

## THE RESISTANCE MOVEMENT WILL DEVELOP PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC POWER

### Quebec

Toronto, October 23, 1970 - Reports reaching here indicate that armed resistance has begun in Quebec. According to the bourgeois press twice on the night of October 19th, shots were fired from speeding cars at the troops of the occupation army as they were guarding the bridge from Montreal Island in Laval, Quebec. These reports were initially confirmed by the soldiers guarding the river bridge and reported to the local detachment of the Quebec Provincial Police. After the publication of the report, due to the intervention of high-ranking army officers, an attempt was made to stifle the news. This attempt, however, failed and the report was carried on some wire services.

On the night of October 20th, a further armed action was reported by the occupation army and carried in the bourgeois media for part of the day before it too was suppressed. The reports stated that a group of Quebec patriots engaged troops guarding the power pylons across the St. Lawrence River at Quebec City. A brief fire fight erupted and rounds were exchanged between the group and the occupation army. The army set off large numbers of flares and called the Quebec Provincial Police for assistance. The latter arbitrarily arrested one person in the area but the armed group had disappeared.

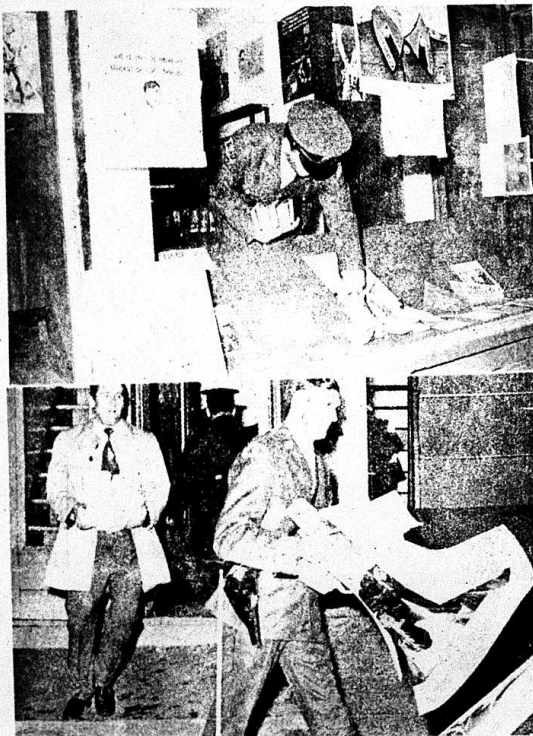
While attempting to conceal these facts from the people, the comprador Canadian government has moved 400 more troops into Montreal from the Fort Gary Horse Regiment in Winnipeg and it had dispatched large numbers of armoured personnel carriers from Petawawa in Ontario to Ottawa.

This raises the number of troops mobilized to suppress the rising national liberation struggle of the Quebec people to well over 7500. Together with the local police forces this makes a total of well over 15,000 troops and police which the Canadian compradors are using to suppress the Quebec people. This proves that the propaganda of the lackey Trudeau regime that: "It is only a small minority", is a hoax and that the revolutionary struggle in Quebec is at a very high stage. The logic of the lackey Trudeau regime is the same as that of criminal Lyndon B. Johnson when he stated that U.S. imperialism had sent 40,000 paratroopers and Marines to the Dominican Republic to "protect the lives of American citizens there".

Reports from Montreal reaching People's Canada Daily News indicate that a militant spirit of resistance pervades throughout all of Quebec. Many new elements have been drawn into the political struggle. To escape the wrath of the people, the reports continue, the perpetrators of this crime against the people have to protect themselves with hundreds of police, troops and dogs wherever they move. The reports point out that for the funeral of ex-Labour Minister, Pierre Laporte, Prime Minister Trudeau was surrounded by 36 armed guards, hundreds of police, dozens of army trucks and a special squad of army snipers on the roof tops of Old Montreal.

To date, over 400 progressive people have been arrested in the gestapo raids and are held incommunicado. These include progressive people from

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Quebec Provincial Police, armed with machine guns, raided Progressive Books and Periodicals, Ltd., in Quebec City. The stock of revolutionary literature of great value to the working and oppressed people of Quebec was seized by the police. Similar raids were made in Montreal, Lachine and St. Jerome, far surpassing the crimes of fascist Duplessis.

### Canada

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#### VANCOUVER AND REGINA

Vancouver, October 19th - Defying the flimsy attempt of the fascist Trudeau regime, working on behalf of U.S. monopolies in Canada, to impose fascism onto the Canadian people, youth and students in Vancouver B.C., and Regina, Saskatchewan organized mass demonstrations in support of Quebec patriots and in denunciation of the fascist "War Measures Act". 1000 students attended the rally in Regina. After the rally 300 militants angrily marched downtown to government buildings where they staged a powerful demonstration.

In Vancouver, 1500 demonstrators at the courthouse heard speakers supporting the struggle of the Quebec people and calling for all out opposition to the measures imposed by the lackey Trudeau regime.

#### CALGARY

University of Calgary students, enraged at the lackey government for its imposition of fascism on the Canadian and Quebec people through the War Measures Act, held a large rally on campus denouncing the act. After the rally, 300 students marched angrily to the centre of Calgary in an act of defiance to express their militant protest at the government's fascist measures.

#### 1000 COPIES OF PEOPLE'S CANADA DAILY NEWS SEIZED BY TORONTO POLICE

Toronto, October 19th. Two young men were arrested and held without charge for an hour by the Toronto police. They were distributing copies of People's Canada Daily News with the headline, THE UNARMED STRUGGLE OF THE QUEBEC PEOPLE WILL BECOME ARMED.

The two were arrested Saturday morning and 1000 copies of the newspaper were seized by the Toronto police under the fascist "War Measures Act". The two were threatened with future "sedition" charges. During the entire incident the lackey Toronto police did nothing without specific instructions from the RCMP. The two were held and threatened with murder by this gang of Toronto policemen before being released. They went right on distributing People's Canada Daily News, proving that the blustering threats of the fascist Trudeau regime do not scare the Canadian people.

#### TORONTO POLICE TEAR DOWN MILITANT POSTERS

Toronto, October 19th - Posters placed around Toronto by the May 4th Movement collective were torn down by police. The posters carried the photographs of lackey Trudeau and Bourassa with the caption: WHO ARE THE REAL TERRORISTS IN QUEBEC? The posters denounced the Trudeau regime for its exploitation of the Quebec people. The U.S. lackey police, acting under the fascist powers of the "War Measures Act" ran around removing these posters and harassing any pedestrian who was carrying a package under his arm.



3,000 angry auto workers loudly boo UAW hack Irving Bluestone who has just proposed that 306 of them scab on their fellow workers and return to work during the GM strike. The workers of local 160 at the GM Technical Centre would not buy Bluestone's flimsy excuse that it was necessary "to prove their good faith" by producing auto safety and air pollution devices with scab labour. Auto workers all across the U.S. are using the method of mass democratic struggle to resist the UAW hacks' desperate efforts to serve their monopoly capitalist masters and sell the workers out piece-meal by getting separate locals to return to work on various bogus pretexts. (People's America Daily News)

## GM STRIKE REFLECTS NEW AWAKENING OF AMERICAN WORKING CLASS (FIRST IN A SERIES ON U.S. STRUGGLES)

The big strike of about 385,000 General Motors auto workers is a striking manifestation of the new awakening of the American working class, which is rising more and more powerfully against the attempts of the monopoly capitalist class to pacify them and enslave them to its vicious system of exploitation. The strike is dealing heavy blows to the largest imperialist corporation in the world and to the already shaky economic position of the entire U.S. economy and the Nixon government. The strike is an entirely justified struggle by the only truly revolutionary class in America against the world's number one enemy of the world's people -- U.S. Imperialism.

The American working class has opened the revolutionary decade of the 1970's with a vigorous offensive against the bourgeoisie. Starting with the strike of the General Electric workers and continuing with the heroic postal and truck strikes, the workers have fought more and more furiously. Faced with revolutionary wars of national liberation in its coveted imperialist "possessions" and with a

Socialist China tempered and consolidated in the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution, the US monopoly capitalist class has resorted more and more openly to reactionary violence to repress the workers and other sections of the American people. Use of federal troops against the postal workers and national guard against the truck drivers has only stiffened the fighting resolve of the American working class and turned this resolve into an iron-like determination to let neither sweet-talk nor intimidation prevent them from struggling for a better life and against the criminal rule of monopoly capital.

Rejecting any delays, the GM workers in many places by striking before the contract expired. In the past, with the collaboration of the UAW labor fakers, the auto corporations have gotten away with endless negotiations and political maneuverings in an attempt to pacify the workers. One such attempt was in 1967, when

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## THIS IS FASCISM!

Detroit, October 12th - (People's America Daily News) Charles L. Calloway a 24 year old white worker and ex-marine, was standing in his backyard at about noon, talking over the sale of his old car to a friend. Two Detroit police "spotted" them. To the fascist police, standing in your own backyard is "suspicious" and so they approached and demanded that Calloway show papers for his car.

Enraged that the fascists would assume the right to question him in his own backyard, the worker Calloway bravely answered: "It's my car, my licence plates and my home. You

have no right here!" Unwilling to tolerate a man who would not crawl before him, one police officer jumped out of his car and shouted: "Are you some sort of a smart ass?" and slugged Calloway in the face. THIS IS OUT-AND-OUT FASCISM!

Without hesitation, the worker Calloway answered reactionary violence with revolutionary violence and hit the fascist. At this, the second fascist policeman jumped in, frantic to defend his accomplice in crime. Together they tried to drag Calloway off his property

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# Canadian Workers and Students Stand Firmly Behind Quebec People

The stand of the Canadian working and oppressed people of resolute solidarity with the Quebec people is evident in the rising anger of the broad masses of the people at the suppression of the most fundamental democratic rights, throughout Canada and particularly in Quebec.

One old worker who fought in the Mackenzie-Papineau Battalion of the International Brigade during W.W. II explained to a young woman: "I, 283 of us fought in Europe in the International Brigade against fascism. I will never forget the fighting spirit of the Canadian and Quebec people. Like a rock we plunged into the battle and under no circumstances, and there were hard ones, would we allow the fascist monster to run roughshod over the people. Today our Quebec brothers-in-arms are showing that same spirit." He added, "For a long time they have fought to rule their own destiny. In the last few years they have been imprisoned by the hundreds and now they won't take it any more.

In Toronto, on October 17, a worker on reading how the fascist authorities are calling the Quebec revolutionaries "bandits" and "criminals" indignantly protested the fascist tactics of the ruling class of confounding right and wrong, saying: "I'm not a fascist, they're the fascists."

A hospital orderly pointed out: "They hope the people will get upset over the kidnappings. It is just the reverse. Just think of the suppression the Quebec people suffered in the hands of the former Minister of Justice. Another hospital worker, a Quebecois cleaner, said: "Frankly, it doesn't bother me. I've worked all my life and I don't get anything. They take it all away from me."

Students across the country have stood for their right to publish the manifest of the FLQ in their student papers. In Alberta, the reactionary authorities of the University of Leth-

bridge forbade the distribution of The Mellorist and threatened the editors with expulsion. They subsequently lifted the ban and stopped their threats but the editor of the paper resigned before the threat was rescinded in protest against the suppression of democratic rights. In Halifax, commercial printers refused to print the St. Mary's Journal because it carried an editorial protesting the government's attempt to "institutionalize news suppression in Canada." In Guelph last weekend, the RCMP seized a lay-out copy of a special issue of The Ontario on the struggle of the Quebec people and the War Measures Act. Other student newspapers, such as the Varsity from the University of Toronto, have published the Manifesto and various articles quoting statistics exposing the oppressed condition of the Quebec people and describing their long history of struggle for national liberation.

Students across Canada have held demonstrations in support of the Quebec people and protesting the War Measures Act. Last Friday the 16th, students from the University of Calgary held a demonstration which lasted for three hours, after which a group of about 35 students went into the downtown area shouting slogans such as "Germany in the 30's, Canada in the 70's". In Ottawa, also on Friday, a meeting of over 300 french students from the University of Ottawa voted with a 2/3 majority to strike against the War Measures Act. In Vancouver over 1,000 people gathered at the court-house to protest fascist suppression and in Regina 2,000 students gathered in protest. In Montreal, students from McGill University, the University of Quebec, the Ecole des Beaux Arts, the University of Montreal and various CEGEPs rose in militant protest. Many students voted to boycott classes and at the University of Quebec the students staged a sit-in for several days defying the fascist intimidations of the authorities. On

the night before the War Measures Act was invoked, 3,000 youth and students gathered in Montreal's Paul Sauvé Arena hailing the fighting spirit of no compromise with fascism by the FLQ, supporting the new developments in the Quebec national liberation struggle.

In Montreal the police continue their fascist suppression campaigns in the oppressed working class districts by pursuing their man-hunt for the Quebec revolutionaries. The people are standing in a mighty block against them and the police have been forced to admit that they "have run out of leads".

In the Quebec colonialist jails about 400 patriotic youth, students and workers are detained and held incommunicado. The police have in the main released only those opportunist elements who have been quick to disassociate themselves with the heroic struggle of the Quebec people.

Due to the support expressed by various teachers and university professors in British Columbia for the struggle of the Quebec people, the reactionary B.C. government has ordered the Board of Education to fire anyone who supports the aims of the FLQ or the people's right to overthrow the reactionary state. Action is being taken against Ronald Kirkby, Associate-Professor at the University of Victoria for saying that it is Trudeau who is in fact responsible for the death of Laporte, and a high-school chemistry teacher from Dawson Creek, Arthur Norton Olson, has already been fired for expressing support for the FLQ.

Throughout Canada and Quebec, more and more patriotic youth and students are standing up eyeball to eyeball with the reactionary officials, troops, RCMP and police and declaring loud and clear: YOU CAN GET RID OF ME, BUT YOU CANNOT STOP MY IDEAS AND YOU CANNOT STOP THE REVOLUTION!



Students at the University of Calgary showed their deep contempt for fascism by holding a rally against the War Measures Act. 1000 students attended the rally. Later, 300 students marched angrily downtown to defy the fascist Act.



Students in Paul Sauvé Sports Arena in Montreal demonstrate their firm support for Quebec national liberation struggles by raising their fists high in the air and shouting militant slogans.

cont. from page 1: UAW "negotiations" were held between management and union hacks while the Ford workers worked without a contract for 58 days. But today is not 1967, no matter how much the imperialists dream of rolling back the clock to more "peaceful" days, and this time the workers took a firm stand in favor of immediate struggle. Any outward sign of hesitation on the part of the sold-out UAW hacks was swept away in this torrent of class hatred against the imperialists.

Nevertheless, the UAW hacks continued to demonstrate the truth of Chairman Mao's statement: "EVERYTHING REACTIONARY IS THE SAME; IF YOU DON'T HIT IT, IT WON'T FALL." UAW President Leonard Woodcock, who said in 1958 that he is in favor of "labor peace," accused GM of assuming a "North Vietnamese, non-negotiating" position at the bargaining table. This is a sordid attempt by the bureaucrats to sow anti-communism among the workers, to slander the firm anti-imperialist stand taken by the Vietnamese people and thus to divide the American workers from their true friends -- the workers, peasants and democratic people throughout the world who are rising against the same imperialist corporations and their lackey U.S. government as the auto workers face on the GM picket lines.

But the auto workers, by their resolute stand, have already won world-wide support. Other sections of the American working class -- steel workers, rubber workers, truck drivers -- have offered help. The strike has won acclaim from the oppressed peoples and nations struggling to free themselves from the same U.S. monopoly capitalists' power. In an editorial, "People's Daily," the organ of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China, supported the auto workers' strike and said: "The struggle of the American people against the imperialism of their own country is of great significance. The fundamental inter-

ests of the American people are identical with those of the people of the various countries in the world, and they support and assist each other in their struggles. By uniting with the people throughout the world and launching a vigorous and sustained offensive against their common enemy, U.S. imperialism, the American people will certainly be able to bury U.S. imperialism once and for all."

Opposition to the union hacks betrayal has burst forth in many places in the U.S. In Detroit, for instance, the League of Revolutionary Black Workers issued a leaflet denouncing the hacks and exposing their trick of sweeping local demands under the rug while hagglng endlessly over national demands. Local demands deal with the intolerable working conditions while the national demands of the labor bureaucrats are always strictly economic. These two examples, of anti-communism and of selling local demands down the river, are enough to demonstrate that these union hacks do not represent the aspirations of the proletariat but instead represent the aspirations of the bourgeoisie -- for "labor peace," i.e., fascism.

The monopoly capitalists and the union hacks are well aware of the strategic importance of the American working class in general and the GM workers in particular. The American working class is the largest working class contingent in the world. It constitutes an enormous percentage of the U.S. population. It is concentrated in the huge, basic industries in the large cities. It contains within it large sections of highly class-conscious members of oppressed national minorities -- Black people, Puerto Ricans, Mexican-Americans, Arabs, etc. It has already in recent months done great damage to the imperialists' plans to initiate a Third World War and to dominate the world. The blow now being struck against the imperialist economy by the General Motors workers has the same importance. As well as an auto-builder, GM is a major arms

supplier. The GM strike has Nixon's fragile economic "upturn" tottering and is damaging his hopes for a more reactionary Congress in the November elections.

The GM strike is a major economic struggle by an important section of the main force of the American revolution. When the experience they have gained in the economic struggle is turned to use in political struggle through the widespread dissemination of Mao Tse-tung Thought

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and into the alley, but Calloway broke free and rushed back into his yard before the fascists were able to bring him down. Calloway shouted to his friend: "You're my witness. You saw I didn't do anything!"

Several people gathered around while the two fascists held Calloway for five minutes, punching him. Then one fascist stood up and said: "Why don't you shoot him and get it over with?" The other stepped back and calmly drew his gun and fired one shot into the dazed worker Calloway's chest, killing him.

This is the fascists answer to the people who stand up to their bullying crimes! This is another blood debt that will definitely be paid in blood!

Throughout the U.S. the fascist terror that has long been the policy of the imperialists to suppress the Black people and other national minorities is being stepped up. The case of the young white worker Calloway demonstrates that this terror is being increasingly unleashed against all the working and oppressed people. Beset with difficulties abroad, the U.S. imperialists need an obedient and docile people at home, so as to be able to intensify their exploitation of the American working class. But the American working class will never take these fascist atrocities lying down. The national minority workers have supplied heroic examples of resistance to fascism for the entire working class. Today the young white worker Calloway has shown to the world

among the workers, the American working class will certainly overthrow these union hacks, create its own revolutionary organization, the Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist), and grasp the destiny of its country in its own hands. Then the criminal rule of the U.S. monopoly capitalist class will come to an end. Then the spirit expressed by one auto worker will be put into practice by the entire working class: "Anything worth fighting for, you sacrifice for. We are prepared to sacrifice."

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all walks of life and all oppressed classes. People in the arts, radio, television, newspapers and leadership positions in the field of education and trade unions who at one time or another expressed sympathy for the national liberation struggle of the Quebec people, have all been arbitrarily picked up and put into prison. The PCND reporter in Montreal pointed out that the anglo-canadian colonialists have for some years been losing control of the mass media in Quebec as the sentiment for national liberation has become more and more widespread. In the past week they have attempted to re-establish their dictatorship by throwing all their opponents in jail. This has aroused the bitter hatred of the people from the oppressed classes and has laid the material conditions for the development of armed struggle on a spontaneous level -- the reports of which we have already received.

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# PEOPLE OF THE WORLD, UNITE AND DEFEAT THE U.S. AGGRESSORS AND ALL THEIR RUNNING DOGS!

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May 20, 1970

A new upsurge in the struggle against U.S. imperialism is now emerging throughout the world. Ever since World War II, U.S. imperialism and its followers have been continuously launching wars of aggression and the people in various countries have been continuously waging revolutionary wars to defeat the aggressors. The danger of a new world war still exists, and the people of all countries must get prepared. But revolution is the main trend in the world today.

Unable to win in Viet Nam and Laos, the U.S. aggressors treacherously engineered the reactionary coup d'etat by the Lon Nol-Sirik Mafak clique, brazenly dispatched their troops to invade Cambodia and resumed the bombing of north Viet Nam, and this has aroused the furious resistance of the three Indo-Chinese peoples. I warmly support the fighting spirit of Samdech Norodom Sihanouk, Head of State of Cambodia, in opposing U.S. imperialism and its lackeys. I warmly support the Joint Declaration of the Summit Conference of the Indo-Chinese Peoples. I warmly support the establishment of the Royal Government of National Union under the Leadership of the National United Front of Kampuchea. Strengthening their unity, supporting each other and persevering in a protracted people's war, the three Indo-Chinese peoples will certainly overcome all difficulties and win complete victory.

While massacring the people in other countries, U.S. imperialism is slaughtering the white and black people in its own country. Nixon's fascist atrocities have kindled the raging flames of the revolutionary mass movement in the United States. The Chinese people firmly support the revolutionary struggle of the American people. I am convinced that the American people who are fighting valiantly will ultimately win victory and that the fascist rule in the United States will inevitably be defeated.

The Nixon government is beset with troubles internally and externally, with utter chaos at home and extreme isolation abroad. The mass movement of protest against U.S. aggression in Cambodia has swept the globe. Less than ten days after its establishment, the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia was recognized by nearly 20 countries. The situation is getting better and better in the war of resistance against U.S. aggression and for national salvation waged by the people of Viet Nam, Laos and Cambodia. The revolutionary armed struggles of the people of the Southeast Asian countries, the struggles of the people of Korea, Japan and other Asian countries against the revival of Japanese militarism by the U.S. and Japanese reactionaries, the struggles of the Palestinian and other Arab peoples against the U.S.-Israeli aggressors, the national liberation struggles of the Asian, African and Latin American peoples, and the revolutionary struggles of the peoples of North America, Europe and Oceania are all developing vigorously. The Chinese people firmly support the people of the three Indo-Chinese countries and of other countries of the world in their revolutionary struggles against U.S. imperialism and its lackeys.

U.S. imperialism, which looks like a huge monster, is in essence a paper tiger, now in the throes of its death-bed struggle. In the world of today, who actually fears whom? It is not the Vietnamese people, the Laotian people, the Cambodian people, the Palestinian people, the Arab people or the people of other countries who fear U.S. imperialism; it is U.S. imperialism which fears the people of the world. It becomes panic-stricken at the mere rustle of leaves in the wind. Innumerable facts prove that a just cause enjoys abundant support while an unjust cause finds little support. A weak nation can defeat a strong, a small nation can defeat a big. The people of a small country can certainly defeat aggression by a big country, if only they dare to rise in struggle, take up arms and grasp in their own hands the destiny of their country. This is a law of history.

People of the world, unite and defeat the U.S. aggressors and all their running dogs!

## U.S. IMPERIALISM WILL BE DEFEATED!

## PEOPLE OF THE WORLD WILL WIN!

