

# BOSTON GARMENT CONVENTION IN SESSION TODAY

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**Carmen's Vice President Tells of Fight to Civilize Pullman Company**  
By JOHN HOLMGREN.  
Vice-President of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen.  
The manufacturing department of the Pullman Company manufactures automobile bodies, passenger and freight cars, in addition to sleeping cars, and during the war and after got the share of the greater amount of the Pullman profits by being credited its PATRIOTIC assistance to winning the war by the manufacture of phonograph cabinets.  
However, the company was credited with the purchase of many Liberty Bonds, which were graciously passed on to the em-

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By KARL REEVE  
The Pullman car builders start the fourth week of their strike today with every man assigned to well-organized picket duty, and confident that after the public mass meeting tonight in the "K of K" hall, 1167 S. Michigan Ave., they will find organized labor responsive to the appeal for financial aid that has been launched for the coming week.

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**KLAN STAGES MIDNIGHT FOLLIES AFTER ROPING ONE HUNDRED SUCKERS**  
MARIION, Ill., May 4.—A parade two miles long after midnight this morning carried an estimated 100 men and an equal number of women into the Klansville, near a mile south of Hefer, Glenn Young, Klansville clearing up the East St. Louis Klan, led a caravan of 30 automobiles from East St. Louis headed with Klansville and Klansville.

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PULLMAN STRIKE HAS BACKING OF CARMEN'S UNION

Workers Everywhere Told Of Struggle

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Pullman Company has not yet made good their promise... The DAILY WORKER learns that the Pullman Company...

Some Pullman Maneuvers... The Pullman Company, trying to get itself out of a bad mess...

Former Govt Get Men Back... The Pullman Company has not yet made good their promise...

Paid For Slave Driving... An article said, "The amount of the former Pullman strike...

Carmen Aid Strike... John Holmen, the strike leader, showed the DAILY WORKER...

Booses Supervise Meetings... When the object of getting the workers' side of this controversy...

Wage Cuts Without Retter... With the readjustment of "Efficiency" Gunn, this pretext was...

Read it in the Daily Worker... This man said that many men who were working in the shops had found out about the strike by hearing and reading the DAILY WORKER...

HOLMGREN TELLS OF FIGHT TO CIVILIZE PULLMAN COMPANY

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lished the eight hour day, time and one-half for over-time, increased wages, and a secure proper classification of employees, besides improving the working conditions 100 per cent.

Some of the reasons were not made public, but which the employees are able to the fact that " whenever Gunn comes around there is always trouble," due to his inefficiency as a manager in operation.

"Pullman Plan" a Fake Union... To further analyze the employees, the management instituted a plan termed the "Pullman Plan of Employment."

Under the provisions of the "company plan" President Curry placed with the employees a conference board of representatives.

When the object of getting the workers' side of this controversy truthfully and honestly set forth...

With the readjustment of "Efficiency" Gunn, this pretext was devised with aid, wage cuts ranging from 10 to 40 per cent put into effect without notice of any kind to the employees.

Michigan and Ohio with the sting assurance that there "is no stop here."

Not a Tame Bunch... Rivalries and rumors and back-bits are not acts but they are they of a tame bunch.

GUNS ASKED OF U. S. TO DOWN CUBAN REVOLT

Reactionary Junta Suppresses Papers

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The Cuban Government has asked the United States to sell it a large quantity of arms and ammunition...

It was reported the editor of the "Herald" was deported as a "pernicious foreigner."

Troops still were mobilizing in the streets of Havana...

Chate at Wall Street Treasury... The administration is very much interested in the stability of this arrangement.

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Spread The Strike!

This issue of the DAILY WORKER, with its special features about the Pullman strike, will reach thousands of workers in the big plant of the Pullman Company at Pullman, Ill.

The slogan of this special drive, to all the workers still at their jobs in the Pullman shops, can only be, "SPREAD THE STRIKE!"

The strike must spread. It must include all the thousands of workers in the 15,000 shops at Pullman, but also 5,000 more at the Pullman shops at Michigan City, Indiana.

The power of dollars is back of the Pullman Company. It is supported by the dollars of the railroad owners, the mine barons, the big bankers.

Workers of the Pullman Shops: Join the strike! Help spread the strike! Build the united front of the thousands of workers fighting the wage reductions of the greedy Pullman Corporation.

LYNCHING PLAN GENERAL STRIKE OF K. K. K.'S FOR MAY 15 SPEAKERS TIES UP COUNTRY

SHERRIFFS SAVE SWABECK All Workers Join To Kill Pension Bill

BENTON, Ill. May 4.—The Mayor of Benton, Ill. and his Ku Klux Klan have announced they will meet May 15 in their town.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Study of occupational diseases for which work-related conditions have been shown to be a major factor in their causation, will be held in New York City May 15.

'STRIKE' WRITTEN OVER PULLMAN COMPANY TOW

Eager Youngsters All Big Battle

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COOLIDGE TO PLAN TO SCRAP NAVAL PACT

Want U. S. Navy To Lead British

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The possible necessity of a new naval construction program involving enormous expenditures today engaged the attention of members of the House naval affairs committee.

So far this session, the committee has reported construction bills authorizing the building of eight cruisers at \$110,000,000 each and the reconstruction of six first line ships at a cost of over \$15,000,000.

To Elevate Turrets. As the first step in this, Representative Britton, ranking republican of the committee, yesterday introduced a bill authorizing \$5,000,000 to elevate the turret guns of 12 battleships.

Before presenting his plan for the gun elevation and general investment in British, Secretary of the House, Mr. Madden of the Appropriations committee, conferred with President Coolidge.

Sinclair Now Needs U. S. Recognition Of Russia For Oil Rights

PHENIX, Chas. May 4.—If the United States does not recognize Soviet Russia within five years the Sinclair Oil Company may lose its right to exploit Sakhalin Island, according to the agreement signed.

Conciliatory Offers Democratic Wages To Ice Cream Men

A Federal commissioner of conciliation, Hamilton A. Starnes, has proposed a solution to the ice cream drivers who went on strike.

MASS MEETING OF ALL Pullman Employees TONIGHT

MONDAY, MAY 5TH, 1924, at 7:30 P. M. in K. of P. HALL, 11037 Michigan Avenue

Complete facts on the WAGE-CUT SYSTEM that is driving men into the streets and which has already involved thousands will be laid bare by able speakers.

Accurate Information On the big strike of the Pullman Steel Carshop Employees now in its fourth winning week will be submitted.

Challenge to Debate is herewith presented to ANY PULLMAN OFFICIAL who believes himself capable of defending the Stop-work, Time-check, Speed-up, Slave-driving Taylor System in effect in the PULLMAN SHOPS.

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Learn the workmen's side of the controversy—Be fair to your fellow workers and employers are cordially invited.

GOOD SPEAKERS. Kindly read the articles on the strike update in the issue of The Daily Worker.

Fink Agent Throws Scare Into Chamber Of Commerce Men

CLEVELAND, May 4.—Private detective agencies specializing in labor espionage are picking Cleveland business men as easy marks.

Twenty-five thousand paid labor agitators and 81 radical labor journals are inciting the working men of America to red revolution, according to S. P. Fannon, head legislator for the Sherman Service, an industrial spy agency.

Fannon, who came down from Cleveland to throw a scare into the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce, yesterday alleged that the only way for business men to stop this terrible menace is to contribute heavily to "industrial agencies" which will educate the workers into open shop contentment.

SO. DAK. PLANS TO SEND 100 TO ST. PAUL MEETING

Many Going To Big Convention By Flivver

(Continued From Page 1) The June 17th convention a great demonstration against capitalist domination. This latter view is well expressed by Frank E. Johnson, chairman of the Progressive Party of Idaho, who says, "We are with you heart and soul in the convention. It will be there with a full delegation."

New State Parties. The circulation of the call for the June 17th convention, as well as the "Help Build a Mass Farmer-Labor Party" leaflet, prepared by the arrangements committee, has started a national agitation for the building of state and city Farmer-Labor parties.

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THE POWER COLUMN Renewed Subscription Activity Marks Half-Way Mark in Campaign

Militants Are Pushing Ahead For Leadership.

The first big organized campaign to secure subscription for THE DAILY WORKER is half over. If it is true that history for American labor has been made in this drive, it is true that the most important part of the drive marks at least a semi-historic period. In the history of the American labor movement have been written the names of the men who have made it their business to make the DAILY WORKER grow.

Many Day made us miss our regular Power Column which was scheduled to appear last Friday. But it didn't make the work of THE DAILY WORKER boosters slacken up. Subscription have been coming in steadily since May 1st.

The Standing On May First. CITY QUOTA Sub turned in Sub turned in Percent of Quota last week date Reached

Table with columns: CITY, QUOTA, Sub turned in last week, Sub turned in date, Percent of Quota Reached. Lists cities like Superior, Wis., Ambridge, Pa., Miles City, Mont., etc.

Give These Boosters The Once Over. Comrade Staville comes across with thirteen new wallpots at capitalist adding to his already enviable record.

HONOR ROLL. TOLEDO, OHIO—E. Merritt, T. N. Beck, S. H. Parker, I. A. W. Harvitt, T. Swartwout, etc.

CHICAGO, ILL.—N. Dugich, I. C. Chaschoubian, I. N. T. H. I. Nick, O. Bull, I. Ed. Mrazek, I. J. Jurkovic, etc.

DEFROIT, MICH.—Mike Shubak, I. H. Binder, I. W. Reynolds, I. W. Wirtz, I. E. Wernis, I. John Nigo, etc.

PITTSBURGH, PA.—Bill Scavellio, I. A. Anonich, C. Beckler, I. J. L. New York City—Chas. Usali, T. M. Rosenberg, I. Emil Lunka, T. G. A. York, I. J. Tierney, I. Paul Schaaf, etc.

Fifteen Bucks Yearly Might Feed Brute In War Days; Not Now

(Special to The Daily Worker) BROOKFIELD, Mass., May 4.—Unless their wage is raised to \$25 a year the 15 men of Brookfield will strike on May 5. They maintain that the present salary of \$15 a year may be adequate in some places, but can prove it will not support a married man with family in this city.

Want Dutch Farmers to Come. AUBURN, Wash.—Colonies of farmers from Holland to develop western Washington are approved by the Central Labor Union of Auburn. The labor body has notified Dutch representatives here that it is anxious to cooperate in some place and to help immigrants to settle in the vicinity.

Actors' Union in California. SAN FRANCISCO.—The coming Actors' Equity has agreed to San Francisco, with the announcement of Thomas Willis, manager of the Union and newly formed members along the coast, that he is opposed to the closed shop demand.

French Lose Russian Business. MOSCOW, May 4.—(Rosta News Agency)—A Russian government telegram to a French firm for the import into Russia of 50,000 kilograms of dynamite has now been cancelled, while the right to import the same quantity of dynamite has been granted to a German concern.

R. J. Loh, 2, G. Kurland, 1. McKeesport, Pa.—Wm. Mike Astor, Fla.—Martin Hendricks, 3.

Worcester, Mass.—M. Zieper, 6; Hanna Kullio, I. John Corbin, 8; Brockport, N. Y.—J. Sandecki, 3; I. A. Crosbie, Wis.—John Shiflar, 3.

Woodlawn, Pa.—Wm. Reister, 3; Concord, N. H.—R. Bjorkback, 2; Springfield, Ill.—Thomas Myres-cough, 3.

Springfield, Ohio—Wallace Mitchell, 3; Grand Rapids, Mich.—A. Samoylov, 2; St. Paul, Minn.—C. A. Haska, 2.

Haverhill, Mass.—R. King, 2; West Hobeoken, N. J.—S. Economides, 2; South Bend, Ind.—Nicholas P. Yoka, 2.

Liberty, Pa.—Jesse Per, 2; Beckerville, Mich.—Ch. Krytovich, 1.

Attentive, Pa.—John Murn, 2; Centerville, Iowa.—Joe Ozanich, 2; Pittsburg, Pa.—John LaVala, 2.

Kansas City, Kans.—F. Urbancic, 2; Jacksonville, Fla.—I. Bernhart, 1; Cleveland, Ohio—Joe Hubal, 1; Livermore, Ill.—Thomas Myres-cough, 1.

Terrell, Ill.—Thomas Myres-cough, 1; Los Angeles, Cal.—Anna Cornblath, I. P. Roudal, I.; Providence, R. I.—James Conroy, I.; Sanitabula, Ohio—John Hillbert, I.

LABOR ASSEMBLY HEARS FACTS OF PULLMAN STRIKE

Delegates Invited To Assist Workers

"Strike in Pullman," the issue which electrified the Chicago Trades Assembly in 1914, was again recalled by the Chicago Federation of Labor meeting yesterday when John Holm-gren, general vice president of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, told the delegates of the present strike situation in the Pullman car shops.

"The corporation that was responsible for the first Pullman against workmen is trying similar tactics again," Holmgren began, and related how the spontaneous strike of 500 men on April 14 has grown to the strike of several thousand men today and will continue to grow thru the efforts of the men out.

Production Stopped. Holmgren said that the ordinary production of the Pullman works four passenger cars per day. Not one steel underframe has been made since April 14, Holmgren stated, because these foundation builders are striking and the others have nothing to build.

Thru the work of the pickets, Holmgren said, not more than ten cars were in the steel car shops on Saturday afternoon.

"First give them a demonstration of solidarity means," is Holmgren's slogan for the strike now in the did not fail to push organizers at Stank's Hall work too quickly, he told the feder-



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GOLLIN BROS. Upholstering. Formed in your own home very cheaply. 8006 SO. KOMENSKY AVE. CHICAGO, ILL.

ROUGHOUNDS GOULD LIVE CHEAPLY IN MAINE IN GOOD OLD DAYS

PLAISTOW, N. H.—What it cost to live in the good old days is recorded in a price list compiled from an old ledger kept in 1822 by Samuel Adams in his store at Castine, Me. A copy of which is in the possession of Warren K. Seaver of Plaistow. The Adams ledger records the payment of \$100 for the annual salary of Adams' son-in-law, a clerk in his store. Another item is a receipt from the Quincy house, Boston, dated June, 1824, for three and one-half days' board and lodging, \$4.00. At the Adams shipyard at Castine a score of men were each paid a dollar a day for 12 hours' work. The master shipbuilder received \$12.5 a day.

Commodity prices listed from this ledger include: Turkey, 4 1/2c per lb.; best 2 1/2c per lb.; chicken, 5c per lb.; silver thimble, 4c; goose, 25c; one quart New England rum, 2c; men's shoes, \$1 per pair; one-half cord hardwood, 85c; butter, 9c; bushel of potatoes, 8c; silk, 50c per yard; cheese, 7c per lb.

Teils Delegates to Game. "We'd be more than glad to have the presence of any of you who can take the time to cover," Holmgren told the delegates. "Just come to the hall to do your work at Stank's Hall on 115th street."

DAWES PLAN TO MAKE GERMANY A VASSAL STATE

Communists Denounce Wall Street Control

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER
BERLIN Correspondent
The Dawes plan is to become an economic colony of the Entente...

HUGE ST. PAUL CONVENTION WITH THOUSANDS OF DELEGATES SEEN BY ORGAN OF ILLINOIS MINERS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 4.—The Illinois Miner, official organ of District 12, United Mine Workers of America...

ILLINOIS STATE FARMER-LABOR CONVENTION CALLED FOR MAY 18TH

By ARNE SWABECK.
District Organizer, Workers Party, District No. 8.

Following the example of the Illinois workers and farmers are now moving forward towards independent political action.

SOVIET MAY DAY GREETINGS SENT AMALGAMATED

Lauds American Union For R. A. I. C.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The Soviet-American Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America...

Miners Protest The Passage of Johnson Strikebreaking Bill

HUNTERSVILLE, Pa., May 4.—Several hundred miners of this city and vicinity...

Scab Coal Mine Will Only Hire Submissive Slaves

FAIRMONT, W. Va., May 4.—The Consolidation Coal Co., the largest operator in Northern West Virginia...

High Rural Death Rate In U. S. Due To Farm Bankruptcy

NEW YORK, May 4.—Health conditions are worse, especially among children, in the country districts of America than in the cities...

Workers Working Class Quit Church Because Of Wealthy Trustees

NEW YORK, May 4.—The working class has been lost by the churches, Dr. William N. Guthrie, Episcopal, admitted in a sermon...

“Higher Learning” Of 34 Methodist Students Stopped

DALLAS, Texas, May 4.—Thirty-four students of Southern Methodist University who figured in the “wilderness dance” at Savage Lake...

labor News - Political and Industrial Activities of Workers and Farmers

PAINTERS' STRIKE ON SECOND MONTH IN LOS ANGELES

80 Per Cent of Bosses Granted Demands
(Excerpt from The Daily Worker)
LOS ANGELES, May 4.—The painters and paperhangers of Los Angeles are entering the second month of their strike for an increase in wages...

Iron Workers Demand Increase of Wages; Strike Authorized

(By The Federated Press)
NEW YORK, May 4.—A May Day strike continued until the employers met their demands has been authorized by almost unanimous vote of the International Association of Bridge Structural and Ornamental Iron Workers, local No. 40, New York...

Threatened May Day Rent Strike Suffers Delay

The threatened May Day rent strike against the greedy landlords in New York City has been delayed until the new leases are meeting. The proposed measure of exorbitant rents has been met by the tenants...

BUFFALO LABOR JOINS MOVEMENT FOR MASS PARTY

Central Body Aiding in State Convention
NEW YORK, May 4.—Reports are coming in daily to the office of the Federated Farmer-Labor Party to the effect that the up state cities of New York are organizing a mass party...

ILLINOIS CENTRAL WORKERS FIRED TO “Y. M.” MUSIC

Entertainments Hand In Hand With Layoffs
By D. K. Mintiglio.
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Craft Policy Aids Scab Publishers in Smashing Printers

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., May 4.—The failure of the craft's policy of employment of the printing trades employed by the publishers...

Miners “Stabilize” Industry By Quitting Closed Down Camps

By Barry Mass.
BENTON, Ill., May 4.—When watching the moon trail, it is the remark to be heard in the mining camps here...

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