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THE WORKERS' STRUGGLE CALLS YOU, COMRADES!

PROCLAMATION TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER-SHIP BY THE CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The capitalist class of the United States is beginning to feel the surge of working class revolt against the continuance of the present system of exploitation and oppression. The first intimations that its power is threatened have aroused it to action and it is striking out, blindly, brutally, to defend its position of privilege, its profits and its autocracy in industry.

This is the meaning of the attacks, raids and arrests for deportation and imprisonment which marked the celebration of the secend anniversary of the Soviet Republic, and which still continue. Fear has at least come into the minds of the rulers of society, fear that they may no longer be able to ride in easy luxury on the backs of the workers who toil and struggle and suffer under their oppression. So they are striking out ruthessly. They hope to intimidate the workers. They hope by brutally attacking those who attend meetings, through arrests and deportations, to hold back the rushing tide of working class revolt.

The attack of the past iew weeks has been particularly levelled at the Communist Party. Scores of Communist Party meeting places were raided. Large numbers of the party members were arrested. Various local functionaries have declared the party an "illogal" organization-as if anything that seriously threatens the capitailist class is not always "illegal"!

This is a tribute to our organization. It indicates that even this early in the history of our party the capitalist class senses the fact that this is the enemy which threatens. It is added proof that our principles and program are those which will bring victory to the working class.

Although our organization is less than three months old and the their organization, determined to continue the struggle at whatever strike of the Railroad Workers is looming. cost. Not only have we not been beaten by the ruthless campaign organization to build a powerful Communist Party.

The Central Executive Committee of the party gave careful consideration to the existing situation at its recent meeting. The tion.

Strengthen the Organization.

the open and carry on our work where all may see as long as that is our principles at the first enslaught of the ruling class. We must, inobilize our full power of action in this respect. however, prepare for the time when that will be no longer possible. not give up the fight; there is no power which the ruling class possesses that can permanently suppress our movement; we will merely adopt new methods of organization and propaganda which will place our organization beyond the reach of the ruling class and its Central Executive Committee can be adapted to both the conditions of open propaganda and the reverse, if that becomes necessary. It two weeks. has already been successfully used in those places where the action of the ruling class has made it wecessary. The details will be placed evidence that the party administration can be depended upon to before every branch within the next few weeks.

The period of adjustment to new conditions will be a difficult one. It will be hard to at once adapt ourselves to the situation we face. In order that we may master our new problems as quickly as possible, we ask every party member that he co-operate to the fullest extent with the party carrierals and take up the task allotted to him in that earnest and serious spirit that will bring success.

Communist Party Shop Branches.

The shops are the centres of activity of the Communist Party The workers in the shops are most easily reached with our message and convinced of the soundness of our principles. Our program of action has its basis in the shops. It is there that we can lay the foundation upon which we can erest the structure of a powerful organization.

The workers in the shops come together daily. They are in constant contact and communication with each other. It is in the shops, therefore, that they can be most easily bound together for 8 To protest against the brutal assaults and arrests by the united action.

The party program is definite in the statement that the great paigns. The party has also declared its purpose to propagandize for industrial struggles are the most important factors in the party camthe establishment of the One Big Union in industry. To carry on this work it must be deeply rooted in the shops . It must have the means for continuous and aggressive propaganda there.

Because of these considerations the Central Enecutive Committee urges immediate action by all party units to es ablish Communist Party Shop Branches. The present members of the party branches should become the nucleus for the organization of shop branches. The place of employment of each member should be ascertained. Where several members are employed in the same shop they should be constituted a committee to build up a Shop Branch. If sufficient members are employed in one place they should immediately constitute themselves a Shop Branch.

The advantage of Shop Branches is readily apparent. The members of such branches are in daily contact with each other. They 8 can discuss the problems of organization, pay dues, raise funds, make plans for agitation work and register their decisions on party problems without exposing themselves to danger. The Shop Branch s proof against the ruling class measures of suppression.

Each Shop Branch should be a centre of agitation. Leaflets dealing with the struggles of the workers, which are beng issued by the National Organization, should be distributed regularly. Books (2) and pamphlets and the party papers and magazines should be sold. The work of the Shop Branch is to carry on a campaign of agitation to acquaint the other workers in the shops with the fundamental Communist principles and for the organization of the industrial union, and to furnish the leadership in the time of action.

The work of creating Shop Branches is a fundamental tactical problem. We must take action at once to bring these organizations

Leaflet Distribution.

Events are developing quickly in the present world of capitalism. New crises appear with startling rapidity. The Steel Strike. work of fully mobilizing its strength is not yet over, it has not gone the Miners' Strike, and the coercion of the Government, followed down under this attack. Everywhere the comrades have rallied to each other in quick succession. Another crisis in the threatened

Each of these situations present the apportunity for Communist against us, but the membership is showing by its action that its agitation. It is precisely in these situations that the party must answer is greater effort and sacrifice in the work of propaganda and intervene. It must be in a position to present the Communist interpretation of events to the workers throughout the country or a iew days' notice.

To accomplish this the party administration has issued a series] recommendations to the membership which follow are the result of leaflets. While these were successfully distributed, the old methof its deliberations, its efforts to contribute to the successful build- od of sending out circulars asking for orders and then printing and mg up the party under the new conditions which face the organiza- shipping the leaflets makes the party action drag. It causes delay and the crisis may pass before our message is in the hands of the

The Central Executive Committee considers the distribution of The first task before us is to so strengthen our organization leadlets the most effective form of agitation. It urges that those that it will be able to function in spite of all the repressive measures branches which thus far have not participated in the work immedithat may be used against us. We will maintain our position in ately organize themselves for this form of propaganda. Our present organization is capable of distributing several million copies of possible. We will not give up our opportunity to publicly advocate each leaflet issued when properly organized for this work. We must

To avoid delay and to drag on our action which results from If the present repressive measures are continued there is nothing old methods the Central Executive Committee urges that each left for us but to adjust ourselves to the new conditions. We will party branch place a standing order for the quantity of leafters it can distribute, just as orders are placed for bundles of papers and other periodicals. This plan will enable the National Organization to print the number of leaflets of each issue which the whole organization can handle and to ship them out as soon as they are ready, instruments of oppression. The plan of work approved by the thus avoiding the delay which militates against the effectiveness of our propaganda. Leaflets will be issued at intervals of about

The leaflets is sued thus far speak for themselves. They are

IN PROFITS!!!

\$50,000,000.

The Aguila Oil Company made \$50,000,000 in net profits in Mexico in the last 8 years - over \$6,000.000 a year!

Did you get any of these profits, Mr. American Workinmau?

Did you get any of the profits of any others oil companies that are sucking the blood of the Mexican people? No. Do you own any oil stock? No.

Have the workers of Mexico ever harmed you? No.

Then, don't let Wall Street's government in Washington bamboozie or bully you into a War with Mexico!

Don't Fight Your Mexican Comrades!

INSTEAD --

COMMUNIST PARTY OF MEXICO

P. O. Box 985

Mexico City D. F. Mexico

furnish leaflets that meet the test of correctness of principle, sim-Scity of language and yet militant calls to action.

Blanks for standing orders for leaflets have been furnished by mail. Make this question a standing order of business at your next meeting and help to mobilize our entire organization strength for this work of propaganda.

The Party Growth.

The party progress during the months that the National Organextion has been in existence has been indeed gratifying. The mem- Politemen's Union of Jersey Cay, bership figures of approximateyl 50,000 shown by the convention were dispussed this week by Comredentials that are being realized in dues payments. In addition o the Hungarian, Lettish, Lithuanian, Polish, Russian, South Slavic and Ukrainian Federations, a strong Jewish and German Federation has been created. A nucleus of Italian and Scandinavian branches intack on the Policemen's Union, afare already in the party. The work of organizing the Finnish Com- Wated with the American Federaounist elements is just beginning. The American branches in all tion of Labor comes two weeks after the large industrial centres of the country have joined our organ- a similar move against the anionized ization, and as the test of action is discolsing the character of our Peter J. Maltoney, president; James organization, smaller branches throughout the country are gradu- Council treasurer; and Martin Buffy. ally coming into the organization.

> The organization has proven by its action that it not only has No. 72. Many other firemen were power, but that it is ready to use its power by intervening in the franciersed or demoted. struggles of the workers and giving them Communist meaning and Bumpose. Our organization is not a mutual admiration society of some time in the anionization of pubhair-oplitting theoreticians, but a militant fighting or ganization that finds its place and work in the heart of the everyday sweggles of 'he workers. We have laid a sound theoretical basis for our party. Now we carry out theories into action.

Let us fulfill the promise of this beginning.

Let us each one give the best we have to give to the building by ordering the successful enginers of our unit of the Communist International

On with the straggle. ON TO VICTORY!

Fratern ally yours, C. E. RUTHENBERG, Executive Secretary.

TO BREAK UNION

Active Unionists Discharged In Jersey City

The mesident two of the organixers and eight active members of the missioner of Public Satery Chas. F. X. O'Brien, this week as part of his compaign to break all unions of pubhic service men in Jersey City. His of Uniformed Firemen's Association

The A. F. of L. has been active for lic service officials, such as police, firemen, and teachers in the big cities all over the United States.

The first real "show-down" came in Boston secently, where Compers broke the back of the police strike back to work. The success of the preactionary administration officials in Misseachusette was a signal for a drive on these unions all over the U. S. of which the Jersey City attacks

MORSTER MASS MEETING

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8 P. M. Shans

Prominent speakers in all languages.

--- LENIN'S VIEWS ON THE REVOLUTION

Lenin's Speech to the Eighth Congress of the Russian Communist Party

Comrades:

We meet at a time which is exceedingly difficult for us, not only because we have lost our great organizer and leader, Jacob Michaelovich Sverdlov, but especially because international imperiatism is making -there is no doubt-a last and very powerful effort to crush the Soviet Republic. We are convinced that the counter-revolutionary offensives from West and East, the various White Guard disturbances, and the attempts to destroy the railways which have occurred in various places, all result from a carefully arranged plan devised in Paris by the Entente Imperialists. After ending four years of capitalist warfare it was very hard for Russia to be forced to take up arms again in defence of the Soviet Republic. We have all borne the heavy burden of war; we are all exhausted by it. If this war is carried on with redoubled energy and courage it is only because, for the first time in the history of the world, an army has been raised that knows why it is fighting. For the first time in the world's history the workers and peasants, who are making unheardof sacrifices, are clearly conscious of the fact that they are defending a Socialist Soviet Republic, that they are upholding the working man's strength against the capitalist, and the cause of the international proletarian Socialist revolution.

succeeded in carrying out a great all those who would not obey the auwork in a short space of time. We thoritative appeal of their supreme orhave succeeded in settling our prog- gan-the central committee of the ramme with unanimity, and in spite of editorial and other shortcomings we are convinced that it has already demands action in regard to anarchisa found a place in the history of the bands which have gathered at the Third International as setting for the the main points of the newest lines of communication for the Internation- ber 25th, and realized that the coun- templating the work and mission of Trotsky succeeded in organizing the at proletarian bid for liberty. A try was being ruined; that the people the Soviets on a world basis can we glorious army of Soviet Russia. It translation of our programme, we feel were being asked to bear still heavier find our way amid the details of their is obviously comprehensible that we sure, would do much to show our burdens, hense the workers and pea- internal workings and be able to ad- are limited by space in our descripfriends in other countries what the sants of Hungary were given a just them at the right moment. battallions of the proletariat, has altheir country. The difficulties of the lutely dependent on the progress of the most wonderful work of creation ing it our brothers will be able to overcome it. Yet whatever may trate on internal reconstruction. The an army suitable to the new regime. say: "Here are our comrades, our happen, we see in the introduction of "Socialist Revisionsists" in Berne de-Such an army could be created gradu-

full recognition to the formation of for that country, only the Soviet, the here the "bourgeois compromise" ficulty arose before Trotsky in the whole system of the existing military sian revolution, and which for a long the Third Communist Internationale, proletarian dictatorship could prevail! clique had come to the end of its re- fact that the Soviet Republic needed schools and academies. His main period remained hostile to the Sowhich was founded here in Moscow. We are unanimous on the question of the war; although in the beginning the war; although in the beginning the more difficult. It requires not the million mark. In reality working classes country is making extreme sacrifices helpers, champions, leaders, friends, and fellow-workers.

Comrades, the question of organ-The problem of work on the land, and the relations between the proletariat, when it overthrew the bourgeoisie, and the millions of the middle grade of peasants have been fully debated, and a line of action drawn up. The resolutions of this Conference will assuredly establish our power.

The resolution which we have adopted under these trying conditions should help us safely through the coming half-year. We are passing in Hungary points to our speedy suc-

Comrades, we are informed that the arbitrary ultimatum which the Allies sent to Hungary, on the question of sending troops through that country. decided the bourgeois Government there to abdicate in favour of the Communists. The Hungarian comrades, then in prison, were approached by the bourgeois opportunist Government, which recognized that the power had to be in the hands of the workers.

Comrades, the story of the Hungarian revolution shows the world

DOWN WITH ANARCHY AND REACTION

MANIFESTO OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE UKRAINIAN COMMUNIST PARTY (Bolsheviki)

the Senegalese and the wild Rouman- the counter-revolutionists. ians. The central committee, in the of the bolsheviks, demands for the sake of tranquility for the proletariat the stopping of military operations on the territory of the Ukrainian Repub-In spite of our difficulties, we have lie and shall call rascals and traitors Ukrainian bolsheviks. Appealing to Soviet Russia, the central committee

personnel of the central committee ic principles. Long live the proletari- sia in order for many, many years. constructing to the same all party at! Long live the Third Internation- In the high military spieres of

matters and the safeguarding of the al! Down with anarchy, reaction! In order to counteract the criminal with the Mensheviks-Internationalists ers, robbers, looters, and traitors . . ers and peasants. The Allied imperi- bright mind of all members of the in the course of six months. alists prepare to make use of the an- Communist Party, and, with the help archy and instead of the German ba- of the members it shall undertake a

> L. Stolitsky. C Chudnovsky. Secretary.

SWAN SONG

"Cling to Parliamnetary institutions because the only substitute is Soviet -"Workers' Dreadnought."

Russian Communist Party, one of the chance to become the saviours of should be most useful as a means of great, the smallness of the country of Europe. Only as these revolutions propaganda and agitation; on read- makes it easier for the imperialists succeed shall we be able to concening it our brothers will be able to to overcome it. Yet whatever may trate on internal reconstruction. The say: "Here are our comrades, our happen, we see in the introduction of seribed us as "terrorists." But they ally according to a plan pre-arranged lines. It was a real miracle, a wonder ally according to a plan pre-arranged Comrades, at this Congress we tory for our system. For has not the absolutely shut their eyes to what is by trained specialists and developed Comrades, at this Congress we tary for our system. For has not the going on in their own bourgeois by trained specialists and developed have succeeded in carrying the most. Hungarian bourgeois Government ad- going on in their own bourgeois by means of general education of the important motions. We have given mitted that in this most difficult time, countries. When we seized the reins coming generation. The greatest ditthe differences of opinion seemed to suffered persecution under the Czar, only much preparation, as was the there was no base for creating such working classes. be suggestive of a division. We are not survived to re case in Russia, but a far longer per a strong military force as was renow able to leave this Congress fully joice with us in our victory. How riod must elapse before success is quired. The proletariat could neither convinced that our chief defenders, much happier has been our fate, who attained, the Red Army-for whom the whole have lived to see the Revolution, and to know that the seed sown by the -will find us devoted and faithful Russian Revolution is bearing fruit in all Europe. It is this knowledge that convinces us that, great though our trials may be, international imization has also been readily solved. perialism (now in its death-throes) will be overcome, and Socialism will

> -"Folkets Dagblad Politiken." (May 14th, 1919.)

be victorious throughout the whole

volutionary Socialist organ, in which summarized thus:

Faced with the question as to what division of the loot, through hard times, and the Imperial- form of organization to select for the ists are making a mightly effort to revolutionary masse, we remembered we are convinced that this half-year introduce them as the most suitable at present forced to exist, we possess ed that the officers of the old regime were appointed to responsible posts; firmly said: "After Kolchak will be will see the end of our troubles; the means of uniting the proletarian one advantage, which has been pointsuccess of the proletarian revolution masses in their fight against their oppressors.

> hest organizations for Russia, but at Hemmed in on all sides by our enethat time we were unable to say mies, we are defending ourselves, and whether they would also prove most every foot of our soil, whilst every adaptable for the Western countries. month of the campaign brings us the Trotsky compromise might in the Events were destined to solve this nearer and nearer to the world revoluquestion. The Soviets are gaining tion. greater and greater popularity in the We have been the world's pioneers West, and the struggle for them is in seizing power for the workers, and it is well known that a hard time tarism" in the Soviet Republic. To viets are being formed everywhere, their Soviets. and it is only a question of time till

Government of Hungary declared its tention and to force us to forget the that we stood the test, that we denting the remainder, unable to which created the rise of Napoleon talism belief in the Soviets; it saw furthe, world-revolution, which is the prin- fended the rights of the oppressed leave Russia, had to work as common But if that part of the peasantry than our bourgeoisie did before Octo- cinal matter in hand. Only by con- masses in spite of every hardship.

The mood of the Parisian masses is keen sense of hearing and prompted by instinct. Today it will not permit sheviki, whereas six months ago it fistened quietly to those who maligned us. At one time the disintegration of our army was attributed to the instability of the Russians, but now it kind for every branch of the army, is understood that disintegration is enter upon the path of revolution, machine, The eyes of the French masses are "Volksrecht," May 13th, quotes being opened by the brazen acts of ficers of the late Russian army to the "Der Freie Anbeiter," a Vienna re- robbery in which the French govern- Red colors of the Revolution. ment is taking a hand; and they will Lenin's views on recent events are be still further enlightened by the quarrels which will develop over the

THE WARSIN RUSSIA

By Col. ROUSTAM BEK.

To the workers and poor peasants: boundaries. The Ukrainian bolshe- army was disbanded and gradually erals used to sell newspapers and The all-Ukrainian Congress of the viks have their new center in Kiev melting away, the situation of the new other things in the streets. They besolsheviks convened at Kiev during and this centre knows better than the born Soviet Government was critical. plotters what the situation of the A state of anarchy reigned through-To regard the party's central com- Ukrainian worker who needs quiet, out the vast country, and there was nittee of the old convoctaion as dis- revolutionary order and a further so- little hope that any power in the solved and to elect in its stead a new cialist struggle based upon democrat- world would succeed in bringing Rus-

Europe and America existed a firm interests of workers and the peasant We, Ukrainian Bolsheviks, wish to opinion that never would Soviet Ruspoor. While realizing the tasks of the live in peace and harmony with those sia be able to raise a considerable congress of the central committee of Ukrainian socialists who sincerely army which would be able to resist the Communist Party of the Ukrain- wish to aid the workers and the pea- the Allies in case of armed intervenian bolsheviks proclaims the revolusants. The Soviet government of tion. The existing Red forces were considerable number of the officers tion in the Ukraine to be in danger. Russia has concluded already a peace called bands of cut-throats, murderplots of the capitalists and the bour- and the toiling intelligentsia; the cen- "They will three their own cause," geoisie, the central committee deems tral committee of the Ukrainian bol- it was said, as soon as British guns the Military Commissaires of the Soit necessary to create a united social-ist front. Condemning the separatist the Ukrainian bolsheviks as well and a general laughter in British and actions of Piatakov ,the central com- of all Ukraine democracy against the French War Offices when it became mittee demands the chasing of anar- approaching danger of foreign inter- known that Trotsky was appointed introduced by Trotsky, which was enchistic acts against the peaceable and vention. Only after we have strauquiet citizens of the Ukraine Repub- gled the anarchy and the counter-re- Chief of the Soviet Army. The Ruslic. The German bayonets, the Het-volution shall we save with united sian reaction ries rejoiced in the idea man adventures, have left a painful forces the revolution in Ukraine, that with the help of the Allies they communistic principles which exist in impression on the lives of the work- The central committee has faith in the would crush own "Trotsky's bands"

Two Years Against the World. by about sixteen nations together with the Roumanian traitors-and not | geois minority. Neither are they sold Trotsky as War Minister.

Now let us see how the genius of tion which practically would require Reconstruction in Russia is abso- a volume, but as much as it is possi-As a War Minister of the Proleta

rian Republic. Trotsky had to create

be in possession of methods of its gard to general education in Russia, own for such an organization, nor struction, which replaced the old cathat of a crowd having an extremely had it ready any system for education and administration of any army designed for operations against the a word to be uttered against the Bolwas a lack of responsible commanding elements in the existing Soviet of volunteers. They were in terrible need of skilful instructors of every so important in this most complicated the ultimate fate of all armies which organization of the modern military

Trotsky decided to call the of-

A Risky Undertaking.

suspicion expressed by the members who have a world-wide reputation, manders, and the valor of our troops, that the cosporation will be selling In spite of the unfavorable condi- of the Soviet Government, especi- and many others who distinguished We have not forgotten the promise tions under which we in Russia are ally by the extremists, who maintain- themselves during the great war, of our War Minister, who simply and ed out in the London "Times." Its take the first opportunity to seize the in harmony with other ministers of and Finns, if they will be aggressive military correspondent admits that, power and establish a military dicta- the Soviet Government, in January, to the Soviet Republic." Heretofore whilst rapid disintegration is manifest for in Russia. As far as we are in-Prior to the German Revolution we in all other armies, the army of Soviet officers of the old regime serving bered 750,000 and was already in the make such promises, having at his Prior to the German Revolution we in all other armies, the army of Soviet maintained that the Soviets were the Russia, on the contrary, is improving. officers of the old regime serving ready to meet the invaders. At the disposal on army which can, without serious question for the Government to accept Trotsky's suggestion. It counted by millions. was feared by the Revolutionists that | future, as was the case in France, produce a Russian 'Bonapartism." Conscripting Generals.

not merely confined to Europe, but today the classes which formerly awaited those of the old Russian army prove that the army would be a mehas likewise spread to America. So- were oppressed are ruling Russia by who did not volunteer to serve in nace to the Republican Russia, the The second anniversary of the Russian many mill workers from returning to the Soviet Militia (nd they were in critics brought forth the shade of sian Soviet Republic will be inscribed Europe and as soon as that difficulty Shall we retain this power? Even the great majority). They were com- Napoleon. Trotsky protested: "Bona- in the history of mankind by the is settled a rush to Europe is exthat the Bolshevik Government has not usurped power, neither is it supported by violence, as some of our calumniators allege. The bourgeois and the unavoidable duties of reconstruction are apt to absorb our attention are apt to a struction are apt to a attention are apt to a struction are apt to a attention at a struction are approach to a struction are approach to a struction ar laborers in order to keep from stary- which belong to the exploiting class

Two years ago, after the Russian ing. Even senior officers and gencame nothing but the outcasts of the nation. There was general fear to help these unfortunates open'y, because of possible punishment for such support. Thousands of them perished and only very few succeeded in emigrating. After several months of such bitter experiences, they passed through the first stage of the Trotsky training school, and were allowed to enter the Red Army which began to be mobilized.

In a comparatively short period a of the old Russian army were commissioned in several Red regiments, being under permanent supervision of

Revolutionary Discipline. The strong conscientious discipline forced even by capital punishment,since the method of administration has been rendered efficient by the the Ked Army,-is fully recognized by these officers as a very important element of morale of any military or-Two years have passed since the ganization, though lacking in the aryonets to send us Turkish janisaries. struggle both with the anarchists and Soviet Government came into power my of the fallen empire. In accordover all Russia and from the very tirst ance with their position, their econoday of its existence, it has been chal- mic conditions became much better name of the all-Ukrainian congress Chairman of the Central Committee. lenged by the whole world in the political, economic and military fields, of their service under the old regime. During these two long years the so- Their wives and families are now procalled "Trotsky bands" have been tected by the state and their future is ceaselessly engaged on a gigantic insured from misery. They underfront, attacked from land and sea, stand at last that they belong no longer to the Czar nor to the bouronly have they shown an obstinate diers of the Trotsky army, but that institutions." Words spoken by the Lord Chancellor at the dinner of the Worshipful Company of Weavers.

Only have they shown an obstinate they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have they are servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have the servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have the servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have the servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have the servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances have a servant and but in most instances have the servants of Free Soviet Rustesiance, but in most instances such an officer, after all that he has been through in the past. The same has been the experience of the genrals of the most reactionary, autocratic element of the old Russian army. They like their junior comrades, returned to their position, to the old, well-organized machinery of one of the largest general staff in the world, the most complicated mechanism of superintendency of the genius Trotsthe world war had witnessed. While this machinery was set in motion,

> Tritsky succeeded in full. The indet corps, and in the number of stuthat the military authorities of Soviet Russia were alive to their duty. Besides, the staff college which trained the officers for service in the general staff, the Military Engineering Academy, the High Artillery Academy,

and the courses of training. Millions in Soviet Army.

It was a risky undertaking of the like General Brussiloff, Parensoff, our two years old army, the ability including tin plate, but the withdrawnew War Minister. There was great Klembovsky, Plutchil - Pluschevsky, present moment the Soviet army is any bias, be considered the strongest

Trotsky On Bonapartism.

in the face of a strong opposition of ky was accused of introducing "mili-

is one of the basic props of any IS cial composition of our army is the very best guarantee against Bonapartist tendencies, for the simple reason that the exploiting part of the peasantry is excluded from it." With regard to the possibility of reaction raising its head in Russia, Trotsky said the following significant words: "Counter-revolution will never arise out of the rule of the proletarian dictatorship; it can only come as a result of a direct bloody victory over this rule. But it is precisely the purpose of the Red Army, of its development and its internal unity, to make such a victory impossible." And this army has justified the hopes of its creator as well as the hopes of the masses of Soviet Russia.

War on Thirteen Fronts.

In 1918, being heavily pressed by

the Allies from practically all sides, the Soviet army, in the period of its formation was compelled to fight the Allies and Russian reactionaries on thirteen fronts, ceding ground on the Murmansk-Archangel front, in Siberia, and on the Western-European frontier, where there was still the danger that the Germans would renew their invasion. Then Kolchak, with Japan and the Allies behind him, started his "victorious advance" on Moscow. Denikin was gradually created by the Allies and succeeded in forming an army of 250,000, perfectly equipped in the British fashion. The Ukraimans, Poles, Baltic States, Finland, and finally the Yudenitch-Rodzianko armies, backed by militaristic Germany, all those hostile to the Soviet Republic States, partly attacked the Red armies, and partly watched for a favorable moment to rush at the weakest part of the military lines of the fighters for the emancipation of the exploited masses. would go. They are, however, cauti-But in spite of all the efforts of this ous about committing themselves for capitalistic coalition the glorious Red Army of Soviet Russia accomplished wonders. The Northern invaders were entirely beaten and compelled to withdraw all their troops from usual opening of books, as sales can the Archangel-Murmansk front, leaving their Russian accomplices to their own fate; the brutal hordes of Koichak, who dared to attempt his march on Moscow, preparing a mortal blow at the very heart of Free the production of steel in general, and Russia, were defeated and pushed back several hundred miles. The a gigantic war office, with all its ma- Denikin army, which thanks to the treachery of Grigorieff, succeeded in invading South Russia and started its ky, and started to work with real campaign towards Moscow, was not Russian enthusiasm on entirely new only checked but finds itself in a strategical position which resembles very much the position of the French army at Sedan. The smaller nations. cow. And now we are witnessing the last act of the tragedy. Under instructions from London, Yudenitch and Rodzianko started their new campaign against Petrograd. This senseless movement had to be acdents attending them, proved clearly 16th we were repeatedly informed, complished in a day. Since October both officially and unofficially, about the doom of Petrograd, which was several times reported fallen.

schools of the middle type were form- series of Denikin and Kolchak "victoed, which were designed to be an in- ries" were also reported, and we read termediate stage between the academy also detailed reports of a revolution | ber 22.) in Moscow. We read all these reports patiently, and were greatly Men of great military authority, amused, knowing well the value of the export market all of its products, of our general staff and of our comand bravest army in the world, because from a purely military point This was achieved under Trotsky of view none of the armies which participated in the great world war had the moderate Socialist parties. Trots- accomplished such strategical man- Europe or leaving this region to and oeuvers in the presence of such tes- employment elsewhere have created

From Soviet Russia.

THE STEEL STRIKE OVER?

Here's What the Capitalist Press Has to Say On Its Financial Page-On the First Page It Is

The iron and steel strike, now ending its ninth week, has reached a stage at which the producers are desirous that full details of the extent of their operations be published, particularly in mediums that reach their customers. (N. Y. Evening Post, November 22.)

The strike situation is working into a new place now, as the producers are not announcing their progress as enthusiastically as formerly. This is easily explained, for all the producers are far behind on deliveries, and if statements of progress get too optimistic, it is likely tat consumers ! will come on them for deliveries. (N. Y. Commercial, November 24.)

Steel Is Scarce and Scarcer.

The prospect is that steel, moderately scarce now on the whole, will be scarcer next March and plentiful at any time next year. (New York Evening Post, November 22.)

No Steel for Sale.

While many furnaces that have been closed by the strike are resum ing and the outturn is correspondingly increasing, it is not coming fast enough to satisfy the consumers who have been clamoring for iron. The producers have been hard pressed to meet this demand and have spread their output among customers in comparatively small lots as far as it next year. (New York Journal of Commerce, November 24.)

Because of allotments falling short of estimated demand there is not the be made only to segular customers, and then only in restricted fashion. (New York Sun, November 23.)

The strike affected the production of tubular goods more than it did production since the beginning of the trouble has averaged less than 50 per cent, of the rate just before the calling out of the men. (New York Times, November 24.)

It was reported from Washington vesterday that further seed purchases will be made by the Railroad Administration when the mills are able to deliver in quantities sufficient to meet existing needs. Thus far it has purchased only 40,000 tons of steel rails and at least an additional 150,000 tons are required in order that steel rail stock of the railroads may be turned over to private management in the same quantity placed under nal of Commerce, November 24.)

Scabs Are Ornaments.

By December I there will probably be few strikers left, but the mills will not be sufficiently manned, and those in employment will in large measure fall far short in efficiency. Employment, in point of numbers, On several occasions it was also may be 85 or 90 per cent, of the mentioned that Kronstadt, perhaps number required, while production and other high academies of several the strongest fortress in the world, may only be 75 or 80 per cent. of acbranches of military technique, five had capitulated to the British navy. A tual capacity based on past performance, particularly in 1916 and earlier years. (N. Y. Evening Post, Novem-

The United States Steel Corporation withdrew two weeks ago from al is not permanent and it is assumed export tonnages again not many months hence and doubtless will then be selling tin plate, although probably in restricted fashion. (N. Y. Sun, November 23.)

Edwin Newdick, of the National Committee Organizing Steel Workers.

As a result of the strike the labor ituation is more serious in this district (Pittsburgh) than it was during the war. Workmen going back to laborers. The longshoremen's strike brought into the district since the strike. N. N. Sun, November 34.)

PARTY NEWS

Party headquarters will remain at 207 East 10th Street until further notice. Come up!

BRANCH MEETINGS 1st A. D. Manhattan, 180 Henry

St., every Friday. and A. D. Manhattan, 255 Grand Street, every Friday.

6th A. D. Manhattan, 604 E. 9th Street, 2-4 Fridays.

8th A. D. Marshattan, Street, every Thursday. 17-18-20th A. D. Manhattan.

East 110th St., every Tuesday. 32-23 A. D. Manhattan, 2018 Amsterdam Ave., 34 Wednesday. Jewish 8th A. D. 207 E. 10th St.

every Wednesday. Jewish Harlem, 104th St., and Madison Ave., every Thursday.

Russian Communist, 357 E. 10th St., every Wednesday. 5th Ukrainian, 274 Grand St., every

Ukrainian No. 20. 233 E. 5th St.,

every Friday. Esthonian, 325 E. 79th St., 1st and

3d Wednesday. German Yorkville, 250 E. 81st St. 1st and 3d Thursday.

German Night Workers, 343 East 84th St., 1st and 3d Saturday. 51/2 A. D. Bronx, 1304 Southern

Blvd., every Tuesday. Russian Branch No. 3. Branz, 1304 Southern Boulevard, every Thursday. KINGS:

Russian No. 4. 296 Sackman St. every Friday.

4th A. D. 208 Grand St., Thursday. 14th A. D. Jewish, 208 Grand St.,

every Tuesday. 23rd A. D. Jewish, 296-2nd Street, every Thurday.

5th A. D. Ecglish, 229 Stockton St. every Tuesday.

6th A. D. Jewish, 220 Stockton St., every Saturday.

GREET THE NEW YEAR!

The Sixth Russian Branch of the Communist Party will hold a mon- this only for you and the poor stary- pensive warster masquerade Baffeat New Plaza Hall, Havemayer and Grand streets, Brooklyn, New York, on the 31st of

Three \$30 prizes will be given to those having the best masks and cos-

Music and dancing till the morphis of the New Year.

A regular meeting of the rst and 4th A. D. Branck will be held on Friday evening, December 5th, 1900, at the branch headquarters at 180 Henry Street; all members are urged to attend as matters of importance will be taken up. The beauch bas elected new officers, the names will be announced in the next issue of the Communist World

The 1st, and and 4th A. D. branches are holding a theatre party at the and 180 Henry Street.

directly from the National office.

present under arrest, and the Barty cial Democrats was known; as yet no must put up an adequate defense for news of any sort had been obtained from Germany, was it possible to get propagands by Party came at the possible to get about the shameful betrayal of the have decided to carry on a ruffice party in France and England. In less war on the Communist Party, the Bourgsois parss, however, aspecilito the tools of Imperialism: the time is especially a procedure which and it is up to us to show them that ally in the new fangled nationalist. German tragine to clear itself of this has already given excellent results in we will not yield to them, but in spite press, which were added almost as dhetardly crime, and consider the tertain provinces. of their petty persecution and prosa-cutions, will continue to agitate Com-mediately began talking; allout the liaving revolutionists about. In am arnumism. Don't forget to pay your new course—the blame for the war ticle of the Socialchawinist "Humday's tax for the defense fund. Go was laid entirely on Germany and human Engage Echo" it was annumered that immediately to your branch and do Austria, and with shamefull cowari-

will be given on Saturday, December 13th, at Washington Hall, Thatford, at Washington Hall, Thatford, at Washington Hall, Thatford, der of the Saturday Section of the Saturda and other amusements. Refresh of the Party in Garnany and the vos- act even for a bourgeois regime in lands to keep the above spisode be- in the heart of the mass which the emergency demands that "law and order" save been rements. Concert begins at 8. P. M. ing of the war credits were celebrated time of war, under exceptional-laws, fore their eves

SOLDIERS, GO HOME!

A BOLSHEVIK PROCLAMATION.

Soldiers of Britain:

of his batallion at Archangel, and sent time than you think.

sending a crushing answer to Mr. grip of famine and desolation. Churchill, Minister of War, in regard Why is nothing said about lifting This answer was published in the col- of starving and freezing people may umns of the "Daily Express."

periors in Archangel, Col. Kelly ex- the love and cheer of home and happlains what was the "serious offense iness? under the Army Act" with which he PEACE can be had with Russia deliberately to a friend at home, in ately begin. which he "roundly criticized and condemned the North Russian opera- not support the reactionary Whites.

that I should be brought before the fized in councils. The Supreme Counset purpose, a purpose which I be- izes that it cannot overthrow the Solieved to be honorable and right."

Col. Kelly was brought before Lord Soldiers of Britain, if the "Peace" ter constituted an offense which ut- you must decide. If your Govern- may be ter constituted an offense which befour mass decide, you must decide. The Feoole Must Know the Frutis
has that in view of his past record he, because it is glovals your fives and

About Kolchak and Denikine. would merely be sent home.

Col. Kelly stand alone. He has done home and end this bloody stopid ex-

Coldiers of Britain: ing and freezing people of Russia. V.C., C. M. G., D.S.O., was on Aug- all over England; let there be more ust 16th removed from the command of it, and you will be home in less

back to England by Lord Rawlinson Soldiers of England, war, pestilence for "a serious offense under the Army and famine will devour Europe within the next year it sanity does not drive Soldiers of England, do you know away the hate and madness which now what this "serious offense" was? dominate the statesmen of Europe. Col. Kelly, who was beloved by all, Winter is upon us. Death from huncould not understand why you should ger and disease is the fate in store any longer be quartered in a country for millions of innocent and helpless so cold and so far from home. He men, women adn children in Europedid not see why you should be camp- an Russia. The passions and ambied here in this northern climate to tions of statesmen prolonged the war wage war upon a people against whom until the economic ruin of the fight-Parliament has never declared war ing nations was inevitable. What is and who are so desirous of peace, the result? The victorious nations as Col. Kelly's "offense" consisted in well as the conquered ones are in the

to his policy of keeping you here, the ironclad blockade so that millions live? Why are not the supplies of After making reference to official munitions that are continually sent to ongratulations and messages, which Kolchak and Deatkine and their Cosshow very clearly that he was held sack every stopped, so that you may n the highest estimation by his su- have a chance to go home and enjoy

was charged. He had sent a letter today, and evacutation can immedi- practical application is entrusted by

Wherever Allied Imperialsm does they go down like pinepips before the "I knew that this fetter," he says, Soviets, which means nothing more For criticizing the stupid and ex- hesitates to adopt the only logical your conscience that are at stake. Soldiers of Britain, do not allow Soldiers, decide yourselves to go

THE MURDER OF KARL LIEBKNECHT AND ROSA LUXEMBURG

By ANGELINA BALABANOVA

(Memoreres of 1914.)

from the "Prasda":

At the last meeting of the executive or Austrian comrades - Adler or all macriced a protest of this insuital matters. committee it was decided that all Liebknecht - had proved, by his nature: branches are to order their fiterature courage or martandom, that there many and Austria!?"

Eighteen of our comrades are at time only the fall of the German So-A GNUAL CONCERT AND BALL tionale. In this way the Italians praple were induced to turn their backs appeared that, in consideration of the

las a great historical rocat.

Someone had just answered the rie At the time of the murder of Kan' proach of the comsade at the coursen-Liebknecht and Rose Laxemburg, the tion, when an extra of a bourgross from trimwal. well-known Italian comrade. Ange- paper was brought in with the report ina Balabanova, amblished reminis- that Karl Liabkaecht and Rose Luxences of the first days following the embarg had been shot. I was asked! outbreak of the war. These sketches to write a tribute, but I said that the should be the spreading propaganda. he Third International, we quite seemed impossible that the German social-petriosic regime should begin constantly and methodically spread countries, there was a conference of hell biography, and owing to the grant at the time of modification. on the a time, as the insulated time of adsociation of all workmen and these said strike sed fas continuous countries, there was a conference of hell biography, and owing to the grant at the time of modification. the leaders of the executive committed confirmation of the news from all di- and after. Comrade Leo Kessler is conducting a class in the Community Maniing a class in the Community Mani
We must repeated to members of the Socialist Party and the partiamentary group. Liebknecht's readiness to the above the best of the partiamentary group. Liebknecht's readiness to the above the best of the partiamentary group. who had been called together to dis- dasth for Socialism. Hardly dad that possible instruction in the briefest alists have shown. headquarters at the 2nd A. D. Ar members of the Party are invited to ling a pause, a young member of the attend this class.

How the country of party groups of this very day the bounges dear occase shakes and wavers and leans attend this class. ed. "Would that one of the Cerman worth telling-the stati of the Avan-theoretical Ictowledge on military The graciants of Civil War has to the side of Denikin. In spite of

CETHER TO SMASH DENIKIN

APPEAL OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTER TO THE PARTY MEMBERSHIP

Comrades! We are now at the sus resources which it is necessary most critical moment of the Socialist to take account of and utilize immediatevolution. The Allied Imperialists ately. who have failed in their plan to conand Rodzianko in Siberia and before use use all resources in men and sup- held at the City of Winnipeg, egin-Petrograd are today making a desperate effort to re-establish the power All the forces of Labor and the

off this new danger. The Pressing Problem. The whole Soviet Republic must

transform itself into an armed camp. Every communist, every hard-working peasant and laborer is compelled of the menacing offensive of Denito devote most of his energy to the immediate problems of the war, at the expense of their ordinary work. in the fight against this messace. War, instead of the building up of the country is now their first object. The highest authorities are forced to figuities it is necessary to organize confuse themselves exclusively to the consideration of the most important general questions, while the field of every institution to only one experi- of soviet undertakings and exterenced and energetic comrade, we is

personally responsible. The adaptation of work to the exigencies of the war is secured not by only remotely. If this reduction of "would be opened by the Censor, and than the workers and soldiers organ. the transformation of the old or the son-military work is carried out rancreation of new establishments, but idly and wisely we will have at our commander-in-chief to answer for it. cil at Paris, it is clear, cannot make by the temporary suspension of those disposal in the political departments The offense was committed with a up its aind. The Council also real institutions which are not absolutely now held by the army hundreds of viets by force of arms; but still it work necessary to the carrying on of work of commissaires, etc. the war must be accomplished enpensive policy of keeping you here, policy-PEACE WITH RUSSIA. Ifirely and exclusively by the organmation of the latter. They must be Rawfinson, and was told that his let- Conference cannot make a decision, enlarged, consolidated, as the case

Te truth about Kolchak and Desisurmmary executions of tens of thoutsands of workers and peasants, fle as near, laying down of arms by the Mensheriks and social-revolutionists then.

One of our chief undercakings Soviet power.

Propagailda A mong Teserter.

Wa must redouble our propaganda only through the local office, and not were some revolutionists left in Ger. R. Lunemburg, K. Liebknecht lie Geret among deserters in order to ing Members of the Ex. Come of theel them to recome the army. That It is noteworthy that up to this many: Miller, Schuldenann, Burt heary this up by means of company Only leten, when the news come must be and methodical work of

The department in charge of miliis well as in their attempt to prop up work on the energetie and hereje iniplies in the proper place.

First, let us induce people to give of capital by playing Denikine's card. up the arms remaining in their possession; it is natural that after four peasantry ought to be bent to ward years of war and two revolutions large quantity of arms should remain hidden, especially in the rural sections. Cost what it will, we muer fight without delay against this abnormal situation especially in view kine.

Propagands has netted good results

Curtailment of Non-Military Work. In order to overcome all these difbatallions of devoted and energetic workers. To obtain these groups of workers we must reduce or even for the time being suspend a whose series orises whose object is not military or whose work is not absolutely essential because it concerns the army

Work in the War Zone

As a recult, on the one band of the offensive of the Soviet troops in the classes of such subjects and in par-Urals and on the other hand of Deni- ticular between that class of His Makine and Yudenisch in south and jesty's subjects consisting of worknorth Rossia the area of military men and employees and that class of larged during the last few weeks. This er of labor and other persons not be kine is now absolutely tertain. The therefore presents itself as me deal- ing workmen and employes, and were sive moment and the end of the war thereby parties to a seditious conspi-

It's is the military sone that work

acquires the greatest importance. selves, the flogging publicly inflicted. Due to the rapid advance of the one intention did cause and procure on evomen, are authentic facts. The Red firm) in the Ural region, the inpossible publicity among the peo- citories and devote themselves to segiven by non-Bolsheviks, Mensdeviks, more dangerous, for our offensive

of Krasneva Contral as the differens

parting this danger is to intensify the against the elements of the petry portions of Russia where such "So political propaganda in the army and bourgeois parties. among the modifized, to improve the Convenien of the Population work of the army commissation, to take their level and to make then The Soviet Republic is a fortrass employes in Canada. malise that the Party program rest besieged by world capital. We should Divers individuals were injured the Branck of thre working class.

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"kouliks." We must redouble ou-The 2nd annual concert and ball on their own Socialist Party, whose pact that the Indian Sacialist lead-The 2nd annual concert and ball on their own Socialist Party, whose will be given on Saturday, December faith to the Internationale was set from the Garman Party, surli, a sland social-particle press is strug- and social-particle press is strug-

AFTERMATH OF WINNIPEC STRIKE

Extracts from the Indiament Against Eight Strike Leaders As Part of Campaign of White Terror

Let the unwritten Rill of Indiciment | employes in Canada and gariagularis be preferred on behalf of the Crown the western part af Canada including before the Grand Jury for the Bast- Manitoba, for the purpose of compel ern Judicial District at the sittings of ling compliance with the demands of quer the Ukraine by their own armies tary equipment should base its His Majesty's Court of King's Bench such workmen and employes by for manitoha for the trial of Crimi- means of unlawful general strikes the adventure of Kolchak, Yudenitch tiative of the fural workers and let nal Matters and Proceedings to he (which would include and were inmencing on the Fourth Day of No- workmen and employes who, at the vember, A. D. 1919.

(Signed) Thos. H. Johnson, Ationney-General. Court of King's Beach (Crown Side) ball Assizes, 1519. Canada, Province of

Eastern Judicial District. "I. The Jurers for sair Lord the King present:

That William Ivens, Richard J. Johns, Report B. Russell, William A. Pitchard, John Queen, A. A. Hegge, in and during the years 1917, 1918, and 1919, at the city of Winnipeg in persons, to the jurors unknown, to carry into execution a seditious intention, to wit: to bring into hatred and contempt and to excite disaffection against the government, laws and constitution of the province of Manitoba as by-law established, and the administration of justice and also to amongst His Majesty's subjects in Canada, and to promote feelings of ill-will and hostility between different ing the lives, health, satety and properly of the said inhabitants and of

Merdings.

And in furtherance of such seditive must be to give these facts the great- desire to settle in the resonquered ter- jesty the King, and a large number exposing valuable property, both real of them to meet and assemble to- and personal, within said city of Winple. We must make use of testimony construction. But the's is nothing gether at the Walker theatre in said nipeg to destruction and serious incity of Winespey on the 22nd day of jury and of challenging and usurp social revolutionists and neutrals who may in this way ind itself retarded. December, loss, and also on the loth ing a constituted analysisty and of setleave Eyed under the "rate" of Ken. No worker should in any tase leave day of January, 1919, at the Majestic ting flass against class in said City chark and Denkine, so that every the front for local work. worker and prasant might know what The main task in the recommended did attend and take part in said meetavails him should the counter revolu- segious should be the winning and ings and at the said meeting's speechraits him shown the current revolutions shown by the workers but especially es and sesolutions were made and their will in said city of Winnipeg, to and passed and shings done and said go out on strike and cease work and which were of a character to accoming desert their employment, and the con-In the military some of Petrograd phish the seditions purposes aforesaid thursace during the said months of outbreak of the war. These sketches to write a tribune, but I said their the should be the spreading probagation and at the southern front we must and as a festile of the said nestings have a war footing. Third between the spreading one a war footing the said nestings have and as a festile of the said nestings have and as a festile of the said nestings have and as a festile of the said nestings have and as a festile of the said nestings have and as a festile of the said nestings have and as a festile of the said nestings have and as a festile of the said nestings have a specific the said nestings have a specific the said nestings and as a festile of the said nestings have a specific to the said nestings have a spe nd turn all our work, effects, and place, and properly was destroyed Western Labor New Strike Bulletin, In August, 1914, at the beginning its successful campaign against the monthly but and nothing but and nothing but and persons assaulted and injured in was issued and distributed deally was issued and distributed darly was instead and distributed darly of the war, when the blocade of the German people by showing the imperilist nations had already began, these belowed leaders and members of the said with offer and when only contradictory scraps of Parliament. That I dedicated an inflation of the war, when the blocade of the Said city of Winnings and diets of the Red Army.

We must find means of having the imperilist nations had already began, there belowed leaders and members of the said with offer and when only contradictory scraps of Parliament. That I dedicated an indicate the said city of Winnings and diets of the Red Army.

We must find means of having the imperilist nations had already began, and adding the constant that foot constant the foot of the said strike, entering the product of the said strike, and adding the constant that foot of the said strike, and adding the said city of Winnings and diet agree in procure tickets can do so at the branch headquarters, 255 Grand St. found their way into the different article to Liebtrecht-Staff will at a second in the said attended to form a combination the said strike and the continuous transfer of form a combination the said strike and the continuous transfer of form a combination the said strike and the continuous transfer of the said strike and the continu

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for War.

quives that the entire concentration give the right of haven from Kolchar, thereby; and the said William Ilvens. Si control of every section of the commanshing technicall personnel rest in diese, who panticipate in the war. In William A. Phitchard, John Queen is our right and obligation to mobil- A. At Heaps, Course Armstrong and Carage ile Agrainet Counter Resolution ize the entire population for war R. E. Bray , were each thereby guilty work. He is impossible to actually of the indictable offence set out in The counter-revolution is raising its carry out conscription. For that we Section 222 of the Criminal code. your share for the defense of our class war prisoners.

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The counter newellifem is raising its ice, crocodile tears were shad over the defense of the de fore strongthen our vigitance over the.

Sourgeoisis, intellectuals, and village have. But it is possible to come near it and in this sense we must do all.

allowing itself to be drawn away, by from him

tsinded to include mails and directs time of such unlawful general strices had been and would still be signed under written or verbal contracts of service for various unexpired meriods of time, and who by going out on such unlawful general strike would Maniteba, break such contracts and desert from their service and antice contrary to the statutes in stick case inpate and provided, and also many divers workmen and employed who, at the time wi such unlawful general strikes would be subject to the provisions of George Armelfang, and R. E. Bray the Industrial Disputes Investigation act, 1917, and at that time could not go out on strike without violating the where in the Dominion of Canada did provisions of said act, and by means unlawfully conspire, confederate and agree with one another and with other and the intimidation and terror thereby created in the minds of all peaceable and law-abiding inhabitants of Canada, and also for the purpose by the said means of bringing about constitution of the Dominion of Can- of the Dominion of Canada and of canges in the laws and constitution ada and the government, laws and the provinces thereof as by law established and of obtaining control of all industries and property in Canada. raise discontent and disaffection seditions intention aforesaid, did aid, And still in furtherance of the said counsel, procure and assist in calling during the mouth of May, 1919, an unlawful general strike, of the kind hereinbefore described. The said unlawful general strike had the effect and was intended to have effect of disoperations has been considerably ex- such subjects consisting of employ- inhabitanst of said city of Winnipeg commoding and inconveniencing the and of paralyzing all industries and business in said city and of endanger-

> obstructing said inhabitants in the exercise and enjoyment of all rights common to all His Magesty's subjects and of causing serious bodicy injury to divers individuals and of fear and intimidation, large numbers

> ernment in Canada. To Form Soviet Caremning. They tried to introduce in Canada by other than lawful means, what is known as a "Soviet" form of goverument similar to that now in force viet" form of government is now in force, namely, by means of unlawful general strikes of all workmen and

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(Signed) G. HI. Walker, Clerk of Peace.

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LEGAL DON'TS TO MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY

1. If you are rounded up in any raids or arrested for Communist Party activities, you will probably be questioned by some of the raiding officers, members of the Lusk Committee, Federal agents or other officers of "Law and Order." Do not talk to them at all. Give them no information about the Communist Party, its principles, tactics, interpretation of the manifesto and program, officers, members, activities and plans. If they ask you whether you, are a member, refuse to answer. First telephone your friends. Instruct them to notify the attorneys representing the Communist Party. This right the law gives you. Insist on it. Remember! Give these people no information, as it will be used against you and our organization. Pay no attention to their threats or promises. Their only desire is to crush you and the Party.

2. If served with a subpoena to appear before the Grand Jury, you will probably be accosted by Assistant District Attorney Rorke and Archibald Stevenson. They may take you to Rorke's office or a side room and question you. Refuse to talk to them. They cannot compel you to submit to such an examination. you were subpoened to appear before the Grand Jury and not before them. Give them no information as they will try to get damaging testimony out of the complete victory of the Com- them as helpers in the building of vou to be used against you and the Party.

If taken before the Grand Jury, do not under any circumstances sign a waiver of immunity. Remember this! DO NOT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES SIGN A WAIVER OF IMMUNITY If you do, you waive the right to be immune from a criminal prosecution for the offense concerning which you are being examined. They will then also use the testimony gotten from you, against italistic army under control of bour- wars of the workingmen-even when vou. If you have refused to sign this waiver of immunity and are sworn and put on the stand, be careful of your answers. If you do not know about some matter concerning which you are being examined, then answer, "I don't know." If you are asked any question which may tend to incriminate you of a crime, refuse to answer on the ground "that the question may tend to convict you of a crime." It is not necessary that the question should convict you of a crime. The fact that it may tend to do so, even if remote, is enough of a legal excuse for refusal to answer. The judge then decides whether you are or are not to answer the question. However, do not answer ary soldiers, the Red Guard working- total ruin), the Proletarian Dictatorunless told to do so by out attorney.

3. If you are arrested and are not bailed out as soon as you hoped to be, do not lose your courage. The Communist Party is on the job nevertheless. It has other cases like yours and there are other important matters to be attended to. If there is delay, rest assured that your case is being given attention. Do not speak to anybody in jail about your case, as there are numerous spies and stool-pigeons in the jails.

FINIAND AND THE WHITE TERROR

By A. WALLENIUS, Swedish Left

were shot like dogs and nearly 10,000 men, well armed, well drilled, well provisional institution. As the op- of the means of production and exstarved to death in these death camps. disciplined. The leaders of the white postion of the bourgeoisie is broken, change; rather, on the contrary, its not consistent with the resolutions The rest were sentenced to between guard army are the initiators of all and it is expropriated and gradually three and fifteen years; some of these actions against Soviet Russia, and di- absorbed into the working groups, the of production and to subject all proprisoners, between 45,000 and 50,000, rect most of the policies of interior proletarian dictatorship disappears, duction to a systematic plan. As the vote to join the Third International! were freed under some conditions and Finland. The interior and interna- until finally the State dies and there were deprived of the right to vote and tional policies are managed by the are no more class distinctions. other rights of citizenship. Manner- Entente, and, as an example of this., Democracy, so-called, that is, bourheim was at this time the leader and the attempt of the government to geois democracy, is nothing more nor governor of Finland.

ter of 30,000, in spite of the 50,000 pathy of the radical workers for So- people. In reality, there are the rights, in spite of the ten thousand which operates against these policies. ble purposes. However, since the land. The results of the election catastrophe for Finland. made clear, however, that all the dreams of the monarchists were at an end, and that Mannerheim was shorn of all power. The man who had ONE WEEK OF BRITISH GOV. Communist Commonwealth. tried to put Finland in war against Russia was defeated by Stalberg, a reactionary, to be sure, but a very energetic student of political economy. During his leadership the inte- martials, 40 sentences, 96 armed as- and their organizations are held far lation by which the small farmers and ONE DAY'S WAGE TO THE rior and international policities were saults, 43 proclamations and suppres- out of reach of the real power and the petty bourgeoisie of the cities will forever vacillating. In many matters sions, 2 suppressions of newspapers, the real State administration. In the be freed from economic bondage to LONG LIVE THE COMMUNIST State administration. the socialists have compelled the gov- Total 328.

After the suppression of the revolu- ernment to give in. But in spite of workers were interred in prison camps country through his white guard ar-(Finland has a population of three my which he has built up from among Of these eighty thousand, 17,000 now comprise an army of 100,000 gain as much economic advantage as less than veiled dictatorship by the But in spite of the thorough-going possible, based on the orders from bourgeoisie. The much vaunted "popsuppressions, in spite of the slaugh- Paris and London. The great sym- ular will" exists as little as a unified

that fled to Russia, and in spite of the The situation just now is made bourgeoisie is only a small minority, 10,000 killed in the revolution-the so- characteristic by the reactionary ap- it needs this fiction of the "popular cialists got in the year 1010 eighty- peals to invade Soviet Russia and aid will" as a flourish of fine-sounding three representatives out of a total of Yudenitch. But in spite of the sec- words to reinforce its rule over the 200 representatives that sit in the par- ret and open constraint of the white working classes and to impose its liament. Thus they are the leading guards of Mannerheim, the desire of own class will upon the people. The As far as the smaller enterprises party in parliament, but they are the workers for peace and their solid- proletariat, on the contrary, as the are concerned, the proletariat must slow in exercising the full political arity for the Bolsheviks weigh so overwhelming majority of the people, gradually unite them, according to the power they possess, because of the heavily in the balance that an attack openly exercises its class power by degree of their importance. It must white terror that is now ruling Fin- upon Soviet Russia would result in a means of its mass organization and be particularly emphasized that small

-Traslated by U. Chabrow.

ERNMENT IN IRELAND

From the Moscow Manifesto. GREAT BETRAYAL

Communist International held in Moscow, March, 1919:

To the Proletariat of all Countries! come into the arena of conflict it expected and wished. But it has come. units of production.

followers and fulfillers of the progthe practical revolutionary experiparties in order to further and hasten

ist revolution. The Conquest of Political Power. Seizure of political power by the management of the proletariat. Vic- State. tory of the proletariat. Victory of the Communism is now being born out

Democracy and Dictatorship.

using every means in a desperate ef- by which the most important social tion in Finland more than 80,000 all this. Mannerheim dominates the fort to stifle the revolution in blood, power of production—the proletariat and to make impossible further opposition. The dictatorship of the prole- itself. the bourgeoisie The white guards tariat, which gives it the favored position in the community, is only a

> through its Soviets, in order to wipe properties will in no way be expropriout the privileges of the bourgeoisie ated and that property owners who are and to secure the transition, rather not exploiters of labor will not be the transformation, into a classless forcibly dispossessed. This element

liamentary system, uses words to in- force of example, through practical ber 1st (Frankfort News). duce belief in popular participation demonstrations of the superiority of Sixty-nine raids, 62 arrets, 16 court- in government. Actually the masses the new order of things, and the regu-Soviet system the mass organizations usurious capital and landlordism, and

We give below an extract from the rule, and through them the mass it- from tax burdens (especially by an-Manifesto of the First Congress of the self, inasmuch as the Soviets draw nulment of the national debts), etc. constantly increasing numbers of Seventy-two years have gone by the entire working population gradu- letariat is enabled to create centralsince the Communist Party of the ally become part of the government, ized organs of management and to World proclaimed its programme in The Soviet system also builds itself institute workers' control. To this the form of the Manifesto written directly on the mass organizations of end it must make use of its mass orby the greatest teachers of the prole- the proletariat, on the Soviets them- ganizations which are in closest relatarian revolution, Karl Marx and selves, the revolutionary trade unions, tion to the process of production. In after which we will disarm the world. Frederick Engels. Even at that early the co-operatives, etc. Bourgeois de- the field of distribution the Proletartime, when Communism had scarcely moeracy and its parliamentary sys- ian Dictatorship must re-establish was hounded by the lies, hatred and masses from the State by division of products; to which end the followthe government into legislative and ing methods are to be considered: the who rightly suspected in it their mor- executive powers, and through parlia- socialization of wholesale establishtal enemy. During these seven de- mentary manadates beyond popular ments, the taking over of all bourgeois cades Communism has travelled a recall. The Soviet system, by con- State and municipal apparatus of dishard road; of ascent followed by pe- trast, unites the masses with the or- tribution; control of the great coriods of sharp decline; successes, but gans of government by right of re- operative societies, which organizaalso severe defeats. In spite of all, call, amalgamation of legislature and tions will still have an important role the development at bottom went the executive powers, and by use of work- in the production epoch; the gradual way forecast by the Manifesto of the ing boards. Above all his union is centralization of all these organs and Communist Party. The epoch of the fostered by the fact that in the Soviet their conversion into a systematic unlast decisive battle came later than system elections are based not on ar- ity for the rational distribution of the apostles of the social revolution bitrary territorial districts, but on products.

We Communists, representatives of In this way the Soviet system the revolutionary proletariat of the brings true proletarian democracy, different countries of Europe, Amer- democracy by and for the proletariica and Asia, assembled in Soviet ans against the bourgeoisie. The in-Moscow, feel and consider ourselves dustrial proletariat is favored in this system, because it is the most agramme proclaimed seventy-two years | gressive, best organized, and politiago. It is our task now to sum up cally ripest class, under whose leadership the semi-proletarians and small ence of the working class, to cleanse farmers will be gradually elevated. the movement of its admixtures of These temporary privileges of the opportunism and social patriotism, industrial proletariat must be uitilized and to gather together the forces of to draw the small farmers away from all the true revolutionary proletarian the control of the big landowners and bourgeoisie and to organize and train the communistic structure.

Expropriation of the Bourgeoisie and The breakdown of the capitalistic proletariat means destruction of the order and the disruption of capitalpolitical power of the bourgeoisie, istic industrial discipline makes im-The organized power of the bourgeoi- possible the reorganization of prosie is in the civil Statae, with its cap- duction on a capitalistic basis. Wage geois-junker officers, its police and successful-do not bring the antici gendarmes, jailers and judges, its pated betterment of conditions of priests. Government officials, etc. living: the workers can only become Conquest of the political power emancipated when production is no means not merely a change in the longer controlled by the bourgeoisie personnel of ministries, but annihila- but by the proletariat. In order to tion of the enemy's apparatus of gov- raise the standards of productivity, in ernment: disarmament of the bour- order to crush the opposition on the recisie, of the counter-revolutionary part of the boung cisie (which only officers, of the White Guard; arm- prolongs the death struggle of the old ing of the proletariat, the revolution- regime and thereby invites danger of men; displacement of all the bour- ship must carry out the expropriation geois judges and organization of pro- of the greater bourgeoisie and junletarian courts; elimination of control kerdom and convert the means of by reactionary Government officials production and distribution into the and substitution of new organs of common property of the proletarian

proletariat consists in shattering the of the ruins of Capitalism-there is enemy's organization and organizing no other salvation for humanity. The the proletarian power; in the destruc- opportunists who are making utopian tion of the bourgeois and upbuilding demands for the reconstruction of the to postpone socialization, only delay The proletarian State, like every the process of disintegration and in-State, is an organ of suppression, but crease the danger of total demolition. it arrays itself against the opposition The communist revolution, on the of the despoilers of labor, who are other hand, is the best, only mean, -can be saved, and with it society

The dictatorship of the Proletariat does not in any way call for partition aim is further to centralize the forces first steps-socialization of the great banks which now control production: the taking over by the power of the proletariat of all Government-controlled economic utilities; the transferring of all communal enterprises; the socializing of the syndicated and trustified units of production, as well which the degree of concentration and of agricultural estates and their conversion into co-operative establish-

will gradually be drawn into the so- ments of troops ready to retreat are, Bourgeois democracy, with its par- cialistic organization through the therefore, but small.—Berlin, Novem-

The task of the Proletarian Dictaworkers into the State administra- torship in the economic field can only tion; and only by this process will be fulfilled to the extent that the protem sharpen the separation of the commerce by an accurate distribution As in the field of production so al- field of battle.

so in the field of distribution, all qualified technicians and specialists are to be made use of, provided their political resistance is broken, and they are still capable of adapting themselves, not to the service of capital, but to the new system of production. Far from oppressing them the proletariat will make it possible for the first time for them to develop intenive creative work. The Proletarian Dictatorship, with their co-operation, will retrieve the separation of physical and mental work which Capitalism has developed and thus will Science and Labor be unified. Besides expropriating the factories, mines, estates, etc., the proletariat must also abolish th exploitation of the people by capitalistic landlords, transfer the large mansions to the local workers' councils, and move the working people into the bourgeois dwellings,

During te great transition period the power of the Councils must constantly build up the entire administrative organization into a more centralized structure, but on the other hand, constantly draw ever increasing elements of the working people into the immediate control of govern-

The revolutionary era compels the proletariat to make use of the means of battle which will concentrate its entire energies, namely, mass action, with ist logical resultant, direct conflict with the governmental machinery in open combat. All other methods, such as revolutionary use of bourgeois parliamentarism, will be of only secondary significance.

Down with the imperialistic conspiracy of capital! Long live the International Republie of the Proletarian Soviets!

CUT OUT ANTI-BOLSHEVISM IN I. W. W.

The Rebel Worker is of the opinion that the Editor of the One Big Union Monthly is following a wrong policy in attacking communist Hungary and Russia. It is not our business to aid capitalist imperialism as against the attempts of the workers in other lands to establish a new society, even by ill-conceived criticism instruct. Besides, such a course is adopted at our last convention greeting the Russian Revolution; nor the In other words, it is not representative of the I. W. W. Cut it out. -"The Rebel Worker."

PITY MESSRS. LENIN AND TROTSKY

October 28th .- Mr. Harmsworth made the extraordinary statement that were deprived of all political viet Russia is the only deterring force classes, with antagonistic, irreconsila- as all other branches of production in that "The Commissioner for Foreign Affairs of the Soviet Government was centralization of capital makes this informed by wireless that Messrs. technically practicably; the socializing Lenin, Trotsky and other persons concerned would be held strictly and personally responsible for the treatment of British prisoners of war, and of other British subjects in Russia." -"Workers' Dreadnought."

GERMANS JOIN THE RED ARMY

It is reported from a very reliable source that about 30,00 men of the Courland troops have gone over to the Red Army, and that the detach-

DEFENSE FUND PARTY OF AMERICA

By PIERRE BRIZON, French Socialist Deputy French Socialist Deputy.

"We have won the war!" You have lost the peace!

For in the long run, peace is disarmament and where is disarmament? Everywhere you have promised to the martyred peoples to go through with it :to wipe out Prussian militarism Forward! It is the last war.

On January 18, 1918, in his talk to the trade unions, Lloyd George said: This is exactly why we are tighting. It is in order to establish conditions which will make universal military service useless not noly in this coun try but in every country,'

The Premier of England insisted. We wish to render compulsory military service definitely impossible."

And the poor people have had con fidence enough in your words, despite your past lies. And the martyrs have gone to their death - in order that never again should men die on the

Then, after four years and three months of massacre, revolution has broken out. War has stopped. The armistice has come. Now nobody has been disarmed! Not even Germany! They say, M. Clemenceau, that you have permitted "the enemy" to retain an army of a million men.

On the 11th of November, 1018, you

might have disarmed everybody. If you have not accomplished general disarmament, if you have not dis-Foch has not been able to secure the demobilization of the German armyit is because you have not wished it. neither you nor your generals, nor your conference.

And if you have not wished it, you the Grand Master of Revenge, you the Patriot, you, who, since 1871, have passed all of your life in order rapidly decreased. Commodity and, to show, as you said, "The German of course, security prices rose rapdanger, running through Europe,"- idly. in order to inform statesmen, to make efforts and to say to them, "the danger lies there"-it is because you, the Minister of the Bourgeoisie and your friends and allies of Jewish finance and steel supremacy and of Dynamite and Reaction, you have had a terror of the Social Revolution

You have not disarmed the sinister spirits of the Conference and of the Government, neither the army nor the navy; nor France, nor England, nor America, nor Italy, nor Roumania, nor even Germany.

Quite the contrary. To those who have never had them, you have given armies, to the Poles, to the Jugo-Baltic Provinces. And these new-

With your generals, your "diplomats," your reactionaries, and your beasts of prey, you have left a world poisoned with militarism, with vileness and with greed.

You have preciously conserved for us your civilization of the trench, of the machine gun, of the bomb, the asphyxiating gas, of liquid fire, of

boiling oil, of profiteers in blood. you still need billions and that your which to appear at social affairs. intended to point out differences and masters of the steel industry still re-

> You have not kept your promises. You have not killed war.

quire regiments.

You have not even made peace. You have deceived the martyrs. tion of 6,000,000, mostly "Dicks," The miserable dead have died for

nothing. And there, look you, is the great be-

-From "La Vague," Paris.

IDIOTORIALS

Lous Waldman is giving a series of three lectures entitled, "The Great Collapse." The first is called "The Industrial Revolution"; the second, Stealing Public Wealth"; and the third, "Confiscation or Indemnity."

The second and third lectures in the course on the great collapse present a "remarkable study of the traction situation in New York."

Do you mean the Socialist aldermen, Louis?

Everybody-At Least-Everybody That Counts.

The Times announces in its headlines that everybody is leaving Omsk in terror at the prospect of falling into the hands of the Bolsheviki. But the news item reads as follows:

"The government departments the families of officers, and the wealthy residents of the city are hurrying their departure, and procession of carriages, carts, and automobiles is streaming over the road."

The workers and peasants seem to be awfully sad that Kolchak is leaving them and taking "everybody" away with him.

WHY THE STOCK MARKET BROKE

(Extract from Article in "Trader and Investor")

Wages began to soar. Men who have been glad to get two, three, five and seven dollars a day at manual or skilled work began to receive many armed even "the enemy." if you have times that much. They spent much sabotaged your "victory," if Marsall of this, but of course patriotically saved some, as the Government urged.

The signing of the armistice found thousands of these men with more money than they had time to spend. The natural result was that they took time away from their work to buy automobiles, real estate, jewelrywhatever they wished Production

Famous Saying No. 4.

"The Socialist Party almost slavishly and often foolishly obeys every law after it has been passed-even when the law is not to their liking." -Berger, in his address to Congress.

Two Fastion Notes.

King Alfonso of Spain has registered distinct disappointment upon learning that his mauve evening dress at dinners has not caused the adoption of that costume by Lord Sudeley Slavs, to the Czecho-Slavs, to the and Lord Howard de Walden, London's leading fashion exponents. born are in battle array! Blood flows! Neither have the two toffs adopted Alfonso's style of violet hat bands.

Michael Casey, who has taken up a vast amount of land in America one shovelful after another, was recently seen in a pair of high priced overalls, studded with expensive brass buttons. He predicts that these will become the fashion with many royal families, and their general introduction in high society will relieve many a lord of the brain fag incident to You have made us understand that picking out the proper clothing in -"The Forge."

How It Looks to Some.

New York is a city with a popula-

"Haase always belonged to the left wing of the party. Not to the extreme left, but to the Marxist center." -Karl Kautsky in "Freiheit."

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