SHUT PAPER WORK IN THE NEW YORK DISTRICT

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Besides the obvious, the closing of the shop-paper work in the New York district creates a great many serious problems for the Party. Workers are no longer reached by a leading medium in the political fight, workers do not have an open forum to discuss their problems with other Party activists which are considered necessary, a periodical which should attract wide attention for its erudition and mass recognition in the New York District can no longer be published. Other District newspapers have been delayed in various ways and they have not been able to keep up with the demands of such a periodical as the Current Paper. The Community Party is our only newspaper and the only medium through which we can reach a large section of the Party workers.

I. THE PAPER'S ROLE

The Daily Worker started forty years ago and has been a powerful weapon in the hands of the Party, a tool for the education of the workers, a voice of the Party and a means of propaganda. The Daily Worker has never been published without the approval of the Party and it has always been a major instrument of the Party's struggle.

II. THE DECISION TO CLOSE

The decision to close the Daily Worker was taken at the recent National Committee meeting. The decision was made after careful consideration of the current situation and the need for the Party to focus on other forms of propaganda.

III. THE FUTURE

The future of the Daily Worker is uncertain. It is possible that it may be revived in the future, but this cannot be guaranteed. The Party is considering alternative ways of reaching the workers, such as through radio, social media, and other forms of digital communication.

The Party is committed to the struggle for socialism and the establishment of a workers' government. The Daily Worker and other forms of propaganda are essential tools in this struggle.

The Party is grateful to all those who have contributed to the Daily Worker over the years and we look forward to continuing the work of educating and mobilizing the workers for the socialist revolution.