

The Resolution of Comrade Gitlow

That we instruct the incoming National Committee to restate our position on the question of the general line of the C. P. S. U. along the following lines:

1. That we reaffirm our position in favor of the Five-Year Plan, which includes the speediest possible construction of heavy industry and the collectivization of agriculture as the prerequisites for the building up of socialism in the Soviet Union.

2. That we criticize the line adopted by the leadership of the Soviet Union in the fulfilment of the Five-Year Plan pointing out the errors made:

(a) Thru the factional use of the Five-Year Plan in the party of the Soviet

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Union and in the International (b) The party regime. (c) The mistakes towards the peasantry in the collectivization of agriculture. (d) On the mistakes made in the collectivization of agriculture. (e) On the question of quality of industrialization. (f) On the question of light industry. (g) On the methods adopted for the correction or errors.

3. That we further criticize and point out that our disagreement with the line of the leadership of the C. P. S. U. on the questions of the Comintern.

4. That we point out the difficulties faced by the C. P. S. U. in carrying out the Five-Year Plan due to the backwardness of the Russian masses, the effects of the economic crisis, the acuteness of the war danger.

5. That we reiterate in spite of the errors and mistakes made by the C. P. S. U. leadership our support of the Soviet Union, its achievements, the example it sets for the world proletariat and our pledge to defend the Soviet Union in the event of a war against the S. U. to the maximum of our ability and with all our resources as the center of proletarian revolution and the fatherland of the working class and oppressed masses the world over.