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LEFT THEATRE

This is a Theatre for You Will You Support It?

The Left Theatre is a group of professional actors who intend to break with "West End" tradition and perform plays which directly concern the working class and its struggles IN WORKING CLASS DISTRICTS.

After an initial performance of "Sailors of Cattaro" on April 8th at the Royalty Theatre, Dean Street, W.C.1, at moderate prices, it will come to:

GREENWICH BOROUGH HALL on April 15th. WEST HAM (Stratford Town Hall) on April 22nd. PECKHAM on April 29th.

One of these is in YOUR district.

Admission FREE to Affiliated Organisations

Membership is composed of individual membership (full membership 5s., associate membership 1s. per annum) and affiliated organisations.

If your branch or organisation affiliates, every member will be entitled to attend these performances FREE on production of his membership card. Reserved seats, and seats for friends, can be booked in ADVANCE for 6d. As each date is a Sunday no money can be taken at the door. WE THEREFORE URGE YOU TO

MOVE FOR AFFILIATION AT YOUR NEXT BRANCH MEETING SO THAT THE FIRST PRODUCTION, IN ONLY FOUR WEEKS' TIME, WILL BE WELL SUPPORTED.

"Sailors of Cattaro" is by Friedrich Wolf. It is a play about the revolt in the Austrian navy in 1918, when 6,000 sailors of the Imperial Fleet overpowered their officers, and ran up the Red Flag in a brave attempt to stop the World War. It will be produced by Andre Van Gyseghem, of the Embassy Theatre. Recent events in Austria give an added interest to a play which is already exciting and moving.

Rates of Affiliation

2s. 6d. per year for organisations up to 500 members.

3s. 6d. per year for organisations from 500 to 800 members.

5s. per year for organisations from 800 to 1,000 members. Special arrangements will be made for even larger organisations.

LATER PRODUCTIONS, whenever possible free, and when not at reduced and VERY CHEAP prices, will include "We, the People," by Elmer Rice, which deals with the unemployment problem; "Peace on Earth," an anti-war play; and "Fire in the Engine Room," the latest play by Ernst Toller, the famous German revolutionary playwright.

Plays such as these can seldom be seen at all, and never by the working class which is chiefly concerned with these problems. The Left Theatre will succeed in its aim if it can be solidly built upon the affiliation of working class organisations. WITHOUT YOUR ACTIVE SUPPORT AND CO-OPERATION VERY LITTLE CAN BE DONE.

The Advisory Council includes:—

ELLEN WILKINSON. FENNER BROCKWAY. R. PAGE ARNOT. JOHN JAGGER. HAROLD LASKI. ERNST TOLLER.
JOHN STRACHEY.
KINGSLEY MARTIN.
VICTOR GOLLANCZ.
RONALD ADAM.

Application for membership, Postal Orders, etc., to the Treasurer, 27, Abbey Gardens, N.W.8.