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'WAR ON RUSSIA!' BRITISH THREAT

AMALGAMATED STRIKERS STAND FIRMLY FOR REAL UNION; FAKE UNITED GARMENT SCABS ARE FEW

Friday marked a week's anniversary of the battle begun by the International Tailoring Company to break the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union and establish "open shop" under the scab label of the United Garment Workers. And a lively anniversary it was.

With every one of the 800 strikers standing out solid, the strikers' spirit is better than ever. The firm thought that about 80 per cent would stay, but not one remained, only about 25 scabs furnished by the scab agency of the United Garment Workers.

AS WE SEE IT.

By T. J. O'FLAHERTY

THE Kaiser's movements are puzzling the Dutch, so the papers tell us. Old "Me Un Gott" is returning to his old tendency towards laquacity who he promised to keep a tight hold on his lips when he was given asylum in Holland. The socialists were good to old Bill. They took over his government, and preserved it for his capitalists. They gave Bill plenty of money to live on and saw to it that his property was held inviolate. Now Bill is sending telegrams to the German monarchists signed "William Rex." As we have often said before, Bill is much more lively than his cousin Nicky, late of Russia.

ONE of the conditions on which the Wall Street bankers granted financial relief to the Mexican government, was that "superfluous" employees should be discharged from the railroads. This "reform," Calles promised to carry out. It was reported that the labor leaders were "sold" on this step. Perhaps they were bought and sold. However, the rank and file were not so satisfied. This accounts for a headline in the papers which reads: "Army Ready for Railroad Strike," and "President of Mexico prepares for trouble over economy move."

THE dispatch goes on to tell us that the minister of war in the "socialist" government of Mexico has ordered all commanders to call units of the Federal army to quarters. The members of the railmen's union have threatened to strike and Calles is determined that he will carry out the orders of the Wall Street bankers even if he has to march over the dead bodies of the workers.

WHEN Kellogg sent his blundering note to Calles recently, the DAILY WORKER pointed out that the thing looked stagey. Calles was faithfully carrying out his bargain with Wall Street. But, by the very loyalty of his conduct towards the United States capitalists, Calles was fast losing the confidence of the Mexican workers and peasants. Therefore it was necessary to indulge in a little stage play with Wall Street, such as the late Sam Gompers used to pull off with Judge Gary every once in a while.

SOCIALIST and labor governments, while capitalism is recognized as the dominant social system, are nothing but handmaidens of business. We saw them in action in Germany, England, New Zealand, Australia, Denmark, Sweden, and Poland. They treated the workers just as the avowed capitalist governments did. They pretended to be governments of all the people, just as the avowed capitalist governments. And when the capitalists had no more use for them, they kicked them out.

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MORGAN ELECTRICITY TRUST WILL PROBABLY GET SHOALS CONTRACT

(Special to The Daily Worker)
WASHINGTON, July 3.—The Alabama Power company was the only bidder for the power to be generated at Muscle Shoals in August during tests of new equipment, the war department announced today. The company bid 2 mills per kilowatt hour. It probably will get the contract. The company is controlled by the General Electric company, a Morgan concern.

War Against War



Marcel Cachin, French Communist leader, fighting the Moroccan war in the French parliament

INDIAN RAILWAY STRIKERS MARCH WITH RED FLAG

Secretary Would End Walkout of 20,000

NEW YORK, July 3.—A procession of 10,000 of the 20,000 railway workers striking on the North Western Railway of India marched thru Lahore bearing a banner dyed red with the strikers' own blood.

The general secretary of the All-India Railwaymen's Unions Federation, M. A. Khan, independent of the Indian Trade Union Congress, says that the strike began two months ago and has been growing. It originated over the dismissal of a worker but was fed by general discontent among the workers over low wages. Many of the workers have been evicted by police from company houses.

Their pay is little and many of the workers are illiterate. The union secretary, however, is attempting to settle the strike by calling in government "arbitration."

There are about 700,000 railway workers in all India. They are being called on to aid strikers who are hungry and homeless.

Imperialism at London Blames Soviets for Woes

(Special to The Daily Worker)

LONDON, July 3.—Pessimism over the international situation, which is clouded with a possibility of war with Soviet Russia, is felt by many high officials as the imperialist interests of Great Britain seem falling into a crisis which threatens to break the power of Britain unless by war, which may involve the whole world, she can regain the ground she is losing.

Threatened by a nationalist liberation revolution in China which is cutting off a tenacle of the British imperialist octopus, and with India, as a consequence of both China's and Soviet Russia's example in likelihood of an explosion that would shatter the age-old British Empire into a heap of ruins, the British Tory cabinet is scheming to place upon Soviet Russia the blame for the war Britain feels she must face.

Wholesale propaganda of British agents at home and abroad to the effect that the Soviet government is directly inciting the liberation movement in India and China is a part of this English alibi for the coming war.

Under the shelter of this cry which England thinks she can make the world believe, Britain's aggression against Soviet Russia takes the form of a demand on Soviet Russia regarding "revolutionary propaganda" in India, made informally by Lord Birkenhead and a majority of the cabinet wish to use this excuse to break off all relations with the Soviet power

UNITE FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE AGAINST BRUTAL TYRANNY OF WORLD IMPERIALISTS

An appeal to the trade unions, the socialist party, and all other organizations sympathizing with the cause of the Chinese people has been made jointly by the All-American Anti-Imperialist League, the Workers (Communist) Party and the Trade Union Educational League as follows:

THE Chinese people are waging a valiant struggle for their independence and against the brutal oppression of the foreign imperialists. The toiling masses of China demand that the imperialists get out of China and let the Chinese people develop freely their own lives and manage themselves their own affairs.

But, the rapacious imperialists of America, England, Japan, and France, the capitalist powers that are holding China in their grip, refuse to accede to the rightful demands of the Chinese people. Foreign imperialism is determined to hold on to China by sheer force, by jailing, persecution, and wholesale murder. Already many workers and students have been killed by the agents of foreign imperialism in Shanghai, Hanken, Cindaw, and many other places where the Chinese masses have dared to demand the right to their own country.

At this very moment the imperialists of England, and Japan, are carrying on a joint military intervention to subdue the revolt of the Chinese masses. This means war. This means the sacrifice of thousands of people on the altar of capitalism and imperialism. It means more suffering and misery for the masses of England, America, France, and Japan, as well as for the people of China.

The situation demands united action of all working class forces in support of the just demands of the Chinese people. The labor movement of the United States is vitally interested in the success of the struggles of the Chinese workers against their capitalist exploiters as well as in the struggles of the Chinese people for national freedom and independence.

Realizing the gravity of the situation and the duties that it imposes upon the labor movement of the United States, the All-American, Anti-Imperialist League, the Workers (Communist) Party of America, and the Trade Union Educational League call upon the trade unions, the socialist party, and all other organizations of workers and poor farmers to join hands for common action in support of the struggles of the Chinese people.

We propose the calling of united front conferences of all labor and other organizations favoring the cause of the Chinese masses to organize and lead this campaign. We propose that all forces of labor, irrespective of political aims or affiliations, join hands for common action in support of the following demands:

THE WITHDRAWAL FROM CHINA OF THE IMPERIALISTS AND THEIR ARMED FORCES.

THE CANCELLATION OF ALL TREATIES HUMILIATING TO CHINA, AND THE CANCELLATION OF THE EXTRA-TERRITORIAL RIGHTS FOR FOREIGNERS.

GRANT THE DEMANDS OF THE CHINESE WORKERS NOW ON STRIKE.

THE IMMEDIATE TRIAL OF ALL THOSE GUILTY OF AND RESPONSIBLE FOR THE KILLING OF THE WORKERS AND STUDENTS IN SHANGHAI, HANKOW, CINDOW, ETC.

All-American Anti-Imperialist League,
Manuel Gomez, Secretary.

WORKERS PARTY OF AMERICA,
WILLIAM Z. FOSTER, Chairman.
C. E. RUTHENBERG, Executive Secretary.
TRADE UNION EDUCATIONAL LEAGUE,
J. W. JOHNSTONE, Secretary.

CHINESE CREW OF BRITISH BOAT STRIKE AT CANADIAN PORT; GET SIX WEEKS' JAIL AT HARD LABOR

(By MILTON HARLAN, Worker Correspondent)

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., July 3.—Reading in the DAILY WORKER the request for readers to be always on the watch-out for events of malign import

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WOULD SUPPRESS PUBLICITY OF PLOTS OF UNITED STATES TO BRING ON WAR IN THE PACIFIC

(Special to The Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The Navy Department has been asked by Representative Summers (D) of Texas to make an "investigation" of the statement of Edward L. Doheny that he was told by Admiral J. K. Robison that the United States feared a war in the Pacific.

Summers said naval officers or other officials of the government "should be kept from divulging such information to private citizens." Summers did not doubt the truth of the "war scare" story.

NEW EARTHQUAKE INJURES TEN IN SANTA BARBARA

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., July 3.—At least ten persons were injured and considerable property damage was done by a second earthquake which brought new terror and disaster to Santa Barbara today.

and prepare for war.

The reply of Georges Tchitcherin, Soviet Commissar for foreign affairs, reminds England bluntly that severance of relations would be an un-friendly act "the last consequences of which is war."

The dispatches of one of the best informed European journalists, Karl Von Wiegand, from Berlin, indicate that Soviet Russia, desiring only peace with other nations, is no longer the football of international imperialists and speaking to the British work-

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SPEAKERS:
James P. Cannon
Member C. E. C., Workers (Communist) Party.
C. T. Chi
Chinese Students' Alliance.
H. V. Phillips
American Negro Labor Congress.
Ella Reeve Bloor
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TRI-DISTRICT MINE CONVENTION ADJOURNS; PROGRESSIVES BATTLE HARD FOR HIGHER WAGE DEMANDS

(Special to The Daily Worker)

SCRANTON, Pa., July 3.—The tri-district convention adjourned last night after the scale committee had rushed thru its report in about two hours' time, following a big battle between progressives and the Lewis-Cappellini machine.

The committee proposed only a ten per cent wage increase and a dollar increase for company laborers.

Pat Toohy and Howell of Pottsville, along with other progressives demanded a twenty per cent increase with a two dollar raise for the laborers.

Lewis Clashes with Progressives.
Lewis continually interrupted the progressive speakers and shook his fist at Toohy. Evidently, however, the Progressive Miners' Committee and the rank and file attention and adherence it has won, has learned John L.

not to go beyond such demonstrations at present.
Cappellini was bitterly attacked by speaker after speaker from the Progressives for his betrayals of the rank and file, but Lewis ruled always that discussion on Cappellini was "out of order."

Left Wing Wins Partial Demands.
Pat Toohy demanded action on the conciliation board resolution on which the committee failed to report. None the less, the battle by the adherents of the Progressive Miners' Committee in the convention of the Tri-District marks a significant step forward for the American miners.

Besides the political resolutions adopted previously, many of the measures of the Progressives were adopted such as the payment on tonnage basis, higher pay for overtime, payment for dead work and other matters of great interest to the miners.

FOREIGN IMPERIALISTS REFUSE TO DISCUSS CHINESE TREATIES AND NEW CONFERENCE COLLAPSES
PEKING, China, July 3.—Upon the refusal of the representatives of the foreign powers to discuss treaty revision and the whole causative background of the murder of Chinese by foreign troops at Shanghai and the resulting national strike, the Chinese members of the conference attended by both sides to discuss the events at Shanghai, resigned yesterday, causing a breakdown of the conference. The parley had just started.

WESTERN ELECTRIC CO., ORDERS SLAVES TO DO GOOSE STEP TODAY

The Western Electric company, arm of the Morgan Electric Trust, has ordered its employees to take part in an all day observance of the military demonstration ordered by Coolidge for today.

The Western Electric company, when running at capacity, employs forty-five thousand workers in Chicago. Twenty-five thousand are now employed in the nonunion plant.

Strike Talk Grows.
The dispute between the elevated railroad employees and the company, over the wage increase of five cents an hour demanded by the men, is deadlocked.

Strike sentiment is growing. There will be no further action until the next regular meeting of the union on July 11.

Push that Sub-Campaign ends July 11!

INFORMATION WANTED!

About **Jacques Margolis**

Born in Johannesburg, So. Africa; studied violin in Brussels, Belgium; 25 yrs. of age; wears glasses; lean; deep voice; speaks English and French.

Notice of past or present whereabouts deeply appreciated; important. Mail at once to

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For 'Law and Order'



The British and French bringing law and order into their colonies.

"Amalgamated" Is Standing Firmly for Real Union

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bunches of detectives with their machine guns and riot clubs and billes and the private slugs in droves, the already small number of scabs is being whittled down. The strikers manage to talk with them in one language or another and put forth convincing argument against scabbing.

Scabs Have Gay Time.

Twelve of these smelly United Garment scabs were let out of the back door into the alley, lined up like prisoners surrounded by 15 cops and a squad of slugs, marched like prisoners out into the street along the gutter of one block, into the alley on the next block and by devious route into the elevated station. There the cops tried to stop the pickets from entering until the scabs were safely housed, but one woman managed to have a chat with one scab, who was so interested that he went away and forgot his hat, which wasn't worth much except for cow feed, however.

The outside contract firms that used to make many of the firms' order have shut off doing so, and at the meeting Friday night of shop chairmen, instructions were issued to stop all attempts to get the scabby firms orders made in other shops.

The morale of the strikers is excellent and they are determined to see the fight thru, in spite of all police brutality, there being nine arrests Thursday and many clubbings by the police, one striker being knocked down with the butt end of a gun. Among those arrested were M. Weiss, M. Zicarelli and Mike Florida.

Have to Fight Class War.

The meetings at Hod Carriers' Hall maintain the mass morale at fighting pitch. Many officials spoke. Referring to the Fourth of July, one speaker said, "The patriots will tell you about liberty and democracy, but the workers never get any of either unless they fight for it. They will tell you this stuff on Saturday, but when you come down to the shop on Monday you will get slugged and arrested for your share of liberty and democracy."

General Organizer Grandinatti, just came from St. Louis, told the strikers here of the strike there against the Curlees Company and what the strike meant for the union, and an official of Local 39 pledged that the 12,000 members of that local would stand by the International strikers to the point of going on strike if necessary to aid them.

Up to Chicago Federation.

The strikers are waiting impatiently to see what will be the response of the labor unions of the Chicago Federation of Labor next Sunday to the scabbing agreement of the United Garment Workers crew headed by George C. Slater.

London Imperialism Tries to Blame the Soviets for Its Woes

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ing class over the head of Lord Birkenhead warns that Soviet Russia is aware of the war threat behind the maneuver of Britain.

Austen Chamberlain, foreign minister, is more shrewd than Birkenhead and fears to venture upon the road to war with what amounts to the working class of the world. But—even Chamberlain says that Britain "will take whatever steps are necessary to protect British interests."

Regarding the charges that Soviet Russia is directly aiding the Chinese liberation movement, dispatches from Moscow state that Tchitcherin has declared in an official statement that while the workers and peasants of Russia are on the side of the Chinese in their struggle for complete liberation from foreign domination, the Soviet government has a policy of avoiding any action which could be regarded as intervention in China's affairs.

Your neighbor would like to read this issue of the DAILY WORKER. Be neighborly—give it to him!

CURLEE STRIKE EFFECTIVE; NO CLOTHES MADE

St. Louis Girls Fight Loyally for Union

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 3.—The St. Louis strike of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of Curlee Manufacturing Co. has been bitterly fought for over a month. The Police brutality in the strike aroused the public to such an extent that a protest meeting was held by men and women, representing many organizations on Wednesday afternoon.

Lawyers, doctors, businessmen and club women expressed their disapproval of the methods used by the employers to break this strike. Nearly \$5,000 in fines have filed-up against the strikers in wholesale arrests.

In one day, fifty-two union men and women were arrested, and every day many more are dragged to court on all kinds of trumped-up charges.

Mother Bloor, former General Organizer of the United Cloth Hat & Cap Makers, now touring the country for the DAILY WORKER, received a great ovation from the strikers at their meeting on Thursday morning, where she appeared, very unexpectedly, and addressed them—on the fundamental principles of their great union—solidarity of all workers in the shop, without regard to color, race nationality or creed.

She showed how the standards of living both mental and physical, had been uplifted by the power of the workers themselves. That union men and women do things for themselves, do not ask charity in any form.

Good union men and women are self-respecting workers with an interest in their own class, their own life, and their fellow workers.

Brother Oliver is doing good work as manager of the strike and is ably assisted by some of the women organizers.

One feature of this strike is the great activity of the women workers. They are just as strong as when the fight first started, and are out to win recognition of the union and union conditions for their shop in spite of police brutality, in spite of Curlee's determination to make open shop conditions, and even in spite of the injunction issued against the picketing. They are good strikers and know what they want.

TO ASK FEDERAL WRIT TO HALT SCOPES' TRIAL

Clarence Darrow has announced that a federal injunction will be asked Monday to restrain in the state of Tennessee from prosecuting John T. Scopes.

This means that, if the injunction is granted, the widely heralded "evolution trial" will not take place July 10 in Dayton as scheduled.

Instead the case will be one merely of local technicalities, without witnesses being called and without the subject of evolution itself being discussed, and will be held before a federal court.

"A favorable decision in our petition for an injunction will save Mr. Scopes from trial," said Darrow "and will be a very detrimental influence upon further prosecutions in Tennessee and upon further passage of similar 'Gag Laws' by other states."

MacMillan Hits Bad Weather, on Pole Trip, in Labrador

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The flagship Bowdoin of the MacMillan Arctic expedition is lying at Battle Harbor, Labrador, awaiting the arrival of the airplane carrier Peary, said a radio dispatch to the national geographic society this afternoon from Commander Donald B. MacMillan.

Gov. Small Gives His Son Fat Job As State Agent

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 3.—Three state appointments were made public by Governor Small, here today. They were: L. H. Becherer, as state purchasing agent; Leslie C. Small, the governor's son, director of purchases and construction; Alma B. Lewis, director of mines and minerals.

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Imperialist "War" Cry Herald of Labor's Civil War Against Capitalism

By J. LOUIS ENGDahl.

TODAY, the imperialist cry for "WAR!" voiced from the slavery mouths of the billion copies of its inspired daily press, thunders 'round the globe. The imperialists try, as best they can, to forget their differences, in China, in North Africa, in Mexico, everywhere, in their frantic efforts to unite in the common cry for "WAR!" against their recognized common foe, the Union of Soviet Republics.

London dispatches say that the majority of the Tory cabinet that rules the British empire is in favor of breaking off all diplomatic relations with Georges Tchitcherin, Soviet foreign minister, who declares that severing of relations would be an unfriendly act, "the last consequence of which is war."

No secret diplomacy here. The Soviet foreign minister points the goal toward which British imperialism is heading. The British workers will be advised accordingly.

U. S. imperialism, with its political seat in Washington, is trying to call the anti-Chinese allies into conference to discuss the difficult dilemma of international banditry in the Orient.

The dollar dictatorship at Washington is just as convinced as Baldwin rule in London that "Moscow" is to blame for the flaming unrest that is sweeping Asia, in ever-widening regions, that "Moscow" is responsible for the uprising of the peoples of North Africa, from the coast of the Atlantic to the Nile, that it is "Moscow" that is plotting "Soviet Rule" in the Mexican republic on the southern brink of continental Wall Street. Thus imperialism stands blind upon the precipice.

President P. W. Kuo, of the Southeastern University, of Nanking, China, speaks to the students of the Rockefeller oil university, pointing out that Soviet Russia has come forward proclaiming herself to be China's best friend. Foreign Minister Tchitcherin, at Moscow, issues a statement declaring that:

"Altho the sympathies of the Russians are on the side of the Chinese in their struggle for complete liberation from foreign domination, the Soviet government's policy is to avoid any action which could be regarded as intervention in China's international affairs."

The Soviet Union does not need to intervene in China. Imperialism has created in China all the conditions necessary for the present revolutionary struggle, not only against imperialism, but also against native capitalism.

The growing proletarian masses in China are developing their struggle for all power, in common with the struggle of American labor, British labor, French labor, German labor, all in their own countries.

President Kuo, from Rockefeller's forum, urges the United States to take the same attitude toward China that has been adopted by the Soviet Union. He asks the impossible. Imperialism goes abroad to plunder and murder, to oppress subject peoples. Bolshevism, on the other hand, struggles for the world fraternity of all peoples, for a world economy, where no great nations will crucify smaller nations on its altar of greed, but all live in harmony and peaceful development. President Kuo will learn that as the struggle in China develops, if he continues to cling to the Soviet viewpoint.

And the world imperialists, torn by internal rivalries, will not be able to develop unity, neither against the Chinese people nor against the Soviet Union. It is the United States against the Japanese, the French against the British, or any other combinations that keep competition for domination in the Orient, or elsewhere, demands.

Not even "WAR!" against the Soviet Union will unite all capitalism. Within every capitalist nation there stands the growing proletarian power demanding civil war against and the overthrow of the capitalist oppressor.

World imperialism cries "WAR!" World labor replies, "Then let there be war!" But not the fratricidal war fought by workers of one nation, or group of nations, against the workers of another nation, or group of nations. But let it be the war of the workers against the present master class, that sees its sun rapidly setting.

This is something for the workers of the United States to think about on so-called "Defense Day," July 4, 1925. It must be a day of defense of working class interests, a milestone of the growing offensive of the working class against the boss class, that ends in labor's victory.

CHINESE ON BRITISH BOAT STRIKE

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and to communicate such news to the editors, I find such an instance obscurely concealed in the Shipping News column of the San Francisco Examiner of June 27. It says:

"VICTORIA, British Columbia, June 26—After four days' delay here, the steamer "City of Vancouver" left Pier No. 1 for Australia manned with a white crew. Twenty-four reactionary (Why the word "reactionary" instead of "revolutionary" only Christ and the Frisco Examiner editor knows—M. H.) Chinese who refused duty, were today sentenced in police court here to six weeks in jail with hard labor. The ship laden with 4,750,000 feet of lumber, cleared for sea at 6 o'clock tonight, after recruiting the white crew."

To me three queries arise: How can these Chinese seamen be imprisoned who have left their boat safely in a port? What can be said of the "superior" Anglo-Saxons who scab on Chinese striking union seamen? Thirdly, will somebody in the marine unions of the United States or Canada, cable a demand on the Australian port workers' unions to show international solidarity and lay a boycott on the lumber cargo of the "City of Vancouver?"

THIRTY MILLION DOLLAR CRASH OF STOCK FIRM

Brokerage Firm Did Not Meet Payments

A \$30,000,000 crash rocked the financial district here yesterday when Dean Onativia and Co., one of the oldest brokerage houses in Chicago was placed in the hands of receivers by Federal Judge Carpenter.

Creditor banks filed the petition. The Chicago Title and Trust Co. was named receiver.

Chester R. Davis of the Chicago Title and Trust Co., was placed in charge of the company's offices, occupying an entire floor of a loop office building.

Offices Closed.
Davis barred every one but his immediate aids from the offices, and details concerning the financial difficulties of the company were meagre.

29 Million Liabilities.
The petition for receivership was filed in conjunction with a petition for adjudication. Altho merchandising bills totalling \$844.73 threw the firm into receivership, the receivership petition avers that the liabilities of the firm approximate \$29,000,000.

"Its said liabilities of \$29,000,000," the petition avers, "are almost wholly stock and other securities which are in fact the property of its customers and are pledged in various banks."

The petition charged that the firm committed an act of bankruptcy on July 1 by paying to Charles J. Trotman \$22,000 with intent, it is alleged, to give Trotman preference over other creditors.

So suddenly did the petition come that the board of governors of the Board of Trade were not apprised of the action until late last night, after it is understood, the creditors held a meeting and determined upon the bankruptcy proceedings. A meeting of the governors was called at 6 A. M. and the board voted the customary five day suspension.

New York Petition.
NEW YORK, July 3.—Coincident with the announcement that the New York Stock Exchange suspended the firm of Dean Onativia and Company, for failure to meet its obligations, an involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States District Court against the firm by three employees.

The assets were given at \$4,000,000 and liabilities \$1,000,000 in excess of assets, according to the petitioning creditors.

The suspension had little effect on the trading in Wall Street, altho it brought some liquidation for evening up accounts.

The New York Curb Market followed the exchange, and also announced suspension of the company. William M. Cannon of the New York Federal Court was appointed receiver for Dean Onativia & Co. under a bond of \$50,000.

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Statement of the Central Executive Committee of the Workers (Communist) Party on the Conclusion of the Second Annual Daily Worker Subscription Drive.

The Communist Press is the collective organizer of the party and collective organizer of the working class. Lenin has written these words and the import of them has been emphasized by the history and the development of every Communist party.

The DAILY WORKER has concluded its second annual subscription campaign which during a three months period succeeded in adding 3200 new subscribers to the army of DAILY WORKER readers. Three thousand two hundred workers have thus been brought closer to the Communists. The most militant and intelligent among them will be brought into the party ranks. Most of the rest will from now on follow the leadership of the Workers Party, will support the Communist program. An important progress in the organization of the party and of the working class has been made.

Important as they are, however, the results of this campaign give no cause for great elation.

An appraisal of the campaign shows us that one new subscriber has been gained during the past three months for every ten members of the party. Many of those who were active during the campaign secured many more than one subscription each. It is therefore apparent that less than one tenth of the party membership participated in the campaign.

There is only one DAILY WORKER. It is the organ upon which the party depends to reach the widest masses of workers. It follows therefore that the entire party, everyone of its units, every member must utilize the DAILY WORKER to the utmost, must connect the DAILY WORKER in the most intimate manner with every party activity. That means that in every activity of the party and in every place the party or its members function the DAILY WORKER must be held to the forefront. If this is done it will not require three months of intensive campaign to secure three thousand new DAILY WORKER readers, but this number and more can be secured every week.

How can the party fulfill its obligations toward the DAILY WORKER? How can the party reap the full benefit from its possession of a daily organ in the English language?

First of all it is necessary that the party apply itself organizationally to its DAILY WORKER tasks in the same manner in which it undertakes all its major activities. THERE MUST BE COMPLETE AND COMPETENT ORGANIZATION. In every unit, every City Central, branch, nucleus, trade union or industrial fraction there must be a DAILY WORKER representative, competent and active in promoting the circulation of the DAILY WORKER. At every meeting of these units the WORKER must be on the order of business, reports of accomplishments made and plans and assignments of work considered.

Secondly the DAILY WORKER MUST BE MADE THE ORGAN OF EVERY STRUGGLE OF THE WORKING CLASS. This does not mean simply that the party shall issue a manifesto on each of the major working class issues. It means that wherever there is an attempt of the working class to fight against the enemy, to better its conditions, to increase its strength, whether it be a movement comprising thousands or whether it concerns only a few, there the party members involved must make the DAILY WORKER the champion of the workers. By sending in news, by securing copies of the DAILY WORKER containing the pertinent articles and distributing them among the workers, by following up these activities to make steady DAILY WORKER readers.

The party depends on the DAILY WORKER more than on any other institution or weapon for its health and growth. The DAILY WORKER depends on extending its subscription list for the extension of its influence and for its very existence.

Our press is the collective organizer of our party and of the working class. In times of campaign and out the party membership, all of it, is charged with the duty of working for our press, writing for it and extending its circulation.

The second annual DAILY WORKER subscription campaign has ended. The daily subscription campaign the membership must wage for the DAILY WORKER goes on every day by instruction of the Communist International and the Central Executive Committee, and no member is exempt from participation.

CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
WORKERS (COMMUNIST) PARTY OF AMERICA,
WILLIAM Z. FOSTER, Chairman,
C. E. RUTHENBERG, Exec. Secretary.

AS WE SEE IT -- By T. J. O'Flaherty

(Continued from page 1)
THERE is only one real government of the workers in existence and that is the Soviet government. It does not pretend to be fair or impartial. It openly admits that it exists for the benefit of the workers and peasants and only tolerates capitalist production until the development of industry and the onward march of the revolution in other countries permits the socialization of all industry and the gradual Communization of society. The antics of the socialist Calles, the tool of the American capitalists is another eyesore for the workers.

THINGS are getting blacker in Italy. The fascists are getting crazier. During the course of a sermon a priest urged his parishioners to increase their offerings to the church a penny each because the lira had fallen. He was immediately arrested by the local fascists and thrown into jail. He was afterwards released. The lira is going down and so are the blackshirts.

DULL is that page of a capitalist newspaper on which is not featured at least one story telling of the activities of the Communist International or the Soviet government. Four is the count on one page of last Wednesday's Daily News. A Soviet "agent" was arrested in Shanghai with instructions on his person for organizing strike committees; another story of a stool-pigeon who that he could fool the Gay-Pay; a story of a civil war between Zinoviev and Dzerjinsky and another one telling of the great fear which pervades Latvia—fear of the Russian Red Army.

WHERE there is much smoke there is liable to be some fire. The capitalists have good reason to fear Soviet Russia. Here is tangible proof of what the working class can accomplish. The old bunk that the workers would not know what to do with industry if it were handed to them is successfully exploded. The Communist idea is going thru the world like a torpedo and it will finally sink the capitalist ship.

SAN FRANCISCO AND MONESSEN LEAD SUB CAMPAIGN

Thirty Two Hundred New Subs Secured

The second great attempt to build the DAILY WORKER is over. For approximately three months active workers throughout the country banded together in the happy task of building their own paper, and 3,200 new subscriptions were added to the list. This figure excludes renewals sent in and subscriptions sent by the subscribers themselves.

San Francisco (Bay District), filling ninety percent of its quota of 170 new subs. took the lead in the last two weeks of the campaign, when with the united effort of the local and chiefly thru the guiding activity of District Organizer Comrade Lewis and City Agent Comrade P. B. Cowdery, they instituted the drive which terminated with San Francisco far in the lead.

Local Philadelphia is deserving of hardly less credit. City Agent Comrade Lena Rosenberg, leading the work that resulted in 188 new subs to fill seventy four percent of the quota, considering local conditions, did a Communist job to be proud of.

Buffalo, N. Y., a comparatively small local, with the great assistance of the Finnish branch came in third and only one point behind second. Here again, the hard work and patient insistence of City Agent Comrade Dirba was greatly responsible.

Minneapolis, followed by Milwaukee, Kansas City, Los Angeles, Detroit and St. Paul did well—and in each of these cities the City Agent, part of the splendidly improving DAILY WORKER machinery, was chiefly responsible for the showing made.

New York had a much more difficult problem. Only shortly before the campaign, this local mainly thru the efforts and good generalship of Comrade L. E. Katterfeld, secured over three thousand new short term subs at a monster meeting held there. The whole city organization from then on was engaged in the gigantic task of securing renewals and the 621 new subs secured in the campaign is a comparatively good performance.

All cities, including those of outstanding campaign performance, have a problem on hand which necessarily becomes now the immediate task. Intense interest in only one phase of DAILY WORKER activity, that of securing new subs. permitted the overlooking of a careful follow-up of renewals and the close attention to newstand sales. Both these matters, especially for the large cities, are and must be one of the chief angles of DAILY WORKER activity—supplementing shop and factory drives.

Smaller Cities Best

Where no city having a quota of over hundred subs has filled its campaign obligations, among these having a quota of less than one hundred, nine locals went over the top.

Monessen, Pa., leads them all with 260 per cent. A small group of the Young Workers League was chiefly responsible. Led by Leo Kauppila, they have contributed the outstanding performance of the whole campaign.

West Allis, Wis., a suburb of Milwaukee came second. In Pottsville, Pa., and other smaller cities, each performance can be directly attributed to a single individual—usually the DAILY WORKER Agent.

One of the really splendid showings made was that of Comrade J. C. Das of New Orleans. Single handed, without the aid of any Communist units, this comrade left obligated to fill his quota and did—getting the ten subs needed.

This is the caliber of Communist Builders and sympathetic workers to whom most of the success of this campaign can be traced directly—and with the further election of DAILY WORKER Agents in every single Communist unit in the country, insistence on their proper functioning, and support from every Communist member to these most important activities, the DAILY WORKER can grow to be one of the world's really great Communist papers.

GOVERNMENT DOES NOT DENY THE CHARGE OF TEAPOT DOMER THAT U. S. EXPECTED PACIFIC WAR SOON

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Official comment was lacking here today on the statement of Edward L. Doheny that a "war scare" in the Pacific caused the government to contract with him for the building of storage tanks at Hawaii and his oil leases in California, and thus speed war preparations.

At the office of the government oil counsel, it was pointed out that the "national defense angle" referred to by Doheny was brought out in the hearings before the senate public land committee, but that little attention has been paid to it in the trials of Doheny and Harry F. Sinclair as the state and navy departments "did not regard it as important."

Atlee Pomerane and Owen J. Roberts, the oil counsel, are enroute to Cheyenne and Los Angeles to appear in the federal courts in connection with the civil cases growing out of the Sinclair and Doheny leases.

U. S. Spends \$11,095,000 in Day
WASHINGTON, July 3.—The government first day's business showed a deficit of \$990,440, receipts having been \$10,105,000 compared to expenditures of \$11,095,000.

Scopes' Sister Thrown Out of Job by Paducah, Kentucky, School Board

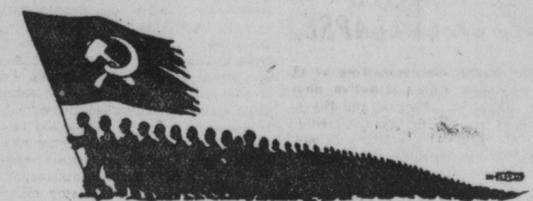
The American Federation of Teachers which closed its annual convention at the Webster Hotel here yesterday has taken up the fight of Miss Lela V. Scopes, sister of John T. Scopes, who has been refused a position as teacher by the school board of Paducah, Ky. because she joins her brother in belief in the theory of evolution. The federation will take her case to the American Civil Liberties Union. Miss Scopes has served two terms under the Paducah board.



BUILDERS AT WORK



	Sub Sent	Quota	Percent Filled
San Francisco, Cal. (Bay District).....	152	170	90
Philadelphia, Pa.	186	250	74
Buffalo, N. Y.	73	100	73
Minneapolis, Minn.	137	200	68
Milwaukee, Wis.	64	125	51
Kansas City, Mo.	66	100	66
Los Angeles, Calif.	83	150	55
Detroit, Mich.	249	500	49
St. Paul, Minn.	59	135	45
New York, N. Y.	621	1600	41
Boston, Mass.	80	200	40
Pittsburgh, Pa.	95	250	37
Cleveland, Ohio	111	450	25
Toledo, Ohio	49	200	24
St. Louis, Mo.	23	100	23
Chicago, Ill.	298	1600	17



Monessen, Pa.	26	10	260
West Allis, Wis.	17	10	170
Pottsville, Pa.	16	10	160
North Cohoes, N. Y.	15	10	150
Pittsburgh, Kan.	15	10	150
Frankfort Heights, Ill.	12	10	120
Denver, Col.	60	50	110
Youngstown, Ohio	26	25	104
New Orleans, La.	10	10	100
Omaha, Neb.	45	50	90
Stamford, Conn.	12	15	80
Rochester, Minn.	8	10	80
Pocatello, Idaho	8	10	80
Ambridge, Pa.	7	10	70
Paterson, N. J.	7	10	70
East Liverpool, Ohio	7	10	70
Jamestown, N. Y.	7	10	70
Cincinnati, Ohio	34	50	68
Kansas City, Kan.	13	20	65
Eureka, Cal.	6	10	60
Providence, R. I.	16	30	57
Warren, Ohio	15	30	50
Blair Sta., Pa.	5	10	50
Winlock, Wash.	5	10	50
Galveston, Texas	5	10	50
Lawrence, Mass.	5	10	50
Four States, W. Va.	5	10	50
Dillies Bottom, Ohio	5	10	50
Amsterdam, Ohio	5	10	50
Springfield, Ill.	22	50	44
Grand Rapids, Mich.	26	60	43
Canton, Ohio	14	30	43
Revere, Mass.	21	30	43
Superior, Wis.	25	60	40
Dallas, Texas	4	10	40
Spokane, Wash.	4	10	40
Angora, Minn.	4	10	40
Etna, Pa.	4	10	40
Bentleyville, Pa.	4	10	40
Kincaid, Ill.	4	10	40
Frederick, S. D.	4	10	40
Utica, N. Y.	4	10	40
Portland, Ore.	25	60	40
Hancock, Mich.	3	10	30
Indianapolis, Ind.	3	10	30
Endicott, N. Y.	3	10	30
Muskegon, Mich.	3	30	30
Max, N. D.	3	10	30
Erie, Pa.	3	10	30
Catfish, Pa.	3	10	30
Binghampton, N. Y.	3	10	30
Schenectady, N. Y.	3	10	30
San Pedro, Cal.	3	10	30
Ukiah, Cal.	3	10	30
West Frankfort, Ill.	3	10	30
Racine, Wis.	6	20	28
McKeesport, Pa.	10	40	25
Bellaire, Ohio	6	25	24
Astoria, Ore.	7	30	23
Rochester, N. Y.	11	50	22
Topeka, Kan.	2	10	20
New Haven, Conn.	6	30	20
Elizabeth, N. J.	4	20	20
Gary, Ind.	2	10	20
Joliet, Ill.	2	10	20
New Brunswick, N. J.	2	10	20
Hartford, Conn.	6	30	20
Decatur, Ill.	2	10	20
Taylorville, Ill.	2	10	20
Tacoma, Wash.	2	10	20
Chisholm, Minn.	2	10	20
Cateret, N. J.	2	10	20
Springwell, Mich.	2	10	20
Coropolis, Pa.	2	10	20
Pentiac, Mich.	5	25	20
Barton, Ohio	2	10	20
Duluth, Minn.	2	10	20
Mt. Vernon, Wash.	2	10	20
Akron, Ohio	5	30	18
Christopher, Ill.	7	40	18
Hanna, Wyo.	8	50	16
South Bend, Ind.	6	40	15
Washington, D. C.	6	40	15
Baltimore, Md.	12	75	15
Rockford, Ill.	6	50	12
Canonsburg, Pa.	4	40	12

PROF. DOUBTS JULY FOURTH; GETS CANNED

Declaration of Independence Under Glass

"When the 'Fathers' signed their 'Declaration of Independence' on July 4th, 1776, they were not aware that they were not doing what they thought they were." This statement was made public today by Professor E. M. Butterworth of the National Institute for Historic Research at his home in Mount Olliv, Conn. He bases this not at all startling disclosure on a number of documents in the possession of the Institute which, the professor says, "indicate that July 4th was an inopportune time chosen by the signatories, since," he goes on, "April First would have been a far more appropriate date."

Couldn't Write Own Names.

In addition, Professor Butterworth said that his own personal researches had led him to doubt very much whether the declaration had been signed at all. The mere existence of such a document, he said, "is by no means convincing to one, like myself, who is required to repudiate historic forgeries every day in the year. Furthermore, I know of at least two dozen of the so-called signatories who couldn't write their own names." "And," he concluded, "what better evidence would you need to lead you to doubt the existence of a document than that the purpose for which the document was supposed to have been signed have at no time been achieved."

Prof. Gets Sack.

Two hours after the above interview was given, Professor Butterworth was notified by the board of directors of the Institute by wire that he "would be making a very great mistake to suppose that he would be allowed to continue in the services of the Institute."

Chicagoans Offer to Listen.

As soon as this news was made public another wire was received at Mount Olliv from Chicago, inviting Professor Butterworth to speak at a great picnic there at Beyer's grove. This wire said in part "We will have on July Fourth no less than 10,000 people assembled in Chicago who will be glad to hear what you have to say about the declaration of independence. The mere fact that most of them know already as much as you do about the matter should not be a deterrent to your speaking to them." The professor will not come. But it is reported from Chicago that there will be better speakers at the Grove on Saturday.

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July 4—Anti-Imperialism Day!

The widely extended lines of American imperialism reach out to all quarters of the earth as millions of American workers and farmers celebrate the founding of this nation just 150 years ago.

The United States of America won its freedom from Great Britain by armed struggle. Thirteen colonial provinces, peopled by farmers, hunters and trappers, with a thin fringe of manufacturing and trading population along the Atlantic coast, decreed their independence, fought to gain and maintain it.

For a decade after the recognition of their independence by Great Britain the thirteen colonies were torn by internal strife separatism and rebellion.

The diluted history taught American children tells nothing of the strife and chaos of this period. The general assumption therefore is that once the foreign tyrants had been ousted peace, order and prosperity reigned at once.

We mention this fact because the moral justification for American imperialism's interventions in Haiti, Mexico, Santo Domingo, the Philippines, China, Russia, Cuba and other colonial and semi-colonial nations is that it is necessary to institute "law and order."

The theft of the natural resources, the enslavement of the population, the imposition of American dictatorships—open or disguised—is veiled by this camouflage and the cries and groans of the founded and dying victims of machine-gun democracy are drowned by the slogan of "Americanization."

Great masses of workers and farmers are coming to understand the hypocritical nature of the American ruling class. There is no longer any great enthusiasm created by schemes for extending the Wall Street empire and the erection of a huge military machine for its use.

But imperialism dare not cease its efforts for militarization of the American masses. Its interests abroad are so huge now that their loss would mean the crippling of capitalism at home. It must strive ever for greater conquests and more complete domination of the colonial and native masses.

In Europe and in the Pacific American imperialism comes into conflict with other great powers having similar ambitions—Great Britain and Japan. Sooner or later our rulers know that the imperialistic conflicts, the logical sequence of commercial competition can be settled only by war—commercial competition carried to its final stage.

American Imperialism Prepares for War

What else can mean the great naval maneuvers in American history, the extension of the military training camp system, the division of the whole nation into army corps areas, the skeleton detachments of transportation and industrial units already set up, the allotment of tentative war-contracts to the capitalists in a dozen industries, the agitation for larger naval appropriations, the war-like speeches of the militarists, the flag-waving in the schools, the militarization of thousands of children in the Boy Scouts, and finally—

The setting of July 4—Independence day—as the date for a test mobilization of the armed forces of American imperialism!

The national pride in the achievements of the colonial revolutionists 150 years ago is to be diverted into channels that will serve the bloody purposes of the most powerful and brutal group of conquerors in the world today.

Against the conspiracy of the imperialists the Workers (Communist) Party of America opposes the slogan of "Unity of the World's Oppressed Peoples!"

Against the rule of the war lords of Wall Street it raises the slogan of "A Workers and Farmers Government!"

To the dictatorship of the capitalists it opposes the slogan of "The Dictatorship of the Workingclass!"

The hypocritical pretense of "Defense of the Nation" it opposes the WAR OF ALL OPPRESSED PEOPLES AGAINST IMPERIALISM.

Hands off China!
Hands off Mexico!
Recognize Soviet Russia!

Tender Cannon Fodder

Six hundred Chicago high school boys yesterday started in to fit themselves for the day when they will be taken by the scruff of the neck and planted where they can play at being "African Dodgers" with shrapnel shells taking the place of tennis balls. They will have a lot of fun, and should the cannons be successful in locating them, the parents of the little boys will have the satisfaction of knowing that their sons died bravely fighting to preserve civilization from whoever the diabolical enemy of civilization happens to be. It may be Japan; it may be Russia; it may be Britain or it may be Mexico.

Besides preparing the boys' bodies for war, the militarists will, also prepare their minds for the struggle against the working class, from whose loins those boys sprung. How tragic, that the flesh and blood of the workers should be used against the workers? What a pity that the workers not only produce surplus values for their masters but they also give them their children for use either in fighting some competitors or fighting the workers themselves?

Full of Hope or Full of Hop

The bible says that "hope deferred maketh the heart sick" but the czarist in France either never heard of the biblical saying or else it means nothing to them.

The latest contribution made to the gayety of nations by the Russian monarchists, yellow socialists, democrats, and plain bandits who inhabit the cellars and dives of Paris, Berlin and London, is the formation of a "national parliament" in Paris which is designed to supplant the Soviet government. On the roster of the committee organizing this burlesque outfit are the names of men prominent in the Czarist regime when that gentleman existed. A few well known "socialists" are among them.

Where are they getting the money to indulge in their antics? Much tho the Soviet government may appreciate innocent hilarity it is not likely that the pantomime is financed from Moscow. Is it possible that Britain driven to desperation by the progress made by the Soviet government in the Orient is preparing to stake her future in the East on the last throw of the imperial dice?

WORKERS MEET TO FIGHT RULE OF IMPERIALISM

Demonstration Against Oppression Nationwide

The militant workers of the country will gather by the thousands at anti-imperialist meetings, demonstrations, and picnics to express their working class solidarity and protest against the attempts of big business to create a war spirit by forcing a mobilization of workers on July 4.

Thousands of leaflets have already been distributed, bearing the declaration of the Workers (Communist) Party which calls on the workers to denounce the exploitation by the imperialists of the victims of the profit system.

Meetings in New York.

New York has already held an anti-imperialist night of open air meetings at which speakers carried the message of opposition to exploitation of the United States' workers and the colonial peoples to thousands of New York workers. Five large meetings were held in Union Square, Harlem, Brownsville, and Williamsburg.

A meeting will be held in Chicago tomorrow at which C. T. Chi, member of the Chinese Students' Alliance, will speak against the use of American troops to shoot down the striking Chinese workers.

Chicago Demonstration.

James P. Cannon, member of the Central Executive committee of the Workers (Communist) Party, will be the principal speaker. H. V. Phillips will speak on Imperialism and the Negro, and Ella Reeve Bloor will speak on the DAILY WORKER. The picnic and demonstration will be held in Beyer's Grove, California and Irving Park Blvd.

Protest in Minneapolis.

On July 5, at 7 p. m., a monster protest and indignation meeting will be held in Minneapolis, at Washington Square, to demand the withdrawal of American troops from China and protest against the enslavement of the Chinese workers by foreign imperialism, including American capitalism.

A picnic will also be held in Minneapolis on July 4, at 33rd Ave., south, and East River Road, where speeches will be made.

An anti-imperialist demonstration will be held in Akron on July 5, at Schoaalok Park.

The Armenian branch of the Workers Party of Chicago on the same day will hold an anti-imperialist picnic at Reese Park, 6400 West Grand Ave.

Anti-Imperialist Issues.

Thousands of copies of the DAILY WORKER have been distributed throughout the country containing articles exposing the bosses "Defense Day" and exposing the profit grabbing domination of imperialism.

Many copies of anti-imperialist books have been sold during anti-imperialism week, including Lenin's State and Revolution, Imperialism, the final stage of capitalism, and The Decline of Capitalism, by E. Varga. Special "Workers Monthly."

The July issue of the Workers Monthly is a special Anti-Imperialist number and contains many important articles on capitalist exploitation.

Anti-imperialist meetings have already been held on the Pacific coast, in Denver, St. Louis, Kansas City, Detroit, and many other cities.

Worker is Murdered

MT. VERNON, Ill., July 3.—Great mystery surrounds the death of Calge Loge, 20, found dead in the southeast part of Mt. Vernon, his jugular vein severed. He had been dead several hours as his clothes were wet with dew.

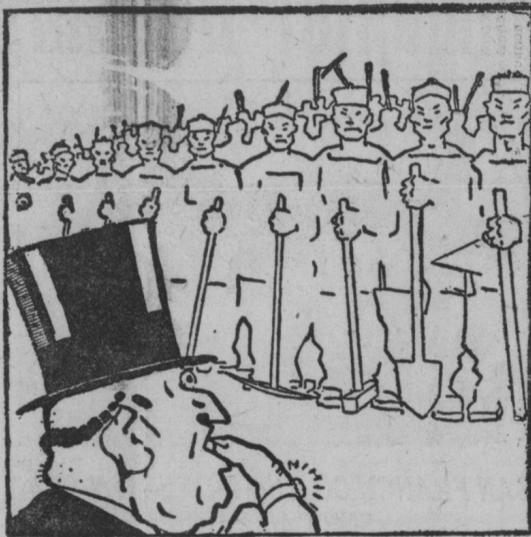
Loge worked as a drayman.

Boosting "The Daily"



"Mother" Bloor is here shown getting "subs" for the DAILY WORKER in her tour east from San Francisco. She will be at the Workers Party picnic at Beyer's Grove Saturday.

Another Chinese Puzzle



The new Chinese wall—of workers and peasants. How can this wall be penetrated? is the problem of world imperialism.

COAST WORKERS IN 'HANDS OFF CHINA' DEMAND

Many Races Contribute to Shanghai Strike

By WILLIAM SCHNEIDERMAN
LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 3.—At a "Hands off China" meeting held here three hundred white, Chinese, Japanese and Negro workers applauded the demand that American troops be withdrawn from China.

A representative of the Kuo Min Tang spoke. There was also a speaker representing the Japanese Workers' Association. Emanuel Levin represented the Workers (Communist) Party.

There was a fine spirit of international solidarity of the workers' against the oppression of imperialism manifested. A collection of seventy dollars was taken, and the net proceeds will be sent to the Shanghai strikers.

A large delegation was present from the Kuo Min Tang party.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, July 3.—Great Britain pound sterling 4.85%; cable 4.86%. France, franc demand 4.68%; cable 4.69. Belgium, franc demand 4.65 1/2; cable 4.66. Italy, lira, demand 3.53%; cable 3.54. Sweden, krona 26.79; cable 26.82. Norway, krona 18.32; cable 18.34. Denmark, krona 20.55; cable 20.57. Germany, mark no quote. Shanghai, tael 78.50; cable no quote.

Big Parents' Meeting Is Planned for Next Monday in Harlem, N.Y.

NEW YORK.—This Monday, July 6, at 8 o'clock sharp, there will take place at the Harlem Headquarters, 64 East 104 St., a big meeting of all the parents and relatives of the members of the Harlem Junior Group as well as all adult workers in Harlem Section who are interested in a real proletarian children's movement will not fail to come.

Speakers in English and Jewish will take up very important problems dealing with our work among the children and particularly the question of the Junior Camp at Camp Nigedagayt. There will also be organized a Parents' Club of Harlem consisting of all parents and relatives of Harlem Junior and militant workers generally interested in Junior work and which will have for its purpose the closest possible cooperation with and support of the work the Young Workers League is doing among the proletarian children in Harlem.

ALL RELATIVES OF JUNIORS—ALL WORKERS INTERESTED IN A WORKINGCLASS CHILDREN'S MOVEMENT—SHOULD BE PRESENT. MONDAY, JULY 6, 8 p. m. at 64 East 104 Street.—Organization Committee, Parents' Club of Harlem.

Trainmen Demand Increase

The 4,500 union employees of the Chicago elevated lines for the second time voted down by referendum the offer of the Chicago Rapid Transit Co. to renew the agreement that expired in June. The men ask a 5c hourly increase over the 71c scale for train guards and 77c for motormen.

Write the story about your shop—Cover a bundle to distribute there.

UNITY OF ALL WORKERS IN THE WORLD TO AID STRUGGLE OF CHINESE, IS COMMUNIST AIM

(By International Press Correspondence.)

MOSCOW, June 17.—(By Mail.)—The Executive Committee of the Communist International and the Executive Committee of the Red International of Labor Unions have addressed a telegram to the Executive Committee of the Second International and to the Central Committee of the International Federation of Trade Unions as follows:

"THE events in China are taking an ever stronger character. The Chinese working class organizations have requested in numerous telegrams all working class organizations of the world without distinction for help. Ignoring the existing differences between you and us, we hold it to be our duty in this moment to propose to you a common organization of the moral and material assistance for the Chinese workers. Only one opinion upon the cruel acts of violence committed against the Chinese workers and students and against the whole Chinese people by the militarists of the imperialist powers, can exist amongst class conscious workers. There can be no doubt whatever about the robber character of the imperialist action in China. Such a policy on the part of the imperialist powers brings the danger of world conflicts once again near. It is the elementary duty of the European and American workers without distinction of tendency to assist the Chinese people as speedily as possible. We propose to you to organize together with us meetings and monetary collections in aid of the striking Chinese workers and the families of the dead and wounded Chinese. The question is one of permanent aid. We also propose that an international conference be called for a detailed consideration of the question of other forms of help for the Chinese people. Having regard to the urgent nature of the matter, we request an immediate answer by wire.

Executive Committee, Red International of Labor Unions, LOSOVSKY. Executive Committee of the Communist International, KUUSINEN.

Missionaries Do Not Believe What They Teach, Claim

SEATTLE, Wash., July 3.—A resolution was presented to the 2,000 delegates to the nineteenth annual meeting of the northern Baptist church convention here, advocating that "all missionaries whose beliefs do not accord with historic Baptist canons be recalled."

The special committee appointed to investigate the Baptist board of foreign missions reported that some of the missionaries sent out "do not themselves believe the gospel which they sent to proclaim to the heathen." One missionary has resigned and one was recalled because of their "modernist" views, the committee reported.

Greek Military Rule O. K.'d.

ATHENS, Greece, July 3.—The national assembly has accepted the military government set up by the recent coup, with a vote of confidence in Gen. Pangalos, who appointed himself premier, of 185 to 14.

MOTHER BLOOR REACHES CHICAGO ON HER COAST TO COAST AUTO HIKE

Mother Ella Reeve Bloor arrived at the DAILY WORKER office at nine a. m. yesterday, well and hearty, after covering the 310 miles from St. Louis in an all night ride in a salesman's auto. Comrade Bloor will speak on "From Coast to Coast For Communism" at the Anti-Imperialist Picnic this afternoon at Beyer's Grove, California and Irving Park Blvd.

Comrade Bloor addressed several meetings in St. Louis, including a speech at the Workers (Communist) Party membership meeting, and a public meeting on the lawn of the Labor Lyceum, at which many subscriptions to the DAILY WORKER were sold.

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The Workers Party in Action

LIQUIDATE LOREISM AND POYNTZISM IN WORKERS (COMMUNIST) PARTY

To the Membership of the Party.

Comrades: The Bolshevization of our Party and its future growth demand a quick and complete liquidation of the non-Communist tendencies of Loreism and Poyntzism. This mandate of the Comintern is so specific and at the same time so universally accepted by the party membership that there should be no difficulty in liquidating this tendency in the shortest possible time.

Loreism and Poyntzism are one tendency. Comrade Juliet Stuart Poyntz has been the most consistent and militant exponent of non-Communist conceptions and policies in our party. She stands for an ideology that is absolutely menacing to the healthy growth of a Communist Party.

Her influence upon certain sections of our New York organization is positively disintegrating.

The Comintern has sharply condemned the tendency represented by Comrade Lore as a non-Communist tendency. Comrade Lore consistently supported the right wing in the Comintern, in the cases of Levy in Germany, Serrati in Italy, Brandler in Germany, and Trotsky in Russia. He developed opportunistic conceptions regarding the Labor Government in England and the Herriot government in France. He has had a supercritical attitude towards the Comintern and has advocated loose conceptions of discipline incompatible with real Bolshevik organizations, as well as showing in his writings in the Volkzeitung various other non-Communist deviations. In all these, he was supported aggressively by Comrade Poyntz, who was the most militant figure in the tendency.

The Central Executive Committee is glad to state that due to recent developments in the party our membership in New York is becoming fully conscious of the harmful influences of Poyntzism which is being combated in a very effective manner.

The Party cannot tolerate the opportunistic maneuvers of Comrade Poyntz. The Party has a right to demand of every Party comrade absolute sincerity and frankness with the Party and the Communist Interna-

all the efforts of the Central Executive Committee to Bolshevize the New York organization and to liquidate the Lore group. The following are only a few of the outstanding facts in the struggle of Comrade Poyntz against the Party and the C. I.

1. She refused to accept the policies of the Party for the bolshevization of the Party school in New York. She called it "fake" bolshevization and was ultimately forced to resign her position as director of the school.

2. She sabotaged and resisted all the efforts of the C. E. C. to break away from the Lore group its proletarian elements and thus liquidate the group.

3. She systematically poisoned the minds of the membership with distrust towards the C. I. and its leadership.

4. She cemented and solidified the right-wing Lore group in the bureau of the Jewish Federation, bolstering up its opposition to the Party and to the C. I.; and last,

5. She assumed the role of ideological leader of the opportunistic tendencies in the Communist fraction in the needle-trades, unions in New York.

The role of Comrade Poyntz in the needle trades controversy is well known to the Party. At the time when the Party was making strenuous efforts to liquidate the opportunistic tendencies of some of our comrades in the needle trades, Comrade Poyntz made use of her position as a member of the New York District Executive Committee to encourage the opportunistic opposition to the Party, thus making it harder for the C. E. C. to establish correct Communist policies for the Communist fractions in the needle trades unions.

Comrade Poyntz, as one of the most militant leaders of the Lore group, remained true to her ideology, leading the opportunists against the Party. In her attempt to evade the conse-

quences of the C. I. decision of Loreism, Comrade Poyntz has been putting forth all kinds of ridiculous claims and assertions. First, she maintained that there was no Lore group in our Party. However, when she found that this denial of the existence of a Lore group was more damning than a frank confession of guilt, Comrade Poyntz began putting forth another claim, namely, that she was all the time a loyal supporter of the C. E. C. majority. As proof of this she cites her support of the C. E. C. majority at the last Party convention and also her support of the C. E. C. majority on the Labor Party issue.

According to her statements before the Plenum of the C. E. C. on May 12th, and later on before the District Executive Committee of New York she always knew that the C. E. C. majority were "un-Marxian, syndicalist, opportunistic, and sectarian." In the same way she describes the C. E. C. thesis on the Labor Party, and yet she found it possible, according to her own admissions, to support the C. E. C. majority at the last Party convention, which she claims to have known to be "syndicalistic and opportunist," and to vote for the C. E. C. thesis on the Labor Party which she also claims to have known to be "sectarian and un-Marxian." In other words, by her own public admission, she has supported a leadership and policies which she says she believed were un-Marxian, syndicalist, opportunist, and sectarian. This admission of Comrade Poyntz is itself sufficient to discredit her claim of being a Communist.

The Party and its Central Executive Committee are determined to liquidate completely the tendencies of Loreism and Poyntzism. No amount of diplomacy and maneuvering on the part of Comrade Poyntz will prevent the Party from remaining loyal to the policies and tactics of the Communist International.

Loreism and Poyntzism must be liquidated.

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