

POLITICAL COMMITTEE MINUTES No. 24, September 8, 1966

Present: Barnes, Hansen, Kerry, Novack, Shaw, Sheppard, Jones.

Visitor: Torres.

AGENDA:

1. Antiwar Report.
2. Mexico.
3. International.

1. ANTIWAR REPORT

Barnes reported on the Cleveland Conference being held September 10-11. It is evident that a broad spectrum of organizations will be represented and that the conference will have authority within the antiwar movement. Thirty to forty comrades will be attending. A significant number of CPers are expected to take part.

An NCC meeting is being held a day earlier in Toledo, but has little support.

Discussion: Kerry, Barnes, Shaw, Sheppard, Hansen, Novack.

General agreement that the specific actions for which we push will depend on the situation at the conference.

2. MEXICO

Torres reported on recent visit.

Discussion: Novack, Torres, Barnes, Hansen.

3. INTERNATIONAL

Hansen reported:

- 1) Letter from Japan.
- 2) The first half of Germain's pamphlet on the SLL has been received. The second half is expected shortly.
- 3) Manuscript on Pablo's evolution by Pierre Frank has been received. It has yet to be translated.
- 4) Correspondence regarding the Bertrand Russell Peace Foundation and the War Crimes Tribunal.

Discussion: Barnes, Shaw, Kerry.

Meeting adjourned.