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NOTHING WILL SAVE THE REACTIONARIES FROM ECONOMIC and POLITICAL DISASTER

Montreal, November 17, 1970--Totally servile to U.S. imperialism, the regime of national betrayal has been presiding over the total sell-out of Quebec land and labour to U.S. monopoly capital. This tremendous increase of exploitation and national oppression has led to a new upsurge in the national liberation struggle of the Quebec people. Unable to cope with the economic crisis, and more isolated than ever before, the Anglo-Canadian colonialists have attempted to impose fascism on the Quebec people.

The attempt has failed. A fresh revolutionary storm is brewing in Quebec which will shake the reactionary rule of the compradors to the core in the very near future.

The economic crisis is caused by U.S. imperialism. Through massive capital investments, sinister market manipulations and collaboration with the federal and provincial governments, the U.S. monopolies are destroying small farmers, small milk producers, small landlords and businessmen. High U.S. investment and the plunder of Quebec's natural resources by the monopolies has created thousands of unemployed throughout the nation. U.S. monopolies with ties to "Kentucky Fried Chicken" have destroyed the small poultry farms in the Saguenay Lac-St. Jean area and have built huge monopoly farms for the

Montreal market. In Sherbrooke, Carnation Milk Company has liquidated the small regional dairy farmers in the same manner, greatly contributing to the fighting anti-imperialist sentiment throughout the whole region. Recently, U.S. investment in the pulp and paper industry has liquidated over 100 small mills per year and production has been taken over by large, mechanized monopolies which hire only a small percentage of the workers thrown out of their jobs. In iron ore mines and asbestos extraction the same situation exists.

Today, faced with economic crisis at home, the U.S. imperialists have not renewed contracts with monopoly firms situated in Quebec, preferring to give them to their own faltering factories in the U.S. As a result, over 9000 workers are being laid off in Montreal alone from Canadair, United Aircraft, Marconi and Northern Electric.

U.S. imperialist economic plunder and control of Quebec has resulted in untold hardships and misery. Over 15% of the work force is unemployed. In some regions such as Trois Rivieres, St. Jean and St. Jerome, the unemployment has reached 40-50% of the working people. In Montreal's working class sections such as St. Henri and St. Jacques, the unemployment has reached close to 50%.

Massive strikes have broken out in the

construction industries, in the mines, dealing further blows against the imperialist monopolies.

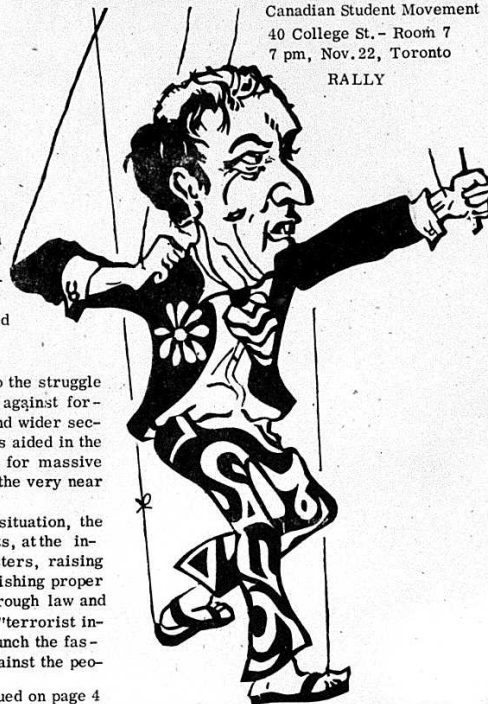
This situation has sparked large scale revolutionary resistance over the past 6 months. It has drawn into the struggle for national liberation and against foreign monopolies wider and wider sections of the people and has aided in the development of conditions for massive revolutionary uprisings in the very near future.

Greatly terrified by this situation, the Anglo-Canadian colonialists, at the instigation of their U.S. masters, raising the signboard of "establishing proper investment climate through law and order", beat the drum of "terrorist insurrection" in order to launch the fascist War Measures Act against the people.

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Down with U.S. Imperialist Puppet Trudeau

Canadian Student Movement
40 College St. - Room 7
7 pm, Nov. 22, Toronto
RALLY



MEMBERS AND SUPPORTERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF QUEBEC (MARXIST-LENINIST) ARRESTED

OCTOBER 16th

SUPPORTER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF QUEBEC (ml) ARRESTED FOR DISTRIBUTING NEWSPAPERS, CHARGED WITH MEMBERSHIP IN "AN UNLAWFUL ASSOCIATION"

Montreal, November 11th - A revolutionary student, supporter of the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist) and a fighter for the fundamental rights of the Quebec people, was arrested today and dragged out of his school by the fascist police. He was distributing the clandestine

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Toronto Canadian Revolutionary Youth launch an offensive against the class enemy. Photo shows militant selling of People's Canada which led to the frightened attack of the fascist Metro police at Bloor & Bathurst streets. See stories on page 3.

People's Canada Daily News has received the 11th communique of the Front de Liberation du Quebec. PCDN supports the fighting sentiment of the communique against our common enemy, U.S. imperialism & Anglo-Canadian colonialism. See page 4.

Montreal

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Marcel Pleau
Spiros Avgerinos
Fred Vickerson*
Pierre Beaudet
Norman Roy
Norman Schmidt

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student
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Sherbrooke

Real Jodoin*
Jeanne Jodoin*
Maurice Gauthier*
Jacinthe Gauthier*

worker
worker
student
student

Amos

Daniel Waterlot*

worker

Lachine

Pierre Dupont
Danielle Dupont
Denis Beauchamps

worker
worker
student

St. Jerome

Francoise Daoust

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Monique Bilodeau
Pierre Bilodeau
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Monique Letarte
Rene Nault
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* Persons charged under fascist War Measures Act.

IN MEMORY OF NORMAN BETHUNE 1890- BETHUNE 1939

The distinguished surgeon Norman Bethune was a member of the Canadian Communist Party. In 1936 when the German and Italian fascist bandits invaded Spain, he went to the front and worked for the anti-fascist Spanish people. In order to help the Chinese people in their War of Resistance Against Japan, he came to China at the head of a medical team and arrived in Yanan in the spring of 1938.

Soon after he went to the Shansi-Chahar-Hopei border area. Imbued with ardent internationalism and the great communist spirit, he served the army and the people of the Liberated Areas for nearly two years. He contracted blood poisoning while operating on wounded soldiers and died in Tanghsien, Hopei, on November 12, 1939.

THE GREAT CANADIAN INTERNATIONALIST

IN MEMORY OF NORMAN BETHUNE

MAO TSE-TUNG
December 21, 1939

Comrade Norman Bethune, a member of the Communist Party of Canada, was around fifty when he was sent by the Communist Parties of Canada and the United States to China; he made light of travelling thousands of miles to help us in our War of Resistance Against Japan. He arrived in Yanan in the spring of last year, went to work in the Wutai Mountains, and to our great sorrow died a martyr at his post. What kind of spirit is this that makes a foreigner selflessly adopt the cause of the Chinese people's liberation as his own? It is the spirit of internationalism, the spirit of communism, from which every Chinese Communist must learn. Leninism teaches that the world revolution can only succeed if the proletariat of the capitalist countries supports the struggle for liberation of the colonial and semi-colonial peoples and if the proletariat of the colonies and semi-colonies supports that of the proletariat of the capitalist countries. Comrade Bethune put this Leninist line into practice. We Chinese Communists must follow this line in our practice. We must unite with the proletariat of all the capitalist countries, for this is the only way to overthrow imperialism, to liberate our nation and people and to liberate the other nations and peoples of the world. This is our internationalism, the internationalism with which we oppose both narrow nationalism and narrow patriotism.

Comrade Bethune's spirit, his utter devotion to others without any thought of self, was shown in his great sense of responsibility in his work and his great warm-heartedness towards all comrades and the people. Every Communist must learn from him. There are not a few people who are irresponsible in their work, preferring the light and shirking the heavy, passing the burdensome tasks on to



诺尔曼·白求恩 1890-1939
Norman Bethune
中国人民邮政
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others and choosing the easy ones for themselves. At every turn they think of themselves before others. When they make some small contribution, they swell with pride and brag about it for fear that others will not know. They feel no warmth towards comrades and the people but are cold, indifferent and apathetic. In truth such people are not Communists, or at least cannot be counted as devoted Communists. No one who returned from the front failed to express admiration for Bethune whenever his name was mentioned, and none remained unmoved by his spirit. In the Shansi-Chahar-Hopei border area, no soldier or civilian was unmoved who had been treated by Dr. Bethune or had seen how he worked. Every Communist must learn this true communist spirit from Comrade Bethune.

Comrade Bethune was a doctor, the art of healing was his profession and he was constantly perfecting his skill, which stood very high in the Eighth Route Army's medical service. His example is an excellent lesson for those people who wish to change their work the moment they see something different and for those who despise technical work as of no consequence or as promising no future.

Comrade Bethune and I met only once. Afterwards he wrote me many letters. But I was busy, and I wrote him only one letter and do not even know if he ever received it. I am deeply grieved over his death. Now we are all commemorating him, which shows how profoundly his spirit inspires everyone. We must all learn the spirit of absolute selflessness from him. With this spirit everyone can be very useful to the people. A man's ability may be great or small, but if he has this spirit, he is already noble-minded and pure, a man of moral integrity and above vulgar interest, a man who is of value to the people.

Canadian Revolutionary Youth vow to strike back against Fascism



TORONTO: November 14, 1970 - Comrade James Reid, a member of CANADIAN REVOLUTIONARY YOUTH, denounces U.S. lackey policeman for attempt to interfere with democratic rights to sell PCDN on the corner of Bloor - Bathurst.



Flunkey police criminally attack Comrade Reid, who put up a just and vigorous resistance. He was later charged with three "criminal" offenses for defending people's democratic rights. Paul Mackey and one other comrade were arrested later for "causing a disturbance" because they refused to stop selling PCDN. These fascist attacks greatly enraged the people, who supported the paper with their money. An organization of progressive black youth came out in force that afternoon to ensure that no further fascist attacks took place.

STOP THIS FASCISM

Statement issued by Canadian Revolutionary Youth--November 17, 1970

--July 18, 1970--Comrade Eva Mackey (age 13) and her brother, Comrade Paul Mackey, a member of CANADIAN REVOLUTIONARY YOUTH, (age 16), attacked and arrested by fascist police while selling the Communist newspaper MASS LINE. Trumped up charges of "causing a disturbance" and "assault police" were dismissed when the comrades refused to cower down to fascist law.

--July 21, 1970--Comrade N. J. Miller attacked and arrested while selling MASS LINE outside the Bathurst Subway Station. Denounced the fascist court, received 30 day sentence for "contempt". Trumped up charges of "causing a disturbance" were dismissed because of his militant stand.

--August 8, 1970--five Indian patriots attacked, beaten and arrested for distributing the revolutionary Indian journal CHINGARI to their compatriots at Bickford Park High School. Comrade Hirsch Chadma received a three month sentence on trumped up charges of "assaulting police" who assaulted him.

--November 14, 1970--Three members of Canadian Revolutionary Youth, Comrades Paul Mackey, James Reid and one other comrade attacked and arrested while peacefully selling PEOPLE'S CANADA DAILY NEWS. Charged with "causing a disturbance", "assault police" and "assault with a dangerous weapon" (the red flag of the working class). Police were aided in their vicious attacks by their spies and informers at 560 and 567 Bloor Street.

Besides these attacks on revolutionaries, the police, since the imposition of the Nazi War Measures Act by the fascist regime of the U.S. lackey Trudeau, have increased their racist harassment, arrest and brutalization of the area's national minority people. As one example, an organization of progressive black youth were threatened with arrest for selling their newspaper on the corner.

These fascist attacks are intolerable, and must be stopped! People's democratic rights must be defended!

Fascist police of Divisions 14 and 52, and your collaborators, take warning: ANY FURTHER FASCIST VIOLENCE AGAINST THE REVOLUTIONARY PEOPLE IN THE BLOOR-BATHURST AREA WILL BE MET WITH REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE IN RETURN! THE PEOPLE KNOW WHO YOU ARE AND ARE DETERMINED TO REPAY YOU!

PARTI QUEBECOIS HACK RUNS FROM PEOPLE

Toronto, November 16, 1970--The Waffle Group of the NDP, in order to spread confusion among the people, organized a public meeting tonight for 2 Quebec reactionaries. Guy Joron, Parti Quebecois MLA appeared to discuss the "crisis in Quebec" and the War Measures Act. Before several hundred people, he announced that he was a patriot and a nationalist, then went on to denounce the Quebec people for taking up arms to overthrow their oppressors and mourn the death of the fascist Laporte. When he "explained" that revolutionary violence was a horrifying extreme reaction to religious, language and other social problems, a comrade from Canadian Revolutionary Youth stood up and pointed out that everyone knew that the Quebec people were fighting against oppression by U.S. imperialism and Anglo-Canadian colonialism and the seizing of the initiative to take up arms was a glorious event, that the Quebec people are not backward but advanced in the struggle to overthrow their oppressors.

Joron tried to continue his slanders, but people all over the hall stood up to demand that he justify his reactionary position. In a frenzy, the organizers tried every diversion, clapping

to drown out revolutionary speakers, passing around collection plates, howling like frightened dogs. Joron then hysterically attacked the masses, saying that this demand that he support the just struggles of the Quebec people was "intolerance", that what was necessary was "dialogue". At this the CRY comrades and other progressive people shouted "How can you have "dialogue" under the War Measures Act?" "What dialogue with 10,000 armed troops?!", "the people didn't discuss with Hitler and Franco, they took up arms to wipe them out--same with Trudeau and Bourassa fascists--the people are taking up arms!"

Exposed as stooges of imperialism Joron and the NDP hacks scurried off and left the meeting in the hands of the people. The promotion of social democracy is the last-hope of the imperialists to stifle the initiative of the people to apply Mao Tsetung Thought to overthrow their oppressors. It was pointed out at the meeting--This is 1970. The people of Canada and Quebec are rising, and it is too late for any henchmen of the imperialists to turn back history.

GREEK WORKER WAGES MASS DEMOCRACY AT MANPOWER

Toronto, November 16th, 1970--A Greek national minority worker waged mass democratic struggle against the bureaucrats of the Manpower Centre in Toronto today. With hundreds of people waiting for hours on end, the bureaucrats then announce in their "interviews" that there are no jobs. When this was denounced by the Greek worker, the racist official declared, "Why don't you go back to Greece?" He was thoroughly denounced for this and told that the "fascist Canadian government does propaganda over there to bring thousands of workers over here." The anti-communist bureaucrat muttered that this was "communist propaganda". The Greek

worker showed him a bright red badge of Chairman Mao he was wearing on his lapel and proudly said: "This is our leader, Chairman Mao Tsetung! We make communist propaganda and you make fascist propaganda!" The Greek worker asked why the "fascist Canadian government keeps these big fancy buildings when there are no jobs?" The bureaucrat at first objected to the word "fascist" and when it was shown that the Canadian government was indeed fascist, the bureaucrat said: "But do you have to say it so loud?" "If we did not have these offices," the fascist bureaucrat said, "all these people would be out in the street attacking the government."

TORONTO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DEFY WAR MEASURES

Toronto, November 17, 1970--Beginning on Friday, October 30th, revolutionary youth and students in Toronto High Schools began disseminating literature in support of the national liberation struggle of the Quebec people and in support of armed revolutionary violence against reactionaries.

Young people distributing an anti-imperialist paper called Rising Up Angry were attacked by the police at Central Tech High School. Over 200 students came forward to protect the distributors and stopped the police from making arrests. 5 squad cars were sent to the school. They were immediately surrounded and isolated by the students as the distributors made good their escape. Greatly angered, the fascist police roughed up some students and issued "John Doe" warrants on trumped up charges of "causing a disturbance" and "inciting to riot".

supported the fighting spirit of the FLQ and reprinted the manifesto in defiance of the War Measures Act. Seeing that students were eagerly reading the paper, fascist bullies from Trudeau's "navy cadets" attacked the distributor who stood his ground, replied tit-for-tat and won the support of the hundreds of students present. The students once again stopped the Toronto Police from arresting the distributor and the police left empty-handed after making threats.

A second issue of this month's The Student was published which exposed the devious plan of the school authorities to stifle political discussion under the hoax that the students were backward and not interested in politics. Worried at this anti-imperialist banner being distributed and read, the reactionary authorities began preparing public opinion for the "expulsion" of the progressive students. The high school students have seen through this hollow threat and have announced their determination to fight for their rights to the end.

The following Monday, the latest issue of The Student of the Toronto High School Student Movement was distributed at Central Tech. The paper

FLQ COMMUNIQUE

People's Canada Daily News has received the 11th Communique of the Front de Liberation du Quebec. People's Canada fully supports the fighting patriotic sentiment of this communique and its denunciation of the US imperialists and Anglo-Canadian compradors. People's Canada believes that the fascist Canadian Compradors have no right to censor progressive ideas, newspapers and speeches and therefore reprints the communique in full for the benefit of the progressive, anti-imperialist masses of the Canadian people.

FLQ - Communique No. 11
2 November, 1970

The authorities have declared war on Quebec patriots. After putting on the facade of negotiating for some days (giving false hopes birth among many, in particular Mr. J. Cross and Mr. P. LaPorte), they finally showed their true hypocritical and terroristic faces.

The colonial army came to lend a strong arm to Choquette's and Drapeau-the-dog's bouncers. Their aim: terrorize the population with massive arrests and innumerable searches, with large deployments of police and by shattering declarations on the urgency of the situation in Quebec. One only has to remember the demagogic statements of monkey Trudeau ("the FLQ could kidnap a manager of a *caisse populaire*, a farmer, a child, you or me...") and of his sub-monkey Marchand on the affiliation of FRA-P-FLQ, lies taken up at a most appropriate time by the dictator, Drapeau-the-dog a few hours before the municipal elections, even adding something about a vague plot for a coup d'etat!

The FLQ does not want political power for itself. We are determined to make revolution, the only correct way for Quebec workers to seize and exercise power. This revolution will not be made by a hundred people, like the authorities want us to believe, but by the whole population of Quebec. The true political power will be exercised by the people and for the people. The FLQ leaves the coup d'etat to the three present governments who seem to be masters in such affairs.

The authorities found it necessary to smash at all price the "dangerous" sympathy that a large number of Quebecois felt towards the patriots of the FLQ after the kidnapping of J. Cross and Pierre Laporte and after the publication of the Front's manifesto.

They have declared censorship on anything, far or near, which touches on the FLQ. They have arrested nearly 500 citizens to sweep up all those who would be favorable to the front and to terrorize those, intellectuals and workers, who wanted to sympathize with the FLQ. The "democracy" of Bronfman, Thomson, Hershern, Neopole, and Simard can not permit the Quebec people to menace their power.

We say to the dog-Choquette and to his filthy judges that we recognize ourselves to be guilty of high treason;

treason against the Dominion of Canada
treason against the puppets Trudeau-Bourassa-Drapeau

treason against the financial power of the big-bosses, the money makers and all their little valets

treason against "canadian democracy" and its institutions; the montreal stock exchange, Royal Trust, Brinks, Power Corp;... etc.

treason against the true canadian government which sits in Washington.

By their refusal to negotiate, by their worried defence of their privileges and those of their chums, the authorities have assassinated Pierre Laporte. Laporte is the victim of those who thirst for power, of those who want to govern at any price, of those who are ready to give all the low blows in order to continue screwing the Quebec people. The authorities have reacted like a boss when faced with the mounting power of his employees, casting aside all human sentiment. They are the only ones responsible.

We have faith in the Quebec people. We know that they will not be duped by the devious demagogues, by the small fascists a la Drapeau. The exploited, crushed and humiliated know that the army is not here to protect them, as the authorities never cease repeating.

We do not see armed guards protecting the workers in their factories, their offices, their schools;

We do not see armed guards protecting the taxi drivers against Murray Hill, against the exploitation of the companies Diamond, Lasalle and their big fleets;

We do not see the army protecting the Lapalme workers against the disgusting and inhuman power which calls itself "federalist";

We do not see the army protecting the construction workers against the "club-bills" like Bill 38;

We do not see the army protecting the Gaspesiens from Irving Oil and BC Packers;

We do not see the army protecting our resources and natural riches, our forests, mines and lakes from the American overlords;

No. The army one finds next to those who hold the power, the financiers, bankers, industrialists and their political "ombudsmen" like Bourassa, Trudeau, Drapeau and Company.

No. The army one does not find in St. Henri or Rosemont, but to the other side... in Westmount, Hamstead and Ville Mont-Royal, in the center of these towns, closed and opulent, which are symbols of the aggression.

Yes. The duty of every patriot, of every Quebecois, is first and foremost to resist and fight on all the fronts against the enemy. It is up to each citizen, each group of citizens to choose its best weapon against these assaulters of justice and liberty.

"THE DAY IS COMING WHEN ALL THE WESTMOUNTS
OF QUEBEC WILL DISAPPEAR!"

"WE SHALL WIN!" - Front de Liberation du Quebec.

In 1969, the UNARMED REVOLUTION OF THE QUEBEC PEOPLE FACED THE ARMED COUNTER-REVOLUTION OF THE FASCIST COMPRADORS. In 1970, following the path of spontaneous armed insurrection by Quebec workers in various areas (Labal, Cabana, Gaspesie), and the path of conscious unarmed and defensive resistance to the fascist police and courts initiated and led by the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist), the UNARMED REVOLUTION OF THE QUEBEC PEOPLE IS BECOMING ARMED! Nurtured by the ideological work of the Party and the tremendous dissemination of Marxism-Leninism, Mao Tsetung Thought, the Quebec people are grasping the maxim that POLITICAL POWER GROWS OUT OF THE BARREL OF A GUN.

In 1967, quite aware that the Quebec people have struck out on the irreversible path towards national liberation, the Canadian compradors rolled out their fascist degenerate -- lackey Trudeau -- to prepare public opinion for suppression of the Quebec and Canadian people and to complete the economic, political and cultural subservience to U.S. imperialism. In Halifax, Nova Scotia, on the oc-

clusion of the increase in personal income tax with a \$600 upper limit, benefitting the bourgeoisie, Trudeau declared that "the rich were taxed too much, anyway". In Regina, Saskatchewan, he told the small and poor farmers who were demonstrating against him that "if you can't compete (with the U.S. monopolies), sell out to them". He attacked the Quebec people as "never having liked democracy" and "speaking a lousy French", and he proposed in the Liberal Party Harrison Hot Springs (fascist) Thinkers Conference that genetical engineering should be used to "limit population", that is to say, to further oppress the working people. On behalf of his masters, he hobnobbed around Asia, singing the praises of all the fascist reactionaries like himself, and the militarists of Japan led by Sato. He slandered the national liberation struggles of the Asian, African and Latin American people and darkly muttered that the People's Republic of China, not U.S. imperialism, was the "major threat" to the Asian people.

Rejecting these ideas, the broad masses of Canadian and Quebec people 4

came forward to support anti-imperialist and revolutionary struggle. In Quebec massive demonstrations against the Trudeau-Bourassa-Drapeau-Nixon alliance broke out throughout 1969 and ter-

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the journal *Patriote Rouge* of the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist) when he was jumped by the arrogant fascists. He was charged with distributing a "dangerous paper" and "belonging to an unlawful association".

The reactionary fascist government, lackey of US imperialism, in co-operation with the bourgeois newspapers, television and radio, has taken upon itself to do propaganda that only the FLQ is illegal but other organizations are not. This is an attempt to hide the true nature of the fascism unleashed onto the Quebec people.

Since October 15th, 1970, over 30 members and supporters of the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist) have been arrested and more are being picked up as party members and supporters escalate their mass work. Seven of the arrested are facing charges under the War Measures Act, yet the fascist authorities in collaboration with the imperialist media are hiding this information in an at-

tempt to suppress it.
mined in October 1969 with a working class uprising against Murray Hill Limousine Service on October 7th.

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empt to suppress it.
Since October 15th party members and supporters were viciously beaten and threatened by the RCMP, QPP and various city police forces. They have waged tit for tat struggles and led the battles in the jails against the fascist authorities. Greatly frightened at the national scope and militancy of the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist) members and recognizing it as the only organization capable of leading mass struggles, the fascist authorities have begun a repression campaign which is ending in miserable failure.

The attack on progressive individuals, and particularly members and supporters of the CPQ (ml) and the FLQ, are the preparations of Trudeau-Bourassa-Drapeau clique to intensify repression on the Quebec working class and people in face of the growing economic crisis, particularly the severe unemployment crisis this winter.

In Canada "Trudeau" has become the most hated word and a mighty wave of anti-U.S. imperialist sentiment swept the Canadian people, bringing about a completely new situation in Canadian politics.

Tremendously frightened, the lackey regime organized repressive campaigns against the revolutionary people in Canada and Quebec, arresting hundreds of people throughout 1970 and engineering attacks against communist bookshops in a number of important cities.

In October, in direct reply to the attacks of the fascist state, the revolutionary people launched the counter-offensive, dealing critical blows to the reactionary plots of the regime.

Today in Quebec the revolutionary situation is excellent and the Canadian compradors stand more isolated than ever. Faced with unprecedented mass support of revolutionary struggles, the lackey government in Ottawa was politically taken over the province of Quebec from the provincial flunkys of the Bourassa government and has imposed outright military occupation. This has earned the utter contempt of over 90% of the people.

The fascist regime of national betrayal is even more isolated and despised than before October 16th and a tremendous revolt among youth and students as well as the working class is brewing this winter. The colonialist army will thus be forced to stay for some time, giving rise to the conditions for armed revolutionary violence against the fascist occupation forces.

Revolutionary youth and students are the most active in the resistance to fascism and in support of national liberation. Before the declaration of the War Measures Act, thousands of youth and students stood up at the Paul Sauve arena and at the University of Montreal to hail the fighting spirit of the Quebec patriots. "Down with fascism!", "We are all FLQ - come and get us!" resounded through the halls. On October 13th a powerful rally of 500 students at the University of Laval in Quebec City gave full support to the first communique of the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist). On October 17th, over 300 students at McGill rallied to denounce the fascist War Measures Act. In the University of Quebec, on November 10th, 200 students led by the People's Democratic Rights Committee (CDDP) formed fighting anti-fascist committees and decided to produce a newspaper denouncing the regime of national betrayal and giving the call for active resistance to fascism.

Driven into a panic, the RCMP, the QPP and the Montreal City police have arrested 100 student organizers of the Quebec Student Movement (MEQ) and have issued a search bulletin for a third revolutionary student they have not been able to find.

The most concentrated opposition in Quebec comes from the working class. Using the War Measures Act and the hysteria created by the imperialist press, employers have attempted to intimidate the workers. Outright de-

fiance has led to smashing of equipment and numerous slogans being written on factory walls.

"There is no peaceful solution," an infuriated worker from St. Henri district in Montreal declared, "we must have a revolution now." A CPR worker, recently threatened with layoff by that monopoly stated, "We need a revolution. The young people are right. Only by massive fire can we clean out so many years of filth." "The army, they say it is here to protect the people. But where are they?", a worker asked, "I haven't seen a single one in my district. They are all up in Westmount with the big shots. And that's not all - we pay for it!" An unemployed machinist simply declared, "We have all had enough. It is clear that we need revolution, we need communism."

Frightened by this rising revolutionary consciousness, the fascist authorities have for some time conducted all out attacks against members and supporters of the Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist) and Progressive Books and Periodicals, Ltd., a bookshop which disseminates large quantities of Mao Tsetung Thought, and has helped put two hundred years of resistance on a scientific basis.

On the night of October 16th, troops and police armed with machine guns raided the premises of Progressive Books in Quebec City, seized all the stock and ransacked the store, boarding it up when they had completed the fascist crimes. They arrested the librarian and her husband and forced the landlord to cancel the lease. Also seized throughout the city were revolutionary patriots and communists who had organized a militant rally of 500 students at Laval University, all members of the Quebec Student Movement and Quebec Revolutionary Youth.

Three members of the student and youth movements were beaten in jail, five others were separated to be visited by a police officer who told them that spies in the group had told all and they should "confess". This greatly strengthened the morale of the revolutionaries who realized that the police were lignum vitae paper tigers who knew nothing. One worker was led away to a separate cell and beaten. The fascist police fired a rifle shot and came to tell the others that he was "trying to escape and had to be shot". These flimsy attempts frightened no one and the revolutionary comrades and patriots resolutely stood up for their right to fight for national liberation and to overthrow the regime of national betrayal of the Canadian compradors.

In Lachine, Quebec, on the night of October 16th, two army trucks of colonialist army occupation forces surrounded Progressive Books on 186-9th Avenue. They proceeded to ransack through the whole store searching for the librarian and revolutionary workers. Unable to find anyone, they arbitrarily arrested Taxi drivers from the adjacent stand and arrested young people in the café across the street. As troops pushed the young people and drivers into the army trucks, others rampaged down the main street of town, roughly searching the restaura-



DOMTAR 68

In November 1968, the pulp and paper workers of the Domtar Mills in Windsor, Quebec, armed themselves against the fascist Provincial Police and company security guards rants and taverns for the revolutionaries. They were unable to find them that night and arrested them at work and in schools the next day. This tremendously infuriated the people of the town. The revolutionary struggle has been advanced; the people have been quickly politicized by these fascist actions and are determined to form armed self-defence groups to defend their basic democratic rights.

As well as boarding up the Progressive Bookstore in St. Henri, in Montreal, the lackey police ransacked the central Progressive Books and Periodicals store on Amherst street. They stole letters, accounts, documents and money. Progressive Books has a long history of serving the Quebec people and these attacks enraged the broad masses of the people throughout the communities.

Uncowed, young revolutionaries reopened the stores quickly, disseminated large amounts of Mao Tsetung's writings and beat off a flimsy attack by two hired lumpen fascist goons who dared shove their snouts into the premises.

These last few days and the fascist attacks have brought new sections of the society into the struggle against fascism and for national liberation.

For the very first time all the national minorities such as the black people, the Italian, Chinese and Greek people, really see their struggle against oppression in the correct context of national liberation of the majority people. Petty-bourgeois - landlords and small businessmen - have come out to support the anti-fascist struggle. They realize that this means they cannot oppose the main force against fascism, those who fight against U.S. imperialism and Anglo-canadian colonialism.

This has left the Canadian compradors at their ropes end, with innumerable contradictions in the bourgeois camp. Their allies are only a very small handful of Nazi Montreal Zionists and the social democrats, revisionists and social fascist parties. The revisionists and trotskies, neo-trotskies counter-revolutionary grouplets blame the people for bringing on fascism and denounce revolutionary violence. The social democrats complain to Trudeau that the people are "not that revolutionary so the Criminal Code could have been used to establish fascism". The broad masses have nothing but utter contempt for these dogs.

Revolutionary ideas have been dis-

seminated among all the oppressed classes for some time in Quebec. The Anglo-canadian colonialists have been incapable of stopping the spread of revolutionary ideology, politics and organization to all parts of Quebec.

For years the bourgeoisie has been saying that the Quebec people do not want revolution. Proved wrong in practice, the bourgeoisie then hailed the Quebec people for wanting "Quiet Revolution". The people knew that a revolution is violent - a non-violent "revolution" which is engineered from the top is a fascist coup and merely a bourgeois hoax.

Failing on all fronts in the ideological battle, the bourgeoisie began shouting about "a small minority of foreign agitators" which were "stirring up the peaceful Quebecois". At the same time they sent their labour hacks into the worker's ranks and their student hacks among the students to rant and rave against Mao Tsetung Thought, that it was a "foreign ideology" and that the Quebec people should adopt a "Quebecois" ideology like Castroism, anarchism, fascism and other bourgeois muck and confusion.

Today "non-violence" is dead. Wider and wider sections of the people see that Mao Tsetung Thought is the only true guide for national liberation. The bourgeoisie has been dealt a severe blow. Trade union hacks, the bourgeois press and television are greeted with derision. On one occasion, the fascist Montreal Police Canine Squad rescued the hacks from the wrath of the workers when the hacks refused to allow question periods after their meeting. As the dogs were turned on to the workers, the hacks were driven away in the cages! All these final props of the bourgeoisie have been chopped down and exposed as elements of the U.S. imperialist fifth column in Quebec.

The revolutionary people and their associations are marching forward strongly. The Communist Party of Quebec (Marxist-Leninist), forced to operate in a new situation has made it known that people's war is on the agenda and preparations should be made right away. This revolutionary civil war against U.S. imperialism and Anglo-canadian colonialism will smash the system of exploitation of man by man to the ground and greatly support the imminent revolutionary storm brewing on the whole North American continent.

New Wrath of the American People

— "People's Daily" Commentator's Article

Peking, November 3 (Hsinhua) — The "People's Daily" today carries a commentator's article entitled "New Wrath of the American People". Full text of the article reads: The raging flames against U.S. imperialism's policies of aggression and war burst out once again in the United States. On October 29 when U.S. imperialist chieftain Nixon delivered a deceitful speech in San Jose, angry masses hurled eggs, stones and bottles at him. On October 31, powerful demonstrations swept dozens of cities in the country. The revolutionary mass movement of the American people is developing vigorously.

The great leader Chairman Mao pointed out as early as more than 20 years ago: "Within the United States, there are people's democratic forces which are getting stronger every day." The march of events has constantly borne out this brilliant thesis.

The U.S. monopoly capitalist groups have seized fabulous profits through aggressive wars while the broad masses of the American people have been thus subjected to deep misery. While slaughtering the peoples in Indo-China, U.S. imperialism has massacred black and white people at home. The interests of the U.S. monopoly oligarchy are fundamentally opposed to those of the broad masses of the American people. The contradictions between them are irreconcilable. So long as the reactionary rule of U.S. imperialism has not yet been overthrown, these contradictions will not only always exist, but will inevitably develop and sharpen with every passing day. It is precisely because of this that the revolutionary struggle of the American people will rise further.

Nixon was telling a glaring lie when he said that there is only a "minority" in the United States who opposes the expansion of the war of aggression by U.S. imperialism in Indo-China, while most of the people "support" him. He called those

who "support" him the "silent majority". Nixon has no knowledge of mathematics at all. Who after all is the majority and who the minority? It is only too obvious that Nixon and his ilk and the American monopoly capitalist class they represent are only a handful while the American workers, the oppressed black people and other minority nationalities, poor peasants, revolutionary intellectuals and other revolutionary people constitute more than 90 per cent of the total population of the country. Today, they are no longer the "silent majority", but are the awakening majority, the indignant majority and the fighting majority. The destiny of the United States will invariably be decided by the American people.

U.S. imperialism is beset with troubles at home and abroad, and has a very hard time. In his speech on October 31, Nixon cried out in alarm: "If we do not choose the tough-minded approach to violence, we will allow violence to gain a terrible momentum". The U.S. imperialist chieftains who have long resorted to counter-revolutionary "violence" to suppress the American people cruelly are now feeling "terrible" and trembling in face of the people's violence. The day when the American people's revolutionary strength "gains momentum" which Nixon is much afraid of, will be the day of destruction for U.S. imperialism. It can be said with certainty that although the Nixon administration carries out fascist suppression of the revolutionary mass movement in the United States with large numbers of reactionary troops and police, it will only stir up greater revolutionary wrath among the American people. The American people will continue to oppose Nixon's counter-revolutionary violence with revolutionary violence. Through the joint-struggle of the people of the United States and the world over, the days of U.S. imperialism are numbered.

U.S.' "Palestinian entity": Sinister Political Trap

Peking, November 9 Hsinhua— The "People's Daily" today carries an article by its commentator entitled "A Sinister Political Trap". Full text of the article follows:

Recently, U.S. imperialism and its lackey Israeli Zionism have been vigorously carrying out a new evil scheme to strangle the Palestine revolution. On October 2, Israeli Prime Minister Golda Meir trumpeted about establishing a so-called "Palestinian state" by the Jordan River. On October 15, a U.S. State Department spokesman clamoured that the United States supports the conception of forming a so-called "Palestinian entity". Meanwhile, a number of puppets under the control of U.S. imperialism and its lackey Israel came out into the open and ran around shouting themselves hoarse in an attempt to rig up a "free provisional government of Palestine". This string of conspiracies has been strongly condemned by the Palestinian and other Arab people.

The U.S. imperialists declared that it was out of consideration for the "legitimate interest and aspirations" of the Palestinians that they called for the formation of a "Palestinian Entity". This is sheer humbug. A scrutiny of this conspiracy hatched by the U.S.- Israeli aggressors shows that it is a sinister political trap designed by U.S. imperialism. Its criminal aim is to drive the Palestinian people and guerillas to one or two small restricted areas where they would be exposed to attacks from and rear and thus restrict, disintegrate and annihilate the Palestinian revolutionary armed forces and put down the revolutionary flames of the Palestinian people.

The "Palestinian state" designed by the U.S.- Israeli aggressors is diametrically opposed to the national interests and aspirations of the Palestinian people who have long been shedding their blood and fighting valiantly for the single purpose of recovering their lost territory, return-

ing to their homeland and achieving complete liberation of the Palestinian nation. But what U.S. imperialism attempts is to bring about a "permanent solution" of the Palestine issue by marking out one or two small areas and setting up a so-called "Palestinian state" under the condition that Israel retains the vast territory of Palestine and other Arab countries which it has forcibly occupied for the past more than 20 years. In other words, this is an attempt to permanently legalize the status quo of the Israeli aggression and write off at one stroke the sacred right of the Palestinian people to fight for national liberation.

The "Palestinian state" designed by the U.S.- Israeli aggressors is in fact an out-and-out puppet state. U.S. imperialism is trying to establish a neo-colonialist rule over the Palestinian people by buying over a handful of scum of the Palestinian nation as its agents. This means reducing the broad masses of the Palestinian people into slaves of colonialism of the U.S.- Israeli aggressors and gravely imperilling the national liberation movement of the Arab people. It is only natural that this can never be accepted by the Palestinian and other Arab people.

The great leader Chairman Mao has pointed out: "U.S. IMPERIALISM WHICH LOOKS LIKE A HUGE MONSTER, IS IN ESSENCE A PAPER TIGER, NOW IN THE THROES OF ITS DEATH-BED STRUGGLE."

U.S. imperialism has always resorted to counter-revolutionary dual tactics to strangle the Palestinian revolution. Not long ago, the Nixon administration dished up the "Rogers plan" in a futile attempt to compel the Palestinian people to lay down their arms. Immediately afterwards, it instigated the reactionary Jordanian authorities to frantically suppress the Palestinian guerillas. However, all its attempts, be it political deception or military suppression, have come to

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naught. On the contrary, the aggressive schemes of U.S. imperialism served in a negative way to teach the Palestinian and other Arab people and brought about a more violent anti-U.S. storm. Under such circumstances, the Nixon administration plays the new trick of establishing a so-called "Palestinian state" by patching up the "Rogers plan" and enlisting the service of a number of lackeys and puppets. This can only show that U.S. imperialism is at the end of its wits.

A just cause enjoys abundant support while an unjust cause finds little support.

The just struggle of the Palestinian and other Arab people enjoys resolute support from the people of various countries in the world. At present, the situation of the anti-imperialist revolutionary struggle in the entire Arab world is excellent. By strengthening their unity, heightening their vigilance and persevering in fighting, the people of Palestine and other Arab countries will certainly be able to smash any intrigue of U.S. imperialism and its lackeys and win greater victories on the road of fighting for national liberation.