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While Faking Shock at Soviet Blast, Wall St. Races to Get Bigger Bomb

Supposed to be Citizens of France!

Algerians in Paris Ask Freedom —And 11,538 Get Jail

October 23—A call for help against French imperialist genocide has arisen from the long-suffering Algerian people.

On October 18, the French police imprisoned over eleven thousand Algerians, wounded many hundreds, and killed no less than fifty. These Algerians' only crime was to peacefully demonstrate in the streets of Paris for the freedom of their country.

The French are deporting 1,500 of these Algerians to their homeland—which ironically is still supposed to be a part of France, and Algerians are supposed to be citizens of France and therefore un-deportable.

On October 20, the Provisional Government of the Algerian Republic, in a statement transmitted by its office in New York, condemned this brutal, chauvinist crime, warned of new crimes to come, and made an appeal to the anti-imperialist forces of the world.

The statement—so far, unpublished in the U.S. press—said in part:

“The shooting and the massive arrests of Algerians in the Parisian region show the state of permanent insecurity in which the Algerian emigration in France finds itself.

“We are able to affirm that the colonialist and fascist provocateurs are preparing to act against the AL—
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The Enthusiastic Supporters of U.S. Atomic Testing And of Atomic War Itself, Now Whip up Hysteria Over Soviet Test—They Talk Peace; They Plan War

The same newspapers that applauded and even cheered the atomic cremation of a hundred thousand Japanese men, women and children in 1945, and are silent at the continual outbreak of hor-

rible atomic diseases to this day in Hiroshima—now shriek with horror at the mere test of a Soviet bomb in the Arctic Ocean!

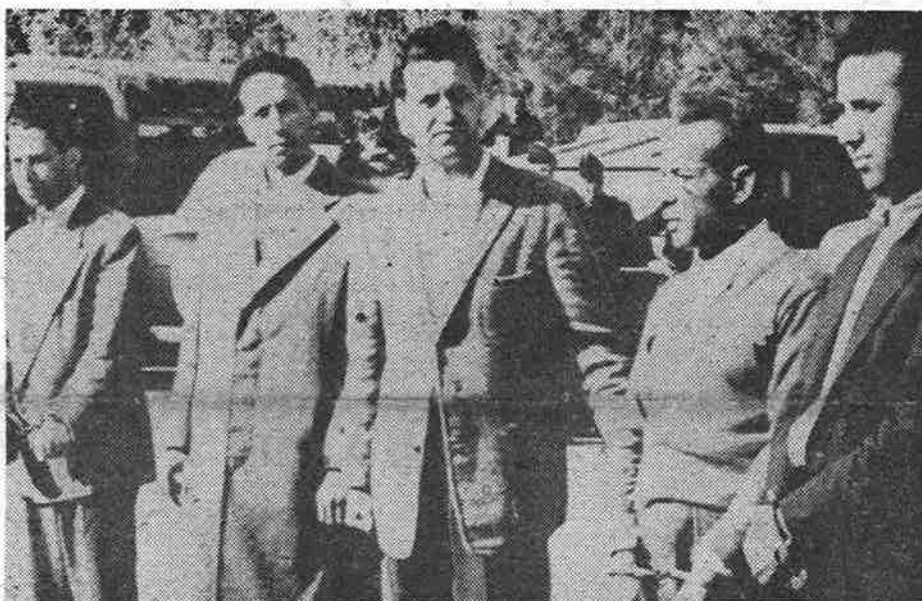
The ultra-conservative Hearst press *New York Mirror* on October 25, devoted its entire front page to its “anger and shock” and its “wrath and concern” over the Soviet bomb. One-third of the front page carried the headline: “World Cries: Stop It Now!” The lower part of the page was headlined: “Fallout Spreading!” On Page 2 was the banner headline: “Crime Against Humanity.”

If these ghoulish hypocrites really wanted peace, they would have accepted the idea of complete disarmament (and can still do so) as advanced by the Soviet Union again and again in the last 44 years. But they do not want peace. That is why they make it appear that Soviet testing and fallout is worse than their own actual dropping of the bomb and their incineration of so many thousands.

Actually, the new Soviet bomb makes it more difficult for them to attack the Soviet Union. And that is what has got them so frantic.

—Don't fall for the phoney “anti-bomb” crusade of the capitalist press! It is in reality a pro-bomb campaign! It is designed to create war hysteria, it is a build-up for mad adventures, and a desperate effort to destroy the nerve of the best working class opponents of imperialist war.

Trusted French Government—Put in Chains!



Victims of French imperialist treachery: the five Algerian leaders who were kidnapped by a French plane while en route to a peace conference in Tunis. Note the handcuffs.

Mae Mallory: “Black forces in America should come to my rescue”

Harlem Leader Framed on Kidnap Charge; Free on Bail

As a result of the heroic efforts of the Monroe Defense Committee, Mrs. Mae Mallory is now free on bail. She was arrested in Cleveland by the FBI on “a warrant for unlawful flight to avoid prosecution, after a Monroe, N.C. Superior Court Grand Jury indicted her on a charge of kidnapping.”

Actually, Mrs. Mallory and Robert

Williams fled Monroe, N.C. This was part of a large scale plot to smash the militant resistance of the Black people of Monroe, which reached a climax during an armed battle which involved thousands of people on Sunday, August 27th, and which was provoked by the racists.

It resulted from an attack by armed white thugs against a peaceful picket line protesting a segregated swimming pool.

Woodrow Wilson and many other leaders of the Monroe people were jailed. Phoney kidnapping charges were made against several people including Robert Williams and Mae Mallory, and when they fled, the FBI conducted a national and even international hunt for them. Not a single individual among the white attackers was held for anything.

Mrs. Mallory is being hounded because she is an outstanding fighter in the struggle for the rights and freedom of her people. She is well known in New York City for her militant stand against the school authorities. As a leader in an organized struggle with other mothers, she withdrew her daughter Pat from school to protest the jimcrow curriculum of the school.

She has played a key role in organizing supporters of Robert Williams in New York City, and raising funds for

him and his activities in Monroe. She is the Secretary and organizer of the organization, Crusaders for Freedom, New York chapter.

When released on bail Mrs. Mallory said in a newspaper interview:

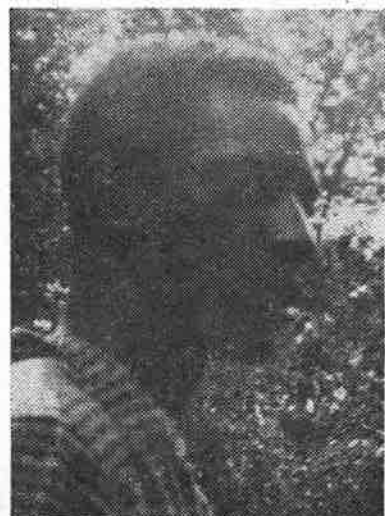
“The Black forces in America should come to my rescue. What happens to me happens to them. It is not only Mae Mallory who is being treated in this manner. What is happening to me is because I am a Black woman and fighting for a principle.”

Certainly every honest person can see that what Mrs. Mallory said in her interview is absolutely true.

There is no doubt the Black forces in America will come to her rescue—and what is more, white forces who are really interested in Black liberation will give solid support freely and unstintingly.

As a result of an urgent appeal to friends and supporters, Calvin Hicks, Chairman of the Monroe Defense Committee announced that the Committee was able to raise the necessary funds and property bonds to obtain Mrs. Mallory's release, to obtain the services of a Cleveland attorney prominent in the field of civil rights, to fight against her extradition to Monroe, N.C.—and also to send a trailer of clothes for the beleaguered people in Monroe.

But Mr. Hicks points out that there is still much to do. The case of the Monroe defendants comes up in court on Monday, October 30th. Mrs. Mal-



Calvin Hicks

lory's case in Cleveland comes up late in November. There is much hardship in Monroe itself. There is still a huge task ahead. Money is needed.

Send contributions to the Monroe Defense Committee, 53 West 125th Street, New York 27, N. Y. For information, call LE 4-8411.



Mae Mallory

Williams fled Monroe, N.C. when it became clear that their very lives were in danger from legal authorities acting

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W German Tools of US Billionaires

The West German ex-Nazi capitalists are only "ex" because it is profitable to be so at the moment. But we cannot for that reason assume that it is *they* who are pressuring Kennedy for war on the Soviet Union.

West Germany is over a quarter the population of the United States and is the second biggest exporter of goods in the world. But its war budget is at present only six per cent of the United States' war budget.

U.S. war appropriations in the present fiscal year are close to \$50 billion. The West German war expenditures are about \$3 billion. For next year the U.S. has *prodded* West Germany into appropriating \$3.75 billion.

Now you can bet that the West German capitalists' reluctance to spend money on arms does not arise from any pacifism or love-your-enemies feelings on their part. No, it arises from the fact that *the U.S. is paying the bill* for West German "defense."

—He who pays the fiddler calls the tune!

Chou's Got Kennedy's Number

Chou En Lai, Premier of Peoples China, is reported to have said in Moscow last week that "*Kennedy is even worse than his predecessors.*"

The Chinese Premier is absolutely right of course. Kennedy carries out the same foreign policy as Eisenhower and Truman, but he does it more *aggressively*.

In the face of the growing number of capitalist countries willing to accept Peoples China into the UN, Kennedy defiantly mans the dikes of reaction against the flood of progress, and swears eternal loyalty to the feudal warlord, banker-generalissimo, Chiang Kai-Shek.

The United States was once the youngest, most vigorous and most democratic

The Trujillos Pack Their Bags

Some of the brothers Trujillo are getting out of the Dominican Republic while the getting is still good.

We cannot yet say, however, just because the rats are leaving, that the rotten Trujillo ship of state is already sinking.

The remaining Trujillos and their disgusting creature, President Balaguer, are still being backed in all essentials by the U.S., in spite of the facade of "sanctions" against them.

But the days of the dictatorship are indeed numbered. The mass demonstrations are daily increasing in militancy. The opposition movements are growing in strength and confidence.

Lily-White "Liberals"

So Robert F. Kennedy and a few of his pals in government resigned from the swanky, lily-white, jimcrow Metropolitan Club in Washington!

So what? So a few questions, please!

1. Why didn't the Attorney General resign *last year*, before his brother was President?

2. Now that he *has* resigned, why doesn't he *prosecute* this club for refusing to serve African diplomats in its dining room?

3. If the law is unclear on this point, why doesn't his party, the *majority* party in Congress, *make* it clear?

4. The great "liberals," Nelson Rockefeller, Herbert Lehman and Adlai Stevenson, are also members of this white supremacy snob-outfit. Why don't *they* resign?

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Real Reason for Tubman Visit: —Strike Wave in Liberia

By Eleanor Stephens

Last week, John F. Kennedy, President of the mighty United States, and William V. S. Tubman, President of the tiny state of Liberia, lunched together in the White House as equals.

It is popularly believed that in spite of the obvious gulf dividing these two presidents—racially, economically and culturally—they have a great deal in common. And at first glance this seems to be true.

Kennedy is one of the richest men in the U.S. Tubman, who owns a large amount of real estate in the capital city of Moravia, and even a rubber plantation and a cocoa estate, is one of the richest men in Liberia. Kennedy is the head of a Christian, democratic state, having a parliamentary form of government—so is Tubman.

And each president, though *nominally* head of his country, is in reality only an agent for invisible rulers—the capitalist owners of vast wealth.

But right at this point the similarity between these two men ends. Kennedy is not only a willing agent for the rulers of imperialist America, he is *one* of them! He is both employee and boss!

But Tubman unfortunately permits himself to be used by the same imperialist overlords who are Kennedy's pals—and for his trouble, gets only the crumbs from the table of Firestone Rubber, while the Black masses of Liberia starve.

Rubber constitutes 65 per cent of Liberia's exports, and most of it comes from Firestone's plantations. This fact is so well-known among American industrialists and bankers that they jocularly refer to Liberia as "America's Firestone State."

For many years, it seemed that Liberia was a safe little island in the turbulent sea of Africa's violent struggle for emancipation. But last month Firestone's

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Life and Death—And \$7 a Week In the "Promised Land"

By George Fitzpatrick

Roy McCoy, Charles Jordan, James Davis and James Overstreet came out of the deep south. Four Afro-American workers, lured to the north—the so-called "promised land" with the promise of \$75 a week jobs and "lovely homes," etc., on "scenic Long Island" the home of millionaires. Today they are dead. Burned to death in a slave labor camp.

What happened? A "labor contractor" came into their villages. He made his promises. He backed them up with the "generous offer" to provide them with transportation and to let them pay him back \$25 (sometimes \$50) from their salaries.

They traveled in over-crowded buses, and broken down trucks, many forced to stand for the entire journey. Stops only for gas, but never for food or even to go to the toilet.

They reached Cutchogue, Long Island. Not until then were they told that there were no jobs "yet," but that there would be "in a couple of weeks." In the meantime the owners of camp would "advance" on their "salaries." This meant paying \$10 a week to live in an eight by twelve shack with seven other men, or in the even more crowded "dormitories" in the case of families. It meant buying in the company store at prices about double those in the town store, or eating in the company restaurant where a tomato sandwich cost 80c. Some shacks had cold water. Many had none. None had toilets. They kept warm and cooked on obviously dangerous "space heaters."

The "debt" increased even before the work began. It was "illegal" to leave, even if there was any place to go. And if they did get out of the barbed wire enclosure, there was always the sheriff to see they were returned with a good beating, and of course the guard at the gate with his pistol and billy even before that. They stayed.

Work began. There were no weekly salaries. You were paid "piece work" which is something like seven cents per 100 lbs. of potatoes. The bosses made certain that very few if any came out with over \$7 a week.

This writer has been to the Cutchogue Camp often. I have talked to Afro-American workers who have told him of their women being raped by the white bosses, of the beatings they suffered when they sought to protest their conditions. Even some ministers who attempted to speak out about their plight, have been run out of town.

I have talked with workers unable to return south, rail-roaded to jail as vagrants when their work ended. I have seen the faces of starving migrant children—not in Mississippi, but on Long Island, home of some of the richest of the robber barons.

Sunday, October 8th, Roy McCoy, Charles Jordan, James Davis and James Overstreet burned to death when one of those "space heaters" I spoke of exploded. With the overcrowding they could not get out of their shack. They had found the real meaning of capitalism's "land of promise" to them.

Monroe Motorcade

The Monroe Defense Committee is calling on people from all parts of the country to converge on Monroe, N.C. over the Thanksgiving weekend, bringing with them food and clothing for the people of Monroe.

New Kind of Logic

Premise: Soviet bomb-tests in the atmosphere peril the health of all humanity.

Conclusion: Therefore the Soviet Union is the *enemy* of mankind.

Premise: If the Soviet tests don't stop, the U.S. will start new bomb tests in the atmosphere and *doubly* peril the health of all humanity.

Conclusion: Therefore the U.S. is the *friend* of mankind.

By V. Grey

So much so that Randolph, after a fighting speech on the main issue, was compelled to defend himself by saying that his organization actually employed "a white lawyer, a white accountant and a white economist."

The 22nd Congress—An Analysis

By Sam Marcy

Communists throughout the world are torn between their deep loyalty to the Soviet Union and their doubts about the political policy of its present leaders; particularly in relation to China.

The Soviet Union, ever since the October Revolution, has served as a beacon light for the working class and the oppressed all over the world. In recent years, its magnificent achievements in the field of science and technology have literally staggered the imagination of mankind. Its military prowess, based on solid achievements in socialist construction is the most formidable barrier to an imperialist war, even if in the last analysis, the USSR cannot prevent such a war.

What would've happened to Cuba

Many Latin American workers justifiably ask themselves: "What would have happened to Cuba if the USSR had not extended timely help and military protection?" The very idea that the Soviet Union could become militarily so strong that it dared challenge Yankee imperialism right in its "own" backyard, was absolutely unthinkable just a bare few years ago.

And the fact that the USSR did come to the aid of Cuba, reaffirmed its fundamentally revolutionary socialist structure. By that one act alone, the USSR dealt one of the severest blows to U.S. imperialism and practically changed the outlook of millions of people throughout the world who had looked upon the Yankee imperialists as invincible.

What would the world look like if the mad adventurers in the Pentagon were able to suddenly wipe the USSR off the face of the earth? What would the prospects for socialism look like then? What would happen to the billion-fold mass of the Asian, African and Latin American people under circumstances where the imperialists remained armed to the teeth with nuclear weapons, as they are now, and the Soviet Union was no longer in existence—if reduced to ashes from a nuclear missile attack by the West?

That is why class-conscious workers throughout the world have always wished for *and supported* every effort on the part of the USSR to arm itself, and they have always fought against the arming of the imperialist bourgeoisie.

Grim reality of world today

Those who turn away from the Soviet Union in horror because of its resumption of nuclear testing, are in reality consciously or unconsciously, choosing imperialist domination rather than world socialism—or they fail to understand the grim reality of today's world. They fail to see that its chief feature is the relentless struggle between two diametrically opposed social systems; that one is developing in the direction of socialism, the other dragging humanity down into the abyss of economic stagnation, colonial strangulation and imperialist war.

The loyalty of the world working class to the Soviet Union is not based on maudlin petty bourgeois sentimentality, but on proletarian internationalism, that is, on the basis of its *material class needs* in the interests of its own liberation. That's the only true proletarian internationalism there is. This has nothing in common with petty bourgeois sentimentality or the blind fealty to a "foreign power" which is the *police agent's* view of proletarian internationalism.

Axis of debate

It is precisely in the interest of proletarian internationalism—i.e., the defense of the socialist interests of the world working class—and not in any love for abstract truth, in and of itself, that there must be a critical examination of the proceedings of the 22nd Congress.

The axis upon which the fundamental debate rotates is the relationship of the Soviet leadership to the Chinese CP (of course, to all other CP's too). When one considers the gravity of the East-West struggle, and the acuteness of the war danger, a revolutionist cannot but hope that at the end of all the Congress deliberations there will emerge a unified front of all the socialist

countries in the face of the imperialist aggressor.

We said last December, analyzing the Moscow Conference of 81 Communist parties:

"The world bourgeoisie had been looking hopefully for a split between China and the Soviet Union. But they were sadly disappointed.

"If the Manifesto issued at the end of the Conference can be regarded as revealing anything new, it might perhaps lie in the fact that it has evinced a determination on the part both of China and the Soviet Union, to avoid a drastic break. That is all to the good."

We also went on to explain that "the capitalist press throughout the world has misrepresented from the very beginning, the real nature of the differences. They have made it appear that the Chinese CP is for war, whereas the Soviet leadership opposes it, and advocates a course whereby Communism will triumph simply by peaceful competition between the two antagonistic world social systems.

"The truth of course is that neither China nor the Soviet Union have any reason whatever to be for war, as the capitalists know very well.

"The real point of difference is the divergent attitudes towards imperialism. The Chinese have made it amply clear in innumerable authoritative articles in their official press, and more importantly by their deeds, that they are far more irreconcilable towards imperialism than is the present leadership in the Soviet Union."

Shield of Soviet rockets

Those who favor the point of view advanced by Khrushchev and his supporters, maintain that it is *easy* for China to be more militant only because China can rely on the shield of Soviet rockets and other military and technical support. They question whether this militancy would not evaporate once it was divorced from the Soviet alliance.

"It is easy to talk tough," they maintain, "as long as the Soviet Union bears the *brunt* of military defense of the whole socialist camp."

They point out that even in Laos, it is the USSR which has the primary responsibility for military equipment and material and ultimately for all the grave risks involved in the Southeast Asia liberation struggle.

Yugoslavia experience

Furthermore, if the ideological dispute were to degenerate into a split between the two *states*, is it not likely that China will settle down to a form of "national communism" and begin to flirt with imperialist powers on the pattern of Tito? Tito, we must not forget, was also to the left of Stalin before his expulsion.

Finally, it is contended, that while the Soviet leadership and Khrushchev in particular, give the *appearance* of being more conciliatory towards imperialism, on the basis of the public pronouncements which he is obligated to make in a very tense international situation, his *actions* nevertheless, show him to be far less of a conciliator than he is painted up to be by his leftist critics.

Khrushchev's supporters point to the action of August 13th which successfully sealed off East Berlin, and to all intents and purposes, scored a major victory for the socialist camp and the German Democratic Republic in particular. The mere effort to accomplish this modest victory, placed the Soviet Union in the greatest military danger. Isn't this an example of real proletarian internationalism?

Incontestable facts on China

Some, or even all of the contentions above may prove ultimately to be valid. Only time can tell. However, there are certain absolutely incontestable facts in relation to China for which the Soviet leadership bears full responsibility.

When the Chinese Peoples Republic was finally established, one of its most urgent needs was to gain legal recognition in the world community and thereby hamper, if not altogether stop, the economic blockade established by the U.S.

Accordingly, the Soviet UN representative in 1949 demanded the immediate seating of Communist China and the ouster of the Chiang Kai Shek clique.

The UN's failure to accede to this demand prompted the USSR to boycott the UN with the definite implication that it would never return *unless* Communist China was seated. But subsequently, the Soviet leadership *retreated* from this position and returned to the UN. In Chinese eyes, this could scarcely be justified. It helped to deepen the isolation of China and to intensify its economic problems at home.

Camp David and Paris

When the time ripened for a diplomatic confrontation between the East and the West, Khrushchev arrogated to himself the position of sole representative of the socialist camp. To a revolutionary government representing a quarter of humanity, this was a shabby disregard of proletarian internationalism. This attitude was especially noticeable on the occasion of the Camp David meeting with Eisenhower and the Paris Summit Conference, both of which, incidentally, proved to be fiascos so far as gains for the socialist countries were concerned—as the Chinese predicted.

In agreeing to meet with the West without China, Khrushchev was not only dealing an affront to the leaders of a great revolution, he was also lending implicit support to the exclusion of a great country from the councils of the world. It is not possible that the Chinese CP leaders regard it in any other light.

Courting a split

In presenting his report to the 22nd Congress, Khrushchev could not help bearing all this in mind. The Congress, which opened in a mood of tremendous optimism, soon took on a somber, if not ugly, appearance when Khrushchev opened his public attack on the Albanian leadership. None but the most credulous could possibly believe that the attack was not also directed against the Chinese and possibly other quarters.

He was therefore courting a wide-open split at a time when it was least of all desirable from the point of view of the acute war danger and the unity of the socialist states.

Assuming, but not entirely conceding, that the Albanian leadership is guilty of all the sins he accuses them of, his thoroughly undemocratic method of treating the matter was a clearcut case where the "cure" was positively worse than the disease.

And is it really true that the "cult of personality" is the *real* basis for the attack on the Albanians? If so, it should be the responsibility of the Albanians themselves to deal with their own internal problems.

And if the political struggle causes a rupture between the two most powerful socialist states as the imperialists are hoping, the onus of the split will be completely on the side of Khrushchev and the present leaders of the Soviet CP.

For unity of socialist states!

For our part, as revolutionists, we are on the side of China, which has put up the most resolute and consistent struggle against imperialism.

But given the character of the period in which we live and the imminence of the war danger, revolutionists can only hope that whatever the outcome of the political struggle, there will be no rupture in the relationship between the socialist states, and that on the contrary, there will be forged a revolutionary united front of the socialist states, the colonial peoples, and the working class of the world, in the interest of victory in the struggle against world imperialism.