

# THE YOUTH MOVEMENT

## Resolution of the Plenum of the E. C. Y. C. I. on the Plenum of the E. C. C. I.

1, The Plenum of the E. C. of the Y. C. I., having received the report of the work of the Plenum of the Y. C. I., declares its full agreement with all the decisions and resolutions of the Plenum of the E. C. C. I.

The Plenum of the E. C. C. I. took place at a time when the international situation was particularly acute. The Chinese Revolution, which has entered upon a higher stage of its development, is experiencing enormous difficulties. The danger of a warlike attack of the imperialists on the first Workers' State has become more imminent. The intervention of the imperialists against the Chinese Revolution has become more intensified. In all countries the offensive of capital against the working class and against the class organs of the proletariat — trade unions, Communist Parties and Youth Leagues — has also become more intense.

The Plenum of the E. C. of the Y. C. I. imposes on all Sections of the Y. C. I. the obligation to fulfil in the most decisive manner all the tasks which the Plenum of the E. C. C. I. placed before all Communist organisations. The Plenum of the E. C. of the Y. C. I. stresses the fact that the chief task of the Young Communist Leagues at the present moment is the mobilisation of all revolutionary forces and the masses of young workers in the struggle for the defence of the Chinese and Russian Revolution against imperialist war and against the offensive of reaction on the working class.

The entire attention and activity of the Sections of the Y. C. I. must be concentrated on these main tasks. In this moment of feverish preparation of the bourgeoisie all Y. C. I. must be as active as possible in the struggle against war and the danger of war, and at the same time be prepared to transform the imperialist war against the U. S. S. R. and the Chinese Revolution into a civil war, into a war against one's own bourgeoisie.

2. The Plenum of the E. C. of the Y. C. I. sharply condemns the attitude of the opposition as adopted by Comrades Trotsky and Vuyovitch at the Plenum of the E. C. C. I. The incessant fractional activity which was already condemned by the Comintern and the C. P. S. U. interferes with the work and struggle of all Communist organisations. The behaviour of the Opposition at the Plenum of the E. C. C. I., the accusations against the leadership of the Comintern and the C. P. S. U. discredit the struggle of the C. I. against the danger of war and is equivalent to the sabotage of this struggle.

The attitude of the Opposition to the Chinese question is based on a false estimation of the position in China. The development of a bourgeois democratic revolution in a backward semi-colonial country demands a bloc between Communists, the working class, the peasantry and petty bourgeoisie, a situation which is being realised in the present stage of the Chinese Revolution through the participation of the Communists in the Kuomintang.

The proposal of the Opposition to proceed immediately with the formation of Soviets is based on an under-estimation of the role of the Left Kuomintang and a lack of understanding of the present stage of the Chinese Revolution.

The Plenum of the E. C. of the Y. C. I. condemns in the most decisive manner the proposals and methods of work of the Opposition which are conducive to discrediting and undermining the fighting force of the Comintern, an extremely dangerous matter at the present moment. On this account the Plenum of the E. C. of the Y. C. I. is in full agreement with the decisions of the Plenum of the E. C. C. I. in respect to the Opposition and expresses its conviction that the C. I. and the C. P. S. U. will put a stop to the disorganising activity of the Opposition and take measures against its fractional work.