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FINANCIAL REPORT: Dollars and Sense nailing went to the nailing house on Jan. 12. It was agreed that staff would be assisted with health plans. We're asking Bernstein and Ferry to fund a year's worth for two office staff. This issue will be discussed again at the next meeting.

OFFICE REPORT: Several people dropped their names from Resist over Lebanese article and Middle East issues the newsletter has covered. A few hate letters were received. Some comment on this situation will appear in the next newsletter. Wayne and Eilen will work on the January newsletter. Articles to appear are a piece on Angela by Peter Mark, a graduate student in African history at Yale and part of an independent group of students concerned about African issues; a project piece by Suffolk Street Papers, and an article on Panama by Boone Schirmer. Dan Stern will submit an article on the December 4th Committee and the Fred Hampton civil suit - the trial began about two weeks ago. Hank will ask Moam about the December 4th Committee and if Noam can write a piece for the newsletter on repression and CIA/RBI related things. Henk will put a note in the Jan. newsletter about people sending in records of firings and F.B.I./C.I.A. cases for a file that Resist will begin. Frank Joyce will write an article on busing for a future newsletter. Alan Hunter and others from Radical America may also de something on busing for the newsletter. Phil Wilato will be asked to write something about the situation in the South (recent police attacks, etc.)

OTHER REPORTS: One staff person can go to the Hard Times Conference if she chooses to do so. Jack Gurley should be sent a copy of the Dollars and Sense mailing that he signed. (other signers of the letter: Paddy Quick, Art McKewan, Bob Zevin, and Grace Paley). Louis will write Jack Weston that we'd like him to be a contact for Resist for Western Mass. José Terraro will be the new staff person (3 Hohers considered along with him).

MIQUESTS:

- 1. Prairie Fire Bookstore, Atlanta denied; their deficit was three times as much as their income, rent unnecessarily high; not clear that it is really the only independent revolutionary bookstore in Atlanta. opposition to political line of October League.
- 2. New York Women's School, Brooklyn \$200. Letter should mention demise of open admissions and whether they might offer courses relating to passing reading and writing tests.
- 3. Nomen Office Northers, N.Y. denied. They got substantial Bernstein money. We want to know wheter absence of anti-capitalist critique is conscious strategy.
- 4. Santa Fe Health Project -\$400. refer them to movement press.
- 5. Korea Bulletin, San Francisco \$200 \$100.
- 6.P.U.R.: (People United for Responsible Energy), Madison \$200. Frank will try to find out more about them.
- 7. Church of Brotherly Love, Scattle Up to \$200 contingent upon Bank checking group out with a friend.
- 8. Sunday News Gollective, Hadley \$200. ask them to keep in touch, in regards to their application to Haymarket.
- 8. Community Media Foundation postponed.
- 10. Contor for Servicements Rights postponed.
- 11. Black and Proud Liberation School; Jackson \$500 Bornstein money. Ask then what curricular materials they want. Refer them to IBA.
- 12. Irish Republican Club postponed.
- 13. Frank Joyce Highlander trip to Wales with miners. \$200 if Frank goes. The money can go to someone else if its needed.

ingula discussion: We discussed thy we did not get more strongly involved in Angolan issue. Frank thought we should tap the experience of the anti-war novement. The ad in the New York Times (Sunday the 18th) was not a good show - not just because Resist's are did not appear in it. We'll talk with Danny Scheeter about using a purmus poem he wrote and read for the Angolan Teach-in in Boston on Saturday the 17th, for the newsletter. We'll explore doing an ad. Connections should be made to Vietnam and Zaire. Interim Cormittee on ad - Frank, Wayne, staff. We'll try to get Scheeter heavily involved. We'll keep in touch with George Houser. We'll committ between \$1000 - \$1400 to ad.

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The next necting wil be on the 22nd of February at either Hank's or Ken's house. We'll discuss the New Call at that time.