

Hello,

Media coverage of last June's massacre of hundreds of political prisoners by the armed forces of the Peruvian government has been almost exclusively faithful to the "official story" -the victims themselves are blamed and the People's War is meant to be buried with them.

The enclosed documents are the reality . The original texts have appeared in a variety of Latin American press and were first translated into english and published by the 'Revolutionary Worker' (RCP,USA). They are:

1. A Resolution from the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Peru summing up the significance of the murders and declaring June 19th a "Day of Heroism";
2. A letter from a combatant, written in the midst of the three day battle against the armed forces assault;
3. The text of a leaflet circulated in the immediate aftermath by the Lima branch of the PCP.

We are also enclosing our own Statement of Outrage condemning the massacre. We would greatly appreciate your own signature and endorsement. The Statement and signatory list has been published in our local press and will soon appear nationally. Contributions are needed.

Also included is a list of other materials we can provide. Please make use of these in your work and make them known to others. It is vital that people learn of this outrage and denounce it.

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