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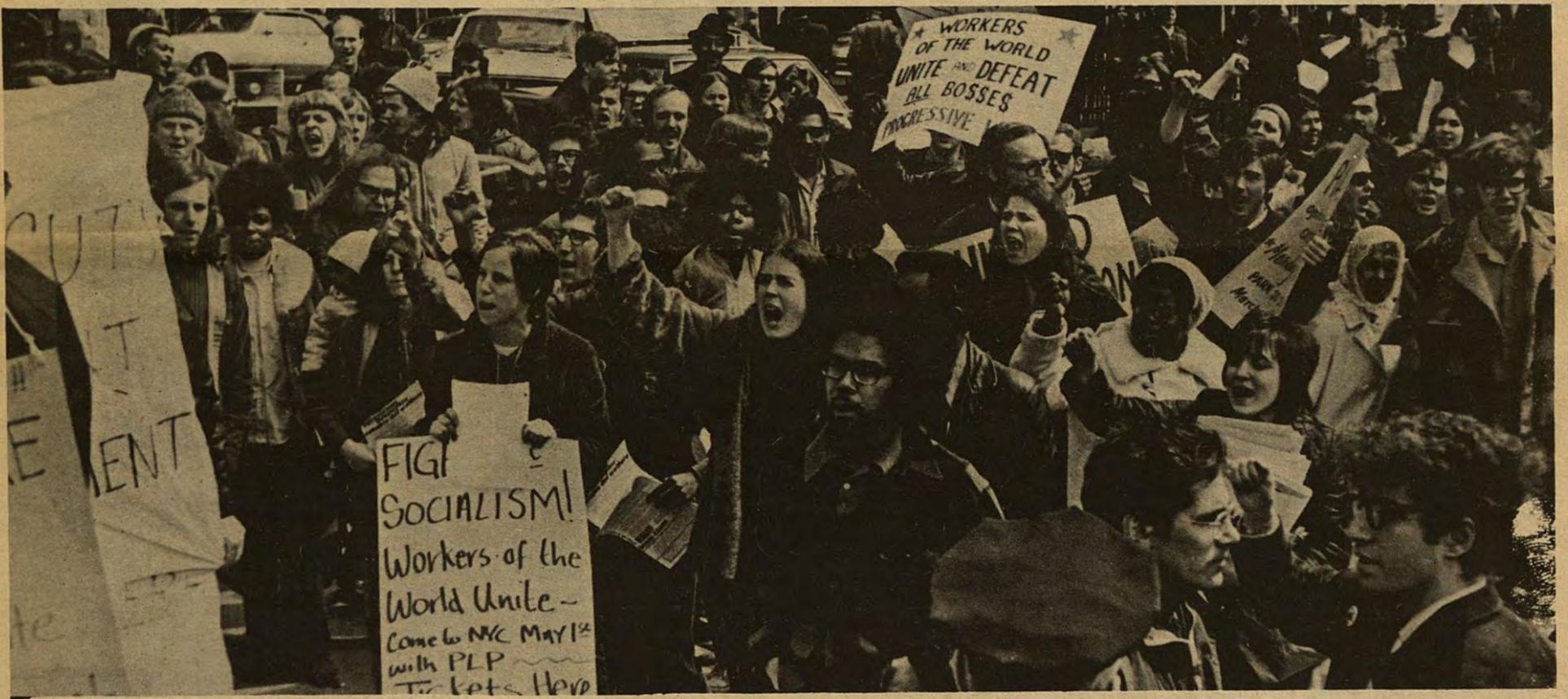


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Welfare Mothers Fight Racist Cutbacks Workers, Students Confront Gov. Sargent: **COME OUT RAT!**

Boston—Over 250 militant Workers, students, and welfare mothers held a march and rally on April 5, to protest Gov. Sargent's welfare cuts, designed to starve thousands of unemployed workers and welfare mothers. As the march stood and chanted at the locked gates of the State House, Sargent's paid thugs charged into the crowd with clubs and mace. For 45 minutes a pitched battle between the pigs and the people took place.

About a week before Gov. Sargent, the head lacky of big business in Massachusetts, gave an executive order to slash welfare in order to boost the profits of his masters. According to Sargent's plot, to get relief, you would have to be down to the last \$150 in cash or "readily sold property." That means if you are out of work for a few months and want relief, you first have to sell almost everything you broke your back for years to get. This would shaft tens of thousands every year. Also you would have to agree to accept any job offer. This means forcing the unemployed into super-sweat shops. Plus they can demand that you scab on a strike, or else: No relief.

The idea for the march came from, and was led by the Welfare Mother's Committee to Smash the Flat Grant. This Committee has organized to fight racist ghetto stores such as Blair's food store in Roxbury, which hikes its prices (and profits) on the days that welfare checks come out; days which they call "Mother's Day." This committee organized a demonstration inside Blair's—300 workers and welfare mothers strong—during which the supermarket bosses were routed despite the cops they unleashed on the people. Afterwards, Blairs hesitated to raise its prices on "Mother's Day."

After a rally at Park St., in the center of Boston's shopping district, a spirited march was held through the downtown area. Marchers shouted chants, and waved banners to bystanders and invited them to join in the march to the State House. At the State House, a black welfare mother spoke and compared Gov. Sargent to Lt. Calley because both men plunder the lives and rights of working people in order to increase their bosses' profits.

A speaker also announced a meeting the next night to form a committee of workers and unemployed to fight unemployment. A message was sent from Sargent, who was cowering inside the State House, that he would meet with "representatives" from our group. People spontaneously rejected this maneuver and demanded that he see all or none. Welfare mothers then started to chant: "Come out rat—We've got a piece of cheese." When the chant was changed to "Come out rat—or we're going in," the cops decided to put their plan into action.

The chief pig oinked "OK—lets go get them" and led a charge into the crowd, grabbing the leaders of the demonstration, whom plain clothes spies had singled out beforehand. Undaunted, the people regrouped at Park St., linked arms, and advanced again to the State House, chanting "let



them go." Meanwhile, Sargent appeared on the balcony of the State House to urge his forces on. The people's rage frightened him back inside to his burrow. During this time people promised to return in force to smash Sargent, his cops, and his masters. The cops, unable to crush the militant spirit of the crowd, charged again. Cops galloped on horses, and vicious police dogs were used to track down people as they tried to escape the clutches of the pigs downtown. In all, seven arrests were made. All were charged with Assault and Battery, and one was charged with Assault and Battery with a dangerous weapon. Sixteen cops, including three sargents were put out of commission for a while. Hundreds of sympathetic working people looked on. Many people expressed to us their contempt of the cops and their sympathy to the cause of our demonstration.

By going out to the people with literature and ideas, we will turn this attack by the police against those who ordered it. Also in the future we will organize plans which we can use to better fight the police. These include much more unity and discipline, such as linking arms, and advancing in an orderly way.

This blatant display of force shows that the bosses fear the growing strength of our movement. Whereas in the past, the bosses were content to have a large display of cops at our demonstrations, now they are using this force without restriction to crush opposition to their policies.

They haven't seen anything yet!
With more planning, better unity, and more people; we will turn the tables on the cops and the people they serve. Soon the bosses will be fleeing down the street with angry crowds of people at their heels.

POWER TO THE WORKERS * SMASH THE BOSSSES' COPS
by Fred Bidwell & Phil Ostrow, B.U. SDS

SDS Supports Atlanta Workers, Picket Macy's!

Davidson's Department Store, owned by R.H. Macy's in New York, has fired 17 black workers who are striking for better wages and working conditions. Our union, the R.W.D.S.U. (AFL-CIO), led by sell-out officials, went along with the company in firing us in return for a 1 1/2 cent per hour raise. This racist, anti-working class move by Davidson's bosses and the union "misleaders" has hurt all Davidson's workers, as well as putting 17 men out of work. Several of the fired workers were over 50 years old with 20 or more years of seniority. By using racism to break the strike—by firing only blacks and hiring whites to replace them—the Davidson's bosses have held down the pay of both black and white workers, while making them all work harder. These kind of tactics, racism and sell-out leaders, have always been used against workers to hold down wages and keep the bosses fat. It is in the interest of all workers, black and white, to help Davidson's workers. If it can happen to a few, it can happen to all of us. We are fighting against the company and union "hacks." We need the support of all workers and students. (Leaflet of striking Davidson's workers in Atlanta, Georgia)

Students in SDS have been supporting the fired Davidson's workers by walking on the picket line with them and by raising money at Georgia State College. A steering committee of SDSers has been formed to build support among the students for this fight against racism. A big picket line was planned for Saturday, April 10. So on Friday Davidson's bosses called the cops. They arrested two of the fired workers and two supporters, a steel worker and a member of Progressive Labor Party. The bosses scare tactics didn't work. We had a militant picket line of about 40 people all day Saturday. Davidson's was having a big clearance sale; but when two of us went inside, all the sales clerks were standing around talking about how little business there was. Our picket is hitting the bosses right where it hurts—in the pocket!

SDSers around the country can help these 17 black workers fight racism at Davidson's by picketing Macy's of its subsidiaries in your city.

Georgia State SDS

HELP BUILD NEW LEFT NOTES

NEW LEFT NOTES is the national newspaper for students and workers issued by STUDENTS for a DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY. This newspaper tells the true story of how students and workers, BLACKS, WHITES, and LATINOS are uniting to fight back against the big businessmen who run this country and oppress workers and students all over the world with RACIST LAYOFFS, ROTC, and MALE CHAUVINISM. These are the struggles that the bosses' media daily distorts or ignores.

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While thousands fight ROTC, layoffs, welfare cutbacks

SMC picnics with liberal politicians

NPAC - Agnew Reach Accord

New York Times Fri. April 16

Vice-President Agnew said today that he had decided to grant a request by an anti-war group to hold a mass rally on the West Lawn of the Capitol later this month... Jerry Gordon, a coordinator for the peace coalition, called the Vice-President's decision a "Historical breakthrough," and said that he was pleased with the cooperation his group has been receiving from officials in the Nixon Administration... The Administration's general helpfulness in planning for the April 24 demonstration is something of a departure from previous protest in the capital... Mr. Agnew's letter noted that the protest organizers had agreed to supply 2,000 marshalls to supervise the Capitol rally... The Vice President said that he was waiving the anti-assembly statute "Because of these assurances."

groups have engaged in absolutely no concrete struggles on campus against ROTC, racist courses, war research, war recruiting, or the racist oppression of campus workers. In fact they have sabotaged many such struggles. For example, last spring, at the U. of Ill. Chicago Circle they helped the pigs barricade the doors of the ROTC building to prevent the several thousand students demonstrating outside from coming in for a sit-in. Yet every fall and spring these termites crawl out of the woodwork and call a mass anti-war march on Washington and San Francisco.

The war in S.E. Asia is an imperialist war being fought in the interest of the ruling class of big businessmen who own and run this country and most of the world. Past experience shows both the 'hawk' and 'dove' politicians represent these bosses. They have no fundamental differences. They all want to rip-off and take over S.E. Asia for U.S. corporate profit. They only disagree tactically on how to do this. The hawks want a complete military victory, whereas the doves are willing to negotiate a 'settlement' so they can 'peacefully' exploit the S.E. Asian workers and peasants. These liberal politicians are no friend of the S.E. Asian peoples and should be booted out of the anti-war movement! - not built up as the leaders of this march are doing!

Well then, who should the anti-war movement look to for leadership? We should look to the people who actually are fighting the hardest against the war--the oppressed workers and peasants of S.E. Asia. People all over the world have drawn inspiration and strength from the fight of the Vietnamese workers and peasants against the greatest military force in the world. In this country it's the working people who are leading the fight--and particularly the black and Latin working people. All over the U.S. workers have been rebelling against the rotten conditions this war has brought them. The black and Latin workers leading the countless ghetto and barrio rebellions, the millions of U.S. workers striking against inflation and racist unemployment, and the militant working-class GI's in the army who are refusing to fight the war and are killing their own officers--these are the leaders of the anti-war movement, not the bosses' liberal politicians.

Vast numbers of people in this country know this is true. So the phonies who called this march are trying to cover up their sell-out politics. They say, "Oh yes, we support the workers too. We're even going to have some trade-union leaders at our march." But these labor 'leaders' (e.g. Woodcock of the UAW) whom they support are the labor

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There are some people who ask, "Why can't all you groups on the Left get together? After all, you all stand for the same things, don't you?" In particular right now some people are asking, "Does SDS support this April 24th anti-war march? If not, why?"

Most SDS'ers think that the march on Washington April 24th is organized to lead people away from fighting concretely against the war in Vietnam, playing right into the hands of politicians and those bosses behind the war. At every chance they get, the leadership of this march push liberal politicians as the "saviors" of the anti-war movement. In all the national NPAC mailings, they enclose a letter from Sen. Muskie talking about how important the march will be in influencing some vote in Congress. They have always tried to build Lindsey, McCarthy, McGovern, Goodell, (and now Muskie!) and all the rest of these racist bastards who say they are against the war and racism but whose practice shows they are not. Last May, for example, Lindsey spoke at a SMC rally. At the same time, his mounted police were dispersing a demonstration of a 1000 workers and students against the war and ROTC sponsored by SDS. Cleveland's Mayor Stokes, is a supporter of this march and personally welcomed the SMC to Cleveland for their conference there over the summer. At the same time, he had called out the National Guard against the wildcat Teamsters strike and rebellions in Cleveland's ghettos for more jobs and better living conditions.

This April 24th march is sponsored by a group called the National Peace Action Coalition. This group is led by the Socialist Workers Party - Young Socialist Alliance - Student Mobilization Committee. This march is also supported by all the other phony 'radicals' including the fakers of the 'Communist' Party, USA. We call these groups sellout organizations because they always push the idea that liberal politicians are better than conservative politicians. (For example, in 1964 the 'Communist' Party endorsed 'dove' LBJ over 'hawk' Goldwater.) In the past few years these



Rank-and-file workers, welfare recipients, highschool and college students all took part in and sponsored this SDS march on Washington on March 20 against racist unemployment and the war in S.E. Asia.

Ally with Workers NOT Liberal Politicians

Join SDS Demonstration

3 P.M. Unemployment Securities Office

6th and C Washington, D.C.



Cops try battering their way into office occupied by workers and students.
(Arrow indicates tape holder which put one cop out of action).

BOSTON SDS FIGHTS RACIST SLUMLORD

"You're going to have a demonstration against Maurice Gordon? You'd better bring along a lot of rope." - one of Maurice Gordon's 10,000 tenants.

Maurice "the torch" Gordon is the biggest, most hated, racist slumlord in Massachusetts. He owns 200 rat infested fire-trap apartment buildings. His long record of crimes against tenants includes:

- 1) 1963 Sherry-Biltmore Hotel fire - 6 dead; numerous missing. "Torch" rakes in thousands from the insurance.
- 2) 1970 - young boy crushed in elevator shaft because "Torch" refuses to fix door.
- 3) April, 1971 - 50 Peterborough St. fire. 8 tenants dead, 7 of whom are Spanish speaking. Reason: NO FIRE ESCAPES IN REAR BUILDING, NO FIRE ALARMS, NO USABLE SPRINKLER SYSTEMS.

4) 30 years of rats, no heat in the winter, cockroaches, broken elevators, rotten plumbing, and two months deposit for Spanish tenants.

SDS, along with tenants of Maurice Gordon, is beginning a campaign to fight this slumlord and demand immediate compensation for the victims of the 50 Peterborough fire and adequate safe housing for all his tenants. On Wed. April 14, 75 to 100 people picketed one of Gordon's many offices in downtown Boston. All across the city the response to this campaign against Gordon and these racist murders has been tremendous. Tenants in Gordon's buildings are pasting up SDS posters which read, "WANTED FOR MURDER: MAURICE 'THE TORCH' GORDON. 'Give me some of those leaflets,' one worker said. 'I hate those bastards.'"

The rally on Wednesday is only the beginning of a long campaign this murderer and all his cronies: the city council, the fire and building and health and police commissioners.

Stanford Workers Lead Sit-In Against Racist Firing

"It's a fight against racism. Their fight is our fight!" That's what a Latin worker at Stanford University Hospital said about the fight to rehire Sam Bridges, a Black hospital worker. This led to a very militant sit-in at the Medical School Dean's office on April 5th. At its end, nearly 50 people fought off 175 cops with everything in the Dean's office. As a result two dozen people were arrested, with four misdemeanors and three felonies each.

Black and Latin hospital workers have been organizing against the Hospital's racism. Once divided into two separate groups, the Black Unity Front and the Alianza Latina, the workers have now seen the importance of working together and have taken the lead at Stanford to forge Black and Latin unity. The incidents that led to the sit-in were the firing of Sam Bridges, a Black janitor (for "reading on the job"), and refusal of hospital directors to give Doctor Jose Aguilar tenure. Over a hundred workers and students went to Acting Medical School Dean Wilson's office to confront him about the firing. He wasn't in, so people waited for him to come back. About 30 hours later, they met with 175 police instead.

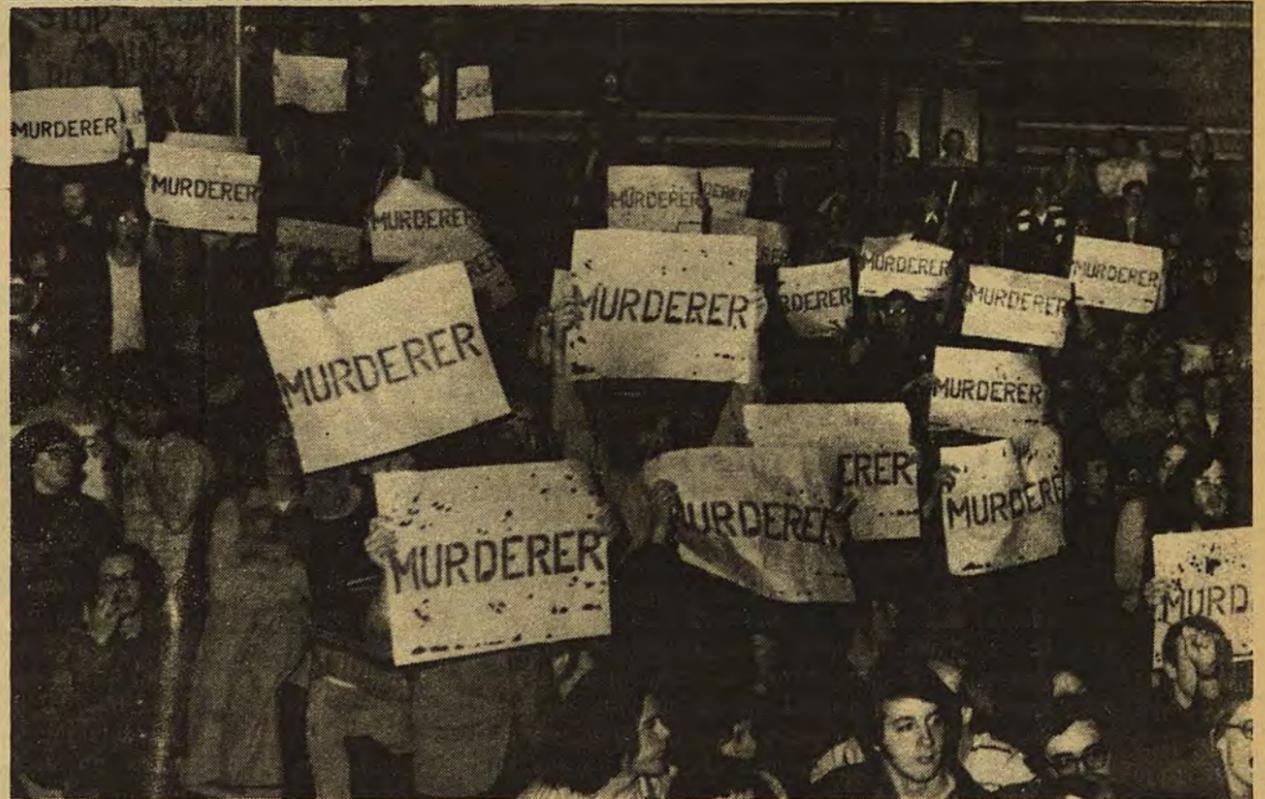
Since the arrests, the workers and their allies have started organizing around these demands:

- resignation of Doctor John L. Wilson, Acting Medical School Dean
- resignation of Deputy Director Frank Vitale and Assistant Engineering Chief Warren Thorpe
- reinstatement of Sam Bridges
- tenure for Doctor Aguilar
- preferential hiring of Blacks and Latins
- provision for up to six months' leave for all workers (to protect the jobs of women workers during pregnancy)
- dropping of all criminal charges
- establishment of a peer grievance committee

On Wednesday, April 14th a rally was held at Stanford to discuss the campaign. Hundreds of

people showed up, including a large number of Black and Latin workers. While the Hospital Administration allowed these Black and Latin workers to go to the rally, they prevented White workers from going.

As of press time, the workers had won their demands for a grievance committee and for a **six months' leave of absence.**



SDS hits Harvard support of war DEMANDS FIRING OF HUNTINGTON

On March 26, 600 students, faculty, and campus workers, led by SDS shouted down a pro-war "teach-in" at Harvard. Since the teach-in SDS has stepped up the fight against Harvard's many pro-war activities. We are demanding that the University fire Samuel Huntington, chairman of the government department, who successfully advocated the mass bombing of civilian targets in S E Asia and we are demanding that the University cancel a special invitation to Henry Kissinger to rejoin the faculty whenever he wants. We are also demanding that the Center for International Affairs which trains top-level military

personnel for Viet Nam (among other imperialist activities) be abolished.

Since the teach-in support for the action has grown tremendously. We have met hundreds of students who did not go to the teach-in but now think the action was great and want the struggle to continue. When the administration organized a meeting in a dormitory to drum up support for its position, one hundred students came to demand that no one be punished for shouting down the teach-in, but that Huntington and Kissinger be fired!

Harvard-Radcliffe SDS

U. of Iowa builds support as workers

Run Maytag Bosses **THROUGH** the **WRINGER**

On Saturday, April 10th some 2400 workers in Newton, Iowa on strike at Maytag (washer and dryer) plants were joined by friends, fellow workers, and union members from the Midwest and Iowa City SDSers in a march of solidarity. Around 3,000 were there, some workers coming from as far away as Flint, Michigan, bringing with them donations and encouragement to aid the strikers. After the march the SDSers were warmly received at the Union Hall, where they discussed the strike and sold New Left Notes. The strikers thought that it was great that SDS came and supported them, and that workers and students must unite if we are to win the battle against the rich bosses who run this country.

Here is a condensed view of the strike by two students whose parents work at Maytag:

Since last October, when the new contract came up, the Maytag officials have refused to

NEWTOWN HIGH: COPS OUT OF SCHOOLS

On Tuesday, April 5th SDS members organized a demonstration involving over 800 at Newtown High School (New York) against cops in school.

While waiting for that afternoon's session to begin, SDSers talked outside the school to some 25 students who knew about the demonstration and were very anxious to have it. When people started chanting, students began to gather on the sidewalk opposite the school. About 15 minutes after the afternoon session had begun there were some 300 students listening to speeches made by the organizers and some of the Newton students.

A plainclothes cop came by in his shiny car and ordered the students to move up the street, telling the SDSers not to use their bullhorn. After he had been shouted away by the students, more cops came to the area in regular police cars. By this time there were some 800 students on the street and sidewalks and more close to the school's entrance. The Newton students shouted "US OUT OF VIETNAM!" and "COPS OUT OF THE SCHOOLS!" while the cops were standing close to the demonstration next to their cars.

It was decided to march around the school and shout the various anti-imperialist slogans. Some 80 students followed, shouting the chants. The march proceeded all the way around the school and back to where the rest of the students were, where speakers gave talks on how the bosses use the schools to protect their interests by having cops in the schools.

At this another plainclothes cop came out of a car and told an SDSer to put his bullhorn away if he had no permit. This started a big argument between the cop and the SDSers, who argued that if there was a right to free speech, it shouldn't matter which way you tried to exercise it. The cop replied to this by telling everyone to move away from the corner. He kept saying this for some time, but no one moved as the students let him and some other cops know that they were united and were not about to be driven away by the bosses' tools.

As the cops stood surrounded by the students, more chanting and rapping went on. Some 70 contacts were made, and a Challenge Corps was formed with some 15 students who decided to carry on the struggle at Newtown.

consider any of the strikers' demands, despite the fact that the company made a record total of \$15,000,000 in profits last year. The strikers demand that the company meet the rising cost of living (inflation), since workers have lost 31¢ an hour of buying power since the last contract. So far the company has been unwilling to cover more than 6¢ an hour of real wage loss per year. Other demands include a decent medical plan (since workers now pay over half of their own insurance) and retirement after 30 years (if one is lucky enough to last that long).

We are building a campaign of support for the strikers in Iowa City. On Saturday, April 17th we picketed the Maytag dealership in Iowa City, and the response from passersby was really enthusiastic, some workers flashing clenched fists. We spent the afternoon collecting food and money for the strikers, and we will continue to do so throughout the week, bringing the proceeds to Newton.

Strikers have lost \$1300 in wages in this three-month-old strike, and the company has stockpiled machines in the hope of waiting them out. But the strikers remain more determined than ever to fight back and win. Three months ago, 93% of the workers voted to strike, and just two weeks ago 97% voted to continue to wage the fight for decent wages and working conditions.

You too can help. Send contributions to Maytag Strike Fund, c/o John Madison, Room AO 33, Quadrangle, University of Iowa, Iowa City 52240.

BUILD THE WORKER-STUDENT ALLIANCE!

SUPPORT THE MAYTAG STRIKERS!

RUN THE BOSSES THROUGH THE WRINGER!

Iowa City SDS

TEACHERS HIT BY JOB FREEZE

In every major city in the U.S. college grads are finding it impossible to get the jobs they were promised when they entered college. In Chicago on April 6th at a teacher's job fair, more than 2,500 teachers applied for less than 30 jobs. Many of them were experienced teachers. All were told that there may be jobs for them next year or the year after. Who can wait two years to feed their families?

On March 2nd, New York City school system announced the firing of 6,400 regular school teachers and told 11,000 substitutes that their services were no longer required. The reason given was that the city was over its spending budget. So while hundreds of millions are being spent on the Lincoln Center for Performing Arts (where most of the money goes to banks and contractors), 17,400 workers have no jobs, not to mention further crowding of the classrooms.

In Iowa City, out of 1,000 students graduating in Education, only 100 found jobs. At the University

of Minnesota, teaching assistants have been told that many will lose their jobs because of University cutbacks. The University has thousands to spend on R.O.T.C. and Police Science but none to give TA's the experience and the jobs they need.

The problem isn't that we don't need teachers. Most classrooms are so overcrowded that no student receives the kind of training he or she needs. We need all the teachers we can find. The problem remains that the greedy businessman and their government have spent countless billions on a war to put down Asian workers that are fighting back against U.S. imperialism and are now finding their pockets empty (except for profits.) The burden of this war is being carried by the Asians who have become victims of this racist attack and in turn by U.S. workers who are paying for it with starvation wages and racist unemployment.

Tim Dunn, Chicago SDS



Gainesville, Fla. - Hundreds of students fought with police for two hours Thurs., Apr. 15, after taking over the Univ. of Florida administration bldg. to protest the arrest of 68 members of the Black Student Union. The black students were arrested for occupying Univ. Pres. O'Connell's office demanding: equal treatment and hiring for campus workers; the firing of Pres. O'Connell; and more black teachers and administrators.

DEFEAT IMPERIALISM

East Pakistanis Rebel

East Pakistan has recently been the scene of a tremendous rebellion by Bengali tribesmen, workers, and peasants. In most cases they have been armed only with bamboo sticks, knives, and stones; and they have heroically faced an 85,000 man occupation force equipped with American tanks, and Russian Mig jets.

As usual the US media has distorted the struggle. They say that it is a fight for the autonomy of E. Pakistan from control by West Pakistan (the two regions of the country are separated by 1000 miles of India and the peoples are of different racial origins and speak different languages).

However, this is only the surface part of the picture. The underlying issue is the racist oppression and conditions under which the E. Pakistani workers and peasants must live. The W.



Pakistani businessmen have run the country since 1947 when Pakistan became independent. While the major share of the funds for Pakistan as a whole come from E. Pakistan through taxes and foreign exchange earned by its jute exports, most of the benefits go to the W. Pakistani businessmen. The situation for most Bengalis (the group that makes up the population of E. Pakistan) in Pakistan is similar to the situation for blacks and Latins in the US. For example: Bengalis must pay double the prices that W. Pakistani's pay for wheat and rice. Yet the Bengalis earn on the average only half as much as the W. Pakistanis. E. Pakistanis consume 1/6 as much electricity, 1/4 as many imports, and use 1/5 as many cars and telephones as W. Pakistanis (NY Times March 28). And to justify this W. Pakistani workers and peasants are taught that Bengalis are racially inferior. The list of abuses is long and the picture for the Bengalis is clear. Most see little difference between the W. Pakistani government and the British control regime which they threw off in 1947.

What touched off the rebellion was the refusal of the Kahn government to allow Sheik Mujib Rahman of E. Pakistan to form a government after Mujib's Awami League won 167 of the 313 seats in December's elections. Even the NY Times admits that the "W. Pakistani army and business families" were behind the refusal to allow Mujib to take power.

It is evident that the fascist military leader of Pakistan Yahya Kahn is trying to use the rebellion as an excuse to "teach the people a lesson." After occupying the major city Dacca, and other cities, his troops have opened fire on unarmed worker demonstrations leaving thousands dead and maimed. The low estimate is 15,000 people dead



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already. And this is the same area where 500,000 people died in the recent tidal wave disaster—a disaster due to government criminal negligence (the majority of the deaths were due to starvation, but where did you hear about that in the press?)

Unfortunately for the E. Pakistani people Sheik Mujib is not that different from the present rulers of Pakistan. Mujib represents the E. Pakistani businesses that want a bigger share of the profits for themselves. The Sheik's 6 point program calls for semi-autonomy so that the E. Pakistani government can control taxes, trade and foreign aid—but what about the distribution of these proceeds? There is no indication that life would be much better if the Awami League took over. In terms of foreign policy the W. Pakistani bosses have had a policy of playing off the US, Soviet Union and China against each other to get more aid from each; Sheik Mujib however is pro US and India. This may be the reason why the W. Pakistani atrocities are getting a good play in the US press. It is also another reason not to trust Sheik

Mujib. The facts show that no leader who has allied himself with US government and business has been any good for his people.

The E. Pakistani people are suffering under tremendous oppression. Thousands are fleeing the occupied cities for the countryside. The jungles and the rice paddies of E. Pakistan provide a beautiful terrain for guerilla resistance. In the monsoon (rainy) season the soft-soiled Pakistani plain criss-crossed with thousands of Ganges river tributaries would be impossible for the W. Pakistani regular army to occupy. Already more organized resistance of the people has begun. This rank and file led guerilla movement (discouraged by the non-violent Sheik Mujib) is the real hope for Pakistani people. E. Pakistan might well be in the same stage the S. Vietnamese were in 1958 when they first began to resist Diem's terror and concentration camps.

**SMASH RACIST TERROR!
SUPPORT THE RESISTANCE IN E. PAKISTAN!!**



Seoul, Korea April 6--About 1500 college students in Seoul battled riot police in a series of dogged street demonstrations today demanding abolition of military training on campus. The day's actions were led by 1000 students from Korea University who for the second day defied 100 riot policemen. The students clashed with police at least five times.

Ceylonese

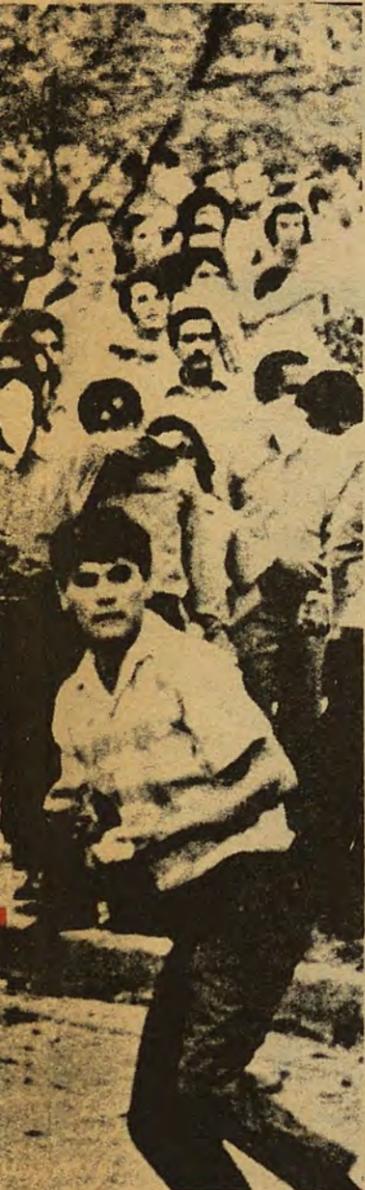
Ceylonese students, workers, a phoney "leftist" government run election of Prime Minister Bandunaike was a coalition of liberals, "Communists" was at one time victory for the left. But these false their true colors as masses workers are now fighting for seven are unemployed). Faced with tens of thousands, this left coalition arms of US and British imperialism have responded with a big shipment of US jet helicopters.

On Tuesday April 6, 80,000 members of the People's Liberation Front, attacked government posts. The police, outnumbered, were sent running. Since then the

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BRITISH WORKERS TAKE ON FORD BOSSES, UNION SELLOUTS IN FIGHTS VS. INFLATION, LAYOFFS



Big boss Henry Ford, of Ford Motor Company recently commented, "We have a serious problem. If it isn't corrected it is going to be a disaster for our company and for Britain." What Ford was referring to, is the recent strike wave which has spread all over Great Britain. It may be a problem of U.S. and British businessmen, but as far as workers and students all over the world are concerned-it's terrific!!

British workers are facing some of the worst conditions of workers anywhere in the world. Inflation is running at nearly 9%, cancelling any wage increases workers have received. One British insurance clerk commented, "Ten years ago I thought the thousand mark was a magical figure (one thousand pounds a year.) Now I have doubled that and I am actually worse off. As for this pay increase, well I shouldn't think there will even be a penny left by the time I have met all the increases." Unemployment is over 6% with more than a million workers expected to be out of jobs by the summer. Housing is over-crowded and medical care is rotten. Does all this sound familiar? That's because the same businessmen that run Great Britain, run the United States and most of the world. Their only concern is maximum profits-which means more unemployment, high taxes, inflation, and wars like in Viet Nam. The London Times spills the beans. "The fact remains that Ford Company decisions are not made simply in relation to British economic interests or even in terms of the economic situation in Britain itself, but in the context of a world-wide operation to extract maximum profits for the parent company." So what has been the response of the British working class to these rotten conditions and the businessmen that are profiting from them?



The English bosses' press view of the recent strike wave.

STRIKE!!!

230,000 British Postal workers went on strike for 15% wage increases. They were getting between \$36 to \$65 a week. When the union mis-leaders (sell-outs like George Meany and Lenard Woodcock) ordered the workers back on the job without any wage settlement, thousands of militant workers jeered union general secretary Tom Jackson with cries of SELLOUT, SELLOUT! Two million workers on March 19th closed down Great Britain to protest the government's new anti-worker law banning wildcat strikes. Teachers, railwaymen, and busmen are threatening to strike, and thousands are defying the bosses, the government and the union sellouts to fight for better working conditions and a living wage. Again the London Times spills the beans. "It is increasingly clear in 1971, neither management nor trade unions are fully aware of the grievances on the shop floor. The last Royal Commission on trade unions demonstrated that 95% of all strikes were unofficial (wildcat) and over 50% are about issues other than pay (grievances, bad safety conditions, layoffs, etc.)"

British workers by wildcatting are costing the bosses billions of dollars and are striking a blow for workers and oppressed people all over the world. The Ford strike has cost the company over 50 million dollars in lost production and the company has threatened to discontinue building any more plants in Great Britain. They have threatened to move their plants to S.E. Asia.

British students are fighting back too, and recently 300 students invaded the Cornwallis building at Kent University in Caterbury. The demands were mainly student power (more representation in the decision making process.) It won't be long, though, before students in Great Britain realize what millions have already discovered-that the only way for students to fight the bosses all over the world is to build an international worker-student alliance.

T UNITY MAY 1

Workers and students all over the world have the same enemy: the rich ruling class and their governments. Massive workers' struggles have occurred recently in Poland, Argentina, Great Britain, Belgium, the Philippines and Ceylon, to name a few. In the U.S. workers, especially black and latin, are fed up and fighting back hard! Major strikes and ghetto rebellions occur almost every month. On March 20, black and latin students and workers led a march of 5,000 on Washington DC demanding Jobs Now! On April 7 students and workers had a walkout at Waller H.S. demanding an end to the racist dismissal of students. People are fighting like hell against the imperialist bosses so there can be a better life for all.

MAY DAY IS INTERNATIONAL WORKERS DAY! It began in 1886 in Chicago when workers demonstrating in Haymarket square for the eight hour day were viciously attacked by the cops.

DEMONSTRATE MAY DAY

The Progressive Labor Party is calling for all workers, students, welfare mothers and others to join in a rally and luncheon for international working class solidarity and socialism on May Day (May 1) and May 2. The P.L.P. is a revolutionary communist party that in day-to-day struggle builds for a workers' revolution. In carrying this out, concrete steps are taken to smash racism, fight male chauvinism and destroy U.S. imperialism. May Day is one of these steps.

SDS supports this rally as it does all progressive worker-student actions. We feel all students should come to the May Day rally and help build international worker-student solidarity to SMASH RACISM and end all the crummy ways the U.S. bosses oppress people.

Leaflet of Chicago Area SDS

se Masses Fight Phoney "Leftist" Gov't.

workers, and farmers have government running scared. The minister Bandaranaike, who liberals, Trotskyists, and one time hailed as a great but these fakers have shown masses of students and fighting for jobs (one out of 5). Faced with a rebellion of left coalition ran to the imperialists - who gladly a big shipment of shiny new

3, 80,000 rebels, led by the Front, attacked 25 govern- outnumbered three to one, then the Front has been

outlawed and the death penalty has been declared for anyone who aids them. On April 9 a 24 hour curfew was imposed on the entire island and the Army has been mobilized.

The U.S. press has said that the rebels are "terrorists" but it is clear that what is really happening is a mass rebellion against unemployment. 750,000 workers, farmers and students here can't find jobs while British and American bankers get fat off profits produced at the island's big tea, rubber, and coconut plantations. This is why the rebellion has grown, despite government terror tactics.

Workers and students in Ceylon are not intimidated by the imperialists and have not been fooled by their lackies in "leftist" clothing. We should follow their example.



Caracas students, police clash

High school students in Caracas, Venezuela, dodge tear gas canisters hurled by police after violence erupted during a demonstration against the presence of South Vietnamese delegates to the World Interparliamentary Congress. At least 24 persons were hurt when police and militia opened fire.

NO MERCY for RACIST CALLEY

"Calley and all the bosses are guilty of racist murder!" "Hang Calley, Hang Nixon!" SDS held a demonstration on Wednesday, April 7th in front of the Federal Building in Chicago. This is what we said at the rally:

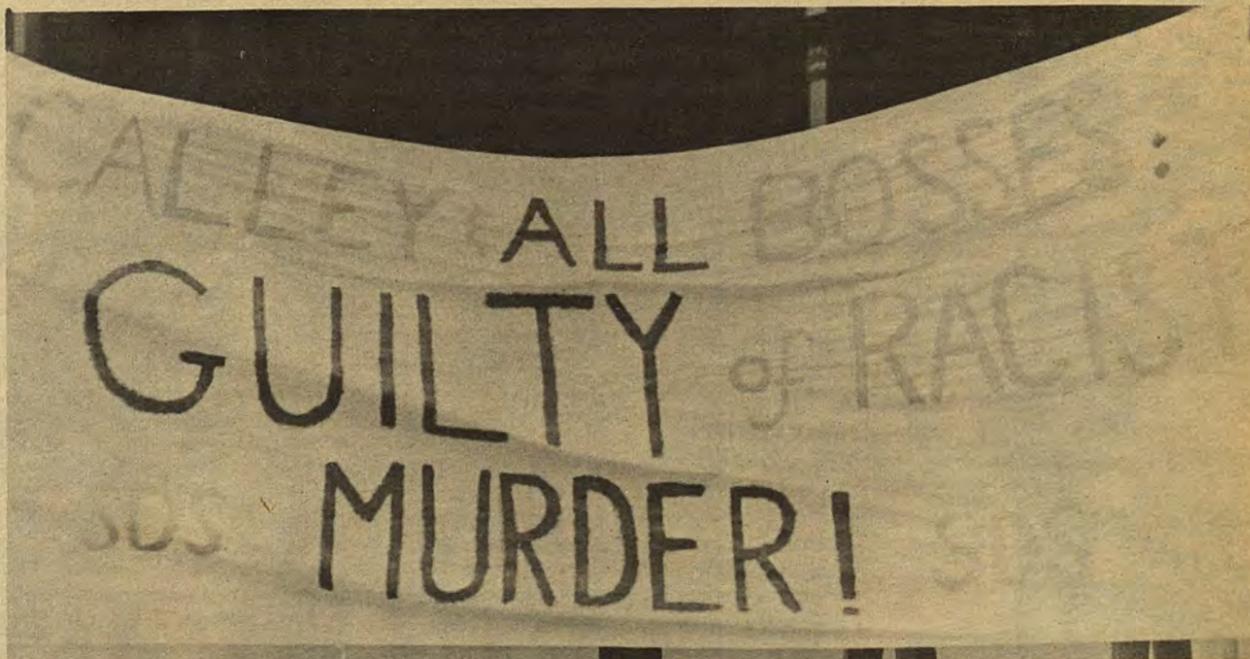
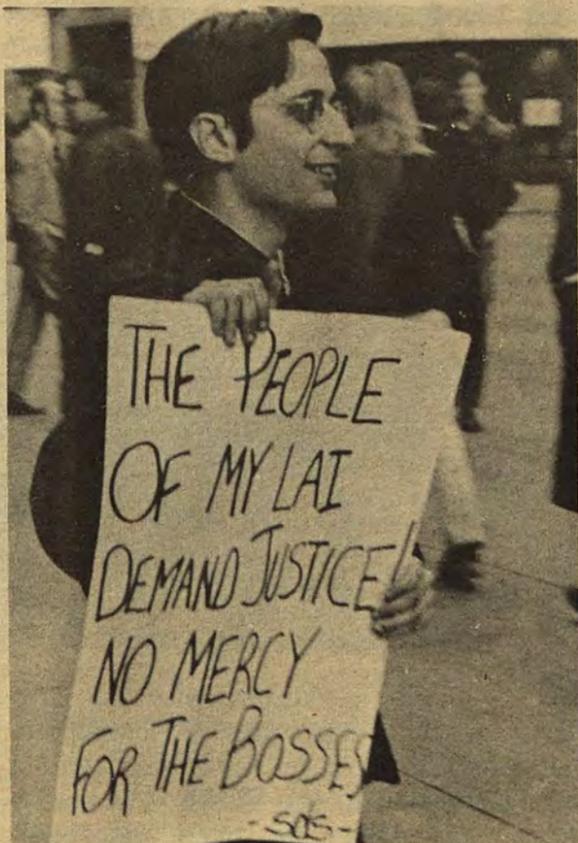
CALLEY AND COMPANY MUST PAY

The man who butchered 102 civilians, women and children alike, had been released from the stockade by President Nixon. To further insult the Vietnamese, the worm convicted of racist genocidal murder has been made into a martyr by various liberal and conservative politicians. (Wallace paid a personal visit to the murderer Calley.) These racist politicians say that Calley is not a criminal, but a "scapegoat", "crucified Jesus", "patriotic soldier", and "victim" of the hazards of war. SDS sees Calley for what he is: a racist murderer—a pig who, on his own account, is responsible for the killings of (at least) 102 Vietnamese peasants.

THIS IS RACIST MURDER

Calley, Nixon, and the politicians "justify" this massacre with excuses that he was just following orders, and that anyway these victims weren't people, but were "gooks". The Military and the Government have been trying for years to use racial and cultural "differences" between the exploited people in the US and their allies in other parts of the world to get people to fight profit-hungry wars. But this racism is a poor cover-up for the class of multi-millionaire bankers and businessmen who run the country—for the real truth that they (the ruling class and their armies and politicians) are the real enemy of all workers and peasants—Black, Brown, Red, White, and Yellow—in the world.

The Vietnamese people want the US out of their country. Therefore the US Government's war is directed against the people themselves. Its goal is to beat the peasants into submission and prevent them from fighting US imperialism. Atrocities like indiscriminate bombings have left thousands in mass grave ditches like the one dug by butcher Calley. The few who are left after these so-called demilitarized-zone bombings have become refugees, for their land has been devastated.



HANG CALLEY, HANG NIXON

Calley should get the same justice he gave the people of My Lai. Calley didn't have to order those people shot—he could have shot his foot, as a member of his company did. He could have thrown a fragmentation grenade into the tent of his commanding officer, as Private Billy Smith did. Calley could have refused to act on orders. But he didn't. William Calley ordered and even actively took part in the killing of at least 102 Vietnamese people. Try and ask any of those peasants of My Lai if Calley was just a victim and misunderstood—if his life should be spared. And ask them if Nixon and other US rulers are any less guilty!

A Black veteran from Loop Junior College spoke at the rally about this and about his own experiences. He said the officers he knew built up racism so as to make the GIs turn against the Vietnamese. This vet then described how these officers tried to put him down because he didn't want to fight the bosses' war. He spent time in

the stockade and got a dishonorable discharge (a year ago). Since then he has not been able to find a job and has been harassed by the welfare office. You sure don't see the President of the United States pardoning someone who supported the Vietnamese workers and peasants!

Other speakers added more information about the racism the press is pushing with its articles about Calley. While debate over his guilt or his "innocence" rages, the lives of the Vietnamese are conveniently forgotten. And as Calley was splashed over the front pages of the newspapers, thousands remained out of work, and more are being laid off all the time.

The three speakers at the rally were as one in demanding that Calley get the same thing he had given the Vietnamese peasants at My Lai. Not only should Calley be punished, but we should run down all the bums responsible for the War in Vietnam and all racist inhumanities—from Westmoreland to Nixon to Rockefeller!

Calley's Nightmare

CalleyCalley you're in a dark alley. What you going to do, because the workers are hunting you, you slew one hundred and one, and one was my son.

Calley, Calley in an alley, workers are closer, closer, closer, closer, and closer.

Calley, Calley what are you going to do, because the ones slew are still haunting you. They are getting closer, closer, closer, closer, closer.

Calley what are you going to do.

CalleyCalley running fast, run Cally because the workers are going to kick your ass.

Save me, Save me, Save me, Save me, no need to beg, because the workers are closer, closer, closer, closer and closer.

Calley is on his knees, Spare me, Spare me, Spare me, aw man listen to his pleas.

because the workers are closer, closer, closer, closer, and closer.

Pow, now he is down, the blood is all around. Spare me, Spare me, Spare me

Calley Calley now you see, why we had to do this to thee.

Calley Calley gets shot in the head.

dead in the alley. now us workers unite and have one dam good rally.

A Student at Kennedy-King
Chicago City College

PROGRESSIVE LABOR SAYS:

On May 1st the Progressive Labor Party will celebrate May Day, holiday of the international working class. Thousands of workers and their allies all over the country will demonstrate with the slogans FIGHT FOR SOCIALISM! FIGHT RACIST UNEMPLOYMENT! FIGHT FOR THE SIX-HOUR DAY! and BUILD INTERNATIONAL WORKING-CLASS SOLIDARITY!

May Day came out of a tremendous struggle of workers for the eight-hour day. It started at a demonstration in 1886 at Haymarket Square in Chicago. Hundreds of working people of many nationalities were killed or wounded on that May Day. Now the bosses have a statue of a cop in Haymarket Square. The bosses would like us to sympathize with the cops who shot their weapons into the workers' demonstration—the very same racist cops who harass and murder the workers today, from the strike lines to the ghettos. But workers and oppressed people all over the world have sympathized with their brothers and sisters in Chicago. After the Haymarket Massacre, May Day became the main holiday of the international working class, to be celebrated by revolutionary communists all over the world.



To end the exploitation of workers and of all oppressed people, the Progressive Labor Party fights for SOCIALISM--the rule of the workers. Socialism, where the bosses and the bosses' government are destroyed, and the bosses and their ideas are prevented from ever returning. Socialism, whereby the workers use all of their knowledge, creativity, and energy in their own interests, and profit and privilege are ruthlessly fought.

WORKERS MUST RULE!

This is also the 100th anniversary of the Paris Commune. In 1871, from March 18th to May 27th, the working class of Paris took over that city and set up their own government. This was the first working-class revolution in history. All working people were armed and fought to make and defend their revolution. All of the socialist government officials were paid workers' wages and could be immediately recalled if they failed to carry out the demands of the working class. About 20,000 activists attended daily club meetings at which they presented proposals and criticisms on all political matters. The Paris Commune has been an inspiration to working-class people for 100 years.

In recent years Black workers have conducted tremendous ghetto rebellions against their racist exploitation. In these struggles the spirit of the Commune lives. But these rebellions have been defeated, as was the Commune. There has been no party with a long-range outlook to lead these struggles to victory. This is what is needed to defeat racism and build internationalism.

Today May Day no longer belongs to workers and oppressed people of the world. Workers in the US have won the eight-hour day, but sellouts have subverted the workers' movement and have taken over May Day. These sellouts, like the Communist Party (CP) USA, are revisionists. They call themselves revolutionaries and they call themselves communists, but they are not. The CP USA has betrayed workers all over the world and is aligned with the "red" bosses in the Soviet Union and in Eastern Europe. There, the new bosses have reinstated rank and privilege. The working people do not run these so-called "communist" countries in their interest. Instead

managers run these countries for profit. Polish workers showed what has to be done with these "red" bosses. They rebelled against increasing prices and burned down the headquarters of the revisionist Polish Communist Party to the tune of the revolutionary communist rallying song—the Internationale. This is the spirit of the Paris Commune, where rank and privilege were fought against and workers' interests—not profits—were primary.

These revisionists (CP USA, Polish bosses, Soviet bosses, and the like) say that they are for revolution; but they oppose the workers' armed struggle to smash all bosses forever. They are really for "peaceful co-existence". They oppose ghetto rebellions—struggles of working people for jobs and housing. Instead they support the Martin Luther King politics of peace and turn the other cheek. They say they are for workers and oppressed people, but they support and build campaigns for liberal bosses like LBJ, Kennedy, Humphrey, and union bosses like Woodcock.

Working people don't need these revisionists. They need the revolutionary communist PLP—the Progressive Labor Party—a party of war against all exploiters. Progressive Labor is a party that is rooted in the struggles of the working class, from the high schools to the factories.

Progressive Labor is a party that fights racism and builds unity between workers and oppressed people the world over. This doesn't mean supporting Martin Luther King; it means fighting against the super-exploitation that Black workers face in this country.

This means building support for rebellions in the ghetto and leading the militant struggles of the welfare mothers against the racist welfare system. It means uniting Black, Latin, and White workers and students to follow the lead of Black and Latin workers in the fight against racism.

The Progressive Labor Party wins students to ally with the struggles of workers. The students' interests lie with working people, not with the bosses and their system of exploitation. Bosses want them to be scabs. The bosses want teachers who act like cops to their students. They want social workers who support the racist welfare system and not the welfare recipients. But the Progressive Labor Party supports those student organizations, like SDS, that fight racism and build concrete alliances with workers. Students should all support workers' struggles and join the May Day demonstrations.

To unite all the struggles of working people and lead them to victory, a revolutionary party like Progressive Labor is necessary—a party in which people are serious and disciplined and totally devoted to the working class. A party that learns from its errors, constantly building unity and advancing the struggle. A party devoted to the revolutionary communist principles of Marxism-Leninism. This is what the ruling class can neither buy nor destroy. Progressive Labor is the party that working people need to win!

On May 1st the Progressive Labor Party will lead thousands of working people and students in a major step on the road to Socialism. May Day will again become the day of all working and oppressed people around the world. This is the beginning of the end for the capitalist bosses and their phony "communist" sidekicks. Everyone should join these working-class demonstrations in New York, Chicago, and San Francisco. Let's revive the socialist spirit of the Paris Commune!

FIGHT FOR SOCIALISM!

FIGHT RACIST UNEMPLOYMENT!

FIGHT FOR THE SIX-HOUR DAY!

BUILD INTERNATIONAL
WORKING-CLASS SOLIDARITY!

For information write GPO Box 808, Brooklyn, New Yprk 11201. Call Area Code 212, 222-2732.

MARCH INFORMATION

CHICAGO: Assemble 12:00, Randolph and Halstead
Picnic May 2, 12:00, 87th and Western

NEW YORK: Assemble 11:30, 110th and Broadway
Dinner May 2, 2:00, Riverside Plaza Hotel, 253, W. 73

SAN FRANCISCO: Assemble 12:00, 16th and Bryant
Picnic May 2, 11:00 to 5:00, Flood Park

HOUSTON: Assemble 1:00, Jefferson Davis Hospital
Social event May 2, call 526-0389

Jr. College Students Fight 'Work-Study' Cuts - Demand Jobs

San Diego City College

Members of SDS at San Diego City College have been working to fight unemployment and racist administrators. A petition was circulated on campus that brought our gripes to the attention of the administration and students. Our main objective was to change work study (a gov't funded program to provide jobs for students). We demanded more jobs, abolishment of unrealistic requirements, a higher hourly wage (it is presently \$1.63 an hour), and an end to the exploitation of cheap student labor.

As an example, a woman living on \$86 a month from welfare couldn't get a work study job because she had no income tax return. Students who live away from home with no income can't get onto work study until they live away from home for one year, regardless of whether or not they are starving.

SDS members have discovered that \$13,000, which was earmarked for the work study program, has been turned back to the state. The administration said they turned this money back because there aren't enough people on the program to utilize it, while at the same time students are applying for the program and being turned away because of totally unreasonable requirements.

In order to avoid a major confrontation the administration agreed to a rally to hear the students demands. Along with the demands to change work study the students demanded an immediate removal or relocation of the Placement Director in charge of the work study program. The administration, in order to avoid this situation brought in a third party, a financial consultant, to survey and submit a report on the future disposition of the work study program at SDCC. This stalling tactic is a way for the administration to avoid any further confrontation of student demands and provide for a "cooling off" period in the vain hope that students will lose interest. (But we won't!)

SDS and some students saw this rally as a "cop-out" by the administration to avoid the main issues. We in SDS will continue to fight for more equality in work study. We will not be put off by a cheap administrative tactic, nor will we sit by and wait for stagnation to grip the student body.

Our struggle will continue because no excuse of any type can justify keeping needy students at a poverty level.

SDCC SDS

Mike Kosky
Wayne Carter
Sandy Roiz

Manhattan Community College

As a so-called "economy" measure, the administration of Manhattan Community College announced that there were no funds available for work-study jobs by the end of March. The students didn't take this kind of attack lying down. On Friday, March 26, 75 students, almost all black and Latin, took over the President's office. President Draper quickly called a meeting to "discuss" the situation. In front of 150 students, Draper went through a bunch of mathematical double-talk which ended up by saying that they had "found" some money to keep on all the students presently on work-study, though some hours might be cut. Of course, no students could be hired, even though some students had quit work-study and the enrollment of the school had increased about 10%.

The next week, three students were suspended, including a member of the Progressive Labor Party, the revolutionary communist party. After the vacation the hearings will take place. Hundreds of students are planning to attend to tell the administration their racist attacks won't work.

- 1) We Demand Jobs for Everybody
- 2) No Suspensions

FLASH!!

Today (April 16th) the "trials" were supposed to be held. But the Administration said only 25 students would be allowed to attend. We pushed our way into the small room, and they said they couldn't hold the meeting. After the students had denounced them for this bullshit, the court then decided to move the trial into the auditorium. Then the Administration reneged on this and decided to hold it back in the small room. Then one of the students on the court — a fink despite the action she took — decided not to hold court, saying it wasn't fair to the students. Since the disciplinary committee didn't have a quorum, the trial wasn't held. The deans then held their own private meeting.

During this whole time there were over 250 students there to protest the suspension and to demand an extension of the work-study program. They saw through the Administration foolishness and scheduled a mass rally Wednesday, April 21st, to take militant action.



Gov't Answer To Unemployment: Project Impact, '40 Hour Jail'

Project Impact is a combined program of Malcolm X Community College and the University of Illinois, Circle Campus (UICC). This is just one of many programs all over the country that are directed at the so-called "hard core" - people who are supposedly hard to teach or don't have a trade of this society. It's supposed to help dropouts receive their G.E.D. (equivalent to a high school diploma) or receive shop training for jobs that don't exist. You are told to show up from 9:00 to 4:00 five days a week, for which you get \$3.00 a day (\$15 a week). Once you get your G.E.D., they say you can go to Malcolm X or UICC.

These programs do nothing but keep track of unemployed black youth. They promise them they will get a good job and make it. This is a lie! The program that Malcolm X and UICC dreamed up isn't fulfilling the needs of the students. The students are forced to stay only in the UICC ROTC building, away from the rest of the students. The shops (Electronics, Drafting, Engineering, and Machine Metals) don't have half the equipment to

do a simple assignment. They are always running out of supplies. The classes are so boring that it's clear the administration and most teachers don't care about helping students (a teacher will tell you to be in class on time and then be a half an hour late himself, even then he isn't ready). So far only one student has passed his G.E.D. test, even though the program has been operating over a year. Many of the teachers are receiving free money at the expense of the students. Students are so frustrated with Impact that they don't care about the classes any more - just the money. Some of the students turn to drinking and smoking dope and the administration supports it - they even buy the drinks or bring in the dope for students.

Last week, (April 7), the chances of getting a G.E.D. improved. A teacher from Malcolm X who has been having trouble with the administration there was dropped on us (in the Impact Program), hoping that we wouldn't want her because she was white (then she could be fired). Looking at her history as a teacher who wanted to help students,

the student body voted to give Miss Ford a sixty day trial, against the wishes of the Impact administration. Like the rest of the school, our Dr. Hurst (President of Malcolm X) is pushing NATIONALISM on all of his students. But the students of Impact won't do his dirty work. We hope this is the first step in tightening up the program

As of now, I charge all of these programs with genocide against all the students in them -- it's a 40 hour jail house program that lets the students use dope and drink.

- We want:
- MORE EQUIPMENT
- BETTER SUPPLIES
- COURSES THAT TEACH SOMETHING TO PASS THE GED
- MORE THAN \$15 A WEEK
- BETTER TEACHERS WHO CARE ABOUT HELPING US

An Impact Student

UNHEAVENLY CITY...

Built on RACIST LIES

In many, if not all of the junior colleges, racist ideas are taught every day. At Loop College in Chicago, all Sociology of Urban Life classes read *The Unheavenly City* by Edward C. Banfield. This class is required for all "law enforcement" students. Banfield tries to push racist lies about black people. (Without racism the bosses' laws could not be enforced or even justified.) In this book Banfield tries to explain some of the urban problems that people must live with; unemployment, (mis)education, racism, etc. Banfield in his own sneaky, vicious way lies about the reasons for these problems and tries to put most of the blame on what he calls the "low class" black people.

The book starts out by explaining why there are different classes of people. "The more present-oriented a group's culture was, the larger the proportion of its members who became lower-class (similarly the more future-oriented the group's culture, the higher the proportion that entered the upper classes." Banfield explains that "present-oriented" people aren't interested in jobs, and that's why they're out of work. "Members of the lower class work only intermittantly even if job opportunities are good. Providing for a future, even a week or two away, is not part of their culture; nor will they accept the discipline that a job usually imposes." What Banfield means is that there are plenty of jobs, but workers don't want them because of "bad attitudes." What rotten lies! He should tell that to a GI who has just gotten back from Vietnam and can't find a job, who can't get unemployment compensa-



tion because his discharge hasn't cleared. Let Banfield tell him how easy it is to get a job, and see how long he's standing!

Banfield out-does himself in explaining why conditions are so bad in the ghetto. According to him, the people like to live in misery. "The lower-class individual lives in the slum and sees little or no reason to complain. He does not care how dirty and dilapidated his housing is either

inside or out, nor does he mind the inadequacy of such public facilities as schools, parks, and libraries: indeed, where such things exist he destroys them by acts of vandalism if he can." What racist filth! Black and Latin people are fighting like hell every day against the rotten conditions that racist Banfield says they like. And it's the bosses and their racist school administrators who love the rotten conditions they cause.

At Waller High School in Chicago, 173 black and Latin students were kicked out since January by the administration for not cooperating with their racist regulations. On April 7th Waller H.S. was closed down after a rally in the lunchroom of black, Latin and white students demanding an end to these suspensions. They marched to the principal's office where they fought the cops who tried to stop the march. This is proof in itself that Banfield is a rotten liar.

Banfield and all the bosses like him want us to forget about the oppression and exploitation that working class people like our friends, families, and ourselves face everyday and latch on to some dream that maybe we can "escape."

Banfield's entire book is filled cover to cover with his bosses' ideas and his racist lies. We must put an end to all the bosses and get rid of all the racist lies they teach us in the classrooms. We must join the struggles of millions of working people; black, Latin and white against this system of racist exploitation. NOW!

J.K., Loop

California Cuts Jobs & Aid - Gives Millions\$ to PIGS

Workers in L.A. are up against an 8% unemployment rate and an annual wage loss of 2%. Graduating black and Chicano high school students, who face empty prospects for jobs, are promised that junior college training will provide a chance to escape unemployment through "education" for "higher paying jobs" and "a better future."

Yet there's the same lousy racist unemployment, in school or out, training or no training. Most junior college students are eventually forced to drop out in order to look for full-time jobs. This is especially the case now that the Economic Opportunities Program (EOP) grants which had allowed many minority students to remain in school are being cut from a maximum of \$500 per year to \$100 per year. EOP students at Los Angeles City College have been told that their loans will be delayed at least 5 weeks and, in

some cases, possibly cancelled. Many schools (e.g., San Diego City College, Cal State L.A.) are sending money allocated for work-study jobs back to the federal and state governments.

The excuse for these cutbacks, and for Racist Ronnie Reagan's slashes at welfare, state hiring, and medical care, is that sufficient funds simply don't exist. However, Reagan's cronies in L.A. have managed to come up with just two increases in the county budget: \$2,000,000 of property tax relief for oil corporations and \$1,000,000 for the Pig Department in East Los Angeles (a Chicano community in which there have been four rebellions since August).

Police repression is also necessary on campus to keep students from fighting racist unemployment. That is why the Police Science academy at East L.A. College is one of the largest in the state. The campus pigs and trainee piglets walk

around in plain clothes wearing guns and threatening students with arrest. Recently, hundreds of students mobilized on campus to present demands for an end to this racist harassment, more jobs on campus, and the firing of the pig captain.

We in SDS seek to unite black, Asian, Chicano and white students to ally with campus workers in the fight against this racist system. We demand more jobs and financial aids, not less--and we want all cops and cop science off campus. There is now a city-wide committee which is building for an all out demonstration against the pig businessmen on the Los Angeles Junior College Board of Trustees.

Jeff Gee, Cal State L.A. SDS
Dino Morgan, L.A. City College SDS 735-7269

Build A Worker-Student Alliance FIGHT RACISM-JOIN SDS

BLACK, LATIN and WHITE students unite. The bosses have been telling us that SDS is strictly a white middle-class organization and that it is not in the best interests of Black, Latin students to join. Let me tell you a few things about SDS. SDSers are fighting what minorities have been fighting all their lives. Now we must fight against RACISM, POVERTY, EXPLOITATION OF THE WORKING PEOPLE (CLASS) BY THE CAP-

ITALIST BOSSES, AND THE WAR IN VIETNAM. SDS is a national student's organization made up of black, Latin and white actively fighting society's injustices. This is not the same organization you read about in the media, where SDS is called Weathermen, bomb-throwing radicals. This serves the bosses plan by dividing black, Latin and white workers and students. JOIN SDS, HELP BUILD A HEAVY BASE FOR A MULTI-RACIAL ORGANIZATION!

- Send me free literature
- I would like to start a chapter at my school
- I have friends at other schools who would like some information on SDS
- Membership subscription to NLN (\$5.00/yr.)
- Non-member subscription to NLN (\$5.00/yr.)
- Name
- Address
- Zip
- School

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fakers and trade-union bureaucrats who sell-out the rank-and-file workers time and again! How can the militant rank-and-file workers support an anti-war march that builds the misleaders who sell them out all the time?

At the December NPAC conference in Chicago, SDS put forward that the anti-war movement must fight racism. But the SWP-YSA-SMC racists said they wanted to build a 'non-exclusionary' anti-war movement and that raising the issue of racism might 'turn-off' some people! SDS said the anti-war movement should support ghetto rebellions and fight racist unemployment. But the NPAC misleaders responded that they wanted to build a 'single-issue' anti-war movement and therefore they couldn't support ghetto rebellions or fights against racist unemployment. When we proposed a march to support the armed rebellion of blacks in Cairo, Ill. they refused to give support. How can workers and students support an anti-war march that doesn't fight racism?

Countless numbers of students in this country are against the war and have taken militant actions on the campuses against ROTC, war research, war recruiting, etc. Last spring hundreds of thousands of students went on strike against the war and shut down hundreds of campuses. The YSA-SMC phonies are opposed to such militant mass actions. They tried to break these strikes by keeping the universities open, supposedly as peaceful 'anti-war centers.' They try to discredit mass militancy by violence-baiting--i.e. they say that if you participate in a sit-in you'll get your head cracked open and get kicked out of school. They say this because they don't think people can trust each other to fight back together in unity. This fighting unity is something the SMC discourages. The best example is the way they divide black, Latin, and white. These racist creeps put out a separate leaflet for blacks (saying "bring the brothers home") and another for white students (saying "bring the troops home"). These leaflets do nothing but build the idea that white students don't care about black GI's (and vice versa). In fact, these leaflets split black, white and Latin unity. How can militant anti-war students support an anti-war march led by these scabs who try to sabotage our militant actions on the campus?

SDS is not against all mass marches and demonstrations. We are for them when they build worker-student unity, expose the war as an

imperialist war, and fight racist treatment of minorities. But when a march builds up the liberal politicians as our friends, says racism has nothing to do with the war, calls for pacifism and baits mass militancy as being terroristic, and patronizes working people, then we won't support such a march.

The bosses and their government know the vast majority of the people in the U.S. are opposed to this war. They know they can't stop this opposition so they try to saddle us with misleaders who will lead us down the drain and build cynicism and defeatism in us. That's why they've given this march so much publicity in their news media. They want us to follow these misleaders! If we want to build a movement that effectively fights the war and racism we must sweep these scabs aside!--and ally with the masses of working people to demand:

SMASH RACISM!

BUILD THE WORKER-STUDENT ALLIANCE!

SMASH RACIST UNEMPLOYMENT

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May 1: Ally With Workers Don't Attack Them

May 1st will begin a series of actions of civil disobedience in support of the Peoples Peace Treaty. This is sponsored by the National Student Association (exposed in 1965 as being funded by the CIA) and various May Day committees including the Rennie Davis-Abbie Hoffman-Jane Fonda Star Show.

The Peoples Peace Treaty calls for the withdrawal of all American troops from Viet Nam and everyone who agrees is supposed to sign the treaty. One person associated with the NSA said that "Even the Junior Chamber of Commerce supports it." (Ann Arbor Peace Treaty Conf.) The planned action of civil disobedience is to force the government to accept the treaty.

The big businessmen who run this country would love to withdraw all the troops. They would like nothing better than a peace in Viet Nam which would allow them to peacefully exploit the workers and peasants. To demand the withdrawal of American troops is a racist slander on the Vietnamese. It says that American lives are more important than Vietnamese workers and peasants. What is important is that the US be forced to get everything out of Viet Nam, militarily, politically, and economically and there is nothing to negotiate!

One leaflet for this action in Chicago said that everyone should organize themselves into "tribes" and do what they want to do in D.C. to disrupt the government. Their suggestion was blocking traffic at rush hour. This disorganized mess is going to

mean that a lot of people are going to get their heads beat in by the cops. Then the liberal politicians will use the massacre to shout about the Nixon administration (like the Democratic convention in 1968).

NO ONE SHOULD GO TO WASHINGTON ON MAY 1st. This is an action that leads students away from a real fight to end the war and into the hands of liberal politicians. Acts of civil disobedience only express moral indignation at Nixon or the War, and does nothing to concretely hurt imperialism.

Workers everywhere have taken the lead in fighting US imperialism. The Vietnamese have been fighting for twenty years, British workers are striking, in the United States there have been ghetto and barrio rebellions and countless strikes. Students must learn from these workers and build a fighting alliance with them. Struggle against imperialism and racism must go on everyday, not just once a year. And we must FIGHT to stop the war in S.E. Asia, racism and exploitation.

The action in Washington attacks the workers who live there. It will be workers (almost all of whom are black) who will be troubled by the traffic jams and cops, not the rulers. This action is designed to set back the growing fight of workers and students against racism and imperialism. DON'T GO! BUILD A WORKER STUDENT ALLIANCE see centerfold for worker student actions on May 1st-- the International Holiday of the Workingman.

THIS Action

'Belonged to Workers'

Dear NLN:

I feel that the march on Washington DC was one of the best ways in the world to let the US bosses know we know that the System only makes them (the bosses) richer. The US System is being forced on all, and this we don't want. DC was a thing that you had to be there to see. For my own part, on the day of the march I knew Washington belonged not to politicians, but to the marchers, who were there for the forgotten students and workers. The press tried to ice what happened there (since the bosses run the press), but the people took the greatness of the march back to the cities, the suburbs, and the factories, to let other people know how helpful the march on DC was.

W. H. (Chicago)

Dear NLN,

I thought that the demonstration (March 20 against racist unemployment) in Houston was real fine. I took part in the demonstration even though I have a job because to me the demonstration meant we are fighting to make things better for all poor people. Unemployment is real bad here in Houston. More people should have come to the march to demand what is really ours, but the next time it will be bigger because we are going to work harder. We formed a committee here against unemployment so we can fight better. Poor people all over should do the same thing.

Yours truly,
Leon T.

Summer Project: build the worker-student alliance everywhere!!

SDS is building a worker-student alliance. Workers and students must stick together and fight against the war in Vietnam and racism; to support strikes and ghetto rebellions, demand jobs for all, and oppose the cops, National Guard and Army when they are called out against workers and students anywhere. The worker-student alliance has grown a lot, but we have a ways to go yet. All students and workers need a movement of Blacks, Latins, and whites that includes millions, that reaches into every city and town, and that will mobilize thousands of workers and students for action to support those fighting back against oppression. There are thousands of students in hundreds of cities and schools who would work with SDS if we could get the word out everywhere. This summer, hundreds of SDS'ers will move to other cities for the summer to go to school or get jobs. They will help set up SDS chapters and build a powerful worker-student alliance in dozens of these cities. If you would like to learn more about the

worker-student alliance and the fight against racism, write to SDS for some free sample literature. If you want to participate in this project, or if you want to be in touch with SDS over the summer, or if you know anyone in any city who might be interested in learning about SDS and the worker-student alliance, drop us a line and we'll send them some free literature. The SDS national headquarters will co-ordinate this by putting people in touch with other activists in their areas. Spread SDS ideas and literature everywhere.

- () Send info. about the summer project
- () Send info. about SDS
- () Send info. to my friends (names enclosed)

Name _____

Summer address _____