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Karenga's Mob Tried On Panther Killings

LOS ANGELES (Herald-Dispatch) — Three high ranking members of the black nationalist Ron Karenga US gang went on trial here this week for the killing of two Black Panthers at UCLA on Jan. 17 of this year.

The three defendants — George Skinner (22) also known as "Ali Sultani," his brother, Larry "Sakia" Stiner (21) and Donald "Stodi" Hawkins (19) are being tried in the court of Superior Judge Malcolm M. Lucas.

Judge Lucas has imposed security restrictions on his court and its approaches similar to those set up in the Sirhan Sirhan trial because of the nature of the feud that caused the slayings.

The black men from the US

organization are alleged to have killed the members of the Black Panther organization in a fight over the control of an Afro-American studies program planned for UCLA.

The two groups are known to be killers and have often figured in violent actions.

Lt. E. J. Hatfield has been placed in charge of security in the courtroom approaches. He is assisted by no less than five regular male deputies.



GEORGE STINER



LARRY STINER

LA Party Leader Under Indictment

In April of this year Nommo Thabiti, L. A. Branch leader of the CPUSA (ML) and David Burks and Earl Hopkins, United Front members, were at one of the local LA hamburger stands at Imperial and Main, frequented by the neighborhood youth. They were there to investigate for themselves reports that the police had been harrasing the teenagers there. They found out it was true, all right, first hand.

The police, without first announcing over a bull-horn as they usually did that it was past curfew and that all minors ought to head for home moved in and singled out our investigators. They were ordered out of the car. It seemed they were going to be arrested.

"What's the matter, officer? Curfew? We're all over 18. Here's our IDs. What, officer? No, I do have a driver's license. Here it is. What, officer? No, it's not a stolen car. Here's the registration. What, officer? Yes, please do check our eyes." But the police, de-

termined to get them on some charge, illegally, without reasonable cause, searched the car and came across a gun which had just been bought by Nommo Thabiti and was being transported home.

The three were handcuffed by the police and taken to the station. What, they asked, was the charge now? "Trying to overthrow the government," growled the officer eyeing their Mao buttons.

Down at the police station they were initially booked on armed robbery. What robbery? Why there must have been one somewhere. Three days later, however, this preposterous charge was dropped.

Shortly after Thabiti was released on bail the police awakened him at his home at 6:00 a.m. "You're under arrest for grand theft automobile," said the efficient officer misreading the words grand theft automatic weapon written on the warrant.

On the way to the jail, the officers were their usually po-

lite selves. "We could shoot you right now, you know."

Everything was cleared to the police's satisfaction at the jail. The charges laid on Thabiti were possessing a concealed weapon, theft of a gun, receiving the same gun as stolen property. Very clear.

Thabiti's preliminary hearing was held July 2 in front of Judge William Ross. His case came up two hours late because the arresting police as state witnesses were still having breakfast or forgot to bring the evidence or something. It finally got underway shortly before noon. The defense took the position that the search of the car was unwarranted and illegal and wanted the case thrown out. The judge yawned and told the defense attorney to cut it short because it was five minutes to 12:00 and his stomach growled hungrily. The case was not thrown out, and the trial was set for July 16.

Right Wing Communists Run Anti-Fascist Show

By M. I. LASKI

LOS ANGELES, July 7—The call is out from one end of the country to the other. There will be an Anti-Fascist Conference called for in Oakland the weekend of July 18. The cat is out of the bag, or more appropriately, the cat is in the bag now. What cat? The Black Panther, what?

else! And what bag is it in? The right-wing Communists' headed by Gus Hall! All jesting aside, the question of the Anti-Fascist Conference is a serious matter, and even more serious are the projections that will come from this conference which is called to form an Anti-Fascist United Front. We firmly support any genuine struggle against the rise of Fascism, but we will not be so easily misled. For who are the Anti-Fascists that have arisen suddenly? Let us take a closer look at this conference.

According to Massi, (picture on page 8) Black Panther Party Central Committee member, in statements made July 3 at an open meeting in L.A., the conference was jointly organized by members of the central committee of the right-wing revisionist Gus Hall clique and the central committee of the Black Panther Party. Two representative bodies of both central committees laid all initial plans in preparation for the conference. The organizing committee was selected by their unanimous agreement. It included members of the SDS, ILWU, and a variety of revisionist front groups including a sprinkling of Trotskyites from the Socialist Workers Party. The agenda for the conference is fixed. The speaker's lists are formalized. No speaker will be heard from the floor. No unauthorized points will be made. No vote will be taken. This conference and its outcome have been determined weeks before its convening. The revisionist

Communist Party has bought and paid for this conference, and they will exact nothing less than complete cow-towing from all present.

The conclusion of the conference may already be read in the Daily World and the People's World and the Black Panther Party's publication. The need to overthrow the capitalist system, the need to build an anti-imperialist united front, the necessity of coupling revolution with reform will all be thrown out the window. In its place, class collaboration without principle, reform without revolution, and a cowering fear of the so-called Fascist monster will be sold to the victims of this anti-fascist fraud. Let us make it clear we are not opposed to police review boards

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Tompkins Square Rally Held

NEW YORK CITY—On Sunday, June 29, a community-wide rally of Lower East Side residents took place in Tompkins Square Park in which workers from the Tompkins Square Community Center, the Committee for Self-Defense, the Young Lords Organization, and Comrade Jonathan Leake, representing the United Front, spoke. The central issue brought before the people was community control of the park and reclamation of the Tompkins Square Community Center shut down by the city last winter. Comrade Leake's talk met with great enthusiasm.

WHY THE NEW WORKER?

The "New Worker" was selected as the title of this publication out of a deep regard for the old "Worker," which ceased publication during 1968. The "Worker," for many decades represented the best political trends of the American Communist movement and the American proletariat. It established a long and courageous history of proletarian revolutionary journalism. Then, for over a decade and a half the "Worker" was used by the revisionist right-wing clique within the Party for their purposes. Having drawn upon the revolutionary heritage of the paper and using it for their own counter-revolutionary purposes, the revisionist clique headed by Gus Hall saw fit to murder the "Worker." The death of the "Worker" took place politically many years before it was recognized as officially dead by the Hall clique. The "New Worker" is just what it says. It is a revolutionary publication of the American proletariat reflecting its political interests, carrying forward the revolutionary traditions of the old "Worker" in the struggle for the overthrow of US Imperialism and establishing the dictatorship of the proletariat in the United States of America.

—EDITOR

OPEN LETTER TO BLACK PANTHERS

To the Central Committee of the Black Panther Party, Oakland, California: It is with deep concern that we write you. We have followed the development of the BPP with great interest from its inception. Both our parties began in the same general period. Our Party was founded in Watts, yours in Oakland.

At the onset, the BPP composition was predominantly made up of petty bourgeois intellectuals and lumpen proletarians of the Negro national minority.

Your political projections were a crude admixture of anarchism, bourgeois nationalism, and a sprinkling of Marxism. You also reflected some of the basic needs of the Negro national minority, the need to use weapons in your defense and the defense of oppressed people against the state and all forces of reaction and counter-revolution. The position you took on armed defense groups we heartily endorsed for it reflected the genuine interests and aspirations of all sections of the proletariat and oppressed people in the U.S.

We criticized the blatant exposure of your members to unnecessary attacks and the open deployment of armed groups that set up provocative situations, namely the May 2, 1967 fiasco in the state capitol building, and the numerous unnecessary murders of BPP members by the police. It was our feeling that you were encouraged in such actions by the Revisionist Communist Party and the Trotskyite Socialist Workers Party who



DELEGATES TO THE NEW YORK UNITY CONFERENCE June 21, 22, 1969, left to right, M. I. Laski, Johnathan Leake, John Stroman, Catherine Henry, Nommo Thabiti.

from a very early date had the objective of capturing your organization.

We also disagreed with your collaboration with the most reactionary nationalists and agents of the ruling class. We remained silent in our criticism of you in this matter directing our attacks where necessary at the reactionary nationalists and police agents

such as Stokely Carmichael and Ron Karenga. We felt that the course of events would clearly determine with which side you would align. It is true all the above matters are past history. You were forced to break connections with Karenga by his actions, for he became too high handed, too overly confident, and worst of all, he believed his own phrase mongering.

Karenga's real strength did not lie in the support of the people but in the ruling class. His funds and his members were all paid by the state. He had the support of the police, Mayor Yorty, and nationally, all the forces of reaction. He spread the most reactionary nationalist position and was an out and out running dog of the imperialists. Yet the money and support of reaction was not enough to save Karenga. Attempts were made by Karenga, 1967-68, to destroy our base of support, but even with the police and City Hall behind him he did not succeed. He had money and armed forces, but he did not have the people. It may be said that it was his actions and not his words that exposed him.

The BPP, in our opinion, has reached the crossroads, if not already passed them, as to whether you are a force that will support revolution or oppose it. You cannot oppose imperialism and support revisionism. You cannot make revolution while lost in reformism. You cannot overthrow the capitalist class while lost in a ballot box. You cannot maintain independence and reliance on the people when you are armed and fed by the agents of the bourgeoisie—the modern revisionists! —From the Secretariat, CPUSA (M-L), Los Angeles, Calif.

C.P.C. Repudiates P.L.P.

"The ninth National Congress of the Communist Party of China extends a warm and militant salute to . . . the heroic Vietnamese people who persist in carrying through to the end the war of resistance against U.S. aggression and for national salvation." Press Communiqué of the Secretariat of the Presidium of the Ninth National Congress of the Communist Party of China. Peking Review, April 25, 1969."

Presidium Sends Congratulations

To the Party: Congratulations!

"Of course it would be unpardonable naivete to indulge in light-hearted optimism; we are still confronted with enormous difficulties . . . But the main thing has been accomplished. The banner has been raised, workers' circles . . . are being drawn to it, and no counter-revolutionary attack can possibly haul it down" (Lenin, "The Climax of the Party Crisis" (1911), Coll. Wks., Vol. 17, p. 349).

With Communist greetings, Presidium of the 1968 Conference of the CPUSA (M-L)

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Unity Conference Held N.Y.C. Achieves Goals

Communique: Minutes of the Unity Conference of June 21, 1969

New York City UNITY CONFERENCE of the Communist Party USA (M-L) and the Proletarian Revolutionary Party:

Two empowered delegations representative of both organizations seeking principled ideological and political unification were:

for the CPUSA (M-L):

M. I. Laski

Nommo Thabiti

for the PRP:

Catherine Henry

Jonathan Leake

John Stroman

At a later point in the conference, convened in the afternoon at 2:45, several members and a close friend of the PRP were also in attendance as observers not taking part in discussion.

The conference proceeded with the adoption of agenda and the designation of Comrade Laski as Chairman and Comrade Henry as Secretary.

Initial discussion was taken up with the presentation of the following documents:

- The Struggle Between the Two Lines in the Proletarian Revolutionary Party, read by Comrade Jonathan Leake;
- Organizational Statement of the Red Women's Detachment of the PRP, read by Comrade C. Henry;
- Founding Declaration of the Communist Party, USA (M-L) read by Comrade M. Laski from Vol. 1, No. 6-7, People's Voice;
- Report of the First National Congress of the CPUSA (M-L) from People's Voice, Vol. 2, No. 15-16, with a basic restatement of principles put forward in the founding declaration with inclusion of the General Program was read by Comrade Laski.

Political and ideological basis of unity was established in a discussion following the presentation of documents on the questions of trade union work, students, with a class analysis of American society, with particular emphasis placed upon the important question of the national colonial struggles.

The Constitution of the Communist Party USA (M-L) adopted at the First National Congress was read in full by Comrade Laski. A general discussion followed concerning implementation of the constitution upon unification and the necessity for regional perspective with the establishment of: 1) a regional secretary; 2) a branch secretary.

The combined duties of regional-branch secretary are to be taken up by Comrade Jonathan Leake, by designation of the conference.

Decision was reached to include upon the editorial board of the NEW WORKER, a national publication of the CPUSA (M-L), Comrade J. Leake, with further inclusion of another comrade from this region pending recommendation by the branch secretary*. A general section of the paper is to be collectively produced by the New York branch to carry news articles interpreting events of national importance, of party activity, with regular columns.

The work of building a United Front Against Imperialism is to be taken up under the leadership of the CPUSA (M-L) by the Committee for a United Front Against Imperialism, with the perspective of building a mass organization of party and non-party working class membership.

The Red Women's Detachment will take part as an organization within the United Front, carrying forward the revolutionary struggles of proletarian women against U.S. imperialism.

The Second National Congress of the Communist Party USA (M-L) will take place . . . Labor Day Weekend, 1969. An interim standing committee charged with the successful convening and general coordinating of the Party Congress is composed of the following three comrades: M. Laski, N. Thabiti, J. Leake.

Comrade J. Leake, by decision of General Secretary M. I. Laski, is now representative on the Secretariat, with the Los Angeles body still determinant in questions of policy and position relating to national and international decisions.

Thereupon was concluded the formal unification of the Proletarian Revolutionary Party with the Communist Party USA (M-L) in a principled manner with the dissolution of the former organization (PRP) into the Party which truly represents Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tse-tung thought in America, the only Party able to lead the revolutionary struggles of the American working class forward to inevitable victory. By unanimous vote taken by both attending delegations, the unification was completed. With proletarian enthusiasm and conviction, these vanguard forces were consolidated. Long live the Communist Party of the United States of America (Marxist-Leninist)!

*C. Henry has been included on the editorial board.

Party Notice

All Party members who have either been expelled or suspended since the last National Party Congress and desire to attend the Second National Party Congress should communicate with the National Office in Los Angeles. All suspended or expelled Central Committee members will receive invitations.

Secretariat

Struggle Between TWO LINES IN THE P.R.P.

The following document represents a key section of the report given by Comrade Jonathan Leake at the New York City Unity Conference which was held on June 21-22, 1969. Refer to Unification Conference minutes, page two.—Editor

Evaluation of the overall experience of the Proletarian Revolutionary Party and the basis of the struggle between the two lines.

The overall experience of the building of the PRP, the internal struggle, and the split that resulted may be summed up as follows: Clarity is the only genuine basis for unity. Ideological clarity and a full airing of views within the Party must never be avoided or suspended, even if the unity of the Party or its leadership is threatened or disrupted. Revisionism, Trotskyism, opportunism, adventurism, and all other forms of bourgeois ideology can only be defeated by openly confronting and opposing them, by the Marxist-Leninist practice of criticism, self-criticism and mutual-criticism.

This practice cannot be expected to emerge spontaneously, but must be a systematic, disciplined, and permanent feature of the internal life of the Party, carried on regularly by all sections of the Party, under the direction of the Central Committee and the leading bodies of the Party.

No Pure Communists

There are no "pure" communists. All of us are born, raised, and educated in bourgeois society. All of us are subjected to the daily processes of indoctrination by all forms of the bourgeois media and culture which make us susceptible to the open, and more subtle, habits of thinking and action, to idealism, subjectivism, pragmatism, and dogmatism which are the ideological basis for revisionism and Trotskyism, which are the fertilizer, so to speak, which nourishes these ideas.

The experience of the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution, which unmasked and defeated the revisionists and capitalist-roaders in the Party and State apparatus, has in China shown us the extent of the danger of bourgeois ideology within the revolutionary movement, and the need for constant vigilance at every stage of struggle. Even after the achievement of state power, in fact, especially after the achievement of the initial stages of socialist construction, the bourgeoisie attempts to halt the inevitable progress of society, to turn the clock back and restore capitalism, and it works at this not merely through the various left-over forms of bourgeois culture, habits, customs, etc. but within the Party of the proletariat itself, not simply at the level of the rank-and-file but at the highest levels of leadership.

Form of Class Struggle

As Comrade Mao Tse-tung has correctly pointed out, the contradictions within the Party, the struggle between the two lines, is also a specific form of the class struggle, a struggle between the proletarian revolutionary line, and the bourgeois reactionary line, which determines the direction of the Party, along the socialist road or the capitalist road. Of course, the bourgeois reactionary line within the Party, before or after the establishment of the Dictatorship of the Proletariat, cannot be expected to openly declare its purpose and intentions, it must "wave the red flag to oppose

the red flag," and conceal its basic reactionary nature with "left" phrase-mongering and other opportunist tactics. In the periods of relative calm and stability, the bourgeois line expresses itself primarily as right opportunism, with a strategy of unprincipled alliances, conciliation to the bourgeoisie, the adoption of reformism, and the tail ending of phony "loyal opposition" groups. This right opportunism relates directly to the petty-bourgeoisie, and springs from the tendency of the petty-bourgeoisie to maintain the temporary relative stability at all costs.

Opportunism Finds Allies!

Right opportunism finds ready allies in the social-democracy and in the bureaucracy of the trade unions, as well as the supposed liberals and progressives, the churches, the intelligencia, decadent artists and cultural pimps and usually gives birth to various theories of "progressive capitalism" to the supposedly "exceptional" nature of capitalism, to coexistence and peaceful competition with the ruling-class, to praising sections of the capitalist class as "dynamic," and other such drivel and garbage; in other words, the abandonment of the class struggle itself, the slackening and eventual abandonment of discipline in the Party and its struggles, and the transformation of the Party from a militant and advanced detachment of the proletariat into a degenerate and reactionary agent of the bourgeoisie. This is the historic path of the social-democracy, which brought the necessity for the construction of the Communist International and the split in the Russian Social-Democracy into the Bolshevik and Menshevik Parties, a totally principled split, without which the October Revolution and the founding of the first Dictatorship of the Proletariat, would never have been possible.

This path of right opportunism, taken by the modern revisionists led by Soviet revisionism, has led to the necessary construction of new and genuine Marxist-Leninist Parties throughout the world, many of these also based on the breaking away of the genuine Marxist-Leninist forces from the revisionist Parties, also principled divisions, without which there could not be the correct appli-

cation and development of Marxism-Leninism as brought to an entirely new stage by Mao Tse-tung, the advanced form of scientific proletarian ideology in this age, "in which imperialism is heading for total collapse and socialism is heading for worldwide victory."

Infantile Disorder

In the periods of relative upsurge and the heightening of the class contradictions, the primary expression of the bourgeois line is "left" opportunism, specifically ultra-leftism and what Comrade Lenin correctly designated as the "infantile disorder," left-wing communism. This left-opportunism relates to the sections of the petty-bourgeoisie which are directly feeling the hardships of the continuing crisis of capitalist society, which are looking for "radicalism" and "extremism" of any variety, and also to sections of the lumpen-proletariat which have a natural tendency to adventurism and an aversion to discipline.

"Left" adventurism of this kind finds ready ideological and practical allies in the anarchists and spontaneists, and tends to spawn various ultra-leftist and super-revolutionary theories of "new classes," of apocalyptic and mystical concepts of revolutionary struggle, and the glorification of terrorism and destruction. Like right opportunism, it causes lack of discipline and the disintegration of the democratic-centralist structure of the Party, it breaks mass organizations into roving rebel bands, the party from the level of struggle of the broad masses of the proletariat. Like right opportunism, it often limits itself to the specific interests of specific sections of the oppressed, and at a specific time, neglecting the need for the Party to address itself to the broad interests of the entire proletariat, taking into account stages of development at different times.

Trotskyism especially tends to combine aspects of right opportunism and left adventurism in a foul mixture that misleads and confuses, and leads to demoralization. However, as the experience of the great proletarian cultural revolution has shown, in this era, with genuine Marxist-Leninist revolutionary vanguard forces developing throughout the world, and the overall expression of the correct pro-

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Letters to the Editor

All letters are welcome. Comments and questions should be confined to no more than 250 words. Anyone wishing to submit material for publication as articles, commentary, or news items should address their copy to the Editor.

TO:—Editorial Board

June 26, 1969

1. Masthead of first issue of New Worker carries slogan, "Workers of the World Unite!"

2. Urgently request editorial board use only orthodox emancipation slogan of proletariat—"Workers of All Countries, Unite!"

3. The reasons are:

a. The proletariat of a given country must first of all defeat "its own bourgeoisie."

"Though not in substance, yet in form, the struggle of the proletariat with bourgeoisie is at first a national struggle. The proletariat of each country must, of course, first of all settle matters with its own bourgeoisie." ("Manifesto of the Communist Party" (1848) in Marx/Engels, Sel. Wks. (Moscow, 1962), Vol. 1, p. 45).

"It was just this contact (of the workers of different localities with one another) that was needed to centralize the numerous struggles, all of the same character, into one national struggle between classes" (loc. cit., p. 42).

"Since the proletariat must first of all acquire political supremacy, must rise to be the leading class of the nation, must constitute itself THE nation, it is, so far, itself national, though not in the bourgeois sense of the word" (loc. cit., p. 51).

b. The proletarian party of a given country must not substitute abstract "worldwide" tasks for the concrete historical tasks facing the proletariat of that country.

"To reject the self-determination of nations and insert the self-determination of the working people would be absolutely wrong, because this manner of settling the question does not reckon with the difficulties, with the zig-zag course taken by differentiation within nations" (Lenin, "Report on the Party Programme. March 19" (1919), Coll. Wks. (Moscow), Vol. 29, p. 173).

c. The party of the proletariat must not tie its hands in leading the proletariat to defeat fascist demagogues.

"We Communists are the irreconcilable opponents, on principle, of bourgeois nationalism in all its forms. But we are not supporters of national nihilism, and should never act as such" ("The Fascist Offensive and the Tasks of the Communist International" (1935) in Dimitroff, The United Front (N. Y., 1938), p. 79).

d. Our party should align itself with the leading party. "Workers of All Countries, Unite!" Mao Tse-tung, Sel. Wks. frontispages, all vols.).

3. Urgently request July issue of New Worker carry masthead slogan—"Workers and Oppressed Nations of the World, Unite!"; that August issue carry masthead slogan—"People of the World, Unite and Defeat the U.S. Aggressors and All their Running Dogs!"; that September issue carry slogan—"Workers of All Countries, Unite!"; that October issue carry Lenin's slogan; that November issue carry Mao Tse-tung's slogan; and that the three great emancipation slogans of the proletariat appear thus periodically in New Worker.

4. The reasons are:

The party of the proletariat must not ignore the great turn in world history marked by the victory at Stalingrad in 1942.

"This battle is not only the turning point of the Soviet-German war, or even of the present anti-fascist war, it is the turning point in the history of all mankind" (Mao Tse-tung, "The Turning Point in World War II" (1942), Sel. Wks., Vol. 3, p. 104).

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MEMBERS OF THE PARTY and friends during a recess of the Unity Conference June 21, 22, Lower East Side, N.Y.C.

BUILD A UNITED FRONT

United Front In Action — West Coast

by Nommo Thabiti

UNITED FRONT TODAY

Under the leadership of the CPUSA (M-L) since March 1, 1969, the United Front members, comprised of working class elements, have followed the program outlined in the first issue of the *New Worker*. They have been conducting activities in Watts and have developed into a strong revolutionary cadre and organization.

UF ACTIVITIES

Following the revolutionary theory of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tse-tung thought in study and application the United Front members have engaged themselves in many activities geared to the interests of the broad masses. Mao Tse-tung has stated, "to link oneself

9:30 p.m.
Saturday, Karate-Advanced.
10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
Sunday, Closed.

As one can see from its activities, the United Front members seek to educate the people culturally and in practical matters of their interest and to actively train them in self-defense. The United Front will also assist in the formation of a Workers' Armed Defense

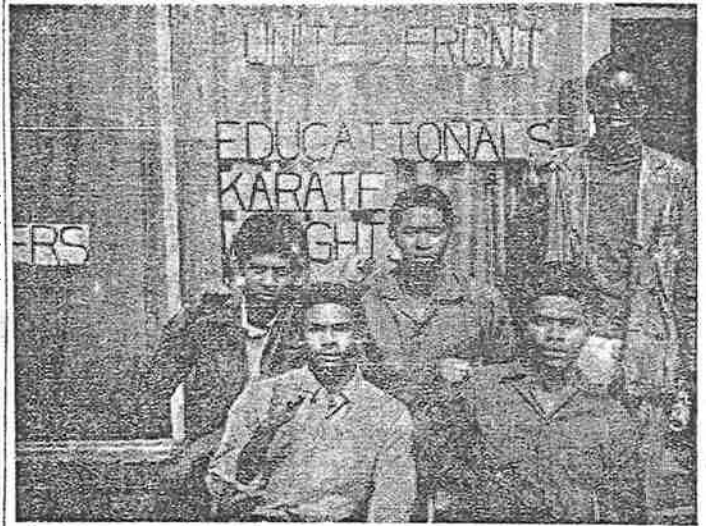
rests on the following points:

1.) The non-violent and pacifist approach was decisively rejected. The people showed their determination to answer the oppressive violence and the force of the police and state by waging a tit-for-tat struggle in the streets. The people showed their willingness to struggle with nothing more than their hands against the well-armed state apparatus.

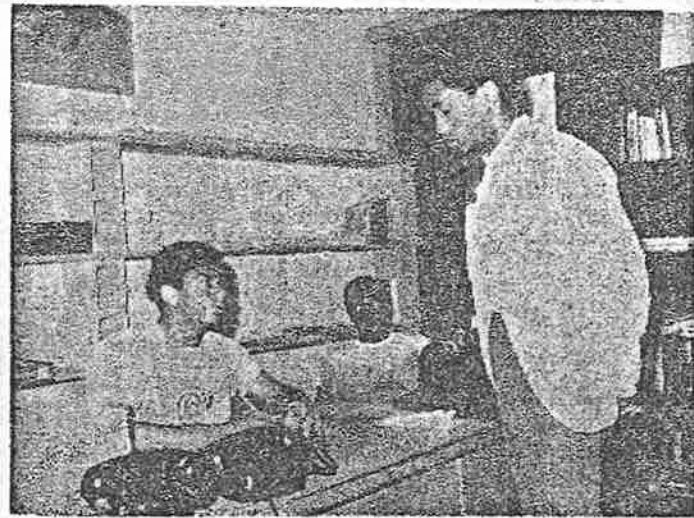
2.) Integration was decisively rejected by the people as a social solution to their exploitation and oppression. It is not possible to integrate the poor with the rich, to integrate the exploited with the exploiters. Integration has meaning for the bourgeoisie, for the rich, but not for the working people. Integration is a ruse to assimilate the American Negro bourgeoisie with the rest of the American bourgeoisie under the pretext of the assimilation of all Negroes in the American nation. With the failure of integration, US Imperialism has dropped that hoax and adopted the "Black Power" hoax to divide the workers on the basis of color as a last line of defense. This new line props up the reactionary nationalists as a source of support for the capitalist system in the US by calling for "Black Capitalism" as does Floyd McKissick of CORE and as does Adam Clayton Powell who used to be the leading spokesman for this Imperialist ruse.

3.) The rejection of the US Imperialist lackeys and the strongest advocates of non-violence and integration reveals clearly that a decisive break was made with the bourgeois leadership of the civil rights movement and that a decisive division had developed along class lines. The heroic struggle of the people of Watts on August 11, 1965 clearly sums up for us the national-liberation struggle in the U.S. today. Concretely stated, it is a need for a specific line of political struggle against US Imperialism and its lackeys, and for a specific form of organization which fosters that struggle, and in which the masses may join and participate.

BUILD THE UF TO OPPOSE IMPERIALISM!
The CPUSA (M-L) calls for the formation of the United Front as the people's weapon against Imperialism. The formation and development of a United Front taking its point of inception from and basing itself on the lessons of the heroic Watts Uprising, can and will serve as the basis for organization against U.S. Imperialism, while carrying out a concrete line of class struggle and opposition to U.S. Imperialism. The United Front must represent the concrete



LEADING MEMBERS of the Los Angeles U.F. outside of local office in Watts at 11856 S. Main St., Los Angeles.



N. THABITI, Los Angeles Branch Secretary, at his desk in Party offices at 11858 S. Main St., Los Angeles.

with the masses, one must act in accordance with the needs of the masses." Keeping this in mind and having done investigation in the community, the United Front conducts the following activities:

SUMMER SCHEDULE

- Monday, Karate class, beginners, 3:30-5:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, Weight lifting, 10:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, Karate, Advanced, 3:30-6:30 p.m. Public meetings, educationals, 7:30-8:30 p.m.
- Thursday, Weight lifting, 10:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.
- Friday, Open, 10:30 a.m.-

Group and a Red Women's Detachment. The United Front in Los Angeles is a Watt's based organization concentrating its organizing among the most oppressed and exploited sections of the Negro national minority.

FUTURE PLANS FOR AUGUST 11TH

The importance of August 11th, 1965 must be remembered and thoroughly understood by the people. The Watts Uprising was far more than just a riot. It represented for the American proletariat a new level of struggle against U.S. Imperialism. The significance of the Watts Uprising

application of the revolutionary, mass political line of the Party of the proletariat, and form its organizational embodiment so that workers may have the widest possible opportunity to play an active role in overthrowing U.S. Imperialism.

The CPUSA (M-L) calls for the commemoration of the deaths of our martyred working class comrades and brothers who were shot down by US Imperialist National Guards and police. The US Imperialists have, on the other hand, called for a "darkie" carnival, that is, the Watts Summer Festival, to humiliate the heroic people of Watts and to cover up for the police and National Guard murder of 34 workers in Watts in August 1965. Our Party views the Im-

perialist sponsored Watts Summer Festival as a direct act of provocation against the proletariat.

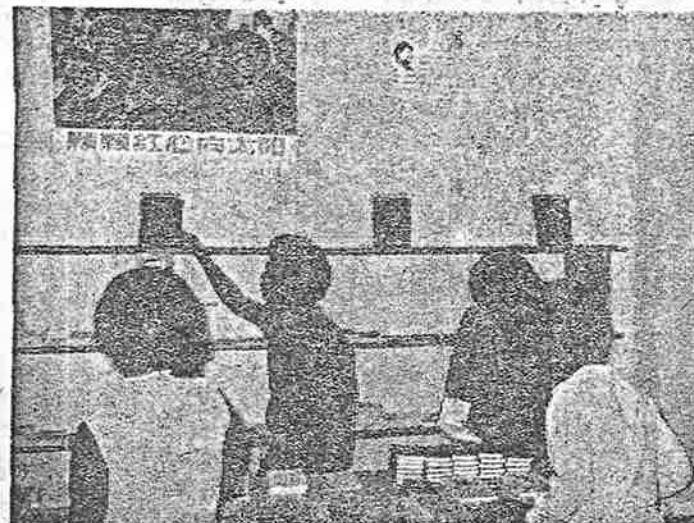
The Party will be conducting activities along with the United Front in commemoration of our martyred dead and in opposition to this Imperialist carnival. As was stated in the first issue of the newspaper *People's Voice*, August 25, 1965:

"We pledge to carry forward the struggle that our dead brothers and comrades have begun . . . In their memory we pledge to destroy US Imperialism!" **POWER TO THE WORKERS! POWER TO THE PROLETARIAT!**

*Mao Tse-tung, "The United Front in Cultural Work," Selected Works, Vol. III, Peking, People's Publishing House, 1944, pp. 236-37.



KARATE PRACTICE IN U.F. GYM—Instructor (right) Earl Johnson takes a rifle from Brother Kaidi.



YOUNG PEOPLE OF WATTS browsing through Marxist-Leninist classics in the Workers International Book Store, 11858 S. Main St., Los Angeles.

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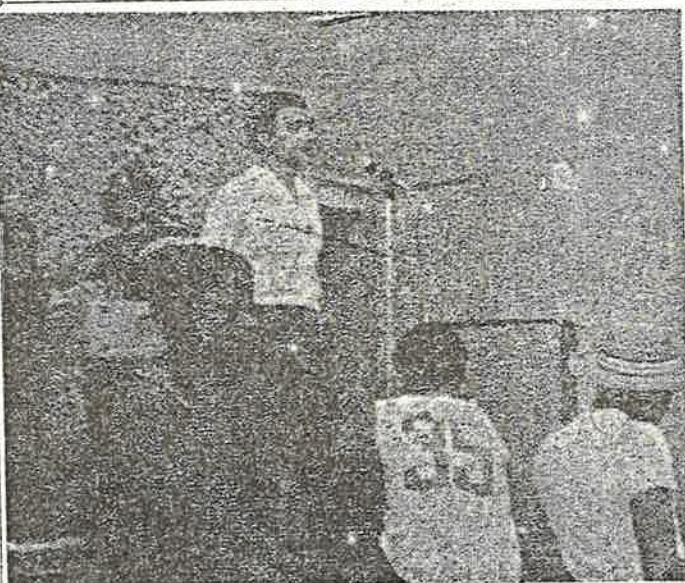
by J. Leake

The United Front has just opened an office in the New York City area, sharing facilities with the Workers International Bookstore and the east coast offices of the New Worker and the CPUSA (M-L). This office is in the heart of the Lower East Side, a working class district primarily composed of the Puerto Rican national minority, but also including Black, white, Ukrainian, Italian, Jewish, and Chinese workers. The Lower East Side has been a traditional ghetto for immigrant workers of many nationalities, with a long history of militant workingclass struggles. International Woman's Day, which was originally International Working-women's Day, March 8th, came from a violent demonstration of socialist needle-trades and garment-industry workers who were overwhelmingly, and still are, working women, in 1908 in Tompkins Square. The Lower East Side has also been the scene of many militant rent strikes and tenants' struggles, with the East Side Tenants Council, still in existence, and dating back 40 years.

In the past decade, the Lower East Side has been used as a "testing-ground" for dozens of "ghetto-pacification" projects, heavily funded by the city, state, and federal capitalist governments. Every major "anti-poverty" agency has been tried out in this neighborhood. There have also been concerted efforts by the capitalist class in New York City, primarily by the Rockefeller family, to break up the Lower East Side, with grandiose schemes of Manhattan Expressways, middle-income housing projects, etc. In the past few years, the basic problem of the workers and unemployed have been covered up by the capitalist-controlled media by continued references to the "East Village," and the numbers of runaway "dropouts" and "hippies" and "culture." However, this hovers on the edges; the basic problems, east of avenue A, and below Houston Street, remain the problems of the working people, both employed and unemployed, and no amount of bullshit about the "East Village" and the "hippies" can conceal the realities of oppression and exploitation on the Lower East Side, the miserable conditions of housing, the schools, the uncollected garbage, the butcher-shop hospital facilities, the sweat-shops of the garment industry, many in the Lower East Side itself, the sisters prostituting themselves for a fix, the thousands of addicts and alcoholics, and the ever-present police, maintaining and preserving the entire situation by violence and the threat of violence.

UF Hits Root of Problems

The United Front is being organized on the Lower East Side, as in all districts, on the basis of fighting these conditions at their roots. These conditions arise directly from the nature of the society we live in, from the capitalist system, and we have no illusions that these things can be totally removed without the removal of the entire capitalist and imperialist system, without a fundamental change, without a proletarian revolution. The United Front relates to the immediate tasks of providing leadership to the struggles against these conditions, educating the people in



N.Y.C. BRANCH LEADER, Jonathan Leake, speaking following Tompkins Square Rally on Sunday, June 9.

the course of the struggle to the need for a fundamental change. The United Front participates in the organization of Block associations, such as the "12th Street People," where we maintain, along with other progressive-minded people, the need to base these block organizations on the actual struggles of the people, the tenants, mothers on welfare, the unemployed youth, and the workers. Members of the United Front have printed and distributed leaflets, taken part in regular weekly meetings of the "12th Street People," and a member of the United Front is serving as a provisional co-chairman of the block association.

Working Women in the Struggle

The first organizational meeting of the Red Women's Detachment took place at United Front Headquarters June 29 following the community-wide rally in Tompkins Square the same afternoon. A major aspect of struggle for workingwomen on the Lower East Side will be participation in upcoming mass welfare actions planned for June 30, July 1st and 2nd by the NWRO. Prior to their meeting, the Red Women's Detachment has issued a leaflet advancing a programmatic mass line of struggle coupled with the program of the United Front of which the RWD is an integral part. Sister-comrades of the RWD will develop agit-prop cadres to undertake with

conscientious effort the raising of political consciousness among workingwomen in a broad-based anti-imperialist movement. RWD will initiate Mao-Tse-tung thought study groups, practice criticism and self-criticism within its ranks, put itself to the struggle test, and rely on this to strengthen and improve its membership.

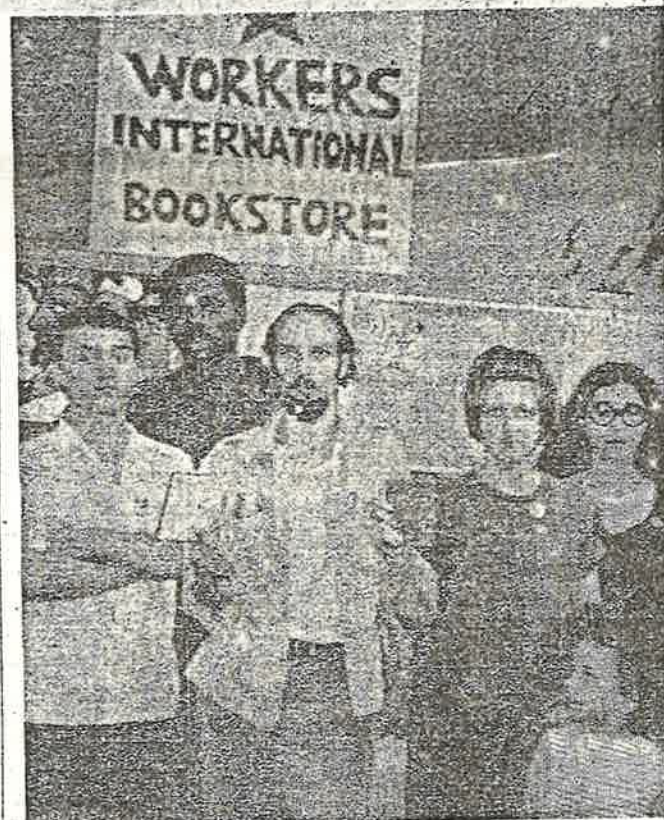
On June 26th, representatives of the United Front met with representatives of the Union of Community Skills, Tompkins Square Community Center, and other groups, towards the setting up of cooperative and united actions of a number of groups on the Lower East Side, including welfare groups, food-buying cooperatives, and local churches. The primary objective of this unity is getting the Tompkins Square Community Center building back in the hands of the people in the community. This building, which had been used for more than a year by large numbers of people in the community, and which had become an organizing center for many areas of struggle, was seized by a massive police force, 23 squad cars, at 3 o'clock in the morning the night of February 14th, and the building has been locked up since then. Besides the question of the building, this meeting has laid the basis for further cooperation in the organization of block patrols, developing technical skills such as printing and electro-

karate and self-defense, and in the formation of a united and broad based grouping of all revolutionary and progressive forces in this area. The U.F. has participated in a mass rally Sunday June 29th in Tompkins Square with these forces.

The United Front has the task of uniting the working and oppressed people of all nationalities, and this is the best possible area for this, the Lower East Side comprising the widest diversification of languages, cultures, and national backgrounds of any area in New York City. We must struggle in a non-antagonistic way against the narrow nationalist tendencies, which correctly oppose U.S. Imperialism, but which have a limited view of the potential for oppressed workers of all nationalities to unite in firm revolutionary solidarity. The United Front is guided by Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tse-tung Thought, by the scientific ideology of proletarian revolution, which enables us to see beneath the surface of differences of nationality, and un-

derstand, and ultimately overthrow, the common exploitation and oppression of all working people at the hands of capitalism and imperialism. Our work is set out for us: Education, Agitation, Organization, and Struggle. We aim to unite all sections that are oppressed, youth and students, persons on welfare, tenants, but we must look for leadership to the working men and women, and to the proletariat in the heavy industries in New York City, to the workers on the docks, on the subways and buses, in the garment industry. We aim to unite with the rank-and-file forces in these and other industries, who are fed up with the reactionary union bureaucracies, who recognize the bankruptcy of the revisionists, Trotskyists and pseudo-radicals, and who are genuinely searching for alternatives, for revolutionary strength, for Marxist-Leninist leadership.

The United Front will hold regular weekly meetings every Wednesday at 7:30 at the headquarters of the United Front at 700 East 9th street, between Avenues C and D.



PARTY MEMBERS and friends at the newly opened Workers International Book Store and Party offices at 700 E. 9th St., New York City.

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RED NOTEBOOK by observer

WHY CZECHOSLOVAKIA? The day after the August "Czech crisis" occurred, one of the guys at work asked me to lay the line on him: Why did it happen? Even though it would take almost a week for the Hsinhua Daily News Release covering the matter to arrive, I nevertheless felt that I had enough information at hand from the bourgeois press to have a good idea of what occurred.

It all goes back to the

armies in the SU and the other socialist countries in Europe. Originally they were set up to serve as pressure on the imperialist forces in NATO and to protect the socialist countries from any revisionist invasion. However, with the takeover by the Soviet renegade revisionist cliques and comparable cliques in the other socialist countries, the various Red armies became tools of the cliques. In order to reinforce their control of the armies, they instituted a repitious series of training maneuvers so to keep them busy. After a day's work, the troops would be limited to their bases and have a planned "recreation" program. Until November, 1964 there was an educational program featuring the works of Nikita S. Khrushchov; since that time the readings have been more eclectic, featuring various Soviet academicians. It hasn't been very popular, however.

No Disturbing Moves Please

The soldiers all attend the evening movies. Once upon a time, they played the various film classics which are internationally known and which have been shown at U.S. "art movie" houses, such as Eisenstein's "Strike," "Potemkin," "October," "Alexander Nevsky," and so on, or Dozhehko's "Arsenal," or "Shore." They have stopped showing them, however, because it would start up disturbing talk among the workers as to who their real enemies are, why they weren't struggling against the imperialists who commit aggression against the world's peoples time and time again every day. So, instead, continuing their collaboration with the imperialists at every level, the renegade revisionist cliques started using old films made in the U.S.

These films included numerous westerns such as those featuring Hopalong Cassidy, Johnny Mack Brown, and Gene Autry and others made during the 1930's. Also included were all of the films made by Shirley Temple while she was a child movie star. The officers chose their films very, very carefully, making sure they did not injure the morals of their troops with American movies. Because of this, sex films or even love interest beyond the prim and proper hand holding were not allowed. So, it happened that the only "sex" symbol that the troops saw continuously was little Miss Shirley Temple, and her films became their all-time favorites. They would watch them time after time, night after night. They loved Shirley Temple.

Let's Share Shirley

So, here we are in Prague, August, 1968 and who should visit Prague but Mrs. Shirley Temple Black now (as termed

by a San Francisco newspaper) a "40 year-old matron," but still Shirley Temple. She is visiting Prague on business as one of the directors of the International Multiple Sclerosis Foundation (a CIA front if I've ever heard of one.) Something like this cannot happen without anyone knowing it, so soon after Mrs. Black showed up in Prague to bask in the "new freedom" of Czechoslovakia, word came to the Czech officials from army leaders in Eastern Europe for the Czechs not to hoard her to themselves, but invite the young lady to visit the other Socialist countries. Now while the KGB had, of course, thoroughly infiltrated the International Multiple Sclerosis Foundation and knew what was happening, and had passed the information onto the military army, the Czechs didn't have the faintest idea of what was happening. This was another example of their "new freedom." However, undaunted by a complete lack of information, they told the Soviet army officer over the phone (exercising some more of their "new freedom"), "Shirley Temple is ours, not yours we are now free to initiate ties to the west without having to go through you people, so put that in your pipe and smoke it!"

The Czech intelligence people could have told them what was what, but at the moment they were all busy going through their files "rehabilitating" old traitors into "national heroes" and fading out one-time national heroes into obscurity. When the task was completed, they would compile official biographies for the current new heroes for new editions of reference works, libraries, etc., while deleting or downgrading the old heroes. Some more of their new freedom.

My Fans, My Fans!

Rebuffed at this uppity Czech official, the Soviet Army officer sent a communique to all Warsaw Pact commanders that Shirley Temple was in Prague and that she wanted to meet all of her loyal fans. "That should fix that Czech," the Soviet officer thought to himself. The reaction to this announcement was electric excitement. The built-in desires and repressions and tensions that armymen would have after living through 12 years of revisionist control were coming to the surface; they all mobilized as one in their tanks, troop carriers, and jet planes, heading for Prague. All two hundred thousand of them.

When word reached the Czech official that armored columns of troops were coming across the borders at numerous points, he gasped, "That officer was serious . . . the troops really do want to see Shirley Temple." The rest

is, of course, history known to everyone. Orders were passed out not to resist, after all why fight over letting them see little Miss Shirley Temple . . . Even when they saw her they did not recognize the now 40 year old Shirley Temple. They were searching for a sweet, curly haired, smiling nine-year old girl.

Shirley Who?

While the troops and their tanks spread out to all parts of Czechoslovakia in search of Shirley, the KGB, making full use of the opportunities afforded them, arranged a caravan of Americans and assorted other westerners to leave the country, carefully infiltrating the group with their agents dressed up in long hair and shaggy beards as hippies or as fat businessmen. Romania, knowing full well the threat that a Shirley Temple poses to their country, immediately sent troops to her borders to secure them from any "sneak attacks" from any Shirley Temples, alleged or real. When Dubchek was flown to Moscow and questioned as to why he aroused the troops of the Warsaw Pact by refusing to let them see Shirley Temple, he is reported to have asked, "So who is Shirley Temple, Comrades?"

Why Czech? - II

The Soviet intervention into Czechoslovakia brings up some questions concerning the Soviet Union's foreign policy and its relations with other nations, socialist or capitalist. (1) Why is it that the SU intervenes with a massive military force into another country claiming that it was under the threat of counter-revolutionary attack when (a) this country, Czechoslovakia, had an army of its own ready and willing to defend it (b) and without making any thrust at all (militarily, diplomatically, propaganda-wise, etc.) against the real enemy, the revisionist elements in West Germany? The SU, GDR, Poland, and Czechoslovakia have all published all sorts of pamphlets and books over the past ten or 15 years documenting the revival of Nazism in the Federal Republic (West Germany) and their aims to regain the German holdings in the east, to say nothing of CIA-financed espionage groups such as the Gehlen Organization. There should be no confusion as to who the enemy is. (2) For years the SU has attempted to reply to criticism from China about how the SU is very niggardly in their support of revolutionary movements around the world by stating that they cannot do this until the liberation movement becomes a legal government. This was the approach to China. While the People's Liberation Army was advancing on all fronts, and the Chiang Kai Shek government was retreating fur-

NEW YORK LEADER AWAITS SENTENCING LATER THIS MONTH

A leading member of the CPUSA (M-L) and the United Front in New York City is presently under indictment by the reactionary legal authorities of the city. Last July 23rd, in the midst of a broad spontaneous uprising of workers and youth of the Puerto Rico national minority on the Lower East

Side of New York, he was arrested on the street by plainclothes agents of the capitalist police forces, special "anti-riot" police units in to supplement the regular occupying army of uniformed police, taken to the 9th precinct station, where keys to his apartment were taken from him, and he was booked on four charges: excitement to riot, malicious mischief, and damaging public property. The charges claim that he instructed persons to throw various objects at the police, and that he himself broke a police car window, causing \$250.00 damage to "city property."

Harassment of Revolutionaries

This comrade, Jonathan Leake, who was not a member of the CPUSA (M-L) or the United Front at the time, but who has been well known for his revolutionary activity in



COMRADE J. LEAKE
Eastern Regional Secretary

ther and further south, the SU not only continued official diplomatic relations with the Chiang regime, they beat a retreat with them. The SU commenced diplomatic relations with the People's Republic only on 3 October 1949, two days after the proclamation of the founding of the Republic. Otherwise, the SU said, they stayed out of the affairs of another country unless that country attacked them, on the basis of some sort of international legality. If this is so, then why Czechoslovakia? On the other hand, why did the SU sit on their hands while the CIA backed an armed force to overthrow the legal government of Guatemala in 1953? Or the government of Mohammed Mossadegh in Iran at about the same time? Can it be that the SU operates on the principle of "Heads I win . . . tails you lose," establishing Eternal Values whenever they feel it will justify some immediate situation only to discard it later like yesterday's newspaper?

this area, was released on bail after three days, has appeared before the Grand Jury in New York, and is due to appear July 15th before the Supreme Court of the City of New York. Because he has no prior convictions, it is not expected that he will face imprisonment; however, these indictments are not restricted to individuals but are part of the general repression and harassment directed against all advanced sections of the revolutionary forces in New York City and nationally.

The capitalist courts and police serve the interests of the ruling class. The "peace" which they wish to preserve is the "peace" of a graveyard, where all opposition and dissent is crushed. The law which they defend is the law of the rich, which values property far above human life. The order is no order at all but the chaos of the dog-eat-dog bourgeoisie society which is staggering towards final destruction by the proletarian revolution. We do not fear the police or the courts. Our brothers and sisters in Vietnam are standing up to the armed forces of Imperialism, laden with the heaviest and most powerful weapons in the imperialist arsenals. Surely we can stand up to the machinery of the police and the courts at home! Chairman Mao says; "It is good if we are attacked by the enemy, since it proves that we have drawn a clear line of demarcation between the enemy and ourselves." To be attacked by the U.S. Imperialist ruling-class and its agents and lackeys is not a bad thing, but a good thing! Comrade Jonathan Leake, and the other Comrades of the New York section of the CPUSA (M-L) and the United Front will continue the arduous task of educating and organizing the proletariat and the workers of oppressed nationalities in the Lower East Side and throughout this area! We will dare to struggle and we will dare to win!

EDITOR'S NOTE

This satirical article by Observer may leave some questions in the minds of some readers. The position of the New Worker is one of full support of the views expressed by the C.P.C. on the matter of Czechoslovakia. We thoroughly oppose the imperialist intervention of the Soviet Revisionists and fully support the just struggle of the Czechoslovakian people. We further condemn the revisionist policies of the Dubchek regime, which under the lead of the Soviet Revisionists has sold socialism down the river.

—EDITOR

"The founders of Communist theory, Marx and Engels, advanced the fighting slogan, 'Workers of all countries, unite!' This slogan has educated and inspired workers all over the world and stimulated united struggle by the working class for its emancipation. The international unity of the proletariat advocated by Marx and Engels is one of struggle to fulfill its great historical mission on a world-wide scale.

"Succeeding to the cause of Marx and Engels, Lenin carried Marxism forward to a new stage. Leninism is Marxism of the epoch of imperialism and proletarian revolution. Lenin steadfastly persevered in international proletarian unity on the basis of Marxism. In the historical conditions of rising struggle of the oppressed nations against imperialism, he put forward the fighting slogan, 'Workers and oppressed nations of the world, unite!' This slogan stimulated united struggle by the working-class movement of the countries in the West and the national liberation movement of the oppressed nations in the East. It represented a still broader unity of the international revolutionary forces.

"In the light of the new changes in international class relations and the balance of forces after World War II, Comrade Mao Tse-tung advanced the slogan of establishing an international united front against U.S. imperialism. This united front has the unity of the international proletariat at its core and the unity between the international proletariat and the oppressed nations as its foundation. It means uniting closely with the masses of the people, who constitute over 90 per cent of the world's population, uniting with all the political forces subject to U.S. aggression, control, interference or bullying, and making use of every possible contradiction, all for the purpose of isolating U.S. imperialism, the main enemy of the people of the whole world, to the maximum extent and dealing it the hardest possible blows. This is the way to mobilize all the positive factors conducive to world revolution for the achievement of victory in the people's revolutionary struggle in every country. It is a strategic principle of vital importance formulated by Comrade Mao Tse-tung on the question of world revolution in the new historical conditions" (Editorial Departments of Renmin Ribao and Hongqi, "Refutation of the New Leaders of the CPSU on 'United Action'" (Peking, 1963), p. 1f.).

With communist greetings,

Detroit, Michigan

Your comments are most apt and quite correct. The suggestions will be followed.—EDITOR.

June 11, 1969

I received the free copy of *New Worker* and read it, especially the Announcement on page 2 where the present situation of the C.P.U.S.A. (M-L) is discussed. I'll have to say I'm thoroughly confused as to which "Communist Party" really speaks for the oppressed.

Now there are three "Communist Parties" in existence. One is the "Hall-Healey clique. The other is the "Lustig-Hoffman group." And now there's the—yep, you guessed it—the CPUSA all over again, led by "M. I. Laski."

It seems when one party denounces the U.S. aggression in Vietnam, it hasn't done so loud and emphatic enough; so it is too "revisionist" and the other party screams for a surrender of U.S. troops just to be more pro-National Liberation Front. (After all, the Yankee aggressors are such "imperialist" criminals that they must surrender rather than just give up.) I read about the "Hoffman-Lustig group" and I've read their view of the "situation" and both say the same thing!

And how about membership? If there's five people in the Laski clique and the deviation Hoffmans have a "group," then am I supposed to believe in the one that best villifies their opponents? No! I give up right there! How do I know if you (Laski) is really a "renegade" who "exhausts comrades' resources . . . and gambles with party money in Nevada." Only villification, eh? Well, in my own sensitive observation, I don't doubt some of the things Hoffman said about you in the "bogus issues." It appears that both the silly little outfits are only renegade cliques! And maybe I'm wrong!

But thank you so much for the drops of revolutionary water I was given in the form of another exclusive "representative of the oppressed" voice, the *New Worker*.

Maybe I'll buy some copies of *New Worker* occasionally just to follow what's going on in the CPUSA (M-L) forces. I don't want to subscribe. At least now I don't. I soon have work and can then be able to send generous contributions and get my "subscription."

Tonight I graduate from 12 years of bourgeois "education" and I am a dismal failure, I hate to say, to the ruling class society. Their assembly line of reactionaries and potential Capitalists stops to a dead halt when I am next! ("Subversion").

Comradely yours,
F. R. Sather, San Bernardino, Cal.

Dear Confused: There are over a half dozen "Communist organizations" in our country with more on the way. Investigate not only what is said but what is done. This may resolve your confusion.—Editor.

Albanian Anti-Fascist Congress 25th Anniversary

Albania Warmly Celebrates 25th Anniversary of First Anti-Fascist National Liberation Congress
TIRANA, May 25 (Hsinhua)—A grand meeting was held to mark the 25th anniversary of the first anti-Fascist National Liberation Congress of Albania which falls on May 24. It was held in Permet, the place where the Congress was held 25 years ago.

Enver Hoxha, first secretary of the Central Committee of the Albanian Party of Labour, Haxhi Lleshi, president of the Presidium of the People's Assembly, Mehmet Shehu, chairman of the Council of Ministers, and other Albanian Party and state leaders, delegates of the Permet Congress and veteran fighters in the war of national liberation attended the meeting.

People's China Given Invitation

Keng Piao, Chinese ambassador to Albania, and staff members of the Chinese Embassy were present on invitation.

Hysni Kapo, member of the Political Bureau and Secretariat of the Central Committee of the Albanian Party of Labour, spoke at the meeting.

He said that on the proposal of the Albanian Communist Party (the predecessor of the Albanian Party of Labour) and under its direct care the first anti-Fascist National Liberation Congress was held in the liberated city of Permet 25 years ago. It was a great Congress.

First Congress in Permet

The Permet Congress, he continued, was an exploit performed by our Party and its long-tested leader comrade Enver Hoxha. The great historical merit of the Party lies in that it has never separated the question of the liberation of the motherland from that of the seizure of political power by the people. The Party's correct and far-sighted line and leadership were the decisive factors which led the people to hold the Permet Congress and to win complete liberation of the whole country and victory of the people's revolution in Albania.

25 Years of Change

Referring to the current situation in Albania, comrade Kapo pointed out that radical changes have taken place in Albania over the past 25 years. Albania has become a great and impregnable bastion of Socialism; holding aloft the banner of Marxism-Leninism and advancing in the van in revolution and in the struggle against imperialism and modern revisionism. By virtue of its resolute and principled stand and struggle for the cause of the proletariat and the oppressed people. Socialist Albania has set a shining example for the revolutionary people and Marxist-Leninist forces throughout the world.

Revolutionary Advance

Comrade Kapo gave an account of the revolutionization movement which is unfolding vigorously in Albania. He said that the fundamental aim of the whole great process of the further revolutionization of the country's life into which the Albanian people have plunged themselves lies in ensuring the uninterrupted ad-

vance of the revolution in our country to Socialism and Communism, and ensuring the complete and thorough victory of the Socialist road over the capitalist road.

He went on:—We should further develop the Socialist revolution in depth in all realms, redouble our efforts to promote Socialist construction and successfully fulfill the tasks laid down in the fourth five-year plan, especially the tasks for this year. We are building Socialism under the condition of being encircled by imperialism and revisionism geographically, and many enemies are hostile to our coun-

COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA M-L HOLDS MEETING

PEKING, Jul 1 (HSINHUA)

—The Communist Party of India (Marxist-Leninist) was founded on April 22, 1969. This was announced by the All India Co-ordination Committee of communist revolutionaries in a communique issued on the same day.

The communique said: "The all India co-ordination committee of communist revolutionaries, which met in a plenary session from 19th to 22nd April, 1969, announces the formation of the revolutionary party, Communist Party of India (Marxist-Leninist) based on the thought of Mao Tse-tung on 22nd April 1969, the one hundredth birthday of great Lenin—a task it set itself eighteen months ago, in November 1967."

try therefore, we should constantly maintain a high degree of revolutionary vigilance, raise the armed forces, and the people's preparedness against war to a still higher stage, be ready at all times to

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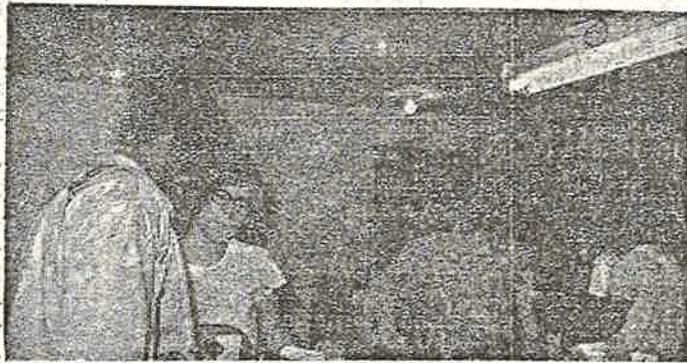
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or the need to struggle for them. Nor are we opposed to more working class influence in community matters. We will fight squarely for these

water, and in its endorsement of the McCarthy candidacy, and its unlimited support of "left liberal" candidates. The revisionist Party has come to



MASSI, Black Panther Party Central Committee member and former U.F. (M-L) member, left, following a meeting at BPP offices, Los Angeles. The meeting, 7-3-69, was called to prepare the BPP and Revisionists for the "Anti-Fascist" conference in Oakland scheduled for the weekend of July 18.

things, but we will never look upon these things as ends in themselves nor as a replacement for revolutionary struggle and the overthrow of the capitalist system.

The Black Panther leadership sold itself and its followers. The revolutionary peoples of the United States and the world will come to understand the nature of this sellout soon enough.

The revisionist Communist Party has as its primary objective a sharing of power with the imperialists. This political objective revealed itself in the wild support for Johnson when he opposed Gold-

water, and in its endorsement of the McCarthy candidacy, and its unlimited support of "left liberal" candidates. The revisionist Party has come to understand that conditions are changing and have very carefully laid plans to take the revolutionary nature of the change into account. The revisionists must capture or intimidate the new revolutionary forces in our country, especially those emerging in the trade union ranks and the industrial proletariat. The vehicle will be the Black Panther Party, and it will be ridden to its death to accomplish the formation of a third party, a "People's Party" which will embody the liberal formulations which are to be revealed

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The newspaper needs STAFF WRITERS, CARTOONISTS, SECRETARIAL HELP. If you are interested in writing for a proletarian newspaper either full or part time and can do misc. secretarial work (note taking, typing, etc.) we need you. Must be willing to work in L.A. Room and board and small stipend provided. Send resume. Editor, NEW WORKER, 11858 S. Main Street, L.A., Calif. 90061.

BAIL BOND FUNDS URGENTLY NEEDED

The following is a list of bail bond premiums paid to date of publication. The bail bond represents 10% of the actual bail and is not refundable.

- April 1969
- \$ 41.00—Nommo Thabiti Possession of a concealed weapon and theft of a weapon.
- \$ 62.50—Nommo Thabiti
- May 1969
- \$ 62.50—Lamont Burke Bail money loaned.
- July 3, 1969
- \$125.00—Nommo Thabiti General harassment and misc. charges.
- \$150.00—Lawrence Bowie Bail money loaned.
- \$441.00—total bail expense to date.

URGENT REQUEST FOR BAIL FUNDS—Contributions are requested to build a bail fund of \$500.00 for national use of the Party and United Front. All funds sent for bail purposes will be used exclusively for that purpose and accounted for in each issue of the New Worker. Send contributions to Secretariat, 11858 S. Main St., Los Angeles, Calif. 90061. Make checks payable to Secretariat.

at this "Anti-Fascist Conference."

There is no need under the circumstances of this conference for Marxist-Leninists to support it. In fact, it would be an error for them to attend. They would be barred from projecting a line of true revolutionary struggle.

Albania

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defend the motherland and deal shattering blows to any aggressor or any coalition of aggressors no matter where they come from.

Success of 9th National Congress

A clear evidence of this situation is the successful convening of the Ninth National Congress of the glorious Communist Party of China which is a great victory of Socialism with world significance, comrade Kapo said. The historic significance of the Congress lies in the fact that it is the outcome of the decisive victory of the great proletarian cultural revolution, that it has smashed the sinister counter-revolutionary Bourgeois line of the renegade, hidden traitor and scab Liu Shao-chi and has affirmed the complete victory of the all-conquering thought and revolutionary line of comrade Mao Tse-tung, the great leader of the Chinese people, the strategist of germs of revolution and the great Marxist-Leninist.

Imperialist Hopes Shattered
The Ninth National Congress of the Chinese Communist Party, he said, has shattered the hopes of the imperialists and the modern revisionists to take the bastion of China from within. It has armed the 700 million Chinese people with a modern programme for steadily pushing forward the cause of revolution and Socialist construction, and turning great people's China into a stronger bastion of Socialism and the freedom of the peoples.

International Significance
The significance of the Ninth Annual Congress of the Chinese Communist Party has gone beyond China's boundary. Its victory is of great international significance. It is a heavy and crushing blow to all imperialists, revisionists and reactionaries in the world. It marks a new stage not only of the development of the revolution in China, but also of the world revolution. This is why our Party, our people, the Marxist-Leninists and revolutionaries throughout the world enthusiastically acclaimed the Ninth Annual Congress of the Fraternal Chinese Communist Party.

June Publication Report

In each issue of the NEW WORKER, there will appear a complete report of all costs and an accounting of income. There will also appear a listing of general circulation information.

Costs of publishing 5,000 copies of 4-page tabloids:
Engravings\$10.00
Composition and Printing\$209.00
Sub Total\$219.00

Costs of Distribution:
National Mailing Bulk Rate 1,000 Copies.....\$36.00 approx.
General Mailing Costs\$15.00 approx.
Foreign Cost\$25.00 approx.

Sub Total\$76.00 approx.
Total Cost of July 1969, Vol. 1, No. 1, New Worker \$295.00

Circulation Information:
400 Library Reference (approx.)
1,000 National-General Mailings (approx.)
100 Foreign Mailing (approx.)
2,500 West Coast
1,000 East Coast
5,000 Total

Total funds on hand for publication June 1, 1969:
\$500.00 from Contributors
\$295.00 Full cost of June issue

\$205.00 Balance for July issue
\$71.00 Received from subs & contributions for July issue

\$276.00 on hand for July issue

—EDITOR

P.R.P. STRUGGLE

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the primary error and direction of the bourgeois line, within the proletariat and its political forces is the right opportunist line, but we must be constantly vigilant as regards the forms of right opportunism which take on a "left" guise, and Trotskyism is the cesspool from which this combination draws its main nourishment and support.

PRP Split
The split in the PRP was a principled split, arising from the irreconcilable contradictions between the proletarian revolutionary line, defending the living armed ideology of Marx, Engels, Lenin, Stalin, and Mao Tse-tung, and the bourgeois revolutionary line attempting to formulate a grotesque and impossible combination of genuine Marxism-Leninism with the pseudo-theories of the traitor Trotsky.

The experience of the struggle between the two lines in the PRP lays the basis for the unification of the proletarian revolutionary forces in the PRP with the main force representing Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tse-tung thought in the U.S.A. The comrades and cadres who have correctly upheld the line in the PRP have further evaluated and consolidated this experience, and look forward to joining the ranks of the Communist Party of the U.S.A. (Marxist-Leninist) with the full and open airing of views, rejecting a formalistic unity without clarity, but ensured of the potential and necessity of this unification, based on the common accept-

ance of the correct and unwavering world leadership of all genuine revolutionary struggles, the great and glorious Communist Party of China led by Comrade Mao Tse-tung, and the Albanian Party of Labor, led by Comrade Enver Hoxha.

Rejecting not only the revisionists and Trotskyists of the CP, SWP, etc. and their total bankruptcy, but also the conciliators of revisionism, the PLP and other tendencies posing as "Marxist-Leninist," the genuine Marxist-Leninist sections of the PRP have initiated contact with C.P.U.S.A. (M-L) towards this unification, and we have been filled with enthusiasm at the response of the comrades of the C.P.U.S.A. (M-L) who have proposed a conference towards this unification.

China Recognizes Vietnam Government

PEKING Jul. 1 (HSINHUA) Vice-Chairman Tung Pi-Wu accepts letter of credence presented by Ambassador Nguyen Van Quang.

—Tung Pi-Wu, vice-chairman of the People's Republic of China, today accepted the letter of credence presented by Nguyen Van Quang, first ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to China of the provisional revolutionary government of the Republic of South Viet Nam. He had a very friendly and cordial talk with the ambassador.

Present on the occasion was Han Nien-Lung, Chinese Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs.

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