

LABOR OFFICIALS AFRAID HEAR COMMUNISTS

Pan-American Labor convention
turns down proposal to allow
radicals to speak.

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Mexico City.—In the closing moments of the Pan-American Federation of Labor convention, Luis N. Morones, of the Mexican Federation of Labor, made a fight to let representatives of the Communist Party of Mexico address the convention and lost—by one vote.

The proposal was sidetracked by a peremptory motion to adjourn made by Dan Tobin, chief spokesman of the forces of reaction in the convention. Several delegates had left the hall anticipating no further action of importance.

Mexico's delegates, voted solidly in favor of giving the Communists the floor as did delegates from Guatemala, San Salvador, Santo Domingo, etc. It was one of several times in the course of the convention in which the Latin-American delegates were aligned solidly on the side of Radicalism and the American delegates solidly on the side of reaction.
