## Riots in Berlin

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Political unrest sweeps Soviet-controlled Eastern Berlin, following the satellite Government's decree, demanding ten per cent more output from the workers - or ten per cent less pay. The grievance flered up into largescale riots - as the workers demonstrated against, yoursand workers their Communist rulers.

And before the Russians intervened - to proclaim the streets and proclaim martial law - the workers had torn down the Red Flag from the Brandenburg Gate. Large-scale arrests followed - and many were killed and injured.