

BANKERS SEE THE PROPPOTTERING GERMAN DISASTER

Here Is "The Daily"!

In the first issue of the Weekly Worker, Feb. 2, 1922, we wrote, "This, the first edition of The Worker, is the advance agent of The Daily Worker."

Now, in this first issue of The Daily Worker, we join hands with the comrades of the Communist International in declaring that the Daily is but "the forerunner of more revolutionary dailies in other parts of the country."

Thus, from one advance position, we move forward to another next ahead. The Daily is here, and we turn a new page in the world story of labor's struggle. Another chapter begins for America's working class. The first English-language Communist Daily in the world has been realized.

Only the momentous developments of the not far future will reveal the tremendous significance of this present historic achievement.

A giant is born! A new voice is raised, battling for the workers and farmers of America, carrying its promise of many more such voices; of many Communist Dailies to come!

Not only in Russia, in Germany, in Italy, in the Scandinavian countries, in Czechoslovakia, in France, in Mexico, and in a host of other lands, but in those countries where the English language dominates as well, the Communist message will now spread daily among the marching, militant hosts of the exploited in the cities and on the land.

The Daily is born! It comes to fight! It comes to inspire and call the many to struggle! The Daily Worker is the voice of the whole working class!

The Daily has already aroused its enemies. The labor lieutenants of the established order, joined with the big business interests, the bankers, the merchant princes, the landlords and other profiteers, in a declaration of the National Civic Federation, seeking to prejudice the workers and farmers against it.

Secretary of State Hughes, at Washington, has translated and published in the subsidized press of this country, an article appearing in Moscow, in the press of the Russian workers and farmers, voicing their cry that the English-language Communist Daily in the United States is to be. Thus Hughes seeks to prejudice American labor.

But we have no fears. The bosses have declared The Daily their enemy, even before its first issue appeared. They know the "have cause" to fear The Daily. They know it will raise the standards of a real struggle against the few who rob and plunder the many, and keep them in submission. They know The Daily is a challenge to the continuance of their ruthless and bandit rule.

We have no fears because we know that the workers and farmers of the United States will rapidly rally in support of The Daily in increased numbers.

The Daily appears in Chicago but it is the expression of the oppressed workers and farmers of the whole nation. Its daily survival in the shops, factories, mills and mines will be cheered by the workers because they will recognize in it their champion. It will be hailed by the agonizing tillers of the soil as their powerful weapon against bankers, landlords and profiteers in the wealth they produce but do not enjoy.

The Daily fights for the new Communist order, where all classes will vanish for the first time in the history of civilization. But it also fights for the shorter working day, increased wages to meet the rising cost of living, better working conditions, against child labor, against injunctions and other judicial attacks on the workers, for free speech, free press, free assembly, against the efforts to divide and crush the foreign and native-born workers, for the liberation of all class-war prisoners and the wiping-out of all anti-labor legislation. The Daily fights for the organization of all labor and the strengthening of its ranks everywhere. It is for the organization of the unorganized and for amalgamation as two powerful weapons to prepare for the coming industrial depression and unemployment immediately ahead.

The Daily raises the slogan "The land for the users of the land." Landlordism and tenantry must go. The Daily declares for a moratorium for all working farmers on their debts for a period of five years. It fights against the degradation of working farmers into peonage, against the creation of an American peasantry.

Tremendous struggles confront The Daily! It will not weaken before them! It will grow in the fight, because with each new struggle new masses of workers and farmers will recognize The Daily as theirs, and they will rally behind it.

The Daily Worker belongs to all who labor.

It is the rich possession of all who toil. Workers! Farmers! Rally to The Daily! Make it strong, with the strength of your numbers. Make it fight, with your will to struggle and conquer!

Long Live The Daily Worker! Hail the triumph of America's Workers and Farmers!

DEATH FOR 40, INJURE MANY AT PEKIN, ILL.

Rockefeller Concern Smashed
Workers' Organization

By TOM TIPPETT.
(Staff Correspondent of the Federal Press
and "The Daily Worker")

PEKIN, ILL.—Establishment of the open shop, criminal negligence on the part of the company and efficiency stunts are given by the survivors as the direct causes for the fatal dust explosion at the Corn Products Refining Company's plant here.

The main blow-up occurred when explosive dust was in the dry starch department of the plant. This was caused by a minor explosion in the grinding room that shot a flame thru the spiral conveyor into the dry room, according to men who were at work in the plant at the time.

Between 35 and 40 workmen were killed in the explosion and 30 others injured so badly that many of them will die. There were no dust elimination suction fans at the wrecked building and no precautions against explosions were taken since the union in the plant was destroyed. During the war the plant, which employs 800 men, was organized and won union recognition thru a decision of the War Labor Board.

In the general attack against the union in 1918 when the Steel Plant was at its height the Corn Products workers' agreement expired. The company refused recognition and initiated a fight on the union which lasted many months. In a year the union was completely destroyed and the open shop established. This system here meant that every man with union affiliations or sympathies was summarily fired, an elaborate spy system installed and the "American Plan" of efficiency put into effect. Except for the 8-hour day all concessions won by the union were lost.

The starch plant operates 24 hours a day with 3 shifts. Seven days a week. Explosions are not unknown of this kind of plants. The company has experienced them in their works at Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Edwardsville, Mo. The most serious constant fear. The grinding room of the starch works here was built to accommodate the workers and the ceiling were of glass. This explosion began in the grinding room where the walls early gave way, the men who have since died in the hospital were from this department. The dry starch building, where the main explosion took place is connected to the grinding room by a conveyor which carries the starch to be powdered and packed for shipment.

It is in this department that the workers in deadly quantities threw out for smelter. The building was an old one that was not made over in the reconstruction of the plant. There were 30 or 40 men employed on its 4 different floors. The explosion put its plants up and down demolishing the building as though it were an egg. Every man in the plant was killed.

While the union was functioning one of its conditions was that two men kept at work in the dry starch building removing the dust. On Sunday, because of union double-crossing the plant was closed and this opportunity was taken by the dust men to "blow" the machines and clean the conveyors. Since the fall of the union no attention had been paid the dust and it had accumulated in deadly quantities throughout the entire building. The three shifts that pack and load the day's output complete with each others for production records. Survivors say that the only consideration paid by the "efficiency experts" to the dust was a childish instruction to the men who sweep the floor to wrap their brooms with burlap.

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THREE BANKERS GO TO BERLIN



UNITED FARMERS IN BIG FIGHT ON THE MILK TRUST

Profiteers Can't Disrupt
Producers' Unions

The milk supply of Chicago has been reduced 75% as a result of the attempt of the profiteering milk corporations to disrupt the MILK PRODUCERS' Association.

Until recently there were two associations of milk producers in the field and so in the case when there are two rival labor unions in the same industry, the bosses played one against the other.

Recently however, the two organizations of milk producers united and decided to resist the efforts of the Milk Trust to reduce the price of milk to the producer.

All the plants of the Bowman Dairy company are picketed, and leaders to them are watched by the farmers. Their language, said to be on a progressive color, such terms as a "united front" and "solidarity" being heard frequently.

McAdoo Unmasked as Original Russian Recognition Foe While Hughes' Plot Falls by Wayside

(Washington Correspondence to "The Daily Worker")
WASHINGTON, D. C.—When the Russian Soviet Government, thru its foreign minister, George Teltchinsky, in reply to the obvious suggestion for diplomatic rapprochement contained in President Coolidge's address to congress, held out the olive branch for a joint conference to compose the outstanding differences between Russia and the United States, Secretary of State Hughes within 24 hours, with a haste undreamed of in diplomatic procedure, dispatched a note to Moscow via Riga slamming the door in the face of the Soviet Republic.

But the closing of the door of recognition to Soviet Russia by Secretary Hughes serves as an excellent opening for the big fight for recognition by the progressive senators who have been collecting data on the (Continued on page 2.)

Expose Oil Trust's Open Shop

THE DAILY WORKER will publish a series of articles on the recent disaster at Pekin, Ill., and the conditions among the workers there both before and after the disaster. Tom Tippet, who covered the disaster in the Standard Oil Trust's Open Shop plant, in the story appearing in an adjoining column, will write the series. Watch for it!

Help Break Rockefeller's Grip

Daily Worker Sub Rates Cut!

Subscription rates to THE DAILY WORKER have been materially reduced. The new rates are set at \$6 a year, \$5.50 for 6 months and \$2 for 3 months outside of Chicago. By carrier in Chicago the rate remains at \$10 a year and \$1 per month by mail in Chicago, prices have been reduced to \$5 a year and \$4.50 for 6 months.

With the new low prices asked for THE DAILY WORKER, it is expected that within the next few months it will have more readers than any other daily labor paper in America has ever achieved.

For the Chicago readers and prospective Chicago readers, who may be weary of the news of the Chicago strike in other places, it is only fair to say that the new rates make it possible for the city to have more than 25 a year higher than for outside.

Those who have subscribed for THE DAILY WORKER at the higher rates will receive the paper for a proportionately longer period of time. THE DAILY WORKER thanks its office subscribers.

U. S. ADDS WALL STREET DOLLAR PLO

Great Fear of Labor's Growth
Discontent in Europe

Brigadier General Charles G. Dawes will preside over the first session of the sub-committee of experts investigating the German financial situation under auspices of the Reparations Commission in Paris on January 14.

The other sub-committee chair with the investigation of the export of German capital will delay until Jan. 21st, so as to give E. M. Robinson, its American member, a chance to arrive on time for the sessions.

These conferences to fix Germany's ability to pay reparations will have the biggest gathering of financiers since the close of the war. Should these bankers fail to prevent tottering Germany the chances of working class revolution across Europe will be greater than of Fifteen delegates representing financial and industrial interests of the United States, England, France, Belgium and Italy will convene to discuss ways and means of compelling Germany working masses to pay reparations while at the same time continuing to pay heavy penalties to the German capitalists and landlords.

I. S. Representatives Reactionary bankers participating in the expert committee are headed by British Chancellor of the Exchequer and not Chairman of the Treasury, Lord May, and Jean V. Harcourt, one of the managers of the Credit Foncier de France.

America's "Big Three" at the conference are typical representatives of Big Business. They are all out-and-out reactionaries and uncompromising enemies of the workers. Brigadier General Dawes, the first president, who sold McKinley, the first president, to the American people, is President of the Continental Illinois Co. of Illinois. General Dawes, called "Hell-and-Marina" Dawes, was Chairman of the United States Board handling supplies for the American military forces, and was the first Director of the "Hell-and-Marina" Dawes is an open shopper and an out-and-out swindler, but whose attitude towards the laborer is best summed up in an address recently delivered to the Chicago Chamber of Commerce. He said that "the politicians these days are afraid of the labor union, more of which are headed by criminals, who need men who are not afraid of crime—who are ready to fight."

Morgan Interests Well Represented Owen D. Young, the second American member, is one of the directors of the International Chamber of Commerce, the United States Chamber of Commerce, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, the Bankers Trust Company, and Chairman of the American Corporation of America, which is a trading company for extracting the legal monopoly of wireless from the United States.

Mr. Young was a member of Wilson's second Industrial Conference and was one of the chief architects of the C. O. which has extensive interests in Europe.

Mr. Robinson, the first American representative, is a Los Angeles lawyer and financier. He is president of the First National Bank of Los Angeles and is prominently identified with many of the financial and industrial institutions. Mr. Robinson is closely associated with the development and rubber industries, power companies, and the anti-union American Telephone and Telegraph Co.

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How much importance does the press attach to these conferences? (Continued on Page 2.)

"A WEEK!"

A Chance at Last to Get a Glimpse of the New Literature Created by the Young Writers of Soviet Russia. Watch "THE DAILY WORKER" for the First Installment of the World-Famous Bolshevik Novel "A WEEK," by Iury Libedinsky, an Epic of the Russian Revolution.

WILL APPEAR

UNION GIFT TO GERMAN WORKERS

Shipping West will Plan Drive on West Coast

The General Executive Board of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, Inc. in session in Chicago, voted \$25,000 to the needle trade workers of Germany, who are now in a condition of extreme want as a result of the terrible state of that country brought on by the decline and demoralization of the capitalist system.

Silvery Hillman, General President of the Amalgamated, in a special interview to *The Daily Worker* declared that the organization was in a very satisfactory condition despite the depression in the industry.

Organization Drive Planned

A plan is being formulated for an organization campaign on the Pacific coast where the industry is newly established and rapidly spreading in the ready-made clothing business. The report of the American-Russian Industrial Corporation, with recommendations that will further advance the Amalgamated's assistance to Soviet Russia, was adopted. A large number of organizers will be placed in the field at once, declared President Hillman. Their activities will be mainly directed toward what are known as the out-of-town shops, where the attempt is made by employers to establish old sweat-shop conditions.

Big Fund on Hand

The Board decided to establish an Unemployment Insurance Fund, in the New York market along the lines now existing in the Chicago market. The fund now held in the Chicago district amounts to three quarters of a million dollars.

Favorable condition in the affairs of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' two banks are reported. Their combined resources at the present time are in excess of five million dollars.

Greetings from

Greek Branch W. P.
Cleveland, Ohio.



Saturday Night: He tells the Boss to go to Hell.

Secretary Hughes Continues To Spread Communist Propaganda

The latest eruption of the bewhiskered Secretary of State to come to our attention as we go to press is a letter sent to the Workers Party of America by Gregory Zinoviev, Chairman of the Communist International, greeting the American party on its decision to start a Communist daily. A telegram to the same effect was printed in *"THE WORKER"*, but the complete text of the article which appeared in the Moscow Pravda, Dec. 16, last, was translated by Mr. Hughes' retainers and sent out over the wires to the American newspapers.

We desire to acknowledge our indebtedness to Mr. Hughes for this excellent piece of Communist propaganda. His friend Gompers will not thank him for it.

"The American workers whose thoughts and ideas for many years have been dominated by Gompers and his lackeys are beginning now to bestir themselves and rally around the young American Communist party," the translation says.

"Wherever desires," the translation continues, "to aid the Communist party to become, not a guild organization defending only the narrow class interests of the proletariat, but a party of the proletariat, such a person must, after having established a workers' party, direct its attention also to the conquest of the peasantry."

"In this respect the American Communist first felt out the new path. The American Communists have founded the labor farmers' party (preserving to be sure their Communist proletarian party as an independent organization)."

"Let the American comrades with still greater energy labor to conquer before all the hearts of the American proletariat, to snatch the American

ANGLO-SAXON SECTION, MOSCOW IMMIGRANTS' GREET GREET DAILY

Continuity 38, Moscow, Russia.

The English-speaking immigrants in Moscow, having suffered at the hands of Capitalism in America and Great Britain, and now living in freedom in the Workers' and Peasants' Republic of Soviet Russia, send GREETINGS TO THE "DAILY WORKER," ORGAN OF THE FIGHTING WORKERS AND FARMERS OF AMERICA, AND TO THE WORKERS PARTY.

Workers and Farmers of America, support your fighting "Daily" Rally to your Party!

Success to the "Workers' Daily!" Long live the Workers Party and the Workers and Farmers of America!

On behalf of the Bureau, With Communist Greetings, JOHN EMERY, H. GERISH

AMALGAMATION IN AUSTRALIA

A movement is now on foot in Australia to amalgamate all the various unions in the government railway services of Australia into one powerful union. If this scheme is carried out it will make the railway union the largest on the Australian continent.

Expose Disloyalty Link In Employ of the Hotel Owners

The eleven-year-old *Daily Worker* has been exposed as a spy for the Hotel Owners of America. Henry Thayer, Secretary of the Hotel Owners Association, and member of the Hotel Workers Branch of the Amalgamated was exposed and exposed. A Motion picture of the Hotel Owners Association appears in the January issue of the *Free Press* and *Workers' Weekly*.

He is a typical representative of the Hotel Owners of America. He is a typical representative of the Hotel Owners of America. He is a typical representative of the Hotel Owners of America.

The Workers' Daily

The *Daily Worker* comes into existence due to the remarkable efforts of thousands of workers of this country. It was on the funds subscribed to and contributed by thousands of workers that made it possible to begin the publication of the first Communist daily in the English language. And now that the *Daily Worker* is no more a dream but a reality, the workers must not cease to take the keenest interest in it.

It is up to the militant workers to boost the circulation of their daily paper among fellow workers in the trade unions, shops, factories, mines and mills.

Every reader of the *Daily* must also become one of its regular contributors. A Communist paper must reflect the life of the workers. This can be made possible only when the workers themselves write for the paper about their every-day experiences. It matters little whether the articles and letters written by the workers for their paper are written in correct English or in polished literary style. It is the contents, the facts, that count.

The editorial staff of "The *Daily Worker*" will take care of the literary side of such articles and letters coming from the rank and file, from the thousands of wage-slaves who make "The *Daily Worker*" what it is.

Letters to "The *Daily Worker*" coming from the rank and file, even if not all published, serve as a source of inspiration to the editors, enabling them to get direct information about the needs of the workers in various parts of the country, of their bitter every-day experiences.

The workers have made the appearance of the *Daily* possible by contributing the necessary funds. They must now build its circulation among the broad masses of their fellow workers and must become part and parcel of its editorial staff.

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THE DAILY WORKER GREET THE WORKING-CLASS

- On the occasion of its first issue THE DAILY WORKER pledges:
- To support the workers of the United States and everywhere in the world, in their struggle against the capitalist class.
- To fight always for the interests of the workers.
- To participate in the daily struggles to increase the strength and conditions of the workers.
- To direct its attention always toward the goal of complete emancipation.
- To work to build up the strength and militancy of the trade unions.
- To help organize the unorganized workers.
- To help to organize and build up a militant mass labor party.

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If you are a trade unionist you will want to read THE DAILY WORKER because it is the only daily paper that understands your problems and is willing to fight for your organization and advancement.

If you are a REBEL you will not only want to read THE DAILY WORKER yourself, but you will also want every worker you meet to read it, because you know that THE DAILY WORKER is the most powerful weapon of education, agitation and organization that has ever been placed in the hands of the militant American workers.

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We greet with joy and exultation the statement of the C. E. C. that The Daily Worker will appear on the 13th of January.

District No. 3, in convention assembled, considers the successful campaign for the establishment of The Daily Worker as a major achievement of the party and pledges our support to it.

The Daily Worker must from the date of its appearance grow in strength and influence.

LONG LIVE THE FIRST ENGLISH COMMUNIST DAILY!

Dr. Rasnick (The well-known Pittsburgh Dentist), now located at 645 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh, Pa., wishes to announce to all his patients that the office is now open Wednesday and Saturday nights until 9 o'clock to accommodate those who work during the day. Also, that all out-of-town patients, who desire to have their teeth attended to, will be allowed half of the care-fee.

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We, a group of workers of Hart Schaffner & Marx, Shop A3, members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, greet the first issue of "The Daily Worker" and wish you success in fighting for the interests of the workers. We pledge our whole-hearted support to you.

JEROME FOSNER, M. BEZOWSKY, Committee.

British Communist Party Cables Greetings to "The Daily Worker"

Here is a reproduction of the cable received from Albert Inkpin, secretary of the British Communist Party, greeting "The Daily Worker" on behalf of the Communist workers of Great Britain:

CABLEGRAM

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1000 North Park St Chicago

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workers committee British party will follow progress with
lowest appropriation good strike for success

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Inkpin Secretary

Irish-American Workers Greet "The Daily Worker"

By THOMAS J. O'FLAHERTY.

With the signing of the treaty bringing the so-called Irish Free State into existence the movement for Irish independence in the United States went on the rocks. The capitalist politicians who graced the platform when the propaganda for an Irish Republic was at its highest immediately accepted the new order of things and the great majority of them boosted the imperialistic Free State just as ardently as they had formerly shouted for the Republic.

The Irish movement in the United States has always been the foothill of capitalist policy. Radicals paid very little attention to it, being of the opinion that it is nationalistic and therefore unchangeable.

Communists however not being petrified dogmatists who have swallowed the three volumes of Das Kapital but failed to digest them appreciate the propaganda value of the movement for the national liberation of oppressed peoples and are taking a lively interest in all such movements.

Nationalism in Ireland which takes on an anti-imperialist character serving the purpose of weakening British imperialism, therefore communists support the Republican agitation in Ireland and the Irish-American organizations that support the Irish republicans even though these organizations are minus a constructive program or accept the fact of the class struggle.

The rank and file of the Irish workers in America are in favor of the Republican movement in Ireland and are providing the finances with which De Valera and his faction wage the struggle at home. Many of them, however, are not satisfied with De Valera's leadership because he does

Greetings
from
Spanish Branch
of
New York.

Greetings
from
Jewish Branch
Cleveland

Minnesota Chairman Is Working for Democrats

"Spoke to the Daily Worker"

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 22.—An attempt is being made by State Chairman F. A. Pike of the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party to deliver the vote of the Democrats to the extent that William G. McAdoo gets the presidential nomination. This is clear from reports issued by the McAdoo headquarters at Chicago.

At the conference that was held here November 15, sentiment of the assembled delegates from all over the country was unanimous, that it will be issued by the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party, for a great national nominating convention to be held at the Twin Cities, May 30.

The delegates present were astonished to hear Mr. Pike make a bitter and stupid attack upon the proposal to hold the May 30th convention. The only clear idea to be gained from his confused speech was that the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party, of which he is the chairman, should not join in a national Farmer-Labor movement, but that other state Farmer-Labor parties should move in to progress to participate. His position was the not only a complete denial of the matter of presidential nominations until after the old party convention, but it was a complete denial of the fact that the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Party should remain a state organization and not join in a national movement.

Now it becomes clear why he, the legal chairman of a state third party, is in favor of a national Farmer-Labor Party. Mr. Pike is a lawyer and a former democrat. He lost his standing among the workers of the state when he joined the Farmer-Labor Party by having himself appointed state chairman, a very strategic position which enables him to call, as he is doing now, hand-picked conferences in the various state congressional districts. One of these conferences has just been held at which the only matters discussed were the resolutions written or inspired by Pike. Two of these resolutions are worthy of note. One authorized the state chairman to call a state convention and the other opposed the holding of the May 30th convention.

The conference was handicapped by Pike the resolution against the May 30th convention not with vigorous opposition. William Mahoney, who was present, led the opposition in the debate. The resolutions were wholly uninformed on the real issues at stake. Following the clear argument of Mahoney, Mr. Pike made a wild and excited attack upon the idea of calling the national Farmer-Labor convention. He expressed that if one of the old parties nominated a "progressive" it would be necessary for the Farmer-Labor Party to have a national candidate. In spite of the fact that the national convention was made-to-order, the resolution against the May 30th convention was only carried by a vote of 16 to 12.

Mr. Pike is not alone in this attempt to block the national convention. Thomas Van Lente, executive manager of the Minnesota Daily Star, has allowed himself and the paper to line up with the Democratic Party. It is at present engaged in a campaign to show that the Communists are behind the Farmer-Labor movement and the proposed May 30th convention.

Pike and Van Lente are typical unscrupulous opportunist politicians. They are true representatives of the Democratic party and its economic interests. They are in politics for the spoils, they know little about and care less for the genuine Farmer-Labor movement. They will side track and destroy it if they can to serve the bidding of their masters.

Mr. Pike is now working to organize a state conference of the Farmer-Labor party representatives. No doubt his program will be to deliver the party to a proposition of endorsing a national democratic ticket.

In the meantime sentiment for the May 30th convention continues to grow. Every gathering of workers of the state Farmer-Labor parties held since Nov. 15, has endorsed the May 30th convention.

Russian Congress Opens MOSCOW. The first All-Russian Congress of Scientific Workers has been inaugurated here. Upon the reports of Gregory Zinovief, President of the Communist International and Chairman of the Petrograd Soviet, Mr. Lunacharsky, People's Commissar of Education, and Mr. Semashko, People's Commissar of Health—the Congress adopted a resolution to the following effect: The former class struggle between the scientific workers and the laboring masses is a thing of the past; these former divisions have now been supplanted by an ever-growing unity of interest in the process of one common work of restoration of the country's economic and cultural life.

Congratulations on the birth-day of "The Daily Worker" to the Seattle, Chicago and New York day, January 13, 1936.

From H. H. C. C. C.

Over The Top

THE STRUGGLE IN GERMANY

THE STRUGGLE in Germany has been going on for some time. It is a struggle between the workers and the capitalists. The workers are fighting for their rights and the capitalists are fighting to keep them. The struggle is going on in all parts of the country. The workers are winning in some places and losing in others. But the struggle is going on and the workers are fighting for their rights.

Even the intellectuals and student organizations in Berlin, resolutions of agreement with the Communists were adopted and ten large-scale demonstrations declared themselves ready to join the struggle for the emancipation of the proletariat together with the communists.

The Rote Fahne, central organ of the Communist Party, has been seized by von Seeckt is appearing illegally, and under the state banner. The Rote Sturmfahne (red storm banner). Because of the suppressive acts, the executive committee of the Communist Party has voted to move to a neighboring country, from which the revolutionary struggle of the working class will be directed until the attainment of power by the German proletariat which will be a matter of only a short time.

DEVELOPMENTS IN NORWAY

While the struggle goes on ever more sharply in Germany, France, Poland and other countries, the Labor Party of Norway has broken from the Communist Party. A minority of the convention, which took place in Christiania a short while ago, forming the basis of the Communist Party of Norway and immediately declaring its unreserved affiliation to the Communist International.

The fight in the Norwegian party is of long standing. The group of industrial workers, centering around the publication "Mot Dag," had done all in its power to break the party away from the international. Party committee, faithful to Communist principles were not permitted to voice their opposition to the tactics of the committee. Hans was expelled and the Young Communist League, which stood by the Communist International, was expelled completely.

The fight centered around the decision of the Communist International for a struggle for a workers' and farmers' government. This was against religion and the actualization of discipline. Besides this, the trade union leaders combined with the "Mot Dag" faction in a fight against the policy of affiliation to the Red Trade Union International. The party and the international congresses, the splitters broke the party. The Communist Party is already issuing its own daily, the Kommunisten.

THE WHITE TERROR IN BRAZIL

At the other end of the globe, the Communists are being subjected to a reactionary suppression by the capitalist forces. The Communist Party of Brazil is having its most active comrades jailed upon the flimsiest excuses, as in the case of the Communist Party of Brazil. The Communist Party of Brazil is having its most active comrades jailed upon the flimsiest excuses, as in the case of the Communist Party of Brazil. The Communist Party of Brazil is having its most active comrades jailed upon the flimsiest excuses, as in the case of the Communist Party of Brazil.

WITH AMERICAN LABOR

Labor is seeing the need for a daily press more and more. The support which has been given to the campaign for the Workers Party of America by "The Daily Worker" is one evidence of this fact. Organized labor in Alameda County (Oakland) is pulling up support for the publication of a local daily which shall be the organ of the working class as an opposition to the reactionary capitalist press which infest the western (and eastern) section of this country. The daily in Oakland will make the second one on the Pacific coast, the first being the Seattle Union Record, which has, unfortunately, degenerated into a Hearst-like sheet, and used as an organ for the publishing of the reactionary schemes of certain labor-faking politicians. Here's hoping the new daily will be a success.

Definite proof that the organized labor movement is in favor of amalgamation by western organized workers, making the various unions into solid industrial unions is seen in the Communist given notice of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen to the sending out of the referendum among the workers of the railway union. Practically all the workers of the railway union in Canada are among the workers and dozens of additional ones.

With Daily Worker "The Daily Worker"

Birthday Greetings to "THE DAILY WORKER"

From coast to coast, from the lakes to the gulf, the Birthday Greetings have been pouring in to "The Daily Worker." Thousands of workers everywhere have made their birthday gifts to "The Daily Worker." It is a testament to the fact that the workers are fighting for their rights and the capitalists are fighting to keep them. The struggle is going on in all parts of the country. The workers are winning in some places and losing in others. But the struggle is going on and the workers are fighting for their rights.

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The American Revolutionary Workers Party

An Analysis of the Many Achievements of the Third National Convention of the Workers Party of America

By C. E. RUTHERBERG
Seventy-two hours of intense work, during which most of the delegates did not secure more than ten hours of sleep, was the record of the Third National Convention of the Workers Party of America.

The Convention summarized the achievement of the Party during the previous year and restated its policies for the coming year's work.

The report of the Central Executive Committee submitted at the opening of the Convention, brought out vividly the differences between the Workers Party of a year ago and the Party of today. A year ago the Party had not yet made itself felt as a political influence in the United States. It was still in the period of preparation for work rather than having a record of achievement.

At this Convention the Central Executive Committee was able to report that the Party, thru its work during the year, had achieved a place as a political influence in the lives of the workers of this country and that this influence was continually being strengthened and extended.

The United Front
The report of the Central Executive Committee showed that it was thru the application of the United Front policy of the Communist International that the Workers Party had made the progress of the United Front campaign had been carried on for protection of the foreign-born workers, for defense of the Communists arrested in Mexico, and in the struggle for a Labor Party. The latter campaign, which had its first culmination in the July 3rd conference at New York, had been carried on in its second stage with the May 30th convention of the Farmer-Labor Party organizations at St. Paul, as its expression, had brought the Workers Party leadership in the struggle for a class Farmer-Labor Party in the United States.

The second major achievement mentioned by the Central Executive Committee, in its report, was in the form of the statement that the Communist Party of the United States had at last consolidated its forces and that the period of split and factional struggle was over and there was no longer danger of the Party being split into various sections, as had so frequently been the case in the years from 1919 to 1921.

Organizational Achievements
During the course of the year the Workers Party added 2,000 members to its ranks. It extended its work into the agricultural section of the country, carried on a successful campaign for the establishment of a daily Communist newspaper, established a first of a series of book stores for the sale of Communist literature, began the work of producing a Communist line in the United States by the publication of eight books and pamphlets, and maintained a press on the Communist movement and the Workers Party in the United States.

The comment on the year's work of the Central Executive Committee was a letter from the Communist International, which thus summarizes the work of the Party during the year:

"To perform this and many other tasks confronting the Party, the Central Executive Committee of the Workers Party has rightfully conferred as the most important step the establishment of an English Communist daily."

"The excellent work that has been done by the Communists in the Left Wing of the labor movement in the United States."

"The propaganda that the Workers Party has conducted during the past year has been new and effective."

"The vast sentiment for Communism that the Workers Party has organized in the United States."

The Central Executive Committee acted rightly in inaugurating a campaign for membership in the Communist Party.

The Workers Party has applied Communist tactics correctly in seeking the United Front against the capitalist system in the United States.

The organization of the Federated



Farmer-Labor Party was an achievement of primary importance. It was the first time that the American Party have not applied themselves with sufficient energy, viz., that of American imperialism.

New Policy
Together with the report of the Central Executive Committee there was submitted a thesis containing a declaration of policy for the year 1924. This thesis contained a new policy in the form of a statement of the policy of the Workers Party in relation to the existing tendency for the formation of a Third Party and toward such a party when it is organized. The thesis declared that it was correct Communist strategy to endeavor to promote a split of the Third Party group, containing the middle class elements, from the Republicans and Democratic Parties and if such a split was achieved that the Workers Party could, thru a Farmer-Labor Party, enter into an alliance with such a Third Party for certain specific purposes.

The problem of the Third Party became a tactical question of immediate policy in view of the possibility that the May 30th convention of the Farmer-Labor Party groups may be dominated by the middle-class progressive-La Follette elements and not by those groups who stand for the class Farmer-Labor Party.

The discussion of issues before the Convention in the various District Conventions which elected the delegates to the National Convention had centered on the Third Party question. In all of the District Conventions, a vote was taken the Central Executive Committee policy was not sufficiently popular. It was expected that this question would be the storm-center of the Convention, but in fact it was not. It was in the Convention a bloc of some fifteen delegates out of the total of 43 who opposed the Third Party policy.

However, upon the opening of the discussion on this question, John Pepper made a statement to the effect that the Party membership had not been sufficiently prepared for the adoption of this policy. There existed, he said, still a large section which believed that the Party should be a mere organization for propaganda and education and the organization revolutionists into a Party, and not an organization which maneuvered in the political struggle of this country for the purpose of securing the leadership over wide masses of workers.

Under these circumstances it was

indivisible for the Convention to forego the issue of the Third Party policy and be reconciled that the Third Party section of the thesis of the Central Executive Committee be withdrawn and the question of the correctness of the policy contained therein be referred to the Communist International for decision. This motion was adopted by a vote of 43 in favor and none against, ten delegates not voting.

The United Front in Chicago
Since the Party activities during the year on the political field had been carried on under the United Front policy, it was natural that the question of the correct application of the United Front should be a major question before the convention. The issue came up in the form of a discussion of the United Front as it existed in the city of Chicago.

The Central Executive Committee submitted a resolution in which acknowledgment was made of the value of the United Front arrangement between the Party in Chicago and the progressive leaders of the Chicago Federation of Labor in helping to launch the Party policies on a nationwide scale but which criticized the Chicago District Organization for its failure to carry on an independent campaign and build the independent power of the Workers Party.

Against this resolution there was presented a resolution of the delegation from the Chicago District, which emphasized the value of the Chicago United Front to the Party on a national scale and charged that if errors were made in carrying on the United Front in Chicago the Central Executive Committee was responsible. In view of the fact that it had succeeded, or at least been in close contact, with all the facts in regard to the situation in Chicago. The opposition resolution acknowledged the correctness of criticism of the C. F. L. C. on some minor points of policy of the District Executive Committee. The debate on these two resolutions

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in which all the facts were brought out lasted for many hours with the final result that the Chicago resolution was adopted by the Convention.

This debate and both resolutions will have a greater value to the Party than the issue of responsibility and the character of the errors made, which were the dividing point in the convention. What was said on both sides should help to clarify the Party membership generally on the question of the United Front and its limitations and the necessity for maintaining the independent position and building up the independent power of the Workers Party during any United Front action.

The Policy for the Coming Year
After the elimination of the section devoted to the Third Party policy of the Central Executive Committee, the thesis it proposed was unanimously adopted by the Convention.

The resolution adopted declared that the Convention thesis was the only statement of policy by the Party and enumerated certain definite achievements during the year, and specifically approved each, and as adopted simply carries into the work of the new year the policies which governed the Party work during the past year. The affiliation of the Workers Party with the Federated Farmer-Labor Party is approved by the Central Executive Committee. It is instructed that it should aid in organizing the Federated Farmer-Labor Party as a Party and at the same time should provide that the Federated Farmer-Labor Party act as an organizing instrument to bring into existence a greater United Front Farmer-Labor Party. The policy of participation in the May 30th convention was also approved.

Industrial Report
The report of William Z. Foster on the industrial work of the Party for the year showed substantial progress in the work among the labor unions. The report reviewed the situation.

ation developed in various aspects of this work and proposed certain steps to strengthen the Party in this work.

This report became one of the storm centers in the Convention. A resolution was offered from the floor proposing a series of new policies, such as an aggressive campaign for organization of the unemployed, a campaign to organize industries not organized at the present time, and similar measures.

The counter-resolution from the floor of the Convention was actually a criticism of the industrial work of the Party in the form of a proposal for new policies. The counter-resolution was as such and referred the proposed to the incoming Central Executive Committee for its consideration, adopting the report of the Industrial Department as submitted to the Convention.

Agricultural Work
This Convention of the Workers Party was the first Convention which gave consideration to the situation among the farmers of this country and the relationship of the Communist Party toward the workers on the land.

During the year the Party had extended its work into the agricultural field and had organized some 300 farmers as members of the Party. North Dakota and this work being conducted in other agricultural sections of the country. The report placed in this connection emphasized the fact that a profound unrest and dissatisfaction among the farmers of this country and the opportunity for organization which this situation presented.

The Convention adopted a series of proposals for relief of the farmers in regard to the work among the labor unions and authorized the continuance of this work.

American Imperialism
The Communist International, in its letter to the Convention, had criticized the Workers Party only on the point that it had not been engaged in a sufficiently aggressive campaign against American imperialism. This criticism, however, was placed on the agenda of the Convention before receipt of the letter of the Communist International. The report of action had been drawn up by the Central Executive Committee and the Workers Party had adopted a resolution which was a nationwide campaign against American imperialism in the West Indies.

the Philippines, which it will endeavor to extend to the workers of these islands and the various colonies and possessions of the United States. Particular attention will be given to the campaign for independence of the Philippines. The Party will demand the immediate and complete independence of the Philippines and will endeavor to extend its propaganda work among the people of the Philippines to assist them against the imperialist domination of their country by the American capitalist exploitation.

Protection of the Foreign-Born
The Second National Convention of the Party adopted a resolution instructing the Central Executive Committee to carry on a campaign against exception laws directed against foreign-born workers. This resolution was reaffirmed and the Central Executive Committee instructed to take immediate steps to launch this campaign in view of the pending legislation before Congress.

Speaker after speaker in the Convention arose to state the importance of this campaign and the possibility of launching a great national movement which will include both foreign-born and native workers against the attempt to divide the foreign-born workers and turn them into the native-born workers, which is behind the proposed legislation against the foreign-born.

Party Re-Organization
The proposal to re-organize the Workers Party on the basis of shop unionism was submitted as part of the agenda of the Convention, in an indication of the growth of the Workers Party and the fact that it is preparing itself for greater struggles against capitalists of this country.

The Communist International
The Communist International instructed Communist Parties must be organized on the basis of the shops and factories in place of purely territorial branches.

For the Workers Party the problem of creating such organizations is complicated by the fact that there are some seventeen language sections within the Party and the branches of the Party consist largely of language groups. The Convention of the Party decided that during the next year shop units should be organized as an organization alongside of the existing Party structure. Thus, during the work of building the shop units during the next year, there would be no interference with the present branches, each member maintaining his relationship to the branch which he is at present a member.

The Convention left to the next year the question of the question of extending this work, feeling that the experiences of the year would prepare the way for new developments in reorganizing the Party upon a new basis.

The New Leadership
During the year 1923, the Central Executive Committee of the Party consisted of twenty-nine members. This large committee was the result of the consolidation of the former underground Communist Party with the Workers Party. The Committee proved a very unwieldy instrument thru which to carry on the work of the Party. It was decided that the Third National Convention would reduce the size of this Committee to a more manageable size. The Committee recommended a Committee of thirteen members and this recommendation was adopted.

In the election of the Central Executive Committee there developed a bitter struggle. A caucus had been formed of a group of delegates who differed with the former Central Executive Committee majority on the question of the Chicago United Front and who had been in opposition to the policy of the Party in relation to the Federated Farmer-Labor Party prior to the November meeting of the Central Executive Committee. This group was under the leadership of

The New Executive
The Central Executive Committee as elected by the Convention consists of the following members:
Alexander Bittelham
Earl B. Browder
Felix Bismar
James P. Cannon
William Z. Foster
J. Louis Kapsahl
William Z. Foster
Benjamin Gitlow
Ludwig Lore
Ray W. Brown
John Pepper
C. E. Rutherford

William Z. Foster and James P. Cannon. With this group there united some fifteen other delegates under the leadership of Ludwig Lore who opposed to the Third Party policy and the policy of the majority of the former Central Executive Committee. These two groups composed two-thirds of the delegates of the convention and the majority of the new Central Executive Committee.

Summary
The work of the Third National Convention does not represent any new departures in the policies of the Party. Rather, the convention was a study of the year's application of policies already adopted, the drawing of lessons from the past, and the re-statement of the policies for the purpose of consolidating the Party behind these policies for the next year's work.

The application of the United Front policy in the struggle for the formation of a mass Party of farmers and industrial workers remains the central policy of the Party for the coming year. The campaign for protection of foreign-born workers, the campaign against American imperialism, and the agricultural work of the Party all have been undertaken in some degree in the past, and the decisions of the convention will result in more aggressive work along these lines. The program adopted by the Second Convention was re-affirmed.

On the organization side, the Party begins its first steps toward sinking its roots in the shops and factories thru the organization of shop units, as it has already sunk its roots into the trade unions thru the support of the work of the Trade Union Educational League.

The impression of the Convention was of an organization that had gone thru some experimental stages and had got down to hard, practical work. The year 1923 had been a year of such work. The year 1924 promises to be a greater year of achievement for the Communist Party on the road to its final goal, the Soviet Republic of the United States.

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Launch National Campaign Against Bosses' Attack On The Foreign-Born Workers

What is probably the boldest attempt yet made by the United States to enslave the workers in the basic industries of this country, is proposed in bills now pending before Congress. These bills are in the form of exception laws against foreign-born workers, who are to be registered, photographed and fingerprinted, like criminals, in an effort to control them and make it impossible for them to take part in the struggle of the working class for better wages and working conditions.

Coupled with the laws directed against foreign-born workers in this country, there are proposals made particularly by Secretary of Labor Davis for the selective immigration law which will still further strengthen the employers in their drive against the workers' organizations of the country.

Under the proposed selective immigration law, industries needing labor will present their demand to the Secretary of Labor and workers will be brought from Europe for the specified industry, bound to work in that industry, and under the absolute control of the master in that industry.

DANGER TO ORGANIZED LABOR

While seemingly these measures are directed against the foreign-born workers, there is in them the greatest danger for the labor organizations of this country that they have faced. If the employers of the United States can direct exception laws against foreign-born workers and against labor laws enjoining the foreign-born workers who are already here and provide for a new supply of slave labor, they can destroy every labor union in this country.

The American employers are trying to do what no other capitalist group has been able to do; that is, to create a class of intimidated, oppressed, enclaved workers, held down by laws, unable to organize and resist their exploiters. If it is able to succeed, it will mean that not only the foreign-born workers, but the whole American working class will be under the iron heel of the capitalist.

FIGHTING THE EXCEPTION LAWS

The Second National Convention of the Workers Party of America, held in December, 1922, when the proposal for these laws was first made, recognized the danger to the labor movement in these proposals and authorized its Central Executive Committee to launch a campaign to unite all workers' organizations, native and foreign-born, in a struggle against these laws.

The Third National Convention of the Workers Party, which has just closed its session in Chicago, reiterated the former declaration and called attention to the fact that the threat against the workers of this country which the Workers Party pointed out a year ago has now materialized in definitive laws pending before Congress. President Coolidge in his message to Congress demanded a law for the registration of the foreign-born workers.

The Central Executive Committee of the Workers Party is instructed by the National Convention to begin immediately a campaign to unite all workers' organizations in the fight against these laws. This struggle will begin at once.

Under the program of action adopted by the Workers Party, Councils for the Protection of the Foreign-Born will be created in every city of this country. The Workers Party has within its organization some seventeen language groups and in this in a favorable situation to reach the workers of the various language groups in this country. Each one of these language groups will form a local Council for Protection of the Foreign-Born.

A F. O. L. AGAINST EXCEPTION LAWS

At the Portland Convention of the American Federation of Labor a resolution was presented calling attention to the character of the proposed exception laws against foreign-born workers and was adopted by that organization.

With this precedent the labor unions in every part of the country are expected to give their full support to the organizations which will be created for the struggle against reducing American workers to the plane of serfs without any power to protect themselves against the employing class which exploits them.

Fight for the Foreign-Born

EDITORIAL NOTE—"The Daily Worker" will soon start a series of articles exposing the attempts of the employers to shake the foreign-born workers especially in the basic industries. Watch for these articles.

The speaker proceeded to give the "band changes" and a marching tune and the workers fell back into the ranks. Toward the end of the procession, where the band couldn't hear the band music, they sang their own accompaniment as they march vigorously forward to their destination.

The regiment, dressed in beautiful warm fur coats and hats respectfully was for the procession to go by. I don't pay to antagonize the new rulers of Russia. The workers also have warm fur coats—a good many things have been sacrificed recently to keep the workers warm this winter.

Now the procession has arrived at the square in front of the red and white building which is the home of the Moscow Soviet. The new delegates are carried in the shoulders of their "constituents" so all may see what fine fellows they have chosen. And now on the narrow balcony of the second story of the building, as the daylight fades, and the lights begin twinkling in the snow, a representative of the outgoing Soviet appears. He speaks to the crowd, welcoming the new delegates who have been presented bodily to the Soviet. And when the cheering has died down after the speech, the band strikes up the International. Heads bared, the workers listen in silence. The cab drivers stop their horses and wait to the end. The speaker, in his beautiful warm fur coat and hat, with an expensive but badly dressed woman on his arm, stops as he hears the crowd and respectfully removes his hat. When the music has finished, the people disband in all directions humming or singing the International.

The Land for the Users!

PUT ON YOUR DANCING TOGS!

"Eat, drink and make merry, tomorrow you may get fired" will be the slogan of the Food Workers Metal Trades Groups of the T. U. E. on Saturday evening, Jan. 19 at 8:00 P. M. at 2135 Hirsch Blvd. on the occasion of the first annual dance given by that body.

The tickets cost 50 cents which includes what you must contribute to J. P. Morgan for defeating the Kaiser and giving France the hegemony over Europe. That is if you buy your ticket in advance. If you don't, the ticket will cost you 75 cents, which means that you must pay Morgan a bonus of seven cents. This you will readily admit no good Communist with Marxist understanding would do. The music will be supplied. Everybody will understand it.

The NORTH-SIDE BRANCH of the YOUNG WORKERS LEAGUE greets the "Daily Worker" and pledges its unflinching support to the first Communist Daily of this country.

Natalie Gomez, Organizer.

TO PROPAGANDA AGAINST RUSSIA

Paris Fabrications Are Unmasked by Truth

(The Truth is The Daily Worker)

MOSCOW.—With reference to a report appearing in the Paris paper, Le Journal des Debats alleging that the "Centrosyris" (Central Union of Co-operative Societies) is making through an acute crisis, and that the bills of exchange have been presented, and also that the Paris Trust is not able to get payment for its bills from the State, which it supplies with its products, and lastly, that all the other Russian Trusts are in a similar plight—the "Rosa" News Agency learns that all these allegations are void of foundations.

Reports Unfounded

Mr. Blumstein, who has been recently re-elected Chairman of the Board of Directors of the "Centrosyris", declares emphatically that there has not been a single instance where bills of exchange of the Combes have been protested. His goods turnover has been steadily growing and there is ample ground for hoping that a partial crisis in the selling branch, which was looming during last summer, will be liquidated within the next future.

As for the Paris Trust, Mr. Styrman, a Director of the concern, declared that the settling of accounts between the Trust and State Enterprises was being effected quite normally, and no financial difficulties stood in the way of the Combes' activity. The above-mentioned allegations of the French press Mr. Styrman ascribes to an attempt to undermine the credit of the Russian Trusts abroad, which has been steadily growing, as well as to the irritation caused among some French industrialists, whose offers were rejected by the Paris Trust on the ground that there exist no treaty relations between France and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

Persia Greets Russia

MOSCOW.—The First All-Persian Exhibition was officially opened at Tehran yesterday. Russian Industrial products are largely represented and are exhibited in the spacious pavilion of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. At the opening ceremony representatives of the Persian Government extended their gratitude to Mr. Shumiaty, the Envoy Plenipotentiary of the Union of S. S. R. for the Union's assistance in the development of Persia's national economy.

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Greetings to "The Daily Worker" from members of Teamsters' & Chauffeurs' Union, No. 705.

GREETINGS!

The Young Workers League of Chicago greets the first issue of the Daily Worker. The organized youth of Chicago realizes the necessity of a Daily both for the young workers and adult workers, fighting side by side for the freedom of the workers of this country.

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SENATE REPORT BARES RED CROSS AS ANTI-SOVIET

WASHINGTON — Emil Miles, state department attaché, during the recent administration now representing the U. S. Chamber of Commerce at Paris by a memorandum written in 1927 and now made public by Senator Borah, analyzed the huge fund borrowed from the United States by the Russian regime and suggested a propaganda campaign and the use of supplies in Russia obviously to overthrow the Soviet government.

"Generally speaking," said Miles, "it is believed that the United States should, through the Red Cross, and perhaps with the aid of the president's discretionary fund, engage immediately, actively, but unofficially, with works of relief and propaganda in Russia; that it should not sanction the disposition of the fund in the City Bank by the Russian supply committee for purposes which may well be regarded as inimical by the Russian people. With respect to the specific question of silver, it is a grave responsibility to direct the City Bank to pay \$500,000 for silver to be sent through the British to Kaledin. This involves a question of state."

Kaledin was the first of the counter-revolutionary leaders to be backed by the allies, and so to be destroyed by the soviet government forces. The propaganda to be worked through the Red Cross, under this plan was carried out in part by E. H. Rison with part of the president's discretionary fund, during the winter of 1917-18 in Russia. Rison then bought the forced documents which were made public here in September, 1918, which have made his name a synonym for faked evidence.

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Spanish Dictator Beats Hughes and "Bill" Burns At Faking Red Uprising

The Madrid correspondent of the Telegraph Press said of a book over "red plot" with all the hard testimony of an American spy, that the plot, hatched in France de Rivera's mental incubator, the movement of Spain. This plot was turned loose on Spain, Christmas eve and the result of commu- nist, labor leaders and anarchists in all the industrial centers.

The opportunity for pulling off the international football game between Sevilla, on Dec. 22. Disguised as football players and setting under orders from Lenin and Trotsky, the young communists were to capture Primo de Rivera and then of course devote the rest of the year to looting, burning and ravaging. It is the American Defense Society thesis on how to produce a 100% communist revolution.

After the young communists had glutted their revenge and waded in the gore of the Spanish bourgeoisie they were to wind up with Portugal according to the imaginative Fascist leader. The Dictator dropped a hint to the Portuguese government that it had better put up its storm windows and turn the dog loose. The latter however did not want to get too serious around Christmas so all hands went on a spree and Portugal just stands—as it has always stood.

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THE PARTY AT WORK

LECTURES AT PATERSON, N. J.
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The program is as follows:
January 12th—"CAPITALISM IN THE SCHOOLS." Lillian Lore.
January 20th—"PRESENT DAY EUROPE." Juliet Stuart Poynt.
January 27th—"HISTORY OF THE THREE INTERNATIONALS." Ludwig Lore.
February 3rd—"COMMUNISM AND SCIENCE." J. Stachel.
February 10th—"THE AMERICAN LABOR MOVEMENT AND ITS FUTURE." E. B. Jacobson.
February 17th—"TACTICS OF THE THIRD INTERNATIONAL." Alexander Bittelman.

COMING EVENTS IN BOSTON

Thursday, Jan. 17, 24, 31 and Feb. 7, at 8 P. M. Lectures Course, by H. M. Wicks, at Paine Memorial Hall, 4 Appleton St., Boston. Admission 25 cents each evening. Full Course Ticket, \$1.00.

Friday, Jan. 18, 8 P. M. Grand Ball, given by T. U. E. L., State Ball Room, Mass Ave. Admission 75 cents.

Friday, Feb. 7, 7:30 P. M. Grand Dance, to be given by Local Boston Workers Party at Dudley St. Opera House, 113-119 Dudley St., Roxbury, Mass. Admission 40 cents, including war tax.

IN NEW YORK

The Liebknecht-Luxemburg memorial meeting in New York will be held Friday evening, Jan. 18th, at the Central Opera House, 67th St. and 3rd Ave. A fine concert and tableau of the life of Liebknecht have been arranged. Admission is 25c. Tickets can be secured at the office of the Young Workers League, 208 E. 12th.

1924 CHICAGO DATES
Jan. 20, 8 P. M. (Sun.) Karl Liebknecht Day, Young Workers League and Workers Party at Prudential Hall, North Ave., and Halsted St.
Feb. 16, 8 P. M. (Sat.) 2nd Annual Red Revel for Daily Worker and Labor Defense Council at Ashland Auditorium.
May 1st, United Front May Day Celebration at Ashland Auditorium.
May 30th, T. U. E. L. Picnic (De-coration Day).
July 4th, Third Annual Picnic Workers Party Local Chicago at Stickeny Grove.
Aug. 17, Third Annual Press Picnic—Riverside Park.
Sept. 1, Labor Day, T. U. E. L. Picnic.
Sept. 7, International Youth Day, jointly by Y. W. L. and Workers Party.
Nov. 7th, Seventh Anniversary Soviet Russia.

All Party Branches and friendly organizations are kindly requested not to arrange any other entertainments or meetings on these dates.

STUDENTS ORGANIZE BRANCH
A group of college and preparatory school students of New York have recently organized themselves into a branch of the Workers Party. Fifteen members have already joined and many more are expected to join in the near future. The newly formed branch will carry on its activities especially among students. All parties are urged to communicate with comrade Emil Paul, 1214 Boston Road, Bronx, New York.

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SAN FRANCISCO—The California branch, General Defense committee, announces an intensive campaign to educate California and the country in general on the workings of the criminal syndicalism laws, with a view to its repeal and the release of the nearly a hundred men now serving time because of it.

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COMRADELY GREETINGS TO THE DAILY WORKER

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We put our hopes from the bright future of the militant labor movement in the success of our press and we pledge our fullest support. Let THE DAILY WORKER be the rallying ground for a mass movement that will be satisfied with nothing but the complete emancipation of the workers and the building of a Communist society.

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To

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POLICE MAY STRIKE.
PETERBORO, Ont.—Still looking for their November pay policemen here threaten to strike if their pay is not guaranteed by the city.

Work Daily for "The Daily!"

GREETING TO "THE DAILY WORKER"

It ought not to be difficult to secure 50,000 workers to read daily the Communist message. Let this be our immediate goal. We will do our share.

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FOG CLEARS IN BRITISH PARLIAMENTARY BATTLE

By W. N. SWER
Chief Correspondent of the Communist Press
and "The Daily Worker"

LONDON.—The fog, which of a daily symbol of the political situation, settled down over London on the evening of October 1st, by itself literally and metaphorically the atmosphere has become clear.

Labour's mass field hope is in new-burning socialist—certain that on Jan. 18 the Conservative government will be defeated in the House of Commons and that on Jan. 18 the King will ask Ramsay MacDonald to form a Labor government. "That has become certain," because we now know what the Liberals intend to do. The clearer sighted among the political prophets have known all along. For there was no alternative open. But the Liberals themselves did not see so clearly. They thought that since they held the balance of votes in the House they held control of the situation.

A section of the Conservative party, headed by Lord Rothermere made loudly vocal by the Rothermere press, called on them to form a coalition or at least an entente with the Conservatives and so establish a "barrier against socialism."

Also for their calculations, Lloyd George's followers nearly all lost their seats. The "united" Liberal party is almost solidly "Asquithian." Asquith, not Lloyd George, is its leader. And Asquith detests the Tories almost as much as he detests Lloyd George.

Asquith's Scheme Explodes
His plan was to come to a bargain with the Labor party by which, in return for keeping them in power, he would, in effect, dictate their policy. But the Labor party curiously declared that it would make no bargain with anybody. Whereupon Asquith's chief newspaper became threatening in tone. If the Labor party would not make terms, it must take the consequences. The Liberals, it reminded, would be abstaining from voting, enable the Conservative government to carry on for weeks or even for months.

The Liberals in fact have suddenly realized that their strength is precisely their weakness. A Labor government would be dependent on their votes. But they cannot lose their power except by transferring it from Labor to the Conservatives. And the moment they do that they split the party from top to bottom.

See Labor Party in Office
So philosophically they will make the best of things and vote with the Labor party—though they will probably as a consequence lose half a dozen of their members and a bunch of peers who will transfer their allegiance to the Conservatives.

We shall probably have a Labor government kept in office, though without any bargain or coalition, rather as the Liberal government was kept in office from 1910 to 1914 by Labor and Irish votes.

Obstacles to Labor Control
Whether a Labor government can last as long is another matter. I doubt it, for there will be constant and complex intrigues to bring about a situation in which the Liberals would of necessity desert them. But I also think that the prophets who give MacDonald three months and foretell an election in the late spring are likely to be disappointed.

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