Unite Youth Against War and Fascism

WHY TWO DEMONSTRATIONS?

On May 26th, there will be two anti- war demonstrations in New York City. One under the auspices of the United Youth Committee Against War and Fascism, which includes the Yipsels, N.Y.C.S., Communist Youth Opposition, Communist League of Struggle, Youth Group, Student League for Industrial Democracy, Young Circle League, and others. The other is the National Youth Day demonstration organized by the Young Communist League. The New York City. One under the auspices of the Youth Section of the American League Against War and Fascism and other Stalinist youth groups.

PROTEST THE NAVAL MANEUVERS; DEMAND THE FREEDOM OF THE FOUR GERMAN YOUTH

As millions parade in the biggest Memorial Day on May 26th, tens of thousands of young workers and students will demonstrate throughout the country against bosses' war and Fascism. In 1934 the American ruling class has prepared its largest peace-time war budget. Roosevelt talks disarmament while he builds a navy "second to none", an air force which other imperialist powers will fear, armaments which can be used to club interests of the Morgan, Rockefellers and Mellon.

PROTEST THE NAVAL MANEUVERS! ONE MAY REASONABLY PROTEST no matter how small or how large.

The Yipsels introduced an amendment that we would have a united front with the Y.C.L. If they would repudiate the statements made by William Patterson, the head of the International Labor Defense in which he attacks the protest on behalf of the four deported German youth sponsored by the League, the Yipsels would ratify the protest.

The amendment was criticized by the Yipsels' delegates as an ultimatum which could only stand in the way of unity. After heated discussion and a recent, the Yipsels withdrew their amendment and the original motion for common action accepted unanimously.

The conference further decided that since the name "National Youth Day" was intimately connected with only one section of the movement, the Stalinists Y.C.L. and its auxiliaries we propose a name that could include the representation other than National Youth Day, for example, "May Day." (continued on page 4)

TROOPS FIRE UP STRIKING WORKERS

Minneapolis and Toledo! Two mighty posts in the growing militant strike wave of the American workers! The workers demand union recognition and increased wages. The bosses and their government reply with special thugs, National Guardsmen. In Toledo two were killed and nearly 200 injured in the five day battle. On the west coast a young longshoreman was murdered.

Several workers were shot in the Longshoremen, North Carolina textile strike. An eighteen-year-old worker, Aubrey Waters, is not expected to recover. In New Orleans, in Prisco, in Cleveland, everywhere the workers are meeting their workmates with militant resistance.

All this is peaceful, in democratic America! The master class fears union organization. The steel magnates openly proclaim that they will not permit the unionization of "their property." And President Roosevelt told us that the NRA gave the workers the right to organize unionized.

The workers are awakening. They are beginning to see their class interests. They are preparing for the decisive battle for the complete expropriation of the bosses' class. A serious start has been made by our comrades in Minneapolis, who helped organize the truck drivers' "strike." The workers must rally in defense of their class rights.

Forward to a greater class struggle and the workers' revolution!
Principles of International Communist Youth

DETECTION OF PRINCIPLES OF THE I.C.L. YOUTH TO THE INTERNATIONAL YOUTH CONFERENCE AT AMSTERDAM—February 24-25-26, 1934

1. By the composition of the different participants, this International Conference has for its origin the same forces which, having gathered at the bottom of the International Conference of Independent Revolutionary Socialist Youth (I.C.L.) in Paris on the 27th and 28th of August, 1933. The present conference is its continuation.

As Bolshevik-Leninist Youth, we take completely as our own, the Declaration made to that conference by our International organisations: On the basis of the analysis of the third International, we insist on the necessity for building a new revolutionary international.

2. World capitalism has been now for some years in a stage of decomposition. It can find no progressive outlet from the terrible impasse which the system of capitalism has brought it. There remains only one solution: the transformation of the social order of capitalism into the social order of socialism or communism. This task belongs to the revolutionary proletariat. On the basis of the experiences of the present, there is only one road, and the violent reaction which is happening. The decay of the capitalist order has pushed the class struggle to the pyramidal level. There are two roads of the new social order, and (2) the national, chauvinistic road which prepares the bankruptcy of the system of capitalism in one country (National reformism).

We must unite the healthy forces of the proletariat and the youth to build the proletariat. This is our firm belief that the joint teachings of the two bank rupt youth internationals, cannot be accomplished on the basis of the historic continuity of the proletariat and the youth organization. The present conference clearly to the Fourth International, which is composed of the 2nd and 3rd Congresses of the Communist Left Opposition (today the I. C. L.), under whose banner we stand, considered the Communist Party as its own, in spite of its errors in policy and action, and fought, as a faction, for the regeneration of the C. L. for the return to the fundamental concepts of the first four congresses of the C. L.

3. Since the proletariat has been organized politically on the basis of scientific socialism, that is, since the foundation of the Communist League of 1847, the international working class movement has passed through three vicissitudes and great defeats. There was first the Paris Commune, that is the beginning of the dissolution of the 1st International. There followed a long period of the world expansion and the decomposition of the 1st International. The growth was characterized also by a tremendous growth of the workers' movement. The 2nd International was on the one hand an enormous propaganda work and won millions of proletarians. On the other hand it was the principles of scientific socialism laid down by Marx and Engels which capitalism raised its own support in the very ranks of the 2nd International. The bourgeoisie was forced to organise the growth of chauvinism in the workers' movement and gave expression to its pro-capitalist ideology in the support of the imperialist conflict of 1914-18. In this crucial period, the workers of the world were betrayed. The 2nd International succumbed to chauvinism and social patriotism (national socialism). But the war also gave birth to a new international, the Revolutionary International. 1917 and the overthrow of many powerful international working class organizations, international proletariat rose up anew. Upon the ruins of the 2nd International, the I. C. L. set itself the task of constructing, within the Third International, the most correct foundation of a truly international proletariat, the new revolutionary international.

The Centre of the International which was to extend to the October Revolution on a world scale, to enlarge the dictatorship of the proletariat, has failed in this task. It has failed in this task because of the degen eration of its leadership, concentrated in the hands of the Soviet bureaucracy, both in principle and in practice. The decisive reason for this degeneration of the Communist International resulted from the failure of the Russian revolution to arrive in Europe, during the years of 1918-23. Since that time, what was in becoming in Europe as the only possible solution, the only possible alternative solution, the only possible road, has been happening. The decay of the Communist International has developed on the basis of the fundamental concepts founded by Marx as the necessary instrument of the revolutionary class struggle, and to establish the classless society. Again, the International has died, overthrown by the bankruptcy of its leader, and the bankruptcy of the leadership of the revolutionary proletariat in one country. It manifested itself further in the following: (a) bour- ronnemental regimes of the Party (b) splitting of the trade unions (c) breaking of the International, and the establishment of the new social order, and (2) the national, chauvinistic road which prepares the bankruptcy of the system of capitalism in one country. It is our firm belief that the joint teachings of the two bankrupt youth internationals, cannot be accomplished on the basis of the historic continuity of the proletariat and the youth organization. The present conference clearly to the Fourth International, which is composed of the 2nd and 3rd Congresses of the Communist Left Opposition (today the I. C. L.), under whose banner we stand, considered the Communist Party as its own, in spite of its errors in policy and action, and fought, as a faction, for the regeneration of the C. L. for the return to the fundamental concepts of the first four congresses of the C. L.

5. Up to recently, the International Left Opposition (today the I. C. L.), under whose banner we stand, considered the Communist Party as its own, in spite of its errors in policy and action, and fought, as a faction, for the regeneration of the C. L. for the return to the fundamental concepts of the first four congresses of the C. L.

6. Following the German catastrophe we observe an enormous rise of centrist tendencies. Many of the old Bolshevik Demo-
WHAT NOT MORE ARMS FOR THE CHACO WAR?

So Roosevelt left for peace. For he was afraid of stopping the war or threatening a union, between Bolivia and Paraguay over Chaco, by prohibiting the shipment of munitions from this country to either side. Well, that seems to be all the wrong about the President.

He may be—show us if he can—but not in this case—not by a long shot! Even in this peace step Roosevelt is serving his great master, the Rockefeller and the Morgans. Proof? Easy enough; we ask but quotes; as considered probable (merely probable!) that the halse displayed by the administration (55 million worth of arms—go on arms shipments—$8 million) has been due to the expectation of a Paraguayan victory in the extensive fighting around Fort Chacun. This, in the opinion of exponents here, would open the road to Paraguayan troops to the oil fields and refueling of the Standard Oil Company of Bolivia.

New York Times, May 23, 1914

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JAPAN ISSUES WARNING

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August 4th, 1914

Go fight your foe's! Fever up the earth for the love of country.

And spill each others guts upon the field; Serve unto death the men you served in life, So that their wide dominions may not yield, Stand by the flag—the lie that still al

And give unto a war that is not yours, Your gory tide of mangled flesh and bone, But whether it be yours to fall or kill You must not question why nor where. You see the tiny crosses on that hill? It took all three to make one million. The bierage screams, the cannons cease to roar, "Enough! enough! God give us peace again The rats, the maggots and the Lords of noise Are fat to bursting from their meal of men.

Now why all this fuss! But not in this case—nothing to do with destiny or the future, not in this case—nothing to do with us, nothing to do with us.

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Young Workers Protest Nazi Rallies

NEW YORK CITY—Militantly shouting "Down with Fascism," over a thousand militant workers paraded on May 17th in the counter demonstration to the Nazi's Madison Square Garden meeting led by the Communist League of America, the Young Communist League and the Spartacus Youth Clubs, the anti-Nazi defied the 1,000 police and their regulations by marching around the Garden, up and down Eighth Avenue and Fifth Avenue.

All attempts to break the line of march were unsuccessful. A mass meeting was held near Times Square addressed by representatives of the Y.C.L., Y.P.S.L., and the Young Workers Party, the Young Communist League as well as Carl Cow of the Communist Party, who gave a party explanation of the Nazi movement and how to defeat it.

Red Young Workers led a series of songs to make the Nazis feel ashamed and answered the Fascists' "Hail Hitler" with "Down with Fascism." "Fascism is the last refuge for the weak against the strong," said the marchers.

Forward to the United Youth Demonstration Against War and Fascism! For a genuine all-inclusive genuine united front!

—N.Y. CITY COMMITTEE—SPARTACUS YOUTH CLUBS

Mooney Plea Rejected

Tom Mooney has been denied a writ of habeas corpus by the Federal District Court of the District of Columbia. The court denied the writ of habeas corpus which would have put the State of California on the defensive to show cause why Mooney should not be freed. This would expose the entire rotten frame-up against the working class militant.

The case will go to the Supreme Court on the basis of a mistrial, perjured witnesses, violation of the Fourteenth Amendment, and that the case is a fraud.

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