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Bankers Declare Class War

W YORK, Sept. 12 (IPS) — There must be economic War until 1985. The only thing that can prevent this is a rebellion by the working class against their decreasing share of the social product."

Behind this battle cry, issued by the Swiss bankers' daily Neue Zuercher Zeitung, the top layers of the capitalist class are preparing to withstand a collapse of the international credit markets — deferred from July — by launching a 1934-style assault on workers' living standards throughout the advanced sector.

Back-to-back meetings of the capitalists' leading bodies, starting with last week's Siena meeting on the "Chileanization" of Italy and Great Britain and culminating in the annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund on September 30, are slapping the Rockefeller family's discipline upon the ranks of the bourgeoisie. No hesitation, no considerations for "national interests" are to be tolerated: no banker or finance minister who strays from his battle station will endure the storms of the next weeks. Not a penny will go to back up one hundred billion dollars of speculators' money in the international market. The eighty billion dollars squeezed out of the hides of the world's workers through the oil hoax is earmarked, every penny, for building the pyramids of Rockefeller's Fourth Reich.

"The conflict of goals," writes the Neue Zuercher Zeitung, the pack-leader of the CIA press, "between the workers' demands for securing their future and their children's, and the demands of (the capitalist class), must quickly gain intensity."

Rockefeller's Mobilization Schedule

Member nations of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries meet today in Vienna to "ratify" production cutbacks of 20 per cent already enforced at Persian Gulf pumping stations by the Rockefeller oil cartels, and to push the price of crude oil upwards by 14 per cent over and above the quadrupling of oil prices last winter.

While the CIA press creates an atmosphere of hysteria around the "new oil crisis," virtually the same group of men, Rockefeller's hitmen in central banks and finance ministries, have been closeted daily, hammering out the precise implementation of this second and more vicious round of attacks on workers' living standards.

Sept. 1 — Under the baton of Chase Manhattan's Eugene Birnbaum, braintrusters and bankers meet near

Sien a to discuss the Chilean road prepared for Italy and Great Britain, as IPS revealed in an exclusive last week. In addition, the Siena affair boosts David Rockefeller's long-standing proposal to use the European Bank for International Settlements as a cover to "recycle" the Arab oil loot out of the shaky financial markets directly into Rockefeller's pyramids.

Sept. 2 — The Commission of the European Economic Community kicks off an 800 billion dollar "Regional Fund," designed to recycle workers from the "overpopulated" industrial belt into "development projects" in the backwaters of the continent.

Sept. 4 — West German finance minister Hans Apel announces a new "bank stability" program, to shovel busted banks into the jaws of the West German Reconstruction Bank — the same institution that dispensed Marshall Plan money in the 1940s for Rocky's German "economic miracle." Other Apel measures include demands for a de facto rollback in bank lending, and an effective cutoff of the import-export activity of smaller German banks. (At a press conference today, German Federal Bank president Karl Klasen shook his head and muttered "We have done all we can do," when an IPS reporter asked his opinion of the economic warfare demands of the Neue Zuercher Zeitung, British finance minister Denis Healy, and Ford economist Alan Greenspan.)

Sept. 8 — Finance ministers of the Big Five industrial countries meet secretly outside Paris. Representing the gathering, French Finance Minister Fourcade bluntly told reporters that all decisions concerning the world economy would be dictated by himself and his colleagues: Treasury Secretary William Simon of the U.S., West Germany's Apel, Denis Healy of Great Britain, and whatever Japanese representative has the temerity to leave the island. Guido Carli, Italy's Central Bank chief, also joined the meeting, presumably in a consultative capacity.

The conclusions of the meeting? Again, Die Welt reported, chuck the shaky markets in favor of a single recycling bank, the Bank for International Settlements. Sept. 9 — Central Bank chiefs meet at the Bank for International Settlements to discuss..."the topics of discussion among the finance ministers," according to the official press release. Conference sources told reporters that the control of banks' operations within

their own countries and internationally was the lead topic. Apel's "strangulation corset" for banks, as it was described by a German financial daily, was the central bankers' working model.

Sept. 9 — Italian Finance Minister Colombo told a financial reporter, "Strictly national policies must be excluded, if a return to the great depression is to be avoided." Colombo referred to the upcoming meeting of the International Monetary Fund for a solution to the problem of "recycling oil dollars" (read: recycling your family). Colombo suggested that the new European "development" bank should consider investments in the impoverished Italian south!

Sept. 10 -Neue Zuercher Zeitung prints the call to class warfare cited above. It said, "The most probable development is a very considerable lowering of oil imports without any corresponding substitution. If this leads to grave political changes, developments are only possible if they lead to a 'Chinese' standard of living which would make oil imports as well as oil substitutions almost superfluous." Are you listening Gerald Ford, Olaf Palme, Franz-Joseph Strauss? Immediately, the Neue Zuercher Zeitung demands are echoed by Denis Healy the British Finance Minister, and Alan Greenspan of Ford's junkyard of economists.

Sept. 12 — As noted, OPEC ministers meet in Vienna to give the second oil hoax a big sendoff.

Sept. 16 — Finance Ministers of the European Economic Community meet to discuss the possibility of borrowing several billion dollars from the Arabs...to finance European recycling via the Bank for International Settlements.

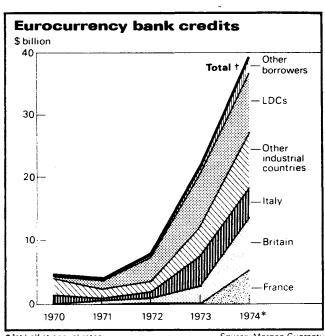
Sept. 30 — Every capitalist country will be represented at the annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund, to have the decisions of the previous round of meetings shoved down their throats by their senior partners.

This timetable excludes further conferences on the same lines staged by the American Bankers Association, Stephen Bechtel's Conference Board, and other Rockefeller covens.

Who but an idiot can object to the idea of conspiracy? This sickening daisy-chain of secret meetings doesn't deserve the term conspiracy; it is open battle maneuvers by the capitalist class with trumpets blaring,

"How to Survive In..."

Leading capitalist circles are no longer discussing the possibility of a depression, but how to survive it. Entitling its September issue "Survival: The Only Game In Town," one elite financial journal writes, "For anybody involved in international finance the next year is going to be extremely unpleasant It will be simply a question of keeping head above water."

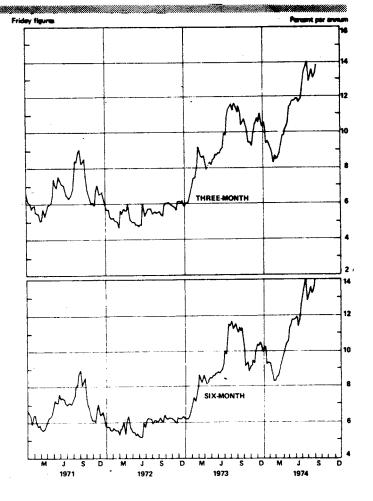


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Source Morgan Guaranty

Debt-strapped capitalists fought to put off loan repayments last July by borrowing three and six-month money, pushing interest rates to an insupportable 14 per cent on the Eurodollar market. This debt comes due this month, and the market will come down with it.



Echoing the Rockefeller and Co. proposal for fascist state economy (under various covers such as the Bank for International Settlements), the rag explains: "Prizes will go to institutions that can find a niche in the state's increasing functions...the state has become about the only source of risk capital...it is surely the most sensible policy to build bridges with the one source of funds that remains — governments. They, after all, can print the stuff."

As IPS reported last issue, approximately fifty billion dollars of three month debt comes due at the end of September: the crash deferred from July. The accompanying graph shows the borrowing bulge in three and six month Eurodollars starting in July, as debtors attempted to put off repayment of long-term debt coming due [see graph 2] in the second quarter. Japan's share alone is eight billion dollars within two or three weeks; Japanese bank spokesmen today told IPS that they did not yet know whether these loans could be refinanced for another swing round.

This week, the Euromarket collapse took its first victim, the small Cosmos Bank of Zurich. Innocent of any speculation — unlike Franklin National, Herstatt, and other recent casualties — the Cosmos Bank simply could not borrow three-month money, and had to shut its doors. As the London *Financial Times* warned, every "Eurobank" relies as heavily on regular doses of short-term money as did Cosmos.

The Eurodollar market, the international lending pool of dollars and other currencies held outside their home countries, is an unstable merry-go-round of short-term debt. Half of the market is composed of money on loan for one to seven days; only one-fifth [shown in graph 2] is medium and long-term credit. In turn, these bundles of money are lent and re-lent several times over, so that the

total volume of Eurocurrency loans reached the height of four-hundred billion dollars, although the "net size" of the market, after double-counting is deducted, is less than two-hundred billion dollars.

This great mass of fluff has two rickety legs: speculation in commodities, and speculation in international currencies. In the last two weeks, both of these have been kicked away. As reported, the credit squeeze has forced commodity speculators and users to dump their inventory on the market to obtain ready cash. Japan's copper dumping has driven the price down by 25 per cent in three weeks. But apart from the debt-strapped Japanese, one trader said, "No one has any use for the stuff; copper tubing for home construction is already down by half.

The World's Last Capitalist

In turn, the collapse of commodity market prices shuts off credit to third world countries who rely on copper, zinc, iron ore, and bauxite for their foreign exchange. The huge growth of the Eurodollar market from 1970 onwards was partially founded on the boom in these countries' trading accounts with London or Zurich banks. Having expanded like an accordion, the Eurodollar market will collapse the same way.

But the Rockefeller family is not concerned with its losses on the fringes of their empire. It intends to get through the "unpleasant surprises" of the next two months, in the words of the London Financial Times, emerging as the world's last capitalist. Backed by a fascist state looting machine as a source of "development" money, the Rockefellers can "print the stuff" — create all the paper money they need — provided there is not "rebellion of the working class against a "Chinese" standard of living.

Rockefeller Rigs Second Oil Hoax

Sept. 9 (IPS) — The vast international administrative and diplomatic machine of Rockefeller's world oil cartel has again been activated and is now in full swing organizing a second international Oil Hoax whose full impact — by all indications worse than last winter's — will be felt in about six to eight weeks.

The oil-producing countries will be meeting in Vienna this Saturday officially to ratify a decision to reduce world production of crude oil by another 10 to 20 per cent worldwide — as proposed by Kuwait, a Rockefellerowned oil field in the Arab Gulf whose only claim to nationhood is a separate bank account at Chase Manhattan Bank.

These oil production cutbacks already have begun in every oil-producing country. Venezuela already cut daily production by 14 per cent: CIA-controlled Iran announced a 10 per cent cut. Shipments out of Saudi Arabia have been curtailed drastically as Aramco (Rocky's Arabian American Company) cut trans-Lebanon pipeline shipments by 60 per cent according to the Wall Street Journal and carrier shipments by another 10 per cent according to the company itself. According to industry estimates, Saudi Arabia already has cut daily production of crude by 138,000 barrels; Iran by 121,000; and Abu Dhabi by 50,000.

The immediate result of these already effected cutbacks is the drastic reduction of stockpiles in North America and Western Europe that are accumulated each summer to cover the increased consumption for the winter months. The production cuts to be formally ratified this coming Saturday in Vienna will result in completely wiping out the remainder of the winter supplies and, on top of this, reducing world consumption by another 7 to 10 per cent, according to IPS estimates.

The motivation for this decision by Rockefeller is obvious: last winter's Oil Hoax directly produced 500,000 unemployed in the first three months of the year. Many of these workers are now recycled into slavelabor jobs as, for example, is the case with the unemployed auto workers in Michigan. The new Oil Hoax immediately will cause another 600,000 to 700,000 unemployed in the United States alone, in a matter of a few weeks.

The other major related objectives are the gutting of the Italian and French economies this winter, with special emphasis on Italy which is now being given the Chilean treatment — deliberate cutting of financial resources and raw materials designed to create an absolutely chaotic situation that will destroy the last shreds of political order and the Communist Party as well.

Yesterday's meeting in Paris of the U.S., German, French, British and Japanese Finance Ministers to discuss "ideas for much more massive recycling of oil money," indicates where the new Oil Hoax is headed: Throughout Western Europe and the U.S., extensive machinery for labor-intensive investments to absorb the new masses of unemployed workers and realize the necessary profits on the Rockefeller billions by working these masses to death in the North Sea, the Rocky Mountains, and the Rio de la Plata in Brazil. While in Western Europe this machinery is not yet quite consolidated, here in the U.S. it is represented by the "Project Independence," energy development schemes for which Secretary of Treasury Simon is demanding a \$100 billion-a-year investment fund.

Arabs Cut Their Profits

Rockefeller is the fact that the **production cutbacks** immediately hurt the revenue of every oil-producing country involved in the cutbacks. If they do not couple the production cut with a new price increase, an unlikely assumption, their revenue loss will be about 10 per cent. Ironically they will lose even more money if they do push a further price increase — since the world market is so pressured by last year's 400 per cent price increase that it cannot take any more. According to experts, given the present insane price structure of the petroleum markets, a 0.9 per cent increase in the price of crude oil will automatically result in a 5 per cent decrease in consumption — thus absolutely reducing total oil revenues.

This should make it obvious that no Arab government is in control of this situation. Only the Rockefeller financiers — fully determined to scrap part of their oil billions in favor of slave-labor energy developments — could have made this decision.

So long as Venezuela has not been placed on a blind trust pending Nelson Rockefeller's confirmation in Congress. that country's cutbacks in production are Rockefeller's responsibility. The same goes for Iran which is run by a State Department-CIA team of 6.000

agents under the command of ex-CIA director Richard Helms.

Saudi Arabia, the other major Middle East oil producer, was forced into a production cutback in the past two months because, according to reports published in the Wall Street Journal August 27, Aramco's parent companies (Exxon, Standard Oil, Texaco, and Gulf) refused to ship more oil in a deliberate attempt to reduce the world crude oil supplies. In addition, Aramco first drastically cut pipeline shipments arguing that reduced oil-carrier cargo rates make sea transport more profitable. After thus cutting pipeline transport by 60 per cent, Aramco announced a cut in sea shipments because of "bad weather" — a condition in the Persian Gulf that has not bothered seagoing vessels since the days of Sinbad the Sailor.

In short, in every oil-producing country except Iraq, the present production cuts are carried out on orders by the Rockefeller tribe. Iraq itself was forced first to curtail its pipeline shipments by 60 per cent because of sabotage and military operations by the CIA force of Kurdish guerrillas under General Barzani that threaten to burn the Kirkuk oilfields as well as the pipelines. Only as a result of these transportation difficulties did the Iraqi government curtail its production.

Project Independence

This new Oil Hoax is the strongest piece of evidence—and a conclusive one—that the capitalist leadership around the Rockefeller faction has made a risky decision to "damn all torpedoes" and try to put the working class here and in Europe through the wringer in the next three months.

Oil Hoax to be Followed by Massive Power Cuts, Gas Shortages

Sept. 15 (IPS) — The Rockefeller brothers are backing up their new Oil Hoax with massive cutbacks of electrical power and natural gas production in the U.S. Even before the full effects of Rockefeller-ordered Arab and Venezuelan oil production cuts hit on the North American continent, the working class will find its factories and homes without heat and electricity on a broader scale this winter than last year, and tens of thousands of workers will hear their layoffs attributed to the phony "energy shortage."

In recent months U.S. electrical utilities have scrapped approximately \$12 billion in new plant construction and reduced normal maintenance budgets to near zero, bringing the nation's electric power network to the brink of widespread mechanical breakdown in an effort to refinance Rockefeller-manipulated skyrocketing company debt. Utility rates have increased by 25-100 per cent in many areas.

Following last winter's 10-15 per cent cuts in natural gas production, the Federal Power Commission has announced that "tight supplies" of natural gas will force gas companies to curtail deliveries by more than 25 per cent this winter, while Rockefeller spokesmen are demanding the elimination of all pricing restrictions on natural gas, a move that would immediately double prices.

Ford Foundation Work Camps

IPS intelligence personnel have discovered an unpublished Ford Foundation report, scheduled for release at the height of "energy crisis" hysteria in October, which blueprints the fascist labor-intensive, deindustrialized society Rockefeller aims to create if he can crush working-class resistance with his total energy cutoff. It is this vast human recycling mill on the Brazilian model, not the grabbing of a few paltry millions, which is the purpose of the 1974-model Oil Hoax and related Rockefeller-enforced energy destruction.

Directed by fascist planner David Freeman, head of McGeorge Bundy's Ford Foundation Energy Policy Project, the report calls for the resettlement of more than one million people into 20 rural concentration camps, to be established in "underdeveloped areas" of the U.S. In these so-called communities, workers and their families will live exclusively in barracks; private single-family housing will be banned. Privately owned automobiles will be forbidden. All production will be organized on a labor-intensive basis "to provide job opportunities for the unemployed." A modified version of the plan is proposed as the basis for reorganizing U.S. cities.

To manage energy non-production toward this goal, Rockefeller man William Simon, Secretary of the Treasury, has formed a new "unofficial" government body to coordinate energy policy ... from the Treasury Department! This will remove immediate operational control of "energy crisis" organizing from the fumbling fingers of John Sawhill, Simon's successor as chief of the Federal Energy Administration. Sawhill has been an embarrassment to the Rockefeller conspirators as he stumped the country for the Project Independence energy swindle, whose advertised goal — making the U.S. self-sufficient in energy production — Sawhill publicly admits is impossible. Sawhill has failed to line up even oil company executives behind some features of the energy projects: Mobil Oil President Tavoulareas openly admits that oil shale and tar sands development is ecologically, technologically, and financially unsound.

Breakdown of Power Industry

The imminent breakdown of the electrical power industry as a result of the widespread equipment failure has been engineered deliberately by Rockefeller-controlled banks and investment houses. In recent months, following the removal of utility bonds' tax exempt status last year, investment bank consortiums headed by David Rockefeller's Chase Manhattan Bank, First National City Bank, and Lehman Brothers, which normally buy new utility bond offerings for resale in smaller blocs to individuals and corporate investors, have refused to purchase new issues. When outright refusal has been impractical, by prior arrangement only one of the major banks would appear at the bidding and submit a contemptuously low offer.

In consequence, utilities have been forced to turn to commercial banks for direct short-term loans, expanding their interest payment schedule geometrically. This means that they are borrowing more money at higher costs to pay off past debts — a typical Rockefeller loan shark operation.

In recent months this has been reflected in rate hikes of 25-100 per cent in most regions of the country. To begin with, last January's steep rise in costs of oil was used to institute an automatic pass-through of utilities' fuel costs. In June Sawhill held his first utilities emergency meeting to encourage state utilities commissions to institute this automatic pass-through procedure for all additional costs. Two weeks ago Lehman Brothers held a "state of emergency" meeting of bankers, utility executives, and state commission members to cover the orderly retreat of capital out of the utility industry. Now Sawhill has called his second emergency meeting for Sept. 19-22.

Winter Storm

This second meeting will ratify large-scale destruction of electric power capacity, as new strategies are put into operation to milk consumers and reduce operating costs to pay off expanding debt. Few utilities will weather the storm of debt collection this winter, as older and inefficient plants are "rationalized" out of existence under the cover of "conservation of energy." The extent of this catastrophic "rationalization" will be determined directly by whether the Rockefeller cabal estimates that working-class resistance can be contained in the safe arena of discussion of "how much energy must we conserve" and "make sure your neighbor doesn't take more than his share," or whether it spills over into political organizing for fusion power development.

But there can be little doubt that the first severe winter storm will wipe out large quantities of neglected, unreinforced overhead wiring. It will take already shortmanned repair crews weeks to restore the overhead wires. An electrical blackout will not only force workers' families back to candles, but, as oil and natural gas furnaces in homes are electrically regulated, will result in heating cutoffs in homes as well. The standard of living once available at the flick of an electric switch will become a matter of life and death this winter.

Not only has the \$12 billion slash in construction of new generating plants eliminated tens of thousands of construction jobs, but it has cut orders for heavy equipment from ten or so small speciality manufacturers and the two giants, GE and Westinghouse. Reductions in orders of turbines, boilers, reactors, and generating motors have resulted in chain-reaction production cuts in high-quality steel for industrial machinery. Tens of thousands of skilled workers in heavy industry are being laid off, to be offered re-employment in labor-intensive primitive energy extraction in the Rocky Mountain States, or on isolated labor-intensive oil rigs in the Gulf of Mexico.

At the same time that Simon and Sawhill are calling for de-regulation of natural gas to double prices immediately, the Federal Power Commission has announced at a Southern Governors Conference in Texas that "tight supplies" will force the gas companies to curtail supplies 28 per cent this winter. Utilities, industries, and schools will be forced to re-equip their furnaces for oil — or close for lack of natural gas. In many areas where heating oil will also be rationed, there will be no alternative but to close.

Natural gas rationing will hit hardest the small plants in Ohio and parts of Indiana which service the auto industry with automotive parts on contract and other aspects of manufacture. Tens of plants employing hundreds each closed last winter because the small owners did not have the capital to re-equip their furnaces for oil-burning. The damage this year will be more severe and widespread.



The Shah of Iran graciously offers to milk India's sacred cow, Indira Gandhi, to further Rockefeller's genocidal policy of depopulation and deindustrialization of the Indian economy. Out of India flows its agricultural resources, its steel and iron industries, and its wealth of educated unemployed to man the Middle East industries.

Primary Vote Plummets; Labor Party Picks Up the Slack

Sept. 14 (IPS) — Tired of playing charades with nonsense-spouting labor leaders and politicians outside the polling places, hundreds of thousands of registered voters in industrial, urban neighborhoods stayed away from the voting booths in the recent primary elections. Workers refused to obey traditional calls for voting in machine-endorsed candidates because they had enough empty rhetoric. Repulsed by the death grip of both the Democratic-labor alliance and the conservative-Republican coalitions, workers decide to sit out this election. Said one Florida candidate: "It's as if nobody cares who's elected."

The primary results indicate clearly that future political battles at the polls will be between the Labor Party and counterinsurgent agents for the Rockefeller cabal. On the heels of the widespread alienation of workers from the traditional party machines, CIA-style liberal "insurgents" gained primary victories around the nation:

"Winners"

Law Enforcement Assistant Administration founder Ramsey Clark as Democratic candidate for Senator in New York City; Alinsky-trained anti-busing advocate Barbara Milkulski as Democratic senatorial candidate in Maryland; "New South" liberal Reuben Askew as governor in Florida; and former McGovern campaign manager Gary Hart in Colorado as democratic candidate for the Senate.

Without any committeed campaign workers, the oldtime political machines were unable to get out the vote for even shoe-in incumbents, home-town favorite sons, and top political bosses. Party regulars, terrified of meeting face-to-face with crowds of angry people and feeling that their party was too fragmented and impotent to provide any concrete practical solutions, boycotted campaign work. Across the country, this phenomenon was reflected in the candidates' emphasis on TV and radio advertising, the appearance of scores of 12-yearold children as leafletters, and paid staff and relatives accompanying candidates on their walking tours. In acknowledgement of the traditional machine's bankruptcy, as soon as primary results were tabulated in Massachusetts, Republican gubernatorial candidate Sargent immediately began negotiations with his unsuccessful Democratic opponent for the right to use the Democrat's campaign staff! Sargent's campaign was highlighted by the failure of the Republican State Chairman to endorse his candidacy and by numerous "Democrats for Sargent" committees.

Labor Party Recruits Dems

The U.S. Labor Party campaigns have moved rapidly into this vacuum. Democratic clubs and wards and union meetings have become Labor Party forums (and a source of campaign funds) at the invitation of party and union officials. In Philadelphia, where the Labor Party is on the verge of recruiting a Democratic committeeman right out of Congressman William Barrett's network, Barrett panicked at the Labor Party's success and resorted to blatant, illegal maneuvers to throw the Labor Party opponent off the ballot.

The Rockefeller press was quick to gloat over the CIA's victories: The Washington Post reported: "Insurgents scored important victories in half a dozen key races across the country...Baltimore County's Democratic Party Organization has been virtually wiped out as the controlling force in government, ending the rule of one of the nation's most entrenched and powerful political machines." The Boston Globe followed suit: "The mantle of the Democratic Party power has shifted...[from] the urban, moderately conservative working class three decker neighborhoods...[to] the more affluent and more liberal single family homes of suburban Massachusetts..."

In a more sophisticated analysis, the New York Times warns of danger approaching: "Nobody can take the electorate for granted in this post-Watergate election season" The Times calls "failure of nearly three-fourths of eligible Democratic voters to register their choices at the polls...unconscionable."

Labor Party Fusion Power Campaign Detonates Edward Teller

CHICAGO, Sept. 1 (IPS) — Edward Teller, father of the hydrogen bomb, sat stone-faced today while U.S. Labor Party organizers indicted him here as a Nuremburg criminal at the Project Independence hearings. Labor Party spokesmen pointed to Teller's role in implementing the Rockefeller plot to sabotage fusion power research and his activities as a leading member of Rocky's Commission on Critical Choices, as evidence of Teller's crimes against humanity. Some members of the audience of reporters and a few "interested" citizens booed the Labor Party while others nodded agreement.

Teller detonated only after the Labor Party organizers were escorted out of the meeting. He ripped up his prepared speech and launched into a 20-minute tirade in response to the Labor Party's indictment. Teller

defended his master/slave relationship with Rocky: "I've known Nelson Rockefeller for years and he never interrupts me. He's most thoughtful and a most conscientious man." He went on to justify his master's stance towards the human race: "What may come is a disturbance which may become worse than the depression of the '30s, and that's why urgent measures are necessary."

Teller tried to get a grip on himself, delivering a confused and rambling discussion of "alternative" energy sources. Repeatedly, he referred to underground coal gasification experiments, which even a bought man like Teller must recognize as ludicrously primitive from a scientific standpoint. This and his other proposed "alternatives" are merely Rockefeller's slave labor "development projects."

CIA Covers Right Flank with Left Hand

DETROIT, (IPS) Sept. 15 — Caught with their pants down, the CIA and FBI have activated the National Lawyers Guild (NLG) and other "left" swamp creatures in an attempted coverup of the U.S. Labor Party's exposure of FBI agent Vernon Higgins and his abortive penetration of the Labor Party in Detroit this past summer. Higgins confessed to Labor Party organizers June 20 that the FBI had instructed him to gather information on Labor Party security measures — information probably for use in attempts to deploy hit squads against the Labor Party and its periphery. June 21 police raided the Detroit office, stealing lists of Labor Party contacts and other materials.

Lawyers affiliated with the Labor Party who attended the National Lawyers Guild convention in Minneapolis last month found that the NLG was actively spouting the FBI's line: that "Higgins wasn't an FBI agent, and anyway the Labor Party recruits from the racist rightwing Detroit group 'Breakthrough'." The NLG knows this to be a lie. Labor Party organizers previously had briefed the National Lawyers Guild on the facts of the case, including the search warrant used to break into the Labor Party's Detroit office, in which the FBI names Higgins as one of their special agents.

The Detroit Lawyers Guild has its own reasons for attacking the Labor Party. The Labor Party a year ago exposed the Detroit Lawyers Guild executive secretary Allan Houseman as an OEO agent actively pushing the slave-labor/recycling WIN II program. Now the NLG is spreading the actionable slander that the Labor Party plans to assassinate Houseman!

SWP Leader Cannon 'Stunned' At 1929 Depression

Sept. 16 (IPS) — In a public testament to its history of impotence and political idiocy, the now CIA-controlled Socialist Workers Party (SWP) published in the Sept. 13 Militant an interview with James P. Cannon, longtime leader of the SWP who died August 21 at the age of 84. Interviewing Cannon a month before he died, Liberation magazine editor Sidney Lens began with the comforting comment: "I interviewed Earl Browder before he died."

Cannon is pathetically candid, divulging his ignorance of the basics of scientific socialism:

Lens: Did you anticipate the depression of 1929?

Cannon: Well, we kept forecasting it.

Lens: Yes, you kept forecasting it from about 1922 on. Cannon: So we were eventually vindicated in 1929.

Lens: But did you anticipate that particular depression and that it would come through the stock market crash?

Cannon: I wouldn't say specifically so

Lens: When the depression came, what were your personal reactions? Did you feel that America was moving close to an actual revolution?

Cannon: I can't say that I did.

Lens: Then what was your reaction?

Cannon: Like most everybody else, stunned.

Lens: Stunned?

Cannon Yes, it was so severe. It was hard to see an immediate revolution....

Lens: Did you expect a depression after the war like the depression of 1929?

Cannon: No, we were taken by surprise.

Lens: That there was no depression?

Cannon: That there was no radicalization.

Lens: But you didn't expect an economic slump in 1946-47 like Eugene Dennis [General Secretary of the Communist Party in the 1950s] did.

Cannon: We expected it, but we didn't put a time limit on it. We suffered terrible reverses. We lost a lot of members in the fifties.

Lens: But my question is why did all the energy go into the organizations of the New Left? And although you've made some gains, you never made a fundamental breakthrough. How do you account for that?

Cannon: It just didn't happen.

Lens: Why? Was it something you did that was wrong? Cannon: No, I don't know of anything we did that was wrong.

Lens: Do you anticipate a revolution in America in the near future?

Cannon: It depends on what you mean by near.

Lens: Next 10 or 15 years.

Cannon: I say anything is possible in this century in the years that are left of it. That's 26 years.

Lens: But you don't sound very optimistic.

Cannon: I don't want to make any categorical statements, but I say we're living in a time when capitalism is plunging toward its climactic end.

Lens: Didn't you say that in the thirties?

Cannon: I did, yes.

Lens: And in the forties?

Cannon: And in the forties.

Lens: I mean, that must sound like something peculiar when you say it every decade.

Cannon: But when you stop to think, the history of humanity is a very long one, isn't it? And a quarter of a century is only an instant in the history of the human race.

In a front-page headline, the same issue of the Militant echoes Cannon's pitiful lack of knowledge: "Is the U.S. On Road To Depression?"

Congressional Coverup on Rocky Planned

WASHINGTON, D.C., Sept. 12 (IPS) — There is every immediate indication that the upcoming Congressional investigation and hearings on the nomination of Nelson Rockefeller as Vice President will, in effect, not take place! Preliminary reports point to an outright attempt by the Rockefeller forces, with the passive assistance of frightened members of the Senate and House of Representatives, to pull off a carefully orchestrated coverup.

William Cochrane, staff director of the Rules Committee and aide to its chairman Senator Howard Cannon (D-Nevada), told IPS today that the Committee's hearings will begin September 23 and may last only four or five days!

Phony Opposition

The Washington Post nervously reported today that the so-called "anti-Rockefeller" pseudo-opposition likely to receive Rocky's okay to testify at the hearings will consist of CIA "leftists" and a select chorus of impotent zanies: Angela Davis, the protege of former OSS operative Herbert Marcuse and the CIA's choice to lead the final transformation of the CPUSA into a nationalist, police-controlled countergang; the National Lawyers Guild,

whose New York branch supports the CIA's own Symbionese Liberation Army; the Liberty Lobby, a right-wing group under effective CIA control, which has been slated to perform a countergang role to the U.S. Labor Party's documentation of the Rockefeller fascist conspiracy; and the Right-to-Life zealots, who will simply heave and moan about Rockefeller's stand on abortion in New York.

Testimony may be forced into closed Committee sessions to "avoid defamatory statements" against Rockefeller or demonstrations outside the hearing rooms.

Reports from the staff of the Judiciary Committee and the office of its chairman Peter Rodino (D-N.J.) indicate that the entire affair on the House side will be a quiet and slightly more drawn-out coverup for Nelson Rockefeller, while no date has yet been set for the start of hearings before the Committee. IPS has learned that former Naval Intelligence officer and FBI agent Rep. Don Edwards (D-Cal.) has been placed at the head of a special Judiciary subcommittee to set the format and procedures for the hearings.

Abzug Plans to Spur Fake Fight Against Rocky

WASHINGTON, D.C., Sept. 14 (IPS) — IPS has learned that Rockefeller forces in the House are planning a fraudulent "fight" against Rocky, led by Congressmen Seiberling, Jordan, Moss, and Danielson and designed to provide a cover for ushering Rockefeller into office.

The linchpin to this development is Bella Abzug's plan to introduce a House Resolution Monday which would call on President Ford to answer questions on his role in the Watergate affair, specifically whether as Vice President he made a deal with Nixon to grant a pardon in exchange for Nixon's resignation.

Both the Watergating of Ford and the phony Rockefeller opposition in Congress are geared to discredit Constitutional government and to dissipate legitimate opposition to Rockefeller's confirmation, opening the way for his takeover of the government.

Playing Dead

Interest in Congress continues to run strong, particularly among Conservatives, around the U.S. Labor Party's Brief to Congress on Rockefeller's Political and Financial Empire. [See IPS Nos. 18 and 19. Reprints available at \$2.50 each.] Despite acknowledgement that the Labor Party analysis is correct, that Rockefeller intends fascist rule, these Conservatives are fearful of a fight — they prefer to hold on to their correct views silently, giving up and playing dead before their time.

ELC Forces Strauss' Hand; HypoBank Sues Neue Solidaritaet

FLASH, Sept. 14 [IPS] — Strauss' lawyers in the HypoBank's suit against the European Labor Committee are the very same pair — Gritschender and Weber — who defended publisher Rudolph Augstein in the 1963 CIA-orchestrated "Spiegel Affair" against Strauss, who was then Defense Minister.

Sept. 11 (IPS) — West Germany's rightwing Franz Josef Strauss, who has let banks fall like so many of the failing Stargfighter jets he purchased as Defense Minister, has inspired a political harassment campaign in the form of a legal suit against the tiny European Labor Committees German-language newspaper, Neue Solidaritaet. The suit was launched by the Strauss-connected Bayerische Hypotheken und Wechsel Bank (HypoBank) and charges the European Labor Committees (ELC) with spreading defamatory propaganda that endangers the bank's financial well-being.

• Also this week, Strauss capped his recent acclaim of Chairman Mao as the world's greatest leader with an endorsement by his cadre newspaper, the *Bayern Kurier*, of Aurelio Peccei. President of the Club of Rome, Peccei is a main proponent of cannibalism as the solution to the food shortage.

The conscious political character of the suit against the ELC is evidenced by the wallowing HypoBank's fixation on Neue Solidaritaet, with its 20,000 circulation, while ignoring identical reporting on the HypoBank in 30 major German newspaper and magazines (among them the Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung and the country's largest circulation newsweekly, Der Spiegel.) Earlier, the bank's legal representatives had threatened court action against all 31 publications, but then followed through only on the suit against the ELC.

Delusions

For Strauss and HypoBank even to imagine that the Neue Solidaritaet single-handedly could collapse Germany's fourth-largest bank betrays a serious ignorance of economic reality, entirely consistent with Strauss' past military "expertise" on the Starfighter question. Some simple facts appear to pass by the Bavarian Maoist—namely, that three private banking houses collapsed immediately before widespread rumor-mongering about the Bavarian HypoBank spread through the stock market, economic journals, and the entire daily press.

What really upsets Strauss is that the European Labor Committees, through its weekly newspaper, has been able to explain fully why these bankruptcies are taking place and to locate for the working class exactly who has been responsible for pulling the plug on the European economy: the Rockefeller family and their European servants in NATO.

Since last January when the worldwide oil hoax cracked open the European economies, European banks have been trapped between steadily climbing interest rates and huge debts. Their Euro-dollar lenders financed ever more risky speculative ventures on the international currency and commodity markets. Sweeping across Europe like a tornado, the Rockefeller-controlled Arab oil marketeers gutted out corporate debt and national payments balances. The Italian central bank for one suddenly was imprisoned with a debt larger than its entire currency and gold reserves.

Liquidity Squeeze Aggravated

This European-wide liquidity squeeze was greatly aggravated in Germany by the policy of Germany's coalition government headed by Helmut Schmidt, another slavish servant of the Rockefeller empire and friend of NATO's Institute of Strategic Studies. Schmidt's social democratic political careerism provided him with just the right cover to lock up Germany's more than 30 billion dollars in central bank reserves behind closed vaults. Thus Schmidt engineered in Germany the keystone of Rockefeller's international banking offensive signalled by the oil hoax: the destruction of the secondary banking sector and the rapid centralization of all liquidity in the hands of a few giant banks either directly controlled by or allied to Rockefeller's network. Increasingly, the German financial apparatus is being dumped into the laps of the old Nazis and Rockefeller friends in the three major financial institutions: the Deutsche, Dresdner, and Commerz Banks. By the end of the summer, when the year 1974 won the title in Germany of the "year of the bankruptcies," Helmut Schmidt was standing atop the rubble of the economy he shattered.

Lawsuit: Political Thrust

It is difficult to imagine that the Hypo bankers themselves could be so stupid as to believe that personal insults are at the foot of banking failures. Closer examination of the political alignments of the members of the HypoBank indicates that they understand this lawsuit fully as a political thrust. Every member is a long term political associate of Strauss, and has close links to the Rockefeller family. Member of the board Rolf Rodenstock, for example, also sits on the board of Rockefeller's German Esso — which suggests that he knows more about the reasons for Germany's financial crisis than he lets on.

German Press on HypoBank

The mere facts of the press coverage indicate that the Hypo's lawyer is going to have a rough case suing the ELC. This is a sampling of what the German bourgeois press had to say about the HypoBank:

Financial weekly Wirtschaftswoche: "Whoever has any affection for his money would do well to immediately rid himself of HypoBank shares. Another rapid fall lies ahead."

Frankfurter Rundschau: "The Central Bank has offered no comment on rumors...that the HypoBank has received liquidity assistance. In recent weeks, rumors have sprung up that the institute has run into a certain liquidity squeeze as a result of deposit losses At this point, the bank itself is confirming that its minimum reserves deposited with the Central Bank have dropped by 200 million DM For the first time, the bank confirmed certain deposit losses."

Der Spiegel: "Rumors are circulating in Munich that

the HypoBank is in a financial bind; fearful customers are withdrawing millions of marks within the space of a few days."

Neue Solidaritaet: "Many banks are hanging by a thin thread: for example, Bass und Herz in Frankfurt (which shortly thereafter did collapse) and the HypoBank in Munich. Two weeks ago, the HypoBank was threatening to sue those who were claiming that it was in trouble. In the meantime, the bank itself had to admit that there were in fact dangers."

A Difficult Case

The corpulent fascist Strauss has gotten himself in a bind that by comparison will make pleasant his egobruising memories of the Starfighter debacle, which exploded his "military genius" self-delusions. The bind will overshadow even the fat man's failure as a street-fighter, highlighted by his disheveled appearance before New York City police a few years back after two prostitutes got the better of him in hand-to-hand combat.

Thus, while 30 journals with a combined circulation running into the million are **not** getting sued. in contrast to our 20,000 circulation *Neue Solidaritaet*, the dilemma facing Strauss' lawyer emerges. The facts of the case insist that the HypoBank's lawyer prove conclusively that *Neue Solidaritaet* is the most influential newspaper in all of Germany, or, and perhaps even more difficult, that the Bavarian HypoBank is a demonstrable exception to the Rockefeller assault on the international secondary banking apparatus.

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Melina Mercouri Organizing Greek Women's Militia for CIA

Sept. 16 (IPS) — Actress Melina Mercouri, long known for her public demonstrations of opposition to the late Athenian junta, has made her peace with the CIA's current "progressive" fascist regime in Greece. A news dispatch from Athens this week reports that Mercouri, who flew to Athens — ending a seven-year exile — days after the CIA installed Caramanlis, is agitating for women's lib in Greece!

"My life," declared Melina, "will be devoted to the Greek woman's struggle to assert herself in social and political life." Her efforts at this "left" counterinsurgency organizing have already borne fruit. A few days ago six Greek women formally petitioned Premier Caramanlis to establish a military training center for women

in Athens. Citing "the Turkish invasion of Cyprus," the women pointed to the "role of our ancestor womenfolk" in defending the homeland. The petition demanded: "Give us the opportunity to contribute in a direct way to the present critical moments for our nation with a substantial offer in the military sector, the same as men."

What better role for Melina to play for the CIA than organizing hysterical feminism-nationalism against Turkey to bind the Greek population more firmly to its new CIA overlords! Apparently, the only demand she hasn't yet voiced is the establishment, in Classical Greek tradition, of a training center on the isle of Lesbos.

Palme Becomes a Maoist

NEW YORK, Sept. 4 (IPS) — Over the last few weeks Sweden's social democratic Premier Olaf Palme has stepped forward as a leading anti-Soviet spokesman, with an occasional assist from his friends in Sweden's gaggle of deranged Maoist countergangs.

Palme's Maoist turn coincides with the similar swing to the "left" made recently by West German archreactionary Franz Josef Strauss. Both social democrat Palme and right-winger Strauss cynically are using Maoism as the left garnish on their Rockefeller-scripted plans to institute fascist economic policy, as well as to provide a palatable anti-imperialist tone to stepped-up



attacks on the USSR.

Palme used an address to a workers' group in Finland August 3 to launch a brutal attack on the Soviets — for not accepting the necessity of zero growth! Counterposing himself as a social democrat, he accused both "private capitalism and state capitalism" [Chinese for the Soviet Union] of being "marked by a one-sided concentration on economic growth Social democracy's task is to organize people around an alternative to

capitalism and communism ... We are against the onesided growth philosophy."

Palme clarified the content of his alternative program the following day when he spoke before the Swedish Christian Democratic Party in Pitea. Right to the point, he declared, "The question is: is the world's rich minority ready to sacrifice, to give up some of its privileges and power?" Palme revealed the transparent phoniness of his anti-Americanism when he remarked that "the choice is between the dominance of the two superstates" and a "broad cooperation of peoples" around precisely the zero-growth recipe pushed by the U.S. at the United Nations World Population Conference in Bucharest.

The significance of these attacks by friend-of-detente Palme was not lost on the Soviets, whose trade union magazine Novoe Vremya promptly published an article accusing Palme of having become a "Maoist." The Soviet bloc most immediately is concerned about a long-pending agreement between Sweden, Poland, and the USSR involving potentially hundreds of millions of dollars in coal and iron ore exchanges — a deal which the Swedish government has recently threatened to break off for various reasons.

Left-wing Lackey

Since his political emergence in the 1960s as an anti-Vietnam War advocate, Palme has served a twofold purpose from the standpoint of the U.S. State Department (or, more accurately, the CIA).

Coming in as Premier in 1969, Palme considerably increased political and economic penetration of various underdeveloped areas, particularly North Vietnam, China, Cuba, and select African countries. Palme in effect used his carefully cultivated anti-imperialist image in order to act as a middleman acceptable to those countries which would not deal openly with the U.S...

The seond purpose Palme served was to convert the Swedish social democratic state into a model for the new forms of fascist social organization experimentally being designed at that time in Sweden and Norway under the euphemism Industrial Democracy. [See New Solidarity, June 29, 1974]. Left-posing Palme was a suitable salesman for the Rockefeller model which has come to be known as the "Swedish Way." In fact, Palme's first words when he took power in October 1969 were in praise of Tavistockian co-determination.

The problem Palme and his Tavistock collaborators faced in converting the highly organized Swedish working class into fragmented and politically powerless victims of a developing corporatist state were solved initially by introducing counterinsurgent local control work schemes under the cover of words traditionally associated in workers' minds with positive change. Thus "Wage Solidarity" became the slogan used to rationalize textile and major sectors of agriculture and the lumber industry out of existence. "Industrial Democracy" introduced self-policing production "teams." And, most recently, Palme has announced the new Social Democratic Party program calling for "Economic Democracy," which is nothing less than a blueprint for a fascist corporatist state with workers democratically sharing the bankruptcy of corporations [see New. Solidarity, August 17, 1974].

There were other problems in getting the Swedish Way in working order. The Swedish worker has a history of strong political sympathy and rudimentary class identification with workers in the Soviet Union and throughout Europe. When the unravelling world economic collapse demanded the introduction of tremendous speedup and the lowering of workers' real standard of living, there was a serious danger that workers would begin moving once more to the moribund Swedish Communist Party (VPK), revitalizing it in opposition to the new programs being peddled by Palme. The solution was to encourage one of the most hideous spectacles in the nominally soicalist movement — Swedish Maoism.

In the late 1960s, the essence of Maoist ideology was initially the notion of building a grandstand bleacher cheering-section for the struggle of the heroic Vietnamese people against the U.S. imperialists as a diversion from the increasingly pressing problems in the West. Virtually the entire student ferment of the late 1960s was channelled into mindless, sloganeering antiwar groups organized by the industrious and well-disciplined members of the Swedish Maoist movement around a group known as KFMI (Communist Union Marxist-Leninist).

Into the Factories

By the fall of 1970, this apparently had been successful in containing the radicalized intellectual layers who historically form the crucial initiating cadres for any political mass strike upsurge. However, something was lacking. Many workers, particularly in districts with a strong communist history during the 1920s and the 1930s, were beginning to form spontaneous strike committees with growing student support. What was needed to ensure containment was a "worker" Maoist gang that could pose as the left worker alternative. In the fall of 1970, KFML-R [for revolutionary] was formed as

a faction of the KFML, with the pretense that KFML was dominated by "petit bourgeois individuals."

While the KFML had its members "stand close behind the struggle of the people of Indo-China," their sister organizers in KFML-R began moving their members into select factories (mainly those where major Tavistock local control was being introduced) around such profundities as, "Expect nothing from the reformist leaders, they will betray you!" and "Long Live the Wild Cat Strikes!" (This last was in reference to the series of carefully provoked wildcat strikes occuring in the 1969-71 period which were used by Palme and the Social Democratic trade union leadership to push the Tavistock speedup reorganization of the workplace). Swedish trade unionists have told the Labor Committees that Maoist agitation for these hopeless Apache-style wildcats served only to embitter political workers towards both the complicit unions and the left.

With the traditional Communist leadership of VPK trying to forget they ever knew what a trade unionist was, in a pathetic attempt to propitiate Palme, political workers who smelled a rotten herring in Palme's new fascist reforms had no left to turn to for leadership short of the hysterical Maoists during the critical 1969-72 strike period. And the Maoists organized around pro-Tavistock local control lines. The left cover was completed for Palme's corporativism.

The essence of Palme's "Maoism," fundamentally the position of the Swedish Maoist gangs, is a hideous xenophobia directed particularly at the Soviet Union and other European workers. Palme's gameplan in the present period, complete with vicious attacks last fall on foreign workers who are "taking jobs away from Swedish workers," is to foster the illusion that the fundamental identity of the Swedish worker is as a Good Swede rather than as a necessary member of the international working class. To the extent that he can get the Swedish worker to swallow this nonsense, ignoring the overwhelming dependence of the Swedish economy on export trade with Europe, and increasingly with Soviet bloc countries. Palme will have trapped the political worker in a deadly dilemma from which there is no "Swedish Way" out as the depression deepens. Suicidal nationalism, corporativism, heroic sacrifices from the working class this is the programmatic agreement on which the Maoist axis of Palme and his German comrade Strauss is based.

Maoism: Preparing for a New Period

As Palme steps up his anti-imperialist attacks on the Soviets, it is hardly surprising that a new turn in the Swedish Maoist conglomerate is occuring. In honor of the sixth anniversary of the Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia last month, hundreds of members of all the Maoist fractions came together (in separate lines of course) for an historical first. According to the con-

servative paper Svenska Dagbladet, this "was the first time that a Swedish revolutionary organization demonstrated outside the Soviet Embassy." The rallying cry was opposition to the "new Czarism and Soviet Imperialism." There was talk among the grouplets present of possible future cooperation around opposition to the Soviet Union.

And some days later their fellow traveller Premier Palme addressed a gathering of Social Democratic Party members where, instead of launching a much publicized "full and open debate" on the energy question, he spent most of his time making pathetic anti-Soviet jokes. The audience, however, was more interested in reading numerous pamphlets making the case for crash development of thermonuclear fusion energy, sold there by European Labour Committee (ELC) organizers. The frightened Mr. Palme was more than a little hysterical at the occasion. This apologist for the procannibalism Club of Rome group shouted at Labor Committee organizers, "You know fusion is impossible!"

A new element has been added to the world of Palme and his co-thinkers. The Swedish-language edition of New Solidarity already is approaching the distribution of the VPK party paper in the space of less than four months. The effect of a communist organization with an international working class orientation and a united front approach around principled questions toward the Soviet bloc as well as the social democratic trade union layers has not gone unnoticed. When a European Labour Committee organizer offered to sell Palme the latest Ny Solidaritet he nervously retorted, "I've read it already."

And the most recent issue of Gnistan [Spark], paper of the KFML-SKP, carried an article on their editorial page titled, "What is ELC?" which acknowledged that in recent weeks many of their members have written them to ask precisely that question. Unable to muster the courage to print the usual anti-ELC slanders, the pathetic Maoists could only lump the ELC with the northern pro-Moscow trade union faction in the Communist Party.

New Danish Elections to Propose Starvation...The Democratic Way

Sept. 10 (IPS) — The shaky coalition Danish government has just announced it will hold new elections Oct. 8. The calculated decision comes as the Danish economy is choking in international debt, aggravated by the ravages of the Rockefeller oil blackmail and the international collapse of agriculture. The heavily exportoriented Danish economy is being ripped apart by a double-edged sword. It is 99 per cent dependent on import of oil from Rockefeller-controlled oil companies. The phenomenal rise in the international price of oil over recent months has exacerbated the Danish balance-of-payments crisis.

To make matters worse, Danish agriculture, which is the core of the highly industrialized economy, is targeted for destruction in the wake of collapse of European Common Market Agriculture subsidies. This has already begun. Trade officials estimate a 50 per cent decline in exports to Britain alone — Denmark's main export market. This comes as British workers, suffering from massive inflation and unemployment, are forced to go without vital meat and dairy products.

The elections have been the subject of frenzied speculation since last May, when a wave of strikes protesting the Government's economic solution of more taxes for

the working class threatened to topple the already shaky coalition government of Paol Hartling. The October elections are well timed. In the fall, European farm debt falls due. This year farmers will be forced to drown their poultry and slaughter their herds, since they can no longer afford feed grain and fertilizer. The elections will soften up Danish workers and farmers for massive layoffs and bankruptcy by discrediting their traditional political parties.

The Social Democracy's solution has been entirely to extract money out of the hides of hard-working Danes. Taxes have driven the price of a Volkswagen "beetle" to \$6000! Rents take an enormous chunk out of wages and taxes are the highest in the industrialized world.

The traditional parties, which accept Rockefeller's economic environment, will meet with a new force. The European Labor Committees is circulating among Social Democratic, Communist, and Socialist parties in Denmark, Germany, and Sweden an Emergency Program to Halt Food Destruction. The proposal, built around credit guarantees to farmers at the expense of debt payments to Rockefeller-controlled financial institutions, is creating turmoil on the Danish political scene.

Terrorist Bombing Sets Off New Round Of Attacks On Japanese Workers

Sept. 11 (IPS) — The terrorist bombing Aug. 31 of the downtown Tokyo office of the Mitsubishi Corporation signalled the beginning of a wave of CIA-directed terror aimed at the Japanese working class. The bombing has been linked by the Japanese press and police to ultraleftists, and has been followed by a string of bomb threats and police mobilizations designed to create an atmosphere of "anti-extremist" public sentiment. The real targets of this campaign are not the ultra-left, already heavily CIA-infiltrated, but the working class — specifically the leftwing-led trade union movement,

which is about to embark on a fall campaign, a "second spring struggle" following the offensive earlier this year which won 30 per cent wage increases.

The bombing followed by less than a week the national convention of Sohyo (General Council of Trade Unions of Japan), which laid out the program for the fall struggle — a program which in itself lays workers open for isolation as "money-hungry extremists" unwilling to cooperate with the austerity plans of Rockefeller and his colleagues in the organization of Japanese big business leaders, the Zaikai.



Evidence of CIA complicity in the bombing is extensive. The ultra-left group most frequently linked by the press to the bombing is the Sekigun-ha, or "Red Army," whose previous terrorist activities include the Lod airport massacre and numerous hijackings carried out in cooperation with CIA-organized Palestinian terrorist squads such as Black September. The Red Army's activities in Japan have conveniently provided the eager and efficient Japanese National Police Agency with abundant excuses to carry out "seal and search" operations, including raids on the offices and homes of leftists. Similar operations were carried out this summer against the leftist Japan Teachers Union.

These psywar operations are aimed at a working class whose leadership is entering the most crucial period in postwar history with its eyes closed to reality. This pathological avoidance of reality — the island ideology of Japan — was nowhere more evident than at the Sohyo national convention held in Tokyo August 19-22. The convention, in stark contrast to stormy meetings in the past, was a carefully orchestrated funeral ceremony, orderly in all respects and devoid of political discussion. The delegates crowded around the television watching the high-school baseball championships showed more enthusiasm than those who dozed on the convention floor.

While rhetoric about the "people's struggle against inflation" and fighting fascism was plentiful, not a word was said about the present depression and Rockefeller's programmed collapse of the Japanese economy, which is totally in hock to Chase Manhattan Bank.

The fall program adopted by the convention calls merely for a repeat of the "successful" spring formula accompanied by a mindless series of militant but impotent short strikes paving the way for a leaderless militant upsurge of the working class inevitably followed by demoralization and the full-scale implementation of Rockefeller's fascist cannibalization of Japan.

Japanese-style Chile

Sohyo's call for large wage increases this fall, while clearly justified in light of the continuing 30 per cent inflation rate, in fact leads the working class into a carefully laid trap, opening the way for the Chileanization of Japan. The decision of the ruling class to agree to the 30 per cent wage increase in the Spring Offensive, while due in part to the weakness of the Tanaka regime, was calculated to lay the blame for further inflation and economic collapse on the trade unions.

The CIA strategy also includes the use of the countergang rightwing trade union federation Domei (Japanese Confederation of Labor) and rightwing elements within Sohyo to isolate militants in the latter as reckless "extremists" out to wreck the economy of the motherland. The rightwing strongholds in Sohyo, centered on Tekkororen (Japanese Federation of Iron and Steel Workers Unions) and the Chemical Workers union, combined with the majority of private and heavy industry unions which are in Domei, make possible the isolation of the public worker unions which are the major strength of Sohyo. The Chairman of Tekkororen, Miyata, has publicly declared that increased wage rates are "inappropriate at a time when it is feared that Japan's economy will register a zero growth rate." Thus a population suffering from inflation and collapse will be pitted against "inflation-causing" public employees, making the riot of train commuters two years ago against striking railway workers look like a strike support action.

Andean Pact: "Progressive" Peruvian Fascists Embrace Chilean "Reactionaries"

Sept. 12 (IPS) — The "revolutionary" nationalist Peruvian junta, headed by General Velasco, has just sent delegates to Santiago to join with the "reactionary" nationalist Chilean junta in the celebration of Chile's Independence Day. The festival saluting Chile's independence from Spain coincides with the anniversary of the overthrow of the Allende government a year ago.

By overcoming their supposed moral objections to the Chilean junta's murder of thousands of leftists and workers in the interests of maintaining the traditional joint celebration, the Peruvian government has exposed its "left" stance towards the Chilean generals as the flimsiest demagogy. To drive this home, the announcement of the delegation's trip to Chile came simultaneously with a ban on all demonstrations against the Chilean butchers in Lima, Peru's capital. The demon-

strations, which were to be part of worldwide protests commemorating the fall of Allende Sept. 11, 1973, were decreed illegal and punishable by military court.

The Peruvian generals' "revolutionary" criticism of their Chilean counterparts is merely that while they killed the right people, Chileans have failed to adopt the "progressive" cover which is now de rigeur for modern CIA regimes. The Peruvian government fears that militant demonstrations chanting "Down with the Junta" might be interpreted too easily by the starving and restless Peruvian working class as the signal for action against the local generals.

The Cubans, who in 1968 denounced the Peruvian junta as "gorillas," have been snuggling in Velasco's arms ever since. This criminal cowardice paves the way for the devouring of the Latin American working class.

Rockefeller's "Final Solution" Takes Hold

The following by Enrique Valla of the Spanish Press Agency [EFE], is reprinted from the editorial page of Diario Las Americas, Sept. 12, 1974.

THE HUMAN BODY AS RAW MATERIAL

From the mummified human body petroleum can be quickly extracted, Dr. Oscar Urtreaga Ballon has explained in Peru. Dr. Urteaga is director of the Museum of Paleontology of the "Second of May" hospital of the Peruvian capital. This is how man would become a rich raw material of bituminous substances and cemeteries will end up converted into refineries.

If the shortage of petroleum becomes exacerbated and its price continues to rise, due to the exhaustion of existing deposits of the familiar black gold within 30 years or so, according to predictions, the human body and possibly that of animals would become an article of prime necessity. Instead of a gloomy morgue, our destiny would be the refinery.

"I heard your husband passed away, Juanita."

"Yes, dear, they're already refining the poor guy...."

Through the artificial mummification of a human body, which can be done in 10 days, one can obtain petroleum under the influence of temperature and high pressure, which reduces the size of the anatomic structures without it being possible for any part of the body to be attacked by the micro-organisms that produce putrefaction.

All of this has been demonstrated by work carried out in a laboratory. As a result of the indicated temperature and pressure, animal and vegetable organic matter can be transformed into a bituminous substance, similar to natural petroleum, that is, a blackish oil.

In the laboratory various cases have been observed of anatomical pieces in a state of experimental mummification. The skin of those pieces became blackish until it became a bituminous substance. From that petroleum extracted from the human body, through fractional distillation, says Dr. Urteaga Ballon, they have also achieved gaseous, liquid and solid derivatives that normally are taken from natural petroleum, that is, gasoline, kerosene, Diesel, paraffin, and lubricants. Almost nothing differentiates these from those that are already known on the market.

"They say that petroleum from whites turns out to be less dense."

"Lubricants from Chinese are more economical; it already comes with a yellow color."

These derivatives extracted from the human body have already been tested in combustion engines with excellent results. It has also been possible to observe — Dr. Urteaga Ballon adds — that said derivatives have the same efficiency ("capacity for action") as their homonyms from conventional petroleum. In the future the petroleum from mummies will be a highly accredited brand, so it seems.

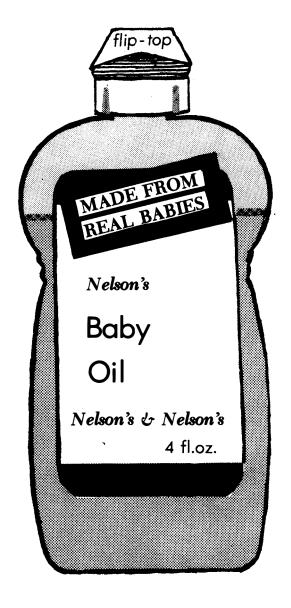
In the museum of the "Second of May" hospital in Lima they are exhibiting the first experimental mummy whose characteristics are similar to the pre-Colombians found in Peru. Many visitors thought that the experimental mummy was extremely ancient.

We're so bad off for resources in the world that we now have to start to supply ourselves with our very selves. Our fathers and mothers, grandmothers and grandfathers, will serve to move airplanes, buses, automobiles and trains. The oriental theory of the transmigration of souls, metempsychosis, will be replaced by the transmutation of matter.

Lavoisier can be content: his theory will be fully confirmed. In effect, matter is neither created nor destroyed, it is transformed into gasoline.

"How well my car's running with this gasoline!"

"Of course, it's from the mummy of Paavo Nurmi...."



Pinochet on the Skids: Rocky Consolidates Latin America

Sept. 11 (IPS) — The recent New York Times "expose" of the CIA's role in installing the Pinochet regime in Chile merely points to the tip of the iceberg of Rockefeller's fascist integration program for Latin America. The flurry of recent propaganda attacks on Chile will undoubtedly result in the dumping of Pinochet et al. by Rockefeller in a matter of weeks. The broader outlines of Rockefeller's integration plans were revealed by his strategist Aurelio Peccei, in his now-notorious mid-August cannibalism interview in Excelsior, one of Latin America's most famous newspapers.



In the Excelsior interview Peccei called not only for cannibalism, but also for regrouping the world's 150 or so countries into seven or eight macro-states. Under the ideological cover of Mexican President Echeverria's "Charter of Right and Obligations," praised by Peccei in the same interview, Rockefeller's CIA "radicals" in Latin America — from the "militant" Torrijos in Panama to Venezuela's "progressive" President Perez — are preparing to convert the entire Latin American continent into a "self-sufficient independent"

concentration camp. Specifically, the strategy is as follows: Latin America is to be readied, with the proper amount of infrastructure (including the development of raw materials resources and certain support industries necessary to service massive factory and labor transfers from North American and Europe to more developed regions of Latin America, such as the Rio de la Plata basin). Areas of the continent which cannot accept the transfer of European and American factories will provide raw materials and food supplies to regions where such factories will be set up. Chile, for example, will not be an area for fascist industrial production, since it lacks both the social and physical infrastructure for such an operation, but will serve as a strategic source of mineral products geared for industrial areas like the nearby Rio de la Plata basin.

In order to coordinate and oversee such an extensive continentwide looting operation, a supervisory body must be set up to ensure the easy flow of raw materials, labor, and semi-finished and finished products among the different economic areas. Hindrances such as tariffs and custom duties, border inspections, and duplication of production must be abolished.

Strange Geography

To supervise the centralized cannibalization of Latin America, the CIA-Rand Corporation has created the Andean Pact. Currently composed of the countries around the Andes Mountains — Venezuela, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, and Chile — the Andean Pact was originally set up as a trade and investment block of "progressive" nations, foremost of which was the CIA-Rand creation Peru.

The Andean Pact's influence ranges far beyond its six member nations. Already both Paraguay and Uruguay have made overtures for admittance, and Peru periodically insists that Argentina be admitted as well. Non-South American areas like Mexico have established ongoing working treaties with the Andean block. At the same time, both the Caribbean and Central American countries, under the financial direction of oil-rich Venezuela, within the last few weeks have combined efforts to form the type of "radical" tropical products cartels advocated by James Theberge, head of the Latin America Project for Nelson Rockefeller's Commission on Critical Choices. Apparently, the "Andes," according to Rocky's geography, now stretch from Mexico through

Central America and the Caribbean and down the west coast of South America.

Over the last month the "Andean Pact" concept of fascist regional integration and regional "independence" has been the main thrust in all facets of Latin economics. A case in point was the recent OLADE [Latin American Organization for Energy Development] conference in Buenos Aires, which set up the financial organization for intraregional coordination of petroleum supply and demand. This kind of centralized finger-tip control will allow Rockefeller to determine with deadly precision which sectors of the economy and which layers of the working class will be maintained, and which will be starved as "unprofitable" and "inefficient."

Another aspect of the Andean Pact strategy has been the surge of multinational economic operations over the last month — a direct result of the fruits of Mexican President Echeverria's recent Latin American tour. Banana workers, for instance, are to meet in Panama to form a fascist corporativist banana producers cartel in which they will set up a "union of attacked workers and governments" [emphasis added].

Out With the Old; In With the New

Within the context of carrying out this "progressive," "independent," "anti-imperialist" strategy, the gorillatype Pinochet regime in Chile is slated for extinction. Rockefeller's progressive militarist strategy of fascist integration cannot tolerate peasant Pinochet disrupting economic integration and overtly bludgeoning the working class over the head. In late August Pinochet broke the fundamental Andean Pact agreement, its pseudo-left cover: He allowed foreign companies to reclaim their pre-Allende holdings and he did away with virtually all restrictions on foreign profit remittances, threatening the stability of the Pact as a whole.

From that moment the Pinochet regime became an encumbrance. Pinochet was useful to the Rockefeller forces only to destroy left opposition and force mass austerity on the working class. That accomplished, Pinochet must give way to the Rockefeller/CIA strategy of fascist "progressive" integration and more subtle forms of fascist social control in Chile itself.

Ample evidence exists that the Rockefeller forces set their plans in motion for dumping Pinochet at least as far back as March 1974. More recently, the maneuver has been carried out in large part by Japan.

The massive dumping of copper stockpiles by Japan has glutted the copper market, sending prices down 25 per cent during the last month alone. Chile's main source of revenue comes from exactly the metals Japan is dumping: copper, zinc, and lead. Some Arab states called on Japan also to make retroactive oil payments in September, thereby forcing Japan to dump even greater amounts of metals over the last two weeks. With the

Chilean economy in disastrous shape and with the yearly inflation rate at 30 per cent, its economy will be completely destroyed as the bottom falls out of the copper market — as planned by Rockefeller.

Press Campaign

At about the time that Japan's metal-dumping was first felt on the world's market, a rumor campaign was launched by the Washington Star alleging that Chile was preparing for war against Peru and vice versa. The story was subsequently picked up by the major Latin American press which continued to blast Pinochet. In the same mid-August period, mass Chilean-solidarity, anti-Pinochet rallies were announced for the first week of September in every major Western European capital, coupled with an announcement by the International Transportation Workers of a two-day boycott against all products destined for Chile.

By the end of the month the anti-Pinochet flames were being fanned by Chile's new profit remittance law, which allows foreign concerns to take anything they can. The new Chilean economic measure was played up as a major blow to the Andean Pact; and Pinochet has been vehemently criticized by other members of the Pact ever since.

Anti Chilean accusations continued right up until Sept. 8, when Seymour Hersh in the Sunday New York Times published a front-page controlled CIA-"expose" on the CIA's role in overthrowing Allende. The CIA's propaganda network of accusations against the Pinochet regime has since spread over the Latin American and European news media, with even Duvalier's Haitian press — where the word "CIA" previously had been banned from print — publishing the anti-Pinochet stories. BBC's Latin American broadcasts called constantly for an end to Pinochet, declaring: "It's one thing to take power, but another to govern." The incessant anti-Pinochet press campaign is providing the U.S. Congress with ample "evidence" for cutting off all aid to the. "repressive" regime. The Congress is, of course, the last bastion of support for the regime.

There is little doubt that the Pinochet regime has only a few weeks left. Preliminary intelligence indicates that Pinochet will be replaced by a "progressive" from the Christian Democratic wing of the Armed Forces, or by a rightwing Socialist Party coalition. Such a change in government will coincide neatly with the installation of William Rogers as the new Under-Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs. Rogers, a longtime Rockefeller "soft-liner," has called for a "progressive" Latin American organization without the participation of the U.S. — just like the Andean Pact! Rogers' new office, combined with the toppling of Pinochet, will signal the go-ahead for the immediate implementation of Rockefeller's cannibalization strategy for the continent.

Agriculture Round-Up

McGovern Backs Rockefeller's World Food Bank; Sets Butz Up for Ouster

Sept. 12 (IPS) — Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz came under heavy attack this week from "liberal" fascist Senator George McGovern, who called into question his capacity to lead the U.S. delegation to the UN's upcoming World Food Conference in Rome. McGovern cited Butz's continued "unyielding opposition" to the Rockefeller faction's World Food Bank proposal. Placing maximum pressure on Butz, McGovern announced he will submit a resolution to the Senate urging the Administration to "adopt a posture at the World Food Conference worthy of the moral and economic position of our nation in the community of the nations."

A World Food Bank would allow the Rockefeller forces to maintain centralized finger-tip control over world food supplies. As advanced-sector agricultural production is allowed to collapse, the World Food Bank would ration out food only to those countries willing to discipline their workforce.

McGovern, in the recently released report of the Senate Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs which he chaired, came out in spport of the full Rockefeller starvation program — ranging from centrally controlled food reserves to the shifting of agricultural production to labor-intensive third world latifundias. "Prairie Reverend" McGovern covers for this fascist economics with a series of exhortations to "greedy" Western workers to reduce their consumption for the "humanitarian" purpose of sharing shrinking food supplies with the starving people of the Sahel, Bangladesh, and other third world areas destroyed by Rockefeller.

Secretary of Agriculture Butz and the U.S. Depart-

the fire of Rockefeller forces because of their oversusceptibility to farmers' influence. Butz insists that food reserves be held in the hands of individual farmers reflecting farmers' legitimate fear that the dumping of reserves will be used to drive down prices and drive them into bankruptcy. Butz also points out the obvious need for expanded production. Says Butz: "If you don't produce more, all the debate in the world won't divide it satisfactorily." Ironically, more some organizations like the National Farmer Union have been suckered into supporting the World Food Bank, not realizing that Rockefeller has targeted the entire advanced-sector production for liquidation.

ment of Agriculture bureaucracy generally have drawn

Butz's continued intransigence towards Zero Growth policies compels the Rockefeller faction to carry out a thorough house-cleaning of the Department of Agriculture and any other governmental bureaucracy still vulnerable to the interests of farmers and consumers. As reported previously in IPS, Butz has been set up for an early "retirement."

McGovern's attack was preceded by an anti-Butz article in the New York Times, quoting Rockefeller men John Hannah, and James P. Grant, former head of AID and president of the Overseas Development council. Said Grant, in a threat directed also at President Ford: "In the absence of a more positive program than Secretary Butz has put out thus far, the World Food Conference will be judged a failure and the public consensus will be that the U.S. was the primary reason for the failure. I cannot believe that President Ford would intend that result"

New Commodity Markets Regulatory Commission to Eliminate USDA Role

Sept. 11 (IPS) — In another attack on the Department of Agriculture, McGovern, with the help of Senators Humphrey and Talmadge (who also sat on the Senate Nutrition Committee), has authored a bill to create an independent five-man commission to regulate commodity futures trading. The legislation excludes the Secretary of Agriculture from the commission,

preventing any USDA intervention in the interest of farmers. Thus the commodity futures market will be at the complete mercy of such Rockefeller-linked speculators as Cargill and Continental Grain. This "regulatory" commission is merely one of many corporativist super-agencies on the Rockefeller agenda for the present round of the Oil Hoax.

Toronto Industrialists' Conference Plans International Fertilizer Rationing

Sept. 13 (IPS) — In a little-publicized pre-World Food Conference meeting in Toronto of "major international agricultural firms" (Rockefeller multinationals), capitalists discussed plans for the establishment of a

world fertilizer pool (to be funded with recycled oil dollars) similar to the proposal for a World Food Bank. The Rockefeller plan, as first elaborated by Robert Strange McNamara, is to abandon the highly

Just as a Rockefeller-controlled World Food Bank is necessary to control the flow of food rations to the human race, so is a fertilizer pool which will divert fertilizer and even the production of fertilizer from the advanced sector to selected investment zones in the third world. Similar plans for creating pesticide stocks and for lending out "managerial skills" to the third world were also discussed at the conference.

The rationale for a world fertilizer pool is that last year a world fertilizer shortage boosting prices 300-400 per

cent drastically devastated the food production of countries like India. This shortage stemmed from the Rockefeller Oil Hoax of 1973.

Recently, both the World Food Conference Secretariat and the McGovern Senate Committee on Nutrition have released reports endorsing such a fertilizer pool. McGovern's reports reveals that AID and McNamara's World Bank plan to establish a fertilizer "think-tank" at the Tennessee Valley Authority's fertilizer plant in Muscle Shoals, Tennessee.

New USDA Beef-Grading Swindles Consumer: Cattlemen and Meat Unions Capitulate

Sept. 10 (IPS) — In a transparent consumer swindle, the Department of Agriculture has announced a new beefgrading plan which will allow tons of inferior meat to be sold under "prime" and "choice" labels.

Choicer meats contain "marbling" (fat) which keeps the meat tender and results from grain-feeding the animals. Suddenly, according to the USDA, marbling is less desirable and the "leaner cuts" of meat will be allowed comparable grading.

Behind the beef-grading changes lies the fact that livestock producers, caught in a credit squeeze and unable to afford high grain-feed prices, are being forced to liquidate their herds. USDA figures show that cattle slaughter this July was 15 per cent up from last year and calf slaughter was up 40 per cent. Grain-fed beef will soon be scarce, as producers, needing cash to pay off their debts and unable to maintain the animals on feedlots during the winter, rush their cattle straight from grass-feeding to market. As grass-fed beef replaces the grain-fed — by late 1974 — consumers must be lured into paying the same or higher prices for the inferior meat.

The New York Times let slip the nature of the new grading system by making a pitch for working-class self-starvation: According to the Times the grain "saved" by reduced livestock consumption can be shipped to the starving third world! Both the National Cattlemens' Association and the Amalgamated Meat Cutters' Union are reported to have pushed similar beef-grading revisions prior to the USDA announcement. The cattlemenhope to save prices; the union hopes to save jobs. With such desperate tactics neither will survive the Rockefeller-directed credit restrictions and forced liquidation of the industry, which will lead to the eventual disappearance of even grass-fed beef.

A Wall Street Journal "expose" reprinted in the Sept. 13 New York Times as a "consumer service" ad indicates how Rockefeller hopes to prevent the farmer-labor-consumer alliance from taking hold. The expose features an alleged graft practice involving New York City Amalgamated Meatcutters officials which the Wall Street Journal uses as the "explanation" for higher meat prices.

Europeanwide Farmers' Demonstrations Held; British Farmers Call for Expanded Food Production

Sept. 12 (IPS) — The British National Farmers' Union (NFU) has released a manifesto entitled *Vote for Food* which calls for government guarantees to increase agricultural production to save farmers' incomes and prevent serious consumer shortages. British farmers are caught in the same credit- and cost-squeeze as North American farmers.

The NFU document predicts the worst shortages in Britain since World War II. Specifically, it predicts a beef shortage within 12 months and shortages of butter, killing poultry at high rates to avoid feed-grain costs, ensuring future shortages.

The NFU proposal is positive insofar as it moves in the direction of an alliance with consumers around expanded production. The NFU will hold demonstrations Sept. 14 coordinated with the Europeanwide peasants demonstrations. British newspapers like the *Financial Times* are moving to isolate the British farmers from British consumers and Common Market farmers by representing the farmers as "protectionists." *Financial Times* coverage of the NFU manifesto was entitled "Farmers Start 'Buy British' Campaign," implying that farmers want merely to keep out lower-priced imports.

The CIA Press Pipeline

Sept. 14 (IPS) — A Minnesota worker asked a *New Solidarity* organizer, "If what you say about Rockefeller and the CIA is right, and I'll tell you it certainly looks like you are right, then why don't you tell some investigative reporters about this and get some coverage?"

The answer is simple: the Labor Committees consistently have bombarded reporters and editors across the country with the factual evidence on the Rockefeller cabal and its illegal plot to institute fascist military rule in the United States in 1975. However, the press is controlled by Rocky and the CIA itself.

The facts about the Rockefeller-inspired CIA Watergate set-up of Richard Nixon; the facts about the energy re-development slave labor projects; the facts about the immediate feasibility and necessity of nuclear fusion power; the facts about the Rocky Oil Hoax; the facts about the extent of Rockefeller's financial and political empire; the facts about the LEAA; the facts about the fall race riot plans; the facts about the Lincoln Detox center's terrorist operation the Black Liberation Army and the CIA's brainchild the SLA; the facts about the Rockefeller-controlled collapse of European economies; the facts about the Rockefeller-manipulated destruction of U.S. agriculture all have been carefully delivered by the Labor Committees into the hands of reporters and editors in every major newspaper and other media across the country.

For the most part, except for *New Solidarity*, the only newspaper which represents the vital interests of the political working class, these facts do not see the light of day.

The answer of reporters and editors to the facts of the fascist takeover of the country is usually as follows: *Time* magazine Science Editor Fred Golden received a full briefing on the suppressed Atomic Energy Commission Subpanel 11 report which demonstrates that nuclear fusion power is immediately feasible. He nervously explained to IPS, "There has been an editorial decision not to cover this stuff. (Click)."

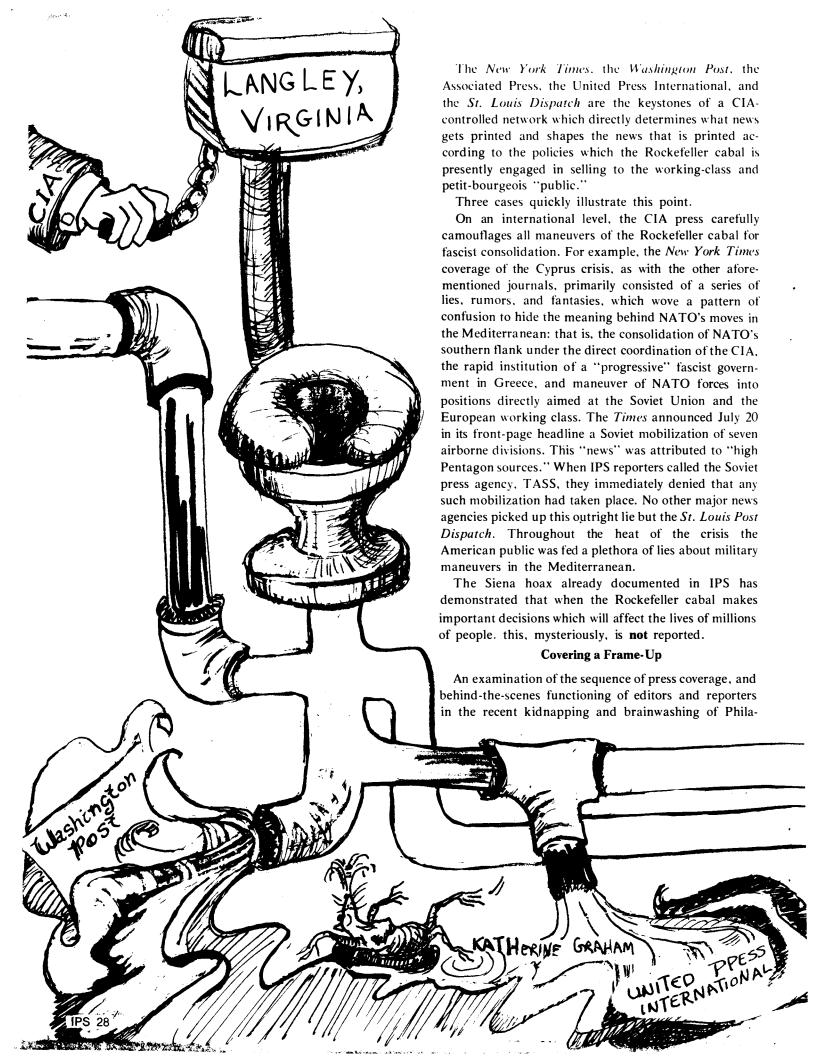
Any worker knows, by checking the anti-worker reporting of a strike with the strike events, that when push comes to shove, the American "free" press actively distorts the news against the interest of workers. What a worker does not yet understand is that the newspaper he reads each morning is a weapon of psychological warfare carefully constructed by the CIA and aimed directly at him.

Almost every major newspaper in the United States is a retailer of lies manufactured by the CIA or is dependent upon Rockefeller-controlled wire services and newspapers for most of their international or national news.

Rocky's Henchmen

As any worker who thinks twice about it will easily recognize, Richard Nixon was "hung" by the press. In addition to the political housecleaning and concomitant consolidation of political and economic control, the Watergating operation also corralled the nominally neutral and independent press, as well as the last remnants of bourgeois anti-Rockefeller media such as the Randolph Hearst chain, into a position of near total dependence upon the Rockefeller press apparatus. If any newspaper or TV station wished to provide coverage of Watergate, it found itself in the unwanted position of either having to do hasty rewrites of the CIA-leaked Washington Post and New York Times stories, or to subscribe to those newspapers' own "news" services and run the stories verbatim. As a result, the seemingly incredible situation developed in which the major Hearst newspapers, which historically have been the leading press spokesmen for anti-Rockefeller conservatism, ran front-page articles written by Rockefeller agents at the New York Times!





delphia Labor Committee member Gail Roeschman provides a clear view of an exemplary microcosm of the way in which the CIA press functions as controller and manager of the news. More precisely, it exposes the fact that the so-called "free press" really is "free" only in that it operates with impunity in aiding CIA operations.

Immediately following the July 18 abduction of Gail Roeshman, the Labor Committees' press staff notified newspapers and broadcasting stations throughout the country, especially the major Philadelphia newspapers, as to the details of the crime. Throughout the week, reporters and editors for the Philadelphia papers (Philadelphia Bulletin, Philadelphia Inquirer, and Philadelphia Daily News) informed the Labor Committees that they "would have to wait on the story." Not until the New York Times released the July 27 Paul Montgomery libel, thereby announcing the decided-upon CIA "line," did the Philadelphia papers begin printing news of the story. They then based their coverage on the Times articl

Who was behind this "waiting game"? The Bulletin is controlled by an outright CIA agent named George Packard. Packard is a long-time student of CIA covert operations specialist and counterinsurgency operative Roger Hilsman. Packard served under Hilsman as the State Department's CIA liaison to the U.S. Embassy in Japan during the 1960s, after graduating from the CIA's training program at the infamous Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy. At the Inquirer, under the watchful eye of managing editor and former New York Times man Gene Roberts, coverage was blacked-out and then released by Inquirer national editor Steve Sepelow told the Labor Committee that he had guided coverage based on conversations with Montgomery, one of his "best friends."

The major CIA-controlled news agencies United Press International (UPS) and the Associated Press (AP) also played their appointed roles.

In New York City, the AP bureau received the full contents of the Gail Roeshman letter which proved that she was being held against her will and subjected to brainwashing attempts by maniac Ted Patrick with the complicity of the FBI and the Justice Department. The

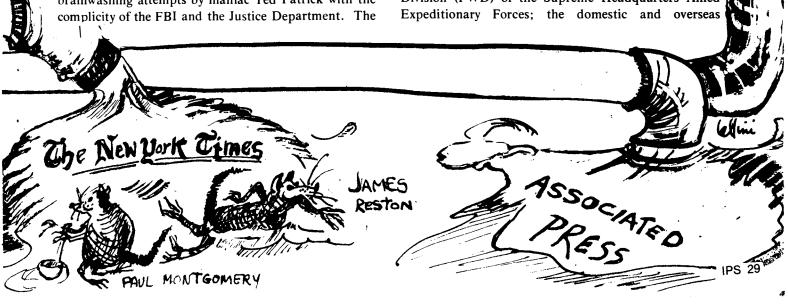
next morning, an AP editor who refused to identify himself announced AP's decision to withhold this news saying "we have the letter, but we are not going to do anything with it."

The Richmond, Virginia, bureau chief of UPI, Doug Monroe, did his part for the CIA by issuing false statements to Justice Department officials in Philadelphia. He lied to the U.S. Attorney's office, "leaking" that he had spoken to Gail Roeshman when she was in Virginia after being "de-programmed" and that Gail was "not being held against her will." On the basis of this "evidence," from stooge Monroe, the Justice Department decided not to investigate! Monroe then left Richmond, for parts unknown.

In New York last May, labor reporter Tom Crane admitted that the Associated Press acted in tandem with the Police Intelligence Division of the New York Police Department. Attempting to track down the origin of a fallacious AP account of the Lincoln Detox zombie attack on the Labor Party, Labor Committee intelligence staff called Crane. Believing that he was speaking with a professor who hated the Labor Committee, Crane suggested that all questions and information be directed not to his AP editor, but to his "good friend Walter Kirby of the Police Intelligence Division," an LEAA unit trained at CIA headquarters in Langley, Virginia.

Who's in the Know?

The CIA press network is the direct product of 40 years of political control of the major press outlets by the Rockefeller cabal. The Second World War provided the cabal with the unique opportunity to mold an extensive psychological warfare and press-propaganda apparatus, train its leading operatives in the techniques of Reesian psychological warfare, and then dispatch these troops back to the U.S. where they would become Rockefeller's leading press mouthpieces, fully integrated into the functioning of the cabal and its various CIA agencies. The psywar organizations of the Anglo-Americanwartime machine — CIA-predecessor agencies such as the Office of Strategic Services (OSS); the Psychological Warfare Division (PWD) of the Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Forces; the domestic and overseas



branches of the Office of War Information (OWI); and Nelson Rockefeller's own personal psywar operation in Latin America, the Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs (CIAA) — were the original spawning grounds for the maggots which infest and dominate America's "free" press.

Many of the most powerful press spokesmen (who serve as the pipelines for the latest CIA-constructed lie which is then picked up and disseminated by secondary figures in the press) received their training in these wartime agencies. James Reston and John B. Oakes of the New York Times, William S. Paley of CBS, and Thomas Braden of the Los Angeles Times are just a few. Reston, who is perhaps the most "respected" voice of American journalism, was only a secondary figure until 1942 when he published Prelude to Victory, a book which marked him in the eyes of leading capitalists as one of their "most valuable propagandists." Shortly thereafter, Reston was dispatched to London where he was instrumental in organizing the overseas branch of OWI under Allied propagandists Elmer Davis and Robert Sherwood.

William Paley, now chairman of the board of CBS, the most powerful international broadcasting operation, served as the head of overseas radio operations for the OSS during the war.

Thomas Braden was a leading agent for the OSS.

Secret Agent Oakes

The case of John Oakes is most elucidating. Oakes, a member of the ruling Ochs-Sulzberger clan which owns the *New York Times*, and now the chief of the editorial page of that CIA newspaper, was a counterintelligence officer for the OSS and stayed on after the war to head



up secret missions for the OSS undercover arm of the military government in Germany. Under the supervision of secret operations chief and future head of the CIA Allen Dulles, Oakes joined with the former head of the Associated Press bureau in Mussolini's Rome, Andrew Berding, to head a special operations team. This team conducted counterintelligence operations against the advancing Soviet army, made contact with and recruited to the OSS-CIA former Nazi agents of the Gehlen organization, and with these "black" operations assisted the strangulation of the post-war German working class by the food control and information control activities of the occupying armies' Military Government. Today Oakes' New York Times editorial page presently reads more and more like the post-war Military Government's psychological warfare leaflets.

Where the Lines are Drawn

It is no mere coincidence that within 48 hours the New York Times, the Washington Post, followed by the media networks and the liberal press appendages like the Boston Globe, Los Angeles Times, Chicago Sun-Times, St. Louis Post-Dispatch and Baltimore Sun, and finally the secondary press can be expected to spout the same line generally in all matters of political significance. In addition to the media's representation on Nelson Rockefeller's Commission on Critical Choices in the form of CBS chief and psywar specialist William Paley, the major press has been fully integrated into the policymaking bodies of the Rockefellers.

Central in this cabal structure is the New York-based Council on Foreign Relations, whose chairman is David Rockefeller, the Rockefeller brother in charge of consolidating the world's capital into the grubby hands of the Rockefeller family. Top editors of all major press are also members of this elite group. Their meetings' minutes are not published, and all members are sworn to total secrecy concerning the Council's activities and deliberations. The Council serves as the meeting ground not only for the press and the leading capitalists, but for those other CIA tentacles — the university "research" centers and CIA thinktanks such as the infamous RAND Corporation and Herman Kahn's Hudson Institute. In fact, when the Council meets, those present constitute a veritable "Who's Who" in the CIA cabal, most of them graduates of psychological warfare operations.

Ranking senior editors such as Reston, Oakes, Max Frankel and Clifton Daniel at the *Times*; Katherine Graham and Ben Bradlee at the *Washington Post* and its subsidiary *Newsweek* magazine; Andrew Heiskell at *Time* magazine; and others like John Cowles, Jr. of Cowles Communication — an empire which controls the leading daily papers in Minneapolis and Des Moines as well as a string of TV and radio stations and Harpers

magazine to boot — are all close associates of the Rockefeller family, both formally with the Council on Foreign Relations and informally.

Writing of relations between the New York Times hierarchy and the CIA cabal, former Times reporter Gay Talese has noted that leading cabal members — the Rockefellers, the Bundys, the McNamaras —are constantly in touch. These men often dine together, see one another at receptions, converse regularly on the telephone... and when Nelson Rockefeller spots Clifton Daniel at a large cocktail gathering, there is an instant smile, and within seconds they both edge their way to the patio and a very private conversation." In such discussions policy is made; Daniel, head of the Washington bureau of the Times, was responsible for the final psywar assault against Nixon on orders from Rocky.

Psy-Warriors

The CIA press meets regularly with the university professors in communications, sociology, and social psychology, who have developed the psywar and counterinsurgency techniques used by the CIA and its press, and who still are responsible for turning out trained proteges for future employment by the CIA press network.

W. Philips Davison, for example, supervises a "behavioral science" project at the Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism, training prospective New York Times employees in the techniques of Reesian psychological warfare. Davison is no novice in the field, nor is he unacquainted with its practical applications. During the war, Davison served with the PsyWar Division of SHAEF, where he was trained by the Tavistock Institute's own Henry V. Dicks. Later, he too stayed on with the occupation forces, as part of the Military Government's Information Control Division. Returning to the U.S. after his training was completed, Davison joined a team of counterinsurgency specialists at the known CIA-controlled social science department at RAND. Later he entered the Council on Foreign Relations as a consultant to the Rockefellers on "mass media and political communication."

The entire field of university journalism schools began to expand only after the war, the result of Rockefeller's decision to train an "army of specialists" for use in the press. Representative of this effort was the work of Wilbur Schramm, probably the most influential name in academic journalism. Schramm, who began his career as a lowly newspaper reporter, joined the staff of the Office of War Information as a propaganda consultant

in the 1940s. He worked directly with fascist psychologist Kurt Lewin both in Washington and at his base, the Journalism School at the University of Iowa, where Lewin had set up brainwashing research operations. During the 1950s, Schramm founded the journalism schools and communications research centers at the University of Illinois and Stanford.

Schramm was not confined to an ivory tower, however. At the same time, he began a long career as an overseas CIA agent and domestic consultant to the Ford Foundation, the State and Defense Departments, and several international organizations. During the Korean War he led a CIA psychological warfare team which collected "public opinion" data that served as the basis of the CIA's first psychological profile of Asian peasantry and Asian communist insurgency. Always faithful to his primary task, Schramm personally has trained hundreds of so-called journalists, many of whom have returned to fill his shoes as university-based teachers.

Journalist Morality

What the reporter today does not understand is that each time he replies to an IPS briefing, for instance on the Rockefeller call for cannibalism as the solution to the food shortage, with an apprehensive: "Well, I can't do anything about it, you'll have to ask my editor," he has consigning himself to the moral scrapheap of humanity. The reporter who merely does the bidding of his editor who is under direct or indirect CIA control, is simply being a good German.

Under the Nuremberg laws he is a criminal complicit in crimes against humanity.

It is relatively easy for a wiseacre reporter to mouth: "Well, when people are eating each other in Philadelphia, then maybe I'll print it." Such a prostitute has already sold every ounce of his integrity in spewing forth for public consumption the reams of lies he has been knowingly fed by his CIA editors.

Today's reporters have already joined in the cynical chorus of outrage against Nixon — charged with every crime except the one he committed, slaughter in Cambodia. They are loud in proclaiming the misery of the third world in order to motivate the industrial worker to starve himself. They are smart cookies; they know the line.

What they do not comprehend but what they will come to know in the immediate months ahead is that they are accountable to the working class for every word they print. Every lie, every shrug, every refusal to print the documented evidence of Rockefeller crimes, is a knife in the back of millions of workers in North America and Europe and millions of starving in the third world.

Newark: Anatomy of a Race Riot

Grid of an Anglo-American SS Exercise in Population Control

NEWARK, Sept. 14 (IPS) — The National Caucus of Labor Committees Security and Intelligence units have established that the three days of sporadic violence that "erupted" in the Puerto Rican ghetto of this city's North Ward last week were planned months in advance and staged under the direct supervision of Rockefeller's Anglo-American SS. An international network of intelligence agencies, major corporations, psychiatric institutes, and news services were tied into this brutal experiment in psychological warfare.

No law enforcement official, politician, or journalist can read this report without shedding the illusion that the spate of riots predicted for this fall by Rockefeller newspapers like the CIA's New York Times are "spontaneous," not the direct consequence of Rockefeller marching orders.

The Structure of Control

Through clinical work done at major social science laboratories (i.e., the Institute of Social Research at the University of Michigan, the Tavistock Institute in England) and tested on a large scale in cities throughout North America, the CIA/LEAA has developed a paradigm for conducting planned race riots. Before developing the particular case of Newark, so there are no blocks in identifying these bastards wherever they turn up, a brief profile of the agent-types deployed in these operations is appropriate.

Begin with the fact that the CIA/LEAA, by the nature of its work, is forced to recruit from a category of people who by definition have given up their humanity in favor of the "security" of having Mother CIA (or some surrogate mother agency) protect them. Begin with that common, fatal character flaw — and the different categories of agents is straightforward to distinguish. (In fact, the critical question becomes merely whether the act of surrender was a conscious decision or the result of some form of behavior modification/brainwashing.)

The poverty pimp/community organizer type is the latter-day judenraten ("Jewish Councils" — the Jews in the Warsaw ghetto who, out of fear for their own lives, took responsibility for keeping their comrades in lines, patrolling the slave-labor camps, following Nazi orders). These judenraten serve the Rockefeller family under the

pathetic delusion that they "serve the community." In every city in the U.S. — in every ethnic enclave — a now deeply entrenched network of such scum plays a key role as first approximations of a self-policing apparatus: pushing drugs through methadone and detoxification centers; pushing racialist beliefs from poverty agencies, community groups, and local churches; keeping a stranglehold on any potential or emerging revolutionary leadership within their districts.

Do not be fooled by their rhetoric or apparent sincerity of feeling. These racist hustlers who fill a critical function as provocateurs and spokesmen around whom the most psychotic and demoralized elements of any group can be consolidated, at least momentarily.

Given that these poverty pimps crumble into the most insecure, cringing infants when isolated or exposed, the LEAA has created another network of clinically brainwashed "zombies," mass-produced in drug clinics, behavior-modification programs and hospitals (veterans hospitals are especially useful, given the military training common to all their patients.) In most cases consolidated into tight groups (street gangs, so-called "radical" organizations, all underground "terrorist" groups, all black and other nationalist groups), these faceless, mindless former human beings are completely dominated by control agents (in some cases the poverty pimps already described). Brainwashed by some variation on the community-control racialist belief structure at the core of all bourgeois neuroses, they can be deployed as scabs, thugs, terrorists. They will perform these assignments in states of semi-stupor (if they have undergone a heavy program of behavior modification) or outright psychotic hysteria (if they have been subjected to attack therapy programming).

In every city of significant size or importance, the Rockefeller forces have deployed at least one — usually more than one — cabal field officer who self-consciously identifies with the Anglo-American SS and its political objectives. Look for him or her in some appointed position in government or industry; a background in the military or politics; or tenure at some well-known university. These slick operatives generally stay in the background, invariably winding up in key decision-making positions whenever a crisis is precipitated.

The field officer can be easily detected. Just beneath

the surface of a cultivated persona is an infantile ego, enthralled by its own self-importance, secretly longing to reveal its true identity, yet caught in the schizophrenic trap of having to keep it to itself. Scratch the surface of his ego, question his macho identity — and the persona begins to crack.

A new type of police officer had to be created, more in line with the low-intensity psychological control at the center of Rockefeller's Anglo-American SS game-plan. The new cop — trained as a "Community Relations" officer through a program of sensitivity sessions and courses in behavioral sciences — is himself brainwashed. Beneath the blue blazer is a psychotic killer, ready to move with precision against the community (particularly communist organizers) he has been programmed to hate.

On top of the new police bureaucracy are a core of individuals who, like the field operatives, know whence their orders come. Trained at a consortium of universities set up by the LEAA, they are the administrators of the new National Gestapo, deploying their forces on the basis of the political criteria laid down by the cabal.

In every city in the U.S. this core of agent-types makes up a hierarchy astride an environment they are trained to control. With access to funds and to the whole network of Rockefeller-controlled media, these agents at the top effectively are in a position to play out any number of variations on a controlled situation, each of which leads to the result of racial conflagration.

Vietnamization

Newark was targeted in the mid-1960s as the testing ground in the advanced capitalist sector for the methods of political warfare employed against the peasant populations of Southeast Asia. Those methods of low-intensity counterinsurgency were pioneered by British military intelligence officers like Brigadier General Frank Kitson.

While serving in Kenya in the 1950s during the Mau Mau uprising, Kitson played a key role in crushing the rebels by recruiting natives loyal to the government into a rival gang of counterinsurgent "insurgents." While masquerading as revolutionaries, Kitson's countergang played on those very ideological flaws (customs, superstitions) that kept the population enslaved.

Kitson's Gangs and Countergangs was the handbook for the CIA's creation of Imamu Baraka's Temple of Kawaida in Newark following the 1967 riots.

Kitson's filed experiments — which the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency tested in Vietnam before "bringing the war back home" to Newark — were the practical application of the psychological-warfare theories of Dr. John Rawlings Rees. Rees was a founder of the criminal Tavistock Institute in England (set up in the 1920s with Rockefeller Foundation funds), which has devoted 50

years of psychological research to perfecting techniques of mass brainwashing. The Institute of Social Research, Kurt Lewin's National Training Laboratories, the Alinsky Institute — all are the offspring of Tavistock.

As head of the Psychiatric Division of the British army during World War II, Rees led the team of psychiatrists that interrogated Nazi leader Rudolph Hess. Ress' own fascist ideology was so overt that Hess later wrote: "John Rees was the only man I met in England who really understood me."

As President of the World Institute of Mental Health (also set up with monies from Rockefeller foundations) Rees developed on every continent a network of psychologists, psychiatrists, and doctors doing in-depth studies of local ideologies and customs for use by the CIA and the rest of the American SS in formulating precise psychological warfare. It was directly through Rees' efforts that the "Seven-Headed Cobra" brainwashed belief structure of Kawaida Ministers Karenga [an exposed police agent and hired killer who assassinated West Coast members of the Black Panther Party] and Baraka (as well as the late Symbionese Liberation Army) was developed. The CIA's use of Rees' techniques of exploiting neuroses, especially racism, to set up self-policing mechanisms was applied directly to Newark.

To exacerbate and institutionalize the neurotic divisions between Newark's black and white workers, the CIA sent in an agent for several weeks in the spring of 1968. Ironically, the agent, who during his stay had the power to command the local police as well as Baraka and Imperiale, used the cover name "John Rees."

By the time "John Rees" left Newark in 1968, the brainwashing of Leroi Jones Baraka was complete, and the countergang dynamic between the black nationalist Kawaida group and Anthony Imperiale's white vigilantes was in motion. A proposal was submitted to government officials in Washington calling for the funding of community "peace" patrols fully equipped with weapons, patrol cars, and communication systems. Although "Rees' " proposal was not immediately acted upon, within two years eight cities around the country, including Newark, were being funded to set up their own community gestapo networks under the so-called Hi-Impact Anti-Crime Program within the newly-created Law Enforcement Assistance Administration.

Rocky's Big-House Slave

In order to maintain tight control over Operation Newark after "Rees' "departure, Prudential Life Insurance Company instructed special Vice-President [in charge of counterinsurgency] Donald S. McNaughton to establish the Newark Urban Coalition (UC) as a clearing house and funding conduit for CIA activities in the city. In May 1968 McNaughton appointed Gustav Heningburg to head up the UC.

Heningburg's major qualification for the job was that he had served in the U.S. Army's Counterintelligence Corps in Newark functioning as a special agent and Assistant Operations Officer. He is black, which gives him access to the entire political terrain, and unquestionably loyal to master Rockefeller. Heningburg is now a member of the Commission on Critical Choices, Rockefeller's world government think-tank — a position he earned by overseeing a reign of terror that has virtually paralyzed the city's population.

Just as the major industrialists of Weimar Germany financed the consolidation of a fascist infrastructure around Hitler, funds were readily available for Newark's double-edged fascist front (Imperiale and Baraka). As a starter fund Prudential handed over \$75,000 to Baraka. That seed money, along with the massive funds that were to follow from the OEO, HUD, the LEAA, from the Rockefeller, Ford and other foundations, was intended for the filling out of the fascist infrastructure. But first, certain preconditions had to be established.

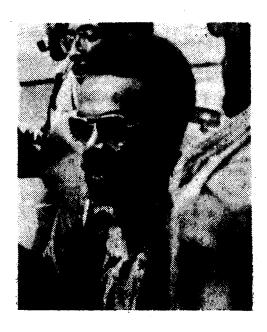
Between 1968 and 1970 brute force methods were used to crush the deeply entrenched Democratic machine of then-Mayor Hugh Addonizio. The Newark Teachers Union was next. From above, Heningburg's Urban Coalition provided the barrage of propaganda to cover the hooligan activities of Baraka's "simbas" — lumpenized ghetto youth recruited into John Rees' Kawaida belief structure. At the same time, the counterforce of Imperiale's race-mongering neatly turned every significant question of working-class survival into a black/white pseudo-issue.

With one foot in the door, by 1970 the Anglo-American SS began to pour funds into Newark, building the actual machinery of an alternative fascist governing structure.

The NIMH (National Institute of Mental Health) financed a Multi-Phasic Drug Program that centralized control over a potential scab-labor force of thousands of addicts, either chemically "hooked" on methadone or psychologically broken by aversive therapy (as developed at Tavistock). Baraka stooge Donald Tucker was placed in charge of this operation.

Through his World Institute of Mental Health Rees had created an international network of psychiatric troubleshooters, trained in population control. His ambition was to set up outposts in every community in order to sustain the completely controlled environment. Out of the New Jersey College of Medicine and Dentistry, community mental health centers were set up in every ghetto in Newark, providing drugs and other forms of "therapy," funneling people into the drug rehabilitation maze, maintaining a psychological profile of every neighborhood, engaging in actual brainwashing.

In 1968 the Federal Law enforcement Assistance Administration was established with funding conduits in



every state. Through the LEAA a national gestapo was to be created as a replacement for the highly inefficient city-county-state system of police departments. Operating on another principle developed by Kitson and fellow British Intelligence office Robert Thompson, the first line of defense against crime and subversion was to be the community itself, organized into blockwatchers, vigilantes, and paramilitary groups. Directly above that, a highly trained mobile counterinsurgency police force well versed in Reesian psychology was to be provided with the most developed "low-intensity" weapons systems.

Through the LEAA a pilot Hi-Impact Anti-Crime Program provided Newark with \$9 million to create a police network that would reach into every pore of the city.

At every housing project, salaried Tenants Patrols were provided with uniforms and weapons. Baraka's NewArk School was funded to give residential training for blockwatchers; training which consisted in brainwashing indoctrination in the Seven-Headed belief structure of community control.

At the other end, the oldtimers within the Police Department itself were being squeezed out and replaced by a new generation of college-trained counterinsurgents — community relations experts who would self-consciously carry out the building of a single, Anglo-American worldwide police machine. And for a small elite Tactical Squad, the most sophisticated forms of riot training and equipment were provided.

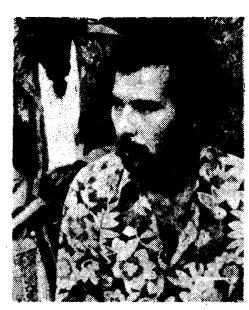
Riot Plans

By the beginning of the summer, 1974, a core group of Rockefeller field hands had been installed in key positions in Newark's political structure, so effectively that a series of contingency plans for riots in the city at the end of the summer could be prepared with an almost 100 per cent probability of success.

July 6 Hubert Williams, the head of the city's Hi-Impact Program, was appointed by Mayor Kenneth Gibson as the new Police Director. A graduate of the Harvard School of Criminal Justice, a key training ground for junior officers in the Anglo-American SS, Williams was well suited to the job of creating what he described in his acceptance speech as a "quasi-military" organization. Within a week of his swearing-in, Williams had brought Newark into the LEAA's \$2.9 million computerized communication system, instituted special police "decoy and disguise" squads, and set the Hi-Impact blockwatcher program on a fully operational footing, pending the arrival of funds from Trenton.

The last vestiges of potential old-guard resistance to overt counterinsurgency low-intensity operations were purged from positions of power within the police bureaucracy. Rocco Paradiso, a close ally of Imperiale, was transferred out of his position as head of the Special Squad Division in the Detective Bureau. He was replaced by Roland Michael, whose training in police-community relations, sociology, and psychology at four universities speaks for itself.

August 24 Reverend Alphonso Roman, a candidate last fall on Baraka's Unity Movement slate, was appointed as head of the New Jersey Puerto Rican Congress, an umbrella agency for Puerto Rican community groups throughout the state, tied directly into the LEAA through the Rutgers Labor Relations Institute.



Another Baraka supporter in the Puerto Rican ghetto, Ramon Rivera, had been showered with federal funds to set up OYE, a Spanish-language daycare program. Rivera's political baptism was documented by the Labor Committees a year ago in the pamphlet *Papa Doc Baraka* — *Fascism in Newark*. In 1968 Rivera was a

gutter scum heading up a gang of lumpenized Puerto Rican youth. At that time he was paid off by Heningburg and Baraka to terrorize the United Community Corporation directors into resigning. The OYE project was part of his reward for services rendered.

Maintaining a safe distance from the "revolutionary" Baraka, Heningburg developed the core of his own network of "respectable" operatives among the city's Latin population. In doing so he created yet another layer of Kitson-style countergangs, which give the false impression of representing the divided interests of the older, more settled Latins (groups like FOCUS, rooted in the city's Democratic Party and the soon-to-be-formed Hispanic Emergency Council) as against the younger, more militant elements (the Baraka-Revolutionary Union-Puerto Rican Socialist Party-Anti-Police Repression Coalition).

An employee of the Urban Coalition named Zambrano was primed by Heningburg to emerge as key negotiator during the "riot."

Final Alterations

The following section lays out the details of how the riot plan was activated. Only one significant alteration in the scenario had to be accomplished. During the early weeks of the summer the black nationalist zombie operation of Papa Doc Baraka had been undergoing a face lifting.

At the May 25 African Liberation Day Conference (ALDC) in Atlanta, Georgia, a faction fight had been staged — one of the CIA's favorite devices for redeploying badly tarnished counterinsurgents — which resulted in half of the ALDC member groups burning their dashikis and taking up the banner of "Marxism-Leninism-Mao Thought."

This alteration in belief structure enabled Baraka's brainwashed zombies to be integrated into a broader countergang including the predominantly white, nominally Marxist Revolutionary Union without causing major short-circuiting of the Prudential Life Insurance Company computer.

The Revolutionary Union (RU), itself a product of the Tavistock mill, was set up in 1968 in order to channel the most alienated elements within the counterculture student movement into a number of police-controlled operations (RUers selected out for their extreme fetishism of violence were sent into the Symbionese Liberation Army. Petrified of workers, overtly racist, the average RU recruit is programmed to become a raving psychotic macho through the use of Maoist phrases (an actual belief structure based on complete submission to "the people") in Reesian attack group sessions. That machismo is the necessary cover for fear of the very groups he is programmed to support — third world liberation movements and workers' struggles.

Activating

In order to create the minimum popular motion necessary to spark a riot, a psychological climate of tension and frustration in the city was required. In Boston, Baltimore, and a number of other places around the country, the LEAA had been priming a crisis around the busing-school desegregation issue due to explode with the opening of school in the fall. No such busing issue existed in Newark.

At the beginning of the summer, the Gibson administration planted a time bomb. The Neighborhood Youth Corp Program, which hires high school-aged youth for summer employment, over-extended its hiring quota. As a result, August 12 the administrators announced that due to an accounting error, 11,000 employees would be immediately fired — three weeks before the program was to end. In a city in which unemployment among youth in the labor market runs higher than 50 per cent, the move was guaranteed to generate a massive outcry.

A series of protests and demonstrations began — the CAP (Congress of African Peoples)-RU-PSP immediately moved in. Employing a tactic that the RU zombies used during the recent strike of Baltimore sanitation workers, the countergangs led a crowd of 200 hysterical high school youth on a garbage-dumping spree in the Newark City Council Chambers August 20. Fifty-six arrests ensued. Under confined circumstances, most of the ingredients necessary to provoke a full-blown riot had been tested out, and the Neighborhood Youth Corp swindle was still an open wound which the CIA prepared to turn into a running sore.

The First Provocation

The annual Labor Day Puerto Rican festival, held in Branchbrook Park in the North Ward [see map] was targeted by the CIA-LEAA as the kickoff point for the actual riot. Despite his performance at City Hall, Baraka was still too much of a liability (following Labor Committee exposure of his CIA connections) to permit an overt racial flare-up to be ignited in the black Central Ward. The city's Puerto Rican population, largely concentrated in a ghetto area bordering both the white North Ward and the Central Ward, was a prime alternate target.

The morning of the picnic, the city police and the Baraka-RU-PSP countergang were deployed. The former began petty harassment in the Puerto Rican ghetto. The latter distributed a leaflet throughout the city reminding people of the recent Youth Corp swindle. But it was up to the Essex County Park Police to set the riot in motion.

Sept. 1, 1500 hours - At 1500 hours Sept. 1, with no provocation from the crowd of 6,000-10,000 that had

gathered in the park, the County Police moved in to break up a crap game, their horses trampling picnickers in the process. (Anyone with the vaguest idea of the quality of cultural life in Newark can appreciate the absurdity of using a crap game in the park as a kickoff point for a gambling cleanup campaign.) The aura of tension had been created hours earlier when Park Police had distributed a leaflet demanding that the "dirty Puerto Ricans" keep the park clean.

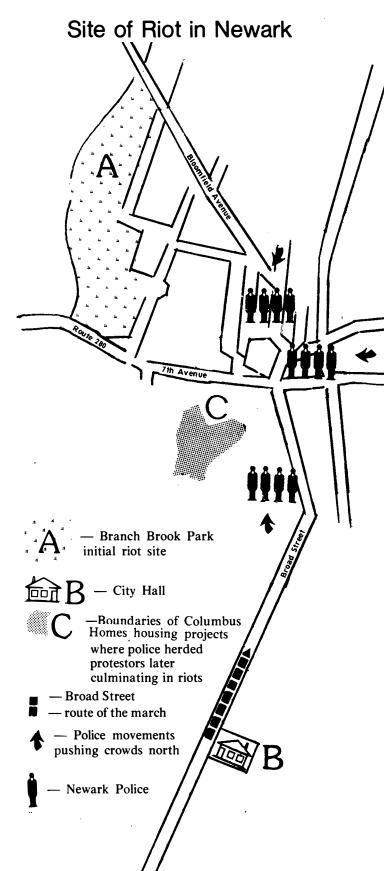
Within an hour of the initial outburst of fighting between police and picnickers, Mayor Gibson set up a command post at a nearby restaurant, soliciting the aid of Senator Imperiale. Imperiale's presence was calculated to provoke the crowd further. He and Gisbon set in motion the countergang dynamic that was used at every ebb-point during the riot to create false conflict and thus rekindle the fires. At every critical point a new element was added — but the essential dynamic, creating a controlled environment in which every alternative course of action would play into the CIA's hands, remained the same throughout.

Sept. 1, 2100 hours In the first ebb, although three police cars had been set on fire earlier in the day, by 2100 hours the crowd had dwindled to a few hundred engaged in a standoff with the police, who were in a phalanx formation three deep armed with shotguns on Park Avenue. At that juncture the crowd could have been convinced readily to disperse. Instead Gibson and Imperiale stepped in. Imperiale insisted that the Mayor call in more cops to bust the crowd up. Gibson responded: "No, we must negotiate." Calling for community leaders to step forward, Gibson led the remaining crowd on a march through downtown to City Hall. The effect was to reconsolidate the rapidly dissolving crowd into a tightly knit body, and to regroup that body in the middle of the city.

Countergangs on Call

Wind of the disturbances reached the next layer of countergangs — the Revolutionary Union and Congress of African Peoples (CAP). Not coincidentally they had been agitating since the beginning of summer against "police brutality." They immediately deployed their forces downtown to infiltrate the crowd, initiating their now-famous tactic of throwing garbage.

Sept. 1, 2300 hours The CAP-RU intervention was ineffective until another element was introduced. By 2300 hours Sept. 1 the crowd tension began to subside for the second time. This time tension was reactivated when Gibson and Santurino Romero of FOCUS (Gibson's community representative in the initial negotiations) emerged from City Hall and told the crowd that no progress could be made that night and that



everyone should go home until the next day. Police moved in to disperse the crowd, all but 150 people went home. Those who remained began to march north on Broad Street, carrying red flags provided by the Maoist countergangs. Ten to twelve police cars prominently displaying shotguns pushed the crowd north. At this juncture the police were prepared fully to activate the riot plans. All major roads leading into the city were sealed off. However, the crowd mood was not yet at the appropriate level. Minor scuffling broke out when they reached Washington Park at the edge of the downtown area. Thirty police cars dispatched to the scene managed to diffuse the crowd thoroughly. Although there were reports of minor trashing in the Puerto Rican area during the next three hours, nothing of riot proportions had been provoked ... yet.

The CIA-LEAA found itself in a bind at this point. The entire night had passed without serious incident. The next 24 hours would be critical. If a self-generating riot was not underway by the end of Sept. 2 there would be no riot in Newark in the immediate period.

Major Mobilization

Sept. 2, 1200 hours At this point a major mobilization plan was activated in which every tired counterinsurgent in Newark was called upon to pull together his constituency. At 1200 hours Sept. 2 the Puerto Rican Socialist Party emerged clearly as the CIA-LEAA's latest acquisition in the city, with a soundtruck provoking Puerto Ricans to "wake up and fight back." Shortly before the scheduled City Hall meeting the PSP joined Baraka and RU in a demonstration and leaflet calling for a march to City Hall from the "Spirit House," Baraka's Central Ward headquarters. By then, the CIA clearly had decided to open up the Central Ward, an area that had been unaffected by events of the preceding day, but had been the center of riot activity in 1967. The leaflet capitalized on the population's fear of the blatant police provocation and called community control of the LEAA and more self-policing.

Sept. 2, 1500 hours By 1500 hours Sept. 2 the crowd outside City Hall had swelled to nearly a thousand. The CAP-RU-PSP marchers had begun minor trashing. Observers reported that undercover police (probably from the new LEAA-funded "decoy and disguise" squad) were sprinkled throughout the crowd. But again, the catalyzing development came from City Hall.

In the negotiations themselves, the CIA was activating yet another layer of the countergang network. All the participants in the negotiations were familiar with another. At other times they had all worked together in overthrowing the Addonizio machine during the CIA's initial push into the city. This time, however, the forces

were to be divided. When Alphonso Roman and Ramon Rivera brought Baraka into the negotiations. Zambrano walked out of the meeting under orders from Gustav Heningburg. Playing on the petit bourgeois fears of middle-aged Puerto Ricans, Zambrano set up the Hispanic Emergency Council the same day. This functioned as a counter-negotiating body to the "rabble" represented by Baraka et al. Such planned diversions guaranteed that no satisfactory agreements or progress could come out of that day's meeting.

Ramon Rivera, the highly unstable rabblerouser described by one close contact to be prone to violent outbursts of infantile rage when provoked, was dispatched to inform the crowd outside City Hall that for the second day negotiations had broken down. He told them that Gibson's behavior was an insult to everyone present. His final advice was calculated to catalyze every feeling of frustration and rage into a sense of profound impotence and a corollary desperate macho outburst. He said: "Go home and come back again tomorrow."

Up until that, there had been little sign of uniformed police in or around the area of the demonstration, despite some trashing. The Tactical (TAC) Squad had been mobilized around the corner in the Board of Education building, which also houses its central headquarters. On sidestreets to the east and west of Broad Street, large numbers of police cars staffed by officers in riot gear were waiting

As soon as the frustrated demonstrators moved in on the politicians leaving the meeting, the TAC squad came out through City Hall armed with shotguns. Once again the crowd was forced north on Broad Street. Police cars emerged from the sidestreets and formed a moving wall which forced the crowd (now trashing and looting) toward the North Ward and the location designated for the actual "riot."

Sept. 2, 1630 hours One hour later (1630 hours), as the crowd reached the intersection of Broad Street and Bloomfield Avenue, a police ambush hit them on the front and on the right flank, **forcing** them to disperse in the general direction of the Columbus Homes Housing Project (see map).

The second major tactical objective in the Rockefeller riot plan had been realized. The demonstrators had been provoked to the point of actual rioting. But that in itself was not the key. The critical factor was forcing the crowd into its own neighborhood — and in particular, into the housing projects, where the disease of ghetto ideology is most destructive. Despite the fact that the Labor Committees had successfully prevented any community control operations (including the Hi-Impact Tenant Patrols) from establishing an organizational stronghold in the Columbus Homes, years of planning, massive amounts of funds to drug programs, community mental health clinics, police organizing, and brainwashing of street gangs took their toll.

The dispersal of the crowd into Columbus Homes was the beginning of a minor battle between police and rioters which continued through most of the night. Six stores in the area were set on fire, rioters pelted police with heavy rocks, bottles, and so forth. The police responded by occupying positions in the courtyards and on the roofs of the projects. From that vantage point they fired into apartments. Residents reported to the Labor Committees that they spent the night on the floor dodging police bullets.

With the exception of the Labor Committees, the residents of the area, and the police, no one is aware that by early morning Sept. 3, the riot had ended. This fact has been concealed at precisely that moment the next element in the Rockefeller arsenal was mobilized: a nexus of news services and rumor networks which created a smokescreen of false and exaggerated reports aimed at fanning dying flames in Newark and, more significantly, fanning the flames the CIA-LEAA was igniting in Boston, Baltimore and other cities.

CIA Press Agents

Sept. 3, 100 hours At 1000 hours Sept. 3, WCBS began the press barrage by reporting that whites were being pulled out of their cars and beaten in the area of Columbus Homes. The Star Ledger, the only daily newspaper in Newark, gave major coverage to a press conference held by Anthony Imperiale in which he declared that all firebombers should be shot. Rockefeller's primary mouthpiece, the New York Times, gave front-page coverage to the rioting and editorially called the events of Newark just the beginning of a new wave of explosions destined to hit every major city in the country.

In an interview given extensive radio coverage, "Reverend" Alphonso Roman announced that the newly formed Peoples Coalition Against Repression and Police Brutality had received no satisfaction from Gibson. Leaders of this countergang were listed as Roman, Ramon Rivera, Baraka, and Sigfredo Carrion of the Puerto Rican Socialist Party.

Sept. 3, 2000 hours By 2000 hours, rumor networks had been activated in every part of th city. Earlier in the day, Heningburg had set up the Hispanic Emergency Council as the countergang to the Roman group. Its first action had been to set up a rumor hot-line operating out of the YMCA. The word passing through the North Ward via police radios (which are well monitored by residents there) was that gangs of youth armed with guns were coming into the city from New York.

Despite this effort to incitement, only sporadic looting and gunfire were reported in the Columbus Homes area throughout the night of Sept. 3.

Sept. 4 Sept. 4 another element of psychological warfare was introduced simultaneous with the acceleration of stories emanating out of the rumor net-

works. For the first time, food stamps were withheld from the mail at a number of welfare centers in Newark, including the center servicing the residents of Columbus Homes. In shi counterinsurgency manual Low Intensity Operations, Frank Kitson had discussed at length the withholding of food as a key element in any program of population control. This tactic was applied in Newark as a means of heating up a situation that had obviously ebbed.

Sept. 4, 1600 hours During the early afternoon rumors of another major intervention into the City Council meeting proved false. At 1600 hours the Labor Committees received a report that police in the area of Columbus Homes had been telling local residents that Mayor Gibson had given the orders to shoot to kill. It was at such a point in the 1967 riots — after the "spontaneous" eruption had ended — that the police terror riot began which resulted in more than 20 deaths and hundreds of injuries.

Sept. 4, 1900 hours By 1900 hours organizers in Labor Committee briefing networks indicated that people in Columbus Homes were not falling for this most recent police provocation, but that fears over a possible police riot were creating a tense atmosphere. The LEAA then began a direct provocation. Police were ordered to seal Columbus Homes — using several cars with shotguns in plain view. Another force moved into the project itself, driving residents off sidewalks and out of playgrounds into the buildings. The operation was carried out with military precision with no forewarning or justification.

Forty-five minutes later, the police just as suddenly withdrew to their positions on Seventh Avenue. Labor Committee reconnaisance teams reported groups of police, with their riot helmets off, laughing and joking with a group of Latin youth down the street from Columbus Homes.

As these maneuvers were being conducted, in an adjacent section of the North Ward false reports over the police radio claimed that gangs of Latin youth were mobilizing. Throughout the night false reports sent police cars screaming through the entire city. No further incidents were confirmed.

With the failure of the Sept. 4 seal operation to touch off new violence, the Rockefeller forces decided to consolidate their gains through national press scares without abandoning the option of reactivating riot contingencies in Newark itself.

Countergangs on Stage

The withholding of food stamps built up an undercurrent of new frustration that was not immediately tapped. Sept. 6, U.S. Labor Party-Labor Committee organizers encountered an angry crowd of 200 outside a

food stamp center near Columbus Homes. Most individuals in the crowd were enraged, but clearly not ready to riot. None of the Rockefeller agents responsible for activating the three-day outburst were deployed to the scene to provoke the crowd.

Sept. 7 Countergangs were deployed in other parts of the city. Both Baraka-RU-PSP and the Progressive Labor Party (PLP) countergang issued leaflets calling for separate demonstrations Saturday, Sept. 7, in the downtown area. Praising the "fighting spirit" of the Puerto Rican community, flailing out at police brutality—both leaflets were openly provocative. An unconfirmed rumor that the Hispanic Emergency Committee was building for the PLP rally made the rounds.

On Saturday only one rally took place. The Baraka group cancelled theirs for lack of a permit. A pathetic crew of 10-12 PLPers surrounded by a massive police barricade lectured each other for an hour. WCBS gave the rally nationwide coverage and reported falsely that Mayor Gibson had been a speaker. This press move was designed to clarify to Baraka's group its expendable position if it stepped out of line rather than to provide further provocation.

Epilogue

At this writing, further demonstrations are being set up in Newark, keeping open the possibility of further rioting there. In Boston the school desegregation issue has already resulted in several skirmishes between demonstrators and the police.

The Progressive Labor Party is being deployed again in the Boston plan. The same network of poverty pimps, LEAA operatives and zombie countergangs exposed as the conspiracy which incited three days of race war in Newark is being used there. In every other city in the country, the same Rockefeller network stands poised to carry out whatever marching orders come down from the cabal hierarchy. There is no escaping the fact that these are dangerous criminals — potential mass murderers every one. To stand idly by as they attack the continental working class is criminal conspiracy.

After reading this report no excuse remains for ignorance. Law enforcement officials have clear identification of criminals to arrest. Journalists must launch an immediate public investigation into the controlled race wars being activated across North America by Rockefeller's Anglo-American SS. Silence on this issue cannot be maintained by anyone who retains a shred of moral integrity.