

Appeal To Transport Workers and Railwaymen

Comrades:

The Executive Committee of the International Transportworkers Federation is able to place on record its profound satisfaction with the manner in which the manifesto has been responded to, calling upon transportworkers, seamen and railwaymen to refuse to handle arms and other war material destined to assist the Reaction against the Russian People. The answer came as if the manifesto was an urgent command.

The replies received by us, and what is most important the attitude of the Transportworkers and the Railwaymen afford ample proof that the appeal of the International Transportworkers Federation corresponds to a deep rooted conviction in the minds of the workers. The course demanded by the Executive Committee embodied the intel-

operative effort on your part may be accomplished in two ways:

Two Ways To Help.

1. Subscribe to THE TOILER for six months—for a year. Then when you have read it, pass it along to your fellow worker. He will enjoy reading it and it will furnish him food for thought.

2. Order a bundle and sell them in the shop, in your meetings or other places where you and your fellow workers get together. You may order them in lots of five—ten—twenty—one hundred or a thousand copies. They go like hot cakes. And you will find a ready spirit of co-operation among your brothers in industry, who, like you, have become awakened with the spirit of the new times. They will be on watch for the arrival of the paper. They will help you to spread its vital message. Together you will be hastening the day when the worker will be master of his destiny.

ONE OF THE ABOVE TWO THINGS YOU CAN DO. Some of you will do both. We are doing our part. WILL YOU DO YOURS?

WE KNOW YOU WILL!

lectual and human aspirations of Transportworkers in all countries.

Shipments To Poland Blocked.

As far as we can gather, any attempts made to forward the implements of war to assist Poland are being met with a general refusal to work. Without hesitation, Transportworkers have banded themselves everywhere as a party against reaction, militarism and capitalism.

We are in receipt of two request by telegraph from the Council of Action of the British Labor Movement, and from the Executive Committee of the British Transportworkers signed by Robert Williams, Harry Gosling and Ernest Bevin, to convey heartiest congratulations to French, German, Belgium, Austrian, Czecho Slovakian, Italian, Dutch and other Transport & Railwayworkers who are successfully resisting the transport of munitions of war on behalf of international capitalism against Soviet Russia.

It is a pleasure to us to send this congratulation to all Transportworkers and railwaymen and to add the warmest thanks of the Executive Committee of the International Transportworkers' Federation to all those workers, and not in the least to the British workers, who have so brilliantly performed their duty to Socialism, the revolution and their International.

Stand Fast For Proletarian Peace

Comrades:

You have seen to it that the instructions of your International Federation have been so far carried out as one man—in some countries under precarious circumstances. We thank you for this but urge you to remain alert and to maintain your splendid attitude until a just and proletarian peace has been achieved and in order to avert the outbreak of a new world war be alert.

Persist in your refusal to handle war material! Transportworkers, Seamen, and Railwaymen of all countries maintain the united front in the glorious fight against Reaction, Militarism & Capitalism.

For the Executive Committee of the International Transportworkers Federation
Edo Finmen, Secretary.