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MOBILIZE AGAINST WAR--NOV. 8th

1935

The National Committee of the Young Communist League extends its warmest greetings to the student organizations which have called for the Armistice Day mobilization against war. We call upon the students of America to support this action, to walk out of class rooms at the appointed hour, to act together against the catastrophe which threatens civilization. Men and women of all parties and creeds, Negro and white alike, look with horror upon the efforts of Italian fascism to reduce the Ethiopian people as bondsmen of fascism. Mussolini's attack upon independent Ethiopia is the spark which threatens to set the entire world aflame with war.

FOR STUDENT UNITY

The Young Communists have consistently fought for the unity of youth and the student movement. We did all within our power to aid the unification of the National Student League and the Student League for Industrial Democracy. We greet the decision of these organizations to work for their amalgamation. Long live the American Student Union!

The Young Communist League pledges to do all within its power to insure the success of the student anti-war mobilization. With the students of all organizations we take the pledge "not to support the government of the United States in any war it may undertake."

While participating loyally in this united front, we deplore the use of that phrase in the Student Call which implies that measures be taken against Italy and Ethiopia.

We say that the most effective means of fighting against the war which has already begun, and of averting the approaching world war, is to rise to the defense of the Ethiopian people. If Mussolini is given a free hand in his war against Ethiopia, there is hardly a chance that a world war, involving the United States, can be averted.

American bankers and jingoists are not neutral in

Friends of peace look with hope and admiration at the peace policy of the Soviet Union. The proposals of the Soviet Union in the League call for such application of effective measures against Italy, as will create a barrier in the way of the war makers.

STUDENTS OF AMERICA! PREPARE THE ARMISTICE DAY DEMONSTRATION AGAINST WAR!

SUPPORT THE STUDENT MOBILIZATION AT 11 A.M. ON NOVEMBER 8th!

DEFEAT FASCISM! DEFEND ETHIOPIA!

HALT THE FORCES MAKING FOR A NEW WORLD WAR!

(Excerpts from statement of National Executive Committee, Young Communist League)

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the present war. According to the N. Y. Times shipment of war materials from American shores have increased 100% since the beginning of the war.

DEFEND ETHIOPIAN INDEPENDENCE

In defending her independence, Ethiopia is striking a blow against the very forces making for a world war. In hindering the brutal march of fascism, we are striking at the chief instigators of world war.

The Communists have called for the united efforts of labor to halt the transport of all implements of war, and of all materials used by Italy for the war. We call for a struggle against the militarization of American youth, and against the war plans of our own government.

At the same time we call for the raising of the embargo on supplies to Ethiopia. The hope of the Ethiopian people is that they will be able to secure the supplies and materials necessary for their struggle. We who recall the independence struggle of our revolutionary forefathers in 1776, can have nothing but admiration and support for Ethiopia. We call upon the students to raise funds and medical aid for the Ethiopian people.

FOR COLLECTIVE, EFFECTIVE SANCTIONS AGAINST ITALIAN FASCISM

Every action which weakens the fascist offensive against the peace of the world, must be utilized by those who wish to defend the cause of peace. The Communists have stressed the primary need for independent action by labor and the peace movement against the present war. At the same time we call for the exertion of such pressure on the League of Nations, as will compel it to carry out their decision to use collective and effective sanctions against Italy. Any individual action by Great Britain and the nations in the League, which may lead to war, any attempt to "solve" the Ethiopian question, by carving Ethiopia up amongst the imperialist nations, must be sharply combated.

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