



ordered to cut electric wires and to scatter the forgeries at Sugar's campaign rally in Northern High School on March 30, 1935. This is the very leaflet upon which Detroit authorities based an excuse to deny the Communist Party the use of schools for meetings. Newspapers publicized the leaflet, without questioning its source, as material to discredit Sugar.

The leaflet said:

"Comrades, rise against the capitalist form of government. Throw out the bosses and kill the aggressors of the common people. Are you going to remain in the gutter and be trampled upon by the capitalists until you are dead? Get them first or they will get you.

"Negroes rise against your white oppressors. We are all equals and you should have an equal chance with all whites. We offer you that chance. Do your part to bring this about by electing Comrade Maurice Sugar to the Records Court. We will then have a chance to work from within and tear down this damnable form of government."

Dean's description of the entire plot, and information on the printer who produced the leaflet, was publicized in the Detroit press in 1936. But that did not matter to Rep. Hoffman. The officials of the AFL's commercial telegraphers spread Hoffman's lies, nearly six years later, as though they were the gospel truth.

Rep. Hoffman now well knows that he drew his material from the cesspool of Black Legion forgeries, but he still has made no correction of the record.