







SPOLANSKY LIES HIS WAY THRU TO FAT SALARY

His Fakes Cause Innocent Men Much Misery

By KARL REEVE. Jake Spolansky, former secret service agent of the United States government, brags about his aid to the steel trust in the 1919 strike of the steel trust workers under the leadership of William Z. Foster.

Spolansky couldn't give the steel trust much aid, but he shows himself proud of the fact, in one of his closing articles in the Daily News, that he managed to milk the steel barons out of a fat salary by putting innocent steel workers in jail.

It's Haymaking Time. The fall of 1919, when the steel strike was called, was haymaking time for even the stupid denizens of the underworld, who were then acting as stool pigeons in the ranks of labor.

Altho Europe had long since released its war time political prisoners, in America, working class newspapers were being raided, meetings were being broken up by chamber of commerce mobs and thugs in the secret service or in public office.

The right of the workers to organize was being systematically curtailed, and workers were no longer permitted to have their own legislative representatives. Lusk committees were being formed and Palmer was about to begin his shameful deportation raids.

Even the most stupid and lowly "dick" could get a job organizing phony "anarchist" organizations like the "Knights of the Red Star," so Spolansky was given a job.

On Steel Trust Payroll. While Spolansky was getting paid to do his dirty work for the steel trust, William Z. Foster was writing the most glorious page in the history of the American labor movement. Foster's genius for organization had fully roused the deadened steel trust slaves for the first time. They rebelled at the long hours and small pay, compared to the millions of dollars in profits reaped by Elbert H. Gary, and answered the strike call of the A. F. of L.

Speaking of this activity of the various agents of the steel trust who attempted to break the strike, William Z. Foster, secretary-treasurer of the National Committee to organize the steel industry, of the American Federation of Labor and leader of the strike, tells the true reason for such activity. "Realizing full well the reactionary spirit of the times, the steel companies proceeded safely to extremes, to crush the strike, dubbed by them an attempt at violent revolution." Foster stated shortly after the strike. "To accomplish his, their end, they stopped at nothing. Thruout

CAPITALIST DICTATORSHIP HAS MADE ELABORATE PREPARATIONS TO PROTECT ITS HOARD OF GOLD

By LELAND OLDS (Federated Press Industrial Editor) Have you heard about the new capitol building designed expressly for the real government of the United States? No, not in Washington, where the constitutional government designed for aristocratic landowners and small business men continues like a fifth wheel on a coach. But on Nassau street in New York City. It houses the federal reserve bank of New York.

The federal reserve bank of New York is the public representative of the dictatorship of the capitalist in America. It is really nothing more than an integration of the great private banks of New York district thru which the giants of finance have been steadily organizing the country into industrial provinces under their rule. It is the largest bank of issue in the world with assets in the neighborhood of \$1,500,000,000 and annual business figured in tens of billions.

Move to New Building. October 1 was moving day for this pool of economic power and during the ensuing weeks its personnel numbering approximately 2,000 quietly took up quarters in the new building representing the last word in material protection for the gold and securities that give New York financiers control over our economic life.

The symbol of this dictatorship is a horde of gold unequalled in the world. The continuance of this dictatorship rests upon the belief of the people in the divine right of the gold and security owners to rule the economic life of the country. The new capitol building centers in the extraordinary vault designed to protect these symbols, ownership of which is supposed to confer on New York bankers the right to rule. Will Nassau in The Wall Street Journal Oct. 18 describes this vault:

"The vault is probably the largest and strongest in the world. It is below tidewater, an additional factor of safety, and the lower floor rests upon piers imbedded in a foundation of solid rock. It contains three levels which, while no more than the bank

the strike, whenever and wherever they could find municipal and court officials willing to do their bidding. The steel barons abolished the rights of free speech and free assemblage, so precious to the strikers. Gunmen to Intimidate Strikers. "To carry on the terror so well begun by the suppression of free speech and assembly, the steel trust turned loose upon the devoted strikers the great masses of armed thugs it had been recruiting since long before the strike." And the federal agents including Spolansky, freely enlisted in this terrorizing of labor. Spolansky charges that Foster sought the co-operation of I. W. W. "agitators," that the "Federation of Labor not only refused to place its approval on the strike, but even denounced it as unauthorized and threw all its co-operation to the government."

Spolansky's Chief Stock in Trade—Lying. This is another bare-faced lie of Spolansky. True that some of the American Federation of Labor officials were tardy in indorsing the strike. But the great mass of the workers were heart and soul with it. Even the officials indorsed the strike from

BIG MEETING IN TRAFALGAR SQUARE, LONDON

Trade Union Rebels Hear Communists

By JACK MCCARTHY. (Special Correspondence.) LONDON, Oct. 12.—Under the shadow of the Nelson monument on Trafalgar Square, London, the national minority movement of Britain held its first public meeting. Today the huge crowd swarmed into the square from all directions, marching behind bands and assembled around the base of the monument which served as the platform for the speakers.

The bands played the International, the Red Flag and other revolutionary airs. The marchers carried banners with inscriptions, "Down with the Dawes report," "A wage increase of a pound a week for all workers," "44-hour week and no more." Then came the Young Communist League placards reading, "Communist Youth Will Win," "Up Young Rebels," etc.

There were scores of unions marching, each with its respective banner, but perhaps most significant of all was a large group from the National Union of Railwaymen, of which C. T. Cramp is secretary. Cramp is as hostile to the minority movement in Britain as Sam Gompers is to the T. U. E. L. He (Mr. Cramp) was instrumental in getting thru the resolution at the labor party congress calling for the exclusion of the C. P. members from the labor party.

Tom Mann Cheered. When the meeting was opened by Sam Elsbury, of the garment workers, who was chairman, the crowd, was so large that it became necessary for the opening of a second meeting on the other side of the monument. The appearance of the veteran labor leader, Tom Mann on the platform, was the signal for a roaring demonstration from the assembled workers which could have been heard in Buckingham palace. Tom Mann spoke in no uncertain terms about the Dawes report and what it meant to the workers of the world. He severely criticized the labor government for its acceptance. He outlined the program of the minority movement and explained what it meant to the trade union movement of Britain.

In replying to the actions of the reactionaries who were responsible for the resolution carried at the labor party congress in reference to the exclusion of the Communists, he said: "I have been in the labor movement all my life and I want to tell the officials who are responsible for these resolutions that I am in it to stay for the rest of my life." This brought shouts of "hear, hear," and prolonged applause from the twelve to fifteen thousand assembled workers. "The Communists," he continued, "are in the trade unions, not as we have been accused by the reactionaries, to destroy the trade unions, but to coordinate and amalgamate them into one powerful, industrial organization for each industry, to make of them effective weapons thru which we can enforce our immediate demands; to develop them further as instruments of the class struggle, not to patch capitalism, but to destroy it."

Workers Against War. The next speaker was J. R. Campbell, editor of the Workers' Weekly, and who is responsible for the present general election. The prosecution of Campbell by the labor government was withdrawn because of the protests of the trade unions, the tory and liberal members in the house of commons passed a vote of censure or the labor government for dropping the Campbell case, hence the general election at this time. When Campbell stepped on the platform this was a signal for another demonstration from the workers. They shouted their approval of what he had said in the Workers' Weekly.

The other speakers were Jack Tanner, George Hardy, Harry Pollitt, Wal Hannington, T. Winter, J. Springhall and Alex Gossip, each of them representing a different union. Fascists Got Theirs. Just as the meeting was about to close, a few tories could be seen in the crowd and when the chairman called for the singing of the Red Flag, the tories were compelled to remove themselves or their tall hats. While the workers were singing the Red Flag and the International, a small group of fascist tried to sing God Save the King, but they were soon scattered. One member of the Y. C. L. got 21 days in jail for putting one of the fascist singers out of order.

The huge crowd dispersed. Marching behind their bands, with their red flags and banners they returned to their respective localities, confident that they had demonstrated their strength to the enemies of the working class.

LAFOLLETTE'S HOKUM IS PUT INTO PLAIN LANGUAGE BY SOME WISCONSIN COMMUNISTS

By JOSEPH R. BOOTH. (Special to The Daily Worker) SUPERIOR, Wis., Oct. 29.—The Communists of Wisconsin, being so familiar with our great statesman Billy Sunday's stuff, can truthfully interpret LaFollette's platform in the following 14 points:

- 1st. I, the representative of the middle class cannot bear to see the big capitalist parasites so barbarously suck the blood of the working class without also giving a show to the smaller parasites. 2nd. I'm here to avoid the spread of Communism, the outcome of centralization of capital, and therefore my policy is decentralization. 3rd. I boost my liberal reforms to cause workers to forget their revolutionary aims. 4th. By running independently I have so far succeeded in destroying the Communist's plans of a class farmer labor party. 5th. I oppose proletarian dictatorship in preference to a LaFollette dictatorship. 6th. Down with workers and peasants soviets. Hall to commercial clubs. 7th. I have a clean fighting record against the late war, altho sceptics meanly place it to pro-Germanism. 8th. I am entitled to all labor support, after getting the endorsement of labor leaders like Gompers & Co. who render great service to labor by drawing the swellest salaries. 9th. Even the "practical" socialist party has renounced Marxism as bunk and is with me. 10th. It is also not to be underestimated that thru my power the socialists forever declared their firm bankruptcy. 11th. I am a specialist in combating the Bolsheviks. While the reactionaries do it in a clumsy way, I, in a remarkably liberal fashion grant their constitutional right to free expression, but not to association, because they get orders from such reactionary men like Zinoviev, Trotsky, Bucharin, Radek, and Kalenin, who surely cannot be compared with the gentlemen, LaFollette, Gompers, Hillquit, Berger, and Cahan. 12th. Don't fear my radicalism as long as I am solid for capitalism. 13th. Fellow citizens, this time while I and Wheeler are running please stay away from the corrupt republicans and democrats, who make no such promises as ours. 14th. In the name of Spreckles and Co. send us to the White House because you know we can deliver pro-

RUSSIAN STUDENTS CAMPAIGN AGAINST CHINESE INTERVENTION

(By Rosta News Agency) MOSCOW, Oct. 29.—Numerous demonstrations were held here today by students against foreign intervention in China. Besides a message of welcome to the Chinese students and the leaders of the national liberative movement, a resolution was passed to send a message to the students of England, France, America and other interventionist powers, calling upon them to do all in the students' power to prevent intervention in China.

perity to everybody—workers, farmers, businessmen, bankers, etc. These are LaFollette's 14 points. They will meet the same fate as Wilson's. We have only one point to offer. The workers' and farmers' only salvation is the revolutionary Workers Party, with its true fighting standard bearers William Z. Foster and Benjamin Gitlow.

Organize Box Workers. NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—With a brass band whooping up the music, several big buses full of striking paper box workers rode thru the streets of New York past their shops and spread the word of their fight for organization and for decent conditions. The issue of the fight is organization of small shops. The union has an agreement signed for two years with the box makers' association but many small shops are not organized. The union asks a \$5 flat increase in wages and the 44-hour week.

YOUNG WORKERS LEAGUE ACTIVITIES. LOCAL CHICAGO, Thursday, Oct. 30—Class in Elementary Economics, 2613 Hirsch Blvd. Earl R. Browder, instructor. All league members should attend.

NEW LENIN FILM IN MILWAUKEE ON NOV. 7TH

By WILLIAM F. KRUSE. The anniversary of the bolshevik revolution, Nov. 7, is to be celebrated in Milwaukee, Wis., with an especially fitting number on the program—a motion picture story of the "Life of Nicolai Lenin." The film opens with the front page announcement by the DAILY WORKER of the death of the greatest working class leader, and then reviews his six years of service to the Soviet republic. He is shown agitating the masses toward Kerensky's overthrow with the slogan, "All power to the Soviets," then before the congress explaining the "New Economic Policy." We see him "on the job" as well as "off duty," and the tribute paid him by the workers of Russia and of the world at large are truly inspiring. Two other celebrations in the country can run the picture on Nov. 7. Send applications to International Workers' Aid, 19 S. Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill., at once as only two more showings are available.

"Russia-Germany" Picture Makes a Hit. A very successful showing of the workers' film, Russia and Germany, produced by William F. Kruse for the International Workers' Aid, was held in Oakland, Cal., and netted a profit of \$300 for the relief funds.

The picture will be shown on Sunday, Nov. 2, in the High School Auditorium at Berkeley, permission having been granted by the board of education. It is expected that a showing will soon be arranged in Sacramento. California and other Pacific coast cities can arrange for showings by getting in touch with F. Siegman, 225 Valencia St., San Francisco, Cal.

Duluth to See Beauty Film. Duluth is not to be outdone by its sister city across the state line, even tho the other may be called Superior. Both will see the new Russian feature film, "The Beauty and the Bolshevik," Superior on Nov. 5 and Duluth on Nov. 13. The film is in Hancock, Mich., Oct. 30-31, and in Rock, Mich., on Nov. 2. Kettle River, twenty miles south of Duluth, will see The Fifth year, on Nov. 2.

Loses all Civil Rights. RIO JANERIO.—M. J. Pasquall, a Brazilian citizen of Alfredo Chaves, has been deprived of citizenship because he refused to undergo military training. His objection was illegial.

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Box Makers Get Increase. NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Wage increases of \$1 and \$2 a week have been granted paper box workers employed by the Paper Box Manufacturers' Association by the board of arbitration which acted between the union and employers after the recent strike.

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