

(Note: The pages from an original document we used are listed first. The actual number of pages of zeroxed material used after cutting and pasting are listed second, in parentheses.)

I. HOW TO LEARN MARXISM-LENINISM

A. One week spent discussing these 5 articles, (23) pgs:

- 1) The Tasks of the Youth Leagues, Lenin, "On Socialist Ideology and Culture", pgs. 47-75, 1920, (16).
- 2) The Making Good Bug, John Keracher, "The Head-Fixing-Industry", Charles Kerr, 1955, pgs. 11-16, (2).
- 3) Notes About a Class Held by Stokely Carmichael, Jane Stenbridge, "The New Radicals", Jacobs & Landau, pgs. 131-137, (2).
- 4) A Student Educates the Teacher, "Lessons from the Damned-Class Struggle in the Black Community, Times Change Press, 1973, pgs. 134-136, (1).
- 5) Need to Revise Webster's Dictionary, "The Marxist Glossary", Proletarian Publishers, pgs. 6-8, (2).

II. IMPERIALISM

A. 1st week on these 3 articles, (18) pgs:

- 6) Imperialist Stage of Capitalism, "An Introduction to Marxism", Emile Burns, 1972, chapter 4, pgs. 39-53, (4).
- 7) Imperialism and Los Angeles, excerpts from a speech by a member of the Communist League, May 1973, 12 pgs. (11).
- 8) Imperialism: The Highest Stage of Capitalism, excerpts from Lenin, (3), supplemental

B. 2nd week on these 4 articles, (25) pgs:

- 9) The Second Declaration of Havana, Fidel Castro, "Fidel Castro Speaks", Kenner & Petras, 1962, pgs. 85-106, (6).
- 10) Economics Made Easy: Why It's Harder to Make Ends Meet, Frank Rosen, Southern Patriot newspaper, 6/72, (2).
- 11) The Decline of the United States Empire, James Boggs, "The American Revolution - Pages from a Negro Worker's Notebook", 1963, excerpts from chapter 6, (2).
- 12) Ask a Marine, David Osborne, 1971, United Front Press, 30 pgs., (15), supplemental.

III. THE MASS LINE

A. 1st week on these 8 articles, 18 pgs:

- 13) Too Many People?, excerpts from chapter 1 of "The Earth Belongs to the People", Peoples Press, (8).
- 14) The Masses Are the Makers of History, Peking Review, 7/21/72, (5).
- 15) Not in Memory of Robert Kennedy, poem by Julius Lester, (1).
- 16) Workers of the World Awaken, poem by Joe Hill, (1)
- 17) The Masses, a poem by Cesar Vallejo, (1)
- 18) Good Morning, Revolution, a poem by Langston Hughes, (1)
- 19) A Worker Reads History, poem by Bertold Brecht, (1)
- 20) The People Make History, Fidel Castro, 12/2/61, (1).

B. 2nd week on these 7 articles, (15) pgs:

- 21) Revolution is the Work of the Masses, Le Duan, "On the Socialist Revolution in Vietnam, 1965, pgs. 85-88, (2).
- 22) The Three Constantly Read Articles, (Serve the People, In Memory of Norman Bethune, & The Foolish Old Man Who Removed the Mountains), Mao, with an introduction by K. T. Fann, from "The Ethics of Liberation", 4/74, Monthly Review, (3).
- 23) China Stops VD and Factory Medicine, Joshua Horn, from a talk at Wayne State University, "The Fifth Estate", 4/71, (3)
- 24) The Mass Line, excerpts from Chapter XI of "Quotations from Chairman Mao Tse-Tung", pgs. 118-133, (3).
- 25) On Revolutionary Medicine, Che Guevara, excerpts from "Venceremos! The Speeches & Writings of Che Guevara", (2).
- 26) On the Mass Line (our title), conclusion #6 of "History of the CPSU-B (Communist Party of the Soviet Union, Bolsheviks)", 1939, pgs. 362-63, (1).
- 27) The Happy Masses, LBJ, chapter 17 of "Quotations from Chairman LBJ", NY, 1968, pgs. 104-108, (2).

IV. HISTORY OF THE US.

A. one week on 1 article, (64) pgs:

- 28) The Underhanded History of the USA, Thorkleson & O'Brien, New England Free Press, (64) pgs. with lots of cartoons.

V. CLASSES AND CLASS STRUGGLE

A. 1st week on these 3 articles, (5) pgs:

- 29) Class Differences Under Capitalism and What Are Classes, A. Leontiev, "Political Economy, A Beginner's Course", pgs. 13-17 (2).
- 30) The Class Struggle, Lenin, "Karl Marx", pgs. 16-18, (1).
- 31) Classes and Class Struggle, Mao, excerpts from chapter 2 of "Quotations from Chairman Mao Tse-Tung", pgs. 8-23, (2).

B. 2nd week on these 3 articles, (13) pgs:

- 32) Who Are Our Enemies, Who Are Our Friends?, "The Black Liberation Struggle, the Black Workers Congress, and Proletarian Revolution", by the BWC, pgs. 4-5, (2).
- 33) Draft and Explanation of a Programme for the Social-Democratic Party, Lenin, from his "Collected Works", Vol. 2, pgs. 95-121, (8).
- 34) Analysis of Classes in Chinese Society, Mao, "Selected Works", Vol. I, pgs. 13-23, (3).

VI. CRITICISM/SELF-CRITICISM/SUPPORT

A. 1st week on these 4 articles, (14) pgs:

- 35) Criticism and Self-Criticism, Mao, chapter 27 of "Quotations from Chairman Mao Tse-Tung", pgs. 258-266, (3)
- 36) Revolutionary Feelings and Criticism/Self-Criticism (our title), Le Duan, excerpt from "On the Socialist Revolution in Vietnam", Vol. 3, pgs. 138-140, (1).
- 37) I Accept Your Criticism, William Hinton, chapter 7 of "Iron Oxen", (3).
- 38) The Making of New Man, Tuan Ping-li, from Maud Russel's "The Far East Reporter", pgs. 3-15 (7).

B. 2nd week on these 4 articles, (14) pgs:

- 39) Ideological Struggle and Self-Criticism (our title), Fidel Castro, excerpts from a 1962 speech, (1), "Guardian"
- 40) Training Cadres on the Basis of Their Own Mistakes, Stalin, "On Organization", pgs. 30-32, (1).
- 41) On Correcting Mistakes in the Party (our title), Stalin, "History of the CPSU-B", lesson #5, pgs. 361-362, (1).
- 42) Combat Liberalism, Mao, "Selected Works", Vol. II, pgs. 31-34 (2)
- 43) Materialist Dialectics Helps Fighters Make Ideological Progress, Chen Chin-yuan, "Mao Tse-Tung's Thought is the Invincible Weapon", Peking, 1968, pgs. 37-55, (10).

VII. DIALECTICAL AND HISTORICAL MATERIALISM

A. Dialectical Materialism, 11 articles, (35) pgs., took several weeks:

- 44) Where Do Correct Ideas Come From?, Mao, "Selected Works" (one volume only), pgs. 502-504, (1).
- 45) True Knowledge Comes from Practice, "Exploring the Secrets of Treating Deaf Mutes", Peking, 1972, (3).
- 46) On Practice, Mao, "Selected Works", Vol I., pgs. 295-31 (5).
- 47) Investigation and Study, Mao, chapter 23 from "Quotations from Chairman Mao", pgs. 230-236, (1)
- 48) Dialectics Applied in Driving Safely, Hsueh Hsaing-tung from "Selected Essays on the Study of Philosophy by Workers, Peasants, and Soldiers, Peking, pgs. 49-58, (3).
- 49) Applying Philosophy in Transport, from "Serving the People with Dialectics, 1972, pgs. 10-18, (2).
- 50) Tai Hsiang-mei Studies Dialectics, from "Philosophy is No Mystery, Peasants Put Their Study to Work", Peking, 1972, pgs. 52-57, (2).
- 51) Methods of Thinking and Methods of Work, Mao, chapter 22 of "Quotations from Chairman Mao, pgs. 203-229, (5).
- 52) Dialectical and Historical Materialism, Stalin, "History of the CPSU/B", pgs. 105-117, (7).
- 53) Marxist View of Nature, Emile Burns, chapter 7 of "An Introduction to Marxism", pgs. 90-101, (3).
- 54) Unity of Opposites--Bourgeois and Proletariat, V. Adoratsky, chapter 2 called Materialist Dialectics as the Theoretical Foundation of Marxism Leninism, out of his "Dialectical Materialism", 1934, pgs. 32-34, (1).
- 55) The Idealist and Materialist Conceptions of History, John Keracher, "How Gods Were Made, A Study in Historical Materialism", (2).

B. Historical Materialism - 6 articles, (21) pgs. passed out but never discussed as we instead went onto the women's question.

- a) Historical Development Is Not Decided by Men of Genius, Peking Review, March 10, 1972, (1).
- b) How Did Society Develop to Capitalism?, Leontiev, chapter 2 of "Political Economy", pgs. 34-51, (9).
- c) On Historical Materialism (our title), Leo Huberman, "Man's Worldly Goods", NY, 1936, pgs. 233-236, (2).
- d) History Develops in Spirals, Hung Yu, Peking Review, 10/21/74, #43, (3), excerpts.

- e) Fidel Castro on Historical Materialism (our title), from his 12/2/61 speech "I Shall be a Marxist Leninist to the End of My Life", published by Fair Play for Cuba Committee, (5), with a statement of disagreement with parts of it.
- f) Karl Marx on Historical Materialism (our title), from his preface to "A Contribution to the Critique of Political Economy", 1859, (1).

VIII. THE WOMAN QUESTION

- A. Introduction - 2 articles, (22) pgs., one week:
 - 56) Goldflower's Story, Jack Belden, "China Shakes the World", 1949, Monthly Review Press, pgs. 275-307, (17).
 - 57) Sex and Revolution, Jack Belden, chapter 43 of "China Shakes the World", pgs. 308-317, (5).

- B. Part I - "Bourgeois View of Women's Liberation vs. the Proletarian View, 8 articles, (23) pgs., taking 3 weeks:
 - 58) Lenin Speaks with Clara Zetkin on Why Communists Must Do Special Work Among Women, V. I. Lenin, "On the Emancipation of Women", Moscow, 1972, pgs. 108-115, (3) pgs.
 - 59) Agitation Work Among Women Must be Fundamentally Based on Our Class Line, Le Duan, "We Must View the Women's Question from a Class Standpoint", Vol. 3 of "On the Socialist Revolution in Vietnam", Hanoi, 1967, pgs. 114-122, (3) pgs.
 - 60) Class and the Woman Question, Jessie Ashley, "Up From the Pedestal", excerpts from 2 letters written in 1911, as it appeared in the Guardian newspaper, (1).
 - 61) We May Not Have Much But There's a Lot of Us - An Interview Between Two Women, Myrna Wood, Leviathan magazine, 5/70, (4), also available as a pamphlet
 - 62) Struggle: How the Problem of Women Should be Viewed, "The Women's Movement in China, A Selection of Readings", 1949-1973, edited by Elisabeth Croll, Anglo-Chinese Institute, 1974, pgs. 17-24, (3).
 - 63) To My White Working Class Sisters, Debbie D'Amico, "Up From Under" magazine, Aug-Sept, 1970, (2).
 - 64) The Woman Question, Black Workers Congress, from their pamphlet, "The Black Liberation Struggle, The Black Workers Congress and Proletarian Revolution", pgs. 49-51, (2).
 - 65) Black Women in Revolt, Black Women Put Marxism-Leninism-Mao-Tse-Tung Thought into Practice by Analyzing Their Lives in the US (our title), Monthly Review magazine, 10/72, (5).
 - 66) Harriet Tubman: The Moses of Her People, Sue Davis, "Women: A Journal of Liberation", Spring, 1970, (3) - this was a supplementary reading added in the course of the study. We also used a section on Harriet Tubman from A recording possibly called "Black Women in History" from the library.

- C. Part II - "Special Problems of Women: Housework, Work and Children", 10 articles, (19) pgs., in 3 sessions:
 - 67) Help Wanted: Female 99.6 hours a Week - a cartoonists' conception of women's exploitation as unpaid domestic workers, (1).

- 68) Against Household Drudgery, Lenin, from "The Woman Question", selections by Marx, Engels, Lenin, & Stalin, pgs. 55-57, (2).
- 69) The Tasks of the Working Women's Movement in the Soviet Republic, Lenin, from "The Women's Question", Marx, Engels, Lenin, & Stalin, pgs. 49-53, (2).
- 70) The Politics of Housework, Pat Mainardi, excerpts from her article under the same name, pgs. 28-29 in "Notes from the Second Year", 1970, (2).
- 71) Between Husband and Wife, What Attitude Should a Husband Take Towards His Wife, "The Women's Movement in China, A Selection of Readings", 1949-1973, edited by Elisabeth Croll, Anglo-Chinese Institute, 1974, pgs. 36-39, (2).
- 72) Treat the Relationship between Work, Children and Household Chores in a Revolutionary Spirit, "The Women's Movement in China, A Selection of Readings, 1949-1973", edited by Elisabeth Croll, Anglo-Chinese Institute, 1974, pgs. 44-50, (3).
- 73) Working Among Women Workers in China, A Case Study: The Peking Bus Company, "The Women's Movement in China", pgs. 99-102, (3).
- 74) Mobile Chairs for Spinners, Hu Chin, "China Reconstructs" magazine, March, 1975, (2).
- 75) International Working Women's Day, Lenin, "Collected Works", Vol. 32, pgs. 161-163, (1).
- 76) On the Family Code in Cuba (our title), Margaret Randall, "Cuban Women Now: Afterward 1974", pgs. 11-13, (1).

D. Part III - "Historical Materialism and the Woman Question: Why and How Women became Oppressed and What is the Future of Marriage under Socialism", 7 articles, (27) pgs., 3-4 weeks:

- 77) Fascism and the Woman Question, R. Palme Dutt, "Fascism and Social Revolution", 1935, pgs. 238-242, excerpts that appeared in the Guardian newspaper.
- 78) Women and the Family, A Historical View, Evelyn Reed, "Problems of Women's Liberation", NY, 1970, pgs. 12-28, (6).
- 79) Women and Their Role in the Productive Forces: A Brief History, excerpts from a talk by the San Francisco Marxist-Leninist Organization, "Red Star Publications", May, 1974, (5).
- 80) The Enslavement of Women, Engels, originally from "Origin of the Family", here excerpted from "The Woman Question", 1951, by Marx, Lenin, Engels, & Stalin, parts of pgs. 9-26, (4).
- 81) The Relation of Sexes, the Future of Marriage, Engels, originally from "Origins of the Family", here excerpted from "The Woman Question", Marx, Engels, Lenin, & Stalin, 1951, parts of pgs. 67-76, (2).
- 82) Summary of "The Origin of the Family", first 2 chapters, "The Origins of the Family", Engels, summarized by a study group member, used as a focus for one meeting.
- 83) Working Families Beset by Change, Burdens, Renee Blakkan, from the "Guardian" newspaper, 11/7/73, (2).
- 84) We Can Never Go Home Again, Mickey Ellinger, a pamphlet that can be ordered from Box 538, Waldo Point, Sausalito, Calif. 94965, we used most of pgs. 1-17, (7).
- 85) The Marriage Law of the People's Republic of China, excerpts, chapters III & IV, "Rights and Duties of Husband and wife," and "Relations between Parents and Children", 1950, (1).

Other Materials Used in the study group:

- a) Notes of the First Discussion - by DW, notes of the planning session of the WSG
- b) Outline of Study in the WSG - by DW, outline of study for the first 11 weeks
- c) Notes on "The Making of New Man" - by CC, used when she lead study on the article
- d) Criticism-Self-Criticism-Support Summary, by several members of the group, summing up what they had learned from our study in this area.
- e) Pre-revolution China - Study outline of Classes, by CC, used in the study of classes & class struggle.
- f) WSG Outline of Study on the Woman Question, by DW, an annotated bibliography of articles used in the study of the woman question.
- g) Some of the Ways the Capitalist Use Sexism and the Ideal of the Labor-Divided Nuclear Family to Oppress Working Class Women and to Divide the Entire Working Class - by CC & KD, an outline used to sum up some discussion in the women's study
- h) The Movie "Salt of the Earth" and the Woman Question - by DW, analyzing the unfolding of the women's question in the movie.

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