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## Two More Candidates of Fake Party Definitely Refuse to Run on Slate

Refusal of Candidates for School Superintendent and  
County Surveyor Does Not Come as Surprise,  
More Expected

The new "United Front Political Party," launched by a convention of eight a week ago last Saturday, seems to be having quite some difficulties with its ticket. Two more candidates, named at the "mass convention" vigorously decline to have anything to do with the ticket.

Chas. Strubeck, Plentywood

who had been announced as

the candidate for county sur-

veyor, was in the Producers

News office the other day

saying "They are crazy, if

they think I'm running on

their ticket."

Never Promised

"I was approached to run about

six weeks ago," Strubeck said "but

I never told them it was alright

with me." "I am not going to

run on that ticket," he emphasized.

As candidate for county super-

intendent of schools, Sarah Rich-

wine, of Medicine Lake, was offi-

cially announced at the convention.

The Producers News received a

letter on Wednesday signed Sarah

Richwine, that stated: "I am not a

candidate for that office and would

like if you would inform your

readers of that mistake."

Maybe it was a mistake. Most

likely Miss Richwine has never

been asked whether she would ac-

cept such a candidacy. But that

is the method of the promoters of

this political enterprise, a method

they have used in previous under-

takings. Unfortunately for them,

this time it does not seem to work

right.

This new "party" is appearing

more and more in a rather comical

light. The first incident of this

nature occurred right at the "con-

vention" when the top candidate of

the "United Front Political Party"

Sophus Morsrud for Senator, de-

manded rather harshly that his

name be taken off the list at once.

His name had then just been pro-

claimed.

The Producers News has prophes-

ied that exactly this was going to

happen and now we are not at all

convinced that this is the end. We

believe that there are still more

candidates who will soon find out

the real purpose of this fake party

and who will then say, "No,

thank you." Of course, we are

not referring to the candidates for

county commissioner.

Some farmers here the other day

suggested that the promoters of

the new "party" insert a want ad

into the Plentywood Herald to

complete the slate again. "Wanted

—Three new candidates to run for

office this fall, loudspeakers pre-

ferred," was the suggestion.

This, of course, is rather bad

irony, and the Producers News

hopes that some better way will be

found yet to build up the ticket

again and keep it together. Other-

wise the people in Sheridan county

would be deprived of some very

healthy laughs.

## CCC YOUTH DEAD, TEN ARE INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

VALLEY CITY, N. D. Sept. 10.

—Ten youths of the Civilian

Conservation Corps were injured here

today when a big CCC truck loaded

with twenty of the boys from the

Valley City Camp crashed into a

light roadster and overturned at a

street intersection.

One youth of an Oregon CCC

camp had his head crushed last

week when the camp truck upon

which he was riding collided with

another machine. He died a few

hours later.

The death rate and the rate of

injuries is piling up tremendously

as more and more boys fall victim

to these "accidents." At the same

time the capitalist press of the

country is speaking of "toughs and

alley cats" who are being expelled

from a CCC camp at Hood River,

Oregon after "ganging up" on

Capt. Boender. The boys resent

this and charge that Boender and

Sheriff Edick are trying to "cover

up."

Boender, a highly unpopular

camp dictator, had fired a boy who

was found asleep on the job. Two

of the boy's friends asked permis-

sion to see him off at the station

and were refused. When one of

them jumped on the truck that was

taking the fired boy to town Boen-

der pulled him off and slugged him.

The boy hit back.

This brought the dissatisfaction

in the camp to a focus and when

what the boys described a lousy

breakfast was served next morning

some of the boys refused to go to

work. The captain called the sher-

iff and 27 were sent home.



## 25 Sign to Fight War and Fascism

Meeting at Comertown Attended by 150, Westby has  
Audience of 50; Three More Meetings Arranged  
at Antelope, Reserve, Raymond

About 150 people attended the anti-war meeting at Comertown last Monday, 25 of which signified through their signature that they would be active in an organized struggle against War and Fascism.

Rev. Marius Larsen was again the main speaker and people listened to him attentively and with great sincerity. From the source of his rich experience and knowledge of facts Rev. Larsen who had spoken already in six meetings in different parts of the county, made it possible to vary his talk to such an extent that it appeared entirely new. This time he gave sufficient proof of the interrelation of all the different munition firms all over the world. He gave examples to show that they sold their war materials to friends and enemies, his statements showed that French arms manufacturers owned shares of German ammunition concerns and visa versa etc.

"It was in the mutual interests of these death manufacturers to keep the war going at full speed to the complete exhaustion of all the peoples" said Larsen.

Einer Duus, the second speaker pointed out what can be done to stop another war that is being threatened. He showed that this was one of the objects of the Second U. S. Congress Against War and Fascism and that therefore this Congress deserved and must have the support of every man and woman who is opposed to war. Briefly and clearly Duus explained the advancing dangers of fascism and showed the necessity for building a strong united front against it.

Mrs. Anna Lutnes outlined numerous reasons why in particular women should be opposed to war and fight against it. "Thousands and thousands of schools are closed in this, the richest