

AN UNANSWERED LETTER

The following letter, addressed to the Communist Party, has gone unanswered. However, believing that we have a contribution to make in the discussion on the 7th Congress, we will print in the next issue of Workers Age, the speech which Comrade Jay Lovestone would have made at the Madison Square Garden meeting.

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October 1, 1935.

Dear Comrade Browder:

Comrade Dimitroff, in his summary remarks to the 7th World Congress of the Communist International, declared:

"We want the workers who belong to the Second International and the Amsterdam International and those workers who belong to other political organizations to discuss these resolutions with us; to bring us their practical proposals and supplementary proposals, to try to think of the best methods of applica-

tion and to join us hand in hand to carry them out in practice."

We are prepared to aid in carrying out Comrade Dimitroff's proposal. We hope you will do the same. Therefore, in immediate application of the above, we propose that you grant us a speaker from the platform at your Madison Square Garden meeting (October 3) at which you will report on the 7th Congress of the CI.

No doubt you are aware of the fact that we have a number of valuable suggestions and criticisms in regard to the deliberations and decisions of the 7th Congress. A comradely, frank, constructive discussion of the Communist Party and Communist Party (Opposition) viewpoints is the best guarantee for the realization of sound revolutionary theory and practise.

We hope to hear favorably from you without delay in view of the shortness of time at hand before the meeting.

With Communist greetings,

Jay Lovestone, Secretary,
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