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## NEWS ITEMS

Last week there was a strike for wages in the Fiat-Turin. The workers' requests were granted immediately.

138 dockyard workers struck and were imprisoned at Trieste. All but 8 were released (because they carried arms) and their demands granted.

Catholic anti-Fascist party very strong in Venetian province. Bishop of Verona visited Pope. Pope's message counseled prudence, but doesn't disapprove.

Military plot in Rome, led by a general and a colonel. They were arrested, but S. says nothing else will happen to them. Nowadays, only those guilty of dealing with foreign power are shot.

Anti-Fascist world war veterans are very strong, have much influence on army. Show increasing Socialist sympathies. Several high War Ministry officers in Party can travel and organize unmolested.

Workmen denounce Fascism and war at Fascist trade union assembly in Genoa. No interference by police.