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# HITLER REPORTED IMPRISONED

# MISLEADERS CALL OFF FRISCO GENERAL STRIKE

## Marine Workers Stay Out For Their Demands

### Militants on Strike Committee To Demand That Rank and File Vote on Ending of the Strike

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—Reactionary union leaders stabbed the Frisco general strike in the back today by voting on a resolution calling off the sympathy strike in support of the maritime workers.

Reactionary union leaders worked at a furious speed to call off the general strike and betray the strike of the maritime workers.

A resolution calling for the formal ending of the strike was worked up by Mr. Vandeleur, head of the Frisco Labor Council, and presented for a vote before the strike committee this afternoon.

The only thing that can halt the betrayal of the strike now is the action of the rank and file. Reactionary union leaders have packed the committee.

Militant members of the committee and the rank and file of various locals will demand that the question of ending the strike will be decided by a vote of the rank and file of all unions.

Mr. Vandeleur was successful in making the first breach in the strike front by arranging for the street carmen to return to work. A meeting has been called of all employees of the Key System who operate electric trains and ferry boats on Frisco Bay to vote on the question of returning to work.

Marine Workers to Stay Out  
Workers in the maritime unions have indicated that if the reactionary labor officials are successful in herding other union members back to work, they will continue their fight for their three demands.

Portland Considers Walkout  
Meanwhile Portland labor unions were considering a general walkout in support of the maritime workers. The rapid retreat of the labor misleaders follows close on the heels of a terror reign launched all along the strike front by bands of vigilantes

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## Green Dodges Frisco at AFL Wis. State Meet

### Makes Evasive Attack On Workers' Social Insurance Bill

(Special to the Daily Worker)

RACINE, Wis., July 19.—Four hundred delegates at the 42nd Convention of the Wisconsin Federation of Labor yesterday, heard William Green, president of the A. F. of L., all but admit his treachery to the workingclass.

Green entered during the reading of a resolution, and almost as he put his foot on the stage a rank and file resolution endorsing the Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill, HR 7598, was read followed by over a dozen names of the delegates of eight different locals introducing it.

A resolution of the rank and file workers demanding all war funds be used for unemployment relief, and calling for the endorsement of the Congress against War and Fascism in Chicago was read, as well as another resolution endorsing HR 7598. Green noticeably restless during the reading of these resolutions, obviously not knowing what to make of them.

Does Not Mention Frisco  
In his speech not once did he utter the word San Francisco, though the delegates were anxiously awaiting his statement on the general strike. However, as they filed from the hall at the close of the session, they read in the local capitalist paper what Green had not dared to say at the Convention. To the press he had said:

"The strike at San Francisco is strictly local in character and possesses no national significance."

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## Workers! Stand By Your Party, The Communist Party!

AN EDITORIAL

IN DESPERATION at the general strike of the San Francisco workers and at the pressure of the workers to extend the strike to all the Pacific ports to win their demands, the State power of the capitalist class has launched a campaign of savage terror against the Communist Party. Hysterical incitements, raids, arrests, beatings, and threats of deportation are the order of the day in California.

The hand of terror that is now showing itself in California is the hand of the government that is rapidly being fascized. The terror let loose in San Francisco came when the cue was given by Roosevelt's N. R. A. administrator, General Johnson, who declared the general strike a "bloody insurrection".

It came precisely at the moment when the reactionary bureaucrats of the American Federation of Labor decided to stab the general strike in the back. The strike-breaking action of the local, State, and Federal governments represents an act of collusion with the Greens, who came out with the treacherous declaration that the general strike was "not authorized"; with the Vandeleurs and the other reactionary top leaders of the San Francisco unions who decided to strangle the strike by adopting a resolution to end the strike and leave the issues at the mercy of arbitrators.

Why is the government launching its capitalist terror against the Communist Party at this moment?

The capitalist class is employing its State power to rob the workers of their militant leadership, to isolate the Communists. The attack on the Communist Party is the first step to smash all working class organizations.

The attack is being directed against the Communist Party, because it is the advance guard of the working class, because it is the leader of the workers' struggles against the company unionizing, strike-breaking N. R. A., because the Communist Party leads in the struggle

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## Socialists, AFL Men Join United Front Meet Today To Back Frisco Strike

### United Front Committee Lists Norman Thomas, and Central Labor Union Head among speakers at Camden

CAMDEN, N. J.—A united front demonstration in support of the San Francisco strike protesting against the terror will take place in Camden, New Jersey, at the Court House Plaza Broadway and Federal Streets, Friday, July 20, 8 p.m., under the auspices of the United Committee of Camden Organizations for Support of the West Coast Strike, which includes the Central Labor Union of Camden; the Ship Building and Marine Workers Industrial Union, an independent union; many other trade unions, the Communist Party and the Socialist Party of Camden.

The speakers of the meeting will be J. Green, vice-president of the Ship Building and Marine Workers Industrial Union; Holloper, president of the Central Labor Union of Camden; Ernest R. Lewis, president of the United Building Trades Council; Norman Thomas, of the Socialist Party; and A. W. Mills, District Organizer of the Communist Party, Philadelphia district.

The organization of the united front demonstration of American

Federation of Labor organizations and Communist and Socialist Parties of Camden, N. J., shows that the masses of the American workers are pressing forward to the establishment of the broadest united front against the growing attacks on the living standards and especially against the growing menace of fascist terror as evidenced on the West Coast and the San Francisco strike.

All workers will be heartened by even this small step taken by the workers of Camden for the establishment of the united action against their common enemies, against the bosses' attacks. We urge all workers' organizations everywhere to fall in line to organize united mass demonstrations in connection with the San Francisco events, to protest against the brutal terror being used in breaking the strike, to fight for the rights of the workers, to defend all victims of the bosses' brutal attacks, to defend the rights of the existence of the Communist Party.

## San Quentin Warden Refuses to Deliver Wire From "Daily" to Tom Mooney on Coast Strike

NEW YORK.—A brusque and indignant refusal to turn over a telegram sent by the Daily Worker to Tom Mooney and J. B. McNamara requesting these famous labor prisoners to comment on the Pacific Coast strike is contained in a wire received by the "Daily" from James B. Holohan, warden of San Quentin penitentiary in California.

The Daily Worker had sent the following telegram to Mooney:

"The labor movement throughout the whole country would like to know your reaction to the glorious General Strike now going on. We feel that the strike and the labor movement now growing up in the struggle are what you have fought for and what you have gone to prison for. The open-shoppers fighting the strikers are those who are behind your framing and continued imprisonment. Your attitude on the strike will therefore be of the greatest interest to workers everywhere. Will you favor us with a statement? Wire collect."

"With warmest greetings," "THE DAILY WORKER."

At the same time the "Daily" dispatched a telegram to J. B. Mc-

Namara, who has been in San Quentin since 1911 following the labor war in Los Angeles:

"As a worker who has gone to

## MORGAN INTERESTS GET CABLE OF NAZI CHIEF'S ARREST BY VON PAPEN

### Code to Manager of General Motors Corporation Tells of Ousting by Vice Chancellor--Stocks Tumble in Heavy Trading On Word of Turmoil in Germany--Secrecy Shrouds Events



ADOLF HITLER



FRENZ VON PAPEN

NEW YORK.—J. P. Morgan & Co. interests here, through James D. Mooney, General Manager of the General Motors Corporation, have just received a code cable from their Berlin representatives which reads as follows:

"HITLER ARRESTED BY VON PAPEN. HELD INCOMMUNICADO. SITUATION BAD. GERMANY IN TURMOIL."

The General Motors Corporation has been in constant contact with German fascist officials, having the closest tie-up with the Hitler regime, and the von Papen forces, through the Adam Opel, A. G. automobile factory at Russelsheim, Germany, which is manufacturing army tanks for the Nazis.

Officers of the General Motors Corporation on receipt of this news were extremely worried over their huge interests in Germany on the reported arrest of Hitler.

Fritz Opel, one of the Morgan officials in the General Motors Corporation subsidiary in Germany, is one of the most important mainstays of the Hitler government.

Two official denials have been issued by Havas, French news agency here declaring that the rumors of a coup d'etat in Germany are false. "Rumors that there was a coup d'etat either for or against von Papen, are officially denied by Nazi officials. Everything calm in Berlin," declares this agency. "A categorical denial that there has been a coup d'etat is made by reliable sources."

However, it was uncontradicted that the Nazi official who assassinated von Bose, von Papen's secretary in the butchery of June 30th, was executed. It was not stated who did the executing.

But this agency admits that new wholesale slaughters are going on in Germany, while denying the coup d'etat.

The Morgan interests are heavily interested in the Hitler regime not only through the General Motors Corporation, but through the General Electric monopoly in Germany. The General Electric, another of the J. P. Morgan concerns, owns the International General Electric Corporation, which, together with Thyssen, the chief backer of Hitler, controls the firm of Osram, which produces the greatest amount of electric equipment in Germany.

Junius Morgan, son of J. P. Morgan, is one of the directors of the General Motors and the Opel Works in Germany.

The Wall Street Journal, which has also received the information but has failed to reveal the source, as the Daily Worker does in this story, has cabled to Berlin querying the authenticity of the rumors.

The reply is that "though there have been some in-

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## Plan Detroit County-Wide Relief Strike August 2 Conference To Take Strike Action

### 3 Workers Arrested in Philadelphia Demanding Freedom of Thaelmann

By A. B. MAGIL (Special to the Daily Worker)

DETROIT, July 19.—Preparation of a county-wide strike of relief workers and a drive to build the Relief Workers Protective Association were decided on at an enthusiastic conference last night in Danish Brotherhood Hall, Forest Avenue. The conference was attended by about a hundred delegates from various relief projects.

The conference was held only a few hours after a splendid demonstration of 2,500 workers at the County Welfare Building, where the workers had fought militantly against the attacks of mounted and foot police.

One worker, Sam Katz, was badly

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(Special to the Daily Worker)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 19.—Three members of a United Front delegation from Lancaster, York, and Lebanon counties were arrested at the German consulate here today, when they insisted on seeing the Consul. The rest of the delegation escaped arrest only by mixing in the huge crowd attracted by pickets in front of the consulate.

Representatives of the Furniture Workers Union, Relief Workers Union, Unemployed Council, and International Labor Defense were denied access to the Consul. They insisted and his secretary called the police and ordered their arrest. Jennie Cooper, Section Organizer of the Communist Party in Lancaster,

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now going on will be of tremendous interest to workers everywhere. Could you send us a statement. Wire us collect.

"With warmest greetings," "THE DAILY WORKER."

Falling to get an immediate response to the wires, the Daily Worker queried the Western Union office in San Raphael, Cal., and received the following reply:

"Your two messages to Mooney and McNamara delivered to Mr. Jennings at the prison immediately upon receipt. We can trace the matter no further. It in the judgment of the prison officials the messages should not be delivered, they will be filed."

Whereupon the Daily Worker wired to the San Quentin warden as follows:

"San Raphael telegraph office notifies us that our telegrams of yesterday have been delivered to you. Since no answer has been received from Tom Mooney and J. B. McNamara, to whom our wires were addressed, we assume that the wires have been kept by you. We insist upon transmission of our wires to the parties

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Tom Mooney faces Warden J. B. Holohan of San Quentin. Photo taken when Holohan informed the framed-up labor prisoner that the late Gov. Rolph had once again refused to free him.

## Workers Massed in Union Square Roar Solidarity With Coast Strike

NEW YORK.—As the Daily Worker goes to press 10,000 workers are massed in Union Square in a spirited demonstration of solidarity with the West Coast strikers. Scores of placards proclaimed the militant support of New York's working class with the embattled longshoremen, teamsters and workers of scores of other trades fighting the San Francisco bosses for the right to organize and live.

At 5:30, an hour after the demonstration had been under way, workers were still entering the square under a blazing late afternoon sun that failed to wilt their enthusiasm.

A long telegram, addressed to the General Strike Committee, and one to the Marine Strike Committee proposed for the adoption of the meeting, were greeted with thunderous, unanimous "Ayes."

"We recognize," the telegram said, "that your great strike is being fought in behalf of the interests of labor. . . . Our meeting in Union Square goes squarely on record against the efforts to smash your heroic strike made by some reactionary American Federation of Labor officials in railroading through the vote for arbitration and in abjectly and completely surrendering the demands of the ma-

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# HERNDON Must Be SAVED, Says I. W. O.

**THE International Workers' Order calls upon all its branches, members, City and District Committees to lend the full weight of their support to the campaign to save Angelo Herndon from the chain-gang, and to save from execution the nine Scottsboro boys.**

The members of our Order must recognize in the danger now facing these prisoners of the class war, the danger facing our organization in the South, a danger shared by all members of working-class organizations. The workers who join a fraternal organization with the aim of solving some of their problems, know that such membership does not solve all of their problems.

The struggles of the workers for the right to organize, for higher wages and better conditions, against the system of lynch terror used to divide the working masses of the South, are also the struggles of the members of our Order. They must lend their support to those militant fighters such as Angelo Herndon, who fall victims to capitalist class justice. They must lend their support to such innocent victims of the vicious lynch system as the Scottsboro boys.

Unless \$15,000 in cash and liberty bonds is raised for his bail by AUG. 8, Angelo Herndon will be sent to the chain-gang, truly a fate worse than death, as Comrade Browder has stated. Unless substantial sums of money are raised, and raised quickly, the Scottsboro boys, already tortured for three years and saved from the electric chair only by the mass pressure of the working class, will be legally lynched. An additional \$15,000 is needed for the Scottsboro and Herndon appeals to the U. S. Supreme Court.

It is the duty of every branch of the Order to raise as many of these dollars as possible. It is the duty of every member of the Order to show its solidarity with his class brothers, Angelo Herndon and the Scottsboro boys.

Only 15 days are left to raise the \$15,000 cash and Liberty Bonds for Herndon's bail. Certificates guaranteeing the return of all loans for this purpose are being issued by the I. W. O.

Rush all funds to the National Office of the International Labor Defense, Room 430, 80 E. 11th St., New York City.

(Signed)  
NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS' ORDER.

**Harlem Council Special Meeting Today at 10 a.m.**

**NEW YORK.**—All unemployed workers, all workers receiving Home Relief and work relief are urged to attend a special meeting today at 10 A. M. at the Harlem Unemployment Council, 109 W. 133rd St. The meeting will arrange a protest demonstration against the murder of Winnie Williams, Negro unemployed worker and San Arsentini who were shot down by Cleveland police in the Prospect relief station Friday, July 13.

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# Perkins Promises Frisco Bosses Aid in Fight on Strikers

Assures Merriam She Will Cooperate in Deportation

(Daily Worker Washington Bureau)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 19.—Assuring Governor Merriam of California co-operation in deporting non-citizen strikers, Francis Perkins, Secretary of Labor, openly joined the forces of strike-breaking yesterday.

Miss Perkins has been given considerable publicity recently in the press throughout the country praising her alleged policy of "humanity" in the administration immigration laws.

It will be recalled by readers of the Daily Worker that mass pressure forced Miss Perkins to quash the deportation warrant against Frank Borah. This indicates that the Labor Department is only willing to "humanize" after arrests under immigration laws have done all possible damage to the strike.

**Chicago Workers To Mass Against Cops' Jim-Crowism To Protest Arrests for Mass Violation of Jim-Crowism**

(Daily Worker Midwest Bureau)

CHICAGO, July 18.—South Side youth will mass in Washington Park Friday, July 20, in a protest demonstration against terror and growing fascism in America.

Mass resentment against the arrests of workers attending peaceful beach parties of Negro and white workers in Jackson Park is running high, and a large crowd is expected to demonstrate.

The defense of workers arrested in Jackson Park and the continued fight for the release of Angelo Herndon and the Scottsboro boys will be discussed.

Claude Lightfoot, Section Organizer of the Young Communist League and Communist candidate for State Assembly, will be the main speaker.

The demonstration will also rally workers for the great Beach Parade against jim-crowism which will take place, starting at Washington Park, Sunday, July 29.

## RED BUILDER TALES



55 Red Builders are selling the "Daily." 200 are needed! Apply 35 E. 12th St. (store).

## Hitler Reported Imprisoned

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stances of killings and sabotage," it has not been on a wide scale.

The Nazi officials, just as they did on June 30th, also deny that there have been wholesale killings of political prisoners.

**Danger for Thaelmann**  
The admission, however, that "there have been instances of killings," raises the greatest danger confronting Ernst Thaelmann, imprisoned leader of the Communist Party of Germany now in the Moabit Prison.

The Wall Street Journal was further informed by its Berlin correspondents that Hitler took a plane for the South of Germany for a "vacation."

Confirmation of the General Motors Corporation reports is seen in the steadily growing weaknesses in prices and heavy unloading of stocks and commodities on the New York Stock Exchange. It was admitted in the stock market that "uneasy reports from Germany" are the cause of the drop in the market, especially of German stocks and bonds.

Johannes Steel, special writer for the New York Post, declares that he has received a special cable from sources in Germany showing imminent civil war. He further declares:

"In the meantime, last-minute cable information indicates that Communist agitation is finding excellent breeding ground and spreading like wildfire. In Hamburg, particularly, the situation is such that civil war seems unavoidable.

"Last week the municipality of Hamburg found it impossible to pay the dole out completely and forced the unemployed to take 60 per cent of the usual amount, with the result that in that week approximately 40,000 copies of the Hamburg Volkszeitung, organ of the United Left Wing Opposition Front were almost openly distributed.

"In the workers' suburbs of Berlin, secret activity goes on day and night. Every day tens of thousands of Soviet stars are showered from the top of high houses and department stores into the street. The perpetrators are never caught, while these and other activities fray the nerves of the harassed authorities.

"In every factory, every department store, wherever ten men work together, there is revolutionary activity. The secret police, admittedly, cannot cope with it, and infected by Goering's persecution mania, they are running amok and shoot to kill at the slightest provocation of suspicion.

"Goering's 'state of health' is growing from bad to worse. Four drug injections a day are the secret of his effervescence. He needs them absolutely, 'in order to keep going.' Since he knows that it is likely that he may survive Hitler politically, he is keeping his tailor busy. He has eighty uniforms by today. His latest 'creation' is a white silk taffeta aviator's uniform."

## Bill Green Ignores Masses At Square 'Frisco At Racine Hail 'Frisco Strike

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adopted a resolution pledging support to the strike and calling it a "glorious inspiration" to the American working class.

Further Green states: "Their (the coast strikers) representatives ordered the strike and must accept full responsibility for this action."

The American Federation of Labor, he said, neither ordered the strike nor authorized it.

Ballyho's La Follette  
The main purpose of his speech in the afternoon was to ballyho Senator Robert La Follette, the Wisconsin Progressive. For fifteen minutes he praised the "sterling qualities of this illustrious champion of labor." The Progressive Party is responsible for the sham Groves "unemployment insurance" law.

Green's uneasiness in the face of the tenor of the resolutions was shown by the fact that he spent twenty minutes defending himself, saying that some people had accused him of betraying labor. He added that if he made as much money as he was accused of, he would have retired by now. Shades of Morgan, Rockefeller and Mellon—the crowning touch came when he said that if these accusations were true, then he should offer his resignation, that there was no place for a traitor in the American labor movement. There was a noticeable amount of disapproval among the delegates over many things he said and applause came only when he mentioned the right to strike and used militant phrases in an effort to create the illusion that he was a fighter.

Referring to unemployment insurance, he tried in an under-hand way to strike at the workers bill, by saying there were certain people especially those "with a new political philosophy" who wanted an impossible and unconstitutional form of unemployment insurance. Only alternative he had to offer to the workers bill, was advice to wait for the much-touted Roosevelt social legislation, which like the NRA, is to bring the millennium in the sweet bye and bye.

Twenty thousand new readers by Sept. 1st means 20,000 additional recruits for organized class struggle.

## The Best Antidote!



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## Workers Bookshops Of N.Y. to Aid Raided Bookstore in Frisco

NEW YORK.—The stock of the San Francisco Workers Book Shop, destroyed on Tuesday in the fascist raids on all militant organizations supporting the general strike, will be replenished in part by the help of the New York Workers Book Shop which has announced that it will give 15 per cent of its sales total in the next ten days for this purpose.

The Workers Book Shop at 50 E. 13th St. will be joined in this effort by the book shops at 369 Sutter Ave., Brooklyn; 4012 Eighth Ave., Brooklyn; 699 Prospect Ave., Bronx; 80 Fifth Ave., 799 Broadway, and 27 Hudson St., Yonkers.

## ILD Launches Fight Against Coast Terror

Gallagher and Goodman To Defend Frisco Strike Prisoners

SAN FRANCISCO.—Leo Gallagher, California attorney for the International Labor Defense, left Los Angeles for San Francisco yesterday to direct legal action in the nation-wide protest being inaugurated by his organization against the mass terror used by San Francisco bosses and their government in their efforts to break the general strike.

Gallagher will be met in San Francisco by Irving Goodman, Portland I.L.D. attorney, and by James Carter and Chester Williams, counsel for the American Civil Liberties Union.

The immediate job of the lawyers will be the defense of arrested strikers and sympathizers.

A call for funds for defense of the coast strikers was also issued by the I.L.D., these funds to be sent to the National Office of the I.L.D. for immediate transmission through safe channels to San Francisco.

All members and sympathizers, and especially every I.L.D. branch and committee throughout the country were urged to radio protests to President Roosevelt, modeled on the radio sent today by the I.L.D., as follows:

"President Roosevelt  
"Aboard Cruiser Houston  
"Proceeding to Hawaii  
"Two hundred thousand members affiliated International Labor Defense demand withdrawal threat U. S. troops to smash San Francisco and coast strike. Demand withdrawal all fascist vigilante gangs and all armed forces engaged in reign of mass terror against San Francisco general strike and workers of Seattle and Portland and of Federal forces organizing deportation terror as announced by Perkins.

"INTERNATIONAL LABOR DEFENSE."  
Similarly, wires were called for to be sent to Francis Perkins, who has O.K.'d the reign of fascist vigilante terror up and down the coast, and is organizing the greatest deportation drive since 1920, in an effort to smash the strike through terror.

## Red Hook Cops Attack Delegation of Jobless At Relief Bureau Door

NEW YORK.—Police yesterday attacked a delegation of unemployed, mostly marine workers from the Red Hook section of Brooklyn and brutally beat three of them when they sought to present demands for relief to the Emergency Home Relief bureau at Adams and Concord Avenues.

An Italian longshoreman, by the name of Forza, had his teeth knocked out by a police club. Benis Manning, a Negro dock worker was mercilessly beaten and Empira Lopez, a Puerto Rican housewife was arrested when a delegation of 20 peacefully sought entrance to the building. All three are being held for hearing on disorderly conduct charges next Wednesday.

Workers delegations were in the habit of entering the building and presenting their demands to the heads of the Bureau, without molestation by police.

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# SPORTS

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## The Sporting Spirit

THE strikers of the Endeavour, whose dirty work in demanding a raise from Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith, the noted sportsman who is the owner, should meet with the condemnation of all right-thinking people, must already realize that the spirit of sportsmanship still lives in the breasts of England's best. They reckoned with the hundreds of sportsmen who have flooded Mr. Sopwith's offices begging for the privilege of serving under him for nothing.

"I was able to pick and choose and am confident," Mr. Sopwith is quoted, and thus we see the difference between those who have been brought up in the proper circles and those who have been beggars all their lives. Who but a beggar and a bounder would strike against such a noted sportsman like Mr. Sopwith at a moment when his whole heart is set on winning the cup from America?

It is a curious coincidence that at a time of such a humiliation for all sportsmen—because, after all, it's our fault that we don't educate the bounders—a book should be published which points out the qualities necessary in all those who aspire to be true yachtsmen. It is called "Learning To Race," and the author is A. H. Callahan.

It is intended, of course, for the owners of yachts, because the first essential is to have a yacht. This the author takes to be understood. He progresses, accordingly, to describe the equipment required, the preparation for a race and the many ways of commanding a yacht under sail.

It makes a perfect bit of reading, and one is sorry that the strikers of the Endeavour did not come in contact with its matter. Now, of course, it would be but giving in to the bounders to send them a copy of the book, and hope that they reform. It is better for all concerned if we simply shun them and leave them to die in their stinkin' hovels, and let the devil take them. It will be a lesson for others of their ilk.

THEY would have learned, if they had read the book, that "the sportsman races for the fun of the thing. He does nothing to spoil his own fun or that of another." How could they have compared this with their conduct in demanding an increase over their \$13.50 a week and the extra money they made? This was certainly spoiling the fun for Mr. Sopwith. It proves clearly that while Mr. Sopwith was thinking only of the honor and tradition of the race, they were thinking of how much money they could get for their work.

The true sportsman, says Mr. Callahan, "never hides behind a lie, a bluff or his own failure to reveal the facts." This has been the behavior of Mr. Sopwith. He has hid nothing and he has told the facts. "Either you take what I give you," he has told his men, "or you can go out and starve, for all I care. I am giving you a square deal." He ought to be knighted by

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# Jersey Relief Meet Calls Trenton Mass Parley for July 23

## Delegation to Present Relief Demands to State Welfare

NEWARK, N. J.—Sixty delegates from 21 cities representing 9,500 organized unemployed and relief workers throughout the state, in a conference held here July 7, called for the mobilization of a mass delegation to Trenton on July 23, when the workers relief demands will be presented to the state relief administration.

The delegates from the 25 organizations represented at the United front conference called upon their membership to hold local demonstrations at the relief stations for immediate cash relief to the unemployed and union rates of pay to all relief workers.

Newark workers will hold a mass meeting and send off for the Newark delegation on Saturday, July 21, at 8 p.m., at Sokol Hall, 358 Morris Ave. The Newark and Harrison delegations will leave from 358 Morris Ave., Monday, July 23, at 8 a. m.

The July 7 united front conference, issued the following statement to all unemployed and relief workers of New Jersey.

Thousands of workers throughout the state are striking against the present system of "work for relief" or 10 cents an hour and a food check introduced by the State Relief Administration.

These workers realizing the only way to successfully fight against this attack upon their standard of living, have organized themselves into organizations throughout the state.

On June 23, 1934, 22 Relief Workers and Unemployment Organizations from five counties representing 5,000 workers, convened in the city of Newark for the purpose of creating unified demands for cash relief throughout the state and for the unification of the entire strike on a state-wide basis.

From out of this conference, the United Unemployment and Relief Workers Association was formed. This association is a delegated body composed of delegates from 26 organizations which now represents seven counties and 9,000 workers.

At the conference a program of demands for cash relief and trade union rates of wages with a minimum of 50 cents per hour to be paid on all relief work was drawn up and presented to the State Relief Administration in Trenton on June 28 by the elected State Committee. At this time the State Relief Director promised to grant these demands. However, up to

date, the demands have not been put into effect. On the other hand, the Relief Administration has stated that they are going to cut down on the relief rolls throughout the state, which means that a campaign of discrimination is going to be carried on, especially against those who have been active in the strike against 10 cents an hour.

The United Unemployment and Relief Workers Association of New Jersey puts forward the following program for a more intensive struggle to be carried on by the unemployed of the state for the purpose of forcing immediate action on the demands and to fight against discrimination.

1.—That every organization holds a demonstration at the local and county relief offices for immediate cash payment to the unemployed, and union wages on all relief projects.

2.—That every organization carry on mass picketing on all projects in their locality until cash wages are paid.

3.—That every organization participate in a mass demonstration to the State Relief Administration in Trenton on July 23 for the purpose of demanding immediate payment of cash relief and union rates of wages on all projects.

The entire program of demands of the United Unemployment and Relief Workers Association of New Jersey shall be as follows:

1.—Cash relief for all unemployed on the following basis—\$4.00 for each single person or head of the family with \$1.25 additional for each dependent.

2.—Gas, electricity, rent, medical attention, hospitalization and all necessities of life to be provided by the state for unemployed workers.

3.—No evictions from homes of unemployed workers.

4.—No discrimination against Negro and young workers.

5.—Demands for Unemployed Working on Relief Projects

1.—Fifty cents an hour minimum in cash for work on all projects.

2.—Skilled workers to be paid at present prevailing union rates.

3.—Right of the workers to elect their own foreman.

4.—Free transportation to and from projects.

5.—Minimum of 30 hour work week. No reduction for bad weather.

6.—No discrimination against workers on any projects on the basis of their strike activities.

7.—Recognition of unemployed workers organizations.

8.—Enactment of the Workers Unemployment and Social Insurance Bill H. R. 7598.

It is the aim of the United Unemployment and Relief Workers Association of New Jersey to establish a federation representing all unemployed and relief organizations and trade unions, so as to insure cash payment for all work done at union wages, to guarantee conditions on the job, to insure cash relief for all unemployed and protection against all forms of discrimination.

The spread of the "Daily" to the mass of workers is a prerequisite to their successful struggles.

# Y.C.L. to Open Convention by Election Rally

## St. Louis Conference to Be First of New YCL District

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 19.—The first convention of District 21 of the Young Communist League will be opened by a youth election rally today in the Trade Union Hall, Leonard and Easton.

The new district includes Missouri, Arkansas, part of Kansas and the industrial cities on the east bank of the Mississippi. It was created as a district by decision of the seventh National Convention of the League recently held in New York.

Claude Lightfoot, young Negro leader of the Chicago workers and member of the National Committee of the Young Communist League, who received 33,000 votes in the last elections, will be the main speaker. Matt Felman, organizer of the new district and militant leader of the Packing House Workers Industrial Union, who is a candidate for Assemblyman in the Third Representative District of St. Louis, will also speak.

The convention will end on Saturday night, with an open-air banquet and dance to be held in the yard of the Labor Lyceum.

## St. Louis Communists Hold Nominating Meeting

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—At a conference of workers organizations held July 14 in the Trade Union Hall at Leonard and Easton, workers representing more than 20 organizations, which included Trade Unions, enthusiastically endorsed the Communist Party nominees and platform.

In the platform are demands for the abolition of all Jim-Crow state laws, for the rights of Negro youth to attend the same schools as white youth, for jobs at union wages or cash relief of \$7 weekly for every unemployed worker over 16, for a six-hour day, five-day week, without reduction in pay; abolition of state sales taxes, etc.

The delegates gave stormy applause when Samuel R. Dukes, leader of the unemployed, was nominated for Congressman in the 11th Congressional District. Frank Brown, farmers' organizer, was nominated for Senator; for State Superintendent of Schools, Eugene McCormack Hill; for Assemblyman in the Third Representative District, Edward Collins, Negro levee worker; Mary Lewis, Negro woman leader of the unemployed; Matt Pelman, District Organizer of the Y. C. L.; Frank Warfield, Secretary of the L. S. N. R., were named.

For Assemblymen in the Fourth Representative District Alfred Ross, young member of the Communist Party and leader in the fight for Negro rights; Cora Lewis, leader of the Nut Pickers Strike; Isaac Jaffe and William Unger were nominated.

One of the flunkies then read a portion of one of Herndon's letters addressed to the local Atlanta World, Negro daily, in which Herndon in relating the torture to which he has been subjected, referred to the jailers as fascist dogs. Infuriated the fascist dogs threatened Davis with "trouble" and ordered the letters sent to the Rev. John Hudson, fanatical persecutor of Herndon.

Davis has openly carried out many of Herndon's letters in the past. The action of the jailers on this occasion is clearly part of the increased terror practiced against Herndon since the Georgia Supreme Court Decision and the general terror campaign against militant workers recently unleashed by Hudson and his "Red Squad."

The present treatment of Herndon is a clear indication of the position facing the American working class. In answer to a proposal by the Socialists that they would be able to decide next week, Kling said:

"How can you speak of waiting a week? Every day counts. Next week the strike may have been broken. Next week vigilantes may be organized here as well as on the coast to attack the workers. Our leaders are out of town as well as yours, but we Communists react to this situation."

"What authority have you got, then," the Socialist who claimed authority asked.

"We have the authority of necessity. The whole working class must act at once. We must forge unity in support of the strike and against fascist terror in Chicago," Kling answered.

Communists, plunging into the work of preparing the demonstration, stated that the struggle for the United Front of Socialist and Communist workers would continue. In the meantime, every effort will be made to involve Socialist locals and individuals in the demonstration Saturday.

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Communists Visit  
S. P. Locals

NEW YORK.—All members of the Socialist Party locals in the lower East Side section of this city are now receiving a circular being



Here is a little scene that helps give the lie to repeated statements that San Francisco labor didn't want the general strike and that they were misled against their will. The sign carried by these workers indicates that at least one group of Frisco general strikers know what they want.

# Jailers of Herndon Try to Frame Davis, Negro I. L. D. Lawyer

## Torture, Death on Chain Gang Awaits Herndon Unless Bail is Raised

ATLANTA, Ga., July 19.—An attempt by Fulton Tower Prison officials to frame Benjamin J. Davis, Negro International Labor Defense attorney in the case of Angelo Herndon, was reported by him today.

This attempt by Georgia authorities who have sworn to "get" not only Herndon, but his attorneys and local sympathizers, took place in Fulton Tower, where Herndon is confined. Davis was charged with attempting to smuggle letters from Herndon past the censor.

"For the first time in several weeks, I was allowed the privilege of private consultation with Herndon in a private room when I called on him to-day," Herndon's attorney declared, in telling of the attempted frame-up.

Herndon, called down from his cell, brought a large package of letters, sealed and unsealed, and carried openly in his hands. The turnkey and assistant jailers made no objection to his turning the letters over to Davis.

After an interview, lasting about 40 minutes, Davis left his cell, openly carrying the letters to the front part of the jail. As he started out of the gate, however, one of the jailers called upon him to halt. He was taken into the turnkey's office, where he was accused of attempting to smuggle the letters out against prison rules.

"You thought you were smart," he was told, "but I caught you. You were trying to slip that stuff out of here."

The main demands are 20 per cent increase, time and a half for over 40 hours, statements for piece work, reinstatement of Phil Lambert who was fired for union activity, and union recognition.

Strike committees of seven from each factory have been elected.

The fur picketers' department of the Fur Workers Industrial Union against the scab shop of Stern & Goldstein, 236 W. 27th St., which recently opened a new scab shop in Long Island without the knowledge of the union.

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don in jail is evidence of the torture being prepared for him on the chain gang to which he will be sent August 2 unless \$15,000 bail in loans of cash and Liberty bonds being raised by the I. L. D. is available by that time.

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NEW YORK.—Official orders to all home relief bureau investigators came from the office of Edward Corsi, Home Relief Bureau head, Monday, that only relief workers earning less than \$16 a week are to be investigated with the view of fringing all whose incomes exceed the starvation home relief budgets.

Since the greatest majority of the relief workers are laborers earning \$12 a week, the drive will be made to eliminate these workers from the work lists first.

The relief jobs a notice, signed by J. W. Healy, Jr., Borough Engineer of Manhattan, instructs the superintendents and park foremen to get the maximum of work from the relief workers, and those fired for "loafing" will be denied all relief for at least 30 days.

On June 29, orders were given out to all home relief bureau investigators with the view of dropping all relief workers whose incomes on work relief exceed the Home Relief budgets by \$2 a week or more, all single workers without dependents, and all workers with \$100 or more. Actually this means the firing of all workers with families of four and less, and their be-

# Steel Workers Fight Terror, Prepare for National Confab

## Mass Fight Begun in Pittsburgh For Framed Leaders' Freedom

By TOM KEENAN  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 19.—The workers of Pittsburgh have set up a defense committee for a mass campaign to smash the frame-up of Jim Egan, Phil Frankford, Emma Brelitch and Dan Benning, whose sentences were affirmed last week by the Pennsylvania Superior Court, and to demand the immediate release of all four victims of the steel-owned capitalist courts.

Appeal petitions are being filed this week with the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, and if favorable action is not obtained from the state all four cases will be fought to the United States Supreme Court, thus supplementing the broad mass campaign with legal action.

Frankford faces a two to four-year term in the workhouse as a result of frame-up charges of "inciting to riot" and "obstructing" legal process of law. He was arrested following an attempted constable sale of the MacGregor family's goods on a Patton township farm last Sept. 1, when workers of the unemployed council there bought the goods for \$1.15 and returned them to MacGregor.

Six of the workers who had made the purchase were enticed into the sheriff's office in the city, ostensibly to issue a bill of sale. Here the six were arrested, one of them tricked into entering a plea of nolle prosequere on the promise of being later dismissed without a trial.

The latter, Sam Jessop, was tried, jailed, and sentenced to a year in jail. Claiming to have obtained enough evidence during the hearing, the judge then issued a bench warrant for Frankford, who had not even been present at the time of the actual sale. A picked jury returned a verdict of guilty for Frankford and the two-to-four year sentence was imposed.

Egan was arrested when he began to address an assembly of workers in front of the court-house March 4, 1933, and charged with inciting to riot. Six others arrested at the time were later dismissed on directed verdicts.

Egan was tried and found guilty, and the verdict was immediately appealed. A reversal of the verdict was refused, but Egan was not approximately four months later.

Then, on Oct. 5, exactly one-half hour before the attack of armed thugs was staged against the picket line of striking steel workers at Ambridge, the steel union headquarters at Ambridge was raided and Egan was taken into custody to be sentenced to a year in jail.

Grietch, Benning, Kapusto and Verskovich were arrested by the steel-controlled Beaver County authorities because of their activity on the Ambridge picket line and framed on "inciting to riot" and "assault and battery" charges.

The affirmation of sentences by the superior court judges is a deliberate attempt to terrorize the workers of Western Pennsylvania and suppress their growing mass action against lowered living standards by depriving them of militant leadership.

Steel and unemployed workers plan a veritable storm of mass protest against this offensive which has been launched by the bosses and will fight to the last ditch to obtain the unconditional release of these framed up victims and the dropping of all charges now standing against them.

Workers in the trade unions, unemployed workers in the neighborhood organizations, veterans and small home-owners groups, white-collar workers, are urged to elect delegates that will place the demands of the unemployed workers before Gov. Lehman in Albany on July 31.

Delegates' names and addresses in the New York City area should immediately be forwarded to the committee headquarters, 29 E. 20th Street.

Call for Pickets in  
Bronx Bread Strike

NEW YORK.—In the fight against the high cost of bread being conducted by the 174th St. Neighborhood Organization Against Starvation, the picketers against the bosses are seeking to make this a test case before raising the cost of bread throughout the city.

The bread strike is now in its eighth day. In order to win it, the neighborhood organization, with offices at 1841 Bryant Ave., appeals to all workers to register for picket duty. The office is open from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily.

Bronx Relief Frame-up

NEW YORK.—Workers are asked to pack the Magistrates Court at 161st St. and Grand Concourse (sixth floor) today at 9:30 a.m., at the trial of David Morgenstein, an unemployed worker, member of the Charlotte St. Workers Center, who is being framed by the Home Relief Bureau.

Unemployed? Sell the "Daily"

Following action by lodges 915 and 478 of the Magistrates to start the struggle for the six-hour day, the Wolverine Lodge voted to send a letter to all the Federated Crafts of the C. and N. W. urging a conference to discuss ways and means of winning the 30-hour week without any reduction, immediate relief, abolition of the speed up, and unemployment insurance.

Reactionary leaders, while not daring to openly oppose the issuance of the call to conference, delayed the sending of it by claiming that the Grand Lodge must be consulted first. A compromise was made by which the letter will be sent out within a certain time if the Grand Lodge does not answer a letter asking its stand.

The move is falling to stop the work for unity, because members of the Railroad Brotherhoods Unity movement are distributing copies of the call among railroad workers without the Grand Lodge approval. The proposals in the letter are similar to ones made in a leaflet of the Unity movement recently issued. They include a 30-hour week without reduction in pay; immediate relief, and establishment of relief committees in all of the organizations "with the power to act for the relief of our needy members," to eliminate the speed-up system, and "the installation and adoption of adequate unemployment and social insurance."

The Wolverine Lodge has also replaced an old and inactive relief committee with a more militant one.

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# United Front Proposals Go to S.P. All Over Country

Communist Party Sections in Chicago, Cleveland, New York, Send Letters, Delegations to Socialist Party Locals

(Daily Worker Midwest Bureau)  
CHICAGO, July 19.—Fear of the top leaders of the Socialist Party caused a group of minor leaders to refuse Socialist Party support to a united front demonstration in support of the San Francisco general strike next Saturday. The Communist Party, however, is continuing its preparations for the demonstration which will take place in Union Park on Saturday, July 21, at 1 p.m.

In spite of the most emphatic appeals for immediate action on the part of the Communist Party and Young Communist League delegation which visited the county office, the functionaries in the office refused to go into the united front without approval of their leaders. These leaders, they said, were out of town.

In conversation with the county secretary of the Young Peoples Socialist League and a functionary who claimed he had authority to speak for the Socialist Party, Kling, district organizer of the Y. C. L., emphasized the emergency situation facing the American working class. In answer to a proposal by the Socialists that they would be able to decide next week, Kling said:

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**Working for the United Front**  
IN THE adjoining columns we give reports that are beginning to come in from various sections of the country on the activities of the Communist Party sections toward welding united front actions with their fellow workers in the Socialist Party.  
In all these cases, the Communist Party local organizations have written earnest letters to the officials of the local Socialist Party organizations.  
Delegations will visit these Socialist Party locals to have open, frank and comradely discussions with the members of the Socialist Party on what can and must be done right now in the critical days that are upon us. The Frisco workers must be helped! The terror must be fought.  
The American working class faces the grim realities of swiftly advancing Fascist terrorism, war preparations, and jingoistic reaction. Socialist workers as well as Communists face these capitalist brutalities. They must fight them together.  
The United Front will not come about smoothly, without hitches. There will be mistrust, suspicion, and even conscious hindrance on the part of some. But the working class must find a way to overcome these obstacles. It must!  
Let the United Front proposals go out in all the locals. Let there be delegations to the S. P. branches. Arrange meetings for mutual discussion of immediate actions!  
distributed by the Communist Party section calling for united front actions in support of the San Francisco strike and for the anti-war meetings on Aug. 1. J. Brandt, section organizer, announced today.  
In addition, the secretaries of Socialist Party Locals 4, 6 and 8, as well as locals in the Greenwich Village section, are receiving letters of invitation to discuss united front actions.  
Delegations of Communists will visit these branches personally to urge unity on Aug. 1 in the struggle against war and fascism.  
Party here yesterday offered united front proposals to the Socialist Party on a platform of eight immediate demands of the working class here in the fight against the monstrous terrorism and murder, unleashed by the city administration against the starving jobless.  
Calling attention to the fact that the city terrorism against the Communist and jobless menace the Socialist Party workers with equal force, the Communist invitation stated:  
The Communist Party, in accordance with the united front proposals of our Central Committee made to your newly elected National Executive Committee, appeals to the Socialist Party and its members to join with us in forging a fighting United Front of all working class labor organizations on the basis of the following issues and demands:  
1. Immediate removal of Shapiro, Cannon and Matowitz as directly responsible for the murder of Mrs. Williams and S. Arzenti.  
2. Compensation for the families of the murdered victims.  
3. Immediate removal of all police from relief stations.  
4. Turn over the \$700,000 appropriated for police purposes to the Relief Fund and make provision for adequate relief in the City Budget now being considered.  
5. Smashing of all injunctions against striking workers by mass violations, such as in the Cleveland File Co.  
6. Full payment of relief to Negro workers; against the Jim Crow policy of the city government and for full equality for Negroes.  
7. Immediate passage of Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill, H. R. 7598, by City Council.  
8. Unity of all workers in a gigantic anti-war and fascist demonstration on Aug. 1.  
We make this proposal with deep seriousness. We urge you to call an immediate meeting of your executive, and the Communist Party stands ready to meet your committee immediately so that no time is lost. At the same time, the United Front must be forged between Communist and Socialist workers in the shops, unions, relief stations and neighborhoods on the above issues, where the attacks are steadily growing. Our Central Committee has awaited weeks already for the answer of your National Executive Committee, but to no avail. We here in Cleveland are ready for action. Awaiting your answer, we are,  
Comradely,  
DISTRICT ORGANIZER,  
COMMUNIST PARTY, DIS. 6.



### Speed-up, Insults, Spying in B.M.T. Power Station

By a Subway Worker Correspondent  
 BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Here are a few things that are happening in the B. M. T. power station at 500 Kent Ave., Brooklyn: While the company is getting richer every year, we the workers of the company are getting poorer and poorer as the speed-up and spy system in the plant.

Engineers and foremen are worse than the Cossacks of the Czarist Russia. They use such bad manners and insult us so, that we have to do something to improve our conditions and destroy this slavery system.

Workers are told to report to the office whatever they see or hear about their fellow workers.

Few around trust their fellow-worker on account of the many stool pigeons sent by the bosses. There is no freedom of thought here.

In the fire room there used to be seven or eight helpers, but today three are forced to do the work of seven or more men. Those men who work in the condensers, used to get from the company waterproof clothes and boots, but now they have to buy them themselves.

Notwithstanding the N. R. A., the watchmen still work 70 hours a week. We belong to the company union. In the elections in December, the company assigns the watchers and the officials. They tell the men to go to vote, not to ask questions, and to shut up. "Keep your mouth shut," they say, and so on. The men, afraid of losing their jobs, vote for the bosses' officials.

A B.M.T. Slave.

### Fight Against Lay-Offs Begun on Chi. & N.W. R.R.

By H. S.  
 CHICAGO, Ill.—Gradually pushing aside the legalistic restrictions, which have kept them at the mercy of their employers and their servile union officials, workers on the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad are developing a movement against lay-offs, declaring that the right to work stands above the profit demands of the railroad stock and bondholders.

A few weeks ago the Railroad Brotherhoods Unity Movement, realizing that mass lay-offs were approaching, issued a leaflet to the men on the Northwestern, warning them to mobilize their forces and unite around a program to protect their jobs.

Many workers thought we were crying "wolf," but sure enough it was only a week later that lay-off notices were posted on the bulletin boards on the Northwestern. One sweeping order furloughed 8,000 men, while the union leaders did not move a finger to rouse the workers into militant action to protect their jobs.

But a wave of anger swept the shops. Lodge 915 of the International Association of Machinists decided to elect a delegation to visit their brother Lodge 478, to propose joint action for a mass meeting to protest these lay-offs and develop a campaign for the six-hour day, a campaign for the six-hour day, a campaign for the six-hour day, a campaign for the six-hour day.

These proposals, while a sign of militancy, showed that the rank and file leaders were still under the influence of their top officialdom, who had taught them that the right of the railroads to hire and fire was sacred. The proposal for

a mass meeting should have been made as a starting point for struggle against the lay-off, not as a mere protest of something which could not be defeated immediately. The proposal of developing a movement only for a six-hour day, meant in reality accepting lay-offs until such a time as the six-hour day was established.

But despite this weakness, the proposal was of great importance, as a step away from servile acceptance of the attacks of the railroads.

The mass meeting and parade would serve as a powerful weapon of rallying the railroad workers in Chicago, the steel workers, the workers of the country against the principle of accepting lay-offs as the right of an employer over which the worker can not take action. It should have been called immediately and would have received immediate response.

Therefore, the proposal to delay action and bring the matter before the local board, the proposal to wait until the board acted to get official sanction from other lodges, was bad.

The fact is that to date the local board has not taken any action, although it had a meeting after the lay-offs went into effect. On the other hand, the enthusiasm which greets the proposal for some kind of action is proof of what the response of the workers would have been to such a mass meeting.

Thus much valuable time has already been wasted, and it is very likely that the matter, if left solely to the local board, would have died of old age.

But the Unity Group in Carmen's Lodge 227 at a meeting decided to push the issue and complete the first steps taken by the two lodges.

A four-point program was worked out, combining the proposals for a six-hour day, the immediate fight against speed-up and lay-offs, with the campaign for immediate relief for the men laid off.

It was proposed, and accepted, at the regular meeting of the lodge not only to hold a mass meeting immediately jointly with the other lodges who agreed with the program, but also to call on the other lodges to elect three delegates to meet in conference with a similar committee elected by Lodge 227 and push the fighting program against the attacks of management.

Once again the Grand Lodge restrictions were brought forth by local officials, who had been content to allow the lay-offs to take place without a murmur of protest. They pointed out that the constitution required the sanction of the Grand Lodge. Of course these same individuals never pointed out that nothing could be expected from their Grand Lodge, which had allowed the C. and N.W. Railroad to reduce its forces from 65,000 in 1928 to 29,000 at the present time, without offering any resistance.

These forces have attempted to stall off action and have wasted more valuable time in the hope of devalorizing the militant sentiment of the men. But they have not reckoned with the power of rank and file unity which is being set up between the workers of the various lodges through the Unity Movement. Through this movement the restrictions against circularization without Grand Lodge sanction are being overcome.

While 227 is waiting for its answer from the Grand Lodge, the supporters of the Unity Movement are spreading the word about the four-point program, mobilizing the rank and file to go into their respective lodges and take similar action.

Thus, the union misleaders may or may not sanction the program, but the rank and file is mobilizing to put it over, regardless of the Grand Lodge. For in the growing unity of the rank and file is also coming forth the idea that this program is what the workers need and those who opposed it are enemies who must be discarded.

Against the program of the Brotherhood officials which leads to lay-offs, speed-up, wage cuts, is being formed the unity of the rank and file around this four-point program of action. It is a guide to action not only for lodges in Chicago, but for railroad workers all over the country.

NOTE:

We publish letters every Friday from workers in the transportation and communications industries—railroad, marine, surface lines, subway, elevated, express, companies, truck drivers, taxi drivers, etc., and post office, telephone, telegraph, etc.

We urge workers from these industries to write us of their conditions of work and their struggles to organize. Please get these letters to us by Tuesday of each week.

#### Go to Lavatory On Own Time At Western Union

By a Telegraph Worker Correspondent

NEW YORK.—Having read your interesting article and being an employee of the Western Union Telegraph Co., working in the capacity of clerk, I would like to submit some of the deplorable working conditions which I have found to exist in the main office at 60 Hudson St., where I have worked for the past eight years.

Men and women have to ask permission from the foreman or supervisor in charge, to get a drink of water, and to use rest cases, must go to the lavatory on their own time, having to "clock out" on their time cards.

In several cases, men and women were sent home or suspended for several days for merely talking while working.

Also, men and women have been suspended for days at a time, on account of misspelling words or not detecting misspelled words or incorrect spelling in telegrams.

### Chicago Surface Car Men Plan Struggle

#### Anger Stirred By Way Settlement Was Railroaded

By a Street Car Worker Correspondent

CHICAGO, Ill.—This is how Division 241 of the A. F. of L. put it over on the street car workers of Chicago last July 2 at the Carmen's Hall Auditorium.

First they called off the names of the committee men and each one had to answer "present," or "here," and I noticed that each one was in a separate section of the hall.

My impression was that each committee man had his own little corner to carry, and of course the poor unassuming working man who sits down in the same section with the "pal" from his own barn is putting himself on a spot—a wage-cutting spot—because if he is too loud in his protests his "pal" notices it, and besides his committee man is a "good scout" and he wouldn't go along with anything that wasn't "O. K." It's funny how they fear these "good scouts," isn't it?

Well, the propositions that were rejected were read off first, and then came the one that was accepted by the committee, and needed only our consent to make it a contract for a full year. Instead of the 80 cents demanded it was chopped down to 73 cents an hour, and what was supposed to be an eight-hour day turned out to be an eight-hour minimum day—time and a half not starting until after 8 1/2 hours' work.

The secretary read off the proposition and said to the men that after trying 14 times this was the best offer he could get from Mr. Richardson. He said, "We had to accept it, what else was there to do?" and a cry went up which showed there was real awakening in the men. "Strike!" And he said, "Now, brothers, don't you go talking that way—we don't want a strike—we can't strike because the surface lines are in the hands of 'government' receivership, and we don't want to back the government."

But the men were riled and I could sense an undercurrent of dissatisfaction with the leadership. Every time someone walked up to the mike to speak there was a roar of applause. It seemed they were just aching for a "Red" speech. And if the speaker was for acceptance you could tell it by the little applause he received (started by the clique mostly), if he wasn't so hot. But if he was for rejection of the proposition, the crowd just roared.

What I have revealed here ought to be remembered by the men of our division who read this, so that the next time they go to a meeting they will know what to do. Keep away from your own committee men, or better still, get behind him if possible, so that you can watch his actions but he can't watch yours. This will show you how much he is for you, or how much he is against you. This will convince you of the rotten leadership you now possess.

When you sit down in the hall, look around and choose your seat, and when they call the roll of these committee men, watch in front of you, and spot one of them out. Watch him. He's your enemy or your friend. How else can you tell if not by his actions?

Men of Kedzie Ave. station, your Jimmie Dineen isn't so hot. The World's Fair is still on, and there was never an opportunity like this to win all your demands, remember that.

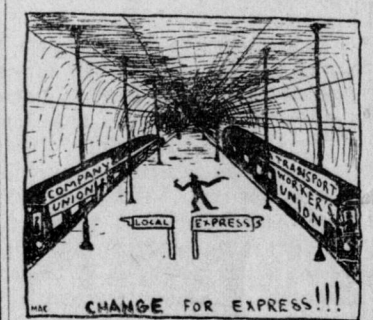
### IRT Workers Rising Against Company Union Pension Plan

#### Intimidation Methods Used to Force Applications

By a Subway Worker Correspondent

NEW YORK.—The latest wage-cutting device of the I. R. T. is not meeting with any marked degree of success. I am referring to the 3 per cent wage cut dressed up to faintly resemble an old age pension.

This scheme is the most barefaced misrepresentation I have ever



come across. From beginning to end it serves every purpose of the company, and does absolutely nothing for the men. It contains an open strikebreaking, anti-union clause.

To the eternal credit of the I.R.T. men it is a fact that they are showing determined resistance to the adoption of this "signed wage cut." Every form of pressure is being applied to these men in an effort to bully and intimidate them into signing application cards authorizing the company to make the necessary deductions from their measly pay.

The "Henry Dubbs" of the I.R.T.—that is, the foremen, trainmasters, inspectors, etc.—are being used by the company to apply pressure upon the men. Men are told, "If you don't sign you will have to

#### Demand More Than 3% Wage Rise Put Over By Union Officials

CHICAGO, Ill.—The tools of the Chicago Surface Lines who are ruling the street car men as their union "leaders" finally came out with the 3 per cent raise proposal disclosed two months ago in the "Daily Worker." We know from an authoritative source that the measly raise was agreed upon by the union fakers and their company bosses to still the growing clamor among the men, who were slowly being crushed by the N. R. A. and increased living cost.

We were warning the rank and file of Division 241 that an 8 hour day means fewer runs, and more economy for the C. S. L. so that they will break even in the measly raise granted to us. We advised the men to demand time and a half pay after 7 and a half hours.

At the meeting of the membership on July 2nd, Kehoe, Secretary of Division 241, after telling us a long story of 14 conferences with the R. C. C. Perhaps its most important subsidiary, the Pacific Electric, is a characteristic cross-section of the company's business.

The P. E. is the largest electric interurban line in the world, operating daily over 1,300 miles of track. Its extensive freight service which includes nearly all of San Fernando Valley and a large portion of San Gabriel Valley. In 1929 the company was, according to its own statement, barely breaking even. As a result Mr. A. T. Mercer was imported, to cut expenses "to the bone."

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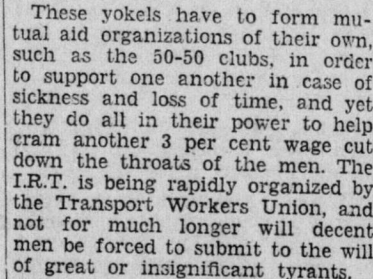
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These yokels have to form mutual aid organizations of their own, such as the 50-50 clubs, in order to support one another in case of sickness and loss of time, and yet they do all in their power to help cram another 3 per cent wage cut down the throats of the men. The I.R.T. is being rapidly organized by the Transport Workers Union, and not for much longer will the men be forced to submit to the will of great or insignificant tyrants.

The spy system is working overtime at present. Plenty of 35 A men are being scattered around in the departments, shops and lines, in all kinds of jobs. We can assure Mr. Keegan, Connolly and Taylor, that such steps are useless and will only speed up our organizational tempo rather than to slow it down.

We can build our membership as rapidly as we desire, for we have the sentiment of over 90 per cent of the men right now. The I.R.T. by its 10 and 12 hour day, its seven day week, its hunger wage scale, its beakie system and its yellow dog company union, is a challenge to the manhood of every employee. One motorman answered the challenge in a few words, well put. He said: "Build the organization, brother, build it quick. I'd sooner die fighting this scab outfit than live working for them."

### Pacific Electric Offers Crumbs As Wage Restoration

By a Pacific Electric Worker Correspondent

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—According to stories by officials, the railroads are in a sorry plight. Among the sorriest, according to this story, is the Southern Pacific. It is practically on the rocks, so to speak, in spite of the \$26,000,000 profit in 1933 (covered in the books by "depreciation of equipment") and the additional loan of \$26,000,000 the same year of the peoples' money from the R. C. C. Perhaps its most important subsidiary, the Pacific Electric, is a characteristic cross-section of the company's business.

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### PARTY LIFE Must Have Discipline, Order At Thaelmann, and All, Meets

Worker Criticizes Conduct of Participants at Meeting Where Muenzenberg Spoke

SHORTCOMINGS IN THAELMANN MEETINGS

On July 3 a rally was held in the Needle Trades Market, 36th St. and 8th Avenue, for the freedom of Ernst Thaelmann.

I understand this meeting was held under the auspices of Section 2 of the Communist Party.

However, while a great interest was expressed by the workers, the meeting did not accomplish its full task.

There was not a single pamphlet on fascism. As a matter of fact there was no literature at all. There were no Daily Workers, no Thaelmann postcards. The workers were eager to learn more about the situation than they could hear in the 15 minute talk. There was not any sign on the platform to indicate what kind of a meeting was being held.

Such disorganization must not be repeated at other meetings.

L. L. NEW YORK.

The issue raised in the above letter is of basic importance to the work of the Party in penetrating the masses, not only in

the Free Thaelmann campaign but in all our agitational work as well.

In how many of our meetings is the Party's literature completely absent? How many of the Party's sections and units realize that a meeting, no matter how good the speaker or how timely the topic, is only a transitory thing unless our pamphlets, periodicals, car press are there to be distributed among the masses whom we must reach.

In the preparation of a meeting, whether on the Scottsboro case, police terror in strikes, the German situation or any other subject, whether it is an open-air meeting or in a big hall, the comrades responsible for the organization of the meeting must consider it part of their job to see to it that the literature agent of the district, section or unit involved arranges for the sale of our literature there.

What is more, we must learn to select the type of literature that is closely related to the subject of the meeting. A meeting on Thaelmann and the German situation should push the literature specifically dealing with Germany, such as Platnitzky's pamphlet, Pleck's report on Germany to the 13th Plenum of the E.C.C.I., Henri Babuse's pamphlet on Thaelmann, Knorin's 13th Plenum report, the "Arbeiter" the "Gegen-Angriff" and similar material. At a Scottsboro meeting, Haywood's pamphlet on Negro liberation, Ford's pamphlet and the resolutions of the 8th Convention on the Negro question should be raised, together with the "Liberator," etc.

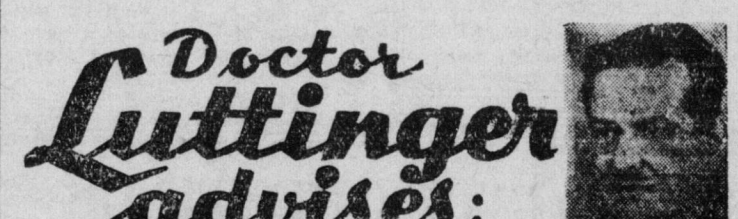
Only when our comrades realize that the pushing of our literature is the fundamental method of deepening our agitational approach, and when they concentrate on the material closely bound up with the subject in hand, will our meetings' effectiveness be made a lasting one.

The failure of literature sales at the Thaelmann meeting described above illustrates that our comrades approached the whole business of organizing the meeting in too slipshod a fashion. Literature is an essential part of our agitation and propaganda, and we must organize its distribution in a truly efficient manner. Only when our literature is pushed and sold at every one of our meetings, no matter what topic, will we really be doing the agitation and propaganda that present situation requires of us.

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 SUNNYSIDE YARDS WAITER.



By PAUL LUTTINGER, M.D.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS  
 Cancer of the Esophagus  
 Middletown Citizen—We cannot urge you to go to Russia for Dr. I. N. Kazakoff's glandular treatment. If you have plenty of money and if the radium treatment is not improving you, there is no reason why you should not take the trip. We wish we could go there ourselves. As far as the scientific value of the new glandular treatment is concerned, we regret that we cannot express an opinion on the report of one case, published in the Times from second hand information.

So far, glandular treatment has failed in cancer. From time to time a notoriety-hunting physician breaks out in the public press with the announcement that he cured "a number" of cancer cases by glandular extracts or what not; but the ballyhoo he creates is soon silenced by facts, leaving a number of bitterly disappointed and financially depleted patients. This applies also to those who report about other physicians' "successes." There is

usually a good (meaning bad) reason for such "disinterested" praise.  
 As soon as we get some authoritative information regarding the results of Dr. I. N. Kazakoff's new method of preparing glandular extracts by water under high pressure, you'll read about it in this column.

Vitamin Information  
 Robert Engels, Rutherford, N. J.—You may consult the tables published in Sherman's "Chemistry of Food and Nutrition" (4th edition, 1932) or Rose's "Foundation of Nutrition," revised edition, 1933, or "Vitamins: A Survey of Present Knowledge," 1932, published by the Lister Institute, conjointly with the Medical Research Council of England. The claims made by various manufacturers regarding the vitamin content of their products are vague, non-informative and misleading, in the great majority of cases.

### Free Angelo Herndon!

"Since the Georgia Supreme Court upheld my sentence of 18 to 20 years, the bosses and their jail tools have increased the pressure on me. I am deathly sick as a result of the murderous treatment accorded me during my two years of confinement. My only hopes of ever being in the ranks again is in your strength."—From a letter from Angelo Herndon—Fulton Tower Jail, June 7, 1934.

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CHANGE THE WORLD!

By SENDER GARLIN

WHEN you see a little golden key dangling from a vest, and if its owner habitually toys with it in public, you will know that it is a Phi Beta Kappa key.

It is customary for students to get this distinction as an award for excellence in their studies, but in the University of California the other day the faculty handed one of these golden keys to a man for making a blood-thirsty fascist speech.

Gen. Hugh S. Johnson, head of Roosevelt's strikebreaking N.R.A., did not burn the midnight oil in order to be elected a member of the Phi Beta Kappa. Nor did he pore over scientific studies, or contribute an original thesis on Beowulf or Chaucer.

Discussing the General Strike, Gen. Johnson said: "I have lived in this community for many years and know. If the federal government did not act, the people would act and it would act to wipe out this subversive element as you clean off a chalk mark on a blackboard with a wet sponge.

AND while the doughty general was delivering his "scholarly" discourse, six offices of Communist organizations were invaded, furniture smashed to splinters under hatchet blows, rocks sailed through windows, and pictures and Communist placards were torn from walls.

Here we see illustrated the unity of theory and practice. Gen. Johnson speaks in the Ivy-covered halls of the University of California in Berkeley, while "vigilantes" organized by the Industrial Association, aided by National Guardsmen and city police, wreck the office of the Communist Party which is a legal party and on the ballot of the State of California.

What stinking hypocrisy for Gen. Johnson to pretend to be "shocked" at Hitler methods when he himself condones these fascist raids. In fact, the very N.R.A. strikebreaking apparatus contains the embryo of the Nazi "Labor Front."

The University of California is a nest of reaction which proudly accepted cash from the war-monger, William Randolph Hearst, for the construction of a Greek Theatre. Such are the patrons of "art and culture" in the United States!

At the Leland Stanford University in Palo Alto (made famous by the fact that Herbert Hoover was once manager of the football team there when an undergraduate), the son of California's leading banker and jailor of Tom Mooney—Herbert Fleischacker, Jr.—recently tried to recruit strikebreakers from among the students, offering them \$20 a day.

That Column on Tom Mooney

THE need for explicit statement was never brought home to me more forcibly than when I received a note from a reader last night who wrote: "I liked your column called 'Mooney Meditates in San Quentin,' but I am afraid it was somewhat ambiguous to some people.

Thanks for the word of caution. I'll remember it in the future. Obviously, however, if that column had been written by Mooney, we would have displayed it with an eight-column headline on the front page.

Tom Mooney and a Frisco Zoo

IT MIGHT be worth reminding folks," writes El, "that the Fleischackers, Crocker and others in the San Francisco Industrial Association, who are so busy trying to break the splendid marine strike and solidarity of labor on the West Coast are the same gang of pirates who put Tom Mooney in prison and keep him there now.

"Once as young hitch-hikers in the California mountains, several of us camp waitresses were picked up by two specially equipped Pierce-Arrows of the Fleischacker-Lillenthal (related) families. Before the ride was over, out came a fancy silver hip-flask (Prohibition days then) and a gold collapsible drinking cup to dazzle us, who had known only Andy Mellon's aluminum or Lord Melchett's nickel for such contraptions.

"You may have noticed a sad story in the cap above the lions going hungry at the Fleischacker Zoo (not the zoo in Golden Gate Park), because the strikers won't deliver the 400 pounds of raw meat the King of Beasts and his family consume daily.

"As a native daughter of the Golden West, I know who will make it a country worth living in—and it's not the Fleischacker-Lillenthal-Crocker crowd. More power to the West Coast longshoremen, seamen and all the great rank and file of workers who are being making such a grand fight."

TUNING IN

- 7:00 P.M.—WEAF—Baseball Resume
WOR—Sports News—Ford Rick
WJZ—Hall Orch.
WABC—Theodore Edmond, Baritone
WJZ—Gene and Glenn—Sketch
WJZ—Front-Page Drama
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WABC—Playboys Trio
WABC—Three X Sisters, Songs
WABC—The O'Neill—Sketch
WABC—Grace Hayes, Baritone;
WABC—Paul Keast, Baritone; Hud-son Orch.
7:45-WEAF—Sisters of the Skillet
WABC—Larry Taylor, Baritone
WABC—Frank Buck's Adventures
WABC—Boake Carter, Commentator
WABC—Bourdon Orch.; Olga Albani, Soprano; Revellers Quartet
WABC—Selvin Orch.
WJZ—Walter O'Keefe, Comedian; Ethel Shmits, Songs; Dolan Orch.
WABC—Kate Smith, Songs
7:55-WEAF—Columbus Orch.
8:30-WEAF—Novelty Orch.; Slim Timblin, Comedian; Cavaliers Quartet
WJZ—Texas or Tribute—Colonel W. Chevalier, Vice-Pres., McGraw-Hill Publishing Company
WABC—Court of Human Relations
8:45-WJZ—Jack and Loretta Clemens, Songs
9:00-WEAF—Loman Orch.; Frank Munn, Tenor; Vivienne Segal, Songs
WABC—Italia—H. S. Lett, Jr.
WJZ—Harris Orch.; Leah Ray, Songs
9:15-WEAF—Present of the Family—Sketch
9:30-WEAF—Bonnie Orch.; Pic and Pat, Comedians
WABC—Robison Orch.; Helene Daniels, Contralto
WJZ—Phil Baker, Comedian
WABC—Green Orch.; Sylvia Fros, Songs
10:00-WEAF—The Black Box—Drama, with June Meredith, Don Ameche and Cliff Southern
WABC—Ezzie Lyle—Drama
WJZ—Mario Cozzi and Lucille Mann, Songs
WABC—Young Orch.; Everett Marshall, Baritone; Frank Crumit, Songs; Stoppage and Budd
10:15-WEAF—Current Events—H. E. Reed
10:30-WEAF—Jack Benny, Comedian; Concert Orch.; Frank Parker, Tenor
WABC—Robison Orch.
WJZ—Chicago Symphony Orch.; Eric Delamater, Conductor
10:45-WEAF—Warrick Sisters, Songs; Carlie and London, Piano

Open Hearing at Jersey Farm Reveals Low Pay, Error

By SASHA SMALL
BRIDGETON, N. J. is a very ordinary town—it might be anywhere in the United States and the open hearing indicting Seabrook, two justices of the peace and a few of the vigilantes, was largely in progress at the Moose Hotel last Sunday when we arrived.

Over in a corner is a group of very nice white cottages. American Village, the workers call it. That's where the foremen and the other Americans live. They get hardly any more wages and they have to pay high rent for these places—but the discrimination system does its work.

Mrs. Helen Beterrelli took her two kids up on the platform with her. In very broken English she related how tear bombs were thrown by Belford Seabrook, son and heir of Charles Seabrook, right up on the porch on top of the two kids.

Mr. Fairchild, professor of economics at Bryn Mawr, testified. She described her conference with Seabrook and her attempt to stop the tear gas attack by calling the attention of those who were throwing it to the children.

"Negroes Don't Mind Misery," Says White Head of Harlem Health Center
By CLARINA MICHELSON
Dr. Arthur I. Blau, white doctor, at the head of the Department of Health Center, in the heart of Harlem, in an interview today, while admitting that undernourishment, infant mortality, tuberculosis, and maternal mortality were from two to three times as high as in the rest of the city, stated: "Negroes do not mind and are not as much affected by overcrowding, unemployment and lack of sufficient nourishment, as other people, as they are more used to it."

THE most repulsive brand of variety and kitschy swill is dished out on these truck-stages. Skits in which Negroes are ridiculed, Jews and Italians slandered in so-called "dialect" pieces. Embarrassing butler-like dances. Before these sickening exhibitions are half over the audience leaves in disgust and only a handful of curious kids remain to gaze upon these weird spectacles which are palmed off on workers under the guise of city governmental patronage of the drama, culture, etc., for the "peepul."

AT Battery Park a few days ago a crowd composed of several hundred unemployed were drowsily watching a children's dance entitled "Dance of Joy." The sound of the dilapidated piano was drowned out intermittently by traffic noises and harbor whistles.

VARIEITY reports that the agitation carried on by the Film and Photo League against "S. A. Mann Brand" has succeeded in causing the patronage of the Yorkville Theatre to dwindle to such a point that the joint is now practically on the rocks.

STAGE AND SCREEN
"Grand Canary" At The Radio City Music Hall
"Grand Canary," a new Fox film, with Warner Baxter, Madge Evans, Marjorie Rameau and Zita Johann in the leading roles is now playing at the Radio City Music Hall.

Motolov's Report On Second Five-Year Plan Now Out in Book Form
The fulfillment of the second Five-Year Plan will increase still further the importance of the U. S. S. R. as a bulwark of struggle of the international proletariat.

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## Workers! Stand By the Communist Party!

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for unemployment and social insurance, for Negro rights, against fascism and war.

The bosses raise the cry of "outsiders" against the Communists. Workers, the Communists spring from your ranks, the ranks of the American working class, from the miners, the steel workers, the automobile workers, the marine workers. The Communists have no interests outside of the interests of the working class. They come forward as the most class conscious members of the working class to lead and fight in the forefront of the struggles which the American workers are waging. The drive of the government against the Communist Party is the drive against the leadership of the workers' struggles. By robbing the workers of their militant leadership, by isolating the Communists, by fiercely attacking the Communist Party, the bosses and their government hope in this way to launch a reactionary offensive against the entire working class. The terror against the Communists is, therefore, terror against the entire American working class.

The Communist Party calls upon the American workers in every industry in every city to mobilize in support of the strike in San Francisco and of the Communist Party, the Party of the American working class; to resist militantly the combined efforts of the government, the bosses, and the reactionary labor misleaders to crush the Communist Party and to launch a fascist offensive of destruction against the entire American working class movement.

Workers, stand solid in support of the San Francisco general strike!

Answer the attacks of the bosses and the government upon the Communist Party with iron proletarian support of the advance guard of the working class!

Defend the right of the Communist Party to exist and carry on its work in the interests of the working class.

In the face of the fascist efforts to crush it, build the Communist Party by joining its ranks!

The United Front of the American workers throughout the land will smash the bosses' terror against the workers!

CENTRAL COMMITTEE, COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE U. S. A.

## Unite Against Boss Terror!

FROM the reports of the Pacific Coast strike area it is brutally clear that an immense wave of fascist violence has been let loose against striking workers and their militant leaders.

The hideous days of the infamous Palmer raids of the post-war years have again arrived.

Every brutal instinct of organized hooliganism and thuggery, every ignorant, degenerate element of the population, every underworld purveyor of hired murder and savagery now find official encouragement and incitement from the Roosevelt government.

Governors, crooked Mayors, the press in every city, town and village, and up to the leading officials of the Roosevelt government, now openly, brazenly, and unrestrainedly call for lynchings-bees against the Communist Party all over the country.

The air of this country is filling with the vast clouds of fascist poison.

IT IS not only the Communist Party and the working class which is menaced by this monstrous fascist violence, whose headquarters are the White House.

It is every decent, honest, healthy element in American life that is menaced by the mob violence and reactionary brutality of the "vigilantes" and the organized gang raids.

Every civil right, every honest intellectual feeling, every vestige of what is progressive in this country, faces extinction at the hands of brutality and ignorance organized and encouraged by the Federal, State and Municipal governments.

For in their fury against the Communists who lead the daily struggles of the working class against the yoke of capitalist hunger and wage slavery, the capitalist employers are now trampling on and violating every elementary and democratic right.

It is precisely with just such gang raids against the Communist Party that the ferocious bands of Hitler and Goering strode to the seats of their bloody power in Germany.

IT IS up to every honest person in America to face the fact now that fascism, with everything vile that makes its name hateful, is now advancing with seven league boots before our very eyes.

It is only in the most tenacious, bitter defense of the everyday civil rights against the organized government forces of mob brutality that the march of fascism here can be halted.

It is the most solemn duty of every single hater of fascist reaction to proceed at once to the nearest telegraph office and wire immediate protests to Governor Merriam of California, Mayor Rossi of San Francisco, and President Roosevelt at Washington, D. C.

It is absolutely necessary for every union local, every mass organization, club, association, etc., to meet at once for the planning of protest meetings, and for the wiring of protest resolutions to the above-mentioned people demanding the immediate stopping of all anti-Communist raids and the withdrawal of all troops from the strike area.

Intellectuals, professionals, students, writers, artists, and scientists must bombard the above officials with telegrams of indignant protest at the organized mob violence against the Communist Party and the strikers.

Leading writers and intellectuals must get together at once for the signing of combined state-

ments of protest to be wired to the White House and California and to the press.

Above all, the working class, in its trade unions, in its shop committees, in its fraternal mass organizations, in the Socialist Party locals, must rise as one mighty power to demand the end of this new wave of fascist terrorism.

Stop the march of fascism! Stop the gang raids! Stop the organized lynch incitement! Act immediately!

## Green Stabs the West Coast Strikers

FINALLY Mr. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor has issued a statement on the general strike.

Mr. Green disavows the entire labor movement on the Pacific Coast. Failing to note the fact that the great strike is a life and death struggle of the West Coast workers against the open shop policies of the shipowners, Mr. Green speaks for the shipowners when he says that the strike "is local in character, possessing no national significance."

The national importance of the strike has already been indicated by the capitalists themselves. The very fact that Hugh Johnson, Senator Wagner and the President's Assistant Labor Secretary McGrady were rushed to the scene of the struggle; the very fact that troops have been called out; the fact that a United States Army officer sits in Mayor Rossi's strikebreaking conferences—all this shows clearly the capitalist government considers the strike as one of no small national importance.

What Green is attempting to do is to keep the workers in the A. F. of L. unions from understanding the national importance of the strike and to hog-tie them in such a manner that will prevent them from rallying to the support of the movement.

Green said that "At no time has its (the A. F. of L. leadership's) counsel or advice been solicited or its services requested."

Here Mr. Green is telling an obvious fib. The rank and file of the unions have time and time again requested that the A. F. of L. leaders declare their support of the strike. This they have flatly refused to do as Mr. Green is refusing to do today.

Indeed, Mr. Green sent one of his advisors to San Francisco some time ago, but his advice was not the kind the strikers were looking for, so they promptly repudiated him.

This advisor was Mr. Joseph P. Ryan, president of the International Longshoremen's Association, who tried to get the maritime workers to accept the shipowners' arbitration scheme, which would mean returning to work on the open shop basis without a single demand won.

Despite the fact that the majority of the workers involved in the strike are members of the A. F. of L., Mr. Green says that the "American Federation of Labor is not directly involved."

Now that Green has repudiated the vast membership of the A. F. of L. unions on the West Coast it would be only right and proper for the membership likewise to disown Mr. Green and stop sending money to the National Office for Mr. Green's salary.

Mr. Green and his agents are the forces within the labor movement that are attempting to smash the fine solidarity of the West Coast workers and thus make it easy for the shipowners to put over the open shop system on the waterfront.

The rank and file of the A. F. of L. should strengthen this solidarity throughout the country and defeat Mr. Green's attempt to strangle the strike. With the mass of the A. F. of L. workers behind it the strike can be won.

Resolutions should be introduced in every local union denouncing Green as a strikebreaker and an enemy of labor.

A. F. of L. workers should say to Mr. Green: "Get out of the labor movement. We ourselves will decide as to whether strikers have national significance or not. We will give our support to the general strike whether you like it or not."

## The Cleveland Shootings

CLEVELAND workers, turning out by the thousands for the mass funeral of the two unemployed workers shot down by police last Friday, registered their grim determination to fight against the murder of workers demanding bread and the right to live.

The protests of the Cleveland working class against the killing of these two workers, against the cold-blooded action of police, who fired into a delegation of 45 men, women and children in the Prospect Branch of the Cuyahoga County Relief Association, must roar across the country. Workers and their organizations throughout the country, all honest intellectuals and opponents of fascist terror, must protest this bloody outrage.

In the murder of the Negro woman, Mrs. Winnie Williams, and the Italian worker, Salvatore Arzenti, is a tragic symbolism. The ruling class and its governmental instruments murder both white and Negro workers, just as it condemns to starvation and misery the workers of all colors and nationalities, native and foreign-born.

The police bullets have welded the growing solidarity of white and Negro workers, of native and foreign-born in hot lead.

It was a united working class that answered this latest police attack, despite the efforts of the Negro reformist leaders to sabotage the movement, at the behest of the banker-controlled City Council of Cleveland, the employers and bourgeois politicians.

The workers of Cleveland and of the whole country must answer these bloody attacks by an intensified struggle for adequate unemployment relief at the expense of the bosses and their government, against discrimination against Negro and foreign-born workers, for the passage of the Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill, H.R. 7598, and for the use of all war appropriations for unemployment relief and payment of the veterans' bonus.

Every Cleveland worker and organization should rally behind the preparations for the August First demonstration in Public Square against Hunger, War and Fascism. Answer the bosses' terror by increased mobilization in the struggle for your every-day demands, for bread, for freedom. Build the fighting United Front against War and Fascism.

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Please send me more information on the Communist Party.

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## Willi Muenzenberg Chief Speaker at Anti-Fascist Meet

Mass Rally, Friday July 27th, at Coliseum, At 8:00 P. M.

NEW YORK—Willi Muenzenberg, leader of German working class organizations, former member of the Reichstag, will be the chief speaker and guest of honor at the Anti-Fascist Mass Rally to be held in the open air at Bronx Coliseum, Friday, July 27, at 8:00 p.m.

Agencies have been established at convenient points in New York City to care for the flood of inquiries and applications for tickets. It was announced by the New York Anti-Nazi Federation and the National Committee to Aid Victims of German Fascism, cosponsors of the rally.

Willi Muenzenberg is today a leader in the fight to a finish to end the German Fascist regime. As publisher of anti-fascist newspapers and magazines and of "The Brown Book of the Reichstag Fire and Hitler Terror," as well as the second Brown Book, "Dimitroff versus Goering," Muenzenberg has struck heavy blows at the Hitler regime by enlightening world public opinion.

Will Analyze German Situation  
The burning questions of today and tomorrow will be answered by Muenzenberg, and timely topics will be covered in a dynamic analysis. He is known as the most brilliant orator of the German workers' movement. Preparations are being made to seat 15,000 in the Coliseum.

The rally will be in the name of a conference of organizations and individuals to hear reports on conditions under German Fascism and to demand those 10,000 innocent men and women held as hostages by the Hitler and Dollfuss fascisms be liberated.

Tickets for the rally cost 25 cents in advance and 35 cents at the door. A limited number of banquet tickets are on sale at 60 cents, which will include the dinner also, but will be sold in advance only.

Tickets may be secured at the following places:  
National Committee to Aid Victims of German Fascism, 870 Broadway.  
New York Anti-Nazi Federation, 168 West 23rd St.

Workers' Book Shop, 50 East 13th St.

Workers' Clubs, 80 East 11th St.

Workers' Cooperative Apartments, 2700 Bronx Park East.

Needle Trades Industrial Union, 131 West 28th St.

International Workers Order, 80 Fifth Ave.

Hungarian Workers' Club, 350 E. 81st St.

German Workers' Club, 1501 Third Ave.

Workers' Book Shop, 369 Sutter Ave., Brooklyn.

German Workers' Club, 1370 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn.

## Warden Refuses to Give Mooney Wires

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addressed. Please wire us collect on this matter.

"DAILY WORKER."

This message finally brought a reply from the warden, who wired:

"Your revolutionary and seditious telegrams that you insist be handed to Mooney and McNamara will under no circumstances be delivered to them, therefore do not expect a statement from them through me that you demand as to the reaction on the glorious general strike now going on. Such disloyal and Communist communications are not delivered to prisoners."

"JAMES B. HOLOHAN, Warden."

Thus, making himself the judge of "disloyal" communications, the warden refuses to deliver a wire to Tom Mooney, barring him from communicating a message to the workers on the Pacific Coast struggle. The refusal to turn over the telegrams to Mooney and McNamara is a continuation of the systematic persecution of all political prisoners in San Quentin, and particularly of Tom Mooney. Mooney has continuously been deprived of the regular prison rights because of his courageous conduct in prison and his vigorous denunciations of the capitalist interests which keep him confined.

The International Labor Defense yesterday let it be known that it would wage a fight to compel the prison authorities to cease their campaign of persecution of Mooney and the other political prisoners in San Quentin.

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## SEEING RED!



## Misleaders Call Off 10,000 Cheer Freed Canadian Leaders; To Aid Thaelmann

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(Special to the Daily Worker)

TORONTO, Canada, July 19.—Ten thousand people crowded Standard Theatre here last night, despite torrid heat, wildly acclaiming Tom Hill, Malcolm Bruce and John Boychuk, released Communist leaders.

The meeting unanimously adopted resolutions demanding the freedom of Ernst Thaelmann, heroic leader of the German working class, threatened with secret trial and death by the new Hitler "People's Courts," and the release of Tim Buck, Secretary of the Canadian Communist Party, and Tom Ewen, two of the Kingston Seven still held in jail.

The meeting was addressed by Smith, General Secretary of the Canadian Defense League; Sime, of the Workers' Unity League; McLachlan, a Nova Scotia miner, and a German worker. The speakers dealt with the present situation in Germany, the vital need of developing a huge mass protest movement to save Thaelmann as Dimitroff was saved, and to strengthen the campaign for the release of Buck and Ewen.

Although inroads of prison life on the physique of the released comrades were plainly noticeable, their marvelous spirit set the audience afire with enthusiasm. Each

comrade, in fighting vein, pledged undying allegiance to the cause of the working class. The horrible conditions in Kingston Penitentiary were reviewed by the released comrades, who stressed the importance of building a huge united front for the release of Thaelmann, Buck and Ewen. They paid a glowing tribute to the Canadian Defense League and the revolutionary organizations for their splendid work in mobilizing the struggles which forced their release. Through the speeches rang the defiant note that despite bourgeois attempts to suppress the Communist Party, the Communist Party lives and is today stronger and firmer than ever.

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ment insurance to be paid by the employers and the government.

John Pace, Secretary of the R. W. P. A., in opening the conference, pointed to the growth of the mass struggle against the cuts and against the new cuts that the County Emergency Relief Administration is planning August 1st. He proposed in the name of the Committee of 25 elected at the first conference July 12 that another conference be held August where the question of a countywide strike will be considered.

A high point of the conference was the report of the delegation of five which had gone in to present the demands to CERA Administrator Ballenger while the demonstration was taking place. The members of the delegation, Taylor, a Negro Worker, McKenzie, Fanning, Martin and Samuels, told how efforts had been made to split and weaken their committee.

After discussion from the floor, a series of proposals, including the calling of the next conference on August 2, and the organization of struggles on the job, was unanimously adopted.

It was decided to send a committee to the Mayor and City Council to protest the police brutality and present the demands of the relief workers.

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