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attention!

- 1- Since now the Independent Vietnam will publish three times a month. Special issues will come out if there is special work or ~~the~~ situations.
- 2- The Independent Vietnam newspaper will also issue document called "training programme on current affairs". This programme also published three times a month but it issues in written forms not in printed ones.
- 3- The Independent Vietnam also regularly publishes small booklets helping cadres and associate-members to study. This kind of booklet sometimes is printed and sometimes written.
In all levels of organizations offices have responsibilities to rewrite these documents then beat out for members to read.

quick, quick, quick
 Journalists need you
 to support quickly.

~~Comrades~~! Women
 - Comrades!

unless you have good health, you can not work well! if you want to have good health you have to keep hygienic. Special attention should be given to your menses.

If during the time of menses, you don't keep hygienic you will be full off, thus it will prevent you from taking part in Revolutionary activities and that will cause a lot of trouble for your family and organizations.

During your menses times, you must remember:

- 1- Do not take baths or soak yourself in water.
- 2- Do not do any hard work.
- 3- Do not eat rotten food.

5- while reading ^{The} newspaper or other documents, if you have any questions, please, sent them to journalists by correspondent, we will be very pleased to answer all your questions.

The Independent
newspaper.

A major slogan changed.
In the past, our main slogans were:

- all people unite
- prepared for armed uprisings
- Struggle against French and Japan!
- Independence for Vietnam

In these above-mentioned slogans, the slogan: "Struggle against French" now is not suitable. In the past we called for ^{the} struggle against French because at that time, French was invaded by German fascists. The Petain government in France surrendered Germany and in Vietnam the general governor, Đô Lin gave power to Japan. But since the German fascists were driven out of France and

women comrades, if you have menses, you have to tell it to your comrades in charge not to give you heavy work such as passing rivers.

That is normal thing, don't be saline.

- for the persons who are in charge of looking after women, you should pay more attentions to women comrades and often tell them to keep hygiene.

If anyone who is ~~ill~~
~~well~~ as a result of not knowing how to keep hygiene during your menses, please try to find herbal remedies such as drinking hot tea, you will recover quickly.

Degout government took power,
we can no longer call fighting
the French as before.

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Vietnam revolutionary movement

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France now is an important country
in the alliance against aggressions

France is now our ally in the
struggle against aggression and
fascists. If now we continue
carrying the same policy as in
the past, it means that we carry
a policy against our alliance.

That is not right.

But among the French in the
Indochina, there are still a handful
of French supporting Japan,
they refuse to go with alliance
against aggressions. They
suppress revolutionary movements
in Indochina. They are French
fascists. They are our enemy
as before. That is why we change
our slogan "fighting the French
and Japan" into "down with
the Japanese imperialist fascist
and the French fascists!"

Yugoslavia guerrillas' units

1- Yugoslava country is smaller than ours, its population is less than ours. It is invaded by Germany and Italy while we are invaded by Japan and French. Now Yugoslav guerrillas' units have driven the german and Italian troops out of their borders, reestablished their government. They are now well-known all over the five continents.

2- Yugoslav guerrillas' units comprise ~~of~~ thirty thousand persons. They fought against twenty-two divisions (fifteen eight thousand troops) of Germany and Italy.

Last year, ~~only~~ in a single battle, they have killed and arrested more than:

3500 German and Italian soldiers, and destroyed:

230 machine-guns

17 tanks

2 billion bullets and ammunition.

3- Why was Yugoslav guerrillas' units so heroic ~~but~~ and victorious like that?

At first, they also were also short of food, clothing, guns and ammunition. They suffered hungry and hardship.

News around our country and the world

1- The U.S. troops have won many victories in the Philippines and there are rumors in our country and abroad that U.S. troops will land on the Indochina to fight back the Japanese troops.

2- Our people in the enemy ranks (who are recruited the enemies' troops) this time will have to suffer many hardship. Everywhere we can hear their complaints.

If they station in the cities, everyday they have to evacuate to avoid the enemy's air attacks, if not but they will get bombed. If station in the country side, they have to patrol all day long, they

can't eat and sleep, the

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They have undergone many hardships and sufferings. Gradually they win their prestige and their victories.

H - The Yugoslav guerrillas' units have won such victories because the following reasons:

a) all their people are united.

In 30 thousand pioneers, nearly 10 thousand are women. in the units, they comprise workers, peasants, youths, officials, intellectuals, the rich, all ~~walks~~ of life.

b) Because they are very determined.

In newly guerrilla arisen areas, the enemy troops suppressed very ruthlessly - They burnt thousands of houses. They killed thousands of persons. But they are not frightened by ~~these crimes~~ and not shaken by ~~these crimes~~. They still forge ahead.

c) Because they are well organized.

In one day, the guerrillas rose up in many areas, they shocken the enemy. The enemy entrenched the East, the guerrillas fight the west. The enemy keep the South, the guerrillas ^{attack} fight the North. That is why the guerrillas, small in number and ammunitions, they still win victories.

worst can happen 3 when they receive bullets from the revolutionary forces by accidentally not ~~intendedly~~ - intentionally

3, They ^{are} rarely ~~get~~ hit by revolutionary bullets, because the revolutionaries never want to do harm to them.

Recently, in ~~Ba~~ ~~Brinh~~,
~~Prinh Village~~

Kê-Trong village, Mr Ba Lao-Brinh, led a group of 30 troops climbing to the top of a hill where revolutionary troops were hiding, a round of bullet fought, the ~~leader~~ from the top of the hill fought out, wounding the leading man, then all of them retreat and leave them behind. Then Mr Ba shouted: "fight" and wait for a long time when fighting became silent, they climb up again but ~~that~~ they couldn't arrest anyone -

d) Because they win the support of the people

They are very good at propaganda and organizing - That is why the enemy ruthlessly repress the people, they still support the guerrillas. Some give money, some give rice. Some do spying activities, others do liaison work. Many people suffer hungry and shortage of clothing, even selling their houses and lands to help the guerrillas.

e) Because they have patriotism

The Yugoslav people know humiliation of leaving the country. They are determined. They rather die than live in slave - They hold that sacrificing for the country is glorious one - That is why people and guerrillas unite as one. People wholeheartedly support guerrillas, guerrillas try utmost to attack the enemy. Thus Yugoslav guerrillas have won many victories. The Yugoslavia is liberated.

Now if we want set up guerrilla to fight back our enemy, reestablish our country, we have to learn the experience of the Yugoslav.

Then the wounded soldier complains that God witnessed for him that did not want to go ahead to find out the revolutionaries - That he only advanced forward according to Mr Bo's ~~sighting~~ shooting. He ~~were~~

intended to climb higher and then find somewhere to hide himself, but accidentally he was hit by the bullets -