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REACTIONARY HALL BUREAUCRATS EXPOSED

On December 23, two comrades from the American Red Patriots went to the Hall to talk with progressive Americans and to distribute the ARP Program as well as the first bulletin "Uphold People's Democratic Rights" which is supporting Barbara Biley's struggle against the lackey Imperialist courts. Many people who received the leaflet and program were interested and happy to see that Americans in Toronto were taking an active stand against US Imperialism and its lackey's in Canada. More than 50 programs and leaflets were distributed.

When one of the Hall bureaucrats saw what was being distributed, she wanted to know who had given "permission". Our comrade merely pointed out that he did not need permission to distribute revolutionary literature Americans, that it was his democratic right and proletarian duty to do so. She immediatly ran off to conspire with her fellow reactionaries.

One by one, six reactionary bureaucrats attempted to disrupt the distribution of the revolutionary literature. When the comrades did not go along with their fascist rules and regulations, i. e. that they needed "permission"

to distribute revolutionary literature, the reactionaries next tried to get our comrades downstairs and away from the people, so that they wouldn't have to expose their fascist nature to everyone there. They told our comrades that there were some people who wanted to "discuss" their distributing literature, and that our comrades should go downstairs to "talk" with them in the office. In this way they opposed the mass democratic method of solving contradictions amongst the people, which is to involve all the people and democratically arrive at conclusions. It was obvious that they could get no support from the people and so they attempted to use their arbitrary rules and regulations to implement their fascist method and throw the comrades out. Our comrades simply stated that they weren't interested in "discussion" with bureaucratic reactionaries. The third line they tried was that the Hall was apolitical and therefore couldn't allow the political activity of distributing revolutionary literature. Our comrades pointed out that the Hall is very much political continued on page 2

con't. from pg. 1, HALL EXPOSED and that it is precisely because of the Halls political opposition to anti-imperialist revolution that they so strongly opposed the distribution of the ARP Program and Barbara Biley's statement. Their last ditch effort was to concoct a theory that our comrades were causing a disturbance. This is exactly the same line that the lackey police dream up in their work to serve and protect U.S. imperialism and stop the distribution of revolutionary literature. At this time, one of the Americans there confronted the bureaucrats and said; "These people are causing no trouble. If anybody is causing a disturbance, you are for making such a big fuss over their distributing literature."

After all of these flimsy attempts had failed to stop our comrades, the reactionary bureaucrats tried to intimidate our comrades by telling them that if they didn't stop distributing and leave, they would be physically thrown out in the snow! The fascist nature of these reactionaries was clearly shown when Ted Steiner, Chris Ewing, and another imperialist lackev surrounded one comrade and said, "All right let's go" and "You better leave now". When these flimsy imperialist lackeys were shown that our comrade would fight in defense of people's democratic rights by meeting reactionary violence with revolutionary violence, they ran off.

The Hall claims to be apolitical, but in reality they are very political. They have always attacked the revolutionaries and have consistantly supported US Imperialism. They show imperialist films like "Hiroshima" which propogate the imperialist and counter- revolutionary doom theory. When an anti-imperialist group of Canadian youth from Rising Up Angry went to the Hall to distribute their paper, the Hall bureaucrats went running around madly. grabbing papers away from people who were reading them. They told our friends from RUA they "Would be sorry" if they didn't stop distributing their paper and leave. Similarly, they refused "permission" to start a film program because some of the films advocated a solution to the people's problems.

The Hall claims they want a peaceful com-

munity and they oppose violence. They only oppose the revolutionary violence of the people, saying that the Canadian people and Americans here should sit back and let the imperialists run rough shod over them. But when people stand up and fight back against imperialism, these same "pacifists" are the first to threaten revolutionaries with their reactionary violence backed up by the lackey metro police.

In order to combat the growing revolutionary sentiment of the American people, U.S. Imperialists sponsor agents from within the most opportunist sections of petty bourgeoisie and dress them up as "revolutionaries" of the new generation. It is precisely for this reason that the Hallbureaucrats exist. Monopoly capitalist publishinghouses, national television networks, popular weeklies, and churchorganizations give publicity and support to these petty-bourgeois self-seeking and self-promoting opportunists and careerists who advocate the politics of ecstatic self-indulgence and drug-induced "inner illumination" and withdrawal into the self. The individuals who participate in this kind of activity are called the "New Man". Their minor emotional disorientations the the "New Sensibility". Their aim is to create the "Alternative Society" in the midst of U.S. imperialist culture. Whatever they may be indulging in at any moment is labelled "The Movement".

By and large, "The Movement" is antiintellectual. anti-rational, and opposed to class struggle in the ideological field. The "Movement" activists love confusion and ignorance of history and let the ego express itself in thousands of different forms. It would be insane to undertake a project to make sense of the publications and speeches of "The Movement", but it would be wrong to argue that "The Movement" is inconsistent. It consistently serves the class interest of U.S. imperialism. "The Movement" makes constant efforts to put itself in leading positions with the aim of persuading people that "happenings" egotistic theatrics or obscenities should be substituted for anti-imperialist struggles. "The Movement" may change its stage props in the course of a year, but its basic class

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A.R.P. HAILS THE DECEMBER 9th STATEMENT OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CANADA (MARXIST-LENINIST)!!

Dec 15, the American Red Patriots in Toronto held a meeting of its active cadre to discuss the December 9th statement of the Communist Party of Canada appearing in the Mass Line Vol. 2 Issue No. 37. The following statement was drafted at that meeting—

The American Red Patriots enthusiastically support the December 9th statement of the Communist Party of Canada (Marxist-Leninist). The statement is an excellant summing up of concrete conditions giving the correct guidelines to develop the anti-imperialist revolution in Canada. It is crystal clear to all our comrades who are involved in mass work and have integrated with the people that only by developing the three revolutionary movements will the revolutionary sentiment of the American community be advancing in a stepwise manner. Not to develop the three revolutionary movements is to isolate yourself from the masses and liquidate the antiimperialist revolution in Canada.

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The American Red Patriots call upon all our members and supporters to oppose all counter-revolutionary new left hacks by consciously applying the three revolutionary movements to the concrete conditions facing us today. Only by initiating struggle at the grass roots level can we successfully build a revolution to overthrow the exploiters of our people and establish a bright red socialist state, the People's Republic of Canada and the People's Republic of America.

DEFY FASCIST RULES AND REGULATIONS! UPHOLD PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC RIGHTS! Comrades and friends, develop the three revolutionary movements in a conscious manner:

1) THE WAR OF ANNIHILATION ON THE CULTURAL FRONT: The Revolutionary Movement to combat fascism on the ideological and cultural front,

2) ADVANCE THE RESISTANCE MOVE-MENT: The Revolutionary Movement to oppose fascist rules and regulations, build the Resistance Movement and to establish mass democracy amongst the people. and,

3) THE CANADIAN PEOPLE'S DEMO-CRATIC FRONT TO DEFEAT U.S. IM-PERIALISM AND TO SUPPORT THE NATIONAL LIBERATION OF THE QUE-BEC PEOPLE: The Revolutionary Movement to defeat U.S. imperialism in Canada, support the national liberation struggle of the Quebec people, develop solidarity and support for the national liberation struggle in Asia, Africa and Latin America and to build resolute fraternal relations with the People's Republic of China, People's Republic of Albania and other anti-imperialist and progressive nations.

Following the guidelines of the Communist Party of Canada (Marxist-Leninist) is applying Mao Tsetung Thought to our concrete conditions which is the only way to insure final victory. Read the December 10th Mass Line and apply it as a practical guideline to all political work.

ADVANCE THE THREE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENTS!!

"I AM AN AMERICAN LIVING IN CANADA AND IT IS MY DEMOCRATIC RIGHT AND TO THE CANAD AN PEOPLE TO FIGHT DUTY THEM AGAINST U.S. IMPERALISM!" WITH -Comrade Ann Briggs

Ann Briggs, a staunch anti-imperialist fighter was deported from Canada December 2. 1970. She is an American Red Patriot who had been a landed immigrant for 15 months. Comrade Ann consistently stood on the side of the Canadian working class and oppressed peoples of the world against U.S. imperialism and all its lackeys. Because of her resolute stand, she has earned the fear and hatred of all those who stand on the side of oppression and exploitation.

True to their primary role, "To Serve and Protect U.S. imperialism" and to oppose all who stand on the side of the working class and oppressed people, the lackey police committed a number of crimes against Comrade Ann in a vain attempt to stop her resolute activities.

On July 26th, Comrade Ann was attacked by the metro police at Nathan Phillips Square in Toronto while distributing Mass Line. The paper tiger forces needed four squad cars to abduct the two comrades. The militant comrades were attacked by the real criminals under the hoax of "causing a disturbance" and "resisting arrest".

The women firmly denounced the courts for their consistent support of the lackey police and U.S. imperialism. Suggesting that anyone who opposes fascism and U.S. imperialism is insane the judge ordered the women held for a mental examination. Outraged by this implication, Ann and her comrade went on hunger strikes for the 10 days they were held, defying the comprador jails along with the courts.

Comrade Ann was again attacked by the lackey police on August 7th while postering at King and Dufferin. The poster denounced Zionist aggression in Palestine and supported the National Liberation struggle of the Palestinian people. Again Ann and another comrade waged militant struggle which brought out a lackey militia of 8 squad cars and one paddy wagon to kidnap the 2 revolutionaries off the street.

Ann made this statement to the U.S. lackey court:

"I AM AN AMERICAN LIVING IN CANA-DA AND IT IS MY DEMOCRATIC RIGHT AND DUTY TO THE CANADIAN PEOPLE TO FIGHT WITH THEM AGAINST U.S. IMPERIALISM!"

Comrade Ann further persisted on Sept. 20 during a demonstration opposing Zionism, tool of U.S. imperialism, and in full solidarity with the Palestinian people in their struggle for the liberation of their homeland. Because of this unwavering stand, she was attacked by the U.S. lackey Metro police, along with 6 other comrades.

The court sentenced her to a \$50 fine due in 30 days, which she refused to pay.

Taking the road of active resistance to all attacks by the U.S. lackey police, Comrade Ann was again arrested in Hamilton on Oct. 10th. She was participating in a militant demonstration in support of the leading spokesman of the Communist Party of Canada (Marxist-Leninist), Robert A. Cruise, who took up the gun to defend Progressive Books and Periodicals in Hamilton. Again proving that all reactionaries are paper tigers, Ann fought against the attacks of the police until it took 5 lackey police to get her to the ground

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PHOTO SHOWS A YOUNG COMMUNIST IN CLEVELAND MAKING A CONCRETE APPLICATION OF THE THREE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENTS, BY COMING TO THE AID OF A COMRADE WHO WAS ATTACKED BY THE FASCIST POLICE

AMERICAN SOLDIERS LAUNCH INCREASINGLY EXTENSIVE STRUGGLES AGAINST AGGRESSIVE WAR, FASCIST PERSECUTION

Peking, December (Hsinhua) -- With the vigorous development of the American people's revolutionary struggle against the U.S. monopoly groups and their reactionary policies at home and abroad, soldiers in the U.S. armed forces have launched increasingly extensive struggles against the U.S. war of aggression and fascist persecution. This is a major component part of the current mounting revolutionary movement of the American people. It reflects the extensiveness and the depth of the development of the American people's revolutionary struggle.

By starting the war of aggression in Indo-China, the U.S. monopoly groups have not only committed a monstrous crime against the people of Viet Nam, Laos and Cambodia, but also brought bitter calamities to the American people. Only the U.S. monopoly capitalist class gains profits out of the war. More and more American soldiers have realized that this is an "unjust, illegal" and "dirty" war of aggression. They are no long-er willing to serve as cannon fodder for the U.S. monopoly groups. The daily cruel fascist persecution of and racial discrimination against soldiers taking place in the U.S. armed forces have also aroused more and more widespread dissatisfaction and resistance. U.S. journals revealed that the

number of American soldiers who deserted or went "awol" has sharply increased in recent years. The rate of desertion in the U.S. armed forces reached 2.91 per cent in 1968 and sharply increased to 4.24 per cent in 1969. There was one deserter in every tenminutes on the average in 1969, but there was one deserter in less than five minutes on the average during the period from January to September this year. In these nine months the number of deserters totalled 81,000. American soldiers also resorted to going "awol" as a form of resistance against the reactionary ruling circles. In 1969, the number of American soldiers going "awol" to-talled 200,000. When mass demonstrations against the war of aggression took place in many cities in the United States this year, American soldiers in barracks went on sick call or went "awol" in groups to manifest their support for the revolutionary mass struggle. A U.S. officer at Fort Dix deplored that never in his 20 years' service in the army had he seen soldiers of whole platoons resisting the military.

In recent years, soldiers' secret organizations against the war of aggression have reached several dozens and their underground papers have come to more than 70 in number. The soldiers' antiwar activities have spread continued on page 7

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from within the United States to the U.S. troops stationed abroad. Among the U.S. troops stationed in Japan alone, there are four soldiers' papers against the war of aggression.

Those American soldiers who opposed the war of aggression declared in their papers: the American soldiers have the right to refuse to obey "orders to fight in the illegal, imperialist war in Southeast Asia"; "no troops to be used against anti-war demonstrators"; "no troops to be used against workers on strike"; and "no troops to be sent into Black ... communities". When the Nixon administration instigated the Jordanian reactionaries to carry out sanguinary suppression of the Palestinian guerrillas and plotted to dispatch U.S. troops for direct intervention, American soldiers stationed in Aschaffenburg, West Germany handed out leaflets to expose the plot. Recently, American soldiers at the U.S. air base in Fukuoka city of Japan published a paper entitled "Young Americans for a New Direction", calling on the American soldiers to "rise up in riot from within the U.S. armed forces".

It is precisely under the promotion of such organizations and papers against the war of aggression that the American soldiers' spontaneous and sporadic struggles have gradually developed into organized, extensive mass struggles against the aggressive war and fascist persecution. This is an important development of the American soldiers' struggle against the U.S. ruling circles. In the past year, protest meetings and demonstrations have frequently been held by tens or hundreds of soldiers at military bases both in the United States and abroad to openly denounce and oppose

the ruling circles' policies of aggression and war and fascist persecution. Soldiers' struggles against the war of aggression also broke out this year at military bases where no organized resistance had ever occurred. In the mammoth nation-shaking struggle of the American people last May against the Nixon administrations invasion of Cambodia to expand the war of aggression, solilers at more than 20 military bases in the United States walked out of their barracks and joined the local masses of people in their protest rallies and demonstrations.

On October 31, when the American people held new broad-scale anti-war demonstrations in more than 30 cities, a large number of U. S. soldiers agains walked out of their barracks to join in the struggle. They denounced Nixon's so-called "new initiative" on Indo-China and insistently demanded the immediate pullout of the U.S. aggressor troops in Southeast Asia. The city of Austin, capital of Texas state, alone winessed a turnout of over 300 servicemen and veterans. Earlier, 1,700 servicemen had signed a petition demanding "the immediate and unconditional withdrawal of all American troops from Viet Nam in order that the Vietdamese people may settle their own affairs".

On the battlefields of the U.S. war of aggression, refusals by the rank and file to carry out combat orders have been frequent. When U.S. imperialist chieftain Nixon ordered his aggressor troops in Viet Nam to invade Cambodia, a number of soldiers of the 3rd battalion, 8th infantry, 4th division of the U.S. army refused to go along. Last June, a Vietnam-bound U. S. navy destroyer was withheld from action for two months as its machinery was continued on page 15

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PEOPLE OF THE WORLD, THE U.S. AGGRESSORS AND MAO T

May 20

A new upsurge in the struggle against U.S. imperialism is now emerging throughout the world. Ever since World War II, U.S. imperialism and its followers have been continuously launching wars of aggression and the people in various countries have been continuously waging revolutionary wars to defeat the aggressors. The danger of a new world war still exists, and the people of all countries must get prepared. But revolution is the main trend in the world today.

Unable to win in Viet Nam and Laos, the U.S. aggressors treacherously engineered the reactionary coup d'etat by the Lon Nol-Sirik Matak clique, brazenly dispatched their troops to invade Cambodia and resumed the bombing of north Viet Nam, and this has aroused the furious resistance of the three Indo-Chinese peoples. I warmly support the fighting spirit of Samdech Norodom Sihanouk, Head of State of Cambodia, in opposing U.S. imperialism and its lackeys. I warmly support the Joint Declaration of the Summit Conference of the Indo-Chinese Peoples. I warmly support the establishment of the Royal Government of National Union under the Leadership of the National United Front of Kampuchea. Strengthening their unity, supporting each other and persevering in a protracted people's war, the three Indo-Chinese peoples will certainly overcome all difficulties and win complete victory.

While massacring the people in other countries, U.S. imperialism is slaughtering the white and black people in its own country. Nixon's fascist atrocities have kindled the raging flames of the revolutionary mass movement in the United States. The Chinese people firmly support the revolutionary struggle of the American people. I am convinced that the American people who are fighting valiantly will ultimately win victory and that the fascist rule in the United States will inevitably be defeated.

U.S. IMPERIALISM WILL BE DEFEATED!

, UNITE AND DEFEAT ALL THEIR RUNNING DOGS! TSETUNG

20, 1970

The Nixon government is beset with troubles internally and externally, with utter chaos at home and extreme isolation abroad. The mass movement of protest against U.S. aggression in Cambodia has swept the globe. Less than ten days after its establishment, the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia was recognized by nearly 20 countries. The situation is getting better and better in the war of resistance against U.S. aggression and for national salvation waged by the people of Viet Nam, Laos and Cambodia. The revolutionary armed struggles of the people of the Southeast Asian countries, the struggles of the people of Korea, Japan and other Asian countries against the revival of Japanese militarism by the U.S. and Japanese reactionaries, the struggles of the Palestinian and other Arab peoples against the U.S.-Israeli aggressors, the national liberation struggles of the peoples of North America, Europe and Oceania are all developing vigorously. The Chinese people firmly support the people of the three Indo-Chinese countries and of other countries of the world in their revolutionary struggles against U.S. imperialism and its lackeys.

U.S. imperialism, which looks like a huge monster, is in essence a paper tiger, now in the throes of its death-bed struggle. In the world of today, who actually fears whom? It is not the Vietnamese people, the Laotian people, the Cambodian people, the Palestinian people, the Arab people or the people of other countries who fear U.S. imperialism; it is U.S. imperialism which fears the people of the world. It becomes panic-stricken at the mere rustle of leaves in the wind. Innumerable facts prove that a just cause enjoys abundant support while an unjust cause finds little support. A weak nation can defeat a strong, a small nation can defeat a big. The people of a small country can certainly defeat aggression by a big country, if only they dare to rise in struggle, take up arms and grasp in their own hands the destiny of their country. This is a law of history.

People of the world, unite and defeat the U.S. aggressors and all their running dogs!

PEOPLE OF THE WORLD WILL WIN!

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JOE HILL

Joe Hill, son of a worker and an organiser of the working class, was executed by the state for defending the rights of American workers to politically organize. As a member of the I.W.W. and a songwriter, Joe Hill's life is a symbol of the uncompromising spirit of the American working class to bring about the final defeat of the U.S. ruling class.

The main contradiction in the United States since its very beginning and now is the contradiction between the bourgeoisie and the working class. The class struggle in the United States has been one of the bloodiest and most brutal of the international working class movement. The so-called founder of American democracy, George Washington, sent out his army to put down the rebellions of the workers. In the Haymarket massacre five working class organisers were hanged for leading the struggle for the eight hour day. President Roosevelt, lauded as a defender of the working class, dispatched the National Guard to thwart the auto workers in the great sit-down strike at Flint. In the United States "land of Liberty" there has never been democracy for the working class - the history of the United States has been the history of continual repression by the state when workers have stood up for their democratic rights. Red scares, the Palmer raids, the frame-up of the Rosenbergs and the hundreds of cases of harrassment and arrests of progressive Americans are examples of the most ruthless political repression.

The life of Joe Hill reflects the spirit of the American working class when its class consciousness was highest and struggles most militant. He played a leading role in many of the major strikes organised and took an open stand against the imperialist war of the bourgeoisie. His songs became important tools of propaganda for the workers' struggles and the greatest source of encouragement and solidarity for workers on the picket lines. On January 10, 1914 Joe Hill was convicted of the slaying of a Salt Lake City grocer and ex-cop - one of the most blatant frame-ups in the history of the United States. His sense of selflessness and utter devotion to the working class are reflected in everything he did. While he was sick and starving in prison, he would write home saying he was fine. Never once did he forget class struggle.

The history of the American working class is fired with the militant spirit of Joe Hill and the hundreds of organisers like him. It is fired by the undying struggle of rank and file workers for better working conditions and against expl ation, militarism and racism. Progressive Americans must learn from the lives o these martyrs and continue their struggle until the final victory of socialism user the Dictatorship of the Proletariat.

On November 19, 1915 Joe Hill was executed by the state, shot with four dum-dum bullets. We are inpired by the life of Joe Hill.



The proletariat is the greatest class in the history of mankind. It is the most powerful revolutionary class ideologically, politically and in strength. It can and must unite the overwhelming majority of people around itself so as to isolate the handful of enemies to the maximum and attack them.

New Wrath of the American People - "People's Daily" Commentator's Article

Peking, November 3 (Hsinhua) — The "People's Daily" today carries a commentator's article entitled "New Wrath of the American People". Full text of the article reads: The raging flames against U.S. imperialism's policies of aggression and war burst out once again in the United States. On October 29 when U.S. imperialist chieftain Nixon delivered a deceitful speech in San Jose, angry masses hurled eggs, stones and bottles at him. On October 31, powerful demonstrations swept dozens of cities in the country. The revolutionary mass movement of the American people is developing vigorously.

The great leader Chairman Mao pointed out as early as more than 20 years ago: "Within the United States, there are people's democratic forces which are getting stronger every day." The march of events has constantly borne out this brilliant thesis.

The U.S. monopoly capitalist groups have seized fabulous profits through aggressive wars while the broad masses of the American people have been thus subjected to deep misery. While slaughtering the peoples in Indo-China, U.S. imperialism has massacred black and white people at home. The interests of the U.S. monopoly oligarchy are fundamentally opposed to those of the broad masses of the American people. The contradictions between them are irreconcilable. So long as the reactionary rule of U.S. imperialism has not yet been overthrown, these contradictions will not only always exists, but will inevitably develop and sharpen with every passing day. It is precisely because of this that the revolutionary struggle of the American people will rise further.

Nixon was telling a glaring lie when he said that there is only a "minority" in the United States who opposes the expansion of the war of aggression by U.S. imperialism in Indo-China, while most of the people "support" him. He called those who "support" him the "silent majority". Nixon has no knowledge of mathematics at all. Who after all is the majority and who the minority? It is only too obvious that Nixon and his ilk and the American monopoly capitalist class they represent are only a handful-while the American workers, the oppressed black people and other minority nationalities, poor peasants, revolutionary intellectuals and other revolutionary people constitute more than 90 per cent of the total population of the country. Today, they are no longer the "silent majority", but are the awakening majority, the indignant majority and the fighting majority. The destiny of the United States will invariably be decided by the American people.

U.S. imperialism is beset with troubles at home and abroad, and has a very hard time.' In his speech on October 31, Nixon cried out in alarm: "If we do not choose the tough-minded approach to violence, we will allow violence to gain a terrible momentum". The U.S. imperialist chieftains who have long resorted to counter-revolutionary "violence" to suppress the American people cruelly are now feeling "terrible" and trembling in face of the people's violence. The day when the American people's revolutionary strength "gains momentum" which Nixon is much afraid of, will be the day of destruction for U.S. imperialism. It can be said with certainty that although the Nixon administration carries out fascist suppression of the revolutionary mass movement in the United States with large numbers of reactionary troops and police, it will only stir up greater revolutionary wrath among the American people. The American people will continue to oppose Nixon's counter-revolutionary violence with revolutionary violence. Through the joint struggle of the people of the United States and the world over, the days of U.S. imperialism are numbered.

OPPOSE FASCIST VIOLENCE WITH REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE!







SEVERAL PROGRESSIVE YOUTH REPLY TO THE COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE OF THE MONOPOLY CAPITALISTS WITH REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE OF THE PROLETARIAT AND OPPRESSED PEOPLE. ON DEC. 1, THE HITLERITE PASCIST KY, NOTORIOUS TRAITOR TO THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE. SPOKE IN SAN FRANCISCO. 3, 500 OF THE REVOLUTIONARY MASSES ROSE UP TO DENOUNCE HIM AND FIGHT VALLANTLY WITH THE 50 PASCIST POLICE CALLED OUT TO PROTECT THIS ADMITTED WAZI.

RESIST ALL FASCIST ATTACKS? FREE BARBARA BILEY? "My interest is the liberation of my people from the yoke of U.S. imperialist domination and exploitation" COMRADE BARBARA BILEY'S STATEMENT TO THE COURT DECEMBER 17, 1970

On December 1, the armed forces of the Canadian fascist state invaded Progressive Books and Periodicals at 721 Gerrard Street East, a bright red Communist bookstore, established and maintained by Canadian and national minority workers. For resisting with all our force this fascist invasion of the bookstore and the private residence above, my comrade Mary Hoffman and I have been charged with "obstructing police" (in serving a search warrant) and "assaulting police".

At 1:30 pm over a dozen ununiformed thugs broke into the apartment above Progressive Books and Periodicals, Ltd., having already entered the store and attacked the manager, a Greek national minority worker. They showed no search warrant, either in the store or in the apartment, and never identified themselves as police. When we resisted this fascist Gestapo-like invasion and fought back against these thugs we were thrown to the floor, sat on and handcuffed. Hours later we were told that the fascist police had had a warrant to search for incendiary materials. In fact, their actions were to ransack every room except the front of the store which could be seen by the people. Newspapers, notes, photographs, passports, personal papers, bookstore records and other documents were stolen and fingerprints were taken from the walls, tables, cups, doorways, etc. In the basement a bundle of clothing was stuffed under the flame of the hot water heater to start a fire and burn down the store. Just like Hitler burned down the Reichstag and blamed the communists, the Canadian fascist police, under the pretext of an "arson" warrant, attempted to burn down a revolutionary bookstore. In the police station for two hours, Comrade Mary and I were slandered, called "filthy sluts" and "whores", told that we were not Canadians but "filthy pigs" and when we denounced the fascists and spat on them, were slapped around. The logic of the fascists is to charge the people with the crimes committed against them by the police. THERE CAN BE NO QUESTION OF WHETHER OR NOT THE PEOPLE HAVE THE RIGHT TO

"OBSTRUCT" AND "ASSAULT" FASCISTS LIKE THESE ! Fascist goons, with the approval and collusion of the police, have launched many attacks

raserst goons, with the approval and collusion of the police, have launched many attacks on the 14 locations of Progressive Books and Periodicals, Ltd., in Canada and Quebec. In Hamilton and Halifax it has been necessary to defend the bookstores with guns after repeated attacks -- physical attacks on the store workers, bricks through the windows, firebombs, and threats. In Montreal 150 police attacked Progressive Books and Periodicals, Ltd., on July 3rd, ransacked it and arrested 24 people, including 4 customers. Since the War Measures Act the Canadian lackey government has attempted to close down all 8 stores in Quebec. Fascist attacks by the police and other thugs have been made on every store in Canada and Quebec. None have succeeded in stopping the dissemination of Mao Tsetung Thought and

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Comrade Barbara Biley - Chairman of the Canadian Student Movement and member of the first Mao Tsetung Propaganda Team.

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and snatch her from the ranks of the people. Comrade Ann was carrying a picket sign stating the truth, "Judge Morrison, murderer", and for this she was charged for "defamatory libel", "resisting arrest", "assaulting police", and "causing a disturbance".

In the courtroom, Ann maintained that she has been charged because she simply exposed the plot of the bourgeois courts to murder Comrade Cruise, and that her arrest was an attempt by the bourgeois authorities to cover up this plot. The fascist attacks instigated by the U.S. lackey police on the communist bookstore in Hamilton have been going on since it opened, and the Nazi"War Measures Act" had legalized all of this kind of action going on across Canada and Quebec previous to the fascist legislation. Comrade Ann denounced the court for its never-ending collusion with the police against progressive people and for its attempt at assasinating Robert Cruise.

In late September, she took part in organising a meeting of the American Progressive Study Group, now American Red Patriots, to mobilize active support for Mary Hoffman, a comrade also ordered deported for her staunch anti-imperialist stand. The meeting clearly pointed out the following:

American immigrants, especially those patriots who have correctly refused to serve in the imperialist army, constantly experience the fascism and racism of the immigration department. Because of the political stand American patriots have taken, the fascist immigration department is making it increasingly difficult to settle in Canada. It is well known that the RCMP is working hand in hand with the CIA. In British Columbia, American agents have already crossed the border and abducted "deserters". In addition, the immigration department is using threat of deportation in a vain attempt to keep immigrants from exercising their democratic rights to actively participate in politics.

In every instance the fascist immigration department has served the U.S. imperialists in welcoming U.S. monopoly capitalist exploiters and all fascist anti-people elements while at the same time opposing all the true friends of the Canadian people.

a11 Comrade Ann was not at surprised when during her illegal detention in the comprador Hamilton jail, they sent one of their lackeys to "investigate" her Canadian "status". The man was quite shaken when she refused to answer his questions, demanded to have bail set immediately, and denounced him as a fascist. This agency of U.S. imperialism allowed her no right to consul, and denied bail. She then stated she would not participate as long as they refused her rights of consul and bail. The reactionaries were in such a frenzy that her deportation order was written out on the spot and hung on the cell bars for her to read. She maintained her revolutionary fighting spirit throughout the entire struggle, even at the airport where the U.S. lackey Department of Immigration had to physically force her onto the plane.

Comrade Ann gives an excellent example in concretely applying the Three Revolutionary Movements by, 1. defending her democratic continued on page 15

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Good News about revolutionary struggles all over the world. Their frustration has forced the U.S. lackey Canadian government to resort to open terror, storm-trooper tactics which have exposed their ugly features even more clearly to the Canadian people.

These attacks on the bookstores and on revolutionary people distributing anti-imperialist and communist literature in the communities, schools and factories are made with one aim in mind - to stop the growing political consciousness of the Canadian people and to suppress the anti-imperialist movement led by the Communist Party of Canada (Marxist-Leninist). The time is past when the Canadian lackey government had any hope of defending its role as servant of U.S. imperialism openly among the people. Now they must resort to open fascist terror to even stop patriotic Canadians from questioning what is right and wrong and investigating new ideas. In other words, the Canadian lackey government has all rights to repress the people and deny them all their fundamental and democratic rights, while the people have no right to fight back, or even to question.

The U.S. imperialists and their lackies in Ottawa have a dream that their total collapse can be avoided by harassing, intimidating, jailing and deporting communists and other antiimperialist fighters as "criminals". They pretend that the working and oppressed people of Canada are like themselves, the parasites who have sold themselves as traitors to give our country to the U.S. imperialists. Trudeau and his gang of traitors hope that everyone is as shameless, greedy, and unprincipled as they are, that the revolutionaries can be bought off or beaten into submission. But in the final analysis all their weapons are powerless. The Canadian people have never accepted slavery, have always rebelled against reactionaries. Now, in 1970, the Canadian people, armed with Mao Tsetung Thought and led by the Communist Party of Canada (Marxist-Leninist) are a force too powerful for anyone to defeat!

I appear before this court without fear, and with full confidence in the victory of my people over fascism and U.S. imperialism. I have been arrested and jailed for supporting the national liberation of the Quebec people, for denouncing the racism and fascism of the CBC, for disseminating revolutionary literature in a university, for standing up against U.S. imperialist aggression in Southeast Asia and now for resisting the fascist attack on Progressive Books and Periodicals. Now I am expected to face this court with my head bowed. Like most of the people dragged before these courts, I have committed no crime. I stand proudly and say that I am guilty of being a Canadian patriot and a Communist, a young Canadian woman striving to follow Chairman Mao and boldly defying any fascist attack on myself or my comrades, who have no other interest but to serve the people heart and soul. My interest is the liberation of my people from the yoke of U.S. imperialist domination and exploitation. THIS IS A CRIME ONLY IN THE EYES OF THOSE WHO STAND FOR OPPRESSION, FOR FASCISM, AND FOR THE MURDER OF MY PEOPLE: THOSE WHO ARE SERVILE LACKIES OF U.S. IMPERIALISM.

Revolution, not fascism, is the main trend in the world today. Canadian workers and youth and students are taking up the historic task of overthrowing U.S. imperialism and all its running dogs from our country. WE WARN THE U.S. IMPERIALISTS, THE TRUDEAU GOVERN-MENT OF NATIONAL BETRAYAL, THE FASCIST CANADIAN POLICE AND ALL AGENTS IN THE EXPLOITATION OF OUR PEOPLE THAT REVOLUTIONARY CANADIAN YOUTH LIVING IN THE ERA OF MAO TSETUNG THOUGHT ARE NOT TO BE BULLIED! THIS IS OUR COUN-TRY AND IT HAS BEEN IN THE HANDS OF OUR ENEMIES FOR TOO LONG. WE ARE PRE-PARED TO FIGHT IN WHATEVER WAY NECESSARY INCLUDING, WHEN THE TIME COMES, TAKING UP ARMS, TO EXERCISE OUR FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT TO OVERTHROW OUR OPPRESSORS!

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sabotaged by sailors aboard. To quell the servicemen's dissatisfaction and resistance, the U.S. ruling circles have intensified the control and repressive measures against them; a large number have thus been put in "special processing detachments" (s.p.d.) or army prisons for having shown opposition to the war of aggression, persecution or racial discrimination. But where there is oppression, there is resistance. In mid-August a rebellion broke out in the "special processing detachment" in Fort Ord, California as the inmates smashed windows and burned down two barracks and a mess hall. This was preceded by a similar insurrection at Fort Dix, New Jersey where s.p.d. members shot some reactionary officers and burned the stockade to ashes. In early July, soldiers at a U.S. military base in Iwakuni, Japan occupied the brig there and battled with military police for 14 hours. A U.S. army jail in West Germany also winessed a mutiny in March as several hundred prisoners led by a group of Black soldiers seized keys from the warden and freed all the Black and white inmates there, burned the wards and fought with military police for two hours. Revolts have also taken place during the year in the U.S. aggressor troops in south Viet Nam and south Korea.

Now, as the revolutionary movement of the American people is mounting steadily, the struggle of American soldiers is still developing. As a result, the reactionary ruling circles which are beset with difficulties at home and abroad are sinking deeper and deeper in their hopeless straits. (cont'd. from page 13 ANN BRIGGS)

right to disseminate Mao Tsetung Thought and to distribute revolutionary literature, 2. showing full solidarity and support for the national liberation struggles of the people of the world, 3. taking the road of active resistance to all attacks by the U.S. lackey police and courts.

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We recognize that the communists, led by Chairman Mao Tsetung, are leading the struggle of the working class and oppressed people of the world to victory over U.S. imperialism and all forms of exploitation. On this basis, we will not tolerate any anti-communism in our organization or any of its meetings. We wholly support the American Communist Workers Movement (Marxist-Leninist) which is leading the anti-fascist revolution in America. We will distribute "People's America Daily News" and "American Mass Line" to keep Americans informed about the revolutionary developments in America and to spark ideological discussion.

Since we are resident outside the United States, it is our duty to support the struggle of the people against U.S. imperialism whever we are. In Canada, this means following the correct leadership of the Communist Party of Canada (Marxist-Leninist), and in Quebec it means following the leadership of the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist).

Realizing that they are headed for economic and political collapse, the imperialists are making a dying effort to keep a hold on the oppressed people through the development of degenerate and decadent culture. They create and thoroughly promote counter-revolutionaries like Jerry Rubin and Abbie Hoffman in an attempt to confuse the genuine revolutionary sentiment of the American people. Drug culture has been created clearly to try and disarm the just wrath of the American youth and students. After a long history of exploitation of women, they now try to make women's oppression the primery contradiction in imperialist society. In this way they hope that women will unite to oppose men, when what is truly happening is that women are uniting with men to overthrow their common number one enemy, U.S. imperialism. Racism and pacifism are also imperialist toold used in hopes to divide and quiet the people's anti-fascist, anti-imperialist struggles im all of North America. American Red Patriots shall wage a war of annihilation against all facets of decadent imperialist culture.

We pledge to wage a constant struggle against reformism and liberalism both internally and externally. We oppose the counter-revolutionary "Holy Alliance of the Left" and reformist Women's Liberation groups. Genuine equality between sexes, races, and among all peoples can only be realized in the process of the socialist transformation of society as a whole. The only path to liberation for the working class and all oppressed peoples is through ARMED anti-fascist anti-imperialist revolution --- PEOPLE'S WAR!!

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