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## **BETTY SHABAZZ AND MURRAY KEMPTON TO SPEAK AT NEW YORK MEMORIAL FOR SLAIN DETROIT SOCIALIST**

A broad representation of speakers including Betty Shabazz, widow of Malcolm X, and columnist Murray Kempton, will be heard at a memorial meeting here on Friday evening, May 27, for Leo Bernard, 27, who was slain in the Detroit headquarters of the Socialist Workers Party by a fanatical anti-communist. Two other Wayne State University students were critically wounded by the gunman.

Speakers at the memorial meeting, which will be held at 873 Broadway (at 18th St.) will protest the social climate responsible for such actions. Speakers will include:

James Aronson, editor of the National Guardian; Elizabeth Barnes, national secretary of the Young Socialist Alliance; Dave Dellinger, editor of Liberation; Farrell Dobbs, national secretary of the Socialist Workers Party; Clark Foreman, director of the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee; A. J. Muste, chairman of the Fifth Avenue Vietnam Peace Parade Committee.

There will also be representatives from the W. E. B. DuBois Clubs, the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, Students for a Democratic Society, and the Puerto Rican Pro-Independence Movement.

The meeting which will begin at 8:30 PM is co-sponsored by the Socialist Workers Party and Young Socialist Alliance.

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