

## MAO'S DICTUM ON PARTY RECTIFICATION HAILED

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[Text] Peking--Chairman Mao recently said: "The party organization should be composed of the advanced elements of the proletariat; it should be a vigorous and vital organization of vanguards which can lead the proletariat and the revolutionary masses in struggle against the class enemy."

The publication of this great instruction of Chairman Mao's at the beginning of the new year, at a time when the country is advancing toward all-round victory in the great proletarian cultural revolution, has given enormous encouragement and a lesson to proletarian revolutionaries, revolutionary people and cadres, and the masses of Communist Party members loyal to Mao Tse-tung's thought. The instruction has provided them with a sharp new ideological weapon and new combat strength.

With great emotion, they say that this latest instruction by Chairman Mao marks a new development of the Marxist-Leninist theory on party-building and a great program for party rectification.

They pledge that they will diligently study the instruction, grasp all its meaning, and carry it out promptly and resolutely. In the unprecedented great proletarian cultural revolution, they say, they will repudiate the revisionist line in party-building pushed by China's Khrushchev, do their utmost to carry out Chairman Mao's proletarian line in party-building, and successfully fulfill the glorious tasks of rectifying the party organizations and strengthening party-building. In this way, the great, glorious, and correct Communist Party of China will be purer and stronger and all the more will become a vigorous and vital organization of vanguards which can lead the proletariat and the revolutionary masses in struggle against the class enemy.

When this great program formulated by our great leader Chairman Mao for party rectification was made known in the New Year's Day editorial of PEOPLE'S DAILY, RED FLAG, and LIBERATION ARMY DAILY, proletarian revolutionaries, revolutionary people, and the masses of party members everywhere immediately held discussions and launched a vigorous mass campaign for the study, propagation, and implementation of Chairman Mao's line on party-building.

A meeting convened by the Shanghai municipal revolutionary committee on 2 January called on proletarian revolutionaries and revolutionary people throughout the city to make Chairman Mao's latest instruction the key link, vigorously study Chairman Mao's proletarian line, and repudiate the revisionist line pushed by China's Khrushchev in party-building. It was pointed out that this study and repudiation would lay the ideological and organizational rectification would be undertaken among Young Communist League, Red Guard, and revolutionary mass organizations in order to usher in the all-round victory of the great proletarian cultural revolution.

Representatives of the No 7 radio factory, the Shanghai garrison of the Chinese People's Liberation Army, and the No 1 department store related their experience in launching a mass campaign of study and repudiation with regard to party rectification. They pledged to study diligently and carry out Chairman Mao's latest instruction to the letter, so as to make new achievements in rectifying party organizations and strengthening party building, and win all-round victory in the great proletarian cultural revolution.

Revolutionary masses and Communist Party members in many Peking factories, schools, and government institutions have studied Chairman Mao's latest instruction and further understood the vital significance of rectifying of party organizations and strengthening party-building in the great proletarian cultural revolution. When party members loyal to Mao Tse-tung's thought and revolutionary workers at the repair works of the Peking Municipal Motor Transport Company studied Chairman Mao's works concerning party-building, they linked this up with the history of the struggle between the two lines in the party and further realized the greatness of Chairman Mao's proletarian line for party-building and the harm in the revisionist party-building line pushed by China's Khrushchev.

Inspired and guided by Chairman Mao's latest instruction concerning present party rectification, the revolutionary workers and party members in the factory are determined to study well and carry out Chairman Mao's proletarian line for party-building and in the new year carry out the work of rectifying party organizations and strengthening party-building well.

The revolutionary people and the party members in the departments of the party committee of Inner Mongolian Autonomous Region warmly hailed Chairman Mao's great program concerning party-building and unanimously considered it a great happiness for the entire party and the entire people. They said the world had entered the new era with Chairman Mao's thought as its great banner. Rectification of party organizations according to Mao Tse-tung's thought, carrying out Chairman Mao's proletarian revolutionary line, and carrying the great proletarian cultural revolution through to the end in China are tied up with China's future and destiny and with the future and destiny of the proletarian revolution. The issuing of Chairman Mao's latest instruction concerning party-building has pointed out the orientation to further build the party into a strong revolutionary bastion.

A leading member of the Revolutionary Workers Rebel Headquarters in Shantung Province said that rectifying party organizations and strengthening party building were the most important concerning China's future and destiny for 1,000, even 10,000 years; and also an important combat task in the new year.

"We will study and foster Chairman Mao's proletarian line for party-building on a large scale, criticize and destroy China's Khrushchev's revisionist line of party-building in a big way, and build the highest form of our proletarian class organization--the Communist Party of China--into a more vigorous and vital organization of vanguards which can lead the proletariat and the revolutionary masses in struggle against the class enemy," he said.

In studying Chairman Mao's latest instructions, proletarian revolutionaries, revolutionary masses and cadres, and broad sections of Communist Party members in different places expressed their determination to make the great thought of Mao Tse-tung and Chairman Mao's latest instruction on party rectification their powerful weapon.

to further carry out the great mass criticism of the revisionist line of party-building followed by China's Khrushchev, and eliminate its pernicious influence so that Chairman Mao's proletarian line in party-building would forever guide the great, glorious, and correct Communist Party of China to march forward victoriously.

Inspired by Chairman Mao's latest instruction, the revolutionary workers at the Peking general knitwear mill are now starting a mass movement to study Chairman Mao's proletarian line for party-building and criticize and repudiate the revisionist line of party-building pursued by China's Khrushchev. They pointed out that, at present, destroying China's Khrushchev's revisionist line of party-building politically, ideologically, theoretically, and organizationally; fostering Chairman Mao's proletarian line for party-building; rectifying the party organizations; and strengthening party-building are important signs in the development in depth of the great proletarian cultural revolution and also a great task entrusted us by history.

In Hangchow, in Chekiang Province, more than 6,000 revolutionary people and People's Liberation Army commanders and fighters attended a report meeting on Chairman Mao's line in party-building on the afternoon of 3 January. Representatives speaking at the meeting declared that to vigorously study Chairman Mao's proletarian line in party-building, to repudiate the revisionist line of party-building of China's Khrushchev, and to rectify the party organizations and strengthen party-building is a great task for winning all-round victory in the great proletarian cultural revolution. We must resolutely fulfill it.

The proletarian revolutionaries and revolutionary masses of the Kweiyang Geochemical Institute of the China Academy of Sciences have studied Chairman Mao's latest instruction over and over and implemented it in a sweeping manner. For the past few days, they have held many meetings at which they took Chairman Mao's latest instructions as their weapon and vigorously exposed and criticized the revisionist line of party-building pursued by China's Khrushchev.

They quoted the great leader Chairman Mao: "The force at the core leading our cause forward is the Chinese Communist Party. The theoretical basis guiding our thinking is Marxism-Leninism." They pointed out that China's Khrushchev and the handful of other top party persons in authority taking the capitalist road, in their attempt to realize their criminal plot to restore capitalism in China, first of all, attacked the Chinese Communist Party founded by our great leader Chairman Mao himself, opposed his proletarian line for party-building, followed a revisionist line of party-building, and tried to turn our Marxist-Leninist party into a revisionist party and change the color of all China. "We absolutely cannot tolerate this! We will resolutely hold high the great red banner of Mao Tse-tung's thought and totally criticize the revisionist line of party-building pursued by China's Khrushchev, and thoroughly repudiate and completely discredit it," they said.

While studying and discussing Chairman Mao's latest instruction, the members of the study course in Mao Tse-tung's thought sponsored by the preparatory group for the Kwangtung provincial revolutionary committee criticized and repudiated the reactionary "docile tool doctrine" of China's Khrushchev and his revisionist program of party-building--the sinister "self-cultivation."

They pointed out that in advocating the reactionary "docile too doctrine" and "self-cultivation behind closed doors" that betrays the dictatorship of the proletariat, China's Khrushchev attempted to make the masses of Communist Party members and cadres into his tools for restoring capitalism. "We will firmly carry out Chairman Mao's latest instruction and strive to become proletarian revolutionary fighters holding the great red banner of Mao Tse-tung's thought aloft and always siding with the revolutionary masses to attack the class enemy. We will always follow Chairman Mao's teachings, and resolutely support whatever corresponds to Mao Tse-tung's thought and oppose whatever does not," they declared.

When Chairman Mao's latest instruction on party rectification was made known, the masses of party members, who are loyal to Mao Tse-tung's thought, and proletarian revolutionaries and revolutionary people all over the country responded enthusiastically. In many places, specific programs and plans for rectification have been worked out. In some units where rectification work was carried on earlier, experiences have been exchanged. People are determined to follow the great program for party rectification advanced by Chairman Mao and to build the great, glorious, and correct Communist Party of China into a purer, stronger, and more vigorous and vital one, so that the party, led by the great leader Chairman Mao, will be able to fulfill in a better way the historic task of making continuous revolution under the dictatorship of the proletariat.

The preparatory group for the Honan provincial revolutionary committee seriously studied and discussed Chairman Mao's latest instruction and formulated plans for party rectification and appointed certain experimental units in some cities, regions, and counties in order to gain experience.

The Sinkiang district revolutionary committee in Harbin made the following three arrangements for rectification: 1) organize party members and other people to seriously study Chairman Mao's proletarian line for party-building and his latest instruction on the question; 2) immediately launch a big movement throughout the whole district to repudiate the revisionist line of party-building followed by China's Khrushchev; and 3) firmly grasp party members' ideological and political work, organize them to conscientiously study Chairman Mao's works and help them achieve a correct viewpoint of themselves and the masses.

The Hsinhua printing house in Hunan Province is now mobilizing the masses to work out a plan for all-round rectification of the party organizations. The revolutionary workers at this mill said that they would follow Chairman Mao's latest instruction and fulfill this task. Vanguarders of the proletariat who have emerged in the cultural revolution should be admitted into the party, and those who are traitors, spies, and stubborn capitalist-roaders must be expelled. As for the small number of party members who made serious mistakes, it is necessary to educate them and help them raise their political consciousness, mainly through study courses in Mao Tse-tung's thought.

The Central China Engineering Institute in Wuhan has had two terms of study courses on rectifying party organizations under the guidance of Mao Tse-tung's thought and 500 people attended. Encouraged by Chairman Mao's latest instruction, they have summed up their experience in the previous courses and are now making preparations for the third term.

Units belonging to the Tientsin Aquatic Products Bureau recently began work on party rectification by using the form of the study course in Mao Tse-tung's thought. Many party members who took part in these courses said that the present cultural revolution was the most serious test, an all-around examination, and the deepest education for every party member. They said that they would use the great thought of Mao Tse-tung as their weapon, thoroughly remold their world outlook, and always be servants of the people. They accepted criticisms and help from the masses modestly. In their spare time, some of them took the initiative to ask for the opinions of the masses.

The revolutionary masses said with satisfaction that by rectifying the party organizations in accordance with Chairman Mao's proletarian line for party-building, the great, glorious, and correct Communist Party of China would surely grow purer, stronger, and more vigorous and vital than ever. It would lead the people throughout the country still better in holding high the great red banner of Mao Tse-tung's thought and seizing all-around victory in the great proletarian cultural revolution.