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Preparing the Ground in Georgia

The bosses' preparations for the Atlanta "insurrection" trial are in full swing. The black terrorist organizations are being sharpened and the ground is being laid to make possible extreme penalties for the six working class organizers amidst a general atmosphere of boss terror.

Government Dooms Farmers To Starve

26,000 families of Alabama tenant farmers will face shortened rations and possible starvation this winter. This is not the estimate of the Communists. It is the cold statement of F. W. Gitt, statistician, made in an official report of the Agricultural Department of the State of Alabama.

The Ensley Unemployed Demonstration

The tremendous mass demonstration of 2,500 unemployed steel workers in Ensley last Thursday under the leadership of the Metal Workers Industrial League showed two things clearly.

Organize — Rather Than This



A breadline in New York last winter. They will be larger this winter all over the country. Workers don't stand for it! Organize, Fight for social insurance

34 ARE LYNCHED IN 9 MONTHS

There have been 34 lynchings in the first nine months of 1930. In a statement issued by the Southern Provisional Organization Committee of the American Negro Labor Congress, the lynchings are listed and it is pointed out that organizations like the Tuskegee Institute and the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People have issued incomplete and misleading figures on the number of lynchings thus far this year.

"Nice Clean Young Man" For \$12.50 a Month

Good luck to you who will qualify for the job. Your troubles will end forever, if you will be lucky enough to land this one. The following ad appeared in the Georgia Market Bulletin, Department of Agriculture, September, 25th.

MY LIFE

By a Negro Working Woman

I WAS born and raised in Pendergrass, Jackson county, Georgia. It had a very small population, just a farming town. There were seven children in the family. My father was a good worker but he could not provide well, causing my mother and the children to have a hard time.

The Reds Say--

By JIM ALLEN

"Each year the deputies of sheriff catch and haul hundreds of vagrants to the county borders turn them loose," says the Herald. "A much better and profitable method would be to get the dual benefit of labor and a well impressed lesson stay away from Dade county."

Chattanooga newspapers are in the air about the city's finest force. When a stranger comes into town in a big automobile...

FISH TRAILS REDS SOUTH

The Fish Committee, which has been "investigating" Communist activities in other parts of the country, has announced that it will come to Chattanooga, Birmingham, Atlanta and New Orleans to carry on its work.

We will complete the circle come back to the Miami Herald paper of the bosses' garden city. Russia is attempting to disrupt society and government through commercial interference that it should be treated as such.

When I was ten years old my father decided to work a farm on shares, and he carried us on a farm. There were only five of us children at home, two boys and three girls.

VOTE COMMUNIST! In Alabama Write in on Ballot—alter Lewis for Governor Worthy for Senator

Don't Forget—Write in Names On Ballot!

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CLUBS, JEERS FOR NEW YORK UNEMPLOYED

NEW YORK. — Vicious clubbing and beating almost to death, arrests and jeers was the answer of Mayor Walker of New York City to the demands of a delegation, representing the interests of 800,000 unemployed workers for immediate relief.

The attack on the workers gathered outside City Hall was the most furious in the barbaric history of the New York police force.

PREPARE MASS ANTI-LYNCHING CONFERENCES

The Communist Party is preparing a preliminary reception for the Fish committee in the form of a series of meetings in Chattanooga, Fish's first stopping point in the South.

A Letter From A Ruined Crop Farmer And Our Answer

Dear Editor:— I am a farmer. Made a share crop this year. I planted 30 acres in cotton. I made on barley enough to eat without any clothes, and on August 31 my wife died.

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VOTE COMMUNIST!

North Carolina
Dewey Martin for Senator
J. A. Rogers and W. G. Binkley for Congress.

Tennessee
Sam Borenstein for Governor
Sherman Bell for Senator.

2 Cents a Copy

Workers Must Save 6 Organizers From Atlanta Electric Lynching!

THE DEFENDANTS



M. H. Powers



Herbert Newton



Henry Story



Ann Burlak



Joe Carr

Very shortly there will be held a trial in Atlanta, which will be one of the most important yet held in the entire country. This trial will be watched carefully and with much interest by the working class of this country and of the entire world.

Six workers will appear in this trial, two women, two Negroes and two white men. They are organizers for the Trade Union Unity League, the American Negro Labor Congress, the Communist Party and the Young Communist League.

PREPARE MASS ANTI-LYNCHING CONFERENCES

With the Anti-Lynching Conference to be held in Charlotte, N. C., on Oct. 27, preparations are also in full swing for the Southern Anti-Lynching Conference to be held on November 9, in Chattanooga at the Odd Fellows' Hall, 124 E. 9th Street.

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RULE DEATH LAW VALID IN ATLANTA

The Superior Court of Georgia upheld the constitutionality of the electrocution law in a hearing at Sparta on October 15. That means that should the six labor organizers who are to be tried in Atlanta towards the end of this month or at the beginning of November be found guilty of insurrection they would be put to death in the electric chair.

HELP SAVE ATANTA SIX

Send no matter how little and as much as you can afford to Jennie Cooper, Southern I. L. D. Representative, 947 Hurt Bldg., Atlanta, Georgia.

YOUNG WORKERS IN ATLANTA

Of the 20,000 unemployed workers in Atlanta, six thousand are young workers. The young workers are affected more by the boss indicted crisis than the adult. Forced to work for low rates, he cannot save enough to enable him to live when unemployed.