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30 day of December

1975

SUBJECT

International

Socialists

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The following information has been received from reliable sources:

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Reference to Papers

400/75/196

2. On Thursday 11 December 1975 between 7.30 pm and 10 pm at Woodlands Hall, Crown Street, W3, the Inner West London District of the International Socialists held a public meeting on the subject of 'The Right to Work'. About thirty five persons were present.

3. The first two speakers, Nina STRECH and Bernadette DUNNE, both unemployed, gave accounts of their own experiences and called for a concerted and unified effort from all workers to fight for the right to work.

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4. The main speaker of the evening, Tony CLIFF, spoke in his own inimitable way calling for more occupations of factories and workplaces threatened with closure, more strikes action, and more political militancy. He said that with increasing inflation and unemployment more and more workers would be turning towards organisations like IS in the hope of finding an answer to their predicaments. It was the duty of all IS members and supporters to unify the various struggles and channel them under the heading of 'the right to work'. He concluded by saying that on 20 March 1976, a national march would be arriving in London for a rally in the Albert Hall. The march, commencing in Liverpool, would be fighting for the right to work and it would be up to IS to lead the workers of this country to this goal.

5. References of persons known to have been present:

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Tony CLIFF

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Bernadette DUNNE

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Nina SIMON

No trace in SS

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