

In addition to its fundraising mobilization, the party is also counterattacking with a battery of legal and political actions against every organization and individual who appears wittingly complicit in Fist and Sweep operations. Legal action has already been announced against Alanthus Corp. (formerly Leasco) which removed NSIPS communications equipment from a dozen U.S. locations last week after rejecting reasonable offers of payment on its account.

Broad exposure of the "get the Labor Party" conspiracy has resulted in a 13 percent increase in NCLC-USLP field income this past week and rise in overall income to the \$40,000 level. The increase has come

largely from increased sales of publications and from contributions by workers, their families, and local trade union officials, generally reporting they "don't want to see the Labor Party die."

Because of the TWA and additional attacks, however, the \$40,000 level is no longer, as was projected, sufficient to stabilize payments, and the USLP and its affiliates are facing the weekend with approximately a \$7-10,000 shortfall in necessary income. Unless this deficit is rapidly made up, further cutbacks in vital publications and communications services will occur.

— Don Baier

UAW Officials Caught In Collusion With Carter Administration's 'Operation Fist'

Aug. 25 — Sources very close to the United Auto Workers Union leadership, outraged over that union's direct complicity in the FBI-run "Operation Fist" against the U.S. Labor Party, have turned over to the Labor Party's Legal Division damning evidence against UAW and Democratic officials in Michigan involved in these illegal operations. These sources have provided the following documented information revealing that the UAW, in collusion with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, is running a state-wide "war-room" for the FBI's Operation Fist (Financial Intelligence Specialists to Terminate the USLP):

* UAW Public Relations Director Jerry Dale is in direct liaison with FBI Special Agent Knapp, the Detroit bureau agent "in charge of all activities regarding the U.S. Labor Party." Through this liaison, Dale has been provided by the FBI with up-to-the-minute information on all Labor Party financial accounts—including actual copies of Labor Party bills. This UAW-FBI relationship also provides the UAW with the FBI's "target list" of Michigan Labor Party members whose names have been run through the Michigan State Police "LEIN" computer for ongoing harassment and intimidation.

* Further evidence provided to the USLP shows that Dale has a prearranged date, Sept. 23, where he expects the UAW to win a \$20 million law suit against the Labor Party—indicating that he has

knowledge of a judge to be brought into the case who will "rule" in favor of the UAW. The UAW suit was and is designed to shut down the Labor Party's newspaper, New Solidarity.

* According to these sources, total day-to-day UAW operations against the U.S. Labor Party are being handled out of the UAW's Washington, D.C. office of Stephen Schlossberg. Schlossberg has not handled any UAW legal work, ostensibly his job, since 1973, and instead has been instructed to concentrate solely on the U.S. Labor Party.

* Bruce Miller, head of the Wayne County, Michigan Democratic Party and "troubleshooter" attorney for the UAW, is coordinating all "legal aspects" of Operation Fist. Miller is being directly supervised by Emil Mazey, the "policy advisor to the UAW Executive on the USLP" and in charge of "overall policy" regarding the USLP. Miller is currently acting as an "advisor" to the UAW's \$20 million law suit against the Labor Party for using the word "Solidarity" (the name of the UAW's newspaper) in the Labor Party's newspaper, New Solidarity. One of Miller's employees, Duane Ice, was counsel to UAW local president of Detroit Deisel, Hillman Green, who was charged last year with assaulting Labor Party organizer Ivy D'Urso. Mrs. D'Urso, now a full-time coordinator for the Mel Brown Detroit mayoral campaign, and her husband Joe D'Urso are on the FBI's "target list" and have, over the last month, come under numerous incidents of State Police harassment, including fines, detainments and arrests.