

AGAINST SOCIALISM

AS WE SEE IT

By T. J. O'FLAHERTY
THERE is about as much harmony between the LaFollette and Socialist party forces in New York as there would be between a rope and a...

28 STRIKERS IN CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS

Belleville Clothing Workers Firm
By KARL REEVE
(Staff Writer, Daily Worker)
BELLEVILLE, Ill., Aug. 19.—The courtroom of Judge Crow here was filled to overflowing by miners and industrial workers...

BELLEVILLE BOSSES FAIL TO BREAK UP AMALGAMATED STRIKE

(Special to The Daily Worker)
BELLEVILLE, Ill., Aug. 19.—The trial of 28 strike leaders and labor men now progressing here at the St. Claire county courthouse is the third effort of the Charles Meyers & Co. plant to break the strike of the Amalgamated by court action...

BATTLES MARK WORKERS' RAGE AT MUSSOLINI

Communists for Action in Matteotti Case
(Staff Writer, Daily Worker)
ROME, August 19.—Workers from every corner of Italy are pouring into the city by the thousands. They are arriving on foot, in open trucks, in railroad cars so crowded that there is hardly room in them to stand...

France Will Recognize Russia, Says Rakovsky; America To Come Next

(Special to The Daily Worker)
MOSCOW, August 19.—Karl Radek, leading figure in the international Communist movement, in commenting today upon the result of the London Reparations Conference, declared that "Germany has become a colony of Anglo-American capital, from whose table France, using the bygonet as a fork is trying to pick up the left-overs..."

DAWES SPOUTS AGAINST ALL G. O. P. ENEMIES

Hell-an'-Maria Praises the Dawes Plan
General Hell-an'-Maria Dawes, strikebreaker, extraordinary, Morgan banker and all-around lackey for the American capitalist class, delivered his speech accepting the nomination for vice-president of the United States on the republican party ticket, last night at his home in Evanston, Ill.

THE socialist party leaders are very much at home in the company of Mr. Dawes. But the workers see in him a strikebreaker. In fact Dawes is the angel guardian of the socialists in the cabinet...

The workers are charged with contempt of court in violating the injunction of the labor-hating judge which was granted to the Charles Meyers plants factory against which over 100 girls are striking...

DISRUPTION OF NEGRO MEET TO BE ATTEMPTED

Minor Exposes Surprise to be Sprung Today
By ROBERT MINOR
(Staff Writer, Daily Worker)
NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—I have learned today that a further attempt to disrupt the international convention of Negro peoples, now in session here, will be made Tuesday morning in the form of a letter written by a former official of the Universal Negro Improvement Association...

Pitched battles between workers here are holding out fascist demonstrations, and black-shirts who have been ordered to put down all outbreaks against the government, have taken place in nearly every large city of Italy since the murder of Matteotti was discovered at Crofano...

See Change Coming Here
"France will recognize the Soviet government," said Rakovsky, commenting upon the Russian agreement. "But today the United States is the conservative capitalist country in the world, making under democratic principles..."

The wrath of the Morgan banker was expressed in a statement that favored higher wages for the workers and lower freight rates for the farmers. He was loud in his praise for the administration that lowered taxation and lessened the drain on capital actively employed in productive industry.

THE latest news from the political front is to the effect that the famous Dennis E. Batt, editor of the Detroit Laborer, is running for Congress in the State of Michigan on the republican ticket. Batt is one of the gentlemen who took the Workers' Party as a joke...

A few days ago a free-for-all fight was started by Auerback when his strike breakers roughly handled the pickets. They fought back vigorously until now the strike is 100 per cent effective, and the factory is closed down.

The carabineers have gone over to the side of the opposition almost as a body. In spite of the strict censorship decrees, the Italian press is openly inciting to revolt against the Mussolini dictatorship. "Unita," the Communist daily, published in Milan, has for weeks made insistent demands for more revolutionary action than the refusal of opposition deputies to attend the sessions of Parliament until the national militia has been dissolved...

Reports received by Black Diamond, leader of the Journal of the Industry, indicate that the district union has become much more aggressive in West Virginia.

Large mass meetings are being held to build up morale in the districts under attack by the open shop forces. A recent miners' meeting at Scott's Run numbered close to 6,000. Speakers declared "We will not stop until Monongalia county -- and West Virginia -- is 100 per cent union. But it is not necessary to try violence..."

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THE Socialist Labor Party is an other frank organization that hates the capitalist class much less than it hates the revolutionists. This is typical of all reformers. The S. L. P. appreciates the services of the capitalist in preparing the ground for the coming of socialism according to the constitution and it only fears that the contemplated revolution will not wait long enough, at least until Arnold Petersen, the "Silent Cal" of the S. L. P. is over the draft age. This unknown pie card artist would have no excuse to draw his \$100 a week salary to complete the railway from New York to Buenos Aires, an important factor in the American Empire.

American Federation of Labor, the local group of that body, the Belleville Central Trades and Labor Council, meets tonight to discuss the strike, and the conference will be addressed by Karl Revere, labor reporter for the DAILY WORKER.

The reference is to the historic hill overlooking Rome, on which, legend goes, the so-called "neutrals" in the battles ancient Italy -- those whose sympathies were definitely with one side, but who refused to take part in the actual struggles -- would remain to await the outcome of the fight.

Local authorities giving the time honored excuse that they fear violence have been recruiting more deputy sheriffs and ask for additional state police. There are now 3 detachments of state police in Monongalia county.

Another Victim of Industrialism. BRAZIL, Indiana, Aug. 19.—Robert Stewart, sixty, of Center Point, was crushed to death today at the Big Ben company, coal stripping pit when he fell under the dinky engine he was operating.

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Imperial Route Near Completion. MEXICO CITY, August 19.—Only four hundred miles of tracks are lacking to complete the railway from New York to Buenos Aires, an important factor in the American Empire.

Garvey is quoted as saying that three attorneys, whom he engaged to defend him conducted themselves in (Continued on Page 6.)

By its open hostility to the government, "Avanti" is showing once more something of the revolutionary spirit which it lost when Serrati, its former editor, went to Moscow to attend the sessions of the Third International, leaving Pietro Nenni, its present editor, in charge. In order that Nenni might continue his work within the Maximilian party, Mussolini ordered Serrati arrested at the Italian border and thrust into jail. A show of impartiality was made by the Fascist premier by the subsequent arrest of Nenni, who was released within a few days and allowed to resume editorship of the paper.

Millionaires' Boats Wrecked. A number of expensive pleasure craft were wrecked or sunk at Chicago last night when a severe storm about Lake Geneva and Williams Bay in the "worst storm in 20 years."

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GLENN YOUNG, KU KLUX RAIDER, GOES ON TRIAL IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY

HERRIN, Ill., Aug. 18.—With a martial setting about the city court here, S. Glenn Young, Klan raider here, Williamson county fame, was scheduled to go to trial here this afternoon with some of his associates, on the first of many charges growing out of the riot here in February.

MINE SHUTDOWNS FORCING THE ILLINOIS MINERS ONTO FARMS AT THREE DOLLARS PER DAY

By KARL REEVE
(Staff Writer of The Daily Worker)
THAYER, Ill., August 19.—Two men loll on a bench in front of the general store in Thayer. They were noticeably new overalls and Watkins jocularly saluted them as a couple of farmers, they sturdily, so far as revealed them as miners. They had taken a job on a nearby farm for four dollars a day pitching hay.

GRANT INJUNCTION TO HALT MINIMUM WAGES LAW IN BOB'S STATE

(Special to the DAILY WORKER)
SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 19.—The temporary injunction restraining the operation of the Wisconsin Minimum Wage Law.

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Gompers' Pan-Americans

On December third there will be held in Mexico City the fourth conference of the Pan American Federation of Labor. This gathering will assume additional significance because of its being coincident with the inauguration of President Coolidge.

Macdonald--The Christian Martyr and Imperialist

By TOM BELL

RMSAY MAC DONALD, leader of the British Labor party, Christian Socialist, premier of his Britannic Majesty's government, member of the ruling clique of the Second Socialist International, and apostate extraordinary for British imperialism, has delivered a confession of faith in one of the capitalist rags of Chicago.

one in their appreciation of its worth. If they disliked it, they would let it go and destroy itself. They want capital conserved and saved from the most detested of the capitalist and major parties of the Socialist International, the leadership of the British Labor party have shown themselves to be the best defenders of the capitalist system and their ownership of the means of wealth production in times of crisis.

actly aims of the French capitalists. Macdonald, the pacifist and Christian gentleman, to persuade Harriot to agree to the demands of the Morgan bankers regarding the loan to Germany invited him to witness a strength of Britain.

Dawes Sees Red

The eminently respectable and "sane" Mr. La Follette was taken by Mr. Dawes, in his Executive speech last night, as the text for a sermon against the reds. While it is very seldom that we can proclaim an identity of interest with La Follette, yet such occasions do arise at certain points, even if for opposite reasons. This is one. The reds must repudiate LaFollette even more emphatically than the polite Senator can disclaim the red banner.

Under these circumstances the workers of both continents, more than ever before, face a common danger and a common enemy. Only common action can save the workers of North, South and Central America from being doomed to degrading wage slavery. A Pan American Federation of Labor is undoubtedly a step in the proper direction. But any Pan-American Federation of Labor in which Mr. Gompers is boss and which works according to the dictates of this field marshal of the employing class in the ranks of American labor cannot help towards freeing the workers from the capitalist rule now oppressing them.

Disruption of Negro Congress Attended

(Continued from page 1) such a manner that he was forced to throw them over and to defend himself. He has charged from the public platform that two members of the association were doing all in their power to keep him in jail.

Imperialist rule thru independent self-government of the black inhabitants now under colonial rule. The Universal Negro Improvement Association last winter applied to the African colonies under subjection, were responsible for the attempted exclusion of the U. N. I. A. from Africa.

Imperialists Exposed. At any rate it is evident that the imperialist governments have been refused a judgment. Sums of money to which have been obtained by these persons whose work for "services" to the organization were only a few days or weeks duration.

the past few months. It appears that no one who has taken the trouble to drag the association into court has been refused a judgment. Sums of money to which have been obtained by these persons whose work for "services" to the organization were only a few days or weeks duration.

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The Minister Is Embarrassed

Jacob Gould Schurman, United States Minister to China, is returning to America to overcome a terrible embarrassment. He was so embarrassed that he just couldn't stay in Pekin any more; he had to come home and talk to Hughes about it.

A JEST

OLD Lady Lisa has strange fits. In her rag-bag carry all that she can find. She is so old that she has a hard time to get up.

Accuses DuBois

Garvey declares that Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, who is the general secretary of the official organ of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, became an opponent of the Negro Nationalist government to declare that no votes would be granted the members of Garvey's organization.

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In this year of political confusion the Workers Party of America is faced with the task of bringing the message of Communism to the workers and exploited farmers who are being led into a promised land of Communism.

Bryan Blesses Wall Street

The Bryan Brothers, political vaudeville artists extraordinary, have been converted to J. W. Davis, Morgan's lawyer, as the "highest type of progressive democrat." William Jennings says he was mistaken when he opposed Davis before the nomination—that was before his brother received the vice-presidential nomination, which could not, of course, have been foreseen.

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Loyal Gompers Men

Gompers has no supporters today more servile than the leaders of the Chicago Federation of Labor. When they started back to Gompers a little over a year ago, the left-wingers predicted that they would go all the way and make a revolution that was protested by some of our optimistic friends.

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Now that the American bankers have written a new treaty of Versailles it is about time for our party to take down Washington's Farewell Address and shed a tear over it.

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