**Comrade Trotsky and the Press**

The Norwegian government, in the service of Stalinism, is preventing Leon Trotsky from defending himself. As a consequence of its decision not to allow comrade Trotsky to bring a case for slander against a communist newspaper and a fascist publication, declarations have been made by the Norwegian government that the measures taken against Trotsky are due to diplomatic considerations. The case for slander against a government official, might endanger the friendly relations between Norway and the Soviet Union.

**Toward a Revolutionary International**

The International Congress against War and Fascism and in support of the Spanish Revolution ended its work on November 3rd. The question of aid for the Spanish workers was discussed.

The first day Julian Gorkin of the executive committee of the P. O. U. M. gave a full report of the situation in Spain. The delegates, who had come from all the countries in the world, unanimously accepted this report in the name of millions of workers.

**Spanish exhibition in London**

Two comedies have already arrived from London in connection with the Spanish Revolution Exhibition shortly to be held at the Congress of the People's of the World. They are two collectible exhibitions from the P. O. U. M. and other organizations. It is hoped by various pieces of manifest evidence to be produced before the British public, that the right of the workers to make war to the death against the forces of the counter-revolution.

**The Joaquin Maurin ambulance**

This ambulance, sent by the I. L. P. as a present to their comrades of the P. O. U. M. has already been in service on the Aragon front for some time now. Doctor Morse and Comrade Eva, who are on the staff of the ambulance together with other P. O. U. M. comrades, were under fire during the first week of our recent big attack on Russia and served with the ambulance in the front line. Doing invaluable work in caring for our wounded.

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THE INTERNATIONAL BUREAU OF THE REVOLUTIONARY SOCIALIST YOUTH TRANSFERRED TO BARCELONA

A Conference of the Revolutionary Socialist Youth attached to the International Bureau, met on November 2 and 3 at Brussels. The conference was attended by representatives of most of the revolutionary organizations from all over the world who disagree with the reformist position of the Second and Third Internationals. The conference established the international working class and the future of our own revolution.

The most vital point under the consideration of the delegates was the question of support to the Spanish revolution. This was to be expected of course. All of the problems faced by the world working class today are closely bound up with the world working class.

When the Congress was held two months ago at Geneva, attended by Stalinist delegates of the Mediterranean. This would aggravate the danger of a new war. In Spain, particularly in Catalonia and around Valencia, the masses are openly struggling for the socialist revolution. They failed to understand that the only way to avoid an international war lay in the immediate crushing of the fascist uprising. They left us to stand against our enemy, unarmored, and what could have been a short struggle with a great victory for the workers leading to the socialist revolution, has turned into a long hard war. This mistake may have to be paid for in every country, fighting under the same banners and the same slogan of world democracy as in 1914.

For all of these reasons, beside its class duty, the workers of the world should put an end to neutrality, should sabotage the sending of arms to Spanish fascism and should send to the Spanish workers their aid, wherever they are. Only in this way will the Spanish revolution be able to recover the bases of national defense, to disrupt the unity of the fascist powers, to strengthen the revolutionary situation in Spain and of the activities of the J. C. I., their slogans and the growth of their newspaper. It was prepared by Comrade Solano that in view of the revolutionary situation in Spain, the central bureau be transferred to Barcelona. This was agreed to unanimously.

It was also decided that the expedition was to be prohibited in five languages, to be broadcast throughout the world.
NINETEENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

More than 300,000 workers demonstrated in Barcelona on Sunday in commemoration of the 19th anniversary of the Russian Revolution. This was one of the greatest, if not the greatest, demonstrations to have taken place in Catalonia in a five-hour parade through Barcelona.

What was the political significance of this demonstration? It was called with the object of celebrating the Bolshevik October Revolution. The Catalan workers have always kept this anniversary and it has become a tradition for our party to hold meetings commemorating this event to whose tradition and spirit we shall always remain faithful. The demonstration was much larger this year because it had a greater significance than ever before. This year it took place in the midst of the Spanish Revolution and the working masses of Catalonia approached together the two great revolutions of our time — that of 1917 and our own revolution.

The Russian revolution is the epitome of the triumphant proletariat after a war to the death against its own bourgeoisie. It was called with the object of celebrating the Bolshevik October revolution and showed its determination at the same time to carry the Spanish Revolution through to a triumphant end. The above pictures show some of the workers who took part in the huge demonstration in Barcelona last Sunday. 300,000 workers marched with tremendous enthusiasm to commemorate the same time to carry the Spanish Revolution through to a triumphant end.
In our last issue we presented a review of some of the educational problems that face us today. One thing is evident: small schools are no answer. It is not enough to solve a host of difficult problems in the educational sphere. Many forces have undertaken the organization of the new school, including the trade unions, the political organizations of the workers and the Communist party. None of these forces have hitherto, in this first have been united by the formation of a Central Communist Office, the C. E. N. U. If it is formed by the C. N. T. U. O. T. the Educational Committee of the C. E. N. U. includes the following members: either by the end of the year, every child must be receiving regular schooling. No child must be left in the streets. There are one million children in Spain. Of these 34,491 children were in the official schools during the year 1929-30. Today only about 16,000 of the children are enrolled in private schools and these are controlled by the C. E. N. U. Nevertheless, the organization of the new school is naturally a question of means, money and men, and our whole problem is that of waiting for the front line of the war. In addition, the Madrid government, because since it lies behind Catalonia in revolutionary activity, gives us no aid. Even in Catalonia the power is not concentrated in the hands of the parties. We work with the result that all organization is not made in accordance with the needs of the people. The most important is that the school must be a place where the working class against fascism is a struggle for workers' power and the building of a socialism. The new school has this goal. Therefore the teaching aim of the new school must be to produce an active, articulate and self-reliant working class, a builder of socialism, the citizen of the class society.

The democratic capitalists beckon to the working class the most miserable, educational heritage, but a wealth of advanced material is now available. The Vienna Volkshaus has been teaching classes for those who cannot decide to advance without continually going backwards. According to some others, everything here must be brought about in the methods of democracy, which were established in Russia, following the same rhythms and producing the same results. This historical servitude will be dangerous for the future of our revolution. It means blind submission to rules and the bureaucratisation of the direction of our revolution. The worst enemy of the revolution is the who wishes to make it follow a course which has been traced out before. 

In the Russian revolution Lenin proceeded in a diabolical manner, not having been edu5ed by dogma. When the immense Socialist of the second International became an obstacle he opposed them in the same way. This was the way in which the Russian revolution was power is quite different from the taking of power by the French and the German bourgeoisie. The revolution in France and the revolution in England were not the same, although they had the same objectives

There has never been a revolution in history based on abstract principles, the Revolution in England was not the same as between Lenin and Trotsky. There are certain events which have been left to the centers of force phrases. What comparisons can be drawn between Russian and Spanish revolutions which have developed in the last 20 years? The forms and methods of the German revolution have nothing to do with those of the Turkish revolution. The Chinese Risomiting movement differs from the Indian Nationalist movement, for instance, to do with those of the Turkish revolution. The Chinese Kuomintang movement is an upset of balance and a struggle for a new social order. But no one should allow himself to be bewitched by the illusion of a heaven on earth. The principal German and Italian fascists have propagated the most abominable calumny, and that a large section of the German fleet has been moved are seizing strategic positions in the Eastern Mediterranean, and that a large influx of new members has swollen the U. G. T. but we regret to say that neckties and the C. N. T., the governement of the Generality and of the Municipalities. However, the Anarchists tradition of direct action, which was thereby overthrown. The principal German and Italian fascists have propagated the most abominable calumny. We are not trying to paint an idyllic picture of the future school and the bureaucrats. The Y. P. S. L., 549 Randolph St., Chicago, 111. The Labor Book Shop, 28 E. 12th. St. New York City and The price is two pence or five cents: it may be ordered. It should be a host of difficulties and meet their obligations. Speaking of battles, he said, «First you must begin;

The Socialist League

Barcelona, November 25, 1936

NOTES AND NEWS

Trotzky and the Press

We call attention to this extract, from the open letter addressed by Comrade Trotsky to the Norwegian Minister of Foreign Affairs:

I have endeavored to conform to the spirit and letter of the conditions laid down for my stay in Norway, at least so far as I understand them. I am ready to ac-
cept a new interpretation of the conditions if I am convinced that it is compatible with my position as a man and a writer. I am only sure that I will understand and that I will consent to, as far as I can, to a supervisor who has been appointed by the judicial authorities of being the organizers of ter-
rorism. If the Norwegian government considers it possi-
able that I have abused my stay in Norway or even elsewhere, that I have committed acts of terrorism, the Norwegian authorities consider this impossible to intervene in this affair, which in the present state of the elementary daily which need not even be qualified as democratic—to accord
me complete liberty to tell, by my own personal means, the truth to world public opinion. The principal means of doing this is through the press. Not to consent to such a restriction is a kind of consent.

Fine Conduct of the P. O. U. M. Troops

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French Jounalists in Barcelona

About 30 French journalists have arrived in Barcelona by air. They have been representing the Commissariat of Propa-
ganda. These journalists were welcomed by our comrades. The object of this visit is to insure the facilities for sending voluntary workers from this office to begin building the Workers' Internationa

Voluntary Labour

Owing to a great number of anti-fascist citizens having generously offered their services for the purpose of crush-
ing fascism, it has been absolutely necessary to set up a new

With Arms We Shall Stop Fascism

With the fascists concentrating their best forces around Madrid, which has been isolated for a week, the German air force has been attacking, as usual, the other fronts. We have been receiving reports that 1,000 bombs have been dropped on the headquarters of the U. S. S. R. dictated by the fear of seeing Hitlerian fascism

The resolution on Spain, voted by the Brussels Congress, which we are publishing elsewhere in this Bulletin, was the first step in the process of sending arms. It states that the neutrality policy was initiated by the French People's Front and that this People's Front was intended to prevent the intervention of international capitalism, and especially those of the fascist states. The Congress likewise condemns the policy of the Soviet government, giving way before the pressure of the reactionary governments, of the U. S. S. R. and states against another.

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