SANCTIONS AND THE WAR

Economic sanctions are being applied against Fascist Italy. Arms embargos against Italy have been instituted. Credits to Mussolini have been cut off.

ALL THIS IS GOOD!

BUT--every student must realize that penalties against Italy in the form of sanctions are a double edged sword.

Properly and collectively applied they are an instrument for the restoration of peace. Individually applied they are an instrument of imperialist aggression.

We support COLLECTIVE SANCTIONS which will serve peace by weakening Italy and strengthening Ethiopia. We OPPOSE such sanctions, (military) and such methods of applying sanctions (typified in the role of Imperialist Britain), which would lead to the spreading of the Italo-Ethiopian war to the world arena.