

# FOSTER SPEAKS IN GARY SUNDAY

## France Jolts U. S. Anti-Soviet Policy—Borah

### AS WE SEE IT

By T. J. O'FLAHERTY.

FRANK D. COMERFORD, is well known in Chicago to all those who keep in touch with the radical movement. He was special prosecutor of 1919 Communist Labor Party cases, and when those sentenced were pardoned, Comerford was one of the loudest shouters against their release. Yet we find among those endorsing Comerford for the supreme court, the name of Clarence Darrow, an alleged radical and avowed anarchist. Darrow makes a lot of noise about "personal freedom" and he is always ready to denounce tyranny but he is also equally ready to line up with the capitalist class and their most vicious servants. Anarchistic consistency!

THE republicans charge the democrats with being in this campaign merely to assist LaFollette throw the election into congress. The democrats claim that Coolidge's candidacy will simply induce the voters to flee to "Bob" for salvation from four years more of silence and graft. The LaFolletteites say that Davis is aiding Coolidge and preventing the "people" from going back to 1776. And they all agree that the Workers Party is out to overthrow the capitalist system. For once they are all right.

THE uptown dry goods association of New York want Coolidge and Dawes to win, so they advertise. It is a novel form of advertising and incidentally good propaganda for Communism. The ad. writer must have a taste for history as well as for politics. He discovered that for over one hundred years, every speech delivered in the Roman senate ended with "Dei lenda Est Carthago" which means in plain English, "Carthage must be destroyed." The new slogan suggested by the dry goods men is "Communism must be destroyed."

WE venture to say that when the bones of the dry goods merchants of New York are dry as the dust, that Communism will be flourishing and capitalism a thing of the past. It is well that our enemies realize the issue so clearly. It is between capitalism and the new order which will be erected on its ashes; Communism. Those who understand what Coolidge and Dawes stand for will cast their votes for Foster and Giltow, the standard bearers of Communism in this election.

A WORKER, who during the course of his employment was severely injured, so badly indeed, that one of his legs had to be amputated from above the knee, sends in a subscription to THE DAILY WORKER, which he secured from friends who came to visit him. The short letter accompanying the subscriptions, published a few days in the Power Column of this paper, could not help but encourage any member of the party with a drop of fighting blood in his veins, to greater efforts in pushing the "Build THE DAILY WORKER" campaign. If this comrade lying on his back, in a sick bed, could set his mind on building up our Communist daily, how much more could those who are in good health?

THE National Security League was unnecessarily excited over the visit of Countess Karolyi to this country. Despite her title those sterling patriots feared that her presence here would poison the atmosphere. They discovered that she is known in Hungary as "Red Catherine." If that is so, our Hungarian comrades are holding back interesting information from us. The countess is about as "red" as Mrs. Borden Harriman, and perhaps not near so revolutionary as Jane Adams who is supporting Robert M. LaFollette for president and Judge Norman L. Jones, for governor of Illinois.

Vote Communist This Time:

### NEW YORK CITY T. U. E. L. PLANS BALL FOR ELECTION RETURNS

NEW YORK CITY, Oct. 31.—The Trade Union Educational League has arranged on election night, Nov. 4, a ball at Park Palace, 110th St. and 5th Ave. Election returns from all over the United States will be reported by Sam Lipzin between dances.

Every militant in New York will be there as this is the only affair this year run by the T. U. E. L. of New York. Tickets are only 50 cents and they are selling fast.

### HUGHES' SOVIET POLICY DOOMED SAYS SEN. BORAH

#### French Recognition Big Forward Move

By JAY LOVESTONE.

"A very decided step towards the complete restoration of normal relations with Soviet Russia." This was the way Senator Borah characterized, in an interview given exclusively to the DAILY WORKER, the significance of the recognition of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics by the French government.

#### Soviet Russia Victorious.

"This event indicates clearly and above all a recognition of the fact that the whole world must deal with Soviet Russia as it is, with the Soviet government as the spokesman for the country," declared the senator who has been amongst the most active official proponents of American recognition of the Soviet Republic.

#### Hastens American Recognition.

In reply to a query by the writer as to the probable effect of the French move on the attitude and policy of the United States government, Senator Borah said: "The recognition, the unconditional recognition of Soviet Russia by France can have no other effect than advance the cause of the recognition of Soviet Russia by the United States. Every great nation has now recognized the Soviet government. All of our allies in the great war have done so. We can gain nothing by standing aside and keeping away. We can help a good deal and we can lose much, otherwise."

#### Won't Explain Hughes' Policy.

"Well, then, how would you explain the obstinacy and the opposition of the state department in its dealings with the problem of Soviet recognition in the face of the continued increase of the number of nations extending de jure recognition to the Soviet Republic?" asked the DAILY WORKER correspondent. Senator Borah answered that he would not undertake to explain the policy of the state department since he was in such fundamental disagreement with it.

#### Gompers' Hostility Doomed.

"To what extent do you think does the hostility of the officialdom of the American Federation of Labor play a role in the continuation of the present anti-Soviet policy by the American government?" queried the writer. The senator was quick to reply: "I think that the attitude of so big an organization as the American Federation of Labor has a very decisive effect upon this policy of the government. But I am sure that the leaders of the American Federation of Labor must inevitably come to see that we must have Soviet Russia back into the family of nations in the interests of world peace. It seems to me that Mr. Gompers can do nothing else and will have to come around to this point of view."

#### Congressional Action Likely.

What the next session of congress is likely to do regarding the recognition of Soviet Russia is not yet known definitely. There is every likelihood that an attempt will be made in the senate to force the hand of the state department. It will be recalled that last year the recognition efforts were seriously interfered with by the Teapot Dome inquiry and by the general political situation which prevented many legislators from doing anything on account of their being afraid to be branded "red" while they were trying

### THE UNHOLY TRINITY



The Left Wing of Capitalism On the March—Backward

to win their return to Washington in the November elections.

#### Great Increase in Trade.

With the senatorial and congressional seats safe for a while, with the erstwhile bitter foe of Soviet Russia, France, having extended unconditional recognition, and with the economic pressure for a restoration of American relations with the Soviet Republic growing, we may look forward to some lively doings in Washington during the winter.

According to the report issued today by the department of commerce, American exports to Soviet Russia in Europe have leaped from \$344,002 in September 1923 to \$3,520,001 for September 1924. The increase of American imports from Soviet Russia in Europe was phenomenal, rising from \$49,951 a year ago September, to \$544,234 in the corresponding six months of 1924.

### BROWDER WILL SPEAK SUNDAY IN PITTSBURGH

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 31.—The Pittsburgh campaign will close with a grand campaign rally Sunday evening, Nov. 2 at Labor Lyceum on Miller street with Earl Browder, editor of the Workers Monthly as the principal speaker. Admission is free.

#### LaFolletteites Worried.

The following quotation will give some idea of the publicity the Workers Party is receiving in the Pittsburgh press: "How to mark ballot for LaFollette in Pennsylvania. Place your cross mark in the square after the name of the Labor Party in the first column on the ballot, thus: "LABOR—X." "Do not mark your ballot in the square after the name of the Workers Party. The Workers or Communist Party is not for LaFollette and is supporting another candidate."

#### Cover Town With Literature.

The LaFollette illusionists are worried over the progress made by the Workers Party in the first Communist campaign in the city of coal and steel. Our campaign meetings were very successful. We distributed tons of literature. The workers of Pittsburgh know the Workers Party is in the field.

In the last week of the campaign the LaFollette crowd are wildly attacking the Workers Party. But we will make them wilder yet when they see us roll up a vote of ten thousand in the Allegheny county.

Pittsburgh readers of the DAILY WORKER who want to volunteer to act as watchers for the Workers Party on election day will please get in touch with our office at 805 James St., N. E., Pittsburgh, Pa., at once.

### MUDDLING OF ELECTION ROILS BRITISH LABOR

#### MacDonald's Leadership is Now Threatened

(Special to The Daily Worker)

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Communist movement in Great Britain has been advanced tremendously by the making of its program for a proletarian revolution an intensive campaign issue. "The stunts of the MacDonald "labor" government is trying to outdo the tory conservatives in "exposing the reds"—"Do you want Communist or capitalism in Britain?" before the minds and into the consciousness of millions of English workers.

#### "Little Welsh Giant" Punctured.

The political significance of the elimination from the political struggle of the liberal party, the centrist party of capitalism, is most important in itself. The labor party is now the recognized left wing of the capitalist machine, and if it continues its rivalry with the tories in being nasty to labor, and particularly to the Communists, as it began with the publication for political purposes of the forged letter claimed to be from Zinoviev of the Communist International, its identity as a party of capitalism will become clear to workers who now support it because of its labor pretensions.

#### Liberal Disaster.

The final count of votes shows that the conservatives have 398 seats in parliament; labor party, 149—a loss of 43; liberals, 40; and other parties, 13, including at least one Communist, Saklatvala, elected from Battersea.

Frank Hodges, whom Americans remember was fraternal delegate to the A. F. of L. convention last year and who approved of the Gompers gang throwing out Wm. F. Dunne, was himself thrown out of parliament. The workers of England remember Hodges as the traitor who stabbed the triple alliance in the back on "Black Friday" in 1921.

#### Resentment at MacDonald Trickery.

It is everywhere shown that workers are disgusted with the MacDonald regime. It has been continually up to cheap tricks to keep in power. The publication as an eleventh-hour trick of the letter supposed to be from Zinoviev, and now known as a bare-faced forgery, has muddled things beautifully.

There was a rumor during the London conference that British imperialism was going to drop Ramsay after he would put over the Daves' plan. Now, he has not only lost out as a servile bootlicker of capital, but his "god-granted" automobile and \$150,000 from Sir Alexander Graat and his cheap maneuvers at the expense of labor's interests has discredited his leadership, and rumors are that he will be withdrawn from leadership of the labor party and supplanted by somebody with more brains if no more honesty.

### WORKERS PARTY IN ST. PAUL IN FIGHT FOR F. L. P.

#### War on Treason to Aid Republican Candidate

(Special to The Daily Worker)

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 31.—The Workers Party, thru its city central committee here, has issued an appeal to the workers to save the farmer-labor party and elect J. F. Emme to congress.

The Workers Party appeal has been issued at the same time that William Mahoney, editor of the Minnesota Union Labor Advocate, has gone over to the corrupt republican party and come out for the republican, Oscar Keller, running against the farmer-labor candidate.

#### Conspiracy is Defeated.

The Workers Party appeal exposes the conspiracy of the old party bosses, which has now been endorsed by Mahoney to keep the farmer-labor party off the ballot in the fourth congressional district.

"The Workers Party immediately served notice that they would not compromise with a capitalist party and would see that a candidate was filed," says the statement.

"J. F. Emme, farmer-labor candidate for congress, has refused to compromise with those who would sell out the working class movement. From the moment J. F. Emme entered the political campaign he has had the stubborn opposition of such a reactionary as Frank T. Starkey, and the one-time progressive William Mahoney. These men have shown that they would betray the farmer-labor party into the hands of the enemy."

#### An Appeal to Labor.

"Emme, who is a Communist, member of the Workers Party, stands for working class unity on the basis of a militant fight against the present system of society in which the capitalist class gets everything and the workers nothing except a bare livelihood." The statement then gives the complete program of the Workers Party and urges all workers to support the Communist candidates for president and vice-president, and the farmer-labor party candidates in Minnesota.

#### Fight Against Poison.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Because "there is great danger of widespread poisoning among men at gasoline filling stations, garages, repair shops, and even among the general public," Dr. Yandell Henderson, Yale professor and authority on gas poisonings, urges that the sale of gasoline containing lead should be stopped immediately.

### PLAN MOBILIZATION OF WORKERS PARTY IN NEW YORK AND IN CHICAGO

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The campaign committee of the Workers Party in District 2, calls upon all members for a mobilization day on election day to distribute literature and act as watchers at the polls.

As watchers only those comrades who are citizens can do this work, but for the distribution of literature and for instructors to voters, all comrades can do this work.

You should report to your section headquarters immediately to be assigned to do this work. There will be comrades in charge of the section headquarters and you must report to them and be assigned for work on election day.

The section headquarters are as follows:

- 208 East 12th Street,
- 64 East 104th St., Harlem,
- 61 Graham Ave., Williamsburg,
- 105 Eldridge Street,
- 1347 Boston Road, Bronx,
- 1844 Pitkin Ave., Brownsville.

Comrades on the job, report immediately to your section to be assigned for work in your section on election day. It is not enough that workers will vote our ticket. We must see to it that the votes are counted for our candidates.

WANTED! To Distribute DAILY WORKER at Factories for November 7th Soviet Celebration.

The place to reach the workers with Communist propaganda is at the factories, shops, mills. That's where the Communists should be organized—in Communist shop nuclei. Communist work at or in the factories and shops brings, as has been proved in Chicago, better results than activity in any other way. Factory distribution here of special editions of the DAILY WORKER and other literature brings industrial workers into the Workers Party and Young Workers League, and workers to our meetings in bigger numbers. But, to get down to the immediate need:

We want comrades to help distribute the DAILY WORKER on Nov. 4, 5, and 6, at the factories. This will be a special DAILY WORKER CHICAGO EDITION for the 7th Soviet Anniversary Celebration on Friday, Nov. 7. There will be stuff on various factories so that the workers can get the lowdown on some of their bosses. Meanwhile,

Send in your name if you are ready to help distribute the DAILY WORKER on either Nov. 4, 5, or 6. The distribution will take place when the workers are going home in the evening. So the comrades helping will have to show up at the local office, Workers Party, 166 W. Washington street, Room 303 (telephone State 7985) by 3:30 in the afternoon on those days. Comrades! Let's hear

#### Illinois Communist Voters! Notice!

When you go the polls on Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1924, to vote for the WORKERS PARTY candidates on the presidential, state and congressional tickets, remember to place a cross at the side of each Workers Party candidate. Otherwise, your opinion will not be registered. According to the capitalist laws of Illinois, voters casting their preferences for candidates of an independent ticket, for those candidates who are on the ballot by petition, a cross must be placed by the side of each presidential elector and other candidates. This is not the case with the parties that are so-called lawful parties, in which case a cross placed at the top of the ballot for the particular party you vote for registers for the entire ticket. But to record yourself for the Workers (Communist) Party candidates, Foster and Giltow, you must vote for each of the 29 Workers Party electors, and then for the other Workers Party candidates also. Remember this so that your Communist vote will count.

### GARY WORKERS TO HEAR FOSTER DESPITE TRUST

#### Will Speak Tomorrow in the Open Air

"The Gary steel workers are going to hear Foster in spite of the steel trust dictatorship," says Arne Swabeok, district organizer of the Workers Party. "First, we had engaged the armory for the Foster campaign meeting. But the banker who has control of that place turned us down, saying that Foster was not a 'good citizen.'"

"Then we leased the Froebel school auditorium, but three days later the school superintendent got his orders and cancelled the lease. Then we tried to get the use of East Park from the park commissioners. They had heard of Bill Foster, too. They 'didn't want any agitators.'"

#### Open Air Meeting Sunday.

"Shut out of house and hall by the steel trust, which somehow has an unfriendly feeling for Comrade Foster, we have engaged a vacant lot in Gary at 19th and Broadway, and are asking every working man in Gary to turn out on Sunday, Nov. 2, at 2 p. m., at 19th and Broadway to hear the message of the Communist candidate for president.

#### Steel Workers Knew Foster.

And indication of how the steel workers like Bill Foster," said Swabeok, "may be seen in the way they responded to the DAILY WORKER drive. When the party members at the mill gates first went there, the slaves of the steel mills thought that the cry, 'DAILY WORKER for sale,' indicated merely another of the piffling sheets put out by labor fakery. They went by without buying."

"But the next day the comrades used another tactic. William E. Foster's paper, the DAILY WORKER, the only Communist paper, for sale," was the call that resulted in hundreds of papers being sold at the mill gates."

### First Concert by Workers' Symphony Begins on Sunday

The first of a regular series of concerts under the auspices of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America by the orchestra organization of the Chicago Symphony and conducted by Alexander Dukovsky, will be given Sunday afternoon at Ashland Auditorium. Virvillo Lazzari of the Chicago Opera company will render a solo for the concert. Everybody welcome.

#### North Side English Branch Members!

Our branch meets on Monday, Nov. 3, at 8 p. m., at Imperial Hall, 2409 N. Halsted street. Very important problems will come up at this meeting. Let nothing prevent every member from attending this meeting.

Another thing! This is RED WEEK. Our branch members must distribute literature to put this campaign over big. We have contracted to dispose of a quantity of literature for which you have already paid. Distribute it! Call at 166 W. Washington street at once for your bundle.

#### On The Vodka Trail.

KHARRKOV, Ukraine. — Search and seizure outdoing any campaign against liquor in America, marks the attempt to prevent the illegal sale of vodka here. Nearly 5,000 stills have been seized and 2,000 persons arrested.

### CAL'S SILENCE IS SYNONYM FOR NEUTRALITY IN KU KLUX JARGON; CHARLIE BRYAN IS FAVORITE

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 31.—In an official document issued from the office of Walter Beasert, grand dragon of the Ku Klux Klan, today, Calvin Coolidge, for the instruction of Klan voters in Indiana is listed "neutral," John W. Davis "anti-klan"; Robert M. LaFollette, not mentioned; Charles W. Bryan, "favorable," and Burton K. Wheeler not listed on the Klan issue.

# CAPITAL HEARS ABOUT THE REDS FROM THEIR STANDARD BEARER, WILLIAM Z. FOSTER

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 31.—The capital of the mightiest bourgeois government on the face of the earth has had the challenge of a Soviet republic of workers and farmers thrown down before it by the message bearer of proletarian revolution in this election, William Z. Foster, Communist candidate for president, speaking here Monday night.

The meeting was opened by O'Hara MacIntosh, acting as chairman, whose interesting introduction was, in part, as follows:

"You have seen the oft-repeated statement in the newspapers to the effect that William Z. Foster is a bolshevik and that the Workers Party is connected with Russia. I am now going to tell you a little secret. We Communists are affiliated with the bolsheviks—and we are extremely proud of that fact. And that is not half of it. When the capitalist editor tells you contemptuously and with a sneer, that the Communists have connections in Moscow, he does not tell you half of it. We workers have a motto, which reads: 'Workers of the World, unite.'"

"If the capitalists would tell you the whole truth they would tell you that the Communists are not only connected with Moscow, but that they are in close connection with Communists in every city of any consequence on the face of the globe. Not only in Moscow, but in Paris, in London, in Edinburgh, in Dublin, Rome, Tokyo, Manila and in Sydney. Wherever the printed word is carried we have representatives, whether it be amongst the multitudes of the metropolis or on the banks of the Wabash.

"You know the records of the candidates of the other political parties; you know that both Coolidge and Dawes are lawyers; you know that Davis is a lawyer and that Bryan is an editor; that both LaFollette and Wheeler are lawyers. The candidates of the Workers Party, Foster and Giltlow, are union working men. They have been union men during all their working lives. You will hear tonight one of the greatest organizers of laboring men and women that has ever lived.

"You know the life histories of 90 per cent of the leaders of organized labor. You know what happens when the union man rises in the ranks of his fellowmen; how he goes to the citadels of the mighty and the corrupt; you know the result of his association with the boss, around the mahogany table in the conference room. You know that the traitor's appointment as secretary to some prominent capitalist or his appointment as commissioner of something or other, is his reward for the betrayal of those who trusted him.

"You know that these rewards are bribes. Now, my friends, there is no man in the labor movement in America that is more feared by the capitalist class than William Z. Foster. But Bill Foster is not made of the stuff that is for sale. Because of his adherence to his principles William Z. Foster is the phenomenon of the labor movement.

"You know that it is the custom at political gatherings to introduce the speaker as a man who is known through the length and the breadth of the land; that he is a man of national reputation. I have to vary that description a little this evening. Our candidate is a man who is not only known throughout this country, who has not only a national reputation; he is a man who has an international reputation. In every section of the world, where there is a militant organization of working men, William Z. Foster is known, and honored and respected and loved as a brother."

Comrade Foster was in the fettle and gave the best speech delivered by any candidate during the campaign. Even the many LaFollette men had to join in the enthusiastic reception accorded Foster's remarks in which he went after the fake progressive hot and heavy.

In spite of the disadvantage of a heavy and continued rain all evening, more than 350 were present, including many political reporters.

## HILLQUIT, SOCIALIST, FIGHTS REVOLUTION; PAYS TAX OF \$2,668

NEW YORK CITY, Oct. 31.—Income tax reports made public today disclose the fact that Morris Hillquit, socialist leader and supporter of LaFollette, pays an income tax of \$2,668.94. Hillquit's federal tax payment alone, is enough to defray the expenses of an average worker's family. On the basis of these official government figures, Hillquit, would be spokesman of the American working-class, sports an income of at least \$20,000 a year—an income which entitles him to admission to the first rank of highly paid labor bureaucrats and wealthy middle-class intellectuals.

Much of the money amassed by "Comrade" Hillquit has undoubtedly been obtained by payment of legal fees for services rendered to local trade unions. In other words the bosses exploit the workers in the shop while Hillquit exploits them when they are forced to go to court to plead for capitalist justice.

Another prominent name in the second district list of tax returns is that of Frank A. Vanderlip, millionaire supporter of LaFollette. His income tax return is listed at \$56,704. In his local income Vanderlip lags slightly behind John W. Davis, Morgan's attorney and democratic candidate for president, whose tax is \$34,425.20.

Vanderlip and Hillquit are both leaders of the LaFollette forces and typical examples of the middle class capitalist, non-working class character.

"Those who own the industries will always own the government," said Foster. "To protect their privileges, the owners of the industries will own the press, the schools, the churches and all the other machinery for controlling the minds of the workers. When the workers do become sufficiently aroused to vote against capitalist class rule, and vote for social ownership of the industries, then the old ruling class will fight. They will fight as the southern slaveholders fought—until their power is utterly broken. They will fight as the capitalists of Italy are fighting, thru fascism, when the voice of the people expresser thru the ballot is adverse. In all history, no ruling class has surrendered to a rising class from below without a struggle to the very death. Do not imagine that the strongest, most alert, most fully organized capitalist class in the world, that in the United States, will hesitate to resist the majority. That is why we say the workers must not pin their hopes on a mere decision at the polls."

Foster described the republicans as "the party of the steel trust, the sugar trust, the packing trust, the bankers' trust, with a strikebreaker as its presidential candidate and a fascist as its vice-presidential nominee." The democratic party he described as twin sister to the republican. No working man could support either, without scabbing on his class.

Discussing the LaFollette Movement, He analyzed the anti-war, public ownership and other measures in the progressive program, and showed how each of these would be rendered useless to the working class by the fact of the middle class philosophy of the LaFollette movement. If capitalism is to be saved and strengthened big business will be the strongest element in the "reformed" capitalism, the workers will be cheated again.

## GHASTLY ANTI-WAR BOOK SHOWS HORRORS OF CAPITALIST WARS

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 30.—The most terribly eloquent anti-war book ever published, horribly filled with war photographs too nauseating to look at but for their anti-militarist lesson, is making its gruesome way among labor circles in Europe.

The War in Pictures, by Ernst Friedrich, is an international weapon against international slaughter. Each picture has captions and explanations in English, French, German, and Dutch. The conscript or volunteer is shown having his picture taken for the front. Then a huge mass grave, sides splattered with blood and mud, is reproduced with the soldier corpses thrown into it. Fearfully wounded men, who have survived the war, are shown in hospitals. They have no faces, and have to be artificially fed. Photographs are reproduced of soldiers standing beside army gallows where the victim is still swinging, decorated with a hat placed on him by the soldier who stands below. There are pages of photographs of men hanged on army gallows scaffolds, of which 11,400 were erected.

## INTERNATIONAL WORKERS' AID ADDS NEW DUTY

### Political Prisoners to Be Given Assistance

The International Workers' Aid, formerly the Friends of Soviet Russia, in keeping with its aim as published more than a year ago, has decided to enlarge its scope of activity to include aid to political prisoners, their wives and children.

Funds raised for this particular purpose will be remitted to and distributed by the Red Aid International, while funds raised for relief of German workers, will be remitted and distributed thru the International Arbeiter Hilfs Komitee.

Militant trade unions, revolutionary political organizations, sick and death benefit societies, workmen circles, are invited to join in this new undertaking of the International Workers' Aid.

The Workers Party of America is the first workers' organization to extend its co-operation in this work. A letter to all Workers Party local central committees advising them to join in this work has already brought several replies.

Youngstown, Ohio; Portland, Ore.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; New Haven, Conn., are among the first to reply.

As in the past, the International Workers' Aid expects that the reactionaries of the Abe Cahan calibre will again attack it for "using relief funds for Communist propaganda"—because the Communists are the first to enter our activities and help us raise funds for needy workers, their families and children. Instead of joining forces with us in this undertaking, these do-nothing critics will no doubt hold off, and just as soon as things begin to hum and we are actually accomplishing something, they will come out with their attacks.

Xmas Drive Begins. According to Red Aid statistics up to May 1923, there are 383,200 workers imprisoned in European countries. They are the casualties resulting from working class battles for higher wages, shorter hours and decent standards of living. Their wives even can get no work, their children are at the mercy of "charitable" people.

The International Workers' Aid feels it its duty to come to the assistance of these workers. Towards this end a Xmas drive is being initiated with the hope of raising one hundred thousand dollars. It is expected that other working class organizations besides the Workers Party will join in this effort, instead of standing off, doing nothing and then helping the critics.

Campaign Meeting in Cleveland. CLEVELAND, Oct. 31.—Rudolph Lisch will speak on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 2, at 3 p. m. at 5607 St. Clair Ave. on the coming elections. Subject: "LaFollette or Foster?" A large attendance of union men is expected. Comrades and sympathizers are urged to attend this meeting.

## PICKET LINE OUT OF DATE, SAYS HILLMAN

### Amalgamated Head for Peace with Bosses

No more picket lines for the members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America if Sidney Hillman, president of the organization can help it. The way to better their conditions, according to Hillman, is to vote for LaFollette, join a nice liberal party, deposit their savings—if they have any—in a "labor bank" and build up the co-operative movement.

All in all a nice little scheme of class-collaboration, entirely worthy of the salvation army apostle of that cult, William H. Johnston, but strange to the tongue of Sidney Hillman, who, publicly at least, was known to favor the abolition of the capitalist system but as painlessly as possible, it is proper to state.

On Tenth Anniversary. This new policy was sprung on the Chicago Joint Board a week ago on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the founding of the Amalgamated. It is not the policy that made of the Amalgamated a fighting organization feared by the capitalists and looked on with admiration by the rank and file of other organizations whose leaders had already knelt down and worshipped the golden calf. Hillman had the reputation of being a revolutionist, the not, of course, to the left wingers in the Amalgamated, led by the Trade Union Educational League, who knew the difference between his words and his deeds.

In the next ten years, he declared, the members of the Amalgamated will not be on the picket line to fight for better conditions, but only in case of need to defend the union. In the coming ten years the main activity will be on the political and co-operative fields.

United Front With Bosses. This means in the language of Hillman, on the bandwagon of an American bourgeois liberal party and in the banking business, Sydney is traveling fast. It is well he has dropped the mask and taken his place publicly with the rest of the labor lieutenants of capitalism.

He explained the endorsement of LaFollette by the General Executive Board with the flimsy excuse that had the G. E. B. expected the election of LaFollette the action might have been different. The Amalgamated, he added, had to go along with LaFollette or be isolated from the official labor movement, obviously meaning that the endorsement of LaFollette would be looked up on favorably by Gompers & Co. Out of the LaFollette movement, he declared, would come a liberal party not a third party, but a second party since the democratic party was being pushed out of second place by LaFollette.

Hillman declared for tolerance in politics within the union, while at the same time binding the members to LaFollette in spite of the decision of the last convention.

Rank and File For Foster. The right wing of the Amalgamated has fallen to swing the membership to LaFollette. Outside of Chicago their efforts have met with comparative failure. Even here Local 289 has declared for William Z. Foster and repudiated the action of the G. E. B. in endorsing LaFollette contrary to the convention decision.

Hillman was scheduled to speak in New York to the members on the LaFollette question, but he decided to come to Chicago, where he was sure of less opposition.

The Cleveland joint board of the Amalgamated has endorsed Foster and Giltlow and the locals of the organization in New York have organized themselves to make shop collections for the Communist campaign.

The Communists and progressives in the Amalgamated are grateful to Hillman for throwing off his radical mask and coming out in the open as an exponent of class collaboration and peace with the bosses. The fight in the Amalgamated will no longer be so complicated. Hillman has taken his stand openly with the right wing.

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## Tammany Hall Again Shows Labor Need of Communist Leadership

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

TODAY, on the eve of Tuesday's elections, the last minute deals are being made; the fixers are busy working overtime.

If there is a trick that can be pulled to win a workers' vote for reaction, it will be put over.

Look at what happened in New York City. Senator LaFollette, who has not missed an opportunity during his campaign to double-cross the Farmer-Labor movement, has himself been made the victim of a double-cross such as only Tammany Hall can be guilty of.

The Tammany Hall-controlled executive council of the Central Trades and Labor Council of New York City and vicinity has repudiated its endorsement of LaFollette, early in the campaign, and is now giving its support to the candidacy of John "Wallstreet" Davis, on the democratic ticket.

All the Tammany Hallites in the New York labor movement, from John Sullivan, president, and John P. Coughlin, secretary, down the list, now discover in Morgan's lawyer all the qualities of a "friend of labor," using this expression as it has become infamous under the tutelage of Sam Gompers. In fact, LaFollette can easily behold Gompers himself in the nightmare that this double-dealing will bring to him.

The Tammany Hall laborites do not hope to put Davis over with their trick. They hope, no doubt, to bring victory to the standards of Al Smith, the Tammany Hall candidate for governor of New York, and to put a goodly gang of Tammany Hallites in the state legislature, maintaining control of that citadel of graft and privilege. Just across the river is New Jersey, also a seat of democratic power.

If Tammany Hall cannot capture the nation for a democratic candidate, it will resort to every possible deal to maintain its prestige in the great center of population at the mouth of the Hudson River.

LaFollette has been made the victim of his own hallucinations, that political victory, even for the small bourgeoisie, can be built on a straddle of the two Wall Street parties.

But the thrust goes even deeper. The Tammany Hall labor gangsters, entrenched by victory on election day, will be in a more formidable position than ever to wage war on the Farmer-Labor Party.

These are the Tammany Hall gangsters, Sullivan, Coughlin, Costello and the rest, with whom Hillquit, the socialist, has been hobnobbing, in the New York Conference for Progressive Political Action. This was the crowd that Hillquit and the socialists joined with to fight the efforts of the Communists, in New York state, to build the Farmer-Labor Party, of the workers and poor farmers. Hillquit's fight on the Communists weakened the class fight of the workers and farmers. It strengthened the Tammany Hall gangsters in the labor movement and made it possible for them to launch their open appeal for votes and support of the Wall Street lawyer, John W. Davis.

The workers of New York City and state must learn the lesson—that they have been betrayed, not only by Tammany Hall, not only by the LaFollette Conference for Progressive Political Action controlled by Tammany Hall, but also by the socialists, Hillquit and Abe Cahan, of the Jewish Daily Forward, and by the LaFollette-loving labor leaders, Sidney Hillman, of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers; Morris Sigman, of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, Morris Kaufmann, of the Furriers' Union, and others.

Only the Communist leadership of the Workers Party points the way to building of the class power of labor.

The effort of Tammany Hall's men, boring within the organized labor movement, on behalf of Wall Street, should again teach this lesson to the workers of New York.

## CLEVELAND HOLDS TRIUMPHANT CELEBRATION IN DRIVE FOR HOME FOR OUR JEWISH COMMUNIST DAILY

(Special to The Daily Worker)

CLEVELAND, Oct. 31.—At the banquet room of the carpenters' hall about 300 Communists and sympathizers assembled to celebrate three years of incessant active struggle of the Jewish Branch, Workers Party, towards the abolition of the present system of production and all its evils.

A number of organizations sympathetic to the workers' struggles greeted the branch thru their delegates and pledged full-hearted support to the Workers Party.

Comrade Lunin, national organizer of the Jewish Federation, greeted the branch in the name of the federation and spoke of the development and achievement of our party. When he

announced that the Freiheit in spite of its black and yellow enemies is nearing its third birthday and is in the midst of a campaign for buying a home and press of its own, storm of applause broke out. A few fifties, quite a number of twenty-fives, a large number of tens and still more of fives, demonstrated that the comrades are ready to build the party at all sacrifices. A sum of \$762.00 was thus gathered.

Comrade A. Bittelman a member of the C. E. C. then greeted the Cleveland branch in the name of the C. E. C. He spoke of the tasks and difficulties of Communists, urging the comrades to strengthen their ranks and to keep up the fight for a new system of society.

The Freiheit Gesangs Verein as well as their Mandolin Orchestra added to the success of the affair by their singing and playing songs of the class struggle.

Workers Party Sport Activities. Sunday afternoon beginning at one o'clock sharp, a big game between the Workers' Sport Soccer Football Team and the Swedish-American Third Soccer Football Team comes up at Portage Park. This game is one of a series being held in Chicago. Be there to root for your side!

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## STANDARD OIL JOB KILLS TWO, SIX GO INSANE

### Workers Suffer from Lead Poisoning

By ESTHER LOWELL Federated Press Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Two workers are dead and six others lie insane in Reconstruction Hospital as a result of tetraethyl lead poisoning at the Bayway, N. J., plant of the Standard Oil company.

Nearly 20 more workers are under observation for poisoning symptoms. All were employed in the manufacture of tetraethyl lead gas, specially treated gasoline supposed to eliminate "knocks" in auto engines and make possible much more efficient engines than at present used.

Market Dangerous Product. The Ethyl Gas corporation, half of whose stock belongs to Standard Oil of New Jersey and half to General Motors corporation, is marketing the dangerous product in the middle west, Maryland and northern New Jersey. Thomas Midgeley Jr., formerly of General Motors Chemical company and now vice-president of Ethyl Gas, is reported to have worked out the process of tetraethyl lead treatment of gasoline.

"Two years ago I warned representatives of General Motors that this substance is not fit for introduction for use by the general public; that lead poisoning is sure to result, not only in garage workers, but in all persons using automobiles," Dr. Yandell Henderson, professor of applied physiology at Yale, asserts in reference to the new cases. "It produces the most dangerous form of lead poisoning. By being volatilized, the lead is introduced quickly into the blood thru the lungs and makes its attack on the brain and nerves." He adds that those poisoned would never fully recover.

Discover Lead Poisoning. Prosecutor A. J. David, of Union county, New Jersey, has found that the workers were employed in manufacture of ethyl gas and not in laboratory experiments as the Standard Oil company first indicated. Dr. Charles Norris, medical examiner, is performing autopsies on the two dead workers in an effort to discover lead in their systems. Standard Oil company officials say that the workers were warned of the dangers and that frequent physical examinations of the men were made.

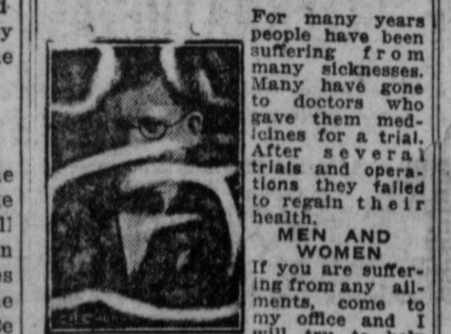
Bernard Rodgers of Elizabeth, N. J., quit work at Bayway three weeks ago because of illness from the poisoning and has been in bed since. He suffers from delusions of persecution and has shown no improvement. Dr. Henderson, who is one of the great authorities on the effect of gases on the human body, says that all these workers show clearly symptoms of tetraethyl lead poisoning and that a similar case occurred recently in New York, although he was not free to discuss it.

Health Department Acts. The board of health of New York will adopt resolutions preventing the sale or use of gasoline compounds presumably containing poisonous ingredients.

Dr. Frank J. Monaghan, health commissioner, announced the impending action of the board shortly before tetraethyl lead gas claimed its fifth life here within a week.

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EVICT STRIKING WORKERS IN CAL'S STATE FROM COMPANY-OWNED SHACKS (Special to The Daily Worker) FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 31.—Eviction of workers from company tenements has begun in the Roxbury Carpet company strike, conducted by the United Textile Workers' Union. Deputy Sheriff William H. Walsh moved furniture and household effects of Charles Armstrong from a company tenement. Other tenement dwellers moved out on the company's order to give up their homes or return to work.

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1. Vote early.
2. You are entitled to vote if you are otherwise eligible and have registered. Don't let anyone prevent you from voting.
3. If an attempt is made to prevent you from voting, call up the Workers Party offices. You will receive advice and assistance.
4. When you get the ballot do not open it until you get into the election booth. And do not tear it or soil it, as it may be then declared void. Use Booth Pencil.
5. Use only the pencil provided in the booth to mark ballots. The use of your own fountain pen or pencil may make void your vote.
6. In states where the party emblems appear beside the party names at the top of the ballot, look for the Communist emblem of "hammer and sickle." In any case look carefully for the name of "Workers Party of America."
7. When you have found the name "Workers Party of America," in most cases a blank circle appears in front and to the left of the name. Mark a good plain "X" in that circle. This means "voting the straight ticket" of the party.
8. But this is not enough, because crooked election judges can make their pencils do tricks when your ballot is being counted. You must begin at the circle at the top of the Workers Party ticket and go downward, making a "X" in the blank squares set in front of and to the left of every Workers Party candidate. Go Down the Line.
9. Be sure you go down the entire list from the top to the bottom of the column, not stopping at a space where the Workers Party has no candidates, but continuing downward until the column of names ends. You do not have to vote for candidates for all offices, but only for those where the Workers Party has candidates.
10. Place your "X" mark carefully within the squares. Careless marks reach over and touch other squares, may invalidate your ballot. Make no other marks on the ballot.
11. Fold the ballot before leaving the booth the same way as you received it. Do not give it into any person's hands, but deposit it yourself in the ballot box.
12. In states where the Workers Party is not on the ticket, you may vote the Communist presidential ticket only if you write in on the ballot the following: "For president of the United States, William Z. Foster. For vice-president of the United States, Benjamin Gitlow." And to make it valid you must ascertain the name of one presidential elector of the

### NEGRO 'DEFENDER' SLIPPED \$10,000 KAL KOOLIDGE KASH

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 31.—That the great Negro paper, the Chicago Defender, had betrayed the workers of that race by selling out to Coolidge for \$10,000 cash, was the statement made today before the Borah campaign fund investigating committee.

This testimony came from Carl Murphy, editor of the Baltimore American, who, it is stated, was also offered a bribe to betray his race to Coolidge, who is known to be the Ku Klux Klan candidate.

This story, coming over the wire as the DAILY WORKER goes to press, came from the Washington correspondent of the Federated Press. Further details as to this traitorous deal will be published in Monday's DAILY WORKER.

Workers Party in that state, and write his or her name in after the words, "For electors of president and vice-president of the United States." Last But Not Least.

13. Lastly, remember that the Workers Party frankly states that the workers cannot emancipate their class from capitalist exploitation by voting in elections or electing candidates to offices. But that it uses the election as a period of intensive education to convince the workers that only by overthrow of capitalist parliamentary forms and a proletarian dictatorship can a Communist society be developed. The Workers Party candidates, if elected, are under the iron discipline of the Workers Party and pledged to expose capitalist thievery, not only of illegal graft like the Teapot Dome, but the legal robbery of exploiting wage labor and agitate form the rostrum of parliament the overthrow of capitalism and a Soviet Republic in the United States of America.

#### Apollo Club Opens Season.

The Apollo Musical Club will open its regular season on Monday, Nov. 3, at Orchestra Hall. The oratorios, "The Creation," by Haydn, and the "Requiem," Brahms, will be given, with Olive June Lacey, soprano, B. Fred Wise, tenor, and Herbert Gould, bass, as the soloists.

#### Members Hirsch Lektet Branch!

All comrades of the former Hirsch Lektet branch of the Young Workers League are urged to attend the first auxiliary meeting on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 2, at 3:30 p. m. sharp, at 2613 Hirsch Blvd. Very important matters will come up.

#### OPEN FORUM SUNDAY NIGHT.

Sunday, Nov. 2, 8 p. m., at the Lodge Room, Ashland Auditorium. Alexander Bittelmann will speak upon "Communism versus LaFolletteism." Questions and discussion. Every worker welcome to the floor.

### Engdahl on Eastern Speaking Tour Last Week of Campaign

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 31.—J. Louis Engdahl, editor of the DAILY WORKER and Workers Party candidate for senator in Illinois, spoke here tonight before a large audience. He left immediately after meeting for Buffalo, N. Y., where he speaks on Saturday, Nov. 1, at 8 p. m.

Engdahl's eastern speaking tour also takes in Boston, Mass., in Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m., at Faine Memorial Hall, 9 Appleton street and Cleveland, Ohio, Monday, Nov. 3, at 8 p. m., at the Bricklayers' Hall, 2105 21st street, south of Prospect.

### Percy Ward to Tell About Irish Priests Tomorrow Afternoon

The opening lecture of the Rationalist University Society's seasonal offering will be held at the Garrick Theatre on Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The well-known lecturer, Percy Ward, will speak upon the subject: "What I Saw of Priests and People in Ireland."

### Tonight Dance at Freiheit Singing Society Festival

The dance of the Freiheit Singing Society and Mandolin orchestra comes off tonight. It takes place at their new headquarters at 3837 W. Roosevelt road and begins at 8 p. m. Everyone who enjoys good music, dancing and wants to meet who's who in the workers' movement in Chicago will be there. Admission is 50 cents including wardrobe and a good time.

#### Teachers Suspect Cut in Salaries.

A meeting of the Chicago Teachers' Federation attended by over one thousand teachers, was held at the Capitol building to protest against a new plan submitted by Supt. McAndrew, to reduce school expenses. A questionnaire was sent to each teacher to fill out and submit to principals. The questions contained were such as to determine the financial responsibilities of each teacher. The teachers claim this is another of those brilliant schemes of McAndrew's to meet the deficit in the school money by taking it out of the teachers and children instead of getting after those responsible for the deficit.

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Welcoming Calles

General Plutarco Elias Calles has just landed in New York. The Reverend Norman Thomas and the remaining few holy socialists, along with a motley collection of liberals, staged a reception for the president as a working class champion.

The Honorable Calles is reported to have told his pseudo-socialist admirers that he was elected by organized labor and that his "first interest is in the labor movement." We know that it was the organized labor movement and the working and farming masses of Mexico in general that were responsible for the election of Calles.

Mr. Calles has nothing to offer to the working class of Mexico. He is in hearty accord with the policies of the present Mexican administration which has been perpetrating travesty after travesty on the hard won gains won by the workers in the various revolutions of Mexico.

While Mr. Calles was boasting of the magnificent social program of the Mexican republic under his joint regime with Obregon, the Mexican government was landing its federal troops to protect the scabs running the refineries of the Gulf Oil corporation.

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All the Same to Them

The Chicago Daily News is not bothered over the established fact that the alleged letter from Gregory Zinoviev was a forgery and quite likely the work of the British foreign office.

When the news of the "red plot" reached America, the capitalist editors immediately got their pens busy to show that this was another example of Communist duplicity and that Charles Evans Hughes was perfectly justified by events in refusing to have anything to do with the workers and peasants of Russia, who do not seem to hold capitalist governments in high esteem.

The Chicago Daily News had one of its usual stupid editorials in this vein. But when it became convinced that the letter was a forgery it did not turn around and apologize for its offense, but simply said in substance: "Well, what if it is a forgery? Perhaps some Communist to the left of Zinoviev forged the letter. Anyhow, read what Zinoviev writes to the German workers on the anniversary of the Hamburg revolt. A man who could write such a letter to Germany is quite capable of writing a like letter to England."

This is a typical example of the manner in which everything relating to Soviet Russia is treated by the capitalist press. They hate the Soviet government with a hatred that is holy. To be fair to Russia is impossible for them. They are class conscious. They know that every gain made by the Soviet Republic is a gain for the working masses everywhere. Therefore they use their press to poison the minds of the American workers against the Communists who are the brains behind the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics.

Class conscious workers who know that the capitalist press consistently lies about the workers everywhere, should just as consistently support THE DAILY WORKER, which is concerned with fighting the workers' battle, and never has a kind word to say for the capitalist class or their system. It is just as partial to the workers as the Chicago Daily News is to the capitalists.

Answer this Call

Not only in New York City, where the Workers Party campaign committee has put out a call for T. U. E. L. and party members to volunteer for poll service on election day, will such demand be met with enthusiasm.

Workers everywhere who realize the danger of the LaFollette illusion have been fighting tooth and nail with the Communists. Only the Communists have stood out for a real working class program of revolutionary action against capitalism.

Together with members of the Workers Party, these class conscious workers have taken the floor of the unions from one end of the country to another, have furnished much of the agitating personnel and have made it possible for the Communist clarification to penetrate the masses in the unions which the labor fakers had guaranteed to LaFollette, or Davis or Coolidge.

On election day the Workers Party members will find beside them as election workers at the polls, the revolutionary unionists who know that Communist "politics" is a fight to overthrow capitalism.

The Injunctionites Win

Considering the I. W. W. convention as a whole, it has exhibited abysmal confusion and irresolution. It has been scared to death of taking a clean-cut and positive revolutionary stand. The very word "revolution" is unwelcome, hated by some who are purely reformists, and avoided by others who fear to face a struggle for a program of revolutionary action in which they believe, but which they do not know how to formulate and fight for.

The revolutionists, grouped around the agricultural workers with scattered additions from other unions, who have built the whole I. W. W., have, indeed, done their utmost to attain unity. But in doing so they have left to chance the equally necessary fight for unequivocal plans for actual revolutionary struggle against capitalism.

For sixteen long days the convention has sat. Time, far in excess of any sensible allotment to conclude similar business, has been consumed in the laborious democracy of using a convention pile driver on a lot of constitutional tacks. If we look for results of a positive nature, we see nothing. Everything done is to avoid doing something. Often something revolutionary. It has not even expelled the injunctionites, but left it to referendum.

For fifteen days the delegates fiddled around waiting for Rowan to give them some chance to compromise. Quite naturally, he told them to go to the devil. Then, since he wouldn't compromise with them, they compromised with him. They will fool nobody by saying, "We expelled the injunctionites."

The reformist job-unionist caucus laid its plans well. The trusting left wing of rebels, unwilling to solidify itself, and unable because of that fact to stiffen the center by demanding guarantees of support on revolutionary issues, went down to defeat and even split on the fine demagogic trick of combining the motion to expel with a motion to leave it to referendum, as advanced by Oates.

Oats is the well-known food for jackasses, and much braying about "democracy" will be heard from the long-eared tribe in every quarter, particularly from those who, by denying all workers' democracy themselves, and by exercising a pernicious personal censorship, have kept and continue to keep the membership from being informed of anything but what they choose to tell them, and therefore unable to decide a referendum intelligently.

The Communists have continually pointed out that censorship, begun against the advocates of the R. I. L. U., was perilous. It has proven so. Yet the convention has done nothing effective to remove this danger. On August 13 the Communists and Red Internationalists insisted that this convention be called before either side would admit it was needed. But it declared in addition that "no mere doctering of constitutions" could settle the issues, and that "unless ideological matters are threshed out, nothing will be settled."

Nothing has been settled thus far, for that reason. Tho in the past the I. W. W. found Sandgren and Varney embarrassing company, it retains the complete counter-revolutionary ideology they advocated, and neither in its press or on its rostrum, does not permit the R. I. L. U. to dispel their lies and the confusion of anarcho-syndicalism. Sandgren and Rowan have won. Will they hold the victory?

Samuel Untermyer is a conspicuous "public citizen." He is helping to get the goods on the G. O. P. in the interest of John W. Davis, Morgan attorney. Getting "goods" is Untermyer's specialty. A stoop-pigeon employed by the noted lawyer to get the goods on W. E. D. Stokes, millionaire, is suing Untermyer for \$7,500, which the fink spent in getting the stuff for Untermyer. If the G. O. P. supporters were as tight as Untermyer there would not be much need for a quiz.

We note that the Wage Earners' League has endorsed Len Small for governor and the democrat Sprague for senator. Who owns this Wage Earners' League? Len Small, thru Fred Lundin, thru Percy Coffin, thru the labor fakers Quesse and Boyle.

Join the Workers Party and subscribe to the DAILY WORKER.

CONVENTION OF I. W. W. SEIZED BY INJUNCTIONITES

Roll Call Shows They Have Got Control

Late Thursday the I. W. W. convention suddenly came to life and battle when George Speed of 510 moved to rescind Wednesday's action to leave the expulsion of the injunctionites to referendum.

The branded that action as plain support of the injunctionites. But Speed's motion lost on roll call vote, asked for by the lumber workers.

The anarcho-syndicalist center went to the rescue of Rowan and the reformists of the right wing, Welinder and Ruth Rumbaugh, for example, voting to support Rowan on a roll-call vote. The roll-call was called by Speed, the resource of cowards, as the roll-call, like the referendum, gives the reformist lumber workers the advantage.

Charles Gray of 110, altho stating that he favored the referendum, "because I want to know what kind of an organization I belong to," added, "but in this fight I'll stick with the left wing and make the line-up clear."

This action makes very clear that the injunctionites have got control of the convention, the surface condemnation of them by the right wing delegates being mere stage play.

Foreseen by Communists. This outcome was prophesied by Harrison George of the Red International of Labor Unions Tuesday, after being denied the floor. At that time he said, "There is no half-way ground for workers, who say they are revolutionary, between the reactionary injunctionite elements and the members of the I. W. W. who adhere to the Red International because they adhere to revolution. Refusal to listen to the message of the Red International shows that before the convention is over it will be captured by the 'injunctionites.'"

Doyle Finishes His Defense. Thomas Doyle, suspended secretary-treasurer, finished his defense to charges that he violated the I. W. W. constitution, yesterday. Doyle turned his defense into an attack on the injunctionites, and the champions of Rowan, in the convention—Leonard Swanson, Grad, Oates, and especially Erwin, tried by their questions to tone down the offenses committed by the Rowan-Bowerman faction.

Doyle denied that he had forcibly ejected the "rump" general executive board of the Rowan-Bowerman faction from the national headquarters at 1001 West Madison street. When asked by one of the Rowanites in the convention what his definition of a "rump" G. E. B. Doyle replied "illegal." He declared "The membership was particularly sore because Rowan and his henchmen tied up the ball fund of \$12,000 by their injunction, and hampered the defense work and publication of the I. W. W. newspapers."

Accuse Bowerman of Shielding Dicks. Doyle repeated his charge that Bowerman wanted the G. E. B. to rescind its former action of expelling two Burns' stool pigeons from the organization. Doyle read a letter which charged B. Raddock with being a former member of the U. S. army. The letter declared that Raddock had tried to go to Russia but the Russian committee examining his credentials barred him from going because he refused to reveal what work he did

Communist Open Air Meetings in Chicago

Saturday, Nov. 1. North and Orchard, North and N. Park Ave., Wilton and Belmont—All in the ninth congressional district. Speakers get in touch with D. E. Earley. 30th and State—Auspices of South Side branch. Speakers: Gordon Owens and Paul Cline. Division and Washtenaw—Auspices of N. W. Jewish branch. Speakers: Al Schaap, Sam Hammersmark and Elsa Bloch. Roosevelt and St. Louis—Auspices of Douglas Park Jewish branch.

as secret service man in the army. He also read a letter written by Raddock to Bowerman, enclosing a letter to Dr. Frederic Blossom.

"Every action of the Rowanites has had the character about it of injuring the I. W. W., and I have tried to protect the principles of the organization at all times," Doyle stated. He told how Joe Fisher had his head laid open with a piece of iron wielded by the injunctionites. Doyle revealed that he has raised \$10,000 with which to finance the present convention.

Wellinder Withholds News. P. J. Wellinder, the "press committee" of the I. W. W. convention now meeting here, seems to be making it his principle duty to keep news of the convention from getting out to the public. Wellinder has refused to give the DAILY WORKER reporter the minutes of the I. W. W. convention on the grounds that we "have not treated the chairman right."

Wellinder's duties, as the press committee of the convention, were stated to be the preparing of a daily press dispatch which would be the official press notice of the convention, after they had approved it. In spite of the fact that by the time the press committee had laboriously written up his reports of the convention and had them approved by that body, the news was four days old, the DAILY WORKER has patiently given many columns of space to printing these minutes.

But after Wellinder was elected to replace Ed Delaney on the press committee, the DAILY WORKER found it had no space for a particularly badly written and verbose report of Wellinder's. Wellinder immediately induced the convention to pass a motion to give the DAILY WORKER no more press reports on the grounds that "we were not printing them."

Reports Prepared, But Not Issued. Wellinder declined the nomination for an important committee on the grounds that "I am already on the press committee." Now Wellinder is seriously going about the farce of preparing lengthy "press reports" every day of the proceedings of the convention, and persistently refusing to give them to the DAILY WORKER. Wellinder's main job would appear to be suppressing the news of the convention. His reports, of which he is so proud, are not sought by the capitalist papers, and Wellinder refuses the official news of the convention to other working class newspapers.

Play News Suppression Game. The I. W. W. convention, in its rampage of 100 per cent democracy, has ordered that no news except that given out by the press committee is "official." Now they refuse to give out the "official news," and yet take the time of the convention to hear Wellinder read to them his lengthy and entirely useless daily "news dispatches."

However, members of the I. W. W. as well as other workers, read the DAILY WORKER, and get the news even tho it has not been sheep-dipped, chemically analyzed, subjected to microscopic examination by the committee on punctuation, fumigated, painted and duly approved by referendum.

YOUNG WORKERS LEAGUE DRIVE FOR COMMUNIST EDUCATION OF YOUTHFUL MINERS WINS PRAISE

National Industrial Organizer, Y. W. L. of A. The greatest percentage of young people employed in the mine are trip riders, motormen and the like. A small percentage are actual coal diggers. The tracks in most mines are in bad condition. The hills upon which the cars travel are very steep and if one were to see them outside of the mine, one would be exceedingly hesitant in taking the chance to travel on them.

Many times the motorman is unable to stop his train and is forced to signal the trip riders to jump in or der to escape any injuries. Such occurrences are quite common.

The motormen are forced to wear belts to protect their kidneys. Much discrimination is practiced against the young miners in many sections. In Martins Ferry, Ohio, the young workers employed on the tipples, receive less money than the adult workers. They are given what is called "boy's jobs." In accordance with the contract they are paid less. We must abolish once and for all such discriminatory arrangements.

By JOHN WILLIAMSON, National Secretary Y. W. L. of A. The mining industry of America offers a wonderful opportunity for the Young Workers League to accomplish good propaganda and organizational results. The thousands of young workers employed in the mining industry by the coal companies, regardless of state laws which are never enforced, offers a fertile field for the revolutionary propaganda of the American Communist Youth movement.

Knowing this we enter this campaign, the first real industrial campaign conducted in a basic industry, with a knowledge that the demands and program of our movement are immediate and vital issues demanding the attention of every young miner in the country.

This campaign must receive the unstinted support of every member of the Young Workers League and Workers Party in every section of the country. Those units who are not located directly in the mining territory must rally to the support of the League in this campaign.

The Young Workers League of America must become the expression of the millions of young exploited industrial workers in America. By C. E. Ruthenberg Executive Secretary of Workers Party

The young workers employed in the mining industry are suffering to a large degree. They are not given the necessary support due them. We find in many sections of the country much discrimination is practiced against them. Due to their age and inexperience they are exploited in

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