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Bosses Attack the "YOUNG PIONEER"

Workers' Children! Comrades!

The YOUNG PIONEER, the fighting paper of the American workers' children, has been barred from the mails! The Post Office Department at Washington, under the orders of the bosses, refuse to allow us to mail the Young Pioneer with the same rights as other papers have.

This ruling of the Post Office is an attack on the YOUNG PIONEER, because now it will be almost impossible for the paper to come out, due to all the extra money it will cost us.

Bosses Afraid Of Young Pioneer

Why has this attack been made on the YOUNG PIONEER! The bosses know that

the YOUNG PIONEER is the only paper that fights for the interests of the workers' and farmers' children! They know that the YOUNG PIONEER tells the truth to the workers' children about their rotten school conditions, and about the bosses who rob and oppress our parents.

They are afraid of the Young Pioneer! They are afraid that when the workers' children will know the truth about the bosses, they will organize into the Young Pioneers of America, and fight the bosses!

Workers' Children! Behind this attack on the YOUNG PIONEER can be seen the hand of the Fish Committee, a committee
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We Are Back to Fight!

Millions of workers' children, after spending over 2 months of their "vacation" in the hot city, returned to school at the beginning of September. What does the opening of school, again mean to the workers' children?

When we went back, we found that we have to face all the rotten conditions in the schools, which we were only to glad
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Down with Lynching of Negro Workers!

29 Negro workers have been murdered by the bosses of the South since the beginning of the year! This is more than twice the number lynched last year. Whenever a gang of business men and hoodlums lynch a Negro worker, the bosses' papers always say that the Negro worker committed a crime. But these are always lies! Many times, the police, who help the lynchers, admit that these Negro workers are innocent!

Why do they lynch Negro workers, and then tell us lies about them? Because the Negro worker, especially in
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Down with Lynching!
Free the Atlanta Prisoners!

elected by the bosses' Congress to carry on their fight against the working class. The Fish Committee wants to attack all organizations that fight for the working class, and it has chosen to attack the workers' children first!

They have jailed workers' children who are members of the Pioneers! They sent Harry Eisman to six years in Jail! They are responsible for attacks on camps of workers' children! Now they are aiming at our paper, the YOUNG PIONEER!

Answer the Attack—BUILD OUR PAPER!

Comrades! This ruling against the Young Pioneer is a blow to every workers' child! The bosses are attacking all of us, and our organization! Our answer to the bosses and their Post Office Dep't must be:

"We will defend our YOUNG PIONEER. We will support it against anything you bosses can do. We will make it a bigger and better paper, so that all workers' children will learn how the bosses are robbing the workers!"

Answer the attack of the bosses and their agents! Build the YOUNG PIONEER! Make the next issue, the 7th birthday of our paper the best that was ever issued! Show the bosses that nothing they can do will stop the workers' children from organizing and fighting side by side with the working class!

Down with the Fish Committee!
Answer the attacks of the Bosses!
Build the Young Pioneer!

Greet Bill Foster and other Leaders of Workers!

Bill Foster, Bob Minor and I. Amter, the leaders of the great March 6th demonstration of unemployed workers, are going to be let out of jail on October 21. They were in jail for six months.

The workers of New York City are holding a huge meeting in Madison Square Garden on October 25, to greet their leaders. Thousands of workers will be there.

The bosses thought that when they sent Foster and the other comrades to jail, the unemployed workers would starve quietly! But the 8,000,000 workers who are out of a job and walking the streets, are not going to starve without fighting.

They are organizing in the Trade Union

Unity League and the Unemployed Councils. They are putting up a fight for the Workers' Social Insurance Bill, so that every unemployed worker will get \$25 a week, and \$5 for each one of his children.

We workers' children, too, must fight against the bosses who throw our fathers out of work. When Dad's out of a job, we have to go to school hungry and ill-fed. If we don't put up a fight now, the bosses will make our conditions still worse!

Greet our Leaders, Foster, Minor, and Amter.

Free food and clothing for children of the Unemployed.

NEGRO WORKERS' CHILDREN JOIN PIONEERS IN SOUTH

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Dear Young Pioneer!

I am writing to tell you how we are getting along. The children in the Pioneer Group, 7 to 16 years old, have to do hard work. Some of the Negro children have to take breakfast early every morning to workers in the mills.

children were so hungry until they were hardly living.

So the old lady went out on the street and begged for money and food. She was a old colored lady. She went into a grocery store and she asked for something to eat. The man said he had his food to sell and not to give away. The old woman went



Pioneer Group of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Some work in grocery stores and get \$1 for 7 days work and have to get on their jobs early every morning.

The colored and whites have different churches, different playgrounds, shows, schools, movies and everything different.

I am going to tell you about a poor woman. She didn't have a husband or any children old enough to work for her. The

out begging every day.

The white people live in better houses, go to better schools, get better wages, and better playgrounds. The white workers get more wages than the colored workers.

Some of our Pioneers have to do work that men should do.

Comradely yours,

Ruby G., Pioneer, Age 12

PIONEERS OF IRON RIVER ARE ACTIVE

Dear Young Pioneer:

The Pioneer group of Iron River was organized at our summer school and the first meeting of the group was held at a comrade's house. Eleven comrades came to the first meeting.

Comrade George, our summer school teacher attended the meeting. He told us many interesting things that will help us carry on our Pioneer work.

At our second meeting a few more comrades joined. We hope to get many more children to join and are sure to have a successful Pioneer group.

RUTH H., Pioneer Correspondent

MUST WORK TO BUY SHOES FOR SCHOOL

Dear Comrades:

My father has no work, and he has to work at home now. I help him. One day, when we were eating dinner, he started to cry. We asked him why he was crying, and he said he was worrying because school was going to start and we had no shoes.

I told him that I had earned one dollar pitching fir cones, and that I would give it to him. But he said that one dollar wasn't much. Dad said I should keep it and use it to get tennis shoes to go to school in. Then as soon he gets a job some place he will buy me a pair of shoes to go to school in the winter.

Comradely yours,

**Nellie B.
Napavine, Wash.**

FROM A FARMERS' BOY

Dear Comrades:

Here in Lawrence, work is very slack. Most people work only one or two days a week. When people enter the mill to get a job, the boss says, "There is no work for you." It is bad that the workers' conditions are that way. But that is because the boss wants more profits.

I live on a farm and haven't time to write any more, because all summer we were making hay, and now in the fall we have lots of work too.

**Walter T.
Salem Depot, N. H.**

THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT

This is the house that Jack built.

This is the miner that mined the ore that was used in the house that Jack built.

This is the man that built the road that led to the mine where the ore was mined to be used in the house that Jack built.

This is the man that ran the train that carried the ore that came from the mine and was used in the house that Jack built.

This is the farmer that tills the soil with the machine that was made from the ore that was mined and all for the house that Jack built.

But the man who runs the house that was built by Jack, also owns the mine and owns the works, and owns the machines and owns the trains and also the farm where the farmer works.

But throw him out, without any regret, Out of the house that Jack built!

And then, mine the coal, and carry the ore and till the soil, and run the train, AND LIVE IN THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT!

German Bosses Don't Let Soviet Pioneers Get to "Slot"

By RACHEL HOLTMAN

Moscow, July 25th.

For months, the Pioneers of the Soviet Union were preparing for the International Pioneers "Slot" (Congress), that was going to take place in Halle, Germany. All the children's papers, as well as the grown-up workers, were discussing the "Slot".

Every Pioneer group, from the biggest to the smallest, prepared a report on how it was helping the workers of the Soviet Union build Socialism.

About the First of July, the delegates from all over the Soviet Union came to Moscow. There were 22 delegates. They were the best Pioneers, the most brilliant and developed ones.

Soon news came to Moscow that the

"Slot" in Halle had been forbidden by the police. They did this because Halle is near the city of Mansfeld, where more than 15,000 miners were on strike, and they were afraid that our congress would encourage them.

But the Pioneers knew that the Slot would be held in some other city, so they went on with their preparations. The delegates were having a special course of study. They were learning German, and were practicing to show the Pioneers of the whole world just what the 4,000,000 Russian Pioneers do.

At last came the 11th of July, when the Pioneers were supposed to say their fare-



German Pioneers at Slot

well, and leave for Berlin. The Children's Theater was packed with workers and their children.

The delegates marched in, looking fine in their new uniforms and bandanas. They carried a big banner to give to the German Pioneers. There was a wonderful program, with speeches, music, and songs.

Near the end of the meeting, a comrade of the Comsomols, (Young Communists), mounted the platform, and announced that the German embassy had refused to let the Russian Pioneers go to Germany.

You can't imagine how angry the workers were when they heard this! Everybody was hissing and stamping. Of course, the Pioneer delegates were most disappointed.

Nevertheless, as good Pioneers, they are now going around to all the factories, and acquainting the workers with the problems facing the workers' children in the Soviet Union, and in all the capitalist countries. They have pledged themselves to draw in new members, and to help still more the Russian workers carry out the Five Year Plan!

A VISIT TO A WOOLEN FACTORY

Thursday morning at 10 o'clock a group of us school children were to go to Marcellus. Marcellus is a little town ten miles from Syracuse. My father had told me all about the workers, and how hard they have to work, while the bosses sit idle, enjoying themselves on the profits they squeeze out of the workers. I didn't believe him.

When we arrived at the factory we went to the dyeing room, and there we saw some men raking up the dyed wool into heaps. We then went into a room, and it certainly did smell awful. Maybe some of you have been in a woolen factory and know how stuffy it is there. As we passed through, we saw 10 or 12 women working hard at the machines.

We went into another room, where the machinery made enough noise to make you deaf. I did not like the superintendent

because he is a boss and makes the workers work hard and fast.

I believe everything my father told me now, and I think that every boy or girl and grown-up should fight the boss, our enemy.

Comradely,

Anna B., age 10

Little Bobbie McCracken, age 3, was the boy who was killed. His father, a roofer, could not get a job because he had been burned while working, 5 months ago.

We workers' children must fight against unemployment, that puts our fathers out of work, and keeps us starving!

Unemployed Worker Too Poor To Bury His Child

New York—An unemployed worker here is so poor that he didn't have enough money to bury his little boy when he was killed by an auto in the crowded streets of the city.



The Communist Party Fights For Us! Support It!

Millions of American workers are going to vote on election day in November. Who should they vote for? What party should we, the workers' children support? That is what all of us must be thinking about now.

During the election campaign, the Republicans and the Democrats, come around and make big parties for us. But they are only trying to bribe us, to make us forget that we are workers' children, and must fight for the working class.

Whenever the workers go on strike, or when they demonstrate for Work or Wages, these parties send out the police to smash the heads of the workers. The Democratic Party, which runs New York, sent Harry Eisman and many other workers' children to jail! In other cities, the Republicans do the same.

Socialists Help the Bosses

In Milwaukee, the city where the "Socialists" rule, they have workers' children suspended and expelled from school because they fight for the workers. The "socialists" are just as bad as the others, because they also stand for the bosses!

There is only one Party that we workers' children should support. That Party is the Communist Party of the U. S. A. Why? Because it is only the Communist Party that fights for better conditions for us. The Communists say that all children of the unemployed should get free food, free fare, and free clothing in the schools. The Communist Party fights against child labor, and it demands that more and bet-

ter schools be built for the workers' children!

Support the Party of the Workers
That is why the workers' children must be for the Communist Party. The Young



**Workers' Children have no bread!
Working parents must vote Red!**

Pioneers of America support the election campaign of the Communist Party. The Young Pioneers call upon all workers' and farmers' children to stick up for the Communist Party.

Free food and clothing for the children of the unemployed!
Down with child labor!
Workers' children have no bread!
Working parents must vote Red!

THE CHILD SLAVE

By MAUDE OSBORN HOWATT

I dwell in sunny Dixie land
Down by Georgia's red clay strand.

I toil long hours in a mill,
S othe pangs of hunger I may still.

My shoes are torn, my clothes are rags,
But I help swell THEIR moneybags.

I toil, I toil, I weep, I pine,
That others may wear garments fine.

I'd rather hear the song of birds,
Than listen to the foreman's words.

I'd like to chase gay butterflies,
Or loll in grass and watch the skies.

I'd like to roam in woodlands wild
Altho I'm but a poor man's child

I'd like to frolic in the brooks,
Like children do in story books.

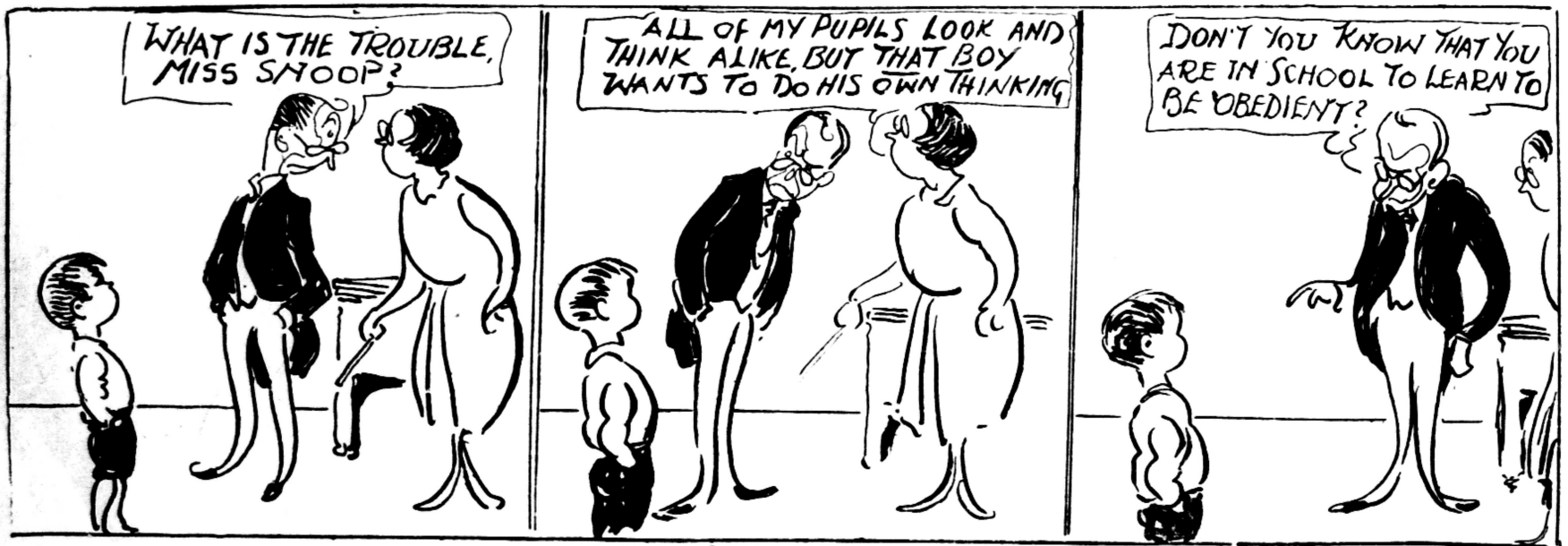
But I must toil amidst the lint ;
For Cotton Lords have hearts of flint.

3 WORKERS' CHILDREN DIE OF POISONED FOOD

Los Angeles, Calif.—Robert E. Lowe, an unemployed worker, spent his last few cents to buy some food for his children. He bought bread, goat's milk, and some meats and berries.

That night, the father and mother went hungry, as long as their children had food. But the next day, 3 out of the 4 children died of poisoning caused by the rotten food that the unemployed worker had to buy for his children!

THE ADVENTURES OF BILLY W ORKER JR.



JUNIOR SPORTS

GIRL JACKS CHAMP HELPS BUILD JUNIOR L. S. U.

By H. SERBY

Not long ago, the New York "World", a bosses' newspaper, ran a jacks tournament for the girls of this city. 15,000 girls took part, and the city finals took place in Central Park.

Mollie Kass, a Brooklyn workers' child, won the tournament, after beating all the other players who remained. A few days later, a couple of us, members of the Junior Section of the Labor Sports Union, went to speak to her. At her house, her mother told us that she was at the park.

At the park, the teacher looked us over, went into another room, and spoke to the other teachers. Finally she decided that we could speak to Molly.

When Molly came out, she told us about the whole tournament. But when we asked her why the tournament was run, she didn't know why. So we told her.

25 cents had been collected from 15,000 children, or nearly \$4,000. For this, the "World" gave out 3 medals. That is why the "World" held this tournament.

She told us that on the following week, a dance and festival of 1200 children would be held in Prospect Park. Each child had to pay \$1 to rent a costume for one day. This means \$1200 for the Dep't of Parks.

After Molly told us about these things, we spoke to her about the Junior Section of the L.S.U. She said she would be glad to help organize a jacks club of the Juniors.

Our Street Racing Meet in Coney Island

In Coney Island, N. Y., we gave out 75 Street Race Meet calls. Fifty five came to 24th Street to see the races. About 20 took part in the races and they were real exciting. After the races we played a game of punch ball between the Midgets and Juniors of the Superior A. C.

The captain of the Midgets and especially the Juniors helped the Leader hold the meet. Before we started the races one of our members ran home, brought down his camera and we snapped pictures of the races.



Toeing the Mark!

Three boys entered the Junior events in the Eastern District Championship Meet but could not come down. They had to sell confetti at the Mardi Gras in Coney Island.

But they are going to enter the next Junior Swim meet to be held indoors. They say anybody who wants to beat them will have to be faster than fish.

German Workers Vote For Communists

A lot of you comrades must have read in the papers about the elections that took place in Germany on Sept. 14. There were many parties in this election, but only one party, the Communist Party, was really fighting for the workers.

4,500,000 German workers voted for the Communist Party, because they know that the Communist Party fights for better conditions, higher wages, and a Soviet Germany.

Socialists and Fascists Murder Workers

The "Socialists" in Germany used to be strong, but now the workers are leaving them, because they see that the "Socialists" are the servants of the bosses. On May 1st, 1929, the "Socialist" Chief of Police of Berlin, Zoergeibel, ordered the police to shoot down the demonstrating workers, and 32 were killed.

The Fascist Party, that the bosses use to murder workers, also gained a lot in strength. They grew strong because the bosses will use them to defeat the workers and the Communist Party.

Red Berlin Leads Way

The Communist Party is now the strongest Party in Berlin, where the C. P. got nearly 750,000 votes. The C. P. has 76 seats in the Reichstag, (Congress), and it is the 3rd strongest party in Germany.

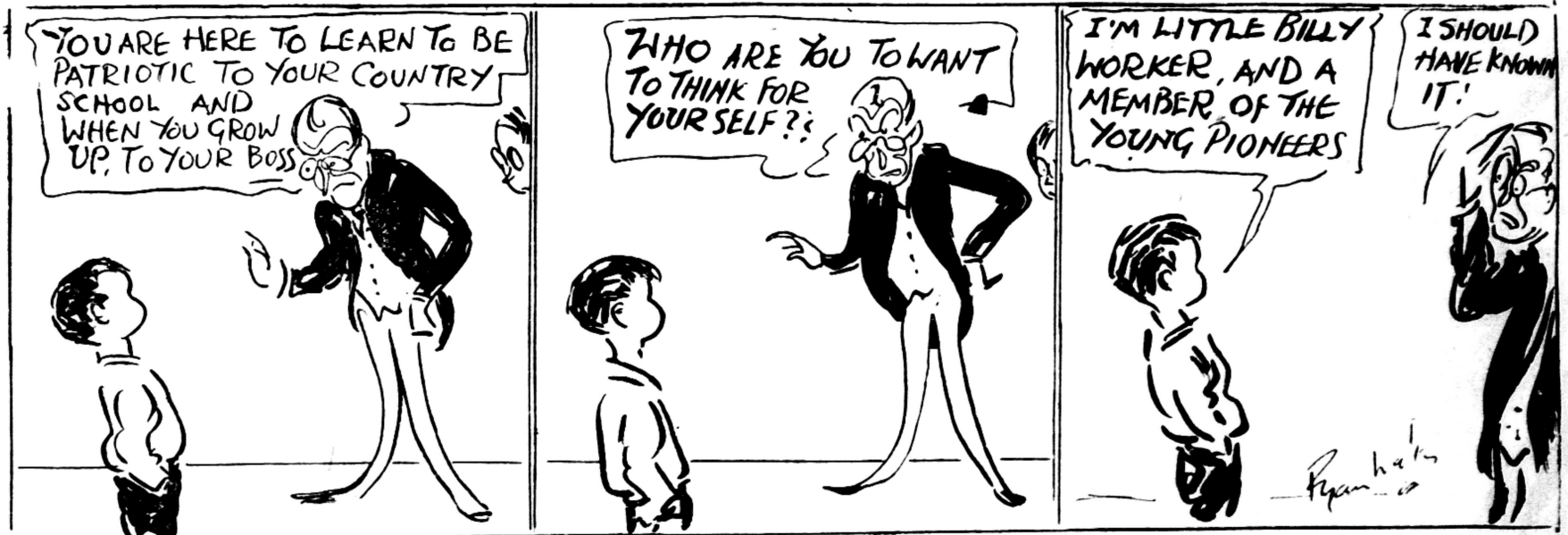
The Jung Spartakus Bund, or the German Pioneers, helped the Communist Party. Thousands of workers' children took part in all the huge demonstrations that the Party called.

Hurrah for the Communist Party of Germany!

Long Live the German Pioneers and workers' children!

THE FIRST DAY IN SCHOOL

—BY RYAN WALKER



ELLA MAY WIGGINS

By SADIE VAN VEEN

On a little farm in North Carolina, at the end of a fall day, a woman stood with a baby in her arms. Around her skirts several children were playing. She was standing near the road pale and tired after a long days work, waiting for her husband to return from the city, where he had gone to get a loan. As he came up the road, she could read in his dejected manner that he had not succeeded, and that the whole family would be compelled to move to the city, where, they said, work could be gotten in the mills.

He shook his head as he saw his wife's anxious face. He came up to her, and they all went into the little shack, which had been their home for a long time. They ate their poor meal of molasses, corn bread and skimmed milk. Their fate was settled. To the mills and the city. That was the only thing left.

In The Mill Village

So it was that a week later, father, mother, and the six little children found themselves in a little shack in a mill town. The father found work in a textile mill, and the mother tried to feed the family on his wages, which were very small. But it was no use. After a year of hard, bitter work, twelve hours a day, without enough earned to keep all the children alive, the father, already worn thin by a lifetime of toil, took sick. He went to bed and could not get up again. The mill and slow starvation had got him. Not long afterwards, he died.

In the meantime, the mother had been forced to take his place in the mill, to keep the children from starving. Now she had no time for grief, but she did a lot of thinking. What did she think about?

She thought to herself, "Here in the Carolina mills, there are thousands of men and women workers like me, all facing a slow death because of overwork and poor food. There are thousands of children like mine, pale and hungry."

She knew that the owners of the mills were rich and powerful men, who did not work in the mills, but who had everything they wanted, and could do as they pleased.

She thought of all this as she slaved to keep her children alive. About this time she heard talk about organizing all the workers into a union, to fight for better wages and shorter hours.

The Workers Strike!

One day, like a thunderbolt, came the announcement by the greedy mill boss that the wages were going to be cut fifteen percent. When the mother hear this, a hard

light came into her eyes, and she clenched her fists.

"Working men and women", she cried out to a group of workers that came together that night after work. "Are we goin to stand for this? The bosses are rich, and now they want to get richer, by cutting down on our food. What about our children? They are always hungry. My husband died from the mill work and starvation. There are thousands of us; let's fight and strike for our rights. What else can



ELLA MAY WIGGINS

we do? Come on, fellow workers, Strike!"

The organizer of the union, the great new National Textile Workers Union that was to organize all the textile workers everywhere, grasped her hand. "If you are with us, Ella May," he said, "with such a spirit we must win!"

The strike was on. There was a long picket line, stretching for blocks around the big, dark mills, every morning. The bosses were furious. They got the police to beat and jail the strikers. But the strikers were solid. Men, women, and even the little children who slaved in the mills, fought back against the cops and gunmen.

The mill bosses threw them out of their homes, because the whole town belonged to them. The strikers put up tents and lived in them. Other workers throughout the country heard about the strike, and sent them food.

The strikers stored his food in a store that they built. One night, the bosses sent a gang of men, and they smashed the whole store, and spilled all the food into the street.

The Workers Defend Themselves

From that time on, the workers were on their guard. Every night, a couple of

them would stay up all night with guns, to protect the lives of the strikers and their children. Then, one night, the police came again. They were drunk. They wanted to kill all the strikers. But the workers were ready, and stopped them.

There was a battle between the police and the strikes. When the smoke cleared away, one of the policemen lay dead.

It is too long a story to tell what the courts did and what lies were told by the gunmen of the mill bosses, in the hope of sending the leaders of the strikers to burn to death in the electric chair.

The Union had called a meeting in South Gastonia, at which mill workers from many nearby cities would be present. The workers were going to protest against the arrest of their leaders, whom the bosses wanted to kill in the "chair."

Ella May Goes to the Meeting

"Are you going to that meeting, Ella?" asked her neighbor, old Mrs. Jones. "You know, Manville-Jenckes, the boss, has got a big gang organized to stop the meeting, and shoot anybody who'll be there."

"Sure, I'm goin'," said Ella May. "All Manville-Jenckes gangsters can't stop us workers when we're organized! Mrs. Jones, I wonder if you can take care of my kiddies while I'm away?"

"Yes, surely, I'll take care of them," said Mrs. Jones. "Take care of yourself, Ella!"

That afternoon she climbed into a truck with a group of strikers and started off to the meeting.

On the way, they sang one of the songs that Ella May had written for the strikers:

**"We have our home in the morning,
We kiss our children good-bye,
While we slave for the bosses,
Our children scream and cry."**

Just a little song, but full of the strong spirit of this working mother. It was the last time that Ella May was to sing.

At the crossroads, they came face to face with the gunmen of the bosses, who wanted to prevent the workers from meeting. A shot was fired, and Ella May fell dead.

She died, and six little children were left motherless. The textile workers had lost one of their greatest fighters. The mill owners were afraid of Ella May, and so they had her shot. Of course, they pretended to look for the man who shot her. Everyone had seen who did it. But the same courts that sent the strikers to many years in jail now allowed the murderer of Ella May to go free.

Ella May Wiggins is dead. But the workers and their children will never forget her. She was a hero, who went into battle for higher wages, so that workers' children would not die of starvation!

nd strike for our rights. What else ca



ELLA MAY WIGGINS



FROM PIONEERS IN OTHER LANDS

Soviet Pioneers Help 5 Year Plan

Dear Comrade Pioneers of U. S. A., Stand Ready!

We send to you our flaming greetings. We do not know your life and therefore would like to communicate with you. We shall particularly describe to you the life of Pioneers in the Soviet Union. We know, comrades, that in your country exists a bosses' government, and that you have to fight against capitalist enemies.

However, we live in Soviet Union and our purpose is to help you.

We hear that you have many bourgeois teachers who laugh at you and interfere with your Pioneer work. In our country it is different, our working class teachers help us in in our pioneer work, and educate us in a working class spirit. We have many interesting circles where our teachers and League members help us. The most interesting one is that of the Freethinkers—the Godless—where we learn how preachers with the help of religion always mislead the uneducated people. We also have an agronomy circle where we study everything about farming. Our factories need raw material and we take an active part in collecting used paper and metal. We also have our school cooperatives which supply us with everything we need and help us with our school work.

The entire county mourned in January, at the sixth memorial of our beloved leader, teacher and father of the proletariat—Vladimir Ilyich Lenin.

Dear comrades, we send our letter hoping that you shall answer immediately.

For the Cause of the Working Class, **STAND READY!**

Pioneer Group Semiletnej School
Kharkov, Ukraine, U.S.S.R.

To Our Comrade Pioneers in the U.S.A.:
Dear Comrades:

We, the Pioneers of the 26th Detachment, school 1, members of the "Tenth October" class, thank you for your letter, and send you our answer.

Our detachment was organized in 1928, and now we have 104 Pioneers, mostly workers' children. We are facing great tasks: First, we doubled our membership. Then we got ready for the sowing campaign; we visited a village and organized the children, we went there with a "living newspaper", then we collected mineral fertilizer, or ashes.

In the spring we got ready for the camp, where we live all summer. When we came back, we were busy with the first Pioneer Convention. Then we fulfilled our pledges of the conference; we organized 2 more detachments in schools, each one containing 80 Pioneers. Our groups also take part in the Five Year Plan.

Then, the next spring, we once more got ready for the sowing campaign and the camp life.

Please write to us how you get new members, and how we could help you in that respect. Tell us about your methods of organization, and your school-life. We are sending you pictures of the Pioneer convention, and will soon send you Pioneer newspapers and magazines.

We are all studying Esperanto and will be able to write to you without any help.

Comradely yours,

Grjaznova Yerusev Nina Lebedeva

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Voznesensk, U.S.S.R.

WE ARE BACK TO FIGHT

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to leave when vacation time started. The schools that we workers' children have to go to are very overcrowded. Sometimes two of us have to sit in a seat. Many schools are dark and dirty. In some cities the schools are real fire-traps, where our lives are in constant danger.

When we go to school in the morning, many of us are hungry, and haven't even got decent clothes to wear, because our fathers are out of work.

They Poison Our Minds

How about the teachings in the schools? They are just the same as always this year. The teachers are going to tell us again, that the workers who strike are lazy and don't want to work.

They are training us right now, so that when we get out of school and go to work, we will be willing slaves of the bosses.

"Be good, patriotic, loyal citizens", is what they tell us in the school. But they "forget" to say, "So that you'll be able to be good soldiers and fight for the money-bags of the bosses."

But we will show them that we aren't going to stand for these rotten conditions. We aren't going to stand for the anti-working class poison they teach us in the schools.

Organize and Fight

The Young Pioneers of America have already started the fight for better conditions, for more and better schools, for free food and clothing for the children of the unemployed! The workers' children in Cleveland, Ohio, demonstrated on International Youth Day in front of the City Hall, demanding that all workers' children be given free books and supplies by the schools. In many other cities, we have to pay for all our school supplies, and we too must start to fight for free books.

There is only one organization that is fighting for our demands. That organization is the Young Pioneers! Join with the Pioneers in the fight for better school conditions!

Free food and clothing for the children of the unemployed!

Free school supplies.

Join the Young Pioneers!

Young Pioneer, 43 E. 125th St., N. Y.

Dear Comrades:

Enclosed please find \$.35 for one years subscription to the Young Pioneer, the paper for workers' and farmers' children.

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Preis 50 h.

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Wir trommeln wieder

A German Pioneer paper, Red Drummer, after it was by the banned by the bosses.

Next Month--Young Pioneer 7 Years Old

L A F F S

Dear readers of the Young Pioneer:

How many of you comrades realize that next month, November, will be the 7th birthday of our paper, the YOUNG PIONEER. Next month, the official paper of the Young Pioneers of America, will be a year older!

For seven whole years now, the YOUNG PIONEER has been fighting for us. The YOUNG PIONEER is our paper, and it always fights for the workers' children.

Now that school has started again, millions of children have to go to rotten schools, and hear all the poison against the workers that the teachers teach us.

The bosses and their newspapers don't care about us. They don't care how we live, as long as they are rich, and have all good things.

A Paper That's Really OURS!

But there is a paper for workers' children that cares about our conditions. This paper is the YOUNG PIONEER. The PIONEER always sticks up for us. It is always faithful to us, the workers' children, and not to the bosses, like the other newspapers.

That is the reason why the workers' children have supported our paper. And that is why all of you comrades must support the PIONEER now.

Our November issue will be a special 16 page 7th birthday number. It will be lots better than even this issue, and it will have more picture, stories, and other things that you like to see in the paper.

You Must Help Us!

But comrades, we won't be able to make the YOUNG PIONEER a 16 page paper,

unless YOU will help us. Remember, we haven't got any rich men who help us out. Only the poor workers and the workers' children help us. And we want you to do your bit!



Sell and spread the 7th Birthday issue

If you want to have this special issue, you must start work right now! Collect money! Send in a subscription for the Young Pioneer. The price is 35 cents a year. Get your friends and school-mates to read and subscribe to the Young Pioneer. Write to us, and we'll send you collection lists, so that all of us will be able to work our hardest to make the 7th birthday issue of our paper a big success!

the South! Down with the lynchers!

Negro and white workers' children! Join the Young Pioneers of America!

Visitor at a mine: Poor man, it must be terribly hard work. I suppose you will be glad when you can retire.

Miner: No Ma'am, I ain't ready to die yet.

A woman loaded with parcels entered a butcher shop. After making her purchase, she tried to take out the money to pay for it. After trying a few times, she finally succeeded in taking out a coin with her teeth.

Butcher: Say, Ma'am, don't do that, it's full of germs.

Woman: Doncha worry, my man, the wages my husband earns, even a germ couldn't live on.

Sunday school teacher: In which one of his great battles was King Saul slain, Willie?

Willie: Why—er—in his last one, ma'am.

"You know, Bill, our boss is such a wonder in his work. He just throws himself into everything he comes to."

"Well, I wish the dumbell would go hunting for a well or a volcano crater."

First Pioneer: Why does the Statue of Liberty stand in the water?

Second Pioneer: There's no room for it on land.

Send your jokes to the Laffs Editor, "Y. P.", 43 E. 125th St., N. Y.

Send all letters and money to the Young Pioneer, 43 E. 125th St., New York, N. Y.

Hail the 7th anniversary of the Young Pioneer!

On to the 7th birthday issue next month!

DOWN WITH LYNCHING!

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the South, is beginning to wake up, and is recognizing his enemy, the boss class, And he is beginning to fight against them.

The bosses lynch the Negro workers as a way of scaring them and preventing them from organizing together with their white fellow-workers.

In Atlanta, Ga., the bosses are trying to lynch 6 workers. But this time they are using their courts and judges to do it. These six workers, among them 2 Negroes and 2 women, were organizing the workers of the South, both Negro and white, into the militant unions, to fight for better conditions and against lynching.

The workers' children of the whole country must protest against the bosses who are trying to murder our comrades in

PUZZLE PASTER



Cut out the parts and make a picture of them. Send the answer to the "Y. P.", 43 East 125th St., N. Y. Win a Prize!



Above is the solution to the jigsaw puzzle. I printed it out, cut the pieces up, put them together, then scanned the solution. As noted previously, I find it curious that thousands of dollars worth of 21st century digital imaging technology was employed to acquire and then present to you the solved puzzle, but when actually doing the puzzle I used exactly the same means (scissors and paper) used by children in 1930, roughly 75 years ago.

Note that in this case, after solving the puzzle I made some very minor enhancements to the image, to slightly attempt to compensate for the over-exposure in my original scan of this puzzle from the microfilm record.

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Brooklyn NY, September, 2014