UNITY RESOLUTION UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED BY THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE Y. W. L.

Forward to League Unity!

"In the League there are no longer any differences on political questions! The League completely and unquestionably accepts the decisions of the E. C. C. I.! A decisive struggle against the right danger—against the right elements which openly or covertly lead a fight against the line of the Executive of the Comintern! The unity of the League! The consolidation and utilization of all Communist forces! The unanimous support of the N. E. C.! Real mass work! A mass League!" These are the slogans upon which the remains of factionalism generated almost two years of struggle in the League and Party and remaining after the recent Party and League conventions have finally been liquidated and **complete, organic, unity established in the Young Workers (Communist) League of America.**

Altho the decisions of the Comintern, the fourth convention of the W. P., and the third convention of the Y. W. L. had removed the political basis for the internal differences in the organization, the remains of the factional spirit naturally hung over and did not disappear immediately in the ranks of our League. It also began to grow apparent that the position of Comrade Foster and those who agree with him in his attitude on the relation of the Comintern to the American Party was becoming the center of crystallization of a right wing fraction and was tending to strengthen and group around itself the right wing elements of the Party. On the other hand, signs began to appear of the crystallization of an intermediate group and a new fraction. It was on the basis of the complete liquidation of the remains of factionalism, the struggle against the right dangers involved in the "position of the group that continues to follow the line of Comrade Foster after the cabled decision of the C. I.," "the decisive struggle against the formation of an intermediate group," and the consolidation of all Bolshevik elements in the League, that unity was finally accomplished in the League.

Thru the initiative of the Executive Committee of the Young Communist International, the political committee of the N. E. C. in conjunction with all the members of the N. E. C. who could be summoned considered the situation in the League and finally came to the conclusion recorded in the **unanimously** accepted resolution printed elsewhere in this issue.

This resolution, providing the political basis for unity, is a registration of the fact that henceforth there are no longer any "groups" in the Y. W. L.; henceforth there will not be any "groupings" on committees and in the units of the organization. Henceforth the League is **a united whole.**

With the factional struggle a thing of the past, the League is now turning its face to real mass work. "The N. E. C. declares," the resolution reads, "that the first task on the basis of the accepted political line is to concentrate all efforts to accomplish real mass work by the League. The work in the mills, trade unions, sport organizations and others, reorganization of the League on the basis of shop nuclei, economic and educational work, work among the Negroes, work in the opponent organizations, etc.—these are the tasks which must be made the center of our attention."

A new page has been turned in the history of the Communist youth movement in this country. With united forces, forward to the building of a mass Leninist League of Youth in America!

Our strength lies in unity under the leadership of the Comintern and the Y. C. I.

The Unity Resolution.

The National Executive Committee of the Young Workers (Communist) League, after considering and discussing the situation in the Young Workers (Communist) League, came to the following conclusions:

1. In the League there are no longer any differences on political questions. The League completely and unquestionably accepts the decisions of the Executive Committee of the Communist International and the Fourth Convention of the Workers (Communist) Party and greets the beginning of the process of Bolshevization.

2. Considering that the right danger is great, the N.E.C. declares that it will lead a decisive struggle against all right elements, elements which will openly or covertly lead a fight against the line of the Executive of the Comintern. The position of the group which continues to follow the line of Comrade Foster after the cabled decision of the C. I. tends to

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strengthen the right elements of the Party and to the crystallization of a new fraction. The N. E. C. completely supports the present Central Committee of the Party and calls upon all units of the League for energetic support. The N. E. C. thinks that it is necessary to combine all elements in the Party which honestly want to follow the line of the C. I. The N. E. C. thinks it is necessary to strengthen the work for winning and attracting all vacillating comrades for united work. The League will carry on a decisive struggle against the crystallization and formation at the present time of an intermediate group. The N. E. C. thinks that the logic of the struggle must inevitably bring such a group to a bloc with the right wing elements in the Party and destroy the line of the E. C. C. I.

3. In regard to the League situation, the N. E. C. thinks it is necessary to fight against the remaining factional spirit which seriously prevents the development of the League. The N. E. C. greets those comrades of the former majority who began the fight against the right wing elements and have now taken the logical step towards the complete unification of the league. Complete unanimous united work is possible and necessary. The unity of the League, the unanimous support of the N. E. C., the utilization of all Communist forces—these are the fundamental prerequisites for successful development of the American Communist movement of the youth.

4. The N. E. C. declares that one of the biggest failures of the last convention of the Young Workers (Communist) League was complete neglect of the problems of the Communist movement of the youth.

5. The N. E. C. declares that the first task on the basis of the accepted political line is to concentrate all efforts to accomplish real mass work by the League. The work in the mills, trade unions, sport organizations and others, reorganization of the League on the basis of shop nuclei, economic and educational work, work among the Negroes, work in opponent organizations, etc.—that is the task which must be made the center of our attention. As a first practical accomplishment along this line, the N. E. C. considers it necessary to organize quickly the campaign amongst the striking miners.

A United League! Decisive end to the factional fight! Fight against right dangers and for the line of the E. C. C. I. and for the Central Committee of the Party! Real mass work, a mass League, these are the fundamental slogans upon which the N. E. C. calls all the units of the league to activity and accomplishments.

Herbert Zam, Nat Kaplan, Will Herberg, John Harvey, H. V. Phillips, John Williamson, Al Schaap, Max Schachtman, Max Salzman, Valeria Meltz, Jay Lovestone.

This resolution has the support of the E. C., Y. C. I. and the Central Committee of the Workers (Communist) Party.

Workers and Taxation

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