The actions of the American Student Union and of the Peace Committee of the Student Council, last Thursday, should arouse all those who believe in minority rights to action. In the first place, the refusal of those arranging the meeting to permit a speaker with an opposing point of view, left the opposition with few means of making known their point of view. The second action of attempting to exclude banners signed by the Anti War Club from the stadium, by force, was even more despicable. The fault for whatever disturbance arose must remain with those who would abrogate democratic procedure.

The "Campus" was equally unfair in its treatment of the story and in its editorial comment. The speakers were not interrupted by our slogans. On one occasion, Mr. Copstein was interrupted but this was unintentional and an apology has been offered.

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The Student Strike

NORMAN THOMAS

If ever there was reason for a student strike against war and for peace it is this year. That strike ought to be an impressive demonstration and a useful preparation for a strike against mobilization for actual war. The impressiveness of this year's strike may be a genuine factor in the struggle to keep America out of the war toward which it so rapidly drifts.

To be impressive the strike must obtain the maximum possible unity. Rival strikes on certain college campuses may do more harm than good. On the other hand, it would be worse than folly to carry out a purely formal protest against particular features of the government's policy by students who openly or tacitly accept the idea that by the collective security road the U.S. may be led into a war which they must support. It seems to me that the minimum basis for effective action is laid down in the call adopted by the "Keep America Out of War" Committee. It should be noted that most of the points have been approved even by the A.S.U. which I believe is also committed to opposition to the R.O.T.C. on the campus. This opposition to R.O.T.C. is a point which college students especially should add to the program laid down in the call.

THE VITAL THING to be brought home this year to students, workers and the public is the danger of war, the cost of war, the certainty that war will bring fascism or its equivalent at home, the absolute certainty that the victory of this capitalist nation at infinite cost will not change (continued on page 9)
A.S.U. Investigates

The Executive Committee of the American Student Union has established a committee to investigate "disruptors." We hope that the committee will not adopt any principles of Soviet justice. We believe that will have plenty of investigating to do if they would investigate those who, in the name of democracy, refuse to permit to the minority the right of expressing its views. Those who, without authority, attempted to exclude Anti-War Club posters from Thursday's demonstration out to be the first to be investigated.

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The forces which produce war and fascism, and that any military help our government gives to China ought not to pay. Unless the strike says this, and says it effectively, it will miss one of the greatest opportunities that this college generation will ever have to serve itself and the cause of peace, not only in America but in the world.

"Campus" Takes Indictment

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We made every attempt to fulfill all requirements as to the posters. Each was signed by the Alcove Committee of the Student Council which is the body which possesses the authority normally. Those who pointed out which posters were to be excluded from the stadium themselves acted without authority as the Council had not voted to exclude any signs. Those who attempted to exclude the signs by forcing the ones to be condemned for their actions. The fault rests with the accusers and not with the accused. The Peace Committee would do well to learn from this demonstration and in the future act in a more democratic manner and permit minority speakers at the strike. A monolithic demonstration has no place in City College. Only in those countries which have rejected the democratic way acceptable demonstrations.

Socialist School Opens

The Debs Labor School has announced that it will begin a new term on Saturday afternoon, April 9th. Courses include "Elements of Socialism" and "Fundamentals of Marxism" as well as seminars on trade union work. Rebel Arts is the Place, 6 East 17 Street.
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