumstances it was

inadvisable for the Convention to force the issue of the Third Party policy and he recommended that the Third Party section of the thesis of the Central Executive Committee be withdrawn and the question of the correctness of the policy contained therein be referred to the Communist International for decision. This motion was adopted by a vote of 43 in favor and none against, ten delegates not voting.

### The United Front in Chicago

Since the Party activities during the year on the political field had been carried on under the United Front policy, it was natural that the question of the correct application of the United Front should be a major question before the convention. The issue came up in the form of a discussion of the United Front as it existed in the city of Chicago.

The Central Executive Committee submitted a resolution in which acknowledgement was made of the value of the United Front arrangement between the Party in Chicago and the progressive leaders of the Chicago Federation of Labor in helping to launch the Party policies on a nation-wide scale but which criticized the Chicago District Organization for its failure to carry on an independent campaign and build the independent power of the Workers Party.

Against this resolution there was presented a resolution of the delegation from the Chicago District which emphasized the value of the Chicago United Front to the Party on a national scale and charged that if errors were made in carrying on the United Front in Chicago the Central Executive Committee was responsible, in view of the fact that it had directed, or at least been in close contact, with all the facts in regard to the situation in Chicago. The opposition resolution acknowledged the correctness of criticism of the C. E. C. on some minor points of policy of the District Executive Committee.

The debate on these two resolutions

in which all the facts were brought out lasted for many hours with the final result that the Chicago resolution was adopted by the Convention.

This debate and both resolutions will have a greater value to the Party than the issue of responsibility and the character of the errors made which were the dividing point in the convention. What was said on both sides should help to clarify the Party membership generally on the question of the United Front and its limitations and the necessity for maintaining the independent position and building up the independent power of the Workers Party during any United Front action.

### The Policy for the Coming Year

After the elimination of the section devoted to the Third Party policy of the Central Executive Committee, the thesis it proposed was unanimously adopted by the Convention.

The resolution adopted declared that the Convention thesis was the only statement of policy by the Party and enumerated certain definite achievements during the year, and specifically approved each. The thesis as adopted simply carries into the work of the new year the policies which governed the Party work during the past year. The affiliation of the Workers Party with the Federated Farmer-Labor Party is approved and the Central Executive Committee is instructed that it should aid in organizing the Federated Farmer-Labor Party as a Party and at the same time should propose that the Federated Farmer-Labor Party act as an organizing instrument to bring into existence a greater United Front Farmer-Labor Party. The policy of participation in the May 30th convention was also approved.

### Industrial Report

The report of William Z. Foster on the industrial work of the Party for the year showed substantial progress in the work among the labor unions. The report reviewed the situ-

ation developed in various aspects of this work and proposed certain concrete organizational steps to strengthen the Party in this work.

This report became one of the storm centers in the Convention. A resolution was offered from the floor proposing a series of new policies, such as an aggressive campaign for organization of the unemployed, a campaign to organize industries not organized at the present time, and similar measures.

The counter-resolution from the floor of the Convention was actually a criticism of the industrial work of the Party in the form of a proposal of new policies. The Convention viewed it as such and referred the proposals to the incoming Central Executive Committee for its consideration, adopting the report of the Industrial Department as submitted to the Convention.

### Agricultural Work

This Convention of the Workers Party was the first Convention which gave consideration to the situation among the farmers of this country and the relationship of the Communist Party toward the workers on the land.

During the year the Party had extended its work into the agricultural field and had organized some 200 farmers as members of the Party in North Dakota and this work is being conducted in other agricultural sections of the country. The report in this connection emphasized the fact that a profound unrest and dissatisfaction among the farmers of this country and the opportunity for organization which this situation presented.

The Convention adopted a series of proposals for relief of the farmers and endorsed the work which had been done and authorized the continuation of this work.

### American Imperialism

The Communist International, in its letter to the Convention, had criticized the Workers Party only on one point; that is, that it had not carried on a sufficiently aggressive campaign against American Imperialism. This question, however, had been placed on the agenda of the Convention before receipt of the letter of the Communist International, and a program of action had been drawn up by the Central Executive Committee for approval by the Convention.

The resolution presented was adopted and the Workers Party will, during the coming year, launch a nation-wide campaign against American imperialism in the West Indies, Central America, South America and

### The New Executive

The Central Executive Committee as elected by the Convention consists of the following members:  
Alexander Bittelman  
Earl R. Browder  
Fahle Burman  
James P. Cannon  
William F. Dunne  
J. Louis Engdahl  
William Z. Foster  
Benjamin Gitlow  
Ludwig Lore  
Jay Lovestone  
John Pepper  
C. E. Ruthenberg

William Z. Foster and James P. Cannon.

With this group there united some fifteen odd delegates under the leadership of Ludwig Lore who opposed to the Third Party policy of the former Central Executive Committee majority, although the group referred to above was in favor of this policy. These two groups composed two-thirds of the delegates of the convention and elected the majority of the new Central Executive Committee.

### Summary

The work of the Third National Convention does not represent any new departures in the policies of the Party. Rather, the Convention was a study of the year's application of policies already adopted, the drawing of lessons from these experiences, and the re-statement of the policies for the purpose of consolidating the Party behind these policies for the next year's work.

The application of the United Front policy in the struggle for the formation of a mass Party of farmers and industrial workers remains the central point of the Party work for the coming year. The campaign for protection of foreign-born workers, the campaign against American imperialism, and the agricultural work of the Party all have been undertaken to some degree in the past, and the decisions of the Convention will result in more aggressive work along these lines. The program adopted by the Second Convention was re-affirmed.

On the organization side, the Party begins its first steps towards sinking its roots in the shops and factories thru the organization of shop units, as it has already sunk its roots into the trade unions thru the support of the work of the Trade Union

branches, each member maintaining his relationship to the branch of which he is at present a member. The Convention left to the next National Convention the question of extending this work, feeling that the experiences of the year would prepare the way for new developments in organizing the Party upon a new basis.

### The New Leadership

During the year 1923, the Central Executive Committee of the Party consisted of twenty-nine members. This large committee was the result of the consolidation of the former underground Communist Party with the Workers Party. The Committee proved a very unwieldy instrument thru which to carry on the work of the Party and it was generally agreed that the Third National Convention would reduce the size of this Committee. The Central Executive Committee recommended a Committee of thirteen members and this recommendation was adopted.

In the election of the Central Executive Committee there developed a bitter struggle. A caucus had been formed of a group of delegates who differed with the former Central Executive Committee majority on the question of the Chicago United Front and who had been in opposition to the policy of the Party in relation to the Federated Farmer-Labor Party prior to the November meeting of the Central Executive Committee. This group was under the leadership of

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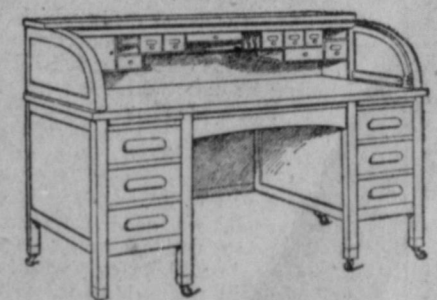
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Dear Comrades:—I spent my time during the holidays in gathering the subscriptions for THE DAILY WORKER and I got 16 new subscribers in less than one week's time. One full list was sent to you by my branch organizer, and it should be in your hands by this time. I will send the other list Saturday. I need four more names to it yet.—CHAS. WILLIAMS, Warren, Ohio.

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AN ELECTION DAY WITH THE RULERS IN NEW RUSSIA

Workers March Winners to Soviet Meeting

By GERTRUDE HAESSLER.

(Special to "The Daily Worker") MOSCOW.—Early in the afternoon elections are daily being held for representatives in the Moscow Soviet of certain of the institutions in the "Chinese City." Elections have been going on for over a week all over the city and will continue another two weeks or so.

Amid cheers and shouting and stamping of feet, the results are announced in the large hall where the union is holding the election. And, true to Russian nature, the newly-elected delegates are called upon to give speeches to the crowd that has elected them. Of course, the Russians enjoy that—making speeches or listening to them, is their chief amusement.

But the real fun is yet to begin. The six elected delegates are still to be marched to the Moscow Soviet and presented to it by those who have elected them.

Down the slippery ice-covered streets, marches the boisterous procession. Banners wave on high—beautiful red banners with gold lettering and gold emblems on these. Some of the banners announce what institution it is that is marching along in such a hilarious spirit! Others ask the challenging question, "Germany, where is your October?" And one announces the slogan which has become the favorite of Russia at present, "Russian Bread and the German Steam Hammer will Guarantee Peace to the World!" These banners are very precious to the workers. They are the gifts of the non-communist workers in the institutions presented to the communist nucleus on November 7 in commemoration of the revolution which ushered in the government of the workers, for the workers, and by the workers.

Now and then the procession is forced to halt, to let the cross-wise traffic proceed. This is the opportunity the enthusiastic youths are lying in wait for. The delegates are seized and tossed high into the air, and dexterously—caught again by brawny arms. Circles form and while the band—the workers' own institutional band, be it factory, bank, or State retail shop—plays a rollicking tune, the younger men and women dance folk dances on the slippery cobble road.

The signal to proceed is given. The band changes to a marching tune and the workers fall back into the ranks. The end of the procession,

Launch Nation-Wide Drive Against Bosses' Attack On The Foreign-Born Workers

What is probably the boldest attempt of the employing class of the United States to enslave the workers in the basic industries of this country, is proposed in bills now pending before Congress. These bills are in the form of exception laws against foreign-born workers, who are to be registered, photographed and finger-printed, like criminals, in an effort to subdue them and make it impossible for them to take part in the struggles of the working class for better wages and working conditions.

Coupled with the laws directed against foreign-born workers in this country, there are proposals made particularly by Secretary of Labor Davis, for the selective immigration law which will further strengthen the employers in their drive against the workers' organizations of this country.

Under the proposed selective immigration law, industries needing labor will present their demand to the Secretary of Labor and workers will be brought from Europe for the specified industry, bound to work in that industry, and under the absolute control of the masters in that industry.

DANGER TO ORGANIZED LABOR

While seemingly these measures are directed against the foreign-born workers, there is in them the greatest danger for the labor organizations of this country that they have faced. If the employers of the United States can direct exception laws against foreign-born workers and a contract labor law enslaving the foreign-born workers who are already here and provide for a new supply of slave labor, they can destroy every labor union in this country.

The American employers are trying to do what no other capitalist group has been able to do; that is, to create a class of intimidated, oppressed, enslaved workers, held down by laws, unable to organize and resist their exploiters. If it is able to succeed, it will mean that not only the foreign-born workers, but the whole American working class will be under the iron heel of the capitalist.

FIGHTING THE EXCEPTION LAWS

The Second National Convention of the Workers Party of America, held in December, 1922, when the proposal for these laws was first made, recognized the danger to the labor movement in these proposals and authorized its Central Executive Committee to launch a campaign to unite all workers' organizations, native and foreign-born, in a struggle against these laws.

The Third National Convention of the Workers Party, which has just closed its session in Chicago, reiterated the former declaration and called attention to the fact that the threat against the workers of this country which the Workers Party pointed out a year ago has now materialized in definitive laws pending before Congress. President Coolidge in his message to Congress demanded a law for the registration of the foreign-born workers. The Central Executive Committee of the Workers Party is instructed by the National Convention to begin immediately a campaign to unite all workers' organizations in the fight against these laws. This struggle will begin at once.

Under the program of action adopted by the Workers Party, Councils for the Protection of the Foreign-Born will be created in every city of this country. The Workers Party has within its organization some seventeen language groups and is thus in a favorable situation to reach the workers of the various language groups in this country. Each one of these language groups will form a local Council for Protection of the Foreign-Born.

A. F. of L. AGAINST EXCEPTION LAWS

At the Portland Convention of the American Federation of Labor a resolution was presented calling attention to the character of the proposed exception laws against foreign-born workers and was adopted by that organization.

With this precedent the labor unions in every part of the country are expected to give their full support to the organizations which will be created for the struggle against reducing American workers to the plane of serfs without any power to protect themselves against the employing class which exploits them.

Fight for the Foreign-Born

EDITOR'S NOTE.—"The Daily Worker" will soon start a series of articles exposing the attempts of the employers to shackle the foreign-born workers, especially in the basic industries. Watch for these articles.

NO FOUNDATION TO PROPAGANDA AGAINST RUSSIA

Paris Fabrications Are Unmasked by Truth

(By Rosta to The Daily Worker)

MOSCOW.—With reference to a report appeared in the Paris paper Le Journal des Debats alleging that the "Centrosoyuz" (Central Union of Co-operative Societies) is passing thru an acute crisis and that its bills of exchange have been protested, and also that the Paper Trust is not able to get payment for its bills from State enterprises which it supplies with its products, and, lastly, that all the other Russian Trusts are in a similar plight—the Rosta News Agency learns that all these allegations are void of foundations.

Reports Unfounded

Mr. Hinchuk, who has been recently re-elected Chairman of the Board of Directors of the "Centrosoyuz", declares emphatically that there has not been a single instance when bills of exchange of the Combine were protested. Its goods turnover has been steadily growing and there is ample ground for hoping that a partial crisis in the selling branch, which was looming during last summer, will be liquidated within the nearest future.

As for the Paper Trust, Mr. Styman, a Director of the concern, declared that the settling of accounts between the Trust and State Enterprises was being effected quite normally, and no financial difficulties stood in the way of the Combine's activity. The above-mentioned allegations of the French press Mr. Styman ascribes to an attempt to undermine the credit of the Russian Trusts abroad, which has been steadily growing, as well as to the irritation caused among some French industrialists, whose offers were rejected by the Paper Trust on the ground that there exist no treaty relations between France and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

Persia Greets Russia

MOSCOW.—The First All-Persian Exhibition was officially opened at Teheran yesterday. Russian Industrial products are largely represented and are exhibited in the spacious pavilion of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. At the opening ceremony representatives of the Persian Government extended their gratitude to Mr. Shumiatsky, the Envoy Plenipotentiary of the Union of S. S. R. for the Union's assistance in the development of Persia's national economy.

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where the workers can't hear the band music, they sing their own accompaniment as they march vigorously forward to their destination.

The neamen, dressed in beautiful warm fur coats and hats, respectfully wait for the procession to go by. It doesn't pay to antagonize the new rulers of Russia. The workers also have warm fur coats—a good many dogs have been sacrificed recently to keep the workers warm this winter.

Now the procession has arrived at the square in front of the red and white building which is the home of the Moscow Soviet. The new delegates are carried on the shoulders of their "constituents" so all may see what fine fellows they have chosen. And now on the narrow balcony of the second story of the building, as the daylight fades, and the lights begin twinkling on the snow, a representative of the out-going Soviet appears. He speaks to the crowd, welcoming the new delegates who have been presented bodily to the Soviet. And when the cheering has died down after the speech, the band strikes up the International. Heads bared, the workers listen in silence. The cab-drivers stop their horses and wait to the end. The neamen, in his beautiful warm fur coat and hat, with an expensively but badly dressed woman on his arm, stops as he nears the crowd, and respectfully removes his hat. When the music has finished, the people disband in all directions, humming or singing the International.

The Land for the Users!

PUT ON YOUR DANCING TOGS! "Eat, drink and make merry, tomorrow you may get fired" will be the slogan of the Food Workers and Metal Trades Groups of the T. U. E. L. on Saturday evening, Jan. 19, at Workers' Lyceum, 2733 Hirsch Blvd., on the occasion of the first annual dance given by that body.

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# SENATE REPORT BARES RED CROSS AS ANTI-SOVIET

WASHINGTON — Basil Miles, state department attache during the Wilson administration now representing the U. S. Chamber of Commerce at Paris in a memorandum written in 1897 and now made public by Senator Boarh analyzed the huge fund borrowed from the United States by the Russian regime and suggesting a propaganda campaign and the use of supplies in Russia obviously to overthrow the Soviet government.

"Generally speaking," said Miles, "It is believed that the United States should, through the Red Cross, and perhaps with the aid of the president's discretionary fund, engage immediately, actively, but unofficially, with works of relief and propaganda in Russia; that it should not sanction the dissipation of the fund in the City Bank by the Russian supply committee for purposes which may well be regarded as inimical by the Russian people. . . . With respect to the specific question of silver, it is a grave responsibility to direct the City Bank to pay \$500,000 for silver to be sent through the British to Kaledin. This involves a question of state."

Kaledin was the first of the counter-revolutionary leaders to be backed by the allies, and to be destroyed by the soviet government forces. The propaganda to be worked through the Red Cross, under this plan was carried out in part by Edgar Sisson with part of the president's discretionary fund, during the winter of 1917-18 in Russia. Sisson then bought the forged documents which were made public here in September, 1918, which have made his name a synonym for faked evidence.

Work Daily for "The Daily!"

Greetings from members of Bakers' Union, Local No. 2.

Retail Clerks' Union

# Spanish Fascisti Chieftain Beats Hughes and "Bill" Burns At Faking "Red Uprising"

The Madrid correspondent of the Federated Press tells of a comic opera "red plot" with all the lurid trimmings of an American May day revolution, hatched in Primo de Rivera's mental incubator, the Mussolini of Spain. This plot was turned loose on Spain, Christmas eve and thousands of communists, labor leaders and anarchists were arrested in all the industrial centers.

The opportunity for pulling off this new fangled revolution was an international football game between Spain and Portugal in the city of Seville, on Dec. 28. Disguised as football players and acting under orders from Lenin and Trotsky, the young communists were to capture Spain, plunge their poisoned daggers into the noble and patriotic heart of de Rivera and then of course devote the rest of the year to looting, burning and ravishing a la the American Defense Society thesis on how to produce a 100% communist revolution.

After the young communists had glutted their revenge and waded in the gore of the Spanish bourgeoisie they were to wind up with Portugal according to the imaginative Fascist leader. The Dictator dropped a hint to the Portuguese government that it had better put up its storm windows and turn the dog loose. The latter however did not want to get too serious around Christmas so all hands went on a spree and Portugal yet stands—as it has always stood.

What worries Primo de Rivera is that plots to overthrow him are growing like mushrooms and he feels that his head is none too secure. A large part of the Spanish army is ready to use "force and violence" on the dictator and the labor elements are quite anxious to dispose of him and so are the intellectuals whom he has treated with rigor.

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## THE PARTY AT WORK

### LECTURES AT PATERSON, N. J.

The Paterson, N. J., English branch of the Workers Party has made arrangements for a series of lectures to be given Sunday evening, at 8 P. M., at Saltzberg's Hall, 211 Market street.

The program is as follows:

January 13th—"CAPITALISM IN THE SCHOOLS," Lillian Lore.

January 20th—"PRESENT DAY EUROPE," Juliet Stuart Poyntz.

January 27th—"HISTORY OF

### 1924 CHICAGO DATES

Jan. 20, 8 P. M., (Sun.) Karl Liebknecht Day. Young Workers League and Workers Party at Prudential Hall, North Ave., and Halsted St.

Feb. 16, 8 P. M., (Sat.) 2nd Annual Red Revel for Daily Worker and Labor Defense Council at Ashland Auditorium.

May 1st, United Front May Day Celebration at Ashland Auditorium.

May 30th, T. U. E. L. Picnic (De-

claration Day).

July 4th, Third Annual Picnic Workers Party Local Chicago at Stickney Grove.

Aug. 17, Third Annual Press Picnic—Riverview Park.

Sept. 1, Labor Day, T. U. E. L., Picnic.

Sept. 7, International Youth Day, jointly by Y. W. L. and Workers Party.

Nov. 7th, Seventh Anniversary Soviet Russia.

All Party Branches and friendly organizations are kindly requested not to arrange any other entertainments or meetings on these dates.

### STUDENTS ORGANIZE BRANCH

A group of college and preparatory school students of New York have recently organized themselves into a branch of the Workers Party. Fifteen members have already joined and many more are expected to join in the near future. The newly formed branch will carry on its activities especially among students. All interested are urged to communicate with comrade Emile Paul, 1214 Boston Road, Bronx, New York.

### THE THREE INTERNATIONALS,

Ludwig Lore.

February 3rd—"COMMUNISM AND SCIENCE," J. Stachel.

February 10th—"THE AMERICAN LABOR MOVEMENT AND ITS FUTURE," E. B. Jacobson.

February 17th, "TACTICS OF THE THIRD INTERNATIONAL," Alexander Bittleman. . . . .

### COMING EVENTS IN BOSTON

Thursday, Jan. 17, 24, 31 and Feb. 7, at 8 P. M., Lectures Course, by H. M. Wicks, at Paine Memorial Hall, 9 Appleton St., Boston. Admission 25 cents each evening. Full Course Ticket, \$1.00.

Friday, Jan. 18, 8 P. M., Grand Ball, given by T. U. E. L., State Ball Room, Mass Ave. Admission 75 cents.

Friday, Feb. 1, 7:30 P. M., Grand Dance, to be given by Local Boston, Workers Party at Dudley St. Opera House, 113-119 Duley St., Roxbury, Mass. Admission 40 cents, including war tax.

### IN NEW YORK

The Liebknecht-Luxemburg memorial meeting in New York will be held Friday evening, Jan. 18th, at the Central Opera House, 67th St. and 3rd Ave. A fine concert and tableau of the life of Liebknecht have been arranged. Admission is 25c. Tickets can be secured at the office of the Young Workers League, 208 E. 12th.



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Treasury experts figure the "war to end war" cost the American taxpayers to date \$40,000,000,000.

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PREDICT LABOR GOVERNMENT IN ENGLAND JAN. 16

Fog Clears in British Parliamentary Battle

By W. N. EWER. (Staff Correspondent of the Federated Press and "The Daily Worker")

LONDON.—The fog, which as a fitting symbol of the political situation, settled down over London on the evening of election day, has lifted. Literally and metaphorically the atmosphere has become clear.

Liberal Plans Laid Bare It is now—barring accidents—certain that on Jan. 15 the Conservative government will be defeated in the house of commons and that on Jan. 16 the king will ask Ramsay MacDonald to form a Labor government. That has become certain, because we now know what the Liberals intend to do. The clearer sighted among the political prophets have known all along. For there was no alternative open. But the Liberals themselves did not see so clearly. They thought that since they held the balance of votes in the house they held control of the situation.

A section of the Conservative party, headed by Lord Birkenhead and made loudly vocal by the Rothermere press, called on them to form a coalition or at least an entente with the Conservatives and so establish a "barrier against socialism."

Alas for their calculations, Lloyd George's followers nearly all lost their seats. The "united" Liberal party is almost solidly "Asquithian." Asquith, not Lloyd George, is its leader. And Asquith detests the Tories almost as much as he detests Lloyd George.

Asquith's Scheme Explodes His plan was to come to a bargain with the Labor party by which, in return for keeping them in power, he would, in effect, dictate their policy.

But the Labor party curtly declared that it would make no bargain with anybody. Whereupon Asquith's chief newspaper became threatening in tone. If the Labor party would not make terms, it must take the consequences. The Liberals, it reminded Labor, would by abstaining from voting, enable the Conservative government to carry on for weeks or even for months.

The Liberals in fact have suddenly realized that their strength is precisely their weakness. A Labor government would be dependent on their votes. But they cannot use their power except by transferring it from Labor to the Conservatives. And the moment they do that they split their party from top to bottom.

So philosophically they will make the best of things and vote with the Labor party—though they will probably as a consequence lose half a dozen of their members and a bunch of peers who will transfer their allegiance to the Conservatives.

We shall probably have a Labor government kept in office, tho without any bargain or coalition, rather as the Liberal government was kept in office from 1910 to 1914 by Labor and Irish votes.

Obstacles to Labor Control Whether a Labor government can last as long is another matter. I doubt it; for there will be constant and complex intrigues to bring about a situation in which the Liberals would of necessity desert them. But I also think that the prophets who give MacDonald three months and foretell an election in the late spring are likely to be disappointed.

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Russian Branch, Workers Party of America, of Boston, Mass.

D. FEDERUK, Secretary.

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We also congratulate our membership for the enthusiastic support given to the campaign in raising \$5,000 for the fund to establish The Daily Worker.

We pledge our wholehearted support to The Daily Worker in the campaign for subscriptions.

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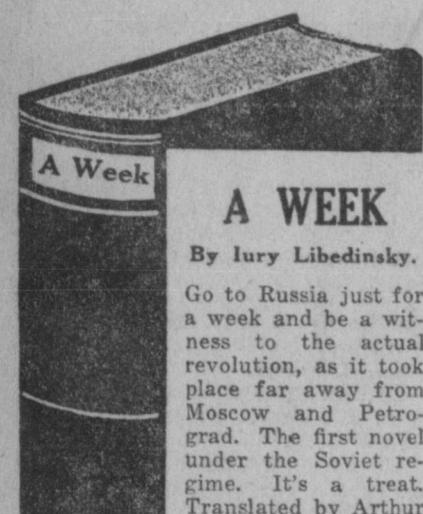
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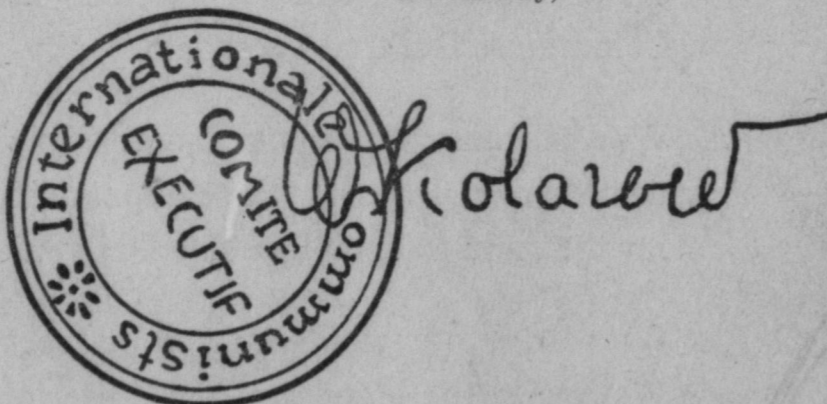
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Executive Committee of the Communist International.

DEFENSE COUNCIL STARTS DRIVE FOR RUTHENBERG PLEA

Declaring that the splendid defense of William Z. Foster and Charles E. Ruthenberg in the Michigan Criminal Syndicalism cases "resulted in the strengthening of the working class and of the Party in particular..."

By its persistent campaigns, the Labor Defense Council has been able to save 32 staunch fighters of the working class from prison.

Raised Large Sum Organized scarcely a year and a half ago, the Council has raised close to \$100,000 for the defense of the accused Communists.

What is this Labor Defense Council that is defending the Communists? It is not a Communist organization, but a non-partisan body endorsed by the Detroit Federation of Labor...

The Famous Raid The resolution just adopted by the Workers Party recalls vividly to mind the famous Michigan labor trials of 1923...

But the real reason for the raid was that the Communists had been taking a prominent part in the struggle of the workers against the capitalist "open shop" drive.

The trial of William Z. Foster began March 12, before a jury consisting of nine farmers, one grocery clerk, one non-union railroad man and one housewife...

Notwithstanding innumerable obstacles placed in the path of the defense, Foster was not convicted.

In the Ruthenberg trial, which came next, the prosecutors had a more favorable opportunity. Ruthenberg was admittedly a member of the Communist Party.

An appeal is now being taken in the Ruthenberg case. The outstanding point in the appeal is that nothing illegal happened in the state of Michigan...

In view of this central fact, the Labor Defense Council, which is badly in need of funds now, is carrying on a Ruthenberg Appeal Drive to secure money to meet the expenses of the appeal.

Of the money realized in past campaigns, 70 per cent has gone directly into legal expenses.

All Hail "The Daily Worker"

From ROBERT STEWART.

Member of the Presidium, Communist International. It delights me to wish "The Daily Worker" success. It is the best and biggest thing yet attempted by the Workers Party.

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The worker must see himself and his struggle mirrored (not distorted) in its pages. It will be the fighting leader in every struggle against capitalist aggression.

Fierce and violent struggles lie ahead of the Workers Party of America. U. S. prosperity is once more on the decline, and a declining capitalism always breeds greater ruthlessness on the part of the boss.

3 BANKERS SEEK PROP FOR CHAOS SINKING EUROPE

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made the other day by the noted banker Bernard M. Baruch: "Until the reparations problem is settled abroad, there can be no return to the normal conditions of production and saving of which the world stands in need."

The presence of the "Big Three" bankers in the Paris conferences marks a positive step towards open American participation in European affairs.

This re-entry of the United States into the European conclave is a prelude to more serious and complicated entanglements.

The Paris conferences have in store for the German workers economically only what the Versailles sessions have brought to them politically—enslavement.

Comrades from the Scandinavian Branch, Karl Marx, Workers Party, Chicago; send fraternal greetings to the Daily Worker.

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CHICAGO LABOR HEARS PORTLAND DELEGATE REPORT

A lively, the brief discussion took place at the last meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor when Frank McVey, the central body's delegate to the Portland convention of the American Federation of Labor, made his report.

Delegate Jack Johnstone, speaking on the report expressed the view that the Portland convention did not represent the sentiment of the American labor movement on such questions as Amalgamation, the labor party and recognition of Soviet Russia.

He commended the Federated Press which was denounced by Gompers as biased in favor of radical propaganda as an important news service.

William Quesse, President of the Flat Janitors' Union, addressed the body and solicited support for his organization whose officials are sentenced to indeterminate sentences of from one to five years imprisonment for alleged conspiracy to boycott Assistance was promised.

O. L. Stanley, President of the Lake County Central Labor Union, was given the floor and stated that Frank Fowler, President of the Milk Producers' Association desired to affiliate his association with the American Federation of Labor and join hands with the milk drivers' and milk handlers' unions against the big distributing companies.

A motion to assist the movement for German relief was carried unanimously.

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Wells on the Labor Party. LONDON.—The anxiety of the Labor Party to get into office will result in their "getting into office but not into power," according to H. G. Wells.

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