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/Following is the full translation of an article by Wang Ching, appearing in Pei-ching Jih-pao (Peking Daily), Peiping, 24 May 1960, page 3./

A slave is always loyal to his master. If, the master were to die, the slave would mourn. And when the master is sick, even his dog will cry in sorrow. Recently, when American imperialism was uncovered before the people of the world, the Tito bloc of Yugoslavia naturally mourned and cried.

But while Tito and his like mourned for their master's misfortune, they acted hypocritically as champions of justice. They said such things as "Than an American airplane flew over Soviet territory (attention: they didn't say 'violated' but 'flew') is not a major incident at the present time." This incident "should not" become "a pretext for a dispute of such magnitude"! Tito himself even shamelessly declared: "We who did not take part in the conference should not be just an onlooker in the cold war."

According to Tito, the American airplane's violation of Soviet territory was not "a major incident" but a small thing. If such reasoning is correct, then the people of the world aren't obliged to condemn the American bandit. If that were so, then American imperialists would escape safely under the cover of Tito! What a hypocrite! What a man, to dare to advocate that "we should not be just an onlooker in the cold war"! I bet the Tito clique trying to play a trick in order to turn attention away from their American master and help their master escape the just sentence of the people of the world.

And on the other hand, if the American violation of Soviet air space was not "a major incident," then the Soviet condemnation of the American bandit was only making a big thing out of nothing, which shouldn't be done. If the American airplane's violation of Soviet air space "should not" become "a pretext for a dispute of such magnitude," then the Soviet insistence on protecting its sovereignty, and the Soviet demand for apology from the American bandit, were also in the wrong. If these are so, then is it not true that the

responsibility for breaking up the summit conference and increasing international tension would rest on the shoulders of the Soviet Union! What a hypocrite is this champion of justice! What a man, to dare to advocate that he "should not be just an onlooker in the cold war"! The truth is that Tito was playing tricks, trying to shift the blame to the Soviet Union and make the American bandit an innocent victim.

But all this is fruitless. Even so, Tito babbled on: "We hope that responsible statesmen ... will recognize that saving face (Note: actually it is not "face" but sovereignty) should not be the most important thing." Truly, such words could issue only from the heart of a slave; because, from the point of view of a slave, since even his "soul" has already been sold, what does "face" matter as long as you give him money: "I take money from thee, I shall serve thee." Is it not true that the Tito clique received a loan of fifty-one million, five hundred thousand dollars from their American master last year and are they not therefore eager to bark for their master?

The American master's open provocation is truly malicious, but the slave's shooting an arrow in the dark is also very hateful!

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