

mentary bourgeois democratic right. The struggle against segregated schools, no matter under what leadership, likewise is not necessarily assimilationist in character, any more than the struggle against "white only" signs in washrooms in factories where millions of American workers toil.

II

A YEAR OF MEASURABLE GAIN

OCTOBER 6, 1975—It is now over a year since the city of Boston was selected by the racist and fascist forces in this country as the target for a mass campaign against the rights of Black people under the code name "anti-busing."

In the first weeks following the opening of the 1974 school year, it seemed as though the racist forces could spread their poisonous ideology and their violent attacks on Black people without any but the most scattered opposition. In a city praised by liberals as a "cradle of liberty," not one liberal voice was raised to expose the calculated nature of the racist campaign, or to show how it was being organized by open Nazis and Klan members.