FITZIE'S SELL-OUT KILLS LOCAL

How would you like to belong to a union whose leadership acts as strike breakers for the company?

Well, if you belong to UI, that's the union and the leadership we're talking about.

Here's what happened to UI members in the Fairhaven and North Fairhaven plants of Western Electric. Read it and weep.

While the local union members were walking the picket lines last year to gain better conditions and more money from the company, UI President Frank Correll was making a back-door agreement with management in New York City.

The sell-out deal "negotiated" by Molinari, UI's own man, sent the workers back into the shop without any gains, in fact, without a contract.

The old contract had long before expired and, according to the UI deal, any new agreement had to be negotiated in New York City.

As a result of this UI strike breaking, Western Electric workers were denied a contract, not a functioning local union for over a year.

It seems as if Fino's "negotiation" with the company to keep the local union from making gains was a mistake.

The UI contract paves way for more strike breaking by the union and more gains for management at the expense of UI members.

The real reason for the UI sell-out was that the Fairhaven local extrapolated the deal from theUI and worked its lands to the workers' troubles.

William Godi, former president of the local, has been unemployed for the past 15 months, due to Puglisi's strike-breaking. But he's back in the picketing lines for an honest trade union, IUE-CIO.

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WHO'S WHO IN UE

This is the 4th in a series of articles on the big shots in the UE. The material for these articles is taken from authoritative government sources.

VICTOR ADRIAN PACO

The well-known Business Agent at UE Local 501, Vic Paco, was sent to Washington by the Communist Party in the CP as a representative to develop political action among the unemployed.

Before taking over his 'final job' in UE, Paco spent quite a number of years in various CP circles. He is the type of worker who has made outstanding contributions to the struggle for socialism.

1967: Paco was one of the Executive Secretaries of the American Newspaper Guild (CP). He was not a candidate for re-election on the following year.

1968: A member of CP and frequent visitor to the St. Louis headquarters. In May he attended a meeting of the Executive Board of the CP at the United States Congress.

In December and November, Paco was regularly attending meetings of the CP-sponsored Workers Fed.

1969: Paco is said to have been in contact with the Secretary of Illinois CP and the Secretary of the St. Louis CP.

In George S. Scott's 1969 book, the author gave an account of the CP's relationship with the St. Louis CP.

1970: Paco was elected as a member of the National CP Bureau.

1971: After serving for several years as an organizer of the CP City Committees, he was moved to a position in the CP's national office.

Dues Blues

UE Local 5121, which is currently being supported by the CP, is in desperate need of a new leader. The current secretary-treasurer, who has been in office for many years, is facing a financial crisis.

At the recent meeting of the CP's national committee, it was announced that the CP would provide financial assistance to the local.

Ode to a Corpse

It was one of those UE meetings when a worker was killed. He was found on the floor with blood on his hands.

When in doubt the leader said, 'Why? If I were in charge of the strike, I'd be doing just what we're doing.'

1971: The membership voted 'yes.'

The strike was declared a success, and a celebration was held in the hall. "If any member wants to object, then let us know now," the secretary said.

UE's at it again!

After last night's victory, UE has declared a second strike. This time, the workers are demanding a 2-cent an hour increase.

UE Uses T-H Tactics

The new contract with GM is a milestone in the lives of UE's workers. Now, they are in direct conflict with the capitalists, who are represented by the United Automobile Workers (UAW), a union that has been identified with the GM workers.

In a recent issue of the "UE's News," a letter from a worker in Detroit said: "When we go on strike, we're fighting for our lives." The letter was published by the UE's News, a publication of the UE's News

102% Maybe?

News items from the "UE's News" of Detroit, are: "Gompers gang has broken the GM back, but they never gave up, and they never gave up, and they never gave up, and they never gave up."

Caut. 1969, Cent. 1969 UE got 94% of the vote; UE got 95%. What do you make of it? UE ... the "nine" by which it has won consistently.
THE FORGOTTEN

Atomic Workers

WILL COME INTO THE IUE FOLD

The workers at the Knolls Atomic Energy Laboratory have been without a union contract for the past two years. They have had no union representation in this period.

As the Atomic Energy Division of General Electric handles the government's classified materials, it is of utmost importance that the workers be represented. Congressmen and Senators on both sides of the aisle have been trying to negotiate with General Electric to allow greater union activity. General Electric does not want any union activity.

The U.S. Government has been spending billions of dollars on atomic energy projects. General Electric is one of the major contractors. The workers at the Knolls Atomic Energy Laboratory are concerned that the government's money is being spent for the benefit of General Electric and not for the benefit of the workers.

Here are four of the six IUE stewards in the Atomic Energy Division. Left to right: John, Chuck, Frank, and Jack. Not pictured are Harry and Dick.

PASCHE'S FIRST READER

Dictionary of Common US Words and Phrases

(Editors' Note: It's all your fault if you can't understand the futility of you and IUE News. We're not going to blame General Electric for the lack of representation.)

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**Kriss Speaks at Union College**

Frank C. Kriss, Local 301 Business Agent, outlined the contract program of IUE-CIO before a group of 30 students and teachers at Union College in Schenectady on March 30. Kriss was invited by the Economic Club at Union to explain the bases for the present IUE-CIO contract.

In the course of his speech he pointed out how the IUE improved the economic situation of its membership by adhering to a single contract line.

Using the wage scale of steel, steel workers and other major CIO unions to support the new IUE-CIO contract, Kriss explained how the new wage agreements exist in the electrical industry.

He predicted that the IUE would support the General Electric Strike by a majority equally as good as the General Motors Strike.

**MURRAY ASSURES SUPPORT ON ELECTIONS**

Among the letters mailed by IUE Local 301, in reply to its plans for quick action in the C-E strike, is the following message from CIO President, Philip Murray.

Dear Sir and Brother:

I am in receipt of your communication of March 10 expressing the anxiety for an early NLRB election for the employees of the General Electric Company, and soliciting my assistance in that end.

Please be assured that I personally, as well as the CIO, will do everything within our power to assist in bringing about such an election.

I am confident that when the employees of G-E are afforded this opportunity to elect their bargaining representatives that they will overwhelmingly vote for IUE-CIO as their union.

(Signed) PHILIP MURRAY, President

**Carey Cuts Boulware to Size**

James B. Carey, Chairman of the Administrative Committee of the International Union of Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers (CIO), announced in “vicious and irresponsible” a statement attributed to the Daily Worker in April 1938.

The strike was led by the IUE-CIO, general secretaries of the CIO, and the American Federation of Labor (AFL), on the question of the Roosevelt Administration’s program of economic recovery and the proposed National Securities Act.

**LADIES NIGHT**

For ALL IUE-CIO Girls in the U.S. and also the wives and sweethearts of male members.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 1938

AT I. O. O. F. HALL

440 STATE ST.

Fashion Show - Movies - Singing - Dancing

Sponsored by The Ladies Auxiliary of Local 301

**OUR COVER GIRL**

When Cookie Woman see her dad unloading the new bigload U.S. mail trucks down to Union headquarters and get into the act here. In his own way Carey is a one girl publicity committee for U.S. The father is Vice-President of Local 301.