

Please relay your opinion to Kharkiv.

Molotov, Kaganovich

**Letter from Molotov and Kaganovich to Stalin
on the Ukrainian Party Conference and grain-procurement plan**

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To Comrade Stalin

Today we discussed the draft of the resolution and the conference with the Politburo CC CP(B)U. We said the draft resolution was unacceptable in its weak criticism of CC CP(B)U leaders for affairs in the countryside.... All Politburo members, including [Mykola] Skrypyk, spoke for reducing the plan....

We categorically rejected a revision of the plan.... We think that the resolution should express dissatisfaction with the CC CP(B)U for affairs in the countryside in the last while. Please provide your thoughts.²

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