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① Telling Lies without Books (evidence)

A few days after arriving in Cao Bang, the cunning fox Nguyen Bach summoned the village notables and parents of the clandestine persons to listen to his speech. He said:

"I'm a Tho' inhabitant in Cao Bang, who can love the people more than I do. I'm afraid that the C-B people would be mistaken in following the revolutionaries to cause troubles, so I came here to save the C-B people. It might be right for our people who want to make revolutions, but how can they make a revolution. In the world now Germany is the eldest brother, Japan is the second brother, and France is the third. In Europe France is sponsored and supported by Germany, here it is sponsored by Japan. So how can we fight France in Indochina. If it has been possible to make a revolution, I would have done it. But it is impossible. So the people should pay taxes and work as coolies for the government, should not make revolutions. And they should tell the clandestine persons to give themselves up and return to their normal work. If they are imprisoned after they have given themselves up, I will resign.

The clandestine persons should rather be advised to give themselves up than to be arrested by the soldiers."

The cunning fox Nguyen Bach thought he was wise to have said that, but he did not know an idea that our people know he was telling lies without books (evidence)

a) The cunning fox said: Germany, Japan are elder brothers, France is the younger. It is not correct: Germany Japan are masters, France is the servant.

He was stupid to have said that Germany was powerful and invincible. Recently in North Africa, the Germany troops were pursued by the British forces for more than 1,000 km.

and lost half of their force, and in Russia they were seriously defeated and crushed by the Red Army and had to retreat for over 100 km. 300,000 German troops in the Stalingrad city are to be surrounded and destroyed. Japan is beginning to shiver with Germany's crushing defeats. The collapse of Germany and Japan will be the opportunity of the Vietnam revolution.

b) The cunning fox Nguyen Bach said: if the clandestine persons give themselves up, they will not be punished! After hearing this, a village notable asked him: "(...). Now the clandestine people are afraid of being so cheated. If they asked about it how can they be answered?" The cunning fox did not know what to say and remained silence!

c) The cunning fox Nguyen Bach said: the clandestine persons should be advised to give up themselves rather than to be arrested by the soldiers. But only a few days after that, he took the French and Vietnamese spies to search and arrest the revolutionaries in Na-hi.

France and Japan used Nguyen Bach to seduce the clandestine persons to give up themselves. But no really clandestine person has given up himself, because it will not be harmful not only to the revolution, but also to himself. The ones who give up themselves are released to deceive other clandestine persons, but then all will be punished. Let's remember the case of the defecting soldiers!

Nguyen Bach is an old cunning fox

But the revolution must be even older.

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② A deed worth commending: Recently spies came to search and arrest the revolutionaries in a locality. In spite of the terror, the executive continued their work, the small groups continued to introduce new members. Taking precautions of

the spies, the self-defence units detected and guarded very carefully. Many comrades went out on patrol overnight as comrades K. G and A. C.

③ Thanks to Supporters

④ World News Domestic News

1. On Nov. 22 American planes bombed Hai Phong, Hon Gray Bai Chay. Japan suffered great losses. But also some of our people were killed by the bombing.

3. France's North Africa has been captured by America. The French soldiers and people ran to the side of America in great numbers. Here the French are also confused. Therefore Governor General Decoux issued a communique threatening the ones who plan to oppose the government.

⑤ World News Germany begins to lose.

1. Russia - Germany: Russia (...) win over Germany in Stalingrad. 2 railways leading to Stalingrad have been occupied by the Red Army, 300,000 German troops in the city are going to be annihilated. After capturing this city, the Red Army will move to the South and surround the German troops in Cocazo, driving them into the corner. If the German troops in Cocazo are destroyed, Germany will lose a larger part of their forces and will be in danger.

2. North Africa. Germany suffered crushing defeat here. From Egypt, Britain and America have been driving Germany back for (...) thousands km.

⑥ Mandarin's Trick

⑦ Supports to the Newspaper