

Follow Our Exciting New Feature --- A Weekly Forum on Paths to Socialism

Elsewhere in *The Worker* this week, you will find the announcement that we have arranged with the Communist Party to turn over some space weekly during the summer for a discussion on fundamental problems of policy, tactics and organization facing the Marxist movement in our country.

These problems arise out of the severe persecution faced by Marxists in our land these past ten years, and their reaction to it. They arise, too, out of the vast historic changes in the world this past decade, including changes in the countries that have established socialism.

The discussion will be based on reports by Communist leaders to a recent national conference of that organization.

But its significance extends way beyond the limits of the Communist Party. Small as the Marxist movement is in our land, its influence has thoroughly permeated our social, economic and political fabric.

Every time a worker gets an unemployment insurance check, he is reaping the benefits of the work of a heroic group of Marxists who initiated the great social movement for unemployment insurance which led to the law.

Every time the steel union or the auto union or any other industrial union in basic industry bargains for improvement of conditions or settles a grievance, it is continuing the work of the

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Short \$60,000 for Worker Life Fund

Federal Judge Richard Levett, in New York, has still not ruled on *The Worker's* plea for an injunction against further T-man seizures of Worker income, and for lifting of the jeopardy assessment against our paper. The plea was argued on May 1st.

Meanwhile, *The Worker* keeps going chiefly through contributions received by the Emergency Committee for a Free Press. The Committee has

asked for \$100,000 to guarantee publication through the summer. So far, it has received about \$40,000 of this amount, including some funds received since the T-raid of Worker premises on March 27.

Send or bring your contributions to: Emergency Committee for a Free Press, Room 301, 575 6th Ave., New York City. Make checks and money orders payable to the Committee, or to Robert W. Dunn, treasurer.



Leaders of the garment industry unions shown together at AFL-Fotofsky; third from left, Emil Rieve; right, David Dubinsky.

THE CIRCULATION DRIVE

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far-sighted group of Marxists who in the early twenties advanced the program of organizing the unorganized and industrial unionism.

One could show how in the effort for peace, for civil rights, for civil liberty, the small Marxist movement did much to influence the nation in the direction of progress.

And so the discussions among Marxists of the course their movement is to take is no confined matter. It concerns all our people in a most intimate, direct sense.

It is of especial interest to those who believe that socialism is good for America, as for the rest of the world. And there are increasing numbers of workers, in particular, who are thinking along these lines. This includes most of the readers of The

Worker. We think it would be a good thing if they joined in the discussion, too. But certainly, it should be of absorbing interest.

Daily Worker readers have been involved in some facets of such a discussion for the past couple of months. It has proved both interesting and stimulating. The coming Worker discussion will probably be wider in character, and at least equally stimulating.

It would be a pity if it does not reach an audience beyond our present readership. We believe large numbers of Marxists who do not get The Worker, many former readers, and many who have never read it would like to follow the discussion. Let's give them the chance by getting out paper around.

Here is how we stand in circulation efforts, as of Wednesday:

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COUNTY	(Subs)			(Bundles)		NEWSTAND Sales for Week ending
	Goal	Achieved	Percent	Goal	Achieved	
Upstate	300	94	31	400	196	April 15 2735
Manhattan	2260	1851	84	500	224	
Bronx	1200	1058	84	300	10	Week ending May 6 2956
Brooklyn	2000	1761	88	2000	1001	
Queens	1000	891	89	300	229	
Total	6500	5616	86	3500	383	
New Jersey	750	544	73		382	

DAILY WORKER

COUNTY	(Subs)		(Bundles)		NEWSTAND Sales for Week ending
	Goal	Achieved	Goal	Achieved	
Upstate	200	93	47	57	April 15 3092
Manhattan	400	242	61	27	
Bronx	100	84	84	8	Week ending May 6 3122
Brooklyn	400	376	94	2	
Queens	200	203	102	17	
Total	1200	996	83	111	
New Jersey	230	100	73		