

NORTH AMERICAN LABOR PARTY ANNOUNCES CANDIDATES IN CANADA

TORONTO, May 31 (IPS) — Campaigning as the North American Labor Party, the International Caucus of Labor Committees and the North American Unemployed and Welfare Rights Organization will field candidates in the upcoming Canadian federal elections July 8.

Andre Doucet and Kevin Henley will formally announce their candidacies for Members of Parliament from Vancouver and Toronto, respectively, at simultaneous press conferences to be held June 5 in Toronto, Vancouver, and New York.

The Doucet-Henley campaign will penetrate the concentrations of New Democratic Party (NDP) and Canadian Communist Party (CCP) working-class voters in British Columbia and Ontario, challenging them to do what serious Canadian Communists and socialists must do in this period — join a continent-wide drive to defeat Rockefeller's military takeover plot.

The North American Labor Party campaigns will extend into Quebec and other provinces and into the U.S. border states to draw the *real* political boundary lines for workers on the continent — either cowering in the shadow of Rockefeller's North American death-camps along with NDP leaders Dave Barrett and David

RELOCATION EXERCISES

NEW YORK, May 31 (IPS) — "Emergency relocation" trial runs are being carried out with increasing frequency in the New York metropolitan area in preparation for future large-scale relocation of "unessential Americans," as outlined by Rockefeller's Secretary of Defense Schlesinger in early April. More than 14 ambulance companies and a half-dozen rescue units, including helicopters, were mobilized from towns across Long Island to deal with a *simulated explosion* at Central Islip High School earlier this month. Over 100 students were used as dupes in this exercise to train emergency

NEWHOUSE DISPATCH HINTS AT CIA PLOT BEHIND WATERGATE

May 31 (IPS) — According to the Washington-based Newhouse News Service in a dispatch datelined May 28, "reports are circulating on Capitol Hill that some of the Presidents' men will float a story that the Watergate break-in was part of a plot by the CIA to discredit the White House and President Nixon and gain more power domestically. Congress sources say that the tale would further muddy the waters and perhaps generate sympathy for the administration." The dispatch was carried by the *Newark Star Ledger* and other newspapers nationwide.

Washington representatives of IPS and the National

Lewis, or organizing with the Labor Party for fusion power and socialist reconstruction.

A key target of the campaign will be the criminally stupid policies of the CCP, which were asserted again yesterday at their campaign press conference. In response to questions from Labor Party members, the Secretary-General of the Canadian CP, William Kashan, squatted down publicly on the side of Rockefeller's policies, stating that fusion power was "too far off," and therefore Canadians must hoard "their" natural energy resources for themselves. Kashan also pushed the suicidal policy of autonomy for Canadian workers and defended the Athabasca Tar Sands project against Labor Party attack by objecting that "slave labor is too strong a term" to be applied to this fascist plan.

The North American Labor Party campaign will confront and expose every traitor in the Canadian working-class movement like Bruce Magnusson, the CPC candidate in Ontario. Magnusson authored the party's energy program which demands working-class support for the Athabasca project. At the same time, Labor Party candidates will propose joint work with other CPC, NDP, and independent candidates and individuals who are prepared to build the continental working class force that will defeat Rockefeller.

units and to acclimatize the population to contrived "emergency situations."

In a far more serious incident in New Britain, Connecticut May 29 some 5000 workers and their families were subjected to Army-directed evacuation of a quarter-mile area. The official reason for evacuation was a gas leak in the sewer system. The gasoline was later traced to two tanks of the Rockefeller-owned Exxon Corporation. Residents of the area spent 15 hours as guinea pigs for the Army — ordered out of their homes at noon, back in at 5, out again at 9, in again at midnight, out again at 1 — and finally told at 3 a.m. to return "at their own risk."

Caucus of Labor Committees have been briefing key members of Congress and the Administration regularly over the past months on the CIA's role in setting up Watergate to discredit the constitutional government of the U.S. and implement Rockefeller's game-plan for military takeover in this country in 1974.

As IPS has previously outlined in detail, Nixon's counterattack in releasing the transcripts has stymied Rockefeller's Watergate flood tide. Senate Democratic leader Mike Mansfield telegraphed a change in tactics (IPS No. 4). The thrust adopted by Rockefeller's anti-Nixon forces now is to hang the economic collapse on Nixon while developing fascist "New Deal" economic structures to supplant the legally constituted government (IPS, this issue).