

SOCIALIST TICKET REJECTS RED PLAN

Communists Proposed That All Candidates Except Lamont Withdraw

The Communist party is engaged in an ideological quarrel with the United Independent-Socialist ticket, which is headed by Corliss Lamont for the Senate and John T. McManus for Governor.

Mr. McManus disclosed yesterday that in the name of all five members of the Independent-Socialist slate he was rejecting a proposal by the Communist party that all candidates but Mr. Lamont withdraw from the ticket.

He made his position known at a meeting of campaign workers at Wingdale, N. Y. He noted that the proposal for the withdrawal of candidates had been made a week ago in *The Worker*, Communist weekly.

As independents, the candidates will need 12,000 signatures, including at least fifty in each county of the state, to get their names on the voting machines in November. Petitions must be filed by Sept. 9.

The other candidates of the United Independent-Socialist ticket are Dr. Annette T. Rubinstein, for Lieutenant-Governor; Scott K. Gray Jr., for Attorney General, and Capt. Hugh Mulzac, for Controller.

In an editorial yesterday, *The Worker* accused Mr. McManus of cooperating with Trotskyites and with having taken a position on the Hungarian situation at variance with the Communist party line.

The *Worker* said that it had proposed a single candidate so that maximum unity could be built around a "peace program as a primary issue."

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