

# COOLIDGE'S DEATH CAN'T SAVE McADOO

## Coolidge in Frantic Effort to Appease Rural Unrest

### RELIEF FOR BANKERS NOT FOR FARMERS

#### No Enthusiasm for Latest White House Proposal

(Special to The Daily Worker) —WASHINGTON—Relief for bankers but nothing for the farmers, is the way in which representatives of various farmers' organizations here characterize the latest proposal of President Coolidge, made to the northwestern conference on agriculture.

The proof that the measures proposed are not intended to relieve poverty-stricken farmers is found in one sentence of the president's address, which says:

"It will serve no useful purpose to lend money to a farmer who is in such a position that any money he borrows will be used to pay his taxes, or to pay the interest on his mortgage, or to pay the interest on his debt."

It is the evident intention to loan the funds which will be furnished to banks only to farmers who are "good risks" at present. The diversification of farming recommendation is laughed at by farmers who point out that one or two years must elapse before dairy and poultry farming begin to bring in any income, and that both are highly speculative ventures.

They point out that in dairy and poultry sections the farmers are just as much at the mercy of the elevator and commission houses as are wheat farmers at the mercy of elevator and milling combines.

What the farmers need, say their representatives, is not more credit, but a cancellation in some form of the existing indebtedness. The Coolidge proposals make no mention of this condition.

Specifically the President proposed, for the government's part:

1.—Enactment of the Nebraska-Burrows bill providing a \$20,000,000 appropriation for promoting diversification of agriculture in the wheat states.

2.—Extension of the life of the war finance corporation to permit it to aid distressed banks until Dec. 31, 1924.

For the part of the business interests of that region, welfare is linked with that of the farmer the President suggested:

3.—Cooperation with the Department of Agriculture in promoting diversification.

4.—Arrangement of a general refunding and extension of existing indebtedness of farmers, their voluntary agreement with their creditors.

"This conference has been called to consider the pressing agricultural needs for the northwest," Mr. Coolidge explained.

"Difficulties exist there concerning some of the banks and on farmers for which I wish to propose certain remedies. I do not intend to exclude other remedies nor am I undertaking to consider agriculture as a whole. The object should be reconstruction, not charity, whether it be charity for the weak or for the strong."

"It must be recognized that all the banking difficulties are by no means confined to the northwest."

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### McADOO BOOSTER WOULD HIT BOTTOM IN THE OIL MESS

(By The Federal Press) —WASHINGTON.—Senator Dill of Washington announced, after McAdoo's \$250,000 of retainers from Doherty had been revealed, that it was his intention to use the term of oil, and Congress too to the very bottom of all this use of money in increasing public debt at Washington in recent years.

The stigma of the oil scandal was as the shade of the fallen upon the state. Public men receive it as one from its evil effect upon government. Dill has been a McAdoo supporter.

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### Secretary of the Navy Faces Drop into an Oily Sea.

#### VILE KLAN FILM SHOWING DESPITE ARRESTS OF TWO

#### Police Fear Outbreak of Race Battles

Managers of the Auditorium Theatre will continue to show "The Birth of a Nation," David W. Griffith's race hatred picture, until a jury passes on the case of Jay Weber and Nathaniel Cohen, the two operators arrested by the police while the picture was being shown Sunday night.

The men demanded a jury trial when arraigned before a judge in the South City street station.

Police stopped the show under a statute forbidding pictures which tend to engender race hatred. They said they feared a revival of the race riots in which scores lost their lives in 1918.

Ku Klux Klansmen are ardent boosters for the picture which represents the hooded order as the savior of the South from the emancipated slaves. The Griffith production is based on Thomas Dixon's novel, "The Birth of a Nation," which seeks to justify the violent methods by which Southern black men have been disfranchised and frequently murdered.

Police say the showing of the picture is far more dangerous now than when an injunction was obtained against an earlier showing in 1915. Negroes are in a more aggressive mood. Many of them are armed and prepared to fight to the limit against slanders.

It is pointed out that the success which white thugs had in slaughtering so many blacks in the riots of 1918 was not due to superior marksmanship of the whites but to more ferocious methods of fighting. Negroes' homes were burned and

they were shot down as they fled from the flames.

Since then thousands of negroes are declared to have resolved that they will punish the next wholesale murder attempt so thoroughly that it will not be repeated.

#### HOT ON TRAIL OF DAUGHERTY AND WAR CRAFTERS

#### Att'y General Asked to Disclose Facts

(By The Federal Press) —WASHINGTON, D. C.—Senator Norris has introduced a resolution in the Senate, directing Attorney-General Daugherty to give information.

(1) Whether, in prosecuting war crafters, Daugherty has settled on a basis of civil suit, and has failed to bring criminal action; (2) Detailed list of such cases, including the nature of the fraudulent act charged, the date of settlement, the amount claimed and the amount secured in settlement in each case, name and address of each defendant, and the fact as to whether an immunity bath was given each or any of them.

Senator King, of Utah, offered a supplementary resolution, asking Daugherty what use he has made of the \$1,000,000 given him by Congress two years ago, for prosecution of war contract frauds, the status of all prosecutions, and especially the status of the Wright-Martin aircraft fraud case, submitted to Daugherty by Secretary Weeks in October, 1921.

These resolutions are intended to lead up to an exposure of the suppression of the war graft scandal which the New York Tribune, two years ago, demanded that Daugherty resign.

#### FORD'S MUSCLE SHOALS OFFER STRIKES SNAG

#### Rep. Hull, of Iowa, Raises Opposition

(Special to The Daily Worker) —WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Henry Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals today struck the first snag in its passage through Congress when Representative Hull, Iowa, leading opponent of the Ford offer, announced that he would oppose immediate consideration of the bid in the House.

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### MILLIONAIRES PALLBEARERS FOR WILSON

#### Magnates Lead Mourning For War President

(Special to The Daily Worker) —WASHINGTON.—A cortege of multi-millionaires will carry the body of Woodrow Wilson, late war president, to its final resting place in a Washington cemetery.

Among the pall-bearers will be his warm personal friend, Bernard Baruch, Wall Street financier, who netted a large fortune at the time of the leak of the Wilson peace note, in December, 1918, and who afterwards was dictator of war contracts as head of the War Industries Board; Cleveland H. Dodge, who netted a large fortune at the time of the war; and other magnates.

Dozens of messages of sorrow have been received from European potentates, American financiers and politicians, who unite in attributing to the war president every imaginable virtue.

The Wilson legend, which died so violently at the Versailles conference, is arising again in the flood of myth making, now going on.

The only barren field for Wilson is the field of the labor movement, which remembers that the late president attacked conservative labor, after the war, and persistently as he had attacked radical labor during the war.

Gompers and Gary Mourne. Samuel Gompers, almost a lone labor leader, who ranks as a labor leader, however, comes forward with a laudation in which he compares Wilson to Washington and Lafayette.

Gompers has always been an ardent supporter of Wilson. His laudation is not far from what Wilson was using all the forces of government to crush the strike of the steel workers for semi-human conditions of labor and the strike of the miners to protect their standard of living against rising costs in 1919.

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### McAdoo Paid for His "Pull"

(Special to The Daily Worker) —WASHINGTON.—"Coolidge is there." This is the statement made openly in Washington today by men who were his strongest supporters a few weeks ago. The Coolidge kite has flopped into oil.

McAdoo is also there, but his boosters acknowledge that Doherty stopped the McAdoo drive for the presidency when he testified before the senate committee that his firm had employed McAdoo while the Wilson administration was still in power.

Here is the testimony that sounded the death knell of the McAdoo cohorts:

The Chairman—And how long did Mr. McAdoo continue to represent you?

Doherty—Mr. McAdoo continued to represent us in that regard until the Mexican situation was practically completed; that is, until the administration changed.

The Chairman—That is, he continued to represent you so long as Mr. Wilson's administration remained?

Doherty—So long as he was president, yes sir, and after that he didn't represent us in Washington any longer.

The Chairman—And does he still represent you?

Doherty—And he still represents us.

The Chairman—Will you tell us how much you paid Mr. McAdoo?

Doherty—All told, I think about \$250,000.

Put in newspaper English this testimony means that McAdoo was paid by the Doherty interests, not for legal ability, but for the fact that he was Wilson's son-in-law and had a "pull" with the administration.

The McAdoo boom will be buried under a flood of oil and friends are asked to omit flowers.

### McAdoo and Coolidge, Caught in Oil Scandal, Out of This Year's Presidential Race for White House

(Special to The Daily Worker) —WASHINGTON.—William Gibbs McAdoo will not be nominated for the presidency of the United States, and no longer has a claim on the support of organized labor.

Calvin Coolidge will not be re-elected to the presidency, and henceforth can exert no moral leadership among even the reactionaries in his party.

This is the crux of the situation, revealed in the pitiless spotlight of the oil scandal inquiry by Edward L. Doherty's testimony that he had employed McAdoo at \$50,000 a year and had likewise employed former Attorney General Greg Doherty, who was a claimant on the oil scandal.

From a date about a year after McAdoo left the cabinet, Doherty testified, he had employed McAdoo to act as his agent in dealing with Mexican matters in Washington. After the Republican regime came in, McAdoo continued to represent the Doherty interests here, going before the Shipping Board and various departments either in person or by proxy.

To date McAdoo is still drawing Doherty's \$50,000 salary or retainer, and he has not given up the public oil trust. He has received \$100,000.

As to Gregory, whom President Coolidge picked—much to the amazement of everyone in Washington, who knew him as an oil attorney—to represent the public in prosecuting the oil lease frauds, Doherty testified before the Senate committee that he had employed Gregory, soon after leaving the cabinet, to act as his agent in recovering lost Doherty money to go before the State Department, to gain entrance there for his connection with Mexican oil matters, to get the State Department to adopt a certain policy toward Mexico.

Coolidge was inviting the Senate to take Doherty's own former lobbyist before the war president, who had vigilance officer in recovering lost Doherty money.

Even Liberals Don't Weep. Little contribution to the Wilson symposium has come from the ranks of the liberals who found in the humanitarian philosophy of his earlier years, the only basis for a certain policy. Their disillusionment was completed after the peace conference when the war president abandoned the League of Nations.

Waterpower Grabs Expected to Offer New Opportunities for Big Scandal

(By The Federal Press) —WASHINGTON.—One of the most recent to be charged to Coolidge was the "millionaire-class" regime now in office will be the attempt to "internationalize" waterpower conference in the House committee, on opposition to public development and ownership of superpower.

Secretary Norris of the Federal Reserve Commission, agent for Hoover and John in a protest against public ownership and even public development of hydroelectric resources. That is to say, he will go on protest in Congress shall stop him.

The new government in Britain will give no consent to this gathering of reserve-grubbers. It smells much of an oil conference.

## SS AND BRITISH COMMISSIONERS IN FRAME PACT Labor Party Debt Action May Irk France

(Special to The Daily Worker)  
LONDON.—Announcement of the new British government commissioners who will negotiate the treaty following rejection by the Labor Party government is expected daily.

The unconditional recognition accorded the Soviet government leaves the question of treaties and agreements to be settled by a joint commission and the note sent to Moscow by the Labor Party government contains an invitation to the Soviet government to send such a commission. The full text of the note is delivered to the British charge d'affaires in Paris as follows:

"I have the honor, by direction of my government, to inform your excellency that the Russian Soviet Union of Socialist Soviet Republics as de jure rulers of the Russian Empire which acknowledge their authority."

"In order, however, to recognize the normal conditions of complete friendship and relations and to have intercourse it will be necessary to conclude definite practical agreements on a variety of subjects of which have no direct connection with the question of recognition and some of which, on the other hand, are intimately bound up with the fact of recognition."

"In the latter category may be placed the question of the Russian Empire. His Majesty's Government is advised that recognition of the Soviet Government would be in accordance with the accepted principles of international law."

"Technically unconnected with recognition, but of very great importance, are the problems of settlement of the existing claims by the Government and national of one party against the other and the restoration of Russia's credit."

"It is also manifest that a genuinely friendly relations cannot be said to be completely established so long as either party has reason to suspect the other of carrying on propaganda against the interests and directed to overthrow its institutions."

"In these circumstances His Majesty's Government invites the Russian Government to send to London at the earliest possible date representative armistice and to discuss the matters and draw the preliminary bases of a complete treaty to settle all the questions outstanding between the two countries."

"Meanwhile, I have given the status of charge d'affaires pending the appointment of an ambassador and am to state that His Majesty's Government will send to London to receive a Russian charge representing the Government of the Union of the Soviet of Socialist Republics."

"It is said here that no single member of the government will pay the debt of the Russian debt of \$2,000,000,000, but that some sort of a compromise can be reached with the Soviet government, something of the sort will be arrived."

"The Labor Party government has argued and granted the recognition of Russia for the fact that it will tend to enhance trade relations and thus relieve unemployment at home."

"The foreign office now has under advisement a request from the Association of British Creditors of Russia asking the government to refuse to release the deposits in British banks to the credit of Russian banks and cooperatives until the Soviet government promises to make good the claims of British creditors."

"Senator Norris on Recognition. WASHINGTON.—British recognition of Russia sets a good example for all other nations, says Senator Norris of Nebraska. He wonders whether, in view of the striking character of the British government which has done so much for the peace of the world, there is not in the fact a rebuke to employer-class governments."

"In Britain," he told The Federal Press, "the Russian revolution has brought the Labor Party into power, after that party has withstood for many years the general line of alarm at the hands of the crisis of the Russian revolution has withstood. And the first thing it does upon taking office is to recognize the Soviet government of Russia, which the old money power government of Russia refused to recognize."

## Sure Enough! McAdoo and Creel Opposed 'Immoral' Soviet Rule

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON.—Word that a Labor government in Great Britain had formally recognized the Union of Soviet Republics was greeted in Washington by the day that President Wilson's friend and ally, McAdoo, and Creel, the whodunnit, "containing" of Wilson's political associates and former cabinet heads were being heard by the Senate.

Private control of the Mexican policy of the State department thru the Latin end of money was being attempted, at least, by George Creel, who sent Simon to Russia and published his anti-Russian foreign policy in the New York Times. He also had a \$1,000,000 fund in his hands under a name which was secretly given to his rival, McAdoo. The two men were staunch opponents of recognition of the "immoral" Soviet government.

## INDICT KISSANE FOR SHOOTING AT TEAMSTER DANCE Gunman Was Not Union Member

Anthony Kissane was indicted yesterday for the murder of William Newman, a Chicago teamster, at a dance of the Chicago Teamsters' Union held in Ashland Auditorium, Saturday night. Six others were wounded in the same affair. Kissane is charged with the shooting, at a window, of Harrison St., where police failed to check the shooting of Kissane. Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed.

From the testimony of witnesses it appeared that Newman was a well known beer runner and gambler. He was shot at a dance and later came back to "shoot up" the dance. He and two others were wounded in the same affair. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed.

The shooting nearly caused a riot. Kissane was severely beaten and killed. Newman was shot in the chest and killed. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed.

The wounded were: Maurice Amberg, 2645 Augusta Ave.; Orlan, 2645 Augusta Ave.; George Smiley, 1156 W. Harrison St.; and John Keating, 1156 W. Harrison St. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed. Kissane is charged with the shooting of Newman, a Chicago teamster, was shot in the chest and killed.

## Court Sustains Lee's Expulsion of Rail Strikers

(Special to The Daily Worker)  
CLEVELAND.—W. G. Lee, President of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, has just been upheld by the Circuit Court of Appeals in sustaining the expulsion of Lee and his followers from the union.

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## Minneapolis Trades Council Is After Daugherty's Scalp

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MINNEAPOLIS.—Immediate resignation of Atty. Gen. Harry M. Daugherty is demanded by the Minneapolis Trades and Labor assembly.

The resolution, which was passed without a dissenting vote, requests President Coolidge to ask for the immediate resignation of Daugherty. It demands the immediate resignation of Daugherty. It demands the immediate resignation of Daugherty. It demands the immediate resignation of Daugherty.

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## Dusseldorf, Germany.—Palace of the Allied railway administration to furnish enough cars for the work two days a week in the Berlin and Essen regions.

## Missouri Labor Wages Campaign on New Constitution

ST. LOUIS.—R. T. Wood, president Missouri State Federation of Labor, is touring the state labor organizations against the proposed new state constitution, on the plea that it will vote a "protection" for the workers.

Wood says the constitution is bitterly against the proposed amendment to Article 1, which would strip the workers of their right to organize. Wood says the constitution is bitterly against the proposed amendment to Article 1, which would strip the workers of their right to organize. Wood says the constitution is bitterly against the proposed amendment to Article 1, which would strip the workers of their right to organize.

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## British Railway Men Pledge Aid to Dockers' Strike

(Special to The Daily Worker)  
LONDON.—Promises of support from the National Union of Railway Men to the dockers' strike, which is being organized by the Transport and General Workers' Union, were made yesterday.

The railway workers' solidarity is pledged in a letter given out by the Transport and General Workers' Union, which states that all members shall cease work with the dockers and that any cases of blacklegging will be punished.

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## Workers' Liberties Had Been Trampled Down

(By The Associated Press)  
STUTTGART, Germany.—The murder of the German separatist leader, Hain, by a German capitalist, is an act of despair which has had an opportunity to look into conditions in the Palatine.

For months a reign of terror has obtained there, almost worse than in the Ruhr and lower Rhine regions. The men who assumed power there have been no men who believed that the Palatine would be better off as a result of their rule.

Shortly before the murder of Hain, the workers councils and a number of separatist organizations were organized in the Palatine and the separatist organizations were organized in the Palatine and the separatist organizations were organized in the Palatine.

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## Many Jobless in Denmark

COPENHAGEN, Denmark.—Almost 100,000 of the Danish workers are unemployed. This is about twice as many as were normally employed in pre-war times.

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## What Happened in Last Moments of the Coal Miners' Convention

(By The Associated Press)  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—John L. Lewis is a deep thinker but he is a deep sleeper. He knows how to dodge trouble, temporarily, at least. One of the secrets of his success has been to keep his mouth shut.

How he would handle the Howat case was the subject for much discussion at the last meeting of the convention. How he would handle the Howat case was the subject for much discussion at the last meeting of the convention. How he would handle the Howat case was the subject for much discussion at the last meeting of the convention.

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## Employers Quit When Lockout Is Found a Failure

(By The Associated Press)  
NEW YORK.—A crisis in the New York garment industry has been averted and only a minor stoppage which led to 75% of the workers.

Owing largely to a conflict between the contractors and manufacturers, the lockout was proclaimed, affecting more than 20,000 workers. Owing largely to a conflict between the contractors and manufacturers, the lockout was proclaimed, affecting more than 20,000 workers.

## Nearing Declares France Has Reached End of Her Rope

"Surprise has been expressed in many quarters at the stability of the Russian government," writes Scott Nearing in the February Liberator. "No student of the economic conditions which the Soviet government is founded will feel any surprise—quite the reverse. It will regard it as the most natural thing in the world."

"Take the new Russian currency as an example. The Russian State (government) bank has adopted as its unit of account the gold ruble. The new ruble is worth 100 old rubles. The new ruble is worth 100 old rubles. The new ruble is worth 100 old rubles.

## Coolidge Relief for the Bankers, Not for Farmers

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Due to unfortunate agricultural conditions," he said. "There is very little indication that in the case of some of the institutions which have been compelled to close their doors during the past year, the difficulties have been due essentially to poor banking rather than to distressed agriculture."

## WORKERS' SCHOOL

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## NO TEARS FLOW FOR WILSON AT LEGION'S ORDER

(Special to The Daily Worker)  
PITTSBURGH, Pa.—More than a thousand workers jammed the Lyceum Theatre today to honor the memory of Woodrow Wilson.

The meeting was addressed by Fred Morris, the District Organizer, and Jay Lovestone. The meeting was addressed by Fred Morris, the District Organizer, and Jay Lovestone. The meeting was addressed by Fred Morris, the District Organizer, and Jay Lovestone.

## Mourn Only for Lenin in Pittsburgh Meeting

Despite repeated advanced warnings that the press from the American Legion that the meeting would be broken up, as it was in Milwaukee, the workers flocked en masse and mourned the death of Lenin.

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## Amalgamation Is Making Progress in Shoe Industry

(Special to The Daily Worker)

**HAVERSHILL, Mass.**—The agitation for amalgamation in the shoe industry has resulted in a referendum vote in the United Shoe Workers of America, favoring amalgamation with the Shoe Workers Protective Union.

The amalgamation will give the enlarged Shoe Workers Union a membership estimated at 27,000; headquarters of the enlarged union will be located in Boston, where the officials of the two organizations met today to make the final arrangements.

The United Shoe Workers of America has locals in Lynn, Rochester, N. Y., Brockton, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis.

The Brockton District Shoe Workers Union, which was the outcome of the boot and shoe autocracy, has made every effort to bring about amalgamation of the numerous independent shoe unions and deserves the credit of the present "merger" of two of the unions, which will follow the Amalgamated and the Brockton District following suit of the United and combining the mem-

It is believed by active members who have carried on the work for amalgamation under severe handicaps that a campaign for the organization of the shoe industry can now be launched with good prospects of success.

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**Get unity thru the Labor Party!**

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the old days of Boston, when the detestable textile bourgeois originated **Klan, Not Ru**

their "culture" based upon the unquenchable desire of men, women and children in the mills of New England. They still strive to preserve the shell of their former cultural surroundings and the mill of their former life of heavy industry and the revolt of the proletariat that accompanies it. The direct desire of the masses is both. The today most of the hands of such women have abandoned the control of textile mills and devote their time to the clinic of the women cling to the old textile psychology.

They are engaged in conducting rummage sales and other "charitable" work.

work they have heretofore spent their time gossiping about their married companions who have been seduced by the husbands of their set. The Red expose has given them a new complexion and now the elegant Bostonians spend their time repeating every idle tale, every libel concocted by the swinish lecheresses serving as foreign correspondents in the counter-revolutionary cess-pools of Old Europe and enlarging upon the plagiarisms of Walling, Wright and Spargo, who are incapable of concealing their own lies.

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all localities are called upon by the Communist Party and the R. I. L. U. immediately to set-up councils of action to co-ordinate all strike activities, and to bring together the

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may be expected the beginning of February. The miners have voted for a huge majority for the termination of the strike, and the bosses. A miners' strike appears inevitable in the near future. The great growth of the British workers in the key industries of railroad and marine transportation, and of mining, are moving the government to a new series of struggles with the master class. The Labor government will have a difficult road to travel. It will have to defend the interests of the workers' interests are the labor

Shows the Fight Is On.

The second wave, of which Comrade Zinovieff has written, is beginning to touch Britain. The forces of the British proletariat are preparing for Titanic struggles, of which the present strike is the first. The Communist Party and the Red International Party and the

furniture makers. The tanning industry has 12 per cent and the boot and shoe industry 21 per cent fewer workers. Wheat flour mills and railroads have lost 10 per cent of their working respectively 32 per cent and 25 per cent fewer men than a year ago.

During December, 1923, the average weekly pay available amounted to \$24.30, a decrease of 2.6 per

are facing tremendous tasks in Britain, to win the workers to the adoption of a militant policy, to tear down the barriers of craft-union isolation, and to mobilize the workers in the coming battles with one of the strongest sections of the capitalist class in the world. The fight is on; on with the fight!

## Youth Views

By HARRY GANNES

Lack of School Space Encourages Industrial Home-Work

cent from November and of 3 per cent from the high point of the year. The drop in 1922, approximately 4 per cent higher than in December, 1922. The sharpest fall in the index was in 1923, approximately 12 per cent higher than among the metal trades with a decline from \$22.40 to \$21.75, or 54 per cent. The index for the shoe industry suffered a drop of over 27 per cent; their average pay fell from \$25.75 to \$20.54.

## Police Caucus on Shoe Strikers' Brocton Trial

With the increasing number of child workers, the educational departments of state and federal government combine in urging a better school attendance of the children. The U. S. government issues special leaflets telling the parents to let their children stay in school.

The futality of such appeals, of course, is striking, when it is remembered that a child is taken to school barefooted in winter, and that a breakfastless youngster makes a backward pupil, not to mention one.

But what amount of argument can cover up the fact that there are not enough seats for the children who are sent to school? In New York City, for example, the Police Union who were arrested at the strike last summer.

These cases are to come up February term, of the superior court. The police officers discussed the case with the judge, and the testimony each officer was to give.

One hundred and forty-three of the defendants are charged with misdemeanors, the other 24 with felonies. Many of the defendants are aroused among the workers of the vicinity by the mass arrests, who

In Chicago the good news is handed out that now only 53,000

**House Progressives  
in New Alliance  
with Democrats**

The conditions prevailing in the public schools in the large industrial centers of the United States encourage intensified exploitation of the children. In the poorer workers' schools the children are often used as cheap labor.

homes, the parents utilize the time the children are home by keeping busy at work at the many forms of industrial home-work doled out by nearly all of the smaller manufacturing establishments.

**Exploit Mere Babies**

What excuse has capitalism for existing in this country, when two year old children are forced to

of reduction of taxes on the rich.

Longworth, Gillett and their associates in the Old Guard in the House, are facing the same stone wall they faced in the rules fight—they cannot muster enough votes to carry any measure on which the Progressives can induce the democrats to take the opposition.

work? That mere babies help eke out a miserable existence was brought up in testimony before the New York Welfare Commission.

Of 2,000 families investigated, most of them did not have more than from \$300 to \$400 a year to maintain life.

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We thought that American capitalism was a great system in exploiting five and six year old kiddies for ten and twelve hours a day, but when we hear that two year old babies help make profits, we are sure that American capitalism, the it has outlived its usefulness from an economic and political point of view, can still afford to be a great system.

ford abundant surprises in new forms of brutalities.

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