

KEEP THE DAILY WORKER!

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The DAILY WORKER is our party's greatest single weapon in the class struggle. It is the sole English daily paper defending the interests of the workers. To build it and to strengthen it in every way is a central task of our party.

Since The DAILY WORKER was established, almost three years ago, it has led a militant fight against the employers and against their agents, the trade union bureaucracy. Despite every obstacle and a systematic campaign of persecution, it has made effective warfare against class collaboration and against corruption in the unions. It has been an unflinching fighter for the labor party, for the organization of the unorganized, for amalgamation, and for the whole left wing program necessary to build the trade unions into a movement with real power and fighting spirit. By employers and reactionary bureaucrats it is the most hated of all publications, which is its best recommendations.

Although The DAILY WORKER has already a splendid record of achievement, its usefulness is just beginning. The trade union bureaucracy is moving every more to the right. The employers are placing increased pressure upon the workers. Great fights loom ahead. In the mobilization of

the masses against the double enemy of employers and reactionary labor leaders, The DAILY WORKER will play a central part. But in order to fulfill its mission, it must be made into a high class Communist paper, with a wide circulation among the masses.

The history of labor papers that make a real battle against the employers, is a history of struggle and sacrifice, of loyal support by unstinting comrades. The DAILY WORKER is no exception. The party has had to make the most strenuous efforts to keep it in the field. At times the issue has seemed doubtful, so deep was the crisis. But always the readers and supporters of the paper, realizing its tremendous value in every phase of the class struggle, have rallied and pulled it through. Now it will be necessary to make another big effort. The DAILY WORKER needs assistance. This must be given quickly and in the fullest measure.

The slogan "Keep The DAILY WORKER" must be raised in every unit of our party and in every organization where the left wing has a following. To translate it into reality by the collection of funds and by the general building of the paper must be made a first order of business. All hands to the task! Every effort must be expended to strengthen The DAILY WORKER.