PHONEY SHEET COMES TO FRONT
SHIPOWNERS AND TOOLS PRINT PHONEY SHEET TO CONFUSE WORKERS.

Last Thursday morning a publication was brought to the waterfront, calling itself "The New Waterfront Worker.

That this publication is the work of the shipowners and their agents there is no doubt. The longshoremen by their militant fight and under Rank & File leader ship have made tremendous gains and the shipowners have been driven almost frantic. Like a maddened rattlesnake they are lashing out right and left spewing poison in every direction. After using half-baked Holman for awhile and not getting any results they are trying a new scheme in an attempt to split the solid ranks of the fighting longshoremen.

Knowing the prestige of THE WATERFRONT WORKER this bunch of slimy rats thought they could get the ears of the stevedores by copy

ing, as closely as possible, the REAL paper of the longshoremen.

The phoney sheet states, "We feel this paper should be run al-
long constructive lines and there-
fore refrain from personalities." And they follow this out by the most marked insinuations and viol-
ent attacks against one of the most courageous and capable lead-
ers in America - Harry Bridges. They have even gone so far as to ask "officials of Pacific unions" to write in to the vile sheet, saying "and should you wish to re-
rule any criticisms that have been
made, we will welcome an opportu-
inity to present your side of the
story." As though the workers of
the Bay Area don't know their side
of the story - a story of sell-
cuts and betrayals for the past 30
years.

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Of course, brothers, "the new paper" would have to carry several slanderous statements against the Communist Party. Like Scabby Hearst its editors have no use for the 100% Gang. Bridges, Woolf, Henry Schrumpf and Dutch come in for a lot of panning. We will leave it up to the Rank & File to judge what kind of a fight they waged during the strike and after to win and keep better conditions on the Front.

One thing to note, brothers, in the front fake is the absence of any program to make our Local stronger. No mention is made of the fight being waged against Mr. Shipowner; in other words, another paper like the American Seamen, a paper that has been repudiated by the seamen.

Another odd feature of the phoniness is that arguments raised in it are the arguments of the shipowners, of scabby Hearst, of "the militant Matson Man" and of certain individuals of Local 38-79. They whisper, play up every suspicion, fear and ignorance. They start slander campaigns and make endless charges. The REAL Waterfront Worker is too busy bringing the problems of the men up and offering solutions to them, to spend much time in answering every lie of such rats. Shall the Waterfront Worker be turned into a debating sheet that would do nothing but answer such scab sheets as "The New Waterfront Worker"?? How absurd and silly that would be; what a complete militant bankruptcy. But such a sheet as "The New Waterfront Worker" spends their time in the invention of new slanders against certain Rank & File leaders. It is all they do; it is their function. They are vicious like on the body of the giant working class. The giant is fighting in the trenches against a ruthless enemy. He must keep his eyes on the main objective and so such rats seem to bite and perhaps they will continue doing so, until the last fort of capitalism is shaken, and the giant has time for the delousing function. It is all they do; it is their other tricks and schemes. We must strike this latest move.

BE ON YOUR GUARD, STICK TOGETHER!

With Fascist Willie Hearst beating the drums for a Fascist dictatorship in America, printing filthy lies and calling for the brutal suppression of all workers' organizations, it is encouraging to note the whole-hearted response from the stevedores and others for the Waterfront Worker's plea for funds.

From specifications already received the editors want to announce that $250 is needed to purchase the outfit that will mean a better technical job on the Waterfront Worker. As they are some docks that have contributed almost 100%, there as a few exceptions where little, if no contributions have come from; for instance, the Dollar, the Matson and the Admiral Docks. We know the men on these docks appreciate and know the value of the paper - yet nothing has come in. No doubt, it is due to no one taking initiative steps to start a collection list. How about you starting one today?? Let us wind this glorious campaign up in a whirlwind finish - the new technical machinery installed and a better Waterfront Worker published. Just a few dollars left to go.

The contributions for this week follow:

Previously acknowledged... $130.06
100% Union Man.................. 1.00
Gang at Pier 28 - sent thru steward... 4.50
Gang Pier 41...................... 7.00
Friend on the Hill................ 1.00
Crockett Man..................... .50
Pier 28 Gang..................... 2.50
97% Gang Associated Term. ...... 3.35
"Red" Black Gang............... 4.00
Rank & File Gang 38............. 5.75
(Nelson Dock).................... 13.70
Wide Awake Gang................ 3.00
100% Gang Associates Term...... 9.25
Associated Term................. 3.25
U.S. Transport Docks............. 6.25
Total.......................... $188.85

ATTEND YOUR REGULAR MEMBERSHIP MEETING, MARCH 4 & 5 PM. BUILDING TRADES
Last Saturday night, a scab mate came aboard the Cadaretta, a Nelson steam schooner, half grogged up and in stumbling over the deck in the half darkness, fell overboard. Luckily it was on the dock side. He was not severely injured but he was shaken up considerably. Of course, the union men gathered there had nothing to do with it, but nevertheless, the fink decided to get a union book, pronto - very pronto. Can you blame him?

"THE PRODUCER" SPEDES PRODUCTION CRIES FOR BIGGER AND BIGGER LOADS

Despite several accidents (?) "The Producer" is still rushing about the dock shouting to work faster and to build bigger loads. There is only one way to stop that guy and that is put him on the beach with a hook in his pocket.

WRITE FOR THE WATERFRONT WORKER
BARBERS ASK FOR AN OPEN SHOP
GET IT — AND HOW!

Two barber shops on the Front have been operating under an open shop and the other morning they were opened wide enough to let the crisp air blow the stink off the finks that operate them.

No. 12 Embarcadero has been a fink shop for years, run by a gyp who uses the old hoosier trick of bugs out of a bottle stuff and "my God, man, you got worms in your hair" and at the same time he squeezes some stuff through his fingers to make you believe you actually have worms. Of course, to a man half-filled with drink he could find easy suckers. You know there must be something phoney about a guy who would operate on the Front these days without a union card.

Mr. Fink Barber came down one morning and there was his shop as open as his own dear little fink heart would wish — all the windows were broken out including the 2 top ones and the thick glass on the barber pole was splintered. Mr. Fink had a real open shop. In a few hours he had a union card up in the window, but that guy is no more a union man than Scabby Potterson. A union card doesn't make a union man.

NOTICE NOTICE

We have received a few letters recently that were too long to print in this issue but they will be run as soon as possible. They are important, particularly the one from the longshoremen who visited the striking Jackson shop.

Again, we urge all workers to write for the WATERFRONT WORKER.
URGES WATERFRONT WORKER TO FOLD UP.
MATSON MAN CALLS BRIDGES MISLEADER.

Editor, Waterfront Worker

Dear Sir:

I read in the Waterfront Worker you are appealing to the militant men on the Matson Docks to donate to your collection drive.

If the Communist Party who supervises the editing and publishing of your scurrilous scandal sheet is unable to finance a mimeograph, I think the best thing you can do is fold up.

What has happened to your slogan Rank & File. Why not advocate some new faces on committees? How many committees does Bridges (the greatest misleader the West Coast ever saw) serve on?

Where was Wolfe during the strike? When you are ready to serve a real Rank & File program and not just further the interests of a few cheap politicians of an insane political party, I am sure the militant men not only from the Matson Dock but from the whole Pacific Coast will be behind you, with not only financial, but other support than cannot be purchased with mere money.

Remember the words of Abe Lincoln, the savior of colored brothers in America, "You can fool some of the people some of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time." Wake up you're in America.

A Rank & File Militant Matson Man.

(Editors' Note) Your letter received and contents noted. Mr. Matson Man, either you're a terribly confused worker or you are a shipowner's agent. The questions you raise are so contradictory to each other that it would require all 8 pages of the Waterfront Worker to answer them fully.

About Bridges being "the greatest misleader the West Coast ever saw." We will let that up to the Rank & File to answer. Also we will let Bro. Wolfe tell you where he was during the strike.

You raise the question that "The Communist Party supervises the editing and publishing" of the Waterfront Worker yet they are "unable to finance a mimeograph". Well, Mr. Matson man, the Communist Party does not supervise the editing of the paper, this is done by a group of Rank & File longshoremen. That there is Communists among them is true - there are also Socialists, Democrats and Catholices, if that means anything to you. Nevertheless, the Communist Party could, no doubt, do a very good job in publishing the Waterfront Worker, judging from the excellent work they are doing on the Western Worker, their official organ.

As far as the Communist Party financing a mimeograph for the Waterfront Worker, they would have a pretty tough time doing that right now. During the strike all their headquarters and contents were wrecked and the Western Worker windows were broken twice by a gang of hoodlums.

You should know that.

For your information the militant men of the entire Pacific Coast ARB behind the Waterfront Worker with their hard-earned sweat-stained dollars, and other support that cannot be purchased with mere money.

Although you sign the letter, "A Rank & File Militant Matson Man", maybe a true-blue militant from the Matson docks can answer the charges you raise.

The Editors:

F.S. Lincoln also said, "This country, with its institutions, belongs to the people who inhabit it. Whenever they shall grow weary of the existing Government, they can exercise their constitutional right of amending it, of their revolutionary right to remold or overthrow it".

100% UNION GANGS, ASS. TERMINALS STAND READY TO CARRY ON FIGHT.

Dear Editor:

I am enclosing a donation of $7.00 from a gang at pier 41 for the good work of this paper. I hope to see the circulation of this paper increase ten times again. It is a good paper and hope some day it may be a daily paper.

I am sincerely yours,

GANG PIER 41 GIVES $7.00 "HOPES WATERFRONT WORKER BECOMES A DAILY"

The Gang

100% UNION GANGS, ASS. TERMINALS STAND READY TO CARRY ON FIGHT.

Dear Editor:

The gang took up a collection of $9.25 and I am enclosing it in this letter. This gang of the Associated Terminals is 100% Union men through and through and we are behind the Waterfront Worker 100%. We always stand ready to go on to do bigger things to better our living conditions.

Yours,

100% Gang, Associated Terminals.
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P.O. BOX 1158, S.F.

THE MAIL BAG

FENCE RIDERS AT THE ADMIRAL DOCK - WALKING BOSSES HUSH THE MEN

Dear Ed:

The other day little finky Alvin tried to get a gang to sing 40 of the 72 lb. cases to a load. The gang refused and quite a beef resulted. We need more men like the gang steward, who refused to put on the extra cases, and the Admiral dock would fall in line with the rest of the Front. Of course, "spark-plug" Ben and his brother, Henry, we can make allowances for them - they are just a couple of natural-born finks.

Hungry Gus is running himself to death, showing he is a good company man. The "fanika" is full of pep, all he says is "Wee-Wee". He is either lousy or else he thinks he is a cousin of Flutshacker. Him and Hungry Gus would be better off if they were forced to wear a monthly button, so anybody could see if they were paid up in the union or not. Just because they are walking bosses they try to hide behind the bush, or maybe they are thinking about the turkey next Xmas.

Come clean, Admiral Line walking bosses - show that you are men not fence-riders. Wear your I.L.A. button - don't ask Scabby Alvin about it either.

A 100% Union Man, Pier 13

THE WATERTOWN WORKER

WORKERS DO THE WORK - PARASITES COLLECT THE PROFIT

Dear Ed:

Due to the rains and bad weather, the most fore works, every ship working had tents over the hatches. Longshore work is unpleasant and hazardous under the best of weather conditions, but when it rains it is not only unpleasant but the work is made more dangerous. The compensation we receive for our labor is not very high when all conditions are taken into consideration.

The employers sitting in their swivel chairs high up in their warm offices in the skycrapers will, of course, disagree, having no understanding, and wanting none of the hard work performed by the longshoremen. These parasites' chief worry is about profits and climbing coupons. Because without profits they cannot live in their palatial homes filled with servants, 2 or 3 autos, a yacht, a country house; they have to have profits to pay for their drinking parties in the gill-tinted rooms of the large hotels. While these parasites are living off the cream and honey, millions of workers are starving, while millions more are on the verge of starvation. A change must be made and that change must come pretty quick, the parasites must go.

A Far-Seeing Stavie

HELP THOSE WHO HELPED US, PATRONIZE THOSE WHO ASSISTED US

It has been recently brought to the attention of the Worker staff that some of the Union's staunchest supporters during the strike are being somewhat forgotten by the boys. Those defenders of the strikers stood by their posts all through the strike, looking out for our boys on the picket lines.

It is not the policy of the Waterfront Worker to pick out one or two places and urge the men to patronize these places, but we urge the Rank & File to patronize any business that stood by us nobly in our time of need. You know what places gave free meals, or gave cut prices to the strikers. Patronize those places. Pulp
ADRIAL GANG WALKS OFF JOB. 
REFUSE TO SLING 40 CASES

Dear Ed:

Last week 2 Admiral gangs were working an Admiral ship at Pier 42. We were holisting salmon, weighing 72 lbs. to the case. One gang, with ten men in the hold was swing in 40 cases; the other gang was slingiing 36. The big fink boss, Sid Alvin, ordered both gangs to put on 40 cases. The boys refused and Sid told them, "I don't give a damn for the weight of a load. I want 40 cases or you can go home." So the boys started home. On the way out Sid stopped them and an argument started. Sid made a pass at the gang steward, but the steward grabbed the big fink around the neck and put him to the floor.

Later, Bro. Bridges and the officials went into conference and the gang returned to work the next day. Sid is under the impression that big loads are coming back and the longshoremen must take all kinds of abuse from these speed-up artists. What a slave-driver. Sid would make in one of Hitler's concentration camps.

Sid should consider himself very lucky that thinks did not turn out differently. It goes to show that the longshoremen can use better judgement than a fink any day.

What would have happened if the boys decided to make a stand that "no work as long as Sid is permitted to run the works and interfere with the men"?

May I suggest that Sid move along very carefully from now on as he will be the cause of all trouble on the Admiral dock where bigger and better loads ARE NOT TO BE MADE.

Admiral Line Stevie.

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NELSON DOCKS CONTRIBUTE $13.70 - "POLICY OF WATERFRONT WORKER, RIGHT POLICY"

Waterfront Worker:

Mr. Editor:

The longshoreman of the Nelson Dock, Pier 7, realizing the good that the Waterfront Worker has done and is still doing, decided to take a collection so that we can still have our paper.

Everyone on the Waterfront knows that this paper tells the plain truth whenever and whenever it finds it. Also, that every policy advocated by the Waterfront Worker has turned out to be the right policy.

Enclosed find $13.70 which was collected and donated by the longshoremen of pier 7.

Sincerely yours,
A Rank & Filer

"TAGO JOE" TO BE TRIED THURSDAY
MARCH 21ST - PACK THE COURTROOM

Dear Ed:

I want to call your attention to the trial of "Tago Joe" on Thursday, March 21st.

Joe is charged with smashing a couple of Nazis the day the "Karl-sruhe" docked. As Joe has always been in the front of the battle he cannot be allowed to go to jail and from what I hear the skies are greased to give him 6 months.

By packing the court next Thursday we will demonstrate that this is not only Joe's fight but the fight of every sincere worker against Hitler, and the beliefs of that murderer. It will also be a fight against those in America who are trying to bring Fascism here, especially Scabby Hearst.

REMEMBER! PACK THE COURTROOM!

An Anti-Nazi

100% UNION MAN SAYS, "THE GREATEST THING ON THE S.F. FRONT - THE WATERFRONT WORKER"

The Waterfront Worker:

Dear Ed:

I would like to have these few lines in our great little paper for Monday, March 11, if possible. I think it is the greatest thing we have had on the Frisco Waterfront, THE WATERFRONT WORKER. I am sending you a dollar to keep up your good work.

Yours truly,
A 100% Union Man

ANOTHER DONATION FROM PIER 28
STATES PAPER DOING GOOD WORK -

Waterfront Worker:

Dear Editors:

Please find enclosed $4.50 money order, a subscription taken up among our gang for the new micrograph. Wish to state that the paper is doing good work and hope it will get better and bigger.

Sincerely,
A Steward, Pier 28

AN ASS. TERMINAL GANG WIDE AWAKE - SEND IN $5.00 TO HELP

Editor of Waterfront Worker:

I am sending in $5.00 collected in the "Wide-awake gang" at the Associated Terminals. We are wide-awake to the fact what the Waterfront Worker has done for us and we want to help make it a better paper.

Thanking you,

THE Wide-Awake Gang, Ass. Term.
On Friday, March 8th, the Economy News, published in the Mission "For Independent Mission Merchants and Shoppers Who Buy in the Mission," carried a front page story, "Officers & Men of the Karlsruhe Have Won the Hearts of San Francisco."

This story goes on to praise the fine body of men aboard the Karlsruhe and "if that's the type of young men the new Germany is raising, the rest of the world owes her a lot of thanks and should wish her the most far-reach ing success!" It also tells of the festivities planned, etc., and ends up, "to entertain the crew of the Karlsruhe in a manner befitting the DEEPER MEANING OF THE CRUISER'S VISIT, which is the further strengthening and confirmation of the friendly relations between Germany and the United States.

The above article would do even the sypillitical Propaganda Minister of Germany credit, Herr Goebbels, but coming from the official mouthpiece of the Mission Merchants, well-brother— you had better stand by, tear up your union book, keep secret your political affiliations be ready to change your religious beliefs, and look all doors and win doors because not prosperity, but insane, bloody fascism is just around the corner.

Why do the Mission Merchants give such a royal welcome to the bloody terrorists of blood-stained Germany?

Because the Mission Merchants know that the New Deal has flopped and that Franklin Delano Roosevelt has no more rabbits to pull out of the hat, that the ranks of the unemployed in America are swelled, and that the toiling millions of America are looking for a way out of their misery and starvation.

The Mission Merchants know that bloody Hitler stopped the progress of the workers—they know he smashed all trade unions, jailed thousands of the best workers, terrorized the population, invaded homes, tapped telephone wires; brutal brown-skirted storm troopers were everywhere, stool pigeons were as thick as lice in the front line trenches everyone distrusted each other and the splendid unity which symbolized all of the heroic struggles of the German workers ceased to be—smashed by the blood-thirsty tools of German capital. The Mission Merchants know all this and because they want to safeguard their toasts, the right for bigger and bigger profits they support and welcome the agents of that insane sexual degenerate—Butcher Hitler.

Further on in the paper in a column edited by Rudolph Edmont Rehbach, he states..."and we're still considerably FUUZZLED why our wonderful city by the Golden Gate should permit a handful of Moscow-paid ROUGHNECKS and Communist GORILLAS, by their attempted demonstration and silly "half-hour strike", to try and spoil the fine record of HOSPITALITY and FAIR PLAY TO ALL for which S.F. is justly famous all over the world...as for that "strike", it seems to us that one of the more level-headed of the Mission Merchants hit the nail on the head when he remarked, "That the Hell does Hitler care if those fellows never go back to work".

Listen, Rudie, old fellow, you may be FUUZZLED by the half-hour strike, but the guys who are called "real labor leaders" are simply "flabbergasted" by the first political strike of the membership of the A.F. of L. You may call it a silly "half-hour strike" but the rulers of America realize the deep political significance of the 30 minute walkout. Yes, and the workers throughout the world know what it means; it means that the maritime workers in S.F. DO NOT WANT A HITLER in America.

Rudie speaks of FAIR PLAY TO ALL. Yes, it is fair play to all in S.F. If he had happened to be down around the Ferry Bldg. last July 5th he would have just as liable to have been shot as the strikers and innocent bystanders had slugs shot through them by San Francisco's finest. To anyone who experienced the blood-bath on that memorable day must remember that these are the tactics used by the brutal storm troopers, and because the maritime workers were so well organized they were not forced back to work, but struck manfully by their posts and won an increase in pay, shorter working hours and better working conditions.

Maybe Hitler doesn't care if we never go back to work, but he knows that the S.F. WORKERS CARE WHAT HE IS DOING TO THE WORKING CLASS OF GERMANY. And when the heroic German working class organize strongly enough under the leadership of the Communist Party of Germany the brutal tyrants there belong, the S.F. dockers will be shouting from the housetops—LONG LIVE WORKING-CLASS SOLIDARITY!