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Lesson One

Chairman Mao Visits the Chili Ying People's Commune

Chili Ying, Hsinhsiang County, Honan Province, used to be just an ordinary village. But to-day, the moment you enter the place you sense something new and exciting in the air. The village has greatly changed. A public address system reaches every home; new drains are being laid in all the roads; and a new flour mill hums busily, Smoke rises from the community dining-room where all the villagers will soon be having their noon meal; for the women of Chili Ying have been liberated from the kitchen and do all kinds of work alongside the men. The people of Chili Ying are following the road pointed out by Chairman Mao. They have set up a People's Commune.

On the afternoon of August 6th, 1958, Chairman Mao arrived at Chili Ying. He visited its nursery, home for the aged, community dining-

room, flour mill and ball-bearing factory. Later he went out to inspect the cotton crop in the field.

In the home for the aged, Chairman Mao shook hands and chatted with the old people who are spending the evening of their lives in happiness there. At the ball-bearing factory he followed each step in the process with keen interest and praised the small plant for producing over 5,000 ball-bearings in two days.

Chairman Mao was especially delighted to see the fine fields of cotton stretching away as far as the eye could see. Some women members of the commune were just spraying the cotton with insecticide. Chairman Mao went up to them and asked, "Do you mind showing me how the spraying is done?" The six women were only too happy to demonstrate their equipment to their dear leader.

When Chairman Mao stepped into the almost shoulder-high cotton, he commented again and again on the fine crop. As he was leaving he asked the commune cadres: "How much cotton have you got like this?" The commune director answered

that they had 10,500 mu, and that 5,000 mu of it was of the same fine quality. "We guarantee 1,000 jin of cotton from each mu," he said, "and we're doing our best to get 2,000." Chairman Mao turned to the Provincial Party Secretary with a smile, and said: "The prospect's certainly bright, Secretary Wu. When the whole of Honan's like this, it'll be fine, eh!" "With one commune like this," the secretary said, "there are bound to be a lot more." "Yes," Chairman Mao answered, "with one commune like this, there will be thousands of others!"

New Words

county ['kaunti] n. 县
province [provins] n. 省,省份
just [dʒAst] adv. 仅仅,只是
ordinary ['o:dnri, 'o:dinori] adj.
普通的
enter ['ento] v.t. 进入
sense [sens] v.t. & n. 感覚
excite [ik'sait, ek-] v.t. 使兴奋
address [o'dres] n. 住址; 致詞
system ['siʒtim] n. 系統; 制度

drain [drein] n. 排水道,阴沟flour [flauə] n. 面粉 mill [mil] n. 工厂 hum [hʌm] v.i. 嗡嗡地响 smoke [smouk] n. 烟 community dining-room [kəmju: niti d'ainin rum] 公共食堂 villager ['vilidʒə) n. 村里的人 noon [nu:n] n. 中午 meal [mi:l] n. 餐,飯

liberate [Tibəreit] v.t. 解放 kitchen ['kitsin] n. 廚房 alongside [ə'lənsaid] prep. 和… 一起

follow ['folou] v.t. 跟随 point [point] v. 指点,指出 set [set] (set, set) v. 安置; 落 (太阳等)

arrive [ə'raiv] v.i. 到达,抵达 nursery ['nə:sri] n. 托儿所 age [eid3] n. & v. 年龄; 老 ball-bearing ['bo:lbeərin] n. 滾珠 抽承

later ['leitə] adv. 后来 inspect [in'spekt] v.t. 視察, 检閱 shake [[eik] (shook [[uk], shaken ['[eikn]) v. 搖, 搖动 chat [tʃæt] n. & v.i. 閑談 . step [step] n. & v. 步, 步驟; 跨 步, 踏步 process ['prouses] n. 过程,程序

keen [ki:n] adj. 强烈的 心

plant [pla:nt] n. IF produce [prə'dju:s] v.t. 生产. 造

especially [is'pe[əlli] adv. 特别, 尤其 delighted [di'laitid] adj. 高兴, 愉 快 stretch ['strets] v. 延伸 spray [sprei] v. 噴洒 insecticide [in'sektisaid] n. 杀虫药 mind [maind] v. & n. 留意,在意; 心思 demonstrate ['demonstreit] v. 演(操作) equipment [i'kwipment] n. 装置, 設备 almost ['a:lmoust] adv. 差不多, 几平 shoulder ['fouldal n. 肩膀 comment ['kəment] v.i. 評論 cadre ['ka:dr) n. 干部 quality ['kwəliti] n. 品質, 質量 guarantee [gærən'ti:)v. t. & n. 保証 provincial [prə'vin[əl] adj. 省的 secretary ['sekritəri] n. 書記 interest ['intrist] n. & v. 兴趣; 关 | prospect ['prospekt] n. 前途, 远 曇 eh [ei] int. 嗯,啊 bound [baund] adj. 必定的,开 往 … 的; n. 跳跃

Notes to the Text

1. The moment you enter the place you sense something new and exciting in the air.

你一到那儿,就会感覚到一种叫人兴奋的新气氛。 the moment you enter the place 是状語从句,等于 as soon as you enter the place.

- 2. public address system: 有綫广播網
- 3. ······ all the villagers will soon be having their noon meal: ······ 村子里所有的人很快就要吃午飯了。这里所有的时态是将来进行时。将来进行时由动詞 to be 的一般将来时形式和現在分詞构成。将来进行时通常表示在将来的某时某刻某一动作正在进行。例如:

They will be making steel this time tomorrow. 明天这个时候他們在炼鋼。

They will be having classes in the morning. We'd better come in the afternoon.

他們旱晨在上課。我們下午来吧。

有时将来进行时表示預期或是按計划在将来将要发 生的事情。例如:

> We shall be seeing him pretty soon. 我們很快就要看到他了。

4. They are following the road pointed out by Chair-

man Mao. 他們沿着毛主席指出的道路前进。

printed out 形容 road.

to point out: 指出

to set up: 建立

- 5. the home for the aged: 幸福院, 敬老院 the aged [ði'eidʒid]: 老年人
- 6. to shake hands with······: 和······握手, hands 用 复数。
- 7. spending the evening of their lives in happiness there: 正在那里幸福地度过他們的晚年。
- 8. stretching away as far as the eye could see:
 —眼望不到边的。(照字面譯是: 延展到眼睛所能看到的最远处。)
- 9. Do you mind showing me how the spraying is done? 讓我看看怎样噴葯水好嗎?

Do you mind 加动名詞表示請求別人做一件事。 更客 气的說法是 would you mind ······ 如:

Would you mind showing me the way to the library? 請你指給我上图書館去的路好嗎?

10. The six women were only too happy to demonstrate their equipment to their dear leader.

这六位妇女能給他們亲爱的領袖表演噴洒葯水,除了高兴之外还能有什么呢。

only too happy to ·····: 能够 ····· 那是再高兴也沒

有了。

- 11. shoulder-high: 齐肩的。
- 12. again and again: 再三地, 屡次地。
- 13. With one commune like this, there are bound to be a lot more. 这样的公社有了一个, 那就一定会有很多和它一样的。

Exercises

- 1. Answer the following questions:
 - 1) Where is the Chili Ying People's Commune?
 - 2) How has the village changed since they set up the people's commune?
 - 3) When did Chairman Mao arrive at Chili Ying?
 - 4) What did Chairman Mao do in the home for the aged?
 - 5) What did Chairman Mao do at the ball-bearing factory?
 - 6) What were the women members doing when Chairman Mao went to the cotton field?
 - 7) What did Chairman Mao ask them to do?
 - 8) How much shoulder-high cotton had the commune got?
 - 9) What had the commune guaranteed and what were the members working hard for?

- 10) What did Chairman Mao say to the Provincial Party Secretary when he was leaving?
- 2. Translate the following into Chinese, paying attention to the different meanings of the words in italics:
 - 1) When they came into the community diningroom, the members of the commune were *just* having their noon meal.

Don't think he is *just* an ordinary worker. He has invented a lot of new machines.

2) The Chinese people are following the road pointed out by the Communist Party.
Follow me. I'll take you to the director.
At the flour mill the visitors followed each step.

At the flour mill the visitors followed each step in the process with great interest.

Answer the following questions in English.

- 3) If the imperialists lost their senses and dare to start a new war they will be finished.
 As I came into the classroom this morning, I sensed something exciting in the air.
- 4) Ball-bearings are widely used by peasants. They used to do morning exercises everyday. The machine is ready for use. Comrade Wang is from the North and is not used to the weather in Shanghai.

- 3. Translate the following into English, paying attention to the use of the tenses:
 - 1) 下星期三这个时候我們在种树。
 - 2) 昨天下午四点的时候我們在打籃球。
 - 3) 明天这个时候他們很快就要来到了。
 - 4)我們的学校工厂已經建成了。它很快就要开工。
 - 5)他說他已經讀过这本書。
- 4. Make sentences with the following phrases and expressions:

set up, point out, again and again, only too happy to....., be bound to

Lesson Two

What Is Knowledge?

(By Mao Tse-tung)

What is knowledge? Ever since the existence of class society there have been in the world only two kinds of knowledge: that which concerns the struggle for production and that which concerns the class struggle. The natural and social sciences are the crystallisations of these two kinds of knowledge, and philosophy is the generalisation and summary of the knowledge of both nature and so-

ciety. Is there any other knowledge besides these? No. Now let us look at some students, the students who have been brought up in schools completely divorced from the practical activities of society. How about them? A man proceeds from a primary school of that sort to a university of the same sort, takes his diploma, and is regarded as stocked with knowledge. But all that he has is knowledge of books, and he has not yet taken part in any practical activities or applied in any branch of social life the knowledge he has acquired. Can such a person be regarded as a complete intellectual? Hardly so; because his knowledge is not yet complete. What then is comparatively complete knowledge? All comparatively complete knowledge is acquired through two stages, first the stage of perceptual knowledge and secondly the stage of rational knowledge, the latter being the development of the former to a higher plane. What sort of knowledge is the bookish information of the students? Granted that their information is entirely true knowledge, it is still not knowledge

cquired through their own personal experience ut only a matter of theories written down by their prefathers to sum up the experiences of the truggle for production and of the struggle between lasses. It is entirely necessary that they should therit this kind of knowledge, but it must be nderstood that in a certain sense such knowledge to them still something one-sided, something hich has been verified by others but not yet by nemselves. The most important thing is that they nould be well versed in applying such knowledge life and practice. Therefore, I should advise lose who have only bookish knowledge but little c no practical experience that they should be ware of their own shortcomings and be modest.

How can we turn those intellectuals who have ily bookish knowledge into real intellectuals? he only way is to make them take part in practical ork so that they will become practical workers id to make those who are engaged in theoretical ork study important practical problems. Then ir aim can be achieved.

New Words

knowledge ['nɔlidʒ] n. 知識, 学 | proceed [prə'si:d, pro's-] v.i. 識 class [kla:s] n. 阶級 society [sə'saiəti] n. 計会 concern [kən'sə:n] v.t. & n.和…… 有关系,关系 production [prə'dʌkʃən, pro'd-] n. 生产,产物 natural ['nætʃrəl,-tʃer-] adj. 自然 的, 自然界的 social ['sou[əl] adj. 社会的, 社 会上的 crystallisation [kristəlai'zei[ən] n. 結晶 philosophy [fi'losəfi] n. 哲学 generalisation [dʒenəræli'zei[ən] 概括 n. summary ['sʌməri] n. 摘要. 总結 completely [kəm'pli:tli] adv. 完全 地 divorce [di'vo:s] v.t. 脱离, 脱节 latter ['lætə] adj. 后面的 practical ['præktikəl] adj. 实际 的, 实际上的

过,进行 existence [ig'zistəns, eg-] n. 存在 | primary ['praiməri] adj. 初步的, 最好的 sort [so:t] n. 种类 diploma [di'ploumə] n. 毕业証書 regard [ri'ga:d] v.t. & n. 看待; 关系 stock [stok] v.t. 貯藏 yet [jet] adv. 还是,仍然;可是 apply [ə'plai] v.t. 应用 branch [bra:ntʃ] n. 部門; 树枝 acquire [ə'kv aiə] v.t. 获得,得到 intellectual [inti'lektjuəl] n. 分子 comparatively [kəm'pæretivli] adv. 比較 stage [steid3] n. 阶段,时期,步驟 perceptual [pə'septjuəl] adj. 感性 的 rational ['ræsnl] adj. 理性的 development [di'veləpmənt] n. 发 展

former ['fo:mə] adj. 前的 plane [plein] n. 阶段 bookish ['buki[] adj. 書本上的 information [infə'mei[ən] 消息, 知識 grant [qra:nt] v.t. 假定 entirely [in'taiəli] adv. 完全, 純 粹 personal ['pə:snl] adj. 个人的, 亲 身的 experience [iks'piorions, eks-] n. 經驗,体驗 matter ['mætə] n. 事情, 事件 theory ['eiəri] n. 理論 forefather ['fo:fo:ðə] n. 祖先, 先 X sum [sʌm] n. & v. 总計, 总結

前面的; 从 | inherit [in herit] v.t. 継承 one-sided [wʌn'saidid] adj. 片面 的 verify ['verifai] v.t. 証明, 証实 versed [və:st] adj.熟練的. 涌路的 practice ['præktis] n. 实践, 实际 therefore ['ŏɛəfə:, -fəe] adv. 因 此, 所以 advise [əd'vaiz] v.t. 劝告, 忠告 aware [ə'wɛə] adj. 知道, 注意到 shortcoming [ʃɔ:t'kʌmiŋ] n. 缺点 modest ['modist] adj. 謙虚的 engage [in'qeid3] v.i. 从事 theoretical [oiə'retikəl] adj. 理論 的 problem ['problem] n. 問題, 难題 aim [eim] n. & v. 目的, 目标; 指望,企图

Notes to the Text

- 1. ever since: 自从.....以来。
- 2. that which concerns the struggle for production and that which concerns the class struggle: 这里的两个說明前面的 two kinds of knowledge
- 3. to bring up: 培养, 撫育。
- 4. to take one's diploma: 領到毕业証書, 毕业。

- 5. to be regarded as: 被看作, 算是。
- 6. to take part in...... 参加......。
- hardly so = Such a person can hardly be regarded as a complete intellectual.
- 8. only a matter of. 只不过是。
- ' 9. to sum up: 总結。
- 10. in a certain sense: 就某种意义来說,就一定的情况說来。
- 11. to be well versed in. 善于.......
- 12. to be aware (of): 明白, 知道。
- 13. to be engaged in. 从事于。

Exercises

- 1. Answer the following questions:
 - 1) How many kinds of knowledge have been there in the world since the existence of class society? And what are they?
 - 2) What are the crystallisations of these two kinds of knowledge? And what is philosophy?
 - 3) What kind of school gives knowledge of books only?
 - 4) Can students who have been brought in such schools be regarded as complete intellectuals? Why?