



# Special New York Page of Anniversary Issue

## NEW YORK ENGLISH HARLEM BRANCH IN LEAD; BIG SALE OF INSURANCE POLICIES TO NON-PARTY MEMBERS

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The total paid in on DAILY WORKER insurance policies at the DAILY WORKER agency here to Jan. 9 was \$1,549. Some \$200 more have been sent direct to Chicago from the New York district. Pretty fair beginning, considering the fact that New York did not begin its drive until several weeks after the rest of the country. In due time the goal of \$2,001 set down as the quota for the New York district will be passed. In amount of policies sold, the English Harlem Branch stands first. This branch sold more shares of stock in the DAILY WORKER last year than any other branch in the United States and is determined to repeat its winning of the high honor.

The Finnish South Brooklyn branch stands second, and West Side English third. English Branch No. 1 and Downtown English follow. There should be a little race between these three English branches as well as the Williamsburg English which today stand eighth. The Hungarian Yorkville and Lettish are also among the leaders.

But the branch that has sold the largest percentage of its quota to date is the Astoria English branch of eleven members, which has paid \$40 of its quota of \$55 or 73 per cent.

The individual honor goes to Comrade H. F. Mins, who has already sold nearly one hundred dollars worth of policies, and every dollar of them to non-Communists. This is another good example to follow.

## N. Y. Labor Leaders Disagree with Smith On Child Labor Law

(Special to The Daily Worker)  
NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The New York State Federation of Labor has issued a statement demanding that the state legislature ratify the proposed child labor amendment without delay, declaring their opposition to the plan of Gov. Smith and the republican party and democratic party leaders to submit the amendment to a special election. The federation declares that the state representatives were elected on platforms supporting the child labor amendment, and therefore delay involved in a referendum is unnecessary.

The New York labor body, however, agrees with all other recommendations in Gov. Smith's message. There are no specific recommendations which would increase the influence of the workers.

**Greetings from the Jewish Bath Beach Branch Workers Party**

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We congratulate the Daily Worker on its first anniversary and wish it success in its work for a good militant daily, for the workers in their cause.

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## COMMUNIST EDUCATION DEVELOPS RAPIDLY THRU NEW YORK WORKERS SCHOOL CLASSES AND LECTURES

(Special to The Daily Worker)  
NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—New York has been witnessing a rapid development in Communist educational activity since the organization of the Workers' School as an institution controlled and directed by the Workers Party. Never in the history of the party has so much interest been displayed by our New York membership in educational work. This is in line with the general intensification throughout the party of our activities on the educational field.

The Workers' School aims to establish itself as the educational center for New York militants. A frankly Communist organization, it offers workers the training from a Communist standpoint, which is essential for effective service in the struggle against capitalism.

The school now offers at its central headquarters a party training course in trade union training course, and several general courses.

**Party Training Course.**  
The party training course is intended for party members and is composed of four classes in the International Communist Movement, Political Economy, Communism, and American Economic and Social History.

The course on the International Communist Movement, given by William Weinsteins, will treat of the origin, development and distribution of the First and Second Internationals. It will describe the conditions under which each of the Internationals was formed; their principles and tactics; the struggles of tendencies and factions within the membership alone. And both Mins and Kober got subs from the same people to whom they sell the policies.

**Open Forums.**  
Open forums are being conducted in the Bronx, Harlem and Brownsville Educational Centers every Sunday night at 8 p. m. These are meetings with considerable success. Among the lecturers are such prominent Communists as Ben Gitlow, Juliet Stuart Poyntz, Joseph Manley, William Weinsteins, Ludwig Loebe, etc.

**Library and Research Bureau.**  
The organization of the school liberally has known as the Brower Memorial Library, is proceeding rapidly. This will serve as a study center for students of the school, party members and sympathizers generally.

**Trade Union Training Course.**  
This course, open to active militants in the trade unions, offers several classes in American Labor History, Communism, and Organization.

The course in the History of American Trade Unionism, given by Solon De Leon, follows the development of American trade unionism from the formation of the first known local in 1722. The growth from local to international organization, from craft to industrial unionism, from "pure and simple" ideas to independent political action, from a reform to a revolutionary outlook, will be traced in detail. Among the organizations whose history will be studied are the Knights of Labor, the American Federation of Labor, the Industrial Workers of the World, and the Trade Union Educational League.

**General Courses.**  
Among these, is a highly interesting and instructive course in the Russian Revolution given by the well known Communist teacher and writer, Moise J. Oigis. This takes up various phases of the revolution such as, Problems of the Peasantry, the Theatre and the Russian Revolution, the Problems of the Intelligentsia and the Revolution, etc. At the last meeting of the class, Comrade Oigis spoke on "The Cultural Aspects of the Russian Revolution."

Such classes are also being arranged in Yonkers, Newark, and Paterson. In addition, courses in American Economic Development are given in the Harlem and Williamsburg Centers.

The Workers' School has established educational centers in various parts of the city, where classes in Communism, American Labor History and English are given. Among the most successful efforts of the school has been the organization of classes in the A. B. C. of Communism throughout the city and also in the district. These are now in progress as follows:

Bronx Center, 1347 Boston Road, Tuesday, 8 p. m.  
Harlem Center, 61 E. 104th Street, Tuesday.  
Williamsburg Center, 529 Grand Street, Tuesday.  
Brownsville Center, 1544 Pitkin Ave., Monday.  
Lower Manhattan, 204 E. 12th Street, Thursday.  
West Side, 343 W. 39th Street, Wednesday.

Registration is being taken up in the school will end on March 15. Registration for the spring term will begin in February 15.

For information and registration apply at the office of the Workers' Settlement, 208 E. 12th Street, Telephone Stuyvesant 4234, or at Workers' Districtal Centers.

**Organizes Clipping Bureau.**  
NEW YORK.—The Workers' School is organizing a clipping bureau to clip and file articles and news items bearing on the political and economic struggles in the different countries. This bureau aims to provide comrades with a ready access to various sources of information, and will prove a valuable asset to the party membership in New York.

Volunteers are needed immediately to help in the work of clipping and sorting. Comrades are urged to come over to the school headquarters, 208 East 12th Street, whenever they have time, especially on Saturday afternoons.

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March 15—Press Pageant, Madison Square Garden

## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING OF Y. W. L. IN NEW YORK CITY, JAN. 16

NEW YORK CITY, Jan. 12.—A general membership meeting of the Young Workers League of New York will be held Friday, Jan. 16, at Stuyvesant Casino, 142 Second Ave.

At this meeting the statement of the National Executive Committee on the work of the league and its future tasks will be discussed.

Comrade John Williamson, executive secretary of the league, will speak for the N. E. C. Discussion will follow.

It is the duty of every member of the league to be present at this meeting, so that a large representation as possible can be present.

Comrades, cancel all other meetings. Get after every member who may not know of the meeting and bring him there.

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# 'DAILY WORKER' TAKES OVER THE PARTY LITERATURE DEPARTMENT

CHANGE TAKES EFFECT JANUARY 15.

The last step of the general program for the centralization of the party press will go into effect on January 15. On this date the administration of the party literature department will be transferred to THE DAILY WORKER. Thus the management of THE DAILY WORKER, The Workers Monthly and the Literature Department will be properly centered under one control.

This amalgamation will make possible not only a great saving in overhead expenses and an increase in the efficiency of all three branches of the party press, but it will also make possible for the first time a really organized and functioning distribution machinery.

### DISTRIBUTION ALSO CENTRALIZED.

Beginning also on January 15, the army of DAILY WORKER agents organized into The Daily Worker Builders will take on the sale and distribution of the party literature as well as THE DAILY WORKER and The Workers Monthly. The Workers Party Central Executive Committee, in deciding to amalgamate all branches of the party press, also decided to amalgamate the distribution machinery.

It is therefore necessary that Workers Party units which have literature agents apart from their DAILY WORKER agents, combine these offices or form a DAILY WORKER committee under centralized control of the branch thru the appointment of a committee chairman.

### BRANCHES MUST HAVE DAILY WORKER AGENTS.

It is also more necessary than ever that every party branch and shop nucleus have an active and capable DAILY WORKER agent, directly connected with the DAILY WORKER office. Out of the more than 1000 party branches, not more than 400 have active DAILY WORKER agents. Which means that 60 per cent of the party branches are not giving organized support to the party's English language press; which in most cases means that they are not giving any support at all. For successful distribution of our press we must have organization and for organization the first step is the election of DAILY WORKER agents in every party unit.

In those branches which have not yet elected their press representative, the next branch meeting is suggested as the proper time and place to overcome this delinquency.

### A Comrade "Keeps His Shirt On."

IT WAS a session of a branch executive committee. "Comrade Chairman," George Smith was saying, "How well can we set the date of this meeting when no one has a calendar on him?" "Keep your shirt on, Comrade Smith," the chairman answered. "Here's a 'Tool Box' I got from the DAILY WORKER and it has a calendar in it." He put a circle around the date decided and the meeting was set.

The committee arranged the order of business to allow for discussion. For there's nothing a Bolshevik likes more than discussion—unless it's more discussion.

As soon as the branch meeting opened the DAILY WORKER agent was on his feet. "Comrade Chairman," he said, "our E. C. decided that the first order of business is the DAILY WORKER, and unless it is, this meeting does not go on unless you drag me out!"

"Keep your shirt on," the chairman answered, "I can make a better speech than you can for our daily and I'm going to do it first." And he did—with the result that everyone bought a policy to insure the DAILY WORKER for 1925 but one comrade—as all the policies were sold out.

The chairman was at a loss what to do—and the DAILY WORKER agent was again on his feet. "Comrade Chairman, you keep YOUR shirt on," he said, "I have a 'Tool Box' with me, with a policy blank in it and I'll thank the comrade for his money." Which he did.

As in all good branches, applications for membership were up for reading. The chairman spoke: "Comrades, of three applications before us two came in from the 'Tool Box' sent out to the readers of the DAILY WORKER. We welcome the new comrades in our branch, and I mention this to show the part our Daily plays in the growth of our branch."

At this point a comrade arose. "Comrades," he said, "I no speak English, good. I think DAILY WORKER fine paper, but I Roumanian and I take also Roumanian paper. Where I can buy them?"

"That's easy," a comrade said from the audience, "I also got a 'Tool Box' and in it are all the Communist language papers. The Roumanian paper is—let's see—O yes, 'Diphtheria'."

"That's no paper," the DAILY WORKER agent said, "That's a disease. He means Desteptarea. It costs only two bucks and I'll take your sub."

The Roumanian comrade laughed good naturedly and gave him the money. And on the next order of business the Young Workers League was brought up.

A little Bolshevik arose. "Comrades," he said, "I have nothing to report this time. But while you are on this order of business I will also use the 'Tool Box' to appeal to the young people present." And he read the fine appeal for the League the "Tool Box" contains.

Other business dispensed with, during a five minute recess to pay dues, the DAILY WORKER agent got subs from the members and visitors for The Workers Monthly and The Communist International—it's so easy with the handy blanks in the "Tool Box."

After intermission the industrial organizer was on the floor. "Now, comrades," he said, "nobody can tell me they are active in their union. I'll know it when I see their paid up union book. With a handy pocket in the 'Tool Box,' everyone should have his book at every meeting. And I make a motion to that effect." The motion went over with a bang, and the DAILY WORKER agent was instructed to send to the DAILY WORKER for twenty more "Tool Boxes."

And then the discussion began. And some one got a little hot under the collar.

"Comrade Chairman," he shouted, "I protest. The speaker doesn't know Labor History from a fried onion. It isn't true that the Knights of Labor were organized in 1869. He must be thinking of the Knights of the Bed Sheet—the K. K. K."

"Keep your shirt on," warned the chairman. "Look it up in the 'Tool Box.'"

The comrade did, and then had this to say: "Comrades, I apologize." During the discussion, I noticed some comrades making notes in the "Tool Box." There are pages in it for that purpose. I learned also that it has facts in it on the Labor movement. I realize what a useful little book the "Tool Box" is. We have used it tonight for almost everything. And on the page for addresses I will put down the names of some friends I want our agents to send one to.

And I say this: "From now on, not only will I keep my shirt on but, I will put the 'Tool Box' in it."

# COMMUNIST!

IN one year of its existence the DAILY WORKER has proven its worth to our Party.

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OUR Party has grown in this time—and the DAILY WORKER has been an important contributing factor in its growth. The DAILY WORKER has brought the Communist message to thousands of workers—has proven the magnet that has drawn them into the ranks of the Communist Party.

FOR the Workers (Communist) Party membership it has performed a great service. The best expression of Communist principles, of the tactics of our Party, in the pages of the DAILY WORKER, has served to clarify the Party, to cement it into one, single, fighting unit—to Bolshevize it.

IN this way, the DAILY WORKER (although still in its infancy) has served our Party—the Revolutionary workers in this country—you, who hold its principles.

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CHINA POWDER BARREL IN THE BROILING EAST The Chinese Masses Are Backing Sun Yat Sen

By JACK ARMITAGE (For The Federated Press) YOKOHAMA, Jan. 12.—The present full in the hostilities in China is but an armed peace, ready to burst into flame of war at any moment.

Popular opinion, judging by reports from different parts of China, will demand that Sun Yat Sen be made the head of the government with headquarters at Peking.

His Foreign Treaties. Such a government, once firmly established, would be a deathblow to all the aims of the powers. The present would be more acute than ever, for Sun has repeatedly and emphatically stated that he will have the backing not only of China, but of all Asia, and Russia, playing the leading role. It will then be up to the powers to either indignantly climb down or to conquer Asia.

How far the armed forces of the powers could get in a case to occupy treaty ports is an easy matter, but that would hardly affect even China. To all intents they are occupied at the present moment. For the powers to conquer China would be a bigger undertaking than Napoleon's march to Moscow. China would welcome it as part of her strategy. The coast, and some of the rivers, could be held but to conquer the interior is a different proposition.

Sea Lightning Change. The situation in oriental countries is undergoing lightning change. How China, both militarily and politically, is inclined to believe that Japan will not throw in her lot with the powers. Hence, things political in Japan are altering rapidly.

Recent events in the Yangtze valley show the trend of public opinion in China. It is here that the country is most thickly populated, for the Yangtze carries along its valley one-eighth of the world's population. Radical propaganda has been extensively and methodically disseminated among these people, most of them emanating from Shanghai and Canton. These people are in no mood to tolerate economic or political interference.

With the people of the Yangtze valley, China of the back Sun Yat Sen holds a strong position. He has all the hearts and the brains of the Cantonese and the vast majority of the Chinese, who are radical in thought. These people have literally poured money into his hands, especially from America and Australia.

At the moment foreign newspapers are full of the most ridiculous calumnies regarding Sun. That may be well enough for foreign readers, but it will have no influence on the Chinese. Sun Yat Sen is the chosen leader of the revolutionary elements in China. It is hardly to be conceived that he would sell them into the hands of their enemies, as some writers would have us believe, and that is the only thing which would discredit him with his followers.

Foreign financial interests will have to find a strong man to stem the wave of radicalism which has fast spread through China. The question today is not, will there be war, but where will it end? The situation at Peking is a match which may set fire to the powder barrel of the orient.

THE DAILY WORKER'S GREETINGS

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The Communist Press and Shop Nuclei

By MARTIN ABRAM.

ANYONE who reads the glowing history of the Spanish, the Russian revolutionary newspaper of years ago; anyone even remotely acquainted with the present situation of the Communist Party, organ of the Russian Communist Party, and its powerful connection with the masses of the workers of Russia, need not be told of the significance of the present Communist press in America.

How did the Spanish, Pravda, and other working class newspapers attain such immense influence? Because they were working class papers! That is not enough. There are working class papers that do not, nor are ever likely to have any real hold on the hearts and minds of the workers. The success of the revolutionary organs in Russia lies in their close contact and sympathy with the daily needs and aspirations of the struggling workers. Pravda succeeded because it spoke the needs and aims of the workers. But more important: The workers themselves spoke in Pravda. They made the paper their own by writing always in it of the lives they lived and worked. Hence, Pravda is not, nor is it a paper. It is the blood, bone, muscle, brain and body of the workers. "Workers in the world, unite!" is the slogan of the Communist press.

Klan Tries to Capture Indiana's Educational Laws

(Special to The Daily Worker) INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 12.—The Ku Klux Klan made another bid for power in the state legislature here when Walter Bossert, grand dragon of the Klan in Indiana, sought to have James Knapp of Hakerstown named chairman of the committee on education. It is that unlikely that Harry Leslie, speaker of the house, will appoint the klanman as Leslie is undoubtedly friendly to the Klan. The intense desire of the Klan forces to secure appointment on the committee on education points to a klan campaign to force its educational program on the state.

Rent Raise Defeated.

VIENNA, Jan. 12.—The government's move to make Austrians who now pay no rent pay small amounts was blocked in the Austrian parliamentary committee on justice by the social democrats who created a disturbance with whistles and bells, causing the committee to adjourn without passing the rent law.

Dead in Siberia.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 12.—Captain Charles Henry Sells, the American commander of the band of officers taken from Wrangel Island by a Soviet government leetboat, was killed at Vladivostok, the state department declares.

Columns or "On the Job" column of a living paper.

Shop Nuclei Will Investigate Communist Press.

Yet not even Pravda could succeed without something else. That is, the Communist Party organization. But further, a certain type of party organization: The shop nuclei, particularly organized in the shops, at the place of work. That spells permanent success. The party in Russia is completely organized on the basis of shop nuclei, to do all party work. The Communist press gives concentrated propaganda and daily direction to the work in the shops. Communist nuclei in the shops, Communist reports, report the conditions of their struggles and lives, all the little things which arise daily and which mean so much to them. These are written in and commented upon by the press and result in building the press and party.

The DAILY WORKER, our American Communist daily, tries in every way to reach the masses of workers. It wants the workers to write about themselves and their work in the DAILY WORKER. Real success in this field will come when the Workers' Communist Party is a party of shop nuclei. Until our party, moreover, has its base and absolute majority of membership in the large and basic industries, steel, coal, railroad, etc. dangers in the party and in its press will be present to a degree in the direction of petty-bourgeois deviations (yielding to the ideas of those in small industry, shopkeepers, etc.) This would not be necessarily conscious or premeditated, but determined by material objective and mental considerations.

In organizing shop nuclei, we aim to establish our party in the basic industries and thus reach the living basis for proletarianization of the Workers' (Communist) Party. The influence, circulation, content and viewpoint of the press are automatically thus affected.

Even now our press does not give sufficient reading matter on conditions in the workshops, not due to the unwillingness of the press to print such information, but quite the contrary. Our party members must first be in the large shops, a condition which lays the basis for a workers' correspondence. When dealt with, the cases have been concerned, too often, with individual or special cases of exploitation or with those employed in isolated or small shops. If there is nothing better, there can, of course, be no other. But seriously, it will be more important and striking for our Communist press, for the DAILY WORKER, and our Communist cause, when shop reports will come mainly from the big industries, steel, coal, railroad, etc. An illustration of shop struggle common to thousands of workers in the same

industry. Thus, too, letters from the workers "On the Job" staff, have been dependent on chance and on a few "willing" correspondents, or, let us say, loyal and energetic ones.

Shop Correspondents Thru Shop Nuclei.

With Communist shop nuclei organized, every shop will have a regular and special shop correspondence. Such news of workshop life will interest broad masses of workers. They will feel it is their story that is being told, that it is their paper. The shop nuclei will be another direct link between the workers and our Communist press, and also inversely so.

Plainly, we are but in the sheerest beginnings of our work in the field of shop nuclei and a GREATER COMMUNIST PRESS. Still we must build right, rest our foundation solid—in the shops. To create shop nuclei is to lay the best groundwork for its creating systematically the circulation of the DAILY WORKER and other Communist papers; is to make it possible for the DAILY WORKER to become in fact the written expression of the workers' struggle, hopes and aims. To build our Communist press thru shop nuclei is also to build more shop nuclei and to get increasing contact with the workers. Thru shop nuclei and a Communist press—hopes translated into deeds—a mass Communist Party.

Revolutionary Committee of the Youngest Soviet Republic—Moldavian



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GREETINGS TO THE DAILY WORKER FROM THE DOUGLAS PARK ENGLISH BRANCH CHICAGO, ILL. (We meet every 1st and 3rd Monday at 3118 West Roosevelt Road)

THE BRONX RUSSIAN BRANCH OF THE WORKERS PARTY looking back upon a year of real achievement is intent upon "Telling the World" that our Branch was, it, and will be doing all possible—and then some—to keep THE DAILY WORKER supplied with ammunition for the purpose of felling Capitalism. Are We on the Job? I'll Say So!

More Privileges for Political Prisoners. PRAGUE, (Czechoslovakia), Jan. 12.—An important change affecting political prisoners is to be introduced by the medical faculty of the University of Leipzig who treated Premier Lenin of Russia at his last illness, died at his home here last evening. He was 71 years old.

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The R. I. L. U. and the Daily Worker

By EARL R. BROWDER

DO you members of the trade unions, you who carry on the fight from day to day and from year to year for the revolutionary class struggle, you who are on the real firing line of the Communist movement of America—do you realize what THE DAILY WORKER means to you in your fight?

How do you find your fellow-fighters?

Perhaps you hadn't stopped to think about it, but it has been mainly THE DAILY WORKER which furnished the means of your finding one another—that you could fight together, so that you could work out the programs upon which you unite, so that you could carry your programs out to the work-mass in your particular field of battle.

We have had enough experience to learn that THE DAILY WORKER is our most powerful weapon. The miners know it. It was when THE DAILY WORKER first appeared that the tens of thousands of rebelling miners in the United Mine Workers of America began to powerfully mobilize their real forces against the treacherous Lewis machine, and thus to lay the foundations for a genuine union of miners. It was THE DAILY WORKER which rallied the support of wide circles of the working class to the striking textile workers in Paterson. It was THE DAILY WORKER which connected up the thousands of fighting carpenters who supported the candidacy of Morris Rosen in the election in the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and that for the first time in the history of that organization broke the unimpeded rule of reaction. It was THE DAILY WORKER that made possible for the militant members of the machinists organization to launch a powerful campaign against the R. & O. plan of class collaboration, and to organize a strong resistance to both the reactionary administration of Johnston and to the fake "progressives."

Making a Left-Wing Movement These things are only a few samples of the manner in which THE DAILY WORKER has sunk its roots deep into the life of the American labor movement. In the trade unions, a movement which will be the foundation of the revolutionary unions of the future, the American section of the Red International of Labor Unions.

It must be remembered, in judging the supreme value of our daily, that even if the specific work in the separate unions and industries, could, possibly, be carried on in a fashion with-

out THE DAILY WORKER, yet the real task of establishing a left-wing movement would certainly fail of its complete success if we did not have the daily. That is because a real left-wing movement is impossible unless it is a class-movement, not a partial or sectional movement, and it must extend at all costs beyond the boundaries of the separate unions and industries, setting up the bonds of solidarity between the revolutionary workers of all unions and industries, organized and unorganized. It is precisely because THE DAILY WORKER has done this needed thing that today we can say the left wing is a reality in the American labor movement, that the R. I. L. U. has set its roots firmly in the American working class.

International Solidarity Solidarity of the revolutionary workers by groups, by industries, and on a national scale—that is a large task that our movement has undertaken, and has only been through THE DAILY WORKER that great progress has been possible in this direction. But even these steps are not enough. In the present age of imperialism, the final stage of capitalism, if labor solidarity does not extend beyond all national boundaries it cannot be said yet to exist. And it is precisely in the field of international solidarity of the revolutionary workers of the world that the services of THE DAILY WORKER to our movement have been emphasized.

International solidarity is more than a phrase or a sentiment. It can only exist on the basis of real contact of the workers of the different countries, of a knowledge of their manners of life, of their working conditions, of their problems, of their struggles, of their programs, of their contacts in international conferences, congresses, etc. Such necessary international contact is only possible on a highly organized scale. Tremendous outlay of energy is necessary, at great financial cost, with great organizational burdens—and it is only when all the rich results of such efforts can be made available to the tens of thousands of the workers everywhere, at a low cost and every day in the year, that it becomes possible to lay the foundation of international solidarity. Think of the overwhelming riches of international information and contact with the workers all over the world that THE DAILY WORKER has made available for the American movement. Its important struggle of the workers of every land is reported by the best writers and the best fighters in

the movement. Every important problem that confronts the labor movement, nationally and internationally, is studied and analyzed by the best informed and best trained thinkers of the international working class in the columns of THE DAILY WORKER. All the great advances made by the Russian working class, the first section of the proletariat to become the ruling class of its country, are described and reported in detail. Out of the small contributions of the 20,000 to 30,000 supporters of the DAILY WORKER has been built up a mighty machine for organization and struggle, a part of the international revolutionary army of the proletariat.

Build a Mighty DAILY WORKER! Yes, surely, on this first anniversary of the birth of our fighting daily, we can be proud of what it has accomplished. We can say without hesitation that it is THE DAILY WORKER which has enabled the Trade Union Educational League to penetrate into every nook and cranny of the labor movement with the message of the Red International of Labor Unions.

It has been THE DAILY WORKER that has finally put the revolutionary labor movement of America upon a permanent basis.

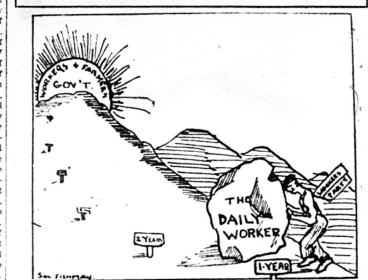
But we cannot be content with congratulating ourselves on what has been done. It is necessary to make every small achievement the starting point for a greater one. It is necessary to extend the small struggles for revolutionary progress in which we are now engaged only the beginning of greater struggles. It is necessary to deepen our program and widen the scope of its influence always and continually.

There is one fundamental principle to all these tasks which faces us. That is to BUILD THE DAILY WORKER, and to INSURE THE DAILY WORKER FOR 1925.

Let this be the watchword on the first anniversary of the first English-language Communist daily in the world. Supporters of the Red International of Labor Unions will unite in enthusiastic support of our great weapon—the DAILY WORKER.



ONE YEAR NEARER IT'S GOAL



Comrade Sol Fishman is 15 years old and one of the older members of the Junior Groups in Chicago.

Juniors, this is our Birthday Party!

Fin we are the littlest readers of THE DAILY WORKER, we have everything in common with it, for we are it, and it is we.

Isn't THE DAILY WORKER a pioneer just as we?

Isn't THE DAILY WORKER "always ready" to fight the battles of the exploited workers and farmers?

Doesn't THE DAILY WORKER show the truth about the workers' struggle for emancipation from capitalist exploitation into the teeth of the capitalist lying sheets, just as we little Juniors heroically about the truth about the vicious capitalist system into the teeth of our false educators?

So you see, in fact, we and THE DAILY WORKER are synonymous.

And the little Communist David who threw the stone at the greedy capitalist monster Goliath in Robert Minor's birthday cartoon in this edition is really us.

We Juniors, offspring of the masses, are destined to lead the way in the United States out of black reaction to a workers' government, to the United States of Soviet America.

THIS IS REALLY OUR BIRTHDAY! We are going to celebrate as true Communists.

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We will read carefully what our grown-up comrades tell us of the duty of a Communist, of their struggles to pave the way for bringing our beloved Daily into existence, and when they speak of the tasks of the future, we will roll up our sleeves and with Comrade Fishman, who drew the cartoon for our column, we will start on the road with our message and keep right on no matter what the obstacles.

Juniors! Are you ready? ALWAYS READY!

You Probably Never Thought of it!

And yet another sure way of building THE DAILY WORKER is by getting an "ad."

When you go to your dentist—your doctor—your bank—the people you buy from—do you ask them to advertise in YOUR Paper?

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