

# Luta Popular [PCTP / MRPP] A Century Later: Where We Are and Where We Go?

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In this year 2017, while the heralds of fraud and lies try to silence the voice of reason, and with great displeasure all traitors to the working class seek to confuse the ways of civilization; the development of the class struggle continues its path towards the proletarian communist revolution!

The history of men's lives on earth, investigated and written by some gifted human beings, reveals that since the disappearance of the primitive community based on common ownership of the earth, the history of all societies has been the history of struggle of classes.

We know that before reaching the point where we are - the system of bourgeois class domination - other systems existed, with different classes and other dominators...

Modern bourgeois society, emerging from the ruins of feudal society, set in motion a new system of development of the productive forces and relations of production that gave rise to the replacement of the old classes, the old conditions of oppression, the old forms of struggle for others. new. In its struggle for power and as it came to grasp it, the bourgeoisie was sweeping away all sorts of feudal relations constituted as obstacles to the development of the new rising forces.

Progress with maritime discoveries and the conquest of new markets has boosted industry, leading to the creation, on the one hand, of a group of millionaires, leaders of a growing industrial army, and, on the other, a class of proletarians having nothing of their own but their workforce.

Each stage of the path taken by the bourgeoisie was accompanied by the corresponding political progress; until with the establishment of big industry and the world market, it finally conquered the exclusive hegemony of political power in the modern representative state, whose government is no more than a board that manages the common affairs of the whole bourgeois class!

Alongside the dizzying evolution of the bourgeoisie, the proletariat, the class of modern workers, has grown and developed, forced to sell themselves daily, a commodity, a commodity like any other, subject to all the vicissitudes of the world competition, to all market fluctuations...

As Marx says in the Communist Party Manifesto, “the *struggle of the proletariat against the bourgeoisie begins with its very existence.*” However, as long as his union and political class organization is not consolidated, he will always be at the mercy of the interests of the bourgeoisie...

In all past revolutions, by virtue of the circumstances surrounding them and the degree of development of the capitalist economic system in the countries in which they occurred, the proletariat has not yet been able to move towards the fulfilment of its historic mission of liberating all humanity from the domain of man's exploitation and oppression by man and, under the dictatorship of the proletariat, to build a classless communist society!

Since November 6, 2016, the date of the colloquium held in Urgeiriça, on the Centenary of the October 1917 Revolution, that Comrade Communist leader Arnaldo Matos, with his nationally and internationally known “*Urgeiriça Theses*”, has launched the debate, at the same time clarified why the two great revolutions in Russia in 1917 and in China in 1949 were not proletarian revolutions, much less established communism in those two countries.

Indeed, *“the clarification of the character and class nature of the Great October Revolution, led by Lenin, as well as the character and class nature of the New Democracy Revolution in China, led by Mao Zedong, It is of the utmost importance and of great relevance to the proletarians of all countries, as it has become clear that the establishment of monopolistic state capitalism in Russia and the People's Republic of China can only be directly related to nature of the October 1917 and 1949 revolutions, respectively, in Tsarist Russia and semi-feudal China. ”*

The question is, therefore, why the historical conditions are now in place for the proletariat to move forward in the fulfilment of its historic mission, as the present world situation suggests and the upheavals of the already dying global imperialism.

It was the bourgeoisie itself that invaded even the most recondite spaces, transformed the terrestrial globe into a unique world market, where only itself and its contradictions were in dispute; while on the opposite side, the immense army of the dispossessed stands in front of the proletariat, preparing for the final battle that can only end with the victory of the Proletarian Communist Revolution!

As Comrade Arnaldo Matos, Founder of PCTP / MRPP, tells us in his “Urgeiriça Theses”:

*“... We live on a planet where imperialism, the supreme and last stage of capitalism, has become globalized and globalized, that is, it has become dominant at the local level and at the general level. It is now that the wars between the great imperialist powers will intensify. Any of these wars will also tend to become global, as is the case with the imperialist war for the conquest of oil and raw materials in the near and Middle East. This war has been going on for over forty years and the tendency is to become increasingly globalized. From these imperialist wars will eventually be born the modern socialist proletarian revolutions, which - yes - are in a position to allow the destruction of the capitalist mode of production and to establish the new communist mode of production. ”*

Long live the Proletarian Communist Revolution!