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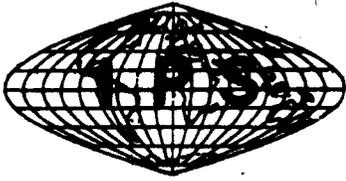
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CANNIBALISM REPORT

PRESS CANNIBALS: RADICAL AND STRAIGHT

NEW YORK, Oct. 6 (IPS) --Pushing hard, amid threats of food shortage, for the collapse of any moral sense among the population, both the "establishment" and "counter-culture" CIA press are tripping over each other in the Rockefeller campaign to win acceptance for cannibalism.

Yesterday, the op-ed page of the establishment New York Times featured a column by Russell Baker in which he proposed an "alimentary" solution for the economic crisis--threaten politicians and economists with being eaten. Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz, a formerly vigorous Rockefeller opponent, is singled out for this treatment. Baker's article plays on the brainwasher's theme that what seems "insane" is really practical in an extreme situation. What makes softcore "ecology" propaganda identical, in essence, to arguments for cannibalism and zero-growth genocide is the notion that the situation determines what is humanly possible, and not vice-versa.

This piece of "humor" follows the straight-faced performance of former Times writer Raymond Sokolov in the current issue of Natural History magazine, published by the publicly-funded Museum of Natural History. Sokolov's piece, which claims that civilized men are only more dishonest than Amazon cannibals, included a recipe using "1 1/2 lbs. of the brains of any higher mammal."

When confronted by a New Solidarity reporter, the Times' Baker was indignant. He professed ignorance of the press' cannibalism campaign, pleading that he got the idea for his column from the English satirist Jonathan Swift.

Baker's true intellectual peers, however, are the spewers from the CIA's "underground" sewerpipes, such as the Yippie Yipster Times and the Boston food-freak publication, Chomp. The cover of September's Chomp displays a girl with a strange expression on her face, holding a human-looking sheepshead. Inside, a "tongue in cheek" article suggests cannibalism as the Path to Culinary Enlightenment. A picture of chanting Hari Krishna religious zombies is captioned: "But are they edible?"

Chomp's scribblers were fished out of the same CIA counterculture of journalists that make up the

Boston Phoenix and Real Paper, two CIA press conduits. Chomp's photo editor Ken Kobre is a Skinnerian behaviorist involved in the use of the mind-mutilating DISTAR reading method on children in a Boston daycare center.

Baker's sick joke also was taken up in a recent issue of the Yippie newspaper in an "Eat the Rich" centerfold. Maintaining that small numbers of wealthy would make only "one good meal," the CIA's anarchist Yippies suggest "Bureaucrats and so-called leaders" as the next victims.

ROCKEFELLER DRIVES INDIANS TO CANNIBALISM

NEW YORK, Oct. 7 (IPS)--The first recorded instance of cannibalism in the fourth world--that portion of the underdeveloped sector condemned to death by the Rockefeller family's genocidal political and economic policies--occurred this week on the ravaged Indian subcontinent. The financial journal Far Eastern Economic Review has reported that "a starving woman burned her only child and ate the flesh" in the Indian state of Bengal.

The process of converting one billion human beings into debt service on worthless capitalist paper has begun its final stage. It is no longer a savage gleam in the eyes of the Rockefellers and their flunkys; it is no longer a series of bloodless, meticulously-detailed blueprints for mass murder. It is the living agony of the international working class, directly imposed on India by Rockefeller's Mid-east errand boy, the Shah of Iran.

When the Shah completed his Indian shopping tour late last month, there was nothing for Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi to do but crawl or fight. The Shah dictated his terms: he would provide "assistance" in speeding up the remains of the Indian working class in the iron ore projects he has financed for Rocky with booty from the Oil Hoax, provided that Indira increase her export to Iran of doctors and technicians and of certain industrial goods such as power transmission equipment. Except for similar looting via additional slave-labor projects, the rest of India must be exterminated.

To make sure Gandhi got the point, Rockefeller stooges in the Foreign Affairs Committee of the U.S. Congress voted a \$25 million cut in food aid to starving India on the grounds that the desperate Indian government was "hostile to the United States."

Indian Government Collapses

Gandhi chose to crawl. When she announced that Indian state governments would have to "mobilize their own resources to cope with the present crisis," all notions of government relief through a centralized national authority were destroyed. The way is clear for the complete fragmentation of the Indian population into competitive throat-cutting led by the CIA's "local control" interest groups.

Meanwhile, every state in India has recorded deaths from starvation. The West Bengal state government reports that 15 million people--out of a total state population of 50 million (30 per cent)--do not eat even one meal a day. In Orissa, 20 per cent of the paddy fields have turned yellow from lack of irrigation. The Far Eastern Economic Review reported: A man "lay dead near a Bhubaneswar ration shop; his hopes for salvation from gnawing hunger had ended when the man was driven to eat the very dust in which the body was now sprawled."

Driven mad by Rockefeller-ordered famines, hordes of refugees have spilled into any areas known to have rations. Not coincidentally, these areas are the specific concentration camp development projects where the Shah doles out near-starvation level rations to the workers in his export-oriented plants. In Rajasthan, Chief Minister Joshi has declared the refugees must work on irrigation projects like the Rajasthan canal or starve.

In the town of Dhubri, an iron ore area in hungry Bihar, the inhabitants insisted on driving out the incoming refugees, out of fear that the influx would mean a cutback in their own meagre food supply. The Indian population is carving itself up for Rockefeller.

AGRICULTURAL REPORT

FORD BLOCKS SOVIET GRAIN PURCHASE: ANNOUNCES END OF DETENTE

Oct. 5 (IPS)--President Ford today announced a "hold" placed on 91 million bushels of wheat and 35 million bushels of corn contracted by the Soviet government from U.S. grain companies. The move marked the end of U.S.-Soviet detente, already signalled by Nelson Rockefeller's vitriolic attack on the Soviet Union in an Oct. 2 speech. Speaking in San Francisco at a conference of United Press International editors, Rockefeller sought to blame the Soviet's grain purchases in the world market two years ago for the current world food shortage.

While providing a scapegoat for U.S. food shortages this winter, the Ford-Rockefeller attack on the Soviet Union goes beyond the food issue. Rockefeller described his own Oil Hoax, one of the major reasons for agricultural collapse, as "the most revolutionary change that has taken place without war in the history of the world." Announcing that the very existence of capitalism is in jeopardy, Rockefeller outlined a complete program to meet the "oil crisis," ranging from massive labor speed-up to labor-intensive Project Independence energy projects and his world food program. Rockefeller's speech has initiated an international red-baiting campaign to destroy any worker-farmer opposition to this slave labor regimen.

EUROPE: EEC MINISTERS ARRANGE CAP DEMISE

Oct. 4 (IPS)--"CAP may never be the same again," remarked British Foreign Minister Callaghan following the brief emergency meeting of EEC Ministers in Luxembourg two days ago. Callaghan's comment referred to the psychological victory scored by the West German and British governments in forcing France to concede to a review of the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP). The French government also agreed to take no further unilateral measures to aid its farmers, in exchange for the West Germans' approval of the 5 per cent European-wide farm price increase. The weakened Giscard government still retains the option of blaming the desperate plight of French farmers on Helmut Schmidt, thereby hoping to ride through renewed peasant demonstrations.

The unusually short Luxembourg meeting was clearly a staged affair, the agreement having been worked out in advance between London and Bonn. Another unusual feature was the participation of British Foreign Minister Callaghan, who claimed responsibility for introducing the "compromise," and of West German Foreign Minister Genscher. According to the Financial Times, Schmidt had requested the foreign ministers' presence as overseers. Schmidt cannot rely on his own Agriculture Minister Ertl who threatened to resign, when Germany first opposed the 5 per cent increase, out of supposed allegiance to his Bavarian base. Both German and British financial press have been calling regularly for the "reform" of the CAP guaranteed price system and the forced bankrupting of thousands of "nonessential" European farmers.

JAPAN DEMANDS WORLD FOOD CONTROL

Oct. 4 (IPS)--The Japanese government this week joined the front ranks of countries which are submitting to Rockefeller's fascist food control policies. Japan announced it will present a proposal for a "world food information system" to the upcoming United Nations World Food Conference in Rome. The food data center, to be administered by the UN's Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), will monitor the development of shortages in essential commodities such as wheat, rice, soybeans, and major coarse grains. Participating countries must supply information to the center concerning their domestic food production and consumption, exports, imports, stocks, and foreign aid. Governments must also report on factors relating to food production, including weather, supply and price of fertilizers, availability of other farm supplies, and changes in government farm policy.

Japan's proposal allows the Rockefeller cabal a foot-in-the-door towards the establishment of the full-fledged World Food Authority proposed by the World Food Conference secretariat. This supranational fascist agency would regulate the dispersement of food rations to those countries implementing slave labor "development" projects, while starving those so-called fourth world countries deemed not "credit-worthy" by the World Bank. Governments now balking at yielding national sovereignty over their food supplies to this international Rockefeller-dominated body might still be suckered into supporting Japan's version, primarily out of fear of future food shortages. A heavy food importer, Japan has been forced to cut its imports of feed-grains in order to pay its oil bill to Rockefeller's sheiks. This week Japanese traders were responsible for dumping large quantities of U.S. corn, previously bought by Japan, back in the U.S. market. When questioned on this unusual practice, Japanese officials revealed they plan a 35 per cent cut in domestic meat consumption!

The Japanese government also tailored its proposal to lure the support of the Soviet Union and People's Republic of China. The "food information system" would include all UN members regardless of whether they belong to the FAO or the International Wheat Agreement (IWA). China does not belong to the IWA; and the Soviet Union, until this date, has steered clear of the U.S.-controlled FAO.

INDIA: STARVATION OR SLAVE LABOR

Oct. 4 (IPS)--Coinciding with the Shah of Iran's visit this week to India, the Indian government fell in line behind Rockefeller's food policies. Indian Agriculture

Minister C. Subramaniam called on developed and oil-rich nations to allocate substantial quantities of their food, energy and fertiliser to promote agricultural "development" in the third world. Such international action must be decided on at the World Food Conference, Subramaniam warned, "before we are overtaken by hunger and suffering of unprecedented dimensions."

Reports that three million starving agricultural laborers in Orissa have been herded into food-for-relief work programs reveal the kind of "development" intended. Displaced by drought which was aggravated by the collapse of the Indian irrigation system, these farm laborers are working at breaking rocks and paving roads to earn their daily ration. In Rajasthan, thousands are being relocated to slave on the World Bank-funded Rajasthan Canal and Mahi Project. The World Bank has offered to provide India an additional \$600 million for similar labor-intensive projects, posing the clear-cut choice: starvation or slave labor.

AUSTRALIA: PHONY FUEL SHORTAGE THREATENS HARVEST

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Oct. 4 (IPS)--While Australian grain farmers are bankrupted by government policies, Labour Prime Minister Whitlam delivered a speech at the United Nations last week advocating a "world food reserve" to share the contrived "shortage": "As a major food producer, Australia is particularly interested in the proposals on food which President Ford and Secretary of State Kissinger have made at this session....An international system of grain reserves are thoroughly commendable and deserve our most serious attention."

In Australia, farmers report the hard wheat harvest is in jeopardy due to a shortage of fuel for harvesting combines. The fuel shortage worsened just as harvesting began, despite the fact that the Australian government reportedly reserved more oil for domestic use this year.

In a recent decision by the Australian Wheat Board, farmers will receive only one-quarter of the receipts from wheat sales, with the rest to be paid in two to four years. Farmers unable to meet mounting production costs will be forced to abandon wheat production. The effects of this sabotage are not confined to Australia: Australia is one of the world's few net exporters of wheat, coming third after the U.S. and Canada.

Australia's total net farm income is estimated to have declined 50 per cent since 1973. Farmers' rage has so far been diverted into proto-fascist formations like the "United Action Group," which blames the farm disaster on "labor anarchy" and communists.

TEXAS FARMERS RESORT TO FOOD DESTRUCTION

Oct. 4 (IPS)--Two-hundred Stephenville, Texas beef and dairy farmers, driven to desperation by the credit squeeze, have threatened to slaughter 1,000 calves as a public protest against low prices. These farmers are being manipulated by Texas Agriculture Minister John White who promises to arrange a special meeting for them with Washington officials. White led a previous farmer demonstration in support of protectionist demands for feed-grain "export controls."

When farmers resort to destruction or withholding of essential food supplies, they not only deny their essential role in the world productive process, but they cut themselves off from their only ally: the working class. As yet unconfirmed reports of Great Plains farmers withholding wheat from the market are part of the same suicidal pattern.

NATIONAL FARMERS UNION PROMOTES SELF-STARVATION

Oct. 2 (IPS)--A group appropriately-named "World Hunger Action Coalition" (WHAC) has organized a series of conferences on "food scarcity" to be held this month in several U.S. cities. WHAC's campaign, which enjoys the full support and participation of the National Farmers Union, is designed to whip up hysteria, to convince American workers that reductions in their food consumption are necessary to "feed the hungry."

WHAC's main activity is the circulation of a petition addressed to the President and Congress urging that the U.S. delegates to the World Food Conference adopt the three-pronged Rockefeller program: (1) Increase "food aid" contributions by developed countries; (2) Set up a food control super-agency, known alternatively as a world food reserve or world food security system, to regulate the flow of food aid to "deserving" third world countries; and (3) Expand labor-intensive agricultural production in the third world.

Recalling the degrading self-policing of last year's phony oil shortage, WHAC demands yet another round of working-class sacrifice: "Just as we turned down our thermostats to conserve energy, we are willing to eat less in order to feed the hungry and undernourished and to prevent starvation. We support setting aside a percentage of our exportable agricultural production for these purposes. Though we cannot feed the whole world, what we do will make a difference. We dare not become an island of plenty on an increasingly hungry planet." (emphasis theirs)

"Hunger Banquets"

WHAC agents are now touring the country setting up "Hunger Banquets," defined as dinners to which one invites several guests and either does not serve food; serves rice, roots, and berries; or serves some guests an opulent meal and others little or nothing. Such antics play on the participating liberals' sense of impotence, denying that one can ever break out of these controlled "choices" actually to eliminate starvation through expanding food production.

In an interview with IPS, a WHAC spokesman revealed that Pennsylvania Governor Shapp founded the group out of a "small, initiating core" meeting in Hershey, Pennsylvania last March. The founding core included representatives of the Rockefeller Foundation-funded Overseas Development Council, the National Farmers Union, and several church groups. The coalition later picked up the endorsement of Rockefeller Trilateral Commission member and United Auto Worker president Leonard Woodcock.

WHAC's second-in-command Martin McLaughlin is "on loan" from the Overseas Development Council. Its chairman Herbert Waters is a former AID official, former aide to Senator Hubert Humphrey, and in "private life" doubles as a "consultant to agribusiness."

The National Farmers Union's role in the coalition is to sell the idea of a "world food reserve" to reluctant farmers. Many farmers oppose the reserve from a purely nationalist "feed ourselves first" standpoint, rather than understanding its food control implications. A source close to former NFU president James G. Patton recently admitted to IPS that Patton was involved with the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration (UNRAA) following World War II. UNRAA's policy of cutting off food supplies to European populations to break their spirit and abort the post-revolutionary upsurge is well-documented. (See the March-April issue of the Campaigner on the "Tavistock Grin.") - Both Patton and the present NFU president Tony Dechant have a long history of involvement with the UN's other major food control agency, the Food and Agriculture Organization. Dechant heads an Advisory Commission to starvation "expert" Lester Brown's Overseas Development Council, an organization openly funded by the Rockefellers.

The NFU's collaboration with Shapp is also nothing new: Shapp drafted NFU member James McHale as his Secretary of Agriculture, placing Patton in an advisory capacity. When Bernie Salera, U.S. Labor Party candidate for Congress in Pennsylvania's Third District intervened in a WHAC-sponsored conference in Philadelphia

Sept. 30 to indict Shapp for genocide, Patton rushed to Shapp's defense demanding Salera's expulsion from the meeting.

IPS EXCLUSIVE REPORT ON
WASHINGTON IMF MEETING

WORKING CLASS REPRESENTATIVES
BREAK UP FASCIST FINANCE ORGY

WASHINGTON, D.C., Oct. 5 (IPS)--Billed as capitalism's yearly witches' Sabbath, this week's annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund and World Bank was constructed by the Rockefeller faction of international capital as a controlled aversive environment for the rank and file of the ruling class, to prepare them for rodent-like assaults on the world's workers and farmers.

Representatives of the Labor Committee's International Press Service (IPS) were also present at the IMF blowout, which was attended by over 1,000 social cripples from the capitalist world's banks and finance ministries.

Delegates from 126 countries were secluded in the Rockefeller-owned Park-Sheraton, a suburban luxury hotel where top Rockefeller lieutenants--U.S. Treasury Secretary William Simon, IMF top dog Johannes Witteveen, and World Bank president Robert McNamara--strutted before their lower ranking colleagues.

The IPS reporters present, identifying themselves as the representatives of the working-class forces which will end Rockefeller's psychotic rampage, sent an unbroken ripple of hysteria through the enemy camp. Bewildered bankers, including ex-IMF chief Pierre-Paul Schweitzer, morbidly bought copies of New Solidarity and the Labor Party's Brief to Congress on Rockefeller's financial and political empire.

Overheard in conversation, top New York Times economics reporter Edwin Dale indicated why the representatives of the CIA-controlled press failed to convey the contents of the meeting in their dispatches. "On Monday, Wednesday, and Friday," Dale moaned, "I wake up certain that the world economy is about to collapse; and on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, things don't seem too bad."

"More for the Third World...."

World Bank head McNamara, who proposes to outdo Eichmann and Himmler in the world genocide, revealed plans

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--previously exposed in New Solidarity--for implementing John D. Rockefeller III's intention to reduce the world's population by one billion. Hair plastered down with grease and face locked in a manic grin, McNamara told the IPS reporters in a Park-Sheraton corridor: "We're doing more for the third world than anyone else." Agreeing, the IPS reporters told him that he was indicted under the Nuremberg statutes governing crimes against humanity. The former Ford Motor Co. president, U.S. Defense Secretary, and present mass murderer teetered toward hysteria, grabbed a copy of New Solidarity, and rushed off.

In Rocky's Park-Sheraton environment, however, McNamara went unchallenged before the shell-shocked delegates from Asia, Africa, and Latin America, whose countries the World Bank proposes to depopulate. German Finance Minister Hans Apel coyly told reporters that he was "surprised there was little opposition" to the McNamara-Rockefeller murder plans.

McNamara's plans for the cannibalization of approximately one billion people in the underdeveloped sector fed directly into the broader strategic attack on the working class of North America, Western Europe, and Japan that was the central thrust of the entire meeting. "Affluent nations" (i.e., working class) he warned, "may have to accept for the time being some selective reduction in their already immensely high standard of living" if the world's poor countries are not to face the "risk of death."

Rockefeller stooge Simon baldly outlined the specifics of the attack. He announced that the working class would be asked to finance Rocky's oil crisis-induced balance of payments deficits through a cut in oil consumption in the range of 15 per cent. Simon, however, broke down when he was told by IPS that a spokesman for Chase Manhattan Bank had stated: "Simon tows David Rockefeller's line." In response, Simon had a fit of anger and hysteria.

Simon was not upset by the identification with the Rockefeller cabal, a connection of which he is proud. Indeed, at Simon's IMF press conference he revealed the "informal" relationship his office maintains with Rocky's fascist Trilateral Commission. What upset him was the correct imputation that he is not allowed to write his own speeches. Chase had emphasized in an earlier discussion with IPS that Simon's economic policy speech the previous week was a mere transcription of David Rockefeller's Sept. 16 speech to Canadian bankers, previously reported by IPS.

There is no question that these subhumans are well-prepared to shove their own grandmothers into the gas ovens, in their determination to make the human race pay for Rockefeller's worthless paper empire. As Johannes Witteveen, the IMF's Managing Director put it: "the political

will of the national authorities is apt to be severely tested" by Rockefeller's demands for a \$50 per week slave wage for industrial workers. Italian finance minister Emilio Colombo, the engineer of food shortages and epidemics in his own country, bluntly added: "For the first time in a generation, governments may not be able to satisfy people's expectation for a continuing improvement in living standards, with the risks of serious repercussions in the social and economic stability of many countries."

The defect of these mercenaries is that they have no guts. German finance minister Hans Apel blew his cool at a press conference Oct. 3, when IPS asked this question: did he not believe, given the left turn of the European Communist parties, the growing influence of the European Labor Committees, and the collapse of the Italian government, that European workers would meet any attempt to put through the IMF's fascist policies with a mass strike wave? Apel spent several moments trying in vain to form words. Then he fell silent, utterly disoriented by this breath from the real world.

Meanwhile, the IPS team briefed scattered reporters from the European and Soviet press. Italian reporters, in particular, were sufficiently awake to the horror that awaits European workers to stock up on International Caucus of Labor Committees documentation. At the last IMF meeting, the June session of that body's Committee of Twenty on Monetary Reform, European reporters circulated IPS-planted rumors of an Italian debt moratorium in their dispatches at home.

A bundle of 50 copies of New Solidarity, left discreetly on an IMF literature table, disappeared within an hour, and some bankers were observed stumbling over chairs as they read the exposure of their crimes.

Conference Decisions

What emerged from the conference were a set of hollow shells of supranational institutions to direct the construction of the Fourth Reich. An "Interim Committee" of 20 finance ministers, headed up by Canada's finance chief John Turner, will take responsibility for the "surveillance" of national economies during the coming months of economic war and re-structuring. As Turner expressed the committee's aim, its principal task is to mobilize political support from each national sector for the internationally coordinated austerity demands of the IMF.

In addition, a joint committee of the IMF and the World Bank on the "transfer of real resources to developing countries" will attempt to centralize the flow of credit to Rocky's development-project hellholes.

But--as the IPS intervention showed--the "success" of the IMF's poisonous schemes depends less on the sub-humans who cooked them up than on the readers of New Solidarity.

NORTH AMERICA

WORKING-CLASS VICTORY: TOLEDO RALLY ROUTS UAW GOONERY

NEW YORK, Oct. 9 (IPS)--Today at the Perrysburg Chrysler plant near Toledo, Ohio, autoworkers bought 125 copies of New Solidarity and took 700 Labor Party leaflets about Woodcock's United Auto Workers goonery--while UAW goons, a half-dozen police, and four carloads of FBI agents surveilled the Labor Party rally, and an agent with a telephoto lens on his camera photographed every worker who bought New Solidarity.

The U.S. working class dealt a stunning blow to Rockefeller's supranational fascist shadow-government, the Trilateral Commission, with today's victorious Labor Party return rally at the Chrysler plant, scene of last week's assault on Labor Party organizers by imported UAW goons acting on orders from Trilateral Commission member Leonard Woodcock, president of the UAW. The attack hospitalized one Labor Party member.

To crush today's rally Woodcock operatives tried last night to organize workers in the plant to attack Labor Party members. They threatened workers with arrest if they attended the rally, and openly tried to mobilize goon squads from the plant. Their efforts backfired: With the attention of the international working class focused on the return rally as a test of working-class strength, Woodcock's thugs could not raise a hand to prevent 19 Labor Party members and supporters--including autoworkers--from selling New Solidarity to one out of every five workers at shift change--triple normal sales! The rally was led by Ed Waffle, Labor Party mayoral candidate from Chicago.

"Stop Rockefeller" Electoral Campaigns

Today's success underlines for workers the reality that they can stop Rocky's Trilateral Commission fascists. Only the massive mobilization of workers here and in Europe prevented the UAW from carrying out its stated threats to attack today's rally. The anger of the working class has burned the UAW bureaucracy, as hundreds of angry, politically organized workers identified their

right to exist with the Labor Party's Stop Rockefeller thrust and told union bureaucrats across the country that no interference with workers' political right to organize will be tolerated.

International Mobilization

Within hours of last week's attack, the International Caucus of Labor Committee mobilized its organizers and briefing network around the world. Worker organizing against Rockefeller's fascist game-plan is expanding enormously: In days, sales of New Solidarity, newspaper of the Labor Committees and Labor Party, doubled in North America.

Coordinating attacks on the Labor Committees on both sides of the Atlantic, Woodcock and his Trilateral Commission cronies are reeling in the face of hundreds of phone calls from industrial workers across the country, from press, from politicians--and even from some UAW bureaucrats. "Solidarity House," Woodcock's lair in Detroit, was besieged today with hundreds of calls--according to a secretary there, "most of them are from union members." UAW Region Nine in New York reported receiving over 200 calls, including several from city councilmen under pressure from working-class constituencies.

Similar pressure was generated by workers in Italy, West Germany, the Netherlands, France, and Sweden--where Rockefeller agents are moving to destroy extensive Labor Committee influence over the working-class base of the Social Democracies.

In a qualitative shift in the political situation, for the first time significant numbers of journalists showed active support for the Labor Party by making calls to UAW officials to prevent an attack. Previously the press has been characterized by a pathological apathy of "waiting and seeing--we'll write something if someone gets hurt." Counterposed to the motion of individual reporters to support the Labor Party's right to organize, however, was a national press policy of blackout of the rally, just as CBS-TV led last week's nationally coordinated press blackout against the UAW goon attack.

Expansion of Organizing

With today's victorious Toledo rally, Rockefeller's agents in the Woodcock camp are staggering. Woodcock's capacity to crush working-class political organizing is being shattered. The right of the international working class to read and organize around its most powerful weapon against the Rockefeller cabal--New Solidarity--has been established. Rocky's agents in the labor movement

will not be able to take New Solidarity away from the working class; they cannot sabotage workers' right to be represented by the Labor Party in an all-out war against the Rockefeller Family's plans for fascism. The massive expansion of Labor Party organization over the past week has escalated the working class' political fight to Stop Rockefeller past possible containment.

Using this new consciousness of working-class power, the Labor Party moves into the last month before the November elections by launching an intense recruiting and subscription drive: getting New Solidarity out to masses of workers by organizing workers to organize each other to buy New Solidarity and join the working-class political machine!

FRAME-UP TRIAL POSTPONED

MORRISTOWN, N.J., Sept. 30 (IPS)--Motions made by defense attorneys to dismiss gun charges against Labor Committee leaders Costas Axios, Elijah Boyd, and Daniel Wasserman, arrested Nov. 30, 1973 in Mountain Lakes, New Jersey, were not heard today and have been postponed indefinitely by Morris County Judge Edward Broderick.

The Labor Committee pre-trial motions demand a dismissal of the case based on the total illegality of the car search which produced this frame-up against leaders of the Revolutionary Youth Movement of the Labor Committees. Such search-and-seal procedures are the direct product of LEAA [Law Enforcement Assistance Administration] training, funding, and control of the police and legal system.

TASS CORRESPONDENTS REJECT A SCOOP

NEW YORK, Oct. 9 (IPS)--For those who have wondered why most Soviet news publications read like the telephone directory, a New York editor of TASS, the Soviet News Agency, provided some clues today.

New Solidarity recently called the TASS editor to give him the scoop on Nelson Rockefeller's San Francisco speech to UPI editors--blacked out of the press--which ordered the international anti-Soviet campaign now underway. In spite of the fact that Rocky, an erstwhile "Friend of Detente," followed his policy statement two days later with the cancellation of two large grain sales to the USSR and an outbreak of anti-Soviet libels in the press, the bearish bureaucrat could only roar into the phone: "So what, so what, so what!--what's your problem?"

IPS EDITORIAL

ANOTHER WAR IN THE MIDDLE EAST?

Oct. 9 (IPS)-- A major international press build-up "warning of," "cautioning against," or "ruling out" a new war in the Middle East suggests that we are in fact being prepared for just such an eventuality. The barrage started with Secretary of Defense Schlesinger's statement Sept. 25 that "the United States is not contemplating military action against the oil-producing countries in the Middle East," and it has not let up since. The latest items are the prediction of a new war by the PLO leader Yasser Arafat in an interview with the West German magazine der Spiegel and the report of an Israeli nuclear threat against the Arab countries in Joseph Alsop's Oct. 7 column syndicated in the Washington Post.

There can be no doubt that setting off a new Arab-Israeli military confrontation is among the immediate options the Rockefeller interests could exercise at any time. However, knowing this is not enough. We must be absolutely clear about the specific military options delimited by today's military balance which is entirely different than a year ago. At this point, Israel could not afford to fight the same type of conventional war as in October 1973 and still expect to win. Improved Egyptian and Syrian air defenses and greatly strengthened anti-tank capabilities virtually rule out such a possibility. The tactical possibility of adding significant infantry and artillery support to tank units to defend against hand-carried (small missile) anti-tank weapons is not open to Israel forces on a major scale because of severe Israeli manpower limitations. This actually was conceded indirectly by Israel Foreign Minister Yigal Allon in an interview at the United Nations last Friday. Allon said that if attacked by an Arab state, Israel would not allow the other side to determine "the type of war" to be fought but would strike back at once with all its military might. He added that Israel will not permit herself to be drawn into a war of attrition.

On the basis of these considerations, essentially three different kinds of military courses of action -- simultaneously defining three different types of political options for the Rockefeller forces -- are open to the Israelis. All three are undoubtedly already on the drawing board of NATO strategists and must be regarded not merely as remote future contingencies but as real options now.

First, Israeli forces could make an incursion into Lebanon "in pursuit of " Palestine guerillas. Politically , this would be a "Cyprus-type" of operation, adding to the chaos and confusion in the area. It could be intended, for example, to set the stage for an Iranian move against Iraq. Militarily, it would be a "safe" move for the Israelis since it would not involve Syria or Egypt.

Second, Israel -- in line with Allon's comments (no restriction on "type of war") -- could launch a massive missile attack against an Arab oil field (Iraqi or Syrian), most likely one of secondary significance. Politically, such a move would have obvious consequences in the context of the Rockefeller oil hoax strategy, causing immediately most severe shortages in Western Europe and Japan. Militarily, it would in all likelihood bring about Egyptian and Syrian intervention. Israel could then attempt to avert disaster by launching a pre-emptive massive air-strike to knock out Egyptian and Syrian air power. This, however, might well prove insufficient.

We must therefore be alert to a third possibility -- not to predict it, but to warn firmly that it is a real option -- which, if implemented, must not cause shock or confusion. Third, then, -- in line with Allon's notion of "attack with all the new might" -- Israel might launch one or two nuclear warheads against an Egyptian or Syrian city (the possibility indicated by Alsop).

The international political effects of such an attack need not be detailed here. It should, however, be pointed out that even since January 1974 the international political and strategic situation has changed fundamentally. No longer does there exist the relatively stable political context in Western Europe once defined by the Brandt and Pompidou regimes. A nuclear move on the part of Israel would cause the most massive chaos imaginable. The only possible defense on the part of the Soviet Union against this Rockefeller strategic option would be a "doomsday machine" response, difinitively committing its nuclear might in case of an attack on Iraq, in particular.

By means of a "limited" nuclear attack by Israel against Iraq, Syria, or Egypt, James R. Schlesinger actually could check out the Soviet Union's susceptibility to the notion of "limited" nuclear warfare and then follow up an Israeli nuclear attack with a round of negotiations with the Soviet Union precisely with the purpose of achieving the "conceptual breakthrough" -- forcing the Soviet Union to

accept the distinction between tactical and strategic nuclear arms and warfare -- which Kissinger and Schlesinger were not able to attain in Moscow earlier this year. Or, as Schlesinger put it in January: if, for example, the U.S. launched a tactical nuclear warhead against the Soviet Union's oil field in the Balkans, this should not automatically have to lead to strategic nuclear war!

While the threat of the use of nuclear weapons in the Middle East is thus becoming real, the Soviet leadership since Saturday abruptly has suspended all attacks against the Rockefeller family and their political allies. This development coincides with the arrivals of Polish party chief Gierak in the U.S. and Brezhnev in East Berlin on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the statehood of East Germany. It is also evidenced by the fact that the Daily World (newspaper of the Communist Party U.S.A.) since Saturday has omitted altogether any mention of the Rockefeller name. Presumably the suspension of attacks against Rockefeller is a "shrewd" move on the part of the Soviet leadership to create an agreeable climate in anticipation of the planned Kissinger visit to Moscow this coming weekend. Such peasants' "shrewdness" amounts to nothing less than betrayal of the struggle of the European working class and obviously will not deter the Rockefeller forces from carrying through their international policies.

INTERNATIONAL BRIEFS

JAPAN'S STOCK MARKET PLUNGES

Oct. 8 (IPS)--Tokyo stock market prices hit a two-year low driven by fears of tight money and an economic slump. The president of the powerful Sumitomo Chemical Company complained that "Japan's rampant inflation is threatening her existence as a major industrial power, while the recession is reaching a very serious stage." Claiming that high energy prices made production costs prohibitive, he announced that "any further expansion will be outside of Japan."

To help Rockefeller's destruction of the Japanese economy along, the government approved 45 per cent increases in the price of natural gas.

ROCKEFELLER'S EXPERTS LAUD CHINA'S BACKWARD FARMING

Oct. 8 (IPS)--Rockefeller's food control experts toured the People's Republic of China this week led by Dr. Sterling Wortman of the Rockefeller Foundation. These agronomists gushed over China's labor-intensive method of agriculture. They claimed that backyard fertilizer plants and non-mechanized systems of crop rotation had produced large increases in food production. They especially praised the production team method of labor organization, whereby each family's income is determined by the success of the crop raised by the production team. Rocky's experts felt that this maximized incentive for hard work.

In fact, their reports of great progress in China's food production are a lie. The very labor-intensive methods which they praise and advocate for the rest of the world have resulted in a stagnation of food production. Rockefeller's implementation of such methods already is leading to starvation in India.

CIA HUNGER RIOTS IN INDIA

Oct. 8 (IPS)--In famine-stricken India, CIA agent J.P. Narayan is organizing hunger riots in an attempt to produce pure chaos and confusion. Faced with a Rocke-

feller-organized blockade of fertilizer and food aid, Indira Gandhi's central government completely has abandoned any attempt to deal with the problem. She is leaving millions of Indians to fend for themselves.

Narrayan is using this opportunity to bring down the government completely--without mentioning a word about Rockefeller's fertilizer cutoff. His efforts resulted yesterday in clashes with the police, leaving 12 persons dead.

SHEIKS PERFORM FOR ROCKY: MINES IN OIL FIELDS; GODD AT HOME

Oct. 8 (IPS)--To cover for Rockefeller's next Oil Hoax scheduled for the end of this year to cripple the world economy, the CIA's "hard-cop" Gulf States network of Kuwait, Iran, and Saudi Arabia escalated its phony "anti-imperialist, anti-American" act. This intensification was signalled by a report in the Oct. 4 Financial Times that Kuwait's armed forces have tightened security around the oil fields. They have also mined the areas around the oil installations to deter outside intervention, according to "informed travelers." Consultations are being held between Kuwait and Saudi Arabia, ostensibly because Saudi Arabia is "exposed" since "American techniques had worked out the entire Saudi military and security system."

In one of the more poignant CIA self-exposure tales, the travelers "added that rulers in the oil-rich states in the Gulf do not rule out the possibility of 'dirty tricks' by the U.S. CIA, such as attempts on their lives or plots to have them overthrown." Still more movingly, "the travelers said the sheiks may henceforth cut down on their travel abroad, and might resort to converting more of their petrodollars into gold and keep it at home."

SPD TRIES TO SQUASH LABOR COMMITTEE INFLUENCE

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (IPS)--Today in West Germany the presidium of the Social Democratic Party (SPD) stated that at a Nov. 11 meeting of the SPD in Berlin, a policy would be put forward to outlaw "any and all" cooperation by SPD members with the "Communist-influenced" European Labor Committees and International Caucus of Labor Committees. Both the Sud-Deutsche Zeitung and the Hanoversche Allgemeine Zeitung ran lead stories today confirming that the SPD expected such a proposal to be passed, presumably at the presidium meeting. The SPD hereby makes public its recognition of the European Labor Committees as the only moving political force in Europe spearheading

working-class resistance to Rockefeller.

This policy statement by class-traitors in the SPD leadership is centrally coordinated with moves in the United States by the Rockefeller Family's Trilateral Commission, working through Commission member Leonard Woodcock of the United Auto Workers, to stop the enormously increasing motion of workers toward the National Caucus of Labor Committees and U.S. Labor Party. This expanding working-class motion is based on the absolute confirmation by international events of the analysis put forward by the Labor Committees for the past ten months--an analysis confirmed recently by Nelson Rockefeller himself in a statement delivered to a gathering of newspaper and wire service editors in San Francisco last week. Rockefeller's speech has been tightly blacked out by the American press.

Political ferment within the working class is growing despite the most vicious harassment against workers' political rights since the postwar anti-communist witchhunt.

The intended result of today's threats by the SPD is to decapitate the working class, cutting off Labor Committee direction of working-class resistance to Rockefeller's policy for Europe.

The Labor Committees internationally will turn around this attack on the only competent working-class leadership in Europe. The European Labor Committees are on full-alert, mobilizing across the continent. Extra European-language editions of New Solidarity already are being widely distributed to European workers.

The Labor Committees are escalating our campaign to mobilize the Communist Parties of Europe against Rockefeller's efforts to promote war with the Soviet Union in the Mideast and to establish fascist governments in Europe in the next few months. We also are intensifying moves to galvanize the remaining pro-working-class leadership of the SPD into a united front with the European Labor Committees.