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90 - REPUDIATE SHAM MARXISM-LENINISM! (EDITOR'S INTRODUCTION)

Boston, October 15 (Workers Daily) - Today a fierce class struggle is taking place in left-wing and progressive circles in the U. S. over certain fundamental theoretical and practical problems facing the American Marxist-Leninists and the American working class. This class struggle centers on the question of building the Marxist-Leninist Communist Party as the most pressing and practical task in advancing the anti-fascist proletarian revolution.

With the formation of the Central Organization of U. S. Marxist-Leninists in August of this year, the first phase of the struggle to disseminate Mao Tsetung Thought amongst the working class and repudiate modern revisionism is completed. The period of isolation and disunity amongst the Marxist-Leninists is ended and the period of unity amongst the Marxist-Leninists and the isolation of modern revisionism has begun. The period of relatively weak organizations and diffuse ideological and political line is ended and the period of building up the Marxist-Leninist Party with clear and concentrated ideological and political lines has begun. The COUSML, though still young and relatively inexperienced, is day by day applying Mao Tsetung Thought to the concrete conditions of organizing proletarian revolution in the U. S. and developing the theory and tactics of building the Marxist-Leninist Party. The COUSML is further developing the trend of unity amongst all Marxist-Leninists for the cause of the proletarian Party and the proletarian revolution. The COUSML has declared: "THE SECOND GREAT BATTLE AGAINST MODERN REVISIONISM, THE SECOND GREAT BATTLE FOR MAO TSETUNG THOUGHT, HAS BEGUN. NOW IS THE TIME TO UPHOLD MARXISM-LENINISM-MAO TSETUNG THOUGHT MORE STAUNCHLY AND RESOLUTELY THAN EVER BEFORE SO AS TO DEFEAT THE MODERN REVISIONISTS AND RECONSTITUTE THE MARXIST-LENINIST COMMUNIST PARTY."

In opposition to the unity of the Marxist-Leninists and to Marxist-Leninists repudiating and splitting with revisionism to build the Party, the Revolutionary Union and the October League (Marxist-Leninist) have come forward to oppose building

the Party tooth and nail and to try to cause splits amongst the Marxist-Leninists while seeking unity with the revisionists and opportunists. These sham Marxist-Leninists are calling for building of "mass movements", "united fronts", "rank-and-file caucuses" and are conjuring up a host of reformist campaigns and theories in order to oppose the Marxist-Leninist political line and oppose building the Marxist-Leninist Party. The RU and OL (M-L) are calling the Marxist-Leninists "sectarians", "dogmatists" and "ultra-leftists" for tenaciously and gloriously fighting to build the Party on the basis of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought and for consistently and unwaveringly opposing opportunism and revisionism. As well as employing the basic revisionist method and style of work of splittism, character assassination, gossip and slander against the Marxist-Leninists, the RU and OL (M-L) are busy dishing up the most superficial and infantile "analysis" in the guise of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought in order to mystify the revolutionary masses to the maximum and create as much confusion as possible on certain basic points of Marxism-Leninism and on the current stage of proletarian revolution in the U. S. In particular, they are trying to mystify the basic questions of: the relationship between building the Marxist-Leninist Party and leading the revolutionary mass movement; the role of revisionism as the main enemy facing the Marxist-Leninist and revolutionary movement; the role of the working class as the leading and main force of revolution; and the necessity of building the Marxist-Leninist Party as the most pressing and practical task facing the revolutionaries in the United States.

In order to make full use of these sham Marxist-Leninists as teachers by negative example and in order to further re-enunciate the basic principles of Marxism-Leninism and clarify the current tasks facing the American Marxist-Leninists, a group of comrades under the leadership of the COUSML have submitted a series of articles to Workers' Daily dealing with the following basic topics: Building the Marxist-Leninist Party Is the First Step in Leading the Revolutionary Mass Movement; The Working Class Is the Lead-

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ing and Main Force of Revolution; A Brief History of the American Communist Movement; What Kind of Organization Do We Need and How Should We Build It?; and The Revolutionary Union and the October League (Marxist-Leninist) Are the Real Anti-Marxist-Leninist Dogmatists and Right-Wing Secretarians!

The motive behind these articles is to repudiate the sham Marxist-Leninists of the RU and OL (M-L) and to encourage further discussion and debate

amongst American Marxist-Leninists and progressive people on these and other fundamental questions facing the anti-fascist proletarian revolution. The Editorial Board of Workers' Daily takes this occasion to call upon all our comrades and friends, all American Marxist-Leninists and revolutionary people to actively participate in the tremendous discussion and debates taking place in left-wing circles, to seriously investigate the views of the Marxist-Leninists as well as of the anti-Marxist-Leninists and revisionists, sum up the concrete experience of proletarian revolution in the U.S. and study Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought in order to firmly grasp the present stage of revolution. All progressive people should take a bold stand in opposition to revisionism in all its forms and manifestations and in support of building the Marxist-Leninist Party, raise their ability to distinguish real Marxism from sham Marxism and participate in the great and decisive struggle to unite the Marxist-Leninists, split with the revisionists and advance the proletarian revolution.

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91 - BUILDING THE MARXIST-LENINIST PARTY IS THE FIRST STEP IN LEADING THE REVOLUTIONARY MASS MOVEMENT

Boston, October 15 (Workers' Daily) - The relationship between building the Marxist-Leninist Party and leading the revolutionary mass movement has always been an important question of principle distinguishing the Marxist-Leninists from the revisionists and opportunists. Right in the beginning of the proletarian movement, Comrades Marx and Engels wrote the Manifesto of the Communist Party which put forward the basic program of the proletariat to seize state power from the capitalist class and establish socialism under the dictatorship of the proletariat and march forward to communism; as well, the Communist Manifesto elucidated the entire world-view of the modern proletariat. Comrades Marx and Engels worked all their lives to build the revolutionary political party of the proletariat as its instrument for carrying out the basic program of the Manifesto. Following the immortal example of Comrades Marx and Engels, Comrade Lenin, the organizer of the historic Great October Socialist Revolution of the Russian working class and people, spent his entire life building the Bolshevik Party on the theoretical basis of Marxism. Right from the

outset of his revolutionary activity and right from the earliest beginnings of the working class movement in Russia, Comrade Lenin upheld the fundamental principle that "without a revolutionary Party based on revolutionary theory there can be no revolutionary movement." Leninism is the theory and tactics of proletarian revolution -- the heart and soul of Leninism is the theory and tactics of building the Party as the organizer and leader of the proletariat and the proletarian revolution. Chairman Mao, the great leader of the Chinese people and helmsman of the world revolution, upheld and applied this Marxist-Leninist line in building the Communist Party of China -- "the force at the core" leading forward the cause of the entire Chinese working class and people. The fundamental Marxist-Leninist law of building the revolutionary party on the basis of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought as the leader and commander of the revolutionary movement is universal. In Albania, in Viet Nam, in Korea and all over the globe wherever revolutionary struggles are raging, it is the Marxist-Leninist Parties and revolutionary organizations which are the organizers of the people.

The Marxist-Leninist principle of building the Party as the DECISIVE TASK in leading the revolutionary movement is fully borne out by the history of the American working class. Right from 1852, the advanced elements of the American working class organized themselves into the Proletarian League; the Proletarian League was the political organ of the working class in its struggle to overthrow the capitalist system and establish a Socialist People's Republic of America. The basic lesson of the entire history of the American working class is that WITHOUT THE LEADERSHIP OF A REVOLUTIONARY PARTY OF THE PROLETARIAT ALL OUR STRUGGLES HAVE SUFFERED SETBACKS AND WERE LIQUIDATED AND THAT WITH THE LEADERSHIP OF SUCH A PARTY OUR STRUGGLES HAVE ADVANCED.

In the 1960's, because of the heinous betrayal of the working class by the revisionist leadership of the "Communist" Party USA, the American working class was without its Marxist-Leninist Party to organize and lead the great mass movements. Time and time again, the struggles of the working class and people against imperialist war of aggression in Indochina, the struggles of youth and students against the moribund imperialist educational and cultural system, the struggles of the Afro-American people against racial discrimination and violent repression, the struggles of the working class against capitalist exploitation and the capitalist system, and many other struggles were led onto the path of reformism or anarchism and were liquidated by the revisionists and other opportunists. The true revolutionaries participated in these struggles and fought countless battles inside the revolutionary movement against the bourgeois ideology and politics promoted by the monopoly capitalist class through their paid agents, the revisionists, the Trotskyites and opportunists. Even though the revolutionaries waged struggles against the bourgeois

lines of pacifism, "end of ideology", "student power", "youth culture", "civil rights", etc., all of which called for reforming the capitalist system and liquidating the proletarian revolution, the revolutionaries for a long time remained isolated from one another, without a clear political line and without revolutionary organization. Under the impact of the Great Debates against Modern Revisionism led by the Communist Party of China and Chairman Mao and the Albanian Party of Labour and Comrade Enver Hoxha, and under the impact of the earth-shaking Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution in China, the American revolutionaries summed up their experience in the revolutionary mass movements and in the struggle against modern revisionism inside the revolutionary mass movements and took up the struggle to ACQUIRE AND PROPAGATE REVOLUTIONARY IDEOLOGY, Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought, and to build Marxist-Leninist organization in the midst of the revolutionary mass movement. It was the launching of this struggle, the struggle to disseminate and apply Mao Tsetung Thought and to build the Marxist-Leninist organization, which was the DECISIVE STEP in moving forward the revolutionary struggles of the American working class and people in various places and which changed the political map of the U.S. Marxist-Leninist groups and individuals stood up in cities all across the country to uphold the revolutionary aspirations of the working class. For the first time in three decades Marxist-Leninist centers were established in the midst of the mass movement to oppose the bourgeoisie on a constant and consistent basis and use the strength of the mass movement to advance the overall struggle for proletarian revolution. Wherever this process was carried through, the initiative of the masses was tremendously released to sum up experience, unite and wage vigorous class struggles aimed directly at the monopoly capitalist class and participate in building up communist organization. Taking the movement to disseminate Mao Tsetung Thought and build up the Marxist-Leninist organization as the DECISIVE TASK, the Marxist-Leninists were able to gloriously struggle against the revisionist influence in the mass movements and develop the REVOLUTIONARY CURRENT of the mass movements as part and parcel of the proletarian revolution. Thus the Marxist-Leninists were able to initiate LEADING STRUGGLES in various places in the mass movement which STRENGTHENED THE PROLETARIAN REVOLUTIONARY LINE. This was done throughout the country in the struggle of youth and students against the imperialist educational and cultural system, in the glorious Resistance Struggle against fascism and in various other struggles.

This entire process of dissemination of Mao Tsetung Thought was summed up in the historic First Conference of American Marxist-Leninists. This conference ended the period of isolation of the Marxist-Leninist groups and individuals and united comrades from over 20 cities around the line of building ONE UNITED NATIONAL MARXIST-LENINIST CENTER as the leader and pathfinder of the revolutionary movement. The Con-

ference of American Marxist-Leninists ushered in the second phase in the struggle to disseminate Mao Tsetung Thought and defeat revisionism, the phase of building the national Marxist-Leninist Center to reconstitute the Marxist-Leninist Party on the basis of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought.

It is precisely at this time, when the advanced elements of the modern proletariat, the Marxist-Leninists, are standing on the threshold of reconstituting the Marxist-Leninist Party and when the influence of the Marxist-Leninist ideological and political line in the mass movement is developing tremendously, that the Revolutionary Union and the October League (Marxist-Leninist) are coming forward to call for "building the mass movement", "integrating with the masses", "finding the level the masses are at", etc., in order to oppose building the Marxist-Leninist Party. In day-to-day tactics the RU and OL (M-L) oppose the dissemination of the Marxist-Leninist ideological and political line, oppose repudiating the revisionists and opportunists in the midst of the revolutionary masses and oppose the development of the MARXIST-LENINIST CENTER as the first step in leading the revolutionary mass movement. These sham Marxist-Leninists want to drag the movement back to the dark ages of the '60's by organizing countless "support committees" for every reformist issue, leading "militant contingents" in reformist demonstrations, and propagating bourgeois ideology which is "at the level of the masses". The essence of the theory and tactics of both the RU and OL (M-L) is to: 1. appeal to the spontaneity of the "mass movement" in order to attack the Marxist-Leninists for building the Party, 2. oppose building the Party on the CONSCIOUS AND DISCIPLINED BASIS RIGHT FROM THE BEGINNING because the "Party will emerge out of the mass movement", and 3. organize reformist struggles in order to suppress the revolutionary current in the mass movements of the American working class and people.

The OL (M-L) writes in its article "Building a New Communist Party in the U.S.": "They (the genuine Marxist-Leninists who are branded as "sectarians" and "ultra-leftists" -- Workers' Daily Ed.) have isolated the tasks of Party-building from work within the mass movement of the people. To them building a Party is the task of a handful of intellectuals working in isolation from the masses. They argue that the 'mass movement is meaningless without the leadership of the Party'. They have no faith in the people's ability to learn through struggle and they participate in mass work for the sole purpose of 'winning the handful of advanced workers to their organizations'". Also, Mike Klonsky, Chairman of the OL (M-L), states in a written version of his speech at the "Guardian" Forum: "That's why it's so important that this new rising communist movement is beginning to sink its roots in the mass struggle of the people: . . . the main thing at this time is not to abandon the mass struggle but to build the anti-

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imperialist united front and to develop those close ties with the masses. to integrate ourselves in mass struggle." And a representative of the Central Committee of the RU states: "We must understand that in the formation of a genuine Communist Party in the U. S. we must have really begun to sink deep roots among the masses of people, develop day-to-day struggles in the plants and in the streets. In the past there has been a Party building line which we believe still has currency. This embodies the idea that... engaging in day-to-day struggles of working people is not so important as bringing communism to the most advanced workers. We the revolutionaries will bring communism to the workers if they can dig it. Of course revolutionaries must bring communism to the workers but communist propaganda cannot be the main emphasis, the main emphasis must be class struggles...."

The first thing to be said about this superficial analysis on the relationship between building the Marxist-Leninist Party and leading the revolutionary movement is that the RU and OL (M-L) one-sidedly take up the aspect of "integrating with the masses" as the principal and primary task in order to oppose building the Party and disseminating proletarian ideology. According to the RU and OL (M-L), disseminating proletarian ideology will "turn off the masses" and building the Party is to "isolate oneself from the mass movement and is sectarian and ultra-left". The facts are that the comrades and friends of the COUSML have always lived amongst the masses, shared their weal and woe and waged constant struggles amongst them. The entire experience of participation in the mass movements of the '60's and '70's teaches the profound lesson that without a Marxist-Leninist Center to unite the masses and lead revolutionary struggles the MASS MOVEMENT WITH CORRECT SENTIMENT AND REVOLUTIONARY ASPIRATIONS is inevitable liquidated. It is precisely because the Marxist-Leninists came directly out of the actual struggles of the masses and participated in organizing amongst the masses on the day-by-day basis that they have grasped the necessity of disseminating proletarian ideology and organizing the ADVANCED DETACHMENT of the modern proletariat in order to integrate the struggles of the masses with the proletarian revolution. In the U. S. it is the monopoly capitalist class which exercises its dictatorship in every cell of society and the monopoly capitalists also seek to dominate the mass struggles of the working class and people through their paid agents, the revisionists, trotskyites and opportunists of all sorts. These swine constantly promote reformism and anarchism in the mass movement in order to divert it from the path of proletarian revolution. Only by building the Marxist-Leninist Center on the conscious and disciplined basis right from the beginning can the revolutionaries consistently and uncompromisingly oppose the bourgeoisie right amongst the masses

and use the strength of the struggles of the masses to advance the proletarian revolution. Klonsky admonishes the Marxist-Leninists to "learn from the experience of the masses" but he himself ignores the basic lesson of the revolutionary movement of the '60's and '70's -- that the revolutionaries must build the Marxist-Leninist Center as the first step in opposing the bourgeoisie, opposing revisionism, reformism and anarchism, uniting the revolutionary masses and leading the revolutionary mass movement. Long ago Comrade Lenin summed up two basic attitudes toward the mass movement: "That the mass movement is a most important phenomenon is a fact about which there can be no dispute. But the crux of the question is, how is one to understand the statement that the mass working-class movement will 'determine the tasks'? It may be interpreted in one of two ways. Either it means bowing to the spontaneity of this movement, i. e. , reducing the role of Social-Democracy to mere subservience to the working-class movement as such . . . ; or it means that the mass movement puts before us new theoretical, political and organizational tasks, far more complicated than those that might have satisfied us in the period before the rise of the mass movement. . . . The greater the spontaneous upsurge of the masses, the more widespread the movement becomes, so much the more rapidly, incomparably more rapidly, grows the demand for greater consciousness in the theoretical, political and organizational work of Social-Democracy." (What Is To Be Done) In other words, either one tails after the "level of the masses" where the mass movement "is at", or one struggles to build the Marxist-Leninist organization which alone is capable of raising the level of the mass movement, of transforming it into a conscious movement for proletarian revolution.

The Marxist-Leninists hold that the decisive task in integrating with the mass movement is to unite the advanced elements (the Marxist-Leninists) into the Marxist-Leninist Center so as to be able to mobilize the middle elements and arouse the vast majority so as to isolate the monopoly capitalist class and its paid agents and strike blows at them. There is no need to raise the question of "building the mass struggle" in itself because the vicious exploitation and oppression of the American working class caused by the monopoly capitalists is constantly giving rise to innumerable just struggles of the people. There is no need for Marxist-Leninists to "sink deep roots" in these struggles or run around looking for them because we are part of them by our very nature as modern proletarians and take part in them daily as a matter of course. Instead, the need is to oppose the revisionists and reformists who are intent on liquidating these struggles, to disseminate the Marxist-Leninist ideological and political line in the mass movement and organize LEADING STRUGGLES which strengthen the current of proletarian revolution in the movement. In order to do this the decisive task is for revolutionaries to build the MARXIST-LENINIST

CENTER ON THE CONSCIOUS AND DISCIPLINED BASIS RIGHT FROM THE BEGINNING. But the RU and OL (M-L) are intent on "integrating" with the most backward elements which the bourgeoisie has sent into the mass movement. Because of their own bourgeois style method and outlook, the RU and OL (M-L) cannot see the advanced section and revolutionary aspirations of the masses and they only look at and harp on the revisionists, social-democrats and reformists and attribute their stinking, rotten aspirations and ideas to the revolutionary masses. When the RU and OL (M-L) talk about "integrating with the mass movement" and "finding the level the masses are at", do they mean integrating with the struggles of the masses to disseminate and apply Mao Tsetung Thought and advance the proletarian revolution? No, they do not. In fact, they mean integrating with the revisionists, social-democrats and opportunists so as to keep the masses "at the level" of REFORMIST STRUGGLES.

The RU and OL (M-L) love to preach about the "unity of the mass movement". They attack the Marxist-Leninists as "sectarians" and "dogmatists" for "undermining the unity of the mass movement". What the RU and OL (M-L) mean by "dogmatism" is the dissemination of the Marxist-Leninist ideology and political line and consistent and uncompromising opposition to opportunism; what they mean by "sectarianism" is the insistence of the Marxist-Leninists on building up the revolutionary unity of the working class by uniting the masses around the proletarian revolutionary line and the Marxist-Leninist Center. By lauding to the skies the unity of the mass movement, the RU and OL (M-L) are raising the question of the MASS MOVEMENT IN THE ABSTRACT. Their basic viewpoint is to see the mass movement as A-CLASS and completely gloss over the class contradictions inside the mass movement and the class struggle between the proletariat and the bourgeoisie which takes place in the movement on a continual basis.

The Marxist-Leninists seek to lead the mass movement on the basis of the political line of overthrowing the monopoly capitalist class and establishing a Socialist People's Republic of America under the dictatorship of the proletariat. The revisionists, reformists, police agents, trotskyites, etc., the paid agents of the monopoly capitalist class, seek to lead the mass movement toward the further consolidation of the capitalist system. Thus the revisionists attempted to turn the movement against imperialist war of aggression in Indochina into a "peace" movement or a movement to "elect McGovern" and they petition the bourgeoisie to be more "reasonable and just". The RU and OL (M-L) completely support the revisionists in this vile activity. By lauding to the skies the "unity of the mass movement" and opposing the Marxist-Leninists as "sectarians and dogmatists" they are praising and supporting the leadership of the reformists, revisionists and opportunists uniting the mass movement on a reformist basis and opposing the Marxist-Leninist political line and Marxist-

Leninist leadership in the revolutionary movement.

In summing up the experience of the American working class and the work of the Marxist-Leninist in the light of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought we can learn what has served the basic sentiment of the mass movement to overthrow the monopoly capitalist class and build socialism and what has stood as a roadblock and consistently liquidated the revolutionary struggles of the masses. Today in the U. S. it is MARXISM-LENINISM-MAO TSETUNG THOUGHT and the work of BUILDING THE PARTY OF THE PROLETARIAT ON THE BASIS OF MARXISM-LENINISM-MAO TSETUNG THOUGHT which is the DECISIVE FACTOR in advancing the class struggles of the working and oppressed people. In the U. S. in the 1960's it was the task of DISSEMINATION OF MAO TSETUNG THOUGHT and initiation of Marxist-Leninist organization which moved the proletarian revolution forward from one stage to the next. Since November 1972, when the Call for a Conference of North American Marxist-Leninists was issued, with the convening of the historic First Conference of American Marxist-Leninists and the formation of the Central Organization of U. S. Marxist-Leninists, it is the struggle to UNITE ALL THE MARXIST-LENINISTS INTO ONE NATIONAL CENTER as the LEADER AND PATHFINDER OF THE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT which is the DECISIVE FACTOR in advancing proletarian revolution. The line of "building the mass movement now" and waiting till later (much later) to build the Party is being hatched and promoted by the RU and OL (M-L) solely for the purpose of opposing the present stage of revolution, suppressing the development of the Marxist-Leninist Center and the building of the Marxist-Leninist Party and suppressing the development of the mass movement on a revolutionary basis. Their purpose is to promote anti-Marxist-Leninist views, methods and political line within the revolutionary mass movement and liquidate it.

Only by stubbornly persisting in building the Party can the Marxist-Leninists unite their ranks, begin leading the revolutionary mass movement and make a contribution towards proletarian revolution.

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92 - EGYPTIAN ARMED FORCES COUNTER-ATTACK NEW ISRAELI AGGRESSION AND WIN SUCCESS

Cairo, October 6 (Hsinhua) - The Israeli aggressive forces launched a new aggression on Egypt at 1:30 p. m. today and met with the courageous and successful counterattack from the Egyptian armed forces, and the battle was going on, declared the Egyptian Military Command in a number of communiques here today.

A communique said that Israeli gunboats crossed the Gulf of Suez and launched an offensive while Israeli aircraft attacked the Egyptian forces at Zaafarana and Sukhanah areas on the Gulf of Suez in an attempt to seize part of the Egyptian land west of the Suez Canal.

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It said that the enemy forces were intercepted by the Egyptian land forces. Egyptian artillery forces heavily shelled the enemy and started a counterattack. The Egyptian forces mounted an assault on several sectors on the eastern bank of the Suez Canal and hoisted the Egyptian flag there.

A communique said that as a result of the success of the Egyptian forces in crossing the Suez Canal, the enemy sent a large number of planes to invade the Egyptian air space. The enemy planes were intercepted by Egyptian fighter planes. Eleven Israeli planes were brought down in a fierce battle and 10 planes were lost on the Egyptian side. The Egyptian air force bombed enemy positions on the occupied territory and scored direct hits on enemy military targets.

The communique also declared that the Egyptian naval forces provided cover for the Egyptian forces on the Mediterranean coast. They also bombarded important enemy military targets on the northern coast of Sinai peninsula.

According to the Middle East News Agency, Egyptian President Anwar Sadat moved to the armed forces headquarters today after he was informed on the new Israeli aggression to closely follow the developments of the battle.

The Egyptian Foreign Ministry issued a statement here today which says that Egypt calls upon all friendly and peace-loving countries to condemn today's Israeli aggression and support the Arab position.

The statement points out that this new aggression is added to Israel's records of repeated aggressions against Arab countries in defiance of world public opinion.

The Egyptian Foreign Ministry has informed the embassies of all countries in Cairo that as a result of the aggression committed by the Israeli forces this afternoon in the Gulf of Suez, the Arab Republic of Egypt declares that it considers the territorial waters of Egypt and Israel and neighboring high seas as areas of military operations.

Egyptian People's Assembly Speaker Hafez Badawy today calls on the Egyptian people to close their ranks behind their armed forces that perform their duty in fighting the Israeli enemy.

Badawy also calls on the Arab nation to unite in the fight against the Israeli aggressors.

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93 - SYRIAN ARMED FORCES REPULSE ISRAELI INVADERS

Damascus, October 6 (Hsinhua) - Syrian armed forces repulsed new large-scale aggression of Israeli aggressor troops on the afternoon and morning of October 6 and won new victories, according to a number of military communiqués issued by Syrian military spokesman here today.

A communique said, "At 14:00 hours today, enemy forces started an aggression on our positions along the ceasefire line. Our forces repulsed and silenced the sources of fire. Groups of enemy military planes attempted to violate our airspace in the northern sector of the front, but our fighters intercepted them."

The communique said, "Our forces succeeded in stopping the attack of the enemy on our positions, and launched a counter-attack and liberated some positions, including the Djebel al Sheikh (Mountain Sheikh) position."

A communique issued on the night of October 6 said that Syrian forces succeeded in breaking through the enemy defence position, inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy, liberated a number of villages in the occupied Golan Heights and captured a number of enemy troops.

It also said that Syrian air defence units shot down three enemy planes.

According to the Syrian Arab News Agency, Cabinet held a meeting this afternoon presided over by Prime Minister Mahmoud Ayyoubi. The meeting decided to announce immediately a state of emergency in Syria.

Syrian Vice-Premier Mohammed Haider received ambassadors from Arab and other countries this evening and conveyed to them details of the Israeli aggression and affirmed that Syria is resolved to persevere and encounter Israeli aggression and fight in defence of the whole Arab nation.

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The Central Organization of U.S. Marxist-Leninists was formed at the Conference of American Marxist-Leninists held in Detroit from August 18 to 28. The organizations which participated in founding the Central Organization of U.S. Marxist-Leninists included: the Red Star Cadre (Marxist-Leninist), the Red Collective, the Red Banner (Marxist-Leninist), the Lexington Communist Collective (Marxist-Leninist), the Association of Communist Workers and the American Communist Workers Movement (Marxist-Leninist). The Central Organization of U.S. Marxist-Leninists calls upon all genuine Marxist-Leninist groups and individuals to work together to build one national Marxist-Leninist Center in order to build the Marxist-Leninist Communist Party and organize the proletarian revolution. Subscriptions or bulk orders for Workers' Daily News Release may be obtained by writing to Necessity for Change Publications, PO Box 930, Boston MA 02111.