PCI LAUDS SMALL BUSINESSES AND THE "EDUCATION" THEY PROVIDE

MILAN, Nov. 5 (IPS)—At a press conference here yesterday marking the opening of a meeting between the Italian Communist Party (PCI) and small and medium industrialists, CIA agent and PCI leader Giorgio Amendola stated that small and medium sized businesses are "indispensable" to the Italian economy. Along the same lines, the PCI's newspaper Unita stated yesterday that the small industries afford "a more professional training of workers which often cannot even be realized elsewhere, neither inside the school nor in the large industry."

The PCI's statement comes at precisely the same time that legislation has converted the Italian educational system into a "community as a school" maintaining that experience is more important than formal education. Under this local community control fascist setup, the Italian school population will inevitably be sent to factories for "education"—as <u>Unita</u> alludes—thus completely devastating the Italian working class through outright union—busting.

Today's Corriere della Sera, a major Italian daily, reports that the PCI representatives, led by Amendola, put forward specific proposals calling upon Italian banks to support small and medium businesses by relaxing credit "for the good of the Italian economy," while asking the trade unions to "understand the problems of small employers" and make "reasonable" contract demands. As justification for this latter proposal, Corriere reports, the PCI leaders have dredged up illusions to the 1950s, "a time when workers had dignity. At that time, the PCI leadership recommended that negotiations between small and large employers be handled separately, giving favored treatment to the small employers.

As an indication of how well agent Mendola is carrying out his subversion of the PCI, the coverage of the conference is identical in <u>Unita</u> and in <u>La Stampa</u>, owned by Rockefeller agent and industrialist Agnelli.

SCIENCE FICTION WRITER PUSHES FASCIST "SOLUTION"

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Nov. 5 (IPS)--In a special briefing here today to mark UNESCO's publication of his Zero Growth children's book Earth: Our Crowded Spaceship, science fiction writer Isaac Asimov used his reputation as a liberal and an "expert" to prepare his audience to accept psychologically Rockefeller's fascist final solution. Talking non-stop with a prophecy of doom that included no viable solution to the problems of population, food, and ecology, Asimov terrified the bourgeois journalists at his press conference into momentary silence.

Asimov stated that "personally" he thought the comfortable level of population which earth could support was one billion. The IPS UN correspondent asked Asimov how he proposed to eliminate the other three billion people from the earth, noting, as he had mentioned, that wars and disasters had not been effective in lowering the population growth rate since the 14th century's Black death.

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Asimov stated bluntly that the only effective way of cutting the population down to one billion was by "raising the death rate." In this respect, he said, "thermonuclear war" and the kind of "mass famines" we will see in the future will raise the death rate more efficiently than the wars and famines of the past.

In pseudo-moral fashion, Asimov added that of course there is "only one humane way of lowering the population...by birth control... This may be impossible. If so we have catastrophe."

When New Solidarity science editor Chuck Stevens asked Asimov whether he favored the development of thermonuclear fusion power to provide the necessary energy to ensure the survival of the human race, Asimov hedged: "I favor the development of controlled fusion," he said, "along with solar energy....but even if fusion is shown scientifically feasible, the engineering problems involved in building a workable system may take 30 years. Earth must survive these 30 years." In addition, Asimov mentioned that the heat from fusion power was "liable to melt the polar icecap," thus submerging sealevel areas.

Stevens pressed Asimov again, citing the evidence from noted scientists that a fusion system is possible within this decade. Asimov became schizophrenic, stating that: "If you have people who are authorities in the field, I can scarcely argue with them...I can only say that somewhere inside me, I think they are wrong...No matter what we do, we are not going to have fusion before the year 2000."

Throughout his terrifying portrayal of a future of plagues, famine, nuclear holocaust, and ecological disaster, Asimov showed no sign of understanding actual humanity and man's creative capacity to use technology for solving problems. Asimov admitted he had no solutions: "If I really knew what the Rome [Food] Conference should do, he said, "I should be in Rome."

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SENATOR FULBRIGHT DETAILS ROCKEFELLER'S FOURTH REICH

Nov. 4 (IPS)--In an "historic speech" Nov. 2, Rockefeller's major foreign policy planner Senator William Fulbright (D.-Ark.) laid out the complete scenario for Rockefeller's "new world realities." These "realities" include:

- *War in the Middle East.
- *A new oil boycott.
- *Depression in the United States, Europe, and Japan.
- *A possible "Armageddon"--war between the United States and the Soviet Union.

Indulging in a bit of deja vu, the <u>New York Times</u> informed its readers that Fulbright's speech took place in the same spot as anoth er equally historic policy statement. This speech, delivered by Winston Churchill at Westminster College in Fulton, Missouri in 1946 inaugurated the mythology of the Iron Curtain. This was the cabal's policy which destroyed the Communist influence in the labor unions throughout the Western world and put world finance in Rockefeller's back pocket.

Fulbright's speech lays out Rockefeller's plans for a Fourth Reich. War between the Arabs and Israel "will most certainly bring on a ruinous oil boycott," Fulbright said, and with this second Rock efeller-engineered war and boycott, a serious depression in the Unit ed States will ensue.

"But is democracy threatened?" asked Fulbright. If we were communists or Marxists, he says, this scenario would most certainly see to indicate that democracy was down the drain. Not so, he stated, echoing Hjalmar Schacht and Benito Mussolini, "the cure for inflatio is to live less extravagantly...to go back to living more simply...w must prepare ourselves for even greater sacrifices in our standard o living than we made during World War Two."

In other words, Fulbright warned, get ready for fascism--with a democratic face.

Westminster College honored Senator Fulbright for his frank statement of Rockefeller policy with an honorary doctor of law degre —as they had honored Winston Churchill for instituting Red Scare diplomacy.