

is more than half-way towards removing them."

Did you write that? A. I could not say, but I can tell you what I meant by the word "revolutionary --"

Q. No. You suggest you did not write this article?

A. No, I cannot suggest that.

Q. Do yourself justice before this committee. A. That is correct, I am. I am not suggesting that.

Q. I suggest to you you know very well, having regard to your position at that time, whether or not you wrote this article published in your own official organ, the Monthly Review. A. I have absolutely nothing to hide. I shall be candid and frank. I say I remember having written a document dealing with organizational problems. I have never seen this until to-day nor was I aware that it had been published. That is the honest truth. Now I cannot say this because I do not recall. If I could recollect it I should answer differently; but I certainly cannot remember the exact words. Perhaps it was edited partially.

Q. You told us a few moments ago that your party, as I understand you, condemned illegal action; is that right? Will you follow me? I turn to page 22 in what I suggest is your own article, published in the year of the war, and this is what I find:

"The only guarantee that we have that our Party will continue to give leadership to the daily mass struggles of the workers and their allies, the only guarantee that we have that we will take advantage of every legal possibility for mass work lies in the carrying through of Marxist-Leninist organizational principles, the organization of the Party on an illegal basis. Without such a party the working class struggle will be aimless and barren."

Did you write that?

(CC follows)