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Times "Revelations" Really a Cover-Up!

# Indonesia Counter-Revolution Staged by And for U.S.; Masses Still Struggling

By F. Goldstein

After eleven bloody months in which at least a half-million Indonesian Communist workers, peasants and intellectuals were ruthlessly butchered by a clique of fascist generals in order to capture Indonesia for U.S. imperialist exploitation, Wall Street has finally decided to break its policy of silence and give the public an account of its crimes—at the same time of course, concealing the identity of the criminals.

Last week, the U.S. "newspaper of record," the New York Times, ran a four-part series on Indonesia by one of its Far East reporters and "experts," Seymour Topping. In the nearly book-length account, written from Jakarta, the author detailed and documented "the killing of uncounted thousands of Communists in an orgy of reprisals and blood lust." Topping admitted that "No one will ever know how many thousands of members of the Indonesian Communist Party, their sympathizers and families and falsely accused persons died....the

best informed sources estimate 150,000 to 400,000, but they concede the total could be more than half a million. The killings still go on in some places...."

But in one unobtrusive paragraph in the midst of a mountain of similar revelations, Mr. Topping says:

"There have been some suggestions that the U.S. Government and its agencies played a clandestine role in the defeat by the Indonesian Army of the Movement of September 30 and the Communist debacle that ensued. These suggestions are not supported by the evidence....or by the information obtained by this reporter...."

This innocent remark in accompaniment with a semi-sympathetic attitude about the victims of the genocidal act, neatly traps the unwary reader.

Posing one of the big, big questions of the century in one sentence— Was U.S. imperialism behind the pro-U.S. counter-revolution?—and disposing of it in another, he serves the interests of the billionaires most

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## Atlanta SNCC Fights Against Viet War; Pickets Jailed for "Insurrection"

The growing resistance movement among Afro-Americans against fighting for U.S. imperialism in Vietnam has struck a vital nerve center of the ruling class.

This militant movement, which has the potential to wreck Washington's war machine, drew heavy fire from the bosses last week when a racist judge in Atlanta charged a 19-year old black member of SNCC with insurrection after he was arrested in a demonstration protesting the induction of black youth into the U.S. Army.

The charge of insurrection, which carries a possible death penalty in Georgia, was levelled against John Wilson, who was jailed along with 26 others during a militant demonstration against "the spilling of Black blood in white racists' wars" at an Army induction center in Atlanta. Wilson and eleven others were given maximum sentences ranging from 30 to 120 days by a white supremacist court.

The demonstration was called by

the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee, which has played a leading role in calling on Afro-Americans not to fight for U.S. imperialism in Vietnam.

In a news release from Atlanta SNCC denounced the "outrageous, shocking, scandalous, illegal charge of insurrection against John Wilson by Judge T.C. Little under a state law that has twice been declared unconstitutional."

"This latest illegal outrage," continued the release, "is in the same line as the Julian Bond case, where the clearly defined legal right to peacefully protest is being abridged to protect a racist illegal war in Vietnam."

In charging Wilson with insurrection "Judge Little....invoked an unconstitutional law, which is now illegal," said SNCC, and "He also sentenced Black protestors to maximum sentences allowable under the law...by stating that the maximum sentence was imposed because he had a son in Vietnam!"

"We charge that this action is part of a national plot to destroy SNCC" concluded the release but "We will continue the picket of the headquarters of the 12th Army to protest the induction of Black people into a racist war.

### Philadelphia Cops Frame-Up SNCC, Too

PHILADELPHIA—Last week the racist Philadelphia Police Department launched a fraudulent dynamite scare campaign in a crude attempt to frame up the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee. SNCC is a militant advocate

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Frantic U.S. Military Drops Death on Gl's Too

# Indiscriminate Bombing of All Viets

By Ellen Pierce

Since July 1, 1966 U.S. military "accidents" in South Vietnam have killed at least 143 friendly troops or civilians and wounded 234. These are figures quoted by American military spokesmen, who said that such incidents had reached "epic proportions."

However these statistics show just a fraction of the sufferings inflicted on the Vietnamese by U.S. attacks.

They do not include civilians killed by bombings over liberated zones. Nor do they include the number of G.I.'s killed and wounded by napalm from F-100 Supersabres on August 26 only 20 miles from Saigon.

In this incident, guerillas and U.S. troops were so close during battle that the bombs fell on the First Infantry Division instead of on the Liberation Front soldiers.

General Dupuy, commander of the First Infantry Division, said, "Accidents like this have happened in every war....I would ask for the



(Free Press, Lawrence/Kansas)

(napalm) strikes again in the same situation." He tried to dismiss the high casualties (unofficially listed as 7 dead and 21 injured) by declaring that the napalm attack actually helped save American lives in the battle.

Recently, a Captain William Carpenter was cited for great heroism in calling for a napalm bombing that killed several of his own men. And just a week ago, planes attacked a Coast Guard vessel, killing two and wounding five.

Official U.S. policy is to warn villagers of bombing raids by leaflet or loudspeaker. Obviously this also allows NLF personnel and followers in the villages to escape bombings too. Therefore, in most cases no warning is given. (It sounds like something out of "Catch-22.")

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Educating the Poor to Die for the Rich

## The Army's "Salvage" Plan for Draftees

Last Tuesday Secretary of Defense McNamara announced the Johnson Administration's vicious new "salvage" plan—i.e., the plan to lower the draft requirements and force hundreds of thousands of the poorest and most exploited victims of U.S. capitalism at home to fight and die for their oppressors on battlefields abroad.

This sinister, so-called "reeducation" plan is calculated to serve a double purpose for the U.S. rulers on Wall Street.

First, by guaranteeing 40,000 men this year and 100,000 annually thereafter, in addition to regular supply of 50,000 men a month who are called under the present draft, the program will provide new layers of cannon fodder for the Johnson Administration's already bloated war machine.

In addition, by inducting more of the uneducated and impoverished into the Army, the plan will strike at the heart of the Black Rebellion. Thousands of education-deprived, militant Afro-American youth who are now raising their heads to struggle against oppression at home will be dragged from the ghettos to fight for their oppressor abroad.

While McNamara tried to sugarcoat Washington's bitter new bill for the poor and the oppressed with a demagogic appeal about uplifting "America's subterranean poor" through "education," the Pentagon clarified his brutal message.

The plan to force-feed the poor with just enough mental food to pass a fifth-grade-level examination "merely will provide us with a bigger pool of qualified manpower for the military" said a Pentagon spokesman quoted in the August 25 New York Times.

And to show the completely fraudulent character of "educational uplifting" referred to by McNamara, the generals in Washington have already decided that "at least 85 per cent of those chosen for 'salvage'" will pass the test!—i,e., the Pentagon has guaranteed in advance that its "educational system" will qualify even (;) the poorest and most

downtrodden of the masses to die for their billionaire masters in the cauldron of U.S. aggression in Asia;

The day after the former chief of the billion dollar Ford empire announced the "salvage" plan—referring to the poor as so many scraps to be picked from the junkpile of U.S. capitalism—the Pentagon publicly admitted that 30 per cent of those to be "saved" from poverty and oppression at home in order to die abroad will come from the ranks of the black youth (who already suffer 1 in every 5 casualties in Vietnam).

This conservative estimate by Johnson's general staff (still three times the national population ratio) drew immediate fire from militant civil rights leaders who quickly pointed out that "salvage" was just another word for an attack on the Afro-American community.

"This man is out to exterminate us," said Stokely Carmichael, Chairman of SNCC. "It is clear that the man is trying to get rid of the

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### Nazi Drill Ground in Chicago

George Lincoln Rockwell, the self-styled Nazi fuehrer, spoke in Chicago on August 21. Ordinarily this would not be big news, but Rockwell spoke to 1,500 people-1,500 shouting, fuming, race-mad candidates for the role of storm troopers or members of lynch mobs.

This happened only days after a march of black demonstrators had been stoned in the same city and Rev. Martin Luther King seriously injured by a thrown rock.

It also took place on the same day that the President of the United States was calling on the Black People (in a speech broadcast from Vermont) to exercise restraint and "not to injure the person or the property of others in making (their) protests."

The meaning of Rockwell's relative success in Chicago is all too clear. The fascist riff-raff is trying to coalesce itself into a violent attacking force, which will be directed not only at Afro-American and Jewish people, but against all that is progressive in U.S. society.

Liberal commentators here and there got a chill from Rockwell and passed it on to their readers with the injunction to remember Hitler and the lessons of German fascism.

None of them mentioned the main lesson of German fascism, however, which is that the "legal," "conservative" and "respectable" forces of pre-Hitler capitalist Germany never did a thing to stop Hitler's rise to power and halt the fascist violence against the radicals, the Jews and the labor movement.

On the contrary, these forces warned the oppressed and antifascists: against using "violence" (i.e.-self-defense!) and the antifascists, who were in a majority, were paralyzed by capitalist legality and never took matters into their own hands to defeat Hitler when they still could have done so.

The klansmen, racists, scabs and goons of Germany took over completely because the German Johnsons, Humphreys, Kennedys etc. had prepared the way so well.

further this policy abroad (just as

the police are always on hand to

create the impression that the \$58

billion a year "defense" expenditure

is for the purpose of taking the

"Great Society" to the rest of the

world. But as everyone knows, the

so-called Great Society is really

the society of the policeman's club,

the lyncher's rope and the huckster's

con-game. It is that society which

of course Johnson was trying to

back up the bosses at home).

### You're So Right, Mr. Johnson!

When Johnson spoke "non-politically" at Denver on August 26, he said a political mouthful that far transcended the politics of Congressional elections and the routine, but cynical fence-mending he was engaged in.

He said, "...Our foreign policy must always be an extension of our domestic policy. Our safest guide to what we do abroad is always what we do at home."

And how right Johnson was! His statement was almost Leninist in its embodiment of class truth! It only remains to explain what his "domestic policy" really is and just what it is that he and his class "always do at home."

Johnson himself of course did not go into details on his "domestic policy"-which is the policy of cutthroat competition and monopoly, exploitation and super-exploitation at home. Armies, gunboats, missiles and nuclear bombs are utilized to

Johnson wishes to erect abroad on bayonets and soldiers' bones. What "we" do at home-that is, what the U.S. ruling class does at home-it also does abroad. And it repeats its home deeds and mul-

tiplies its home sins a thousand fold abroad, because it can get away with them easier abroad—and because so far, it can deceive the U.S. working class into supporting its evil deeds in the name of "patriotism" and

"national defense."

Finally, it must be emphasized for the benefit of the oppressed that foreign policy is ALWAYS in its fundamental aspects a continuation of domestic policy. That is, a country which is oppressive and exploitative (i.e., capitalist) at home must inevitably be so abroad.

And any war that country conducts, no matter what the slobbering slogans of its leaders may be, is a reactionary, imperialist war.

### -"Salvage" Plan

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Black People in the ghettoes, and we in SNCC are going to urge Black People not to submit to the draft."

And Floyd McKissick of CORE nailed McNamara dead to rights when he added "What he is doing in effect is educating (the poor) for the purpose of death.'

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### **Defiant Anti-War Demonstrators** Hit HUAC atWashington Hearings

**By Peter Anton** 

When the House Un-American Activities Committee subpoenaed "witnesses" for a new attempt at witch-hunting the anti-war movement two weeks ago, several hundred went to Washington to oppose the Committee and show their solidarity with its intended victims.

The subpoenaed witnesses put up a militant defiant fight at the hearings. Instead of answering Chief Witch-Hunter, Representative Pool's questions, they all made strong statements against U.S. aggression in Vietnam. Among the chief witnesses were activists of the Vietnam Day Committee at Berkeley, the Director of the Free University of New York, and a number from the Progressive Labor Party. They had the hearty support of most sections of the radical and anti-war movement.

Busloads of men and women who came to Washington, stood up from their seats and denounced the hearings, until they were dragged away and arrested. At one point, when Brigadier General Hittle, retired from the Marine Corps, and a member of the VFW was brought in as a

friendly witness for HUAC, six members of Youth Against War and Fascism stood up and shouted "Murderer," and as they were dragged out and arrested, chanted "This is a Fascist court."

However, the most vicious incident of the week, was an unprovoked police attack upon the line of some two hundred who were waiting to get into the hearings. In this attack, a seventeen year old was severely beaten, and those who went to his aid were also roughed up and arrested.

In all, ten were arrested in this attempt at intimidation of the anti-HUAC people on the line. There were over one hundred cops standing shoulder to shoulder, who participated in this attack. A few moments later, the people on the line marched out of the building all the way to the White house, where they held a militant picket line, denouncing HUAC.

That evening, a rally of over 500 at Dupont Circle, heard speeches from Judy White of the SWP, Jeff Gordon of PL, and Deirdre Griswold of YAWF, and others. Of the sixty arrested at the hearings, sixteen were members of YAWF.

### Dresden's People Feel the Agony of Viet Bombing

Last month there were huge rallies in the German Democratic Republic (and lesser ones in the U.S. satellite of West Germany) protesting the U.S. bombings at Hanoi and Haiphong.

Over 100,000 citizens of Dresden, in East Germany, protested the bombardment of the Vietnamese cities.

The significance of this tremendous turnout in a city of less than a half-million population was either misunderstood or ignored by the world's press.

For the people of Dresden understand the horrors of bombing more clearly and more painfully than the people of any other city in the world, not even excluding Hiroshima and Nagasaki!

The atomic bomb killed 71,379 persons in Hiroshima on August 6, 1945. A 14-hour attack on Dresden by U.S. and British bombers killed 135,000 on Feb. 13, 1945. (Dresden police estimated 202,000, but the lower figure is supplied by David Irving, a British military historian who has written a heavily-documented book called "The Destruction of Dresden.'')

Over 1,600 acres of Dresden were burned and destroyed as a result of that one day's bombing. (About

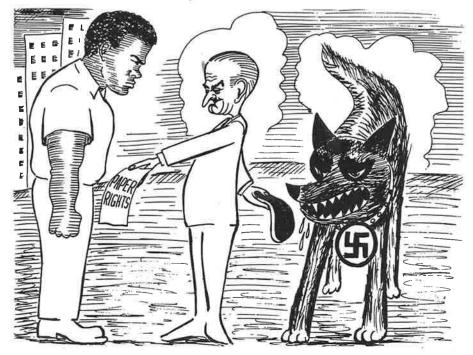
600 acres were destroyed in London during the whole war. In Coventry, 380 were killed in the infamous Nazi bombing of civilian workers and their families.) Nearly all the 135,000 killed in

Dresden were civilians and practically the only "military" targetthe railroad yards-was left unscathed. At that time, Dresden was a cultural center with no major industry and was rather remote from the war. By February, 1945, it was virtually an undefended city.

This Allied war crime was perhaps not as great as the Nazi performances at Dachau and Buchenwald, but it was equally directed against the innocent.

The people of Dresden think about the people of Vietnam, because they think of their own loved ones in Dresden. They think of the charred bodies of Feb. 13, 1945, the dead lying face down, glued to the pavements which had melted in the thousand-degree heat generated by the bombing and subsequent firestorm. They think of the lost children, the melted flesh. They think of the living who were unable to bury

The people of Dresden, who suffered from Nazi rule before they suffered from U.S.-British bombs, also think of the chief puppet and ally of the U.S. in Vietnam, the Saigon "Premier," whose boss is Lyndon Johnson and whose greatest hero is-Hitler.



Is N. Vietnam's Water Supply a "Military Target"?

# **U.S.** Bombs the Dikes

The spokesman of the D.R.V. Ministry of Water Conservancy today issued a statement denouncing the continued U.S. air attacks on the North Vietnam dyke and irrigation systems.

The statement reads in full as follows:

During the past months, the U.S. imperialists have launched systematic attacks on the dyke systems and water conservancy works of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam.

Within less than a month, from July 3 to 31, 1966, U.S. aircraft have 83 times savagely bombed the dyke systems, dams, pumping stations and irrigation works in North Vietnam. The projects which have newly been built or are under construction and the existing ones in 14 provinces and urban areas namely Haiphong, Thái-bình, Nam-Hà, Ninh-Bình, Yên-bái, Bao-Thái, Ha-Bác, Phú-tho, Vinh-phúc, Hà-tỉnh, Quáng-bình, Thanh-hóa, Quáng-ninh and Hai-duong have all been attacked.

What is most serious, on the days when the water was rising high, piratic U.S. aircraft day and night

bombed and strafed many important sections of dyke and important irrigation works in the delta of the Red and Thai-binh Rivers. On July 21, The Thac-ba dam of the Red River system in Yen-Bai province was continuously bombed from 7 to 17 hours.

On July 28, U.S. aircraft four times concentrated their attacks on many important sections of the dyke in Nam Ha province. Particularly from 14:30 hours July 30 to 2:00 hours July 31, U.S. aircraft three times bombed a number of dyke sections in Nam-truc district, Namha province, damaging many sections, and killing 10 persons among them 5 children.

From July 27 to 31, following the torrential rains resulting from the typhoon, Ora, U.S. aircraft 14 times bombed many important sections of dyke along Thai-binh river in Tienlang and Vinh-bao districts in the suburbs of Hai-phong. On July 27 alone, U.S. aircraft 5 times bombed dyke sections in the same area.

These continued U.S. air raids, concentrated on important sections of dyke in densely populated areas

along the lower reaches of the Thai-Binh and Hong Ha (Red) Rivers in the middle of the rainy season, were obviously part of the premeditated, scheme of the U.S. government to cause flood and drought, sabotage production, and endanger the life of millions in this area. The above rabid acts of war have laid bare the utterly brutal nature of the U.S. aggressors and given the lie to their deceitful allegation that "dykes and dams are not (not) targets"....

The Ministry of Water Conservancy of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam severely denounces to world public opinion and to the American people the inhuman war crimes of the Johnson Administration which is deliberately and systematically bombing the dykes and irrigation works of North Vietnam.

The D.R.V. Ministry of Water Conservancy firmly believes that the peace and justice-loving people in the world including the American people will step up their struggle and resolutely condemn the unjust war of aggression of the U.S. imperialists in Vietnam, check in time the increasing criminal acts of President Johnson and his accomplices against the Vietnamese people as well as progressive mankind.

U.S. Nuclear Sub Provocation in Hong Kong

PEKING, August 10 (Hsinhua)—
The U.S. nuclear-powered submarine, "Snook," sailed into Hong Kong's inner harbor on August 8, at a time when U.S. imperialism is "escalating" its aggressive war in Vietnam to a new stage by its frenzied bombing of Hanoi and Haiphong. This is another flagrant war provocation offered by U.S. imperialism to the Chinese people. People here are watching the situation with close attention.

The "Snook" is the third U.S. nuclear-powered warship to have called at Hong Kong since the beginning of the year. At the end of January 1966, the arrival of the U.S. nuclear-powered aircraft carrier "Enterprise" and the nuclear-powered cruiser, "Bainbridge," stirred up great indignation and strong protests among the Hong Kong residents.

With the acquiescence of the British authorities, Hong Kong has been used all along by the U.S. as an active base for enlarging its aggressive war.

Many U.S. warships taking part in the massacre of the Vietnamese people have called at Hong Kong this year. Up to five o'clock yesterday afternoon, in addition to the "Snook," 11 U.S. warships, including the amphibious assault ship, "Princeton," were anchored offshore.

# Carmichael: U.S. An Octopus With Tentacles All Over World

By Vince Clark

CLEVELAND—"When you talk of Black power, you talk of bringing this country to its knees," Stokely Carmichael told a cheering rally of CORE here on August 5th. He declared "Black power will mean building a movement that will smash everything rotten that Western civilization has created."

On the subject of the Hough rebellion Carmichael said: "It was no riot but just a get-ready party," and Black People will do whatever is necessary to get what they need because "our people are fighting for our lives."

Speaking of U.S. foreign policy and the war in Vietnam, Carmichael called the U.S. an octopus with tentacles extending all over the world in Vietnam, the Congo, the Philippines, and Latin America, etc.

He called on black youth to refuse to fight in Vietnam and said any that do were black mercenaries in the service of imperialism. He predicted the day will come when blacks who refuse military service will be protected by the ghetto and anyone who tries to come and arrest them will have to fight the whole ghetto.

He urged white youth, too, to reject military service "which takes guts to do" but is the only practical way to end U.S. aggression in Vietnam by cutting off their supply of manpower for the war.

After speaking on Saturday, August 6th, at the Manger Hotel as a part of the International Days of Protest against the war in Vietnam, Carmichael led a picket-line march down Euclid Avenue to the Public Square where a rally was held and more speeches were heard. The number of marchers was about 500. During the downtown rally about 25 neo-fascist members of the North American Alliance of White People and other hate groups counterpicketed. The fascists shouted racist filth, attacking Black Power as "red power" and calling for an immediate invasion of North Vietnam and

The recent presence of civil rights leaders at anti-war demonstrations and their statements against the war indicates that the American civil rights movement is beginning to be conscious of the fact that it forms a part of the worldwide liberation movement of oppressed non-white peoples. The fascist counter-demonstration should prove beyond any doubt that the forces of war and racism have united to continue their exploitation and plunder of colonial peoples at home and abroad.

To aid in its policing of the world, the U.S. ruling class is building itself huge cruising invasion units. 30 of these 50,000 ton "Fast Deployment Logistic" ships (one billion dollars each) are being built by Litton In-

dustries, Lockheed, and General Dynamics. They are floating warehouses with equipment, landing boats, and troops which are to cruise the oceans and put down uprisings any place in the world.

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of Black Power and has sparked the fight against the induction of black youth into the Army to fight for U.S. aggression in Vietnam.

Acting on "information" supplied by an "unidentified" police stool pigeon, 80 detectives, armed to the teeth with rifles and shotguns and backed up by over 1,000 cops armed with revolvers, pulled a midnight raid on four so-called SNCC "offices" in the heart of the black ghetto.

The cops arrested Eugene Dawkins, 19, Carol West, 18, Barry Dawson, 19, and George Brower, 26. The four were slapped in jail on \$50,000 bail and then warrants were issued for the entire local SNCC leadership.

The four raids yielded a grand total of two and a half sticks of useless dynamite without detonator caps. The dynamite was "discovered" in a building at 16th and Poplar Streets.

This meagre "discovery" was enough to show that the whole matter was a blatant police frame-up. But James Foreman, a SNCC official exposed the crude machinations of the Philadelphia cops even further. Foreman denounced the whole thing as a "phony" plot and revealed that the police knew that "we have only one office here, and that one is at 521 South Street, where no dynamite was found!"

But the racist rulers of Philadelphia were not about to let a few facts impede the witchhunt. Police officials, obviously referring to SNCC, threatened an "intense investigation" of "lawless elements"

# Buffalo YAWF Demonstrators Picket Johnson's Speechmaking

BUFFALO—When Johnson brought his propaganda tour to Buffalo Friday, August 19, he was met with a picket line sponsored by the Buffalo chapter of Youth Against War & Fascism.

The picket line of 28 determined anti-war demonstrators, organized on short notice in the middle of a working day, loomed large in this city which is strongly dominated by reactionary elements.

The pickets marched directly in

and "all organizations we suspect of breaking the law." The racist press carried the outrageously inflammatory remarks by the cops to the effect that "an incident had been definitely prevented" and that there was enough dynamite found to "remove Independence Hall."

This outright act of police aggression was organized by Police Commissioner Frank Rizzo who attained nation—wide publicity last year when it was revealed that the Philadelphia police department was an organizing center for the fascist John Birch Society.

front of the State Court House on the edge of Niagara Square, where office workers who had been released from work for the occasion formed most of the crowd of about five thousand which met Johnson. (Radio news reports said 200,000)

As the demonstrators chanted: "Big firms get rich while GIs die!" Gerald J. Gross, YAWF spokesman and a senior at the University of Buffalo told local reporters that YAWF's aim was to "mobilize the people of the country against the war in Vietnam and to expose the lies of the Johnson administration about defending freedom and democracy as a cover for a war in which big firms make profits while the GIs and the American people suffer."

Several members of SNCC were among those picketing and they took an aggressive stance toward white racist hecklers. When one heckler said: "Why don't you go back to Africa?" A black marcher shouted, in return, "Why don't you leave. My folks have been here longer than yours."

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### GI's and Viets Both Bombed by U.S. Planes

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More than one million South Vietnamese-one out of every sixteen people—are refugees fleeing from the massive bombing and cropdestroying operations of the U.S., according to the New York Times, July 5, 1966.

Terror raids against civilians in liberated zones is a long established U.S. policy. But now more facts are coming to light about raids against hamlets supposedly friendly to the U.S. or at least under partial U.S.puppet control.

Despite the lip service given to preventing injury to "friendly" villagers and property, the Pentagon knows that almost all the peasants are its enemy, so bombs them indiscriminately.

Even though the U.S. ruling class waves the flag and shouts "Support our boys," it does not hesitate to throw away GI's lives (and a high proportion of those GI's are black.)

What it all adds up to is that the real enemy in Vietnam is the U.S. ruling class itself. It is the enemy of the Vietnamese and of the mass of American people too.

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### Indonesia **Counter-Revolution** (Continued from Page 1)

effectively as he buries the identity of the true criminals underneath a mountain of details about the crime. This was clearly a cover up for the murderous role of the U.S. monopolies rather than the objective opinion of an "expert." For if the chief Southeast Asia correspondent of the New York Times had not been doing a whitewash, he could have found crucially damning evidence exposing Washington as the engineer of the slaughter in the back issues of his own newspaper!

For example, on June 19 James Reston, Washington insider, wrote "Washington is being careful not to claim any credit for this change (in Indonesia)....but this does not mean Washington had nothing to do

"There was a great deal more contact between the anti-Communist forces in that country and at least one very high official in Washington before and during the Indonesian massacre than is generally realized.

And on April 27 the same New York Times admitted that the CIA "is said to have been so successful at infiltrating the top of the Indonesian government and army that the United States was reluctant to disrupt CIA covering operations by withdrawing aid" from the hostile Sukarno government.

Another important purpose of the Times series, however, was to warn the U.S. ruling class that the usurping clique in Jakarta has not really stabilized itself and that the great masses, in spite of the terrible blood-letting, have been only temporarily defeated and not by any means won over to the puppet regime.

Topping revealed that in Indonesia a "hidden power struggle is still underway'' between Sukarno, who still "clings to his leftist policies" and the army which has been blocked from moving Indonesia "toward a full rapproachment with the non-Communist west," And he also warned that there is a serious danger of "renewed civil war in Central Java" if the army moves too quickly to depose the anti-imfigure of President perialist Sukarno.

## Pro-War Vets Cheer HUAC; Youth Pickets Confront VFW

By F. Matteger

NEW YORK, August 26-A spirited crowd of young people, led by Youth Against War & Fascism this morning picketed the Veterans of Foreign Wars convention for the second time in its week-long jamboree here.

The first picket line was staged Tuesday August 23 when the veterans were addressed by Secretary of De-McNamara. During this demonstration by 60 YAWF demonstrators a past national commander of the VFW and former Republican Representative from Pennsylvania, James Van Zandt, yelled:

"If those S.O.B.'s are out there at 2 P.M. we will drive them off the sidewalk!"

The next night the VFW paraded until after midnight down Fifth Avenue. Few people were interested in watching them and hundreds of people called city hall to complain about allowing this noisy parade in the late hours.

The veterans, used to being treated with special dispensation, were surprised and angry at such criticism. Van Zandt again spoke up and blamed the calls on Youth Against War & Fascism whom he said should be investigated.

YAWF sent Van Zandt the following telegram, excerpts of which were printed in the August 26 New York

James E. Van Zandt, VFW Convention, New York Statler Hilton:

WE PROTEST YOUR VULGAR AND OBSCENE ATTACKS ON OUR ORGANIZATION AND OTHER VIET-NAM WAR OPPONENTS. THE VFW IS SUPPOSEDLY DEDICATED TO PROTECTING THE RIGHTS OF EX-SERVICEMEN. INSTEAD IT HAS BECOME A PUBLIC RELA-

#### Public Trial at Dix For Anti-War Gl's to Begin September 6

NEW YORK-Court-Martial proceedings against the three Fort Dixheld soldiers who refused to go to Vietnam will begin on September 6. The trial will be held at Fort Dix.

IT IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. People are urged to attend in support of the soldiers.

Privates James Johnson, Dennis Mora, and David Samas held a joint news conference on June 30 in New York at which they announced their refusal to go to Vietnam.

Authorities first tried to split them up by offering a bribe of a discharge to the parents of Samas, the North American "white" soldier, if he would drop the case. (Mora is Puerto Rican, Johnson is Afro-American) He refused. The three were then arrested July 7 just before they were to speak at a public meeting.

On July 11 they were ordered to board a plane to Vietnam. They refused. They were then charged with "willfully disobeying a legal command of a superior officer." Since that time they have been held in solitary confinement in the Fort Dix

Relatives of the soldiers spoke in their support at the August 6 antiwar rally of 25,000 held in New York. At that rally another soldier, PFC John M. Morgan Jr., a 20 year old marine, also announced his refusal to fight in Vietnam. He vowed that his only military post would be in jail. He was arrested August 11. His trial began August 29 at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Both the three Fort Dix soldiers and PFC Morgan are being represented by Attorney Stanley Faulkner. TIONS ARM OF THE HAWKS AND ARMS LOBBY.

YOU HAVE NEVER LIFTED A FINGER FOR THE BLACK VET-ERANS WHO RISKED THEIR LIVES ONLY TO BE JIM-CROWED ON THEIR RETURN TO CIVILIAN LIFE. INSTEAD, THE MISSISSIPPI GROUP IN YOUR PARADE CARRIED THE CONFEDERATE FLAG, THE FLAG SLAVERY, DOWN FIFTH AVENUE. YOUR MIDNIGHT PA-RADE ENRAGED PEOPLE FOR MORE THAN JUST ITS BAD MAN-NERS. THE ROWDYISM WAS THAT OF A MUNICH BEERHALL, AND THE JINGOISM SMACKED OF A STORMTROOPER FESTIVAL.

Dierdre Griswold

Youth Against War & Fascism When the VFW announced that

it was awarding racist Joe Pool, the HUAC inquisitor, a medal Friday morning. YAWF demonstrators again staged a picket line shouting loudly: "Racist Pool wants fascist rule!" They also called for stopping the war and bringing the troops home.

At noon the veterans poured out of the plush New York Hilton to view this demonstration still going on during the lunch break. They stood along the sidewalk and stared. One contingent walked by the line growling occasional insults. Most of their remarks were drowned by the shouting of the youth and while news cameras and tape recorders captured the scene, the veterans either disappeared or stood and gawked half-hostile and half-curious at these youngsters who defied them.

They were discovering that the McCarthyite fear of reactionary veterans was no longer enough to silence people in New York-and that a bold organized defiance of them showed them to be mainly noisy windbags.



### No Daylight -- The Feel of Super-Exploitation

"Super-exploitation" means the average black worker getting \$3,000 a year (or thereabouts) while the white worker gets \$6,000. It adds up to billions in profits for businesses which enjoy this super profit. They have no intention of giving it up.

But what does it mean to a black guy with desires and feelings and hopes that are constantly frustrated.?

Take Bob C. for instance. Bob is a young guy who came up from the South-North Carolina. He met a girl. They got married. They have a child. But a family sure takes money to live on and Bob's job of about \$60 a week wasn't enough. So he got a second job.

He worked long hours from early in the morning to late at night and made a total of \$90 a week from the two jobs. That's less than \$5,000 a year and barely enough to get by on in New York. But on top of that the hours are so long that he barely gets home to see his wife and child.

A couple of weeks ago some friends heard about a job that he could do that would, they were told, pay \$75 to \$80 a week-a little less than he makes with the two jobs but with squeezing they could make it on that and Bob would have some time for his family.

Working through friends who work in the place where the job was to be, things were lined up. An interview was arranged for Bob with the boss of the place. The way seemed assured-as assured as anything like that can be for a worker in this society—that Bob would have a job which would be a toe-hold on a different kind of life-not much maybe by some standards but a life that had a little daylight in it.

Came the interview. Bob was introduced to the boss. The boss had not known that Bob was black. He didn't say anything about it. He just lookedthe sharp look of the higher-up who has the power over people's livelihoods.

But it still seemed that it might be all right. They talked. Things seemed to go all right. Bob knew how to handle the job. And the boss said it was all right and he offered Bob the job which had paid the previous man (who was white) \$80 a week.

But he offered Bob only \$60.

son's action.

\$60 a week instead of \$80—because Bob was black.

Because Bob is black he still doesn't have a job with daylight in it. And there is no sign of his getting one.

That's what super-exploitation is. Millions of Afro-American men and women know what it is and how it feels and they know that nothing is being done about it. Headlines about "civil rights bills' and "progress" but you have to work for \$60.00 or less.

It adds up. It adds up to anger. The anger has finally added up to rocks, bullets, and Molotov cocktails. And finally it adds up to revolution.

#### Jimmy's Son Needs Your Help

The District 65 Peace Action Committee (13 Astor Place, OR3-5120) is backing the son of one of their union members in his refusal to go to Vietnam. He is Pvt. James Johnson, the Afro-American member of the trio which

courageously refused to be killers for Uncle Dollar-bags in Vietnam. James' father has been in District 65 for 15 years and is a steward in a direct mail shop. He opposes the war in Vietnam, too, and he backs his

The plain-talking leaflet issued by the 65 committee (headed "Jimmy's Son Needs Your Help") says: "65er Jimmy Johnson says that his son is not an aggressive young man-but that when he comes deeply to believe in something, he is unshakable. As a young Negro, he knows what it is to be deprived of freedom and he is willing to fight for freedom-other people's

as well as his own. "That's what he's doing-fighting for the freedom to bear his own moral responsibilities, the freedom to refuse to kill just because it's an order.

"It's your freedom too. Help with the fight."

The leaflet suggests writing to these courageous men and encouraging them in their stand: PFC James Johnson 51581277, Pvt. Dennis Mora 51581308, Pvt. David Samas 56408577, Bldg. 6769, Fort Dix, N.J.