

Eric Bert Named Worker Editor

The appointment of Erik Bert as editor of the weekend paper The Worker was announced yesterday by John Gates, editor-in-chief of the Daily Worker and The Worker.

Bert has been a member of the staff of the Daily Worker and The Worker since 1942. He was city editor of the daily for several years and in 1955-56 was the paper's Washington correspondent.

Before coming to the Daily Worker, Bert edited the Producers News, published in Plentywood, Montana, and the Farmers National Weekly, published in Chicago and Minneapolis. He was at one time organizer of the Communist Party in Minnesota.

In taking the post of editor of the weekend Worker, Bert replaces A. B. Magil who recently became foreign editor of the Daily Worker.