

PROLETARIAN YOUTH MOVEMENT

Decision of the Secretariat of the E. C. Y. C. I. on the Case of Comrade Oschi.

The Secretariat of the E.C.Y.C.I. emphatically condemns the anti-Party action of Comrade **Oschi**, member of the E.C.Y.C.I., consisting in the fact that he substituted the directives of the E.C.Y.C.I. to all Sections regarding the carrying out of the L.L.L.Campaign, by a document which distorted the fundamental political line of the E.C.Y.C.I.

The E.C.Y.C.I. declares that the deletions by Comrade **Oschi** of all the passages from the directives of the E.C.Y.C.I. on the L.L.L.Campaign, dealing with the mistakes of Rosa Luxemburg and of the Left pre-war social democrats, that the striking out of some explanations in connection with Comrade **Stalin's** letter to the editors of the "**Proletarskaya Revoluzia**", constitute in essence open Trotzkyist actions, assisting those who attempt "to smuggle in their anti-Leninist contraband, to slander the Bolsheviki and to falsify the history of the Bolshevik Party".

This action, which has nothing in common with the line of the E.C.Y.C.I. calling upon all sections of the Y.C.I., on the basis of Comrade **Stalin's** letter, to wage a struggle against rotten liberalism towards opportunism and to fight for a greater Bolshevisation of the ranks of the Y.C.I., is a reflection of the struggle waged by the opportunist elements in that they oppose the line of the E.C.Y.C.I. and of the E.C.C.I.

The Young Communist International as a whole as well as each of its Sections, are in duty bound, in particular in the preparation and the carrying out of the L.L.L.Campaign, to devote special attention to a thorough enlightenment of the masses of the youth on Comrade **Stalin's** letter, which is of great fundamental, political and practical importance to the development of the whole proletarian revolutionary movement.

Profound study of the principles of Marxism and Leninism, of the history of Bolshevism and its role in the international revolutionary movement, irreconcilable attitude to opportunist distortions and phenomena—both in theory and practice—, Bolshevik application of revolutionary theory in the daily struggle, are the necessary preconditions guaranteeing the success of Communist education of the Youth in the fight against the bourgeoisie and its main social buttress, social fascism, in the fight against the foremost shock-troop of the counter-revolution, Trotzkyism, and in the fight for the consolidation and the defence of the Soviet Union—the fatherland of the toiling and oppressed masses of the whole world.

Proceeding from these facts, the Secretariat is of the opinion that any opportunist underestimation of Comrade **Stalin's** letter, which confronts the revolutionary movement with the most urgent questions, that any attempt to prevent or to delay the mobilisation of the masses of the youth for the fight for Leninism, is bound to encounter determined resistance and ruthless exposure in the ranks of the Y.C.I.

The Secretariat of the E.C.Y.C.I. considers Comrade **Oschi's** declaration regarding the acknowledgment of his mistakes to be inadequate. It emphasises the correctness of the decisions of the German delegation to the E.C.Y.C.I., which condemned Comrade **Oschi's** mistakes and resolved to submit this matter to the C.C. of the C.P. of Germany for decision. The Secretariat decides to remove Comrade **Oschi** from work in the E.C.Y.C.I.

Secretariat of the E.C.Y.C.I.

29th, December 1931.

Decision of the Presidium of the E.C.Y.C.I.

The decision adopted by the Secretariat of the E.C.Y.C.I. on December 29, 1931, regarding the anti-Party action of Comrade **Oschi** is approved and is to be published in the press.

Due note is taken of Comrade **Oschi's** declaration.

Presidium of the E.C.Y.C.I.

31st, December 1931.