



**New Box = a new society without capitalism?**



# Capitalism

Creates jobs and wealth

## HOW DOES CAPITALISM WORK

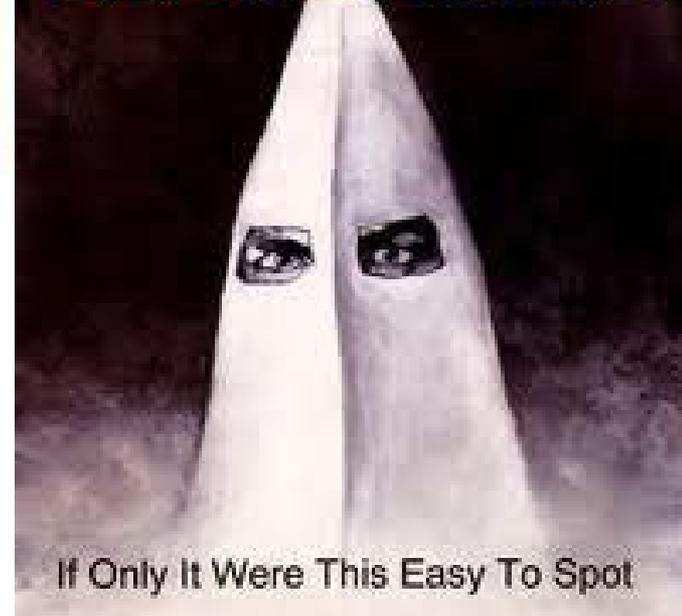
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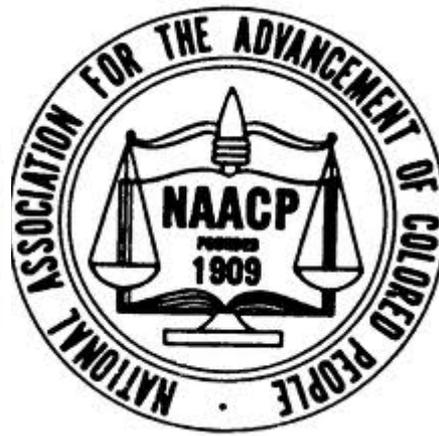
### ASIA



# RACISM



The Box:  
a racist society  
based on a  
capitalist economy.



## 20<sup>th</sup> Century Civil Rights Organizations

**NAACP:** National Association for the Advancement of Colored People

**NUL:** National Urban League

**NCNW:** National Council of Negro Women

**CORE:** Congress of Racial Equality

**SCLC:** Southern Christian Leadership Conference

**SNCC:** Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee



# Out the BOX:

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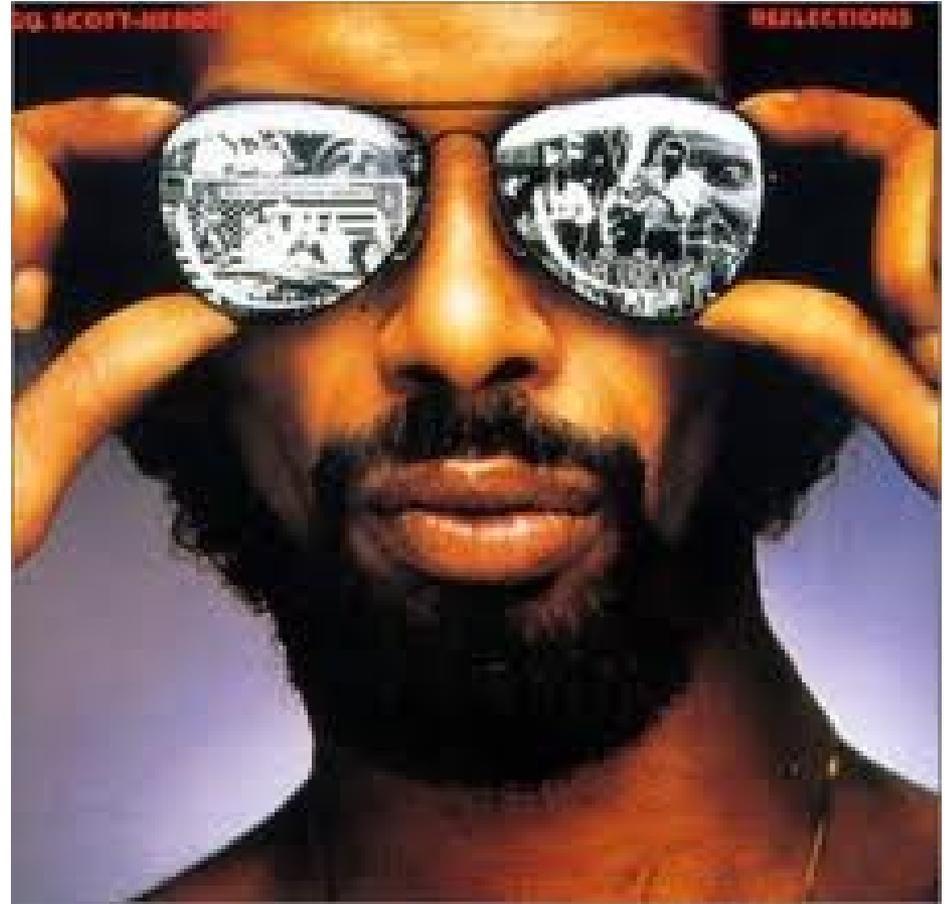
movement through  
physical space

*Political culture:*

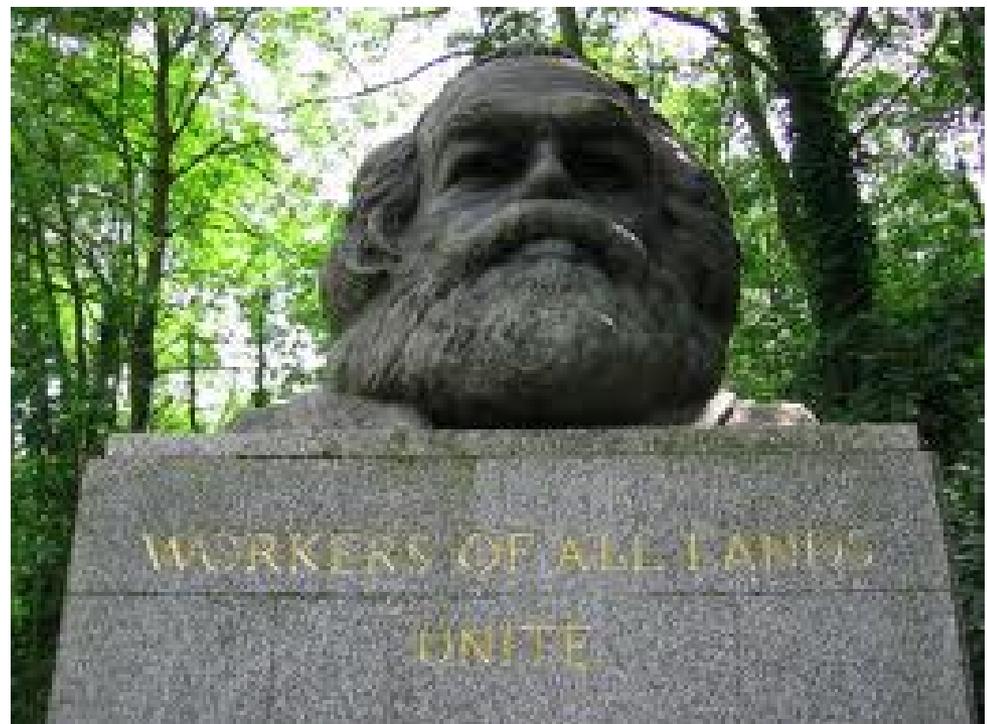
ideological and  
cultural change

*Agency:*

Icons and paradigms  
as social movement infrastructure



# Marx, Capital (1848, 1864)



Toward a theory of a new Box,  
a theory of historical development  
based on revolutionary class struggle

**CAPITAL IS DEAD LABOR,  
WHICH, VAMPIRE-LIKE, LIVES  
ONLY BY SUCKING LIVING  
LABOR, AND LIVES THE MORE,  
THE MORE LABOR IT SUCKS.**

Country	Ratio of Pay CEO : Avg Worker
Japan	11:1
Germany	12:1
France	15:1
Italy	20:1
Canada	20:1
South Africa	21:1
Britain	22:1
Mexico	47:1
Venezuela	50:1
United States	475:1

## Foundation of modern industry is exploitation of Black labor

Direct **slavery** is just as much the pivot of bourgeois industry as machinery, credits, etc. Without **slavery** you have no cotton; without cotton you have no modern industry. It is **slavery** that has given the colonies their value; it is the colonies that have created world trade, and it is world trade that is the pre-condition of large-scale industry. Thus **slavery** is an economic category of the greatest importance. Without **slavery** North America, the most progressive of countries, would be transformed into a patriarchal country. Wipe out North America from the map of the world, and you will have anarchy--the complete decay of modern commerce and civilization. Cause **slavery** to disappear and you will have wiped America off the map of nations. Thus **slavery**, because it is an economic category, has always existed among the institutions of the peoples. Modern nations have been able only to disguise **slavery** in their own countries, but they have imposed it without disguise upon the New World. (Marx)

**SOCIALISM** - A society *run by the working class* (i.e., proletariat) rather than *the bourgeoisie* (i.e., capitalists). The state machine is used to defend working class interests against those who still have wealth or power and who will attempt to return society to the capitalist system and bourgeois rule. Socialism is the *period of transition* between the *overthrow of bourgeois rule* and the development of a classless, communist society. **COMMUNISM** - A *classless society* with no exploitation. No state machine used by one section of the population to oppress another section. No need for professional armies or police forces. No use of production for profit or exchange. Society runs in accord with the principle: *From each according to his ability, to each according to his need.*



# Black and White, Unite and Fight!



Let the ruling classes tremble at a Communist revolution.

The proletarians have nothing to lose but their chains.

They have a world to win.

Working men of all countries, Unite!

**The Communist Manifesto**

Karl Marx & Friedrich Engels

**The people united will never be defeated!**

**“It is the duty of the revolution to put an end to compromise, and to put an end to compromise means taking the path of socialist revolution.”**



**The goal of socialism is communism.**

**“Monopolies, oligarchy, the striving for domination and not for freedom, the exploitation of an increasing number of small or weak nations by a handful of the richest or most powerful nations — all these have given birth to those distinctive characteristics of imperialism which compel us to define it as parasitic or decaying capitalism.... When nine-tenths of Africa had been seized (by 1900), when the whole world had been divided up, there was inevitably ushered in the era of monopoly possession of colonies and, consequently, of particularly intense struggle for the division and the redivision of the world.”**

**Lenin (1917)**



# Communist International, 1928

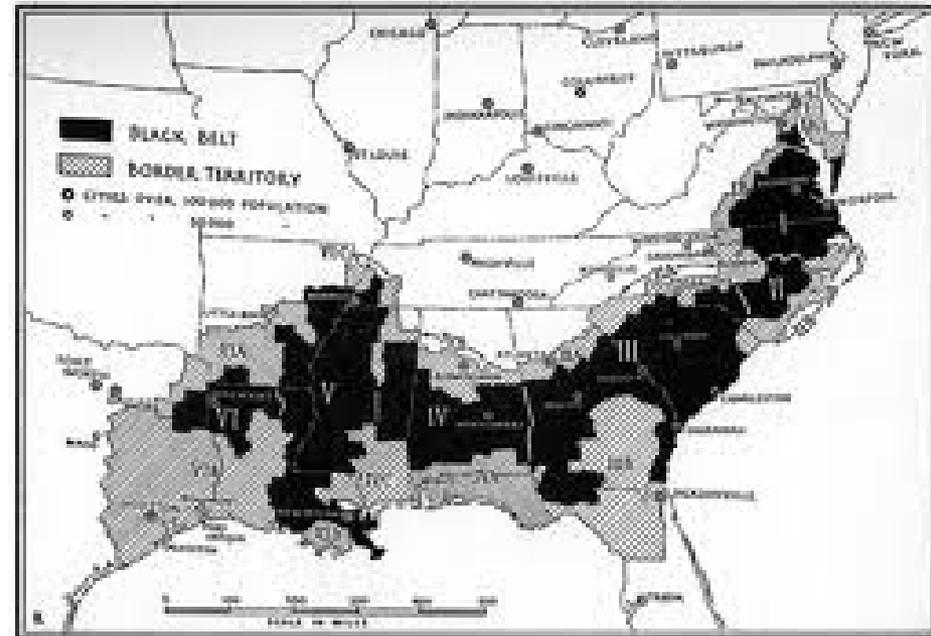
...the Communist Party must come out as the champion of the right of the oppressed Negro race for **full emancipation**. While continuing and intensifying the struggle under the slogan of full social and political equality for the Negroes, which must remain the central slogan of our Party for work among the masses, the Party must come out openly and unreservedly **for the right of the Negroes to national self-determination in the southern states**, where the Negroes form a majority of the population. The struggle for equal rights and the propaganda for the slogan of self-determination must be linked up with the economic demands of the Negro masses, especially those directed against the slave remnants and all forms of national and racial oppression. Special stress must be laid upon **organizing active resistance against lynching, Jim Crowism, segregation and all other forms of oppression of the Negro population.**

## FOR A REVOLUTIONARY POSITION ON THE NEGRO QUESTION

BY HARRY HAYWOOD



Harry Haywood  
1898 - 1995

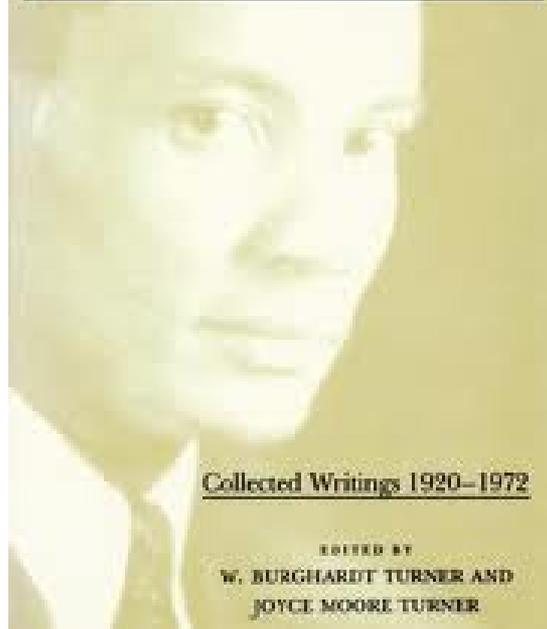


BLACK BELT AND BORDER TERRITORY



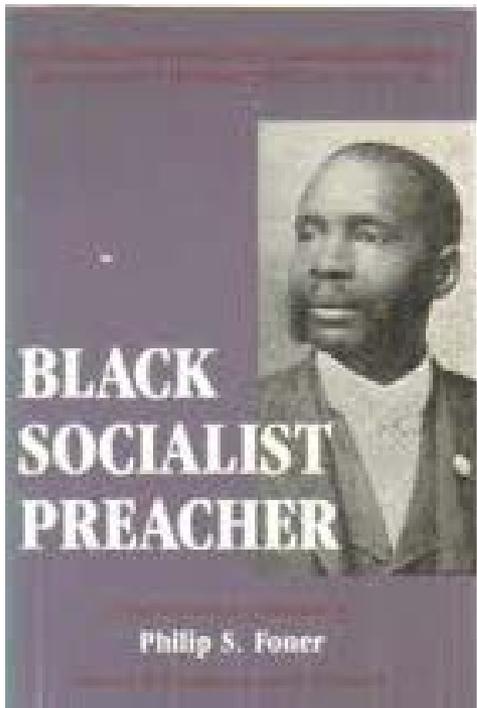
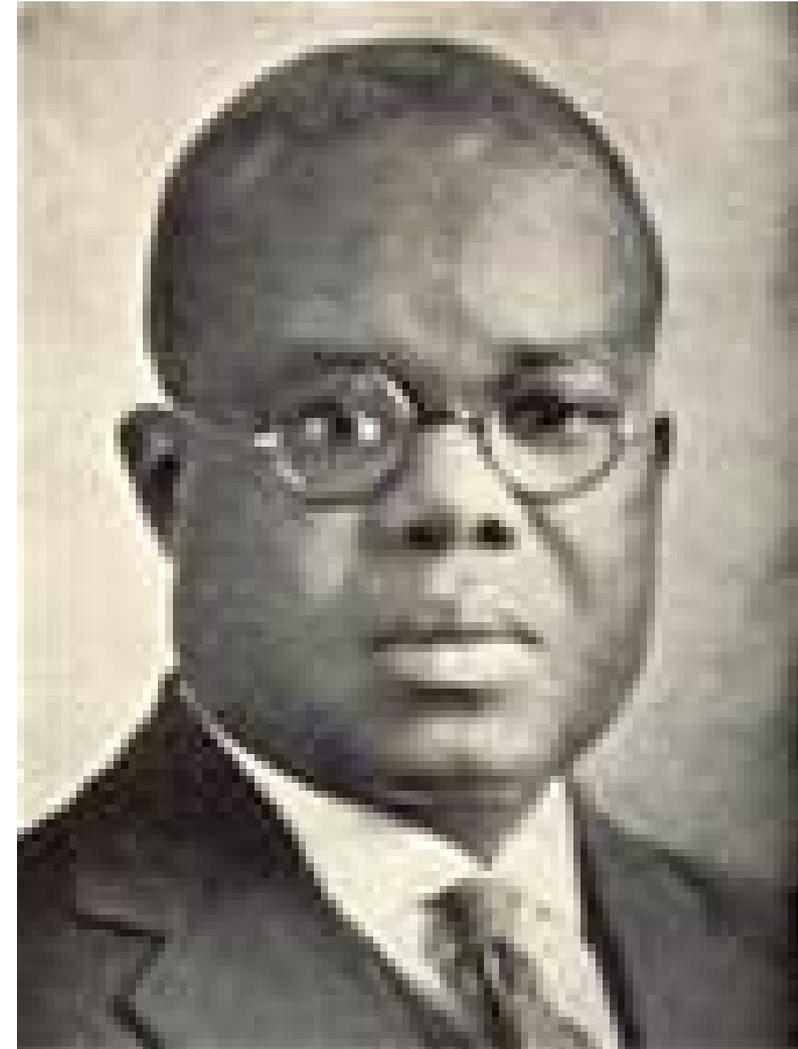
**Early African American fighters for a new Box: Lucy Parsons, Cyril Briggs, George Woodbey, Richard Moore, And Hubert Harrison**

**RICHARD B. MOORE,  
CARIBBEAN MILITANT  
IN HARLEM**



Collected Writings 1920-1972

EDITED BY  
W. BURGHARDT TURNER AND  
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**BLACK  
SOCIALIST  
PREACHER**

Philip S. Foner



**Ben Davis (1903-1964)**



**James Jackson (1914-1993)**



**Pettis Perry (1897-1965)**



**Henry Winston (1911-1986)**

# **Black leaders of the Communist Party USA**



**James Ford (1893-1957)**



**Claudia Jones (1915-1964)**



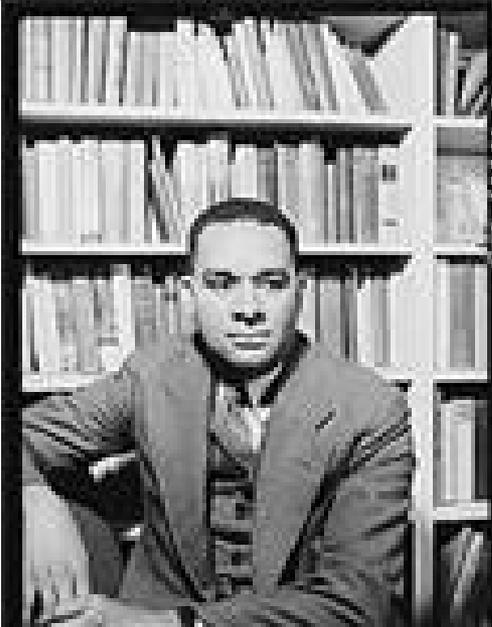
**Louise Thompson Patterson (1901-1999)**



**Angelo Herndon (1913-1997)**



**Some Black artists dedicated their work to fighting for a new box.**



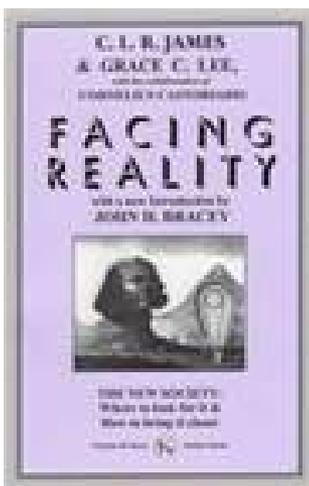
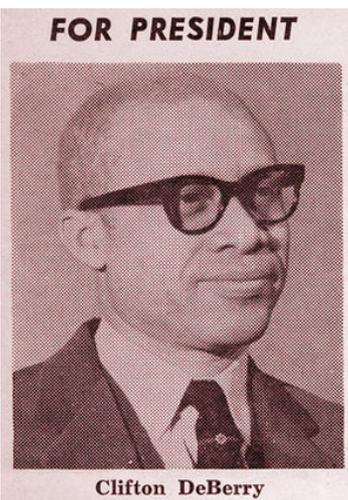
# Followers of Trotsky some left the CPUSA



Raya Dunayevskaya, C.L.R. James, and Grace Lee Boggs



PL candidate Bill Epton (right) is shown here discussing the issues with several young men on Lenox Avenue in front of the new Harlem headquarters.



Activist who left  
CPUSA to support  
Peoples Republic  
of China

## ALL OUT FOR SCOTTSBORO MARCH! CALL CONFERENCE ON SOCIAL INSURANCE

**JOBLESS WILL BE IN CAPITAL IN JANUARY**  
Local Congress in N.Y. Chicago, Wash. D.C., and other cities will hold a mass rally in New York City on January 1st to demand the release of the Scottsboro boys and the abolition of the death penalty.

**C.P. Districts—Attention!**  
The following program was adopted by the Executive Committee of the Party U.S.A. for the Scottsboro boys.

**DYERS VOTE TO STRIKE NEXT WEEK BY I. AMTER**  
The I. Amter group of the C.P. has voted to strike next week in support of the Scottsboro boys.

**DEMOCRATIC FAKERS BARED BY I. AMTER**  
The I. Amter group has exposed the Democratic Party as a tool of the bourgeoisie.

**MASS PARADE BEGINS 11 A.M. TODAY: MANY GROUPS TO SEND DELEGATES TO EMERGENCY PARLEY TOMORROW**  
A mass parade will be held in New York City today, starting at 11 A.M. and ending at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C. Tomorrow, a national emergency parley will be held in New York City.

**'Industrial Adjustment' Agencies Uncovered As Network of Stoolpigeons**  
The 'Industrial Adjustment' agencies are a network of stoolpigeons who are working to undermine the workers' struggle.



# Communists led this struggle

**For COMPLETE FREEDOM of the SCOTTSBORO BOYS**

**Scottsboro Victory**

**FREE! SCOTTSBORO BOYS! FREE!**

Attend Rally  
**November 17th - 2 P. M.**

**47th and Prairie Ave.**

March To  
**3300 S. INDIANA - 3 P. M.**

**PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH**

**PROMINENT SPEAKERS**

**SUPPORT TAG DAYS**

**November 24th - 25th**

**MASS MEETING**  
Friday, April 26th, 8 P. M.  
**MOUNT PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH**  
2346 West Lake Street  
Speaker: **HERBERT MORTON, Dist. Sec'y.**

**THE SCOTTSBORO BOYS**

**Four Freed!  
Five To Go!**

By **ANGELO HERNDON**

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**The SCOTTSBORO BOYS MUST NOT DIE!**

**MASS SCOTTSBORO DEFENSE MEETING**  
At St. Mark's M. E. Church  
1326 Street and St. Nicholas Avenue  
Friday Eve., April 14th, 8 P. M.

Protest the infamous death verdict rendered by an all-white jury at Decatur, Alabama against **HAYWOOD PATTERSON**

The Meeting will be addressed by:  
Mrs. **JANIE PATTERSON**, mother of Haywood Patterson, victim of the lynch verdict; **SAMUEL LEBROWITZ**, chief counsel for the defense; **JOSEPH BRIDGEMAN**, defense counsel; **WILLIAM PATTERSON**, National Secretary of the U. L. O.; **RICHARD B. MOORE**, Dr. **LORE WOO KING**, Wm. **KELLEY** of the American News, and others.

**THUNDER YOUR INDIGNATION AGAINST THE JUDICIAL MURDER OF INNOCENT NEGRO CHILDREN!**

**COME TO THE MASS PROTEST MEETING AT ST. MARK'S M. E. CHURCH**  
1326 Street and St. Nicholas Avenue  
**FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 14th, 8 P. M.**

Emergency Scottsboro Defense Committee  
20 West 13th Street, New York City



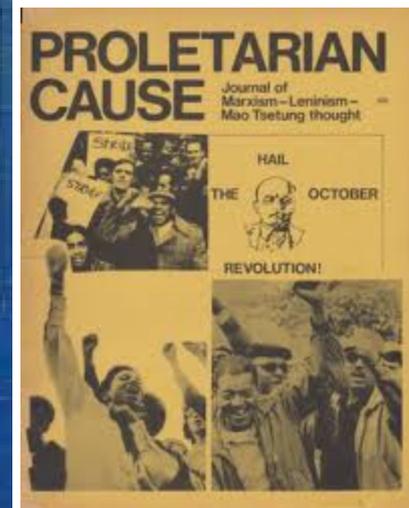
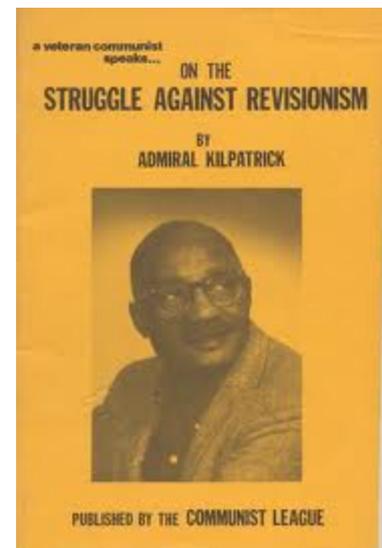
**Earl Browder  
(1881-1973)**

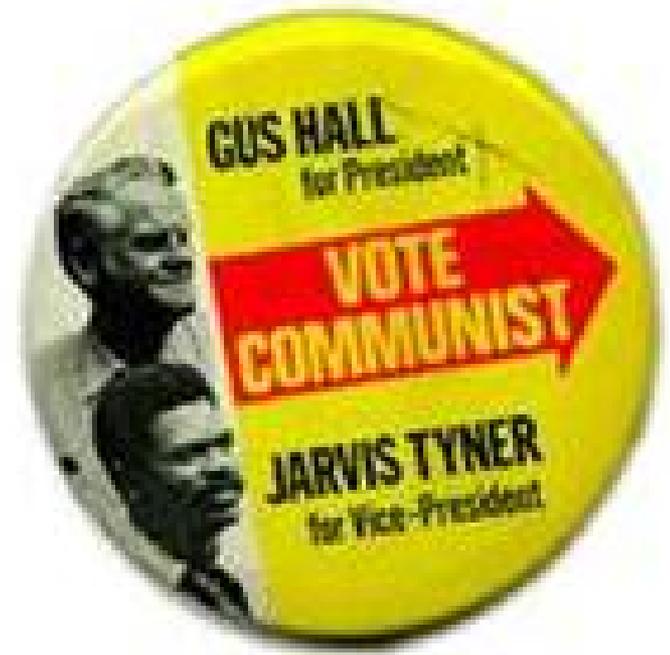
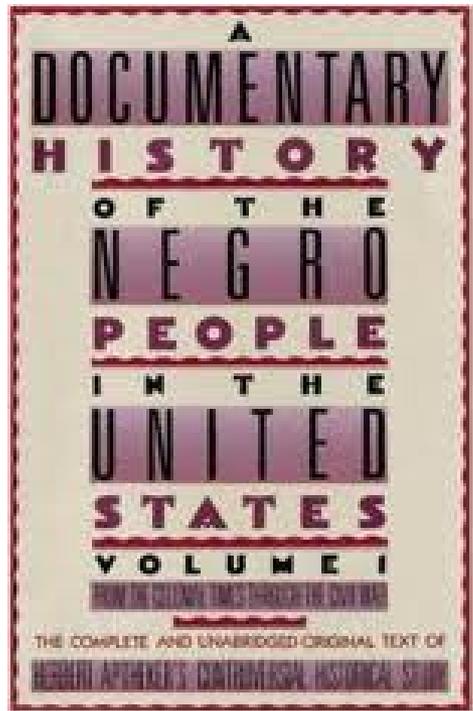
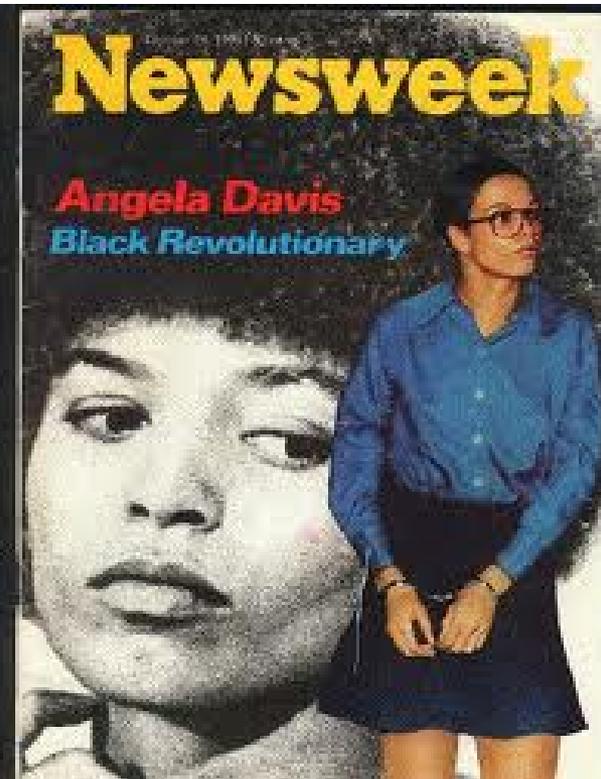
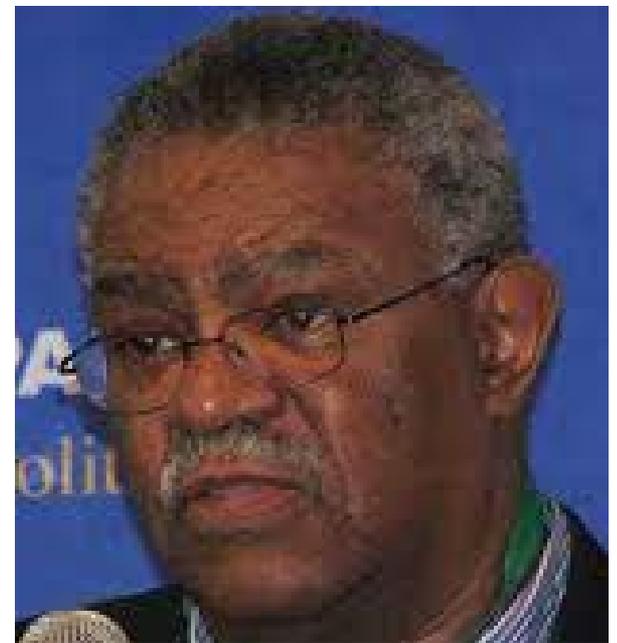


**Joseph Stalin  
(1887-1953)**



**Stalin became the target of capitalism against the communism movements. Browder led the CPUSA to liquidate because he supported US capitalism!**





# China 中国



**1921 Party formed**

**1949 Socialist transformation begins**

**1978 Capitalist transformation begins**

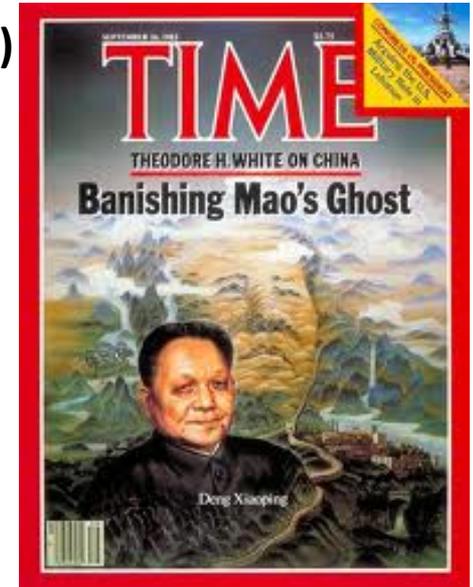


# China: the struggle under socialism



Great Leap Forward (1958 – 1961)

Cultural Revolution (1966 – 1976)



Counter-revolution 1978



It will take a long period to decide the issue in the ideological struggle between socialism and capitalism in our country. The reason is that the influence of the bourgeoisie and of the intellectuals who come from the old society will remain in our country for a long time to come, and so will their class ideology. If this is not sufficiently understood, or is not understood at all, the gravest mistakes will be made and the necessity of waging the struggle in the ideological field will be ignored. (Mao)

# China: the struggle continues today



China's billionaires double in number  
China's ultra-rich continue to multiply rapidly,  
with the number of dollar billionaires on the



The Hurun rich list, which has been tracking  
China's tycoons since 1999, on Wednesday  
said it had counted 271 dollar billionaires in  
China last year, up from 130 in 2009.

[China](#) now has the second most billionaires in  
the world, after the United States with more  
than 400.

# Cuba



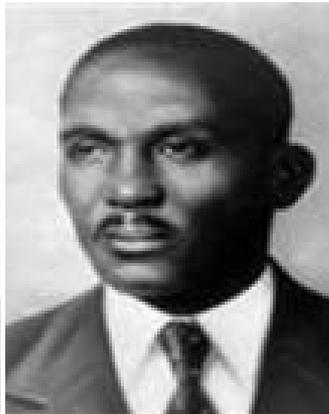
- 1878 Zanjion sell out, Baragua protest
- 1959 July 26<sup>th</sup> Movement takes power
- 1961 Fidel declares Cuba a socialist state



Jose Marti



Antonio Maceo

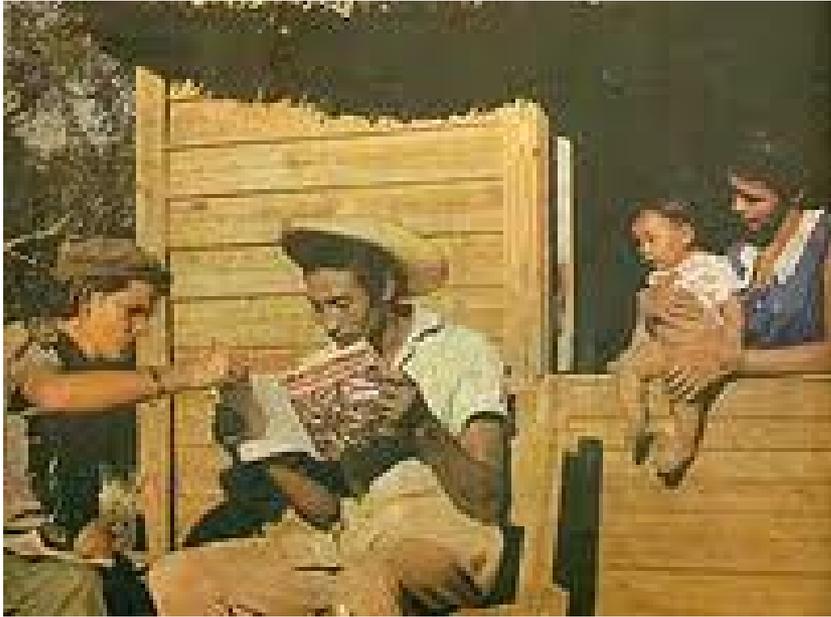


Jesus Menendez

**“They talk about the failure of socialism but where is the success of capitalism in Africa, Asia and Latin America?” Fidel Castro**



# Cuba: the struggle under socialism



Cuban Literacy Campaign, 1961



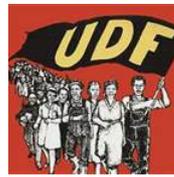
Cuba squeezed in the Cold War



# Cuba: Waging the struggle in a special period



# South African Liberation



# South Africa: the struggle continues



# There were three basic sources for the new communist movement.

1. Third world revolution
2. Black liberation movement
3. US student movement





# Radicals in the Professions

Newsletter

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## THE PORT HURON STATEMENT

... we call the establishment of a structure of individual participation governed by democratic action. And the individual alone is free when he or she is exercising the positive and affirmative of his individual ability to contribute to meaningful independence by man and provide the basis for free human participation.

Students for a Democratic Society

### INTERSTATE FLIGHT - NON ACTION - MIND CONSPIRACY

## WANTED BY FBI

The persons above have you active members of the without National Section of the Students for a Democratic Society - SDS.

Political matters have been raised at Chicago, Illinois, concerning these individuals, charging them with a history of Political activities including membership rights in credit committees, such as the Student Loan and Corporation. Some of these individuals were also charged in an indictment returned 11/27/68, at South, Michigan, with conspiracy to incite Political Unrest and the United States.

These individuals should be considered dangerous because of their known activities and use of propaganda, repeated applications of force and monetary donation, and known propensity for violence.

If you have information regarding these persons please contact your local FBI Office.

			
WILLIAM EDWARD DAVIS 1117, 24, 24, 100 100 South, Ann Arbor	CURTIS SMITH 1117, 24, 24, 100 100 South, Ann Arbor	JAMES JAMES SMITH 1117, 24, 24, 100 100 South, Ann Arbor	STEPHANIE ANN SMITH 1117, 24, 24, 100 100 South, Ann Arbor



# REVOLUTION

Organ of the Central Committee of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA

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Vol. 1, No. 1 October 1, 1975

## Revolutionary Communist Party Founded!

The founding Congress of the Revolutionary Communist Party of the USA, composed of delegates from all parts of the country, has concluded its work, adopted the Constitution and Programme of the Party, and elected its leading committees.

This is both an act of determined dedication and a historic moment. The Party of the working class has been born out of struggle and will not abide until the full power of the class has been mobilized against all oppression, until the monied rulers of this land are driven from power by the working class and its allies, and the roots of exploitation are ripped out once and for all.

There are those who would say that the above is mere assertion and boasting to keep from weeping. They see the wealth bludgeoned out of our labor and tormented out of colonial peoples in the hands of a most powerful and unscrupulous ruling class: they see the navies and the armies, the police and the courts, the wea-

PEOPLE OF THE WORLD UNITE TO DEFEAT IMPERIALISM

# THE CALL

ORGAN OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY (M-L)

VOL. 6, NO. 24 THE CALL, P.O. Box 8887, Chicago, IL 60680—Published by the Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist)—21c JUNE 25, 1977

## WELCOME THE FOUNDING OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY (MARXIST-LENINIST)

The historic Founding Congress of the Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist) took place in a small Midwest town June 24-25 as delegates from 40 states reflected the great unity that has been achieved in building the CP (M-L). The composition of the delegates, drawn from more than 40 messages were received from fraternal Parties and organizations, all placing great hopes in the work of the U.S. Communist Party.

The Political Paper of the COMMUNIST LABOR PARTY of the U.S.A.A.

# PEOPLE'S TRIBUNE

Vol. 1, No. 1 September 1974

## CLP Holds Founding Congress

### Build the Party!

The Communist Labor Party of the U.S.A.A. (CLP) held its historic Founding Congress in a small town in the Midwest on September 24-25, 1974. The Congress was attended by delegates from 40 states and was a landmark event in the history of the U.S.A.A. Communist movement. The Congress adopted the Party's Constitution and Program and elected its leading bodies. The Party is now ready to begin its work of building a mass Communist Party in the U.S.A.A.

# VVAW

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# WORKERS VIEWPOINT

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ROBERT M. MCDONNELL

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**RED PAPERS**



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Historically, all reactionary forces on the verge of extinction invariably conduct a last desperate struggle against the revolutionary forces, and some revolutionaries are apt to be deluded for a time by this phenomenon of outward strength but inner weakness, failing to grasp the essential fact that the enemy is nearing extinction while they themselves are approaching victory.

—Mao Tsetung, 1942

**RED PAPERS**

**Women Fight for Liberation**



International Women's Day rally, San Francisco, 1970.

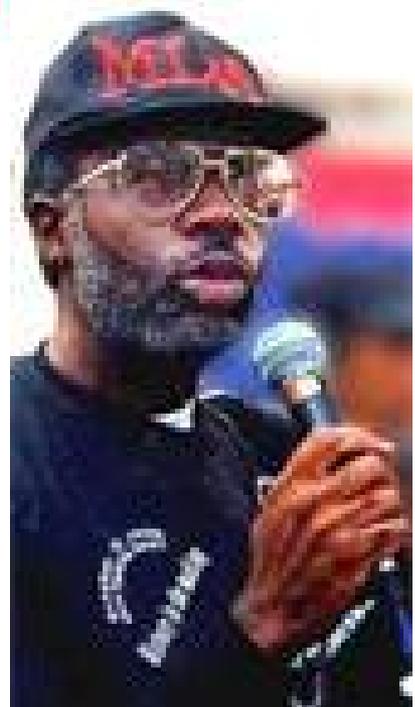
"Genuine equality between the sexes can only be realized in the socialist transformation of society as a whole."

—Mao Tse-tung, 1955



**NATIONAL LIBERATION AND PROLETARIAN REVOLUTION IN THE U.S.**

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**A Statement from the Revolutionary Communist Party**

**ON THE STRATEGY FOR REVOLUTION**

**The Struggle continues**