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① Unity must be formed to Fight France, Japan

France, Japan have been more severely Oppressing and exploiting our people.

1) In some places the people have to work as coolies for 15 days. After the work, they have to guard, 10 days for each person. They have to guard day and night. After the guarding, the people are forced to grow marijuana. or look after the marijuana for the imperialists.

2) Our people are lacking salt for food. Children who are younger than 12 are not allowed to eat salt. Salt is becoming more expensive.

3) The imperialists can buy things with the prices they want, and sometimes they do not pay a cent, so in many places, the people stop selling things. The imperialists also go to village to confiscate pigs or rice.

4) Now the people are complaining the imperialists for the concentration of houses. Why did the imperialists want to concentrate the houses? Because it would be easier for them to force the inhabitants to work as coolies and to join the army, to loot rice and pigs.

From now on the imperialists will oppress and exploit more and more. So our people must quickly unite to fight imperialism.

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② Notice

1) There is terror in some places, and the people ask the cadres to seek shelter in other places. Should the cadres seek shelter? No, because the presence of the cadres is needed in such situations to show the people how to fight terror!

2) The work to fight terror must be done very day and on a regular basis, so that cadres can be trained in explaining the way to fight terror to the people.

EXERCISES ^{Think, Write}

③ ~~Thanks~~ ^{Thanks} the women's vanguard committee should be commended for having been rewarded the title "vanguard women".

④ Thanks to supporters

⑤ Domestic News

1. Planes of Britain, America, China have again bombed the places where the Japanese were stationed. Japan suffered great losses.

2. Japan, France are tacitly conflicting with each other. Before France thought Japan was very powerful so it surrendered to Japan. Now Japan is weakening and Britain and America are becoming stronger, so some French in our country have shown their desire to side with Britain and America. Japan is well aware of that, so they try to take precautions. If Japan and France clash with each other, it will be of our interest.

⑥ World News : Major News Items

1. British and American planes are bombing and destroying Germany fiercely. In Berlin, 300,000 inhabitants have lost their houses.

2. Recently Japan has been attacked by America in northern Pacific Ocean. Japan has admitted its defeat and lost the Ats island, and 2,000 Japanese soldiers were all killed.

⑦ A Letter to pioneers for national salvation : 2 pioneers asked the newspaper why the newspaper seldom carried articles about pioneers. It is both right and wrong because all articles carried were aimed at helping all members - peasants, women, the youth, the old and pioneers.

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⑧ Mailbox