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Nationwide Student Strike at MIT 4-5/72  
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## **ITHIEL DE SOLA POOL**

1. POOL'S COMPANY, SIMULMATICS, HELPED DEVELOP THE "STRATEGIC HAMLET" (CONCENTRATION CAMP) PROGRAM IN VIETNAM.
2. POOL HELPED DEVELOP PROJECT AGILE/COIN: "RESEARCH ON URBAN INSURGENCY" & POLITICA-A MANUAL COUNTERSUBVERSION AND COUNTERCONSPIRACY GAME.
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In the Congo, in Vietnam, in the Dominican Republic, it is clear that order depends on somehow compelling newly mobilized strata to return to a measure of passivity and defeatism from which they have recently been aroused by the process of modernization. At least temporarily, the maintenance of order requires a lowering of newly acquired aspirations and levels of political activity. [Ithiel de Sola Pool, (ed.) Contemporary Political Science: Toward Empirical Theory., (1967), p. 26]

HELP STOP THIS WAR CRIMINAL, ALONG WITH HIS COHORTS PYE, BLOOMFIELD, HAGEN, GRIFFITH ET.AL. AT THE CIS (CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES)

## **Rally Tuesday April 27 Noon**

EVERYONE WHO THINKS THE CIS SHOULD BE ABOLISHED IS INVITED TO COME TO AN OPEN SDS PLANNING MEETING MONDAY AT 8 PM IN THE WEST LOUNGE. ON TUESDAY WE WILL MEET AT NOON IN BUILDING 7, THEN MARCH ON THE CIS. WE WILL STAY UNTIL THEY OPEN THEIR FILES; UNTIL WE STRIP THE MASK OF NEUTRALITY FROM THIS CIA OPERATION.

**sds**

# MIT CONTINUES WAR RESEARCH

The Vietnam War continues. The reality of the phony "disengagement" of US forces that began in 1968 is expressed by two phrases: "Vietnamization," the substitution of Asian corpses for American ones, and "technology," the substitution of sophisticated weaponry for manpower. Vietnamization is Nixon's own unique contribution to the war; the technology, in many cases, has been, and continues to be, MIT's.

War research has a long history at MIT. Two years ago the administration's response to anti war-research campaigns at MIT may have left the MIT community with the feeling that the era of war research at MIT was finally drawing to a close. The Instrumentation Lab (Draper) was to be divested, Lincoln Lab was to change direction, and new sources of funding other than the Dept. of Defense (DoD) were to be found for the support of "basic" research.

What has actually happened? MIT's relationship to the Draper Lab has remained essentially unchanged, the Lincoln Lab continues to work on highly complex military systems ("electronic battlefield"), and 28% of the "basic" research on campus is still funded by the DoD.

## SOME OF MIT'S CONTRIBUTIONS TO "OPERATIONAL WEAPONS SYSTEMS"

### MTI (moving target indicator)

The Lincoln Lab began work on the MTI in 1967. Funded by the DoD, the "radar would permit a helicopter traveling at 200mph to spot a man moving in tall grass at the rate of 2 mph at a distance of 3 miles." (Aviation Week and Space Technology, June 24, 1968, p. 192) The MIT radar has all-weather and night-time capability. MTI is currently being used in Vietnam as an essential part of the electronic battlefield.

### The Helicopter Project

Two years ago, the Draper Lab was developing guidance and stabilization for helicopter gunships for Vietnam and other counter-insurgency wars. The helicopter in Vietnam is used for short range transport of men and supplies, observation and reconnaissance, and as a weapons platform. "The armed helicopter is the greatest contribution which modern technology has given to us for counter-insurgency operations." (Major General Oden, upon returning from Vietnam)

### MIRV

The MIRV (multiple independently-targeted re-entry vehicle) is a system by which a single ballistic missile can deliver 10 to 16 warheads, each targeted for different sites separated by as much as 100 miles. MIRVs are designed to exhaust the opponent's ABM defense and could qualitatively change the balance of nuclear terror by creating a first-strike capability.

MIRV work is being done at the Draper Lab. The contract to develop the latest version of the Poseidon Missile Guidance System (MIRV) is slated to end in December, 1973 (US Navy Project #53-336, classified).

## MIT'S WHITEWASH

It is interesting to examine how the administration has deceived both faculty and students in responding to the protest that these projects generated. The scheme started in May, 1969 with the Pounds Panel, a review panel composed of faculty, administration, and students appointed by the administration. The panel's recommendations were vague generalizations which in essence resulted only in the formation of a new committee (the Sheehan committee; see below).

In October, 1969, Howard Johnson, former president of MIT, announced (with great publicity) that no new research would be initiated in "operational weapons systems."

In November, 1969, the Committee on Special Labs (Sheehan Committee) was charged to "examine on a continuing basis the appropriateness of specific activities of the laboratories of the Institute."

In May, 1970, the administration announced its decision to completely divest the Draper Lab within a year but to keep Lincoln Lab. As an intermediate step, Draper Lab became an "Independent Division" of the Institute run by its own board of directors but interlocked with the Institute people. Two years later, this status has not changed despite the original stated intent that complete divestment would occur within a year. Since "divestment," the Draper Lab has not been subject to review by the Sheehan Committee, and in fact is accepting new contracts for "operational weapons systems." An example is the ULMS (undersea longrange missile system) project. This has been called an underwater battleship capable of launching 20 or more missiles at ranges over 4000 miles. In view of many authorities (e.g., York, past director of research in DoD) the ULMS will result in a

new escalation of the arms race.

The impotence of the faculty in dealing with the issue of war research is illustrated by the MIT Faculty Committee to study the High-Accuracy MIRV. The committee was established in May 1970 by a faculty vote of 159 to 81. The committee was urged to "prepare not only a written document, but a public presentation in some other form" dealing with the questions of MIRV as a destabilizing force, of other weapons systems presenting a similar hazard in the foreseeable future, and what actions the faculty should take in this matter.

This report was to be submitted early in the fall term of 1970. No report has yet been made. In fact, Prof. Solow, chairman of the committee, said in a recent telephone conversation, "I don't think we will write a serious report." This was said in spite of the fact that in a student referendum in Dec., 1969, in which 2100 students voted, 70% opposed the Institute's continuing MIRV research. In fact, a majority of the students felt that MIT should "try to negotiate out of present MIRV contracts before they expire, and if unsuccessful, break these contracts unilaterally." A faculty petition signed by 473 faculty members was also circulated. It stated that the deployment of MIRV should be stopped and that further research on MIRV should be halted until its destabilizing impact on the arms race had been determined by Congress.

The administration's response has been that MIRV research has continued uninterrupted at MIT!

Thus we see that MIT has blatantly ignored the legitimate concerns of a large segment of the MIT community. We can only conclude that the administration has no real intentions of changing MIT's connection with weapons research. This is supported by the following current statistics which unequivocally show the relationship between MIT and the DoD as of 1972.

#### MIT'S SITUATION TODAY

The Mansfield Amendment to the Department of Defense Authorization Bill, Fiscal Year 1970, stated that any DoD-sponsored research had to have "a direct and apparent relationship to a specific military function." Therefore, any research initiated in or after 1970 at MIT with DoD funds has, by law, to be war-related. The figures below may include projects initiated before the effective date of the bill.

source	PERCENT OF TOTAL RESEARCH FUNDING			
	% campus	% Lincoln	% Draper	%MIT total
DoD	28	98	66	63
AEC	13	0	1	5
NASA	12	1	32	13
Combined	54	99	99	82
Other federal*	31	1	1	12
Other	15	0	0	6
Totals	100	100	100	100

\*NIH, NSF, Public Health, Dept. of Transportation, etc.  
source: MIT Report of Sponsored Research, FY 1971

Which of the on-campus departments are using DoD money? 1971 figures from the same Report show that Electrical Engineering received 60% of its research money from DoD. Others with significant proportions were: Metallurgy - 46%; Aero and Astro - 39% (EE and these two received over \$1 million each); Political Science - 45%; Ocean Engineering - 28%; Earth and Planetary Sciences - 31%; Math - 24%; Meteorology - 23%; Urban Studies - 15%.

Further information on current contracts at the Draper Lab, Lincoln Lab, and at MIT itself will be disseminated in the future. It is clear that MIT's complicity with war research has not diminished over the past couple years. Only a renewed vigorous and continuing campaign to expose these connections will result in severing them. If you want to help us compile the information, contact

Will Watson, x4146, room 14N-324  
Fred Ausubel, x6716, room 56-531.

Ad-hoc Committee on War-Related Research

## THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY STRIKE AND MIT

At a mass meeting yesterday afternoon students voted overwhelmingly for MIT to strike in solidarity with the nationwide University Strike. Whether you, as a member of the MIT community, involve yourself is a matter of personal conscience. We feel that recent events have greatly aggravated the world situation and necessitate an immediate reaction on the part of the American people. We also ask you to support the strike in some of the ways given below. These are the issues:

### THE IMMEDIATE AND UNILATERAL WITHDRAWAL OF ALL U.S. FORCES FROM SOUTHEAST ASIA

In defiance of Congress and the United States Constitution, and in total disregard of the wishes of the American people, world opinion, and the Cambodian government, Nixon has ordered American troops into Cambodia. These actions are frighteningly similar to our early involvement in Vietnam, and promise even more tragic results, because of impending Chinese and Russian intervention. The war in Vietnam has become the 'the war in Indo-China'. (Newsweek) Nixon's action will force the cold war to a more dangerous level and diminish our international support. Russia, China, and many of our allies have voiced strong objections to our invasion of neutral Cambodia. These actions will further slash presently inadequate domestic programs and worsen an economic situation already made critical by the war. The complete irresponsibility of Nixon's actions must be revealed and condemned.

### THE IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF POLITICAL REPRESSION IN THE U.S.

Growing social unrest in the United States has been met by increasingly severe repressive attacks by the government, ranging from Nixon's and Agnew's petty namecalling of students, constant harassment of minority groups and movement activities, and media censorship, to the Justice Department sanctioned persecution and murder of the Black Panther Party. This attempt to suppress political opposition through repression must cease.

### THE IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF UNIVERSITY COMPLICITY WITH THE U.S. WAR MACHINE

Universities across the country have been deeply involved in supporting the U.S. military by supplying critical research. The continued and alarming expansion of the war in Southeast Asia and the threatening upward spiral in the arms race caused by mindless implementation of the MIRV and the ABM force us to renounce support of the military establishment. It is impossible to restructure our internal social priorities while we pour funds into the war in Indochina and into the arms race. We, who have lead the development of this military weaponry, must now lead the fight to change the direction of American policy.

#### Courses of action:

- 1) Your telephone tax is used solely for war. Refuse to pay it and include a note why. You will be billed by the IRS, but not before it has had an impact.
- 2) In the Bush Room, 10-105, complete arrangements for sending telegrams to public officials for 90 cents have been made. It is also strike information headquarters and always open. xl602
- 3) In the planning stages are discussion groups, canvassing, petitioning, and national "sick days".

Mass meeting of the MIT community at 4:00 today. Call xl602, 3, or 4 for more information. Please come.

Science Action Co-ordinating Committee

## SHOW SOLIDARITY WITH THE NATIONAL STRIKE- FIGHT AROUND CONCRETE DEMANDS

The National Student Strike has rallied around these three demands:

- (1) US out of Southeast Asia.
- (2) Free all political prisoners.
- (3) End war research and ROTC on campus.

The MIT strike must resolve to make these demands their own. This means that we must make demands of the MIT administration concerning the second and third points. Specifically:

- (1) End political trials of the MIT eleven.
- (2) Abolish ROTC.

There is nothing the administration would like better than have the strike fail to raise concrete demands. Seeing the tremendous upsurge of student activism, college administrations everywhere are pulling all stops, if necessary, to direct that energy away from the universities where it could have the greatest effect on the war, racism, and repression. Where does MIT stand on the national demands? An institution that supplies war research for the War in Vietnam is not for the end of the War, much less immediate withdrawal. An administration that prosecutes students who actively oppose that war research is not against political repression. 80 percent of the second lieutenants in the Army come from ROTC- and MIT helps train these men.

All across the country ROTC is under attack. That is what the students at Ohio State, Berkeley, and Kent State were fighting about in the first place. ROTC has been abolished on several campuses, and this fight can be won. The trials at MIT have been postponed because the administration fears continuing its repression in the face of this student unrest. Now is the time to press them on this issue!

It is tempting to stay away from classes, to avoid exams, and leave things at that. But we have an important role to play in the national strike, and that means taking action around these demands now.

A resolution by all strikers-students, workers, faculty and staff- on these demands would provide a real foundation for struggle. We urge exactly such a decision at this meeting.

Aaron Tovish, SDS  
Terry Klokeid  
Robert Faraci

ALL DAY ACTIVITIES

Fast in sympathy with the Princeton Fast. People desired money desired. They are the ones with yellow thighbands.

Continuous picketting at JFK Federal Building.

Call CIA (Boston) collect at 354-5965. Close down their communications phones. May be tapped.

Lobby in Washington congressional offices.

Community opinion poll - anyone interested in manning booths in local communities to collect anti-war messages to congress and Nixon, please contact community opinion booth at MIT x1984. Materials available, people and cars needed.

Busses to Washington - call GBPAC at 661-1090 for Sunday demonstration. Call PCPJ at 864-7138 for Sunday and Monday demonstration. There will be an MIT bus.

Please send notices of events and professional decisions on grading to MIT Strike Information Center at UN4-6900 x1984.

Please check with student center office for room reservations.

Thursday, May 10 - Planning meeting for JFK pickett on May 19-12 noon, Student Center, East Lounge.

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MIT STRIKE INFORMATION CENTER  
NEWSLETTER  
WEDNESDAY MAY 17

- 11:00 AM 11th Hour Election - "5 minutes for peace" - all people who oppose the war should stand outside (at MIT, Kresge Plaza, or Great Sail) for 5 minutes to cast symbolic votes for peace.
- 11:00 AM Civil Disobedience - JFK Federal Building - The Associated Board of Rabbis is sitting in at JFK; asking Boston area faculty, students, and Boston congregation members to join them.
- NOON Rally - March - Kresge Plaza, MIT - march to Weisner's office, sit in in halls there to confront administration - anti-complicity committee
- NOON Employee Caucus - Student Center, MIT - Informal meetings daily at noon this week
- 7:00 PM Meeting - meeting of all people who are coming before the disciplinary committee because of ROTC
- 7:00 PM Anti-complicity Meeting - student center, MIT - meeting for Friday action at the D-labs
- 7:00 PM Fast Meeting - student center, MIT
- 7:30 PM Teachers Against The War Meeting - Commonwealth School 151 Comm. Ave, Boston
- 8:00 PM AEW Meeting - student center, MIT - informal introduction to AEW (supports legal nonviolent demonstrations to end the war) anyone interested is invited to attend

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# HANDS OFF HAIPHONG HARBOR! BLOCKADE M.I.T. WAR WORK!

Nixon is now blockading all the ports of North Vietnam, mining the harbors, and threatening to sink any ship going in or out (starting May 11). Increased bombing of the north and destruction of rail lines on the Chinese border are also planned.

Not only is this new step a drastic escalation of the war, it is an extremely serious provocation -- risking WAR with the Soviet Union.

When Kennedy blockaded Cuba he risked world nuclear war. Now Nixon risks the same for "victory" in Vietnam. For what? For "peace?" Bullshit! It's just so some big corporations can get richer by investing in Southeast Asia, and rule half the world.

~~We must do everything we can to stop this latest escalation.~~

~~Nixon said in his speech Monday night "we must stop the flow of war materiel to these international outlaws." He said "the world is watching Americans."~~

That's right! We must show the world that we're going to do everything in our power to stop the flow of war materiel to these international outlaws.

Namely: Let us stop now M.I.T.'s war work for the bloody U.S. aggression in Vietnam.

## STRIKE M.I.T.

Strong bold action is the order of the day. We must redouble our efforts. We must strike M.I.T. again -- harder. Nixon and M.I.T. didn't get the message last time. This time we must give it to them. Let's give M.I.T. three days to get out of war research, C.I.S., and R.O.T.C!

Paul Sedgwick (see other side) received a summons in Monday's mail for trespass on M.I.T. property. The charge stems from Paul's visit to V.P. Wynne's office to question his banishment from M.I.T. When many people come to observe American Justice the result most often is catastrophic to those prosecuting for political reasons. Trial time to be announced.

RALLY NOON (Tues.) Bld. 7 Open Mike - discuss action

SDS Meeting 3PM Stud. Ctr. Tues.

General Meeting 3PM W. Lounge Wed.

Dorm Meetings Wed. Night

Regional Demonstration and Action Thurs.

491-6543 Becky, DL 0-359 Bob, DL 8-527 Kim, 491-7405 Paul

M.I.T.  
S.D.S.

# "That's the Nature of a University"

On Wednesday Debbie Sedgwick, an M.I.T. graduate student had a 2 o'clock appointment to see Vice-President Wynne. The purpose of the meeting was to find out why her husband Paul (an M.I.T. alumnus and PLP member) was banned from campus. However, instead of going alone, Debbie brought along 25 other people, including Paul himself.

Wynne told us that Paul was kicked off campus because of a long list of grievances that M.I.T. had against him, in particular his unauthorized entry into a C.I.S. corridor during the demonstration 3 weeks ago, and his refusal to give up a megaphone at the Bronfenbrenner lecture in March. It was pointed out to Wynne that a lot of other people also entered the C.I.S. It was also pointed out that at the Bronfenbrenner confrontation the megaphone had only been brought into use when the microphone had been cut off during the prelecture discussion of the racism in Bronfenbrenner's articles, and the megaphone was not used during the lecture.

Wynne had no effective reply to these rebuttals. He simply reiterated his "list of grievances" statement.

Wynne was also questioned on how the banning of Paul fit in with the administration's image of academic freedom and an open university. Why is it that Ithiel Pool can fight for imperialism and can do research that leads to the destruction of thousands of Vietnamese lives; but that Paul can not take any actions against this research even though he destroys neither life nor property. To this Wynne replied, "That's the nature of a university."

Further questions were thrown at Wynne about M.I.T.'s war complicity. Both he and Vice-President Wadleigh, who had entered the room sometime during the questioning, denied any such war complicity. Wadleigh got so carried away as to deny that either the MIRV project or the helicopter stabilization work were in any way war-related.

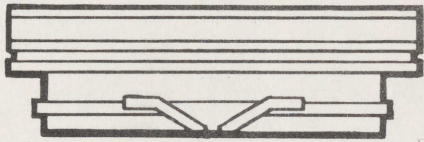
At this point the administrators, obviously made uncomfortable by the questioning, wanted to leave. Wadleigh stated that "there can be no meeting of the minds here," and mumbled something to the effect that we sounded like a "bunch of broken records." He also repeatedly raised one arm and tapped his wrist-watch with his other hand.

Wynne, however, ignoring these coaching signals, fielded a few more questions. In particular, when asked about his recommendations for ways of ending the war he told us to go back to our home towns and vote. Someone asked him how we could end M.I.T.'s complicity in the war without taking unauthorized militant actions and he said, "You can't!" And, he continued, "anyone who takes such actions and breaks the law must pay the consequences." Wynne also maintained that Paul's presence on campus was illegal and that he would be prosecuted.

The meeting with Wynne was not particularly informative as far as gathering new facts. However, it did reillustrate M.I.T.'s blatant contempt for the wishes of students. This may be an open campus, but it is open only to those whom the administration, not the students, invite.

BAN POOL NOT PAUL !

signed: people at the confrontation together  
with members of S.D.S.



MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02139

THE MIT STUDENT CENTER COMMITTEE  
IS SPONSORING AN INFORMAL GET TOGETHER  
OF STUDENTS, FACULTY, ADMINISTRATORS,  
AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE MIT COMMUNITY  
TO DISCUSS WHAT'S HAPPENING

When: Wednesday, April 26, 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Where: Sala de Puerto Rico, M.I.T. Student Center

What: Informal discussions over coffee and donuts

Who: At various times throughout the afternoon, the following  
people will be there to talk with:

Paul Gray  
Chancellor

Benson Snyder  
Dean for Inst. Relations

Eugene Skolnikoff  
CIS; Head, Dept. Poli. Sci.

Walter Rosenblith  
Provost

J. Daniel Nyhart  
Dean for Student Affairs

Louis Smullin  
Head, Dept. Elec. Eng.

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Prof. of Political Science

James Champy  
MIT Corporation

John Crocker  
Religious Counselor

Hartley Rogers  
Chairman of the Faculty

Gregory Smith  
MIT Corporation

James Oliveri  
Campus Patrol

Roy Kaplow  
Assoc. Chairman of the Faculty

Nancy Dworsky  
Asst. Prof. Humanities

We want to get as many students and faculty as possible to meet and exchange  
views with these people and with each other.

The Student Center Committee

# STRIKE NEWS

April 25, 1972

## THE STRIKE AT MIT

Students at MIT are on strike. We who are striking know this, though you who are not actively striking may question it. Faculty sanction of the strike depends upon those students who have expressed their support in the polls but have not demonstrated their commitment in action. The strike will go on but your active participation is important!! The burden is upon the students, upon us, to continue our efforts until the faculty meets and responds to the strike. You can support the strike by taking part in the following activities:

- 1) There are canvassing organizations for McGovern, etc. (Call dl 9200)
- 2) There is an active research committee on war research at MIT (Call dl 9200 or Will Watson at X4145)
- 3) Planning is underway for a lobbying coalition to Washington (Again, dl 9200)
- 4) There is a meeting of humanities undergrads on Wed. at 5:00 in 14E-304 (Call 737-2479)
- 5) There will again be a torchlight vigil at the cemetery in front of Kresge (Again, dl 9200)
- 6) There is an organizing effort to contact faculty members to persuade them to take action (Once more, dl 9200)

Note: Eugene Skolnikoff, Director of the CIS, will be discussing the nature of the work being done at the Center and Prof. Wayne O'Neil, Humanities, will be responding on Thursday at noon in Kresge. After the presentations there will be a question/answer period.

MIT Strike Committee

April 21, 1972

# RALLY

BOSTON AREA SCHOOLS ARE ON STRIKE!

Last night at a meeting in Rockwell Cage, a vast majority of the 1000 MIT students present voted to join the strike. A second vote called for the strike to be of indefinite duration.

Starting at 8:30 in the morning today there will be picketing in front of 77 Mass Ave.

Boston students are holding a demonstration to express solidarity with the national anti-war movement. We urge you to join this rally on the Boston Common at 12:30 today (Friday). There will be a rally in front of the MIT Student Center at 11 am, followed by a march to the Common.

A mass demonstration will take place in New York City on Saturday, April 22. Buses will leave from the Boston-Cambridge area. For information call the People's Coalition for Peace and Justice at 864-7138.

MIT RL Caucus  
Thursday

# NATIONWIDE ACTION...

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Hold Rally for Panthers Escalation in Indochina...

New Haven Calm

Students Protest Troop Move; Large Demonstrations Planned

U.S. Troop Total Rises

U.S. PLANES SUPPORT LAOTIANS IN SOUTH

PHOMPENH

NO PRIOR NOTICE

Approach is Chauvinistic  
The Arkansas Democrat

Lon Nol Calls Drive Breaks... Asserts He Prefers Arms

A Great Mistake  
The Trenton Times

Protesters Call for a Strike by the Nation's Students

war in Asia

U.S. Action Stirs Opposition in Senate

Nixon Labels Campus Activists 'Bums'

Nixon Is Assailed On Cambodia Move

U.S. bombs N. Viet

Troops start Defecting

Cambodian Quagmire...

New protest movement

Pollution bills face death blow

Anti-Nixon Protests Erupt

RISING PERIL SEEN

U.S. 'Aggression' in Cambodia

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MASS MEETING KRESGE 4pm  
MONDAY

# STRIKE NEWSLETTER

This Newsletter is to inform the members of the MIT community of the anti-war actions going on in Washington, the Boston area and here at MIT. Anyone wanting an action publicized in future newsletters should inform the Information Center, X1434 or Mass Fax at 492-5570. They can also give information on more recent details for many of the actions.

## CONTINUING ACTIVITIES

Continuous picketing at the JFK Building.  
Daily death rate announcements at Copley Square and at the Sheraton Fontinel.  
Telegram booth in the lobby of Building 10.  
Boycott of non-essential goods.  
Political campaigning for McGovern. Call Dave Sullivan at d10718.  
Petitions to Congress asking an end to the war. These will appear in the Congressional Record.  
Dorm line chain call campaign to publicize activities.  
Canvas living groups to participate in strike call.  
Information Centers in Student Center East Lounge, Building 10, and Sloan Building.

## FRIDAY, MAY 12

Student Mobilization Committee student strike  
Early morning - militant actions at a Draper Lab.  
Noon - rally on Student Center steps  
Noon - demonstration at Charlestown Navy Yard starting from the Common.  
3:15 - MIT Faculty meeting in Room 10-250.  
5:00 - Employee Caucus in the East Lounge of the Student Center

## SATURDAY, MAY 13

Noon - Mass march beginning at Common, march through Boston to the Charlestown Navy Yard.

## SUNDAY-MONDAY, MAY 14-15

Meetings being planned by Mrs. Hicks in Congressional Districts at which Congressmen will appear.

## MONDAY, MAY 15

Area-wide faculty rally at Commonwealth and Arlington Sts, 1:00. March to Statehouse steps by 2:00.

## SUNDAY, MAY 21

Mass rally of all groups in Washington, DC. The goal is half a million people.

## NEXT WEEK

Monday, May 22 - Actions at Pentagon, Capitol Hill - lobbying, civil disobedience.  
Tuesday-Thursday - Mass lobby in Washington. Meeting at AME Methodist Church on M Street.  
Parallel lobbies here in Congressmen's home offices.

M.I.T STRIKE INFORMATION CENTER  
NEWSLETTER 18 MAY 1972  
THURSDAY

10 AM JFK Federal Building--Picket line with the specific demand being made of Senators Kennedy and Brooke and Congresspeople Hicks, MacDonald, and O'Neill that they join the movement to stop all other business in Congress until Congress stops the war. People will have petitions to this effect which can be signed and circulated.

NOON Employee caucus--Student Center, MIT--Informal meetings daily at noon this week

Planning meeting-- for MIT employees' picket at JFK Federal Building today. East Lounge Student Center.

N.U. Students & Faculty against the War--Student Center, Northeastern University--Brought to you by the building takeover people there.

5 PM Economic Boycott Committee--and all others interested in leafletting the community this weekend. It is important that many people show up so that we can reach a maximum number of consumers. Student Center Mezzanine Lounge.

6 PM Ft. Devens Action--People with and without cars meet at VVAW, 67 Winthrop St., Cambridge (near Harvard Square) to establish campsite near Ft. Devens and hold candlelight vigil at the gate.

7 PM Fast Meeting--Meal of the day. Student Center

8 PM AEW "Recruiting" Meeting-- Room 400, Student Center, M.I.T. Informal introduction to AEW (supports legal and nonviolent demonstrations to end the war). Anyone interested is invited to attend.

Poster Party--Employee caucus--East Lounge Student Center  
Bring Refreshments.



ALL DAY

Fest in sympathy with the Princeton fast to end the war. People desired, money desired. All contributions & pledges go to antiwar activities. They are wearing yellow thighbands. Booth in Building 10

Continuous picketing at JFK Federal Building.

Call USAF Headquarters (Boston) Collect at 542-6000. ~~Close down their~~ communications. ~~Phones~~ may be tapped.

Lobby in Washington congressional offices.

Community opinion poll--Anyone interested in manning booths in local communities to collect antiwar messages to congress and Nixon, please contact community opinion booths at MIT x1602. Materials available, People and cars needed.

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FRIDAY MORNING

9 AM Employee caucus--continuous picket at JFK Federal Building till 1 PM. All employees of MIT are urged to participate between 11 AM and 1 PM. Everyone invited.

10 AM Legal Fun and Games--Paul Sedgewick's trial at the Cambridge Courthouse. Meet at 9:30 near the Student Center.

11 AM Employee caucus--Rally at JFK Federal Building

NOON Fort Devens Action--Carpools leave VVAW, 67 Winthrop St. Cambridge. War gallery and rally

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LAST MINUTE NOTE:  
Fest Committee will congregate on the steps of building 7 at 8:45 AM and 11:30 AM Thursday.  
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# JFK PICKET + RALLY

FRIDAY MAY 19

- PICKET BY MIT EMPLOYEES

FROM 9 till 1 pm.

MEET AT 8:45 AM AT OLD  
WEST CHURCH

- A COMMUNITY OPINION Booth will  
X7053  
BE AT JFK CENTER FROM 9-1

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- 11 am - 1 pm RALLY, AT KENDALL Sq  
TO MARCH DOWN TO JFK

MEET AT 11 AM

FOR INFO X1984 OR

FLORENCE DOKSANSKY X7053



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15 SELLERS STREET, CAMBRIDGE  
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# EMPLOYEE & STAFF NEWS

Wednesday - May 17, 1972

Employee Information Desk - X1985

**HISTORY** - The Employee Caucus first met on Thursday, May 11, to discuss the role and problems of MIT employees and staff in the present national emergency. Approximately 80 people attended that meeting on three-hours' notice. To determine if there was much more anti-War support among our co-workers, we decided to circulate the following resolution:

"We of the MIT Community commit ourselves to work for immediate, total, and unconditional withdrawal of all U.S. forces from Indochina."

The petitions were signed by about 480 employees in six hours preceding the Friday faculty meeting.

**FOCUS** - At a Tuesday noon meeting, the Caucus chose two actions for our present focus:

1) A rally and picket at the JFK Building on Friday to state our opposition to the Indochinese War and to the most recent escalation. We are taking this action as a group of MIT employees to urge that other groups of employees speak out to show that there is important anti-War sentiment among people who are not students and academics. The rest of the MIT community is welcome to come to the rally with us.

The rally will run from 11 am. to 1 pm. It will be legal and peaceful. If you want to leave for the rally with other MIT employees, please be at the Kendall Square subway stop promptly at 11. For information, talk with the Employee Caucus representative of your building. Or call the Employee Desk - X 1985.

2) An employee petition to support the people who sat-in at the ROTC building on Friday and Saturday. At least one employee is being prosecuted for this. A fuller description of this event will be circulated with the petition. Substantial support among employees can influence how severely these people are punished.

**WASHINGTON** - The Caucus also voted to inform employees of a mass rally in Washington on Sunday, May 21. The rally is being organized by the National Peace Action Coalition, and will be peaceful and legal. The Boston branch is arranging for transportation. Buses will leave Tech Square at midnight Saturday and return Sunday evening. The cost is \$18 person. There will be buses for MIT employees. They may also set up carpools. For details and reservations, call the Greater Boston Peace Action Coalition at 661-1090.

**NEXT MEETING** - On-going activities will be the main topic of an Employees Caucus meeting at noon on Thursday (tomorrow) in the Student Center. Bring ideas. Bring patience. We are a long way from "immediate, total, and unconditional withdrawal."

RALLY at JFK BLDG  
11 am - 1 pm FRIDAY

To help organize at MIT and other places, call the Employee Desk - X1985.

**POSTER PARTY** - THURSDAY, 8 pm., East Lounge of the Student Center. Bring refreshments.



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NEWSLETTER MAY 15 MONDAY

- 8:00 AM AEW Briefing---West lounge, student center, MIT---briefing for leafletters canvassing Boston Area colleges for 1:00 march.
- 8:30 AM Picket Line 77 Mass. Ave.
- 10:00 AM Economic Boycott Group---10-270, MIT.
- 11:00 AM 11th Hour election--"Five Minutes for Peace"---Nationwide demonstration sponsored by Kent State--All Americans who oppose the war should go outside (Kresge Plaza or Great Sail or any street in the US) and give five minutes for peace. Photographers needed. It's the least you can do.
- NOON Employee Caucus---West Lounge, Student Center, MIT ---called by specific actions committee to choose from various proposed actions to end the war.
- 1:00 PM Statewide Faculty Rally--meeting at intersection of Commonwealth Ave. and Arlington Street--March to statehouse and JFK Federal Building.
- 4:00 PM Hanscom Field Strategy Meeting--Curtis Hall, Tufts--Information Center at MIT is trying to get people who can drive to Hanscom for the demonstrations. Demonstrations will be held Tuesday thru Friday. Massive civil disobedience, massive legal leafletting and picketing. Meeting 8:00 AM Tuesday at Buttricks Ice Cream Parlor Rte 2A in Lincoln. Call 666-8281.
- 6:00 PM Party---Kresge Plaza, MIT---Guerilla Theatre
- 8:00 PM Fast Organization Meeting---West Lounge, Student Center, MIT-- Meeting to organize fast at MIT in sympathy with Princeton fast.
- 8:00 PM AEW Recruiting---Sala, Student Center, MIT "recruiting" meeting, any interested invited, introduction to AEW, support lawful, non-violent demonstration.

ALL-DAY

JFK Picketing--Continous presence at Federal Building

Community Opinion Booths---Anyone interested in manning booths in local communities to collect anti-war messages to Congress and Nixon. Please contact community opinion booth at x 1984. Materials available. People and cars needed.

PLEASE SEND NOTICES OF EVENTS TO STRIKE INFORMATION CENTER AT UN4-6900 X1984.

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RALLY

FRIDAY

12 NOON

Speakers on the War  
and

War Research at MIT

*Student Center Steps*

- STRIKE STEERING COMM.

RALLY AGAIN: Student Center Steps  
11 a.m. Saturday

March to:

SATURDAY NOON RALLY ON  
BOSTON COMMON

EMPLOYEES and STAFF

MEETING THURSDAY,  
MAY 11<sup>th</sup>, NOON, EAST  
LOUNGE, STUDENT CENTER

TO DISCUSS THE  
NATIONAL EMERGENCY:

OUR PART

OUR PROBLEMS

Information: Arlene Scherer x6010



# MILITANT ACTION

On Friday, May 12, an obstructive action will take place at one of the Draper Labs that is currently conducting war research and development. The purpose of this action is to deny access to those who conduct their work and raise the following demands:

- 1) An end to the war!
- 2) An end to all war related and counter-insurgency research at MIT. This implies conversion, not divestment, of the Draper Labs, Lincoln Lab, and the CIS.
- 3) Employees and students be released from their normal commitments to MIT in order that they may participate in activities against the war.
- 4) Complete public disclosure by the faculty of the agencies and private corporations for which they consult and the amounts they receive for services performed. Additionally, we demand an end to all classified consulting by MIT faculty.
- 5) An end to ROTC on campus.
- 6) That charges against Paul Sedgwick be dropped and an end to harassment of members of the MIT community for their political activities.

The action will continue as long as possible. If it becomes necessary to abandon the Draper Labs, further actions are planned on the MIT campus, possibly a takeover of a pre-determined target. Supporting picket lines will be established.

A final planning meeting will be held Thursday night at 7:00 in Lobdell. All those interested in participating should attend. Final details will be discussed and decided upon at this meeting.

## MEETING THURS 7 PM LOBDELL

(If you can't make the meeting, check with the Strike Information Center for the details.)

EMPLOYEES- FACULTY- STUDENTS

# EMERGENCY

MEETING ON THE  
INDOCHINA WAR

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

12 NOON  
KRESGE

"the Committee"

# "THE WHOLE WORLD WILL BE WATCHING YOU"

*- Richard Nixon in last night's speech*

As of today, the whole world will be watching us to see how we respond to President Nixon's new and dramatic escalation of the war. No one—including Nixon himself—can know where it will lead. All we do know for sure is that it is a dangerous and reckless plan.

Nixon has abandoned the idea of withdrawal. "Vietnamization" has failed. He has suspended the Paris peace talks. And last night he pledged to take **any military action necessary** to win in Indochina.

Nixon is risking all in yet another attempt at military victory. He is continuing massive air and naval attacks on the cities and countryside of North and South Vietnam. He has bombed the Chinese railways that supply North Vietnamese cities. And he has mined North Vietnamese ports. Any ships in those harbors—including Russian ones—must either pull out by Thursday or be destroyed. Nixon's plan is an open challenge to both China and the Soviet Union.

The President's decision guarantees prolonged and intense fighting in Indochina. It risks international confrontation. And for what?

The war goes on because the United States insists on preserving a repressive and unpopular regime in South Vietnam. The war will end and the POW's will come home **only** when we withdraw all our forces from Indochina and all support from the Thieu government. The American public overwhelmingly favors doing this. But nothing short of military victory will satisfy our president. The only way the United States can achieve a "military victory" is by virtually destroying Indochina and its people.

Nixon asked the American people last night to support him in an insane move. We cannot do it. Neither we nor the Vietnamese people can afford to wait for a new president to take office in January. We must put immediate pressure on Nixon and on the Congress to stop this war now. All of us have to get together wherever we are to plan sustained opposition to Nixon's warmaking. Only we can stop him.

Call the People's Coalition for Peace and Justice as soon as you can so we can start working together—864-7138.

We'll begin this afternoon. Join a picket line at the JFK Building in Government Center at 1:00 p.m. today.

## CRISIS PICKET GOVERNMENT CENTER 1-5 PM TODAY!

*If you want to act against the war, call The People's Coalition for Peace and Justice (864-7138).*

# CALL FOR MEETING

A MEETING WILL BE  
HELD IN KRESGE AT  
12:30 TODAY TO PLAN  
A NATIONAL RESPONSE TO  
THE CURRENT ESCALATION  
IN SOUTH EAST ASIA

Edward Frelkin

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Jack Permin

MIT Peace Coalition

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Tracy Jones

E. L. Lin

Patrick Winston

J. Weizenbaum.

# MASS MEETING

**WED., MARCH 17, 7:30**  
**ROOM 224 C.B.A. BLDG.**  
**685 COMM. AVE., BOSTON U.**

# MASS MEETING

The Boston Traffic Commission has refused to issue a permit for the March 18 Agnew Demonstration. We must decide what to do about it!

THE GREATER BOSTON PEACE ACTION COALITION APPLIED OVER A WEEK AGO FOR PERMITS FOR A PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION ON THURSDAY, MARCH 18, AGAINST SPIRO AGNEW. TODAY, MARCH 15, THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION REFUSED TO PERMIT US TO HOLD ANY OF THE PLANNED PEACEFUL ACTIONS. THEY CLAIM THERE IS TOO MUCH TRAFFIC-EVEN ON SIDE STREETS NEAR THE HOTEL, WHERE AGNEW IS STAYING, AS LATE AS 7 P.M. TO PERMIT US TO RALLY THERE. THEY WON'T ALLOW US TO DEMONSTRATE ANYWHERE NEAR THE HOTEL. WE ARE INTERESTED IN HOLDING A PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION TO EXPRESS OUR OPPOSITION TO THE POLICIES REPRESENTED BY AGNEW. THE ARBITRARY ACTION OF THE TRAFFIC COMMISSION VIOLATES OUR RIGHT OF PEACEFUL ASSEMBLY. THIS DENIAL OF OUR RIGHTS TO HOLD A PEACEFUL LEGAL RALLY IS SERIOUS AND OUR RESPONSE MUST BE DECIDED BY THE ENTIRE MOVEMENT. BRING EVERYONE YOU CAN TO WEDNESDAY NIGHT'S MEETING.

Greater Boston Peace Action Coalition  
Student Mobilization Committee  
7 Brookline St. #4 Cambridge 661-1090

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RALLY TUESDAY BLDG 7 NOON --

MARCH TO CIS -- STRIP OFF THEIR MASK!!!

Next Tuesday, April 27, there will be a demonstration to build the campaign to abolish MIT's Center for International Studies.

The CIS does counter-insurgency research and economic planning (eg CIS Director Hagen's consulting work for the govt. of Saudi Arabia) which serves imperialism.

Why does CIS do this research? Because it was set up to do that. CIS is a CIA front! It is conveniently located at a university, where there are computers and a wide range of technical and academic know-how at hand, and the academic atmosphere also permits CIS to masquerade as a neutral center of pure social science research. CIS was founded by W.W. Rostow (Vietnam-war architect and former member of the Office of Strategic Services, predecessor of the CIA), and continued under the leadership of Millikan (former Assistant Director of the CIA) and now under Hagen (also a former member of the OSS). Until 1966 CIS was directly funded by the CIA. After the CIA became very unpopular this open funding ceased. But the very same war criminals who worked there before 1966 are still there now, doing the same kind of research. (For more on the CIS, see our pamphlet, "CIS IS CIA".) The only way to end this permanently is to fire Pool (co-planner of the strategic hamlet program and Project Phoenix), Pye, Bloomfield, Hagen, and Griffith; these are the key researchers at the CIS. All war criminals must be stopped! At Harvard, Tufts, and other universities, fights are also going on to abolish institutions similar to CIS.

Tuesday we plan to march to the CIS and stay there, demanding answers to questions:

- 1) What was the content of the ~~un-~~ "sanitized" version of Rostow's The Dynamics of Soviet Society? What else is published in 2 versions?
- 2) What did W. Kaufmann do at CIS apart from publishing one book in over 10 years at CIS? And what of the 41 people who left the Center during the last 3 years and left nothing behind in openly published form? What was their work? Where did they come from? Where did they go?
- 3) Pool has been a consultant for the RAND Corporation for 20 years and yet no published ~~work~~ work has appeared by him. What has he been doing at RAND?
- 4) Betts spent 18 months in Vietnam, interviewing ex-Vietcong. Only the results of 14 interviews were published. What happened to the rest of the information Betts collected?
- 5) In a TECH article CIS said there was available a bulletin of current research. People have gone to the CIS and been told it doesn't exist. What is currently being worked at CIS?

CIS will be unable to answer these questions without lying and appearing fools, or else admitting the true atrocities of their research. Our perspective on this confrontation is that it will further expose CIS and build strength (in terms both of numbers and militancy) for a unified fight to close CIS once and for all.

There is a great deal of cynicism about accomplishing anything by standard political channels or by mere giant rallies and token civil disobedience such as the leaders of the April 24 Washington march put forward. This cynicism is well-founded. The rich businessmen who run this country won't alter their

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FIGHT TO DEFEAT CIS!!

profit-making policies simply because lots of people march together. No alliance with these rich bosses or their "liberal" politician friends can possibly stop the war, or the racist imperialism behind it. Instead we must ally with the people they exploit: the Vietnamese and others of the Third World, and the millions of working people in this country too who are hurt by the war. Racism and other such divisions of people are bosses' tricks to increase profits and keep us from uniting against them. SDS is leading a BREAKAWAY MARCH at the Washington, to put forward these politics of fighting the ruling class.

At MIT, such an alliance of workers and students can defeat the MIT Corporation's interests (well indicated by the example of James Killian, businessman ~~and~~ par excellence and established friend of government intelligence operations). This alliance is in progress. Many workers and faculty would like the CIS to go, and hundreds of students, as well as these workers and faculty, have already signed a petition calling for abolishing CIS. The next step is to build the movement to actually shut it down!!

CIS and the MIT administration keep ringing up cries about "academic freedom" being the central matter. This is a fake issue, used to deflect attention from the real horrors that are going on. CIS does not exist to make 'pure and neutral contributions to general human knowledge', but to directly serve the interests of the people who set it up: US business and government. (It would be difficult to imagine anyone receiving funds in the US to contribute to a knowledge of how to support popular movements such as in Vietnam that the CIS attacks.)

FIGHT THE WAR AT MIT-----SHUT DOWN THE CIS!!!

RALLY TUESDAY BLDG & NOON---MARCH TO CIS---STRIP OFF THEIR MASK!!!

SDS

4/21/71

WORKERS AND STUDENTS OF MIT:

## MIT'S RACIST FACULTY CLUB CONTINUES HARASSMENT OF BANQUET SET-UP MEN. MANAGER WILLIAM MORRISON TAKES AWAY PAY RAISE.

The racist and anti-worker policies of MIT are showing their hand again at the Faculty Club. For the second time since December, when the three banquet set-up men (Herbert Lee, Walter DeLeon, Henry Lacey) won equal pay for equal work, Boss Morrison is trying to take it back. In January he tried to take away their  $\frac{1}{2}$ hr daily overtime (while having them do the same work) but the outcry of these workers and all who supported them was so great that he was forced to give in after 3 days. Then last month he tried this again, telling them to work from 6:30 AM to 3PM instead of 6AM to 3PM. The workers became furious, and Morrison replied that they could stay on  $\frac{1}{2}$ hr overtime, until 3:30, "when necessary". But there is no work to be done at the Club between 3 and 3:30, and now they have to do the same work they have always done but in less time and for less pay. In addition Morrison recently told them that only two of them should work on Saturdays. But for the last  $16\frac{1}{2}$  years three men have done the Saturday work, and it hasn't suddenly gotten easier. When the men boycotted the all weekend work in protest, Morrison brought in four scabs to do the work! His excuse in all this has been that times are hard and we must tighten our belts. Henry Lacey asked him if he was taking a cut in pay. "No, my salary has not been lowered," replied Morrison.

CONFRONT MORRISON AT NOON TODAY, FRIDAY! JOIN THE FIGHT AGAINST

MIT'S RACIST AND PROFIT-MAKING PRACTICES THAT HURT WORKERS & STUDENTS!

For the last  $16\frac{1}{2}$  years there have been three set-up men at the Club working under the harassment of this racist bigot pig Morrison. All this time until last semester's fight, he has been paying them less than other workers at MIT doing the same kind of work, and has been using them for personal valet service and referring to them as "boy". More recent harassments include 1) sending letters to Mr. Lee and Mr. Lacey criticizing them for taking Christmas vacation without asking his permission, although in the past the men have always worked out their vacation schedule among themselves; 2) requiring them to carry items  $\phi$ up to the Club, when previously the deliverymen had been paid to do this; 3) refusing to allow Mr. Lee to eat at the Club as a paying customer. Morrison promised to have this last matter reviewed by the Club officers but so far nothing has been heard. Incidentally, when equal pay for equal work was won, the privilege of free lunch accorded to all Club workers was taken away from the set-up men, as if to say they didn't really deserve equal pay. (over

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Yesterday Jerome Wiesner VP James Wynn, and Wynn's assistant J. J. Culliton came to bldg 10 and ripped down wanted posters on war-criminal Ithiel Pool. A student seized one back from Wiesner, and several people protested strongly and put up new posters as a crowd gathered. Wiesner, Wynn, and Culliton retreated to a nearby corner and eventually left rather than expose themselves further. They don't want Pool's (and MIT's) crime trumpeted on the walls!  
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Thursday, Gyftopoulos, the new Fac. Club President, met with the set-  
men and told them he might agree to all three working Saturdays, but he  
couldn't see their demand for 1/2 hr overtime daily. He conveniently ignores  
the fact that Morrison shifted their hours, that they do the same work as  
before, and that the real issue is the weekly take-home pay the workers have  
to live on. We think his liberalism about the weekend work is prompted by  
the fact that a wedding is scheduled at the Club tomorrow and he doesn't  
want to be disturbed by picketers protesting the scabs!

Throughout all this the union has been a complete sellout. Last sem-  
ester the union refused to support the workers; and now when Henry Lacey  
called business agent Cadigan about the scabs, Cadigan said he knew nothing  
of it and hadn't spoken to Morrison in two weeks. Later that day Cadigan  
called Herb Lee and said the scabs were union men and it was OK to use them.  
What kind of union sanctions scabs as long as they pay dues to the union  
bosses?! In fact this union local has just tried to raise dues, and many  
workers were outraged since the union is on the bosses' side. The union  
doesn't tell most workers when elections are held, and sees to it that they  
go on the side with the bosses are told. This prevented a strike vote last summer  
and nearly got a raise in dues now.

The triple attack of layoff, speed-up, and scabbing, is a common thing.  
MIT has threatened to shut down the paint shop, and meanwhile is hiring scab  
paint contractors with connections to MIT, at twice the cost of the paint  
shop. In many instances Morrison has brought in his brother-in-law to do  
scab painting! The same kind of thing is happening to MIT electricians.  
Another case are the scabs doing the work of the regular sanitation truck  
drivers at MIT and Northeastern U. who are striking to get union recognition.  
Two more bits of hell for workers are Sal Ciulla and Pat Wells, MIT foremen.  
One worker was so harassed by Ciulla one recent evening that he punched out  
his time card and finished the work on his own time! MIT gives most workers  
low pay, lousy pension plans, no advancement, and then sends these creeps  
round to speed them up!

At the same time, tuition goes up, dorm rents go up, while MIT expands  
further into Cambridge. MIT exploits workers and students for the interests  
of the men running all of this, MIT's ultimate bosses, the Corporation. They  
absolutely don't want workers and students getting together to fight  
against racism and other oppressive practices that they profit from, nor  
against research, as at CIS or the I-labs, that serves US corporate imperia-  
lism. A real fighting alliance of hundreds of workers and students at MIT  
could be something the Corporation could not defeat. But they now use  
racism, sexism, elitism etc, to divide people. As more of us see who the re-  
al enemy is and begin to fight back, these divisions will break down because  
people see the need to stand together. This movement is growing now! JOIN  
THE FIGHT! CONFRONT MORRISON TODAY! WE DEMAND:

- 1) MORRISON BE FIRED
- 2) THERE BE A SIGNED STATEMENT BY THE ADMINISTRATION THAT THE  
BANQUET SET UP MEN NOT BE HARASSED AND THAT THEIR HOURS BE  
FIXED FROM 6AM TO 3PM, WITH SATURDAYS FOR ALL THREE MEN.

A Mayday march is being held in New York City, sponsored by The Progre-  
ve Labor Party, to celebrate the international workers' holiday and the  
centennial of the Paris Commune. Ever since the Haymarket massacre in Chi-  
cago on May 1, 1886, when workers were calling for an 8 hour work day and  
were fired upon by cops, Mayday has been a symbol of workers fighting to-  
gether against bosses. The Paris Commune, 1871, was the first workers' state in  
the world, set up in Paris after workers successfully seized power. Many  
people coming to the NYC Mayday march think a communist revolution is  
necessary. Others have questions about this. But all agree on the need to  
fight the bosses! COME TO NYC! DEMONSTRATE FOR SOLIDARITY OF THE WORKING  
CLASS IN ITS FIGHT AGAINST EXPLOITATION!

The Banquet Set-up Men and

# § A Joint Treaty of Peace §

## BETWEEN THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES SOUTH VIETNAM & NORTH VIETNAM

### INTRODUCTION

*Be it known that the American and Vietnamese people are not enemies. The war is carried out in the name of the people of the United States, but without our consent. It drains America of her resources, her youth and her honor.*

*We hereby agree to end the war on the following terms, so that both peoples can live under the joy of independence and can devote themselves to building a society based on human equality and respect for the earth. In rejecting the war we also reject all forms of racism and discrimination against people based on color, class, sex, national origin and ethnic grouping which form the basis of the war policies, present and past, of the United States.*

### PRINCIPLES OF THE JOINT TREATY OF PEACE

AMERICANS agree to immediate and total withdrawal from Vietnam, and publicly to set the date by which all U.S. military forces will be removed.

Vietnamese agree to participate in an immediate cease-fire, and will enter discussions on the procedures to guarantee the safety of all withdrawing troops, and to secure the release of all military prisoners.

AMERICANS pledge to end the imposition of Thieu, Ky and Khiem on the people of South Vietnam in order to ensure their right of self-determination, and to ensure that all political prisoners are released.

Vietnamese pledge to form a provisional coalition government to organize democratic elections, in which all South Vietnamese can participate freely without the presence of any foreign troops, and to enter discussions of procedures to guarantee the safety and political freedom of persons who cooperated with either side in the war.

AMERICANS and VIETNAMESE agree to respect the independence, peace and neutrality of Laos and Cambodia.

Upon these points of agreement, we pledge to end the war. We will resolve all other questions in mutual respect for the rights of self-determination of the people of Vietnam and of the United States.

AS AMERICANS RATIFYING THIS AGREEMENT, WE PLEDGE TO TAKE WHATEVER ACTIONS ARE APPROPRIATE TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS OF THIS JOINT TREATY OF PEACE, AND TO ENSURE ITS ACCEPTANCE BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

I/WE ENDORSE THE PRINCIPLES OF THE PEOPLE'S PEACE TREATY.

Signed:..... Signed:.....  
(individual) (organization)

*The terms of this treaty were worked out in discussion among members of student associations in South and North Vietnam, and in the United States. Other citizens' groups plan meetings with Vietnamese citizens to discuss terms for peace.*

*Keep this treaty as a reminder of your commitment to work to end the war.*

Return this endorsement to:

People's Coalition for Peace and Justice, 68 St. Stephen St., Boston, Mass. 02115

262-3681

- I/ we hereby endorse the Joint Treaty of Peace.
- I/we would like to organize or work with a Peace Treaty group in my/our area.
- Enclosed is a contribution of \$----- to implement the Treaty.  
(Make checks payable to People's Coalition and earmark for Peace Treaty Promotions)

Name-----Phone-----  
Street-----City-----State-----Zip-----

# THE PEOPLE WILL MAKE THE PEACE

Invasions of Laos and Cambodia, intensified bombing over all of Indochina, threats of invasion into North Vietnam, rumors of nuclear weapons—every day the war gets wider. Unable to subdue the people of Indochina even after ten years, 120 billion dollars, eleven million tons of explosives, 50,000 American deaths and a million Vietnamese, Nixon, Thieu, and Ky are still trying to win the war by escalating it.

But every week Nixon and his pals in Saigon get more and more isolated. The American people are sick of this war—73% want all U.S. forces home by the end of this year, according to the Gallup Poll. In Indochina resistance mounts as the war spreads. The liberation movements of Vietnam, Laos, and Cambodia continue their struggle in the face of overwhelming American firepower. In Saigon, hundreds of thousands of women, students, veterans, and workers have risked jail and torture to demonstrate against the Thieu-Ky dictatorship, the American presence, and the continuation of the war.

The men who run this country think they can ignore us. They think that if they withdraw more ground troops, play enough word-games, and step us the flood of optimistic predictions, we'll keep quiet while they commit genocide. Since Cambodia we have been quiet, too quiet.

But that's over now. All over the country people are moving again to expose Nixon's lies and organize for a spring offensive.

The PEOPLE'S PEACE TREATY is one way to do it. The Treaty was negotiated last fall by a delegation from the National Student Association here in the U.S. and student leaders in North and South Vietnam.

The Treaty starts with the recognition that the American and Vietnamese people are not enemies. Its terms offer a way to end the war that is realistic and at the same time acceptable to most Americans. Its central point—that the U.S. set a date for the complete withdrawal of all forces—is now supported by three-quarters of the American people. The Vietnamese offer of a cease-fire and negotiations for the release of prisoners guarantees the safety of withdrawing troops and the return of the P.O.W.'s—thus depriving Nixon of the issues he's been cynically exploiting to try to get our support. And the Vietnamese plan for a broad-based provisional government to organize free elections means that a democracy that truly represents the Vietnamese will replace the Thieu-Ky police state when we get out.

Organizing around the Treaty has already begun. People are explaining what it means through leaflets, posters, teach-ins, and just plain rapping. In many areas small, decentralized Vietnam action committees are getting together to spread the word. Groups and organizations are beginning to ratify the Treaty—neighborhood groups and college dorms, trade-union locals and work-place committees, food co-ops and high school classes. Some 300 college student governments, mostly in the South, have already endorsed the Treaty. Where possible, petition campaigns have been launched to put it before the voters in special local elections. And prominent figures like Ralph Abernathy, Eugene McCarthy, Rock Hudson, Joan Baez, George Wald, and Mrs. Martin Luther King, Jr., have already signed.

Nobody pretends that the Treaty alone can end the war. It's just a beginning. Along with educating and organizing, we have to start acting. The PEOPLE'S COALITION FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE, a new organization representing a wide range of groups active in the struggle for peace and social justice, is planning a Spring Action Campaign to back the People's Peace Treaty and the fight against racism, sexism, poverty, and repression. We'll be in the streets again this spring, trying to end the war and to start to make this a decent and humane society. Join us!

- April 2-4 *Tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King--A series of local actions against poverty, racism, and repression.*
- April 10 *Women's March on the Pentagon*
- April 19-23 *Vietnam Veterans Against the War--5 days of actions in Washington*
- April 24 *Mass Mobilization in Washington, D.C.*
- April 26-30 *People's Lobby and exemplary acts of non-violent civil disobedience.*
- May 1-7 *Seven Days in May--Demonstrations, lobbying, civil disobedience in Washington, D.C.*
- May 5 *Nationwide Moratorium in all communities and campuses, with demonstrations in major cities.*
- May 16 *Nationwide actions in solidarity with G.I.s.*

# FIGHT RACIST UNEMPLOYMENT

## U.S. OUT OF S.E. ASIA

### no negotiations

On March 20 thousands of workers and students will march through the working class neighborhoods of Washington DC demanding an end to racist unemployment and the war in Vietnam. It will be the first national march led by workers since the Hoover administration. A national march like this will help build a movement of workers and students to continue struggles against the bosses around the country.

**UNEMPLOYMENT: A VICIOUS ATTACK ON WORKERS AND STUDENTS IN THE U.S.**

Nixon has taken anti-inflationary measures designed to hurt workers through layoffs and lower wages while keeping profits rolling in. Unemployment in Massachusetts has reached a ten year high of 6.7%. Nationally at least 5 million workers are without jobs. Welfare and unemployment compensation don't provide enough to live on. At one welfare center in Chicago 500 to 600 people line up every morning for 300 food allotments. The last half of the line doesn't get anything.

Unemployment hurts black, Latin, and women workers hardest--they're the first to get laid off. The unemployment rate among black workers is 3 times that for white workers. This is how unemployment is racist.

Unemployment also hurts workers who still have their jobs. When GE laid off 900 at the plant in Lynn, all the other workers were sped up to keep production and profits high.

Unemployment hurts students, too. They can't find summer and term-time jobs to pay tuition. 50% of Northeastern co-op (work/study) students are unemployed. On graduation students are in the same fix. A Harvard Square bookstore got 250 applicants for a \$110/wk. job.

To fight unemployment, students must unite with workers and demand jobs!

#### THE WAR

The big businessmen aren't satisfied squeezing profits out of American workers. They've created colonies around the world where they can exploit cheap labor and abundant natural resources. Vietnamese workers get a maximum of \$1.40/day, and Vietnam and the rest of S.E. Asia have tremendous deposits of tungsten, tin, manganese, and especially oil. That's what the war is all about--profits.

When the people fight back against local landlords and foreign imperialists, the U.S. government sends troops and bombs. They have fought the war in S.A. Asia to make the area safe for U.S. business.

U.S. business and military should get out of S.E. Asia--there's nothing to negotiate.

REGIONAL SDS

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# WASHINGTON MARCH 20

# SDS CONVENTION!

DEAR FRIEND,  
**YOU ARE INVITED!**

to the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) national convention over Easter (from Thurs., March 30 to Sun., April 2) at Harvard. This convention will make plans to organize tens of thousands to fight oppression. Those who run this country continue the war, they oppress women more & more, they slash school budgets, forcing out the poorest students, they give workers lay-offs, worse conditions, terrible housing, higher prices & frozen wages. To divide us and cripple the movement, the rich and their politicians are working overtime to spread racism. Of course the schools were always racist. But now "respectable" racist experts are creeping out into daylight - from Jensen at Berkeley to Herrnstein at Harvard. Backed by the press and school administrators, they're putting out all kinds of "new" and very, very "scientific" sounding racist filth. Their "theories" get spread through very slick racist texts and reprints of their articles. These are used everywhere to make racism look 100% scientific as a cloak for a nation-wide racist movement. We've got to fight this racism in the schools, nation-wide - and stop it dead.

SDS, THE MILITANT, NATION-WIDE STUDENT ORGANIZATION, is an important part of the fight against oppression and racism. It's an organization of ALL students - black, white, latin, American Indian, and students from other countries too. It's dedicated to fighting against ALL the ways the

schools are used against the people - like this new campaign of "expert" racism. We want to unite students with working people and professionals, and with other militant organizations too.

THE PRESS LOVES TO BOAST THAT THE STUDENT MOVEMENT is dead. It's alive and fighting back! And SDS is in the forefront of that growing fight. A REAL weakness in the student movement has been lack of organization. Building SDS more, spreading it further, strengthening its ties with other fighting groups can help improve the struggle. At Northeastern College, SDS and others organized a campaign that scared racist Attorney General Mitchell away from campus. U. of Mass.-Boston SDS allied with Vietnam Vets Against the War to stop military recruiters. Harvard SDS has been leading the campaign against racist Prof. Herrnstein - he teaches that non-whites are a "low-residue" group that's too dumb for anything but unemployment. In Detroit, Wayne State SDS is helping fight budget cuts that shaft campus workers, students & teachers alike. In L.A., SDS is leading a fight against a concentration-camp-style administration at Trade Tech that boastfully pushes its racist policies.

## FIGHT RACISM!

WE HAVE BEEN MUCH TOO SLOW IN BUILDING A FIGHT AGAINST RACISM. We haven't been strong enough on the need to strengthen SDS, to spread it. Naturally, when you make mistakes, it hurts. The people in power don't go easier - they step up the attack all the time. We want to move the fight forward - that's why this SDS Convention is so important. It means POLITICAL STRATEGY for fighting back. It means A NATION-WIDE ORGANIZATION to help lead that fight.

**MAR. 30 - APR. 2**

**HARVARD  
LOWELL  
LEC. HALL  
BOSTON**

THE PLAN FOR THIS CONVENTION INCLUDES RESOLUTIONS around the war, oppression of women, fighting the budget cuts in the schools, and - what many in SDS feel is key - stopping the use of schools as a jumping-off point for a filthy, racist campaign. We want you to be there, very much. Whether or not you're an SDS member, you'll play a role. You can make a contribution. There'll be plenary sessions with the whole group, and plenty of workshops on anything people want to discuss. Anyone can draw up resolutions. In the workshops, we can hash things out - what to do, and how to do it, including how, on a day-to-day level, these fights can be organized.

EVERYONE - STUDENT OR NOT - WHO WANTS TO FIGHT OPPRESSION SHOULD COME!!!! Factory workers, high school students & teachers, college teachers, campus workers, medical workers and soldiers and vets - aren't we all shafted by these attacks? Some groups & individuals not in SDS are already endorsing the Convention. Like GRITA, the Latin students' group at Brandeis. And a group in England who are fighting the arch-racist Eysenck (he wrote "The IQ Question") are hoping to send representatives.

WE HOPE WE'LL SEE YOU IN BOSTON, March 30-April 2, at Harvard. For more info, etc., clip and send us the form below:

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Send \_\_\_\_\_ of these letters. Send \_\_\_\_\_ conventions posters.

I will need help on transportation \_\_\_\_\_.

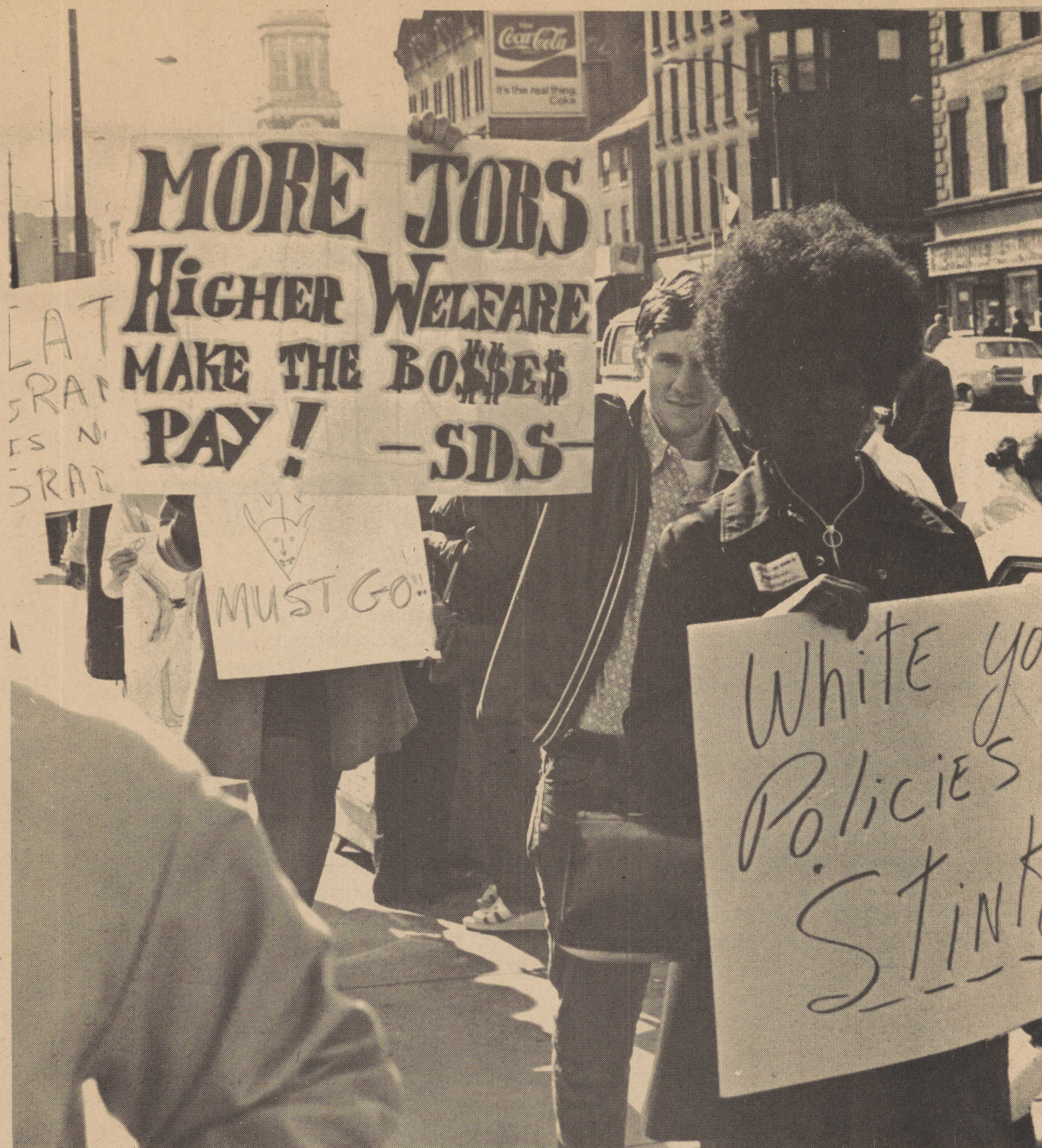
We'll need housing for \_\_\_\_\_ people.

I can provide housing for \_\_\_\_\_.

Here's \$5. pre-registration fee \_\_\_\_\_. Here's \$7. for both pre-registration fee & one year membership in SDS \_\_\_\_\_.

Here's a donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. (I understand this money will be used to get people to the convention from the west coast and to build the convention.)

PLEASE SEND ME MORE INFO!! \_\_\_\_\_



Welfare mothers and SDS'ers demonstrate against Conn. Welfare Commissioner White. SDS nationally has been involved in many fights against welfare cutbacks, police terror, unemployment, and the war.

PLEASE WRITE US AND LET US KNOW WHAT YOU THINK. YOU CAN WRITE:

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