

THE WAM KIT

TO ALL WAM LEADERS:

You will find in this packet some materials which are suggested aids towards making the WAM Convention and the co-sponsored PLP MAY DAY MARCH victories in the fight against the bosses.

Contained in the packet are:

- 1) A preamble to the WAM Constitution; the Constitution itself is in the latest edition of the Newsletter.
- 2) A copy of the Keynote Address, to be discussed at the opening session of the Convention;
- 3) A subway map, showing routes to and from the Convention's headquarters at the Riverside Plaza Hotel, 253 W. 73rd St. and the YMCA's Sloan House, 356 W. 34th St., which will provide Saturday dinner to all Convention participants between 6-8P.M.

The "Y" will also provide sleeping accommodations for WAMers from all places--except N.Y., N.J., New England, Washington, D.C., and Philadelphia;

- 4) Also, on the map, are added instructions on eating and sleeping accommodations at the Sloan House;
- 5) A suggested list of chants ~~and songs~~ for the May Day March;
- 6) Some additional articles for the WAM Newsletter which arrived too late for publication;
- 7) ~~A list of instructions for the bus captains.~~

The above is to be assembled in manila envelopes (which you will provide), along with the latest issue of the Newsletter (which you should have), and the unit will comprise the WAM KIT.

These kits are intended to further familiarize every one with how the Convention will be run and what the convention means in making 30 for 40 in the unions, in the electoral arena, and WAM chapters THE issue in the coming period.

Therefore, it will be helpful if the material was discussed and read before--even during--the journey to New York.

The endorsement of PLP's May Day March is a significant step forward in our organization's short history because it means that our membership is becomingly increasingly aware that the struggle for the shorter work day is inextricably bound with the historic struggle for the eight-hour day inaugurating the workers' holiday, May Day. Therefore, we should try to make this particular event as successful as possible.

*Also enclosed is the PL statement
for the convention*