

KEEP IT AND BUILD IT!

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OUR DAILY WORKER has lately shown signs of marked improvement. It has assumed more of the character of a mass labor paper. Its importance can perhaps now not fully be recognized by its supporters and sympathizers. However, should it fail, the rejoicing in the enemy's camp would strike this fact home with terrible effect.

Yet as long as the importance of our Daily Paper is properly appreciated, it will succeed, it will strengthen itself and it will grow in influence. The improvement of our DAILY is there. The next step is for the supporters to take it up and build.

The DAILY WORKER is becoming the center of the movement which expresses militancy in the class struggle. The American labor movement itself has a militant tradition. There are signs that this tradition will re-awaken and then The DAILY WORKER will fully come into its own.

No other place in the country does a paper appear in the English language consistently taking the position

of fighting for all the interests of the rank and file workers. To those who are bitterly exploited in the shops of the heavy industries and today remain unorganized, as well as those who have enrolled in the ranks of the trade unions, The DAILY WORKER can become much more of a center when it is brought to the attention of all those workers that it is the only paper that expresses their desires and fights for their needs.

All the workers who are now acquainted with The DAILY WORKER should more than in the past submit their grievances thru the columns of the Daily, express their aspirations and let it become a center not only for the movement in general, but also of their struggles in their particular shops. That means to contribute to its columns, to order bundles to distribute amongst the workers and so gradually extend the circles around the center established. Proceeding this way, we will not only keep The DAILY WORKER, but we will build it. This is our most important and most pressing task.