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NEW SOLIDARITY WORLD NEWS SCHEDULE

NEW SOLIDARITY WORLD NEWS, The Cable TV news program of the National Caucus of labor Committees, is shown in the following cities:

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Courier Cable

Sun. 6:30 pm Mon. 2:30 pm Thurs. 1:30 pm

GARY, IND. Gary Communications Group

(Channel 3)

Mon. 6;15 pm

GREENSBORO, N.C.

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Wed. 4:00 pm Fri. 4:00 pm

LACKAWANNA, N.Y.

Comax Cable

Tue. 8:30 pm Wed. 8:30 pm Fri. 8:30 pm

LEBANON, PA. National Cablevision Ltd.

Thurs.

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NEW YORK CITY

Manhattan Cable (Channel C) To be announced*

Sun. 5:30 pm Mon. 7:00 pm Tues. 11:30 pm Wed. 7:00 pm Thurs: 12:Noon Fri. 7:00 pm Sat. 5:30 pm

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Teleprompter Cable (Channel C)

Sun. 1:00 pm Mon. 5:30 pm Tues. 11:30 pm Wed. 1:00 pm Thurs. 11:00 pm Fri. 11:30 pm Sat. 5:30 pm

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Mon. 8:00 pm Wed. 8:00 pm

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TORONTO, CANADA

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Wed. 7:00 pm

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Dr. Louis Gold (above) of the Biopolis Corp., Washington, D.C. and Prof. Robert Moon (below) from the University of Chicago, pioneers in fusion research. Both are members of the Science Advisory Board of the newly formed Fusion Energy Foundation.

NCLC Opens Multi-Media Drive To Mass Market New Solidarity

Dec. 4-Based on an assessment of the Labor Party's existing penetration of the working class which was realised in over 300,000 votes cast for the USLP in the last ciaction, the Executive Committee of the Labor Commit-\$86s announced concrete plans this week for espanding New Soldarity sales immediately to over 160,300 papers per week.

. Up until now, New Solidarities have been reaching workers and their families mainly through plant gate and street corner splant Please methods are not suf-ficient, given limited manpower, to both extend Labor Party pene-eration throughout the working class and plantita neously intensily its effect. Through greater use of whiveleple multi-media resources, including NS Cable TV and Badic World News, the USLS can in a ballately create dispussed her works which are makely field with New Selidarities by Lubor Committee cadre. A major pilot project is also adoption to the cadre of th cisco with magging being done in Boston, Flint and several other

In San Francisco, gueless and handbille, along with radio spote and bein advertising as well as cable TV will be used to publicize the availability of New Solidarity is settleborhood grocery stores. bookstores, and other area outvehicle for workers to expand timely own sales and organizing metworks.

Workers themselves have been providing as with a good picture of how this will work, In one midwest one, a Labor Party organizer entered a neighborhood tavern at the time a USLE cable T.V. program was scheduled. He proceeded to organize the patrons to watch this

program, and afterwards sold over a dozen New Solidarities and engaged a number of them in discussions about the Labor Party's program and how they can build the party through expanding sales networks. Elsewhere, workers have been mapping those areas of cities where the Labor Party received a very high vote return, using their knowledge of traffic patterns, neighborhood meeting places, etc. to maximize New Solidarity distribution.

One worker in San Francisco. as soon as he understood the role he could play in this process, begin a marketing study of the North Beach section where he lives, while an Arab grocer mapped out the members of the grocers' association to which he belongs for those areas of San Francisco where the Labor Party received a significant vote. A number of these grocers are now carrying New Solidarity on his recommendation. As soon as these grocers recommended New Solidarity to their customers. sales jumped exponentially.

The reason for conceptualizing New Solidarity "marketing" is obvious. The USLP has a major responsibility to provide a political lifeline to those 300,000 or More workers and individuals who came forward to vote for a socialist alternative in the last election. A fairly high percentage of this vote came from areas, sometimes including whole cities, where the Labor Party had little active presence. These workers and their families are waiting to receive political direction from the Labor Party-but. with past "labor-intensive" methods, the Labor Party has been unable to reach them! Now, one or two Labor Party organizers will simply consolidate key network organizers who will, in

turn, broaden their own networks drawing on the intensive penetration realized through the multimedia approach.

Voting returns alone indicate tha the potential for an immetiinte 300 per cent increase in New Solidarity sales exists. We have no excuse for not using 20th contury media techniques to transform this "audience" into active Labor Party organizers.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 3 (IPS) - Reckefeller represen Rockefellar's man at the Treasury # h "world gold bank" Department, William "Simple" Simon, driggered a collapse in gold prices today with an announcement that the United States would sell off part of its gold stock to depress the international price of the metal.

During the last several weeks, the gold price has risen to an all-time record, in anticipation of the repeal of laws which forbid U.S. citizens from owning gold. Simon said, however, that any inordinate demand in the United States would be met by Treasury gold sales.

In response, the gold price declined a whopping \$9 per ounce on the Legdon market, settling at around \$170 at the afternoon fixing.

Behind the Rockefeller financier faction's efforts to bid down the price of gold is a confidential plan to use the world's gold supply as the centerpiece in a new fascist world monetary avatem.

The Rockefeller scheme, IPS has reported, involves the indexation of regional currency blocs to various commodities, especially oil, using both gold and the IMF's Special Drawing Rights as a changeable standard of value.

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In a related move. bank deputy Rinaldo that Europe should billion oil deficit by bends payable in à ce ounces of gold, using (Monetary Fund as underwriter.

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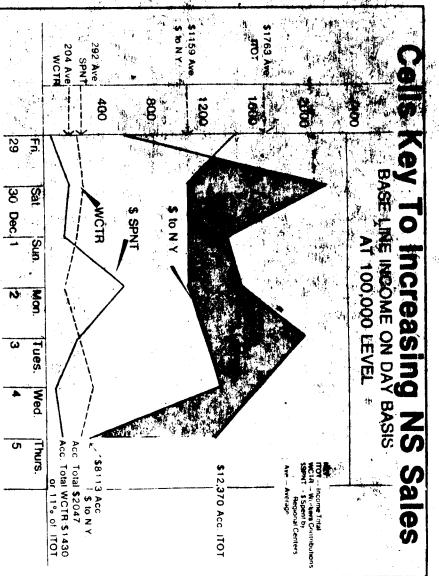
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Dec. 7 — This week workers at unemployment centers, eager to buy New Solidarity and support the U.S. have the money. they couldn't. They simply financially to Labor Party organizing, although they wanted to contribute told organizers

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Therefore, it is all'the more necessary depression, we do not expect that the stayed at 11 percent of all income. memplayed will be able, to donate arge sums to finance their party. Procisely because there is

> sales and the cell organizations to expand the base of New Solidarity themselves at a much faster rate.

expansion and consolidation. indicates that organizers are finding ever more fertile ground for rapid New Solidarities sold per The increased sales efficiency of 7.8

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Saringfield, Mass. to New Haven an area containing more than 100,000 industrial workers, most of them employed in defense or defense-related plants. A fourth local has been established in Worcester, Mass., an economically strapped trucking and transport center midway between Springfield and Boston.

Workers in southern New England are facing accelerating unemployment. Two large plants near Hartford, Stanley Works and Fanfir Bearing, have already laid off hundreds of workers. The General Electric plant in Plainville is shutting down permanently. At the same

NS Sales Move Upward During Conference Week

NEW YORK. Dec. 27 (IPS) — New Solidarity national sales increased this week to 29,000. up 3,000 from the week before, while total income (about \$10,000 was received by the National Center) remained about the same, even though many Labor Committee and Labor Party organizers were in New York attending the weeklong pre-conference cadre school, and thus temporarily out of active organizing.

Taken together with the results

of last week's emergency mobilization to raise funds for the Strategy for Socialism conference—\$1500 in worker contributions in a three-day period compared to the usual \$400 in contributions for a similar time span—this week's sales and income figures indicate that New Solidarity sales can immediately reach 35,000—the intermediate step towards the 100,000-a-week goal.

No actual expansion in openizing would be required to reach the 35,000 figure, just consolidating and expanding current capacity, especially the sales networks and subscriptions. According to estimates by the National Center's sales analysts, the 35,000 sales figure would generate at least 10 per cent more subscriptions, and comparable increases in worker and liberal contributions raising total monthly income to \$65,000, a qualitative jump towards the Labor Committees' \$80,000 minimum income

Although New Solidarity subscriptions were down this week (from 131 to 92), subscriptions for the Labor Committees' theoretical journal, the Campaigner, are steadily increasing. Campaigner sales are soaring as workers excitedly scoop up copies of the new Fusion issue. Campaigner subscriptions are expected to rise dramatically in the immediate future, as workers step up their demands for scientific, revolutionary knowledge.

One reflection of this intellectual ferment among workers is the fact that the Labor Party has been able to prevent the lumpenization of the growing numbers of unemployed. Sales of New Solidarity and the Campaigner continue to be high on the unemployment lines and Fusion Campaigner sales are highest so far at unemployment centers.

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Murder Attempt On Seattle LCers

only 20 people were placed in jobs

across county boundaries, let alone state lines, by the ESC in a

recent month. The official at the

ESC Job Bank complained that

the thousands of newly

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SEATTLE, Dec. 26 (IPS) — Over the past three days, cars belonging to Seattle Labor Committee members have been sabotaged in three separate incidents. Fortunately, the murderous intent of these actions — to cause fatal "accidents" — was averted.

In the first incident, the as yet unidentified saboteurs loosened a car tire. In the second, metal filings were put in another car's gas tank, ruining the engine. The saboteurs also tampered with the brakes of a third car in such a way that they would give out if the car were driven for only a short distance. In all three incidents, the cars were parked in front of the homes of their Labor Committee owners at the time they were tampered with.

Although the Labor Committee has fully briefed the Seattle Police department on these attacks, there is strong reason to believe that the LEAA-controlled police will fail to conduct a serious investigation. Furthermore, recent police harassment of Labor Paty organizers in the northwest reveals that the Police Departments are heavily infiltrated by CIA-controlled right-wing groups. Several weeks ago a Labor Party contact in Portland was beaten by police who identified themselves as members of the John Birch

The Labor Party is mobilizing its cells and networks to bring pressure on the press, police and local politicians to insure that there is a full investigation of the attempted murders.

CIA Psywar Targets Ford

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 28 (IPS) — In the week; times he turned over control of the U.S. government to Nelson Rockefeller, President Ford has been subjected to a barrage of peywar articles and operations continuously reminding him that he is expendable.

In a bizarre incident, reminiscent of the time during the waning days of the Nixon presidency when an AWOL serviceman parked a stelon helicopter on the White House lawn, an obviously brainwashed man dressed as an Arab crashed his car into the White House grounds and played "tag" with Secret Servicemen for four hours Christmas morning.

The Rockefeller-sentrolled press has played this example of the CIA's demestic shenanigans as a "breach in security at the White House." President Ford, who was 2000 miles away in Vail, Colorado was awakened early Christmas morning to be briefed on the "tense confrontation."

It has since been made known that the would-be "Arab" assassin was Marshall Field, an American black who learned to speak Arabic in Libya, where his father worked for the Agency Mr. International Development, a CIA front.

Meanwhile, the Colorado media have been slyly assaulting



WIN sweater won't protect loser Ford from CIA.

the vacationing Ford with numerous stories about the dangerous skiing conditions there ("over 100 avalanches this winter") and the dreadful lack of medical facilities at Vail ("the nearest hospital is 100 miles away on icy roads"). Juxtaposed to the story about Ford's vacation, yesterday's Denver Post ran the following headline: "Sheriff Calls off Search for Skler Missing Four Days."

Ford has certainly gotten the message. Displaying a gallow's sense of humor, Ford joked with reporters yesterday, "You make me a justice of the peace (at Vail), and I'll quit (the Presidency)."

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The National Caucus of Labor Committees is a 1.5 million dollar a year operation whose passionate committment is to lead the working class to a selfconscious fight to stop Rockefeller and seize control of the world economy. Since New Solidarity's exposure in January of the Rockefeller gameplan to institute "fascism with a democratic face" on a worldwide scale and the simultaneous upsurge of the North American working class, the NCLC had to expand its operation way beyond its immediate available means. Since that time the organization has operated on the basis of an overwhelming fiscal deficit: periodic financial crises have threatened to close down vital operations. At each point, funds to solve the immediate crisis and maintain communication lines or New Solidarity production, have in large part been accumulated from the membership itself — an increasingly unsatisfactory short-term solution which has threatened to destitute numbers of members.

It is time that the financing of the Labor Committees, along with its organizing perspectives, becomes the business of the tens of thousands of workers who look to it for leadership. The following budget, drawn up after weeks of itemizing previously unaccounted-for regional and national costs, gives a precise accounting of our operating expenses and income as projected until January of 1975.

The Problem in Specifics

At the present time the level of weekly cash expenditures for NCLC national operations averages 28,000 dollars per week. Income into the national center per week is approximately 6,500 dollars leaving a deficit of 21,500 dollars per week.

Weekly major national operating costs per week breaks down as follows:

> Personnel \$2,000 NS printing \$2,500 Freight Communication \$8,000 Building rental \$21,000 Equipment rental \$1.7500 Postage \$1,300 Supplies \$1,300 Telephone \$8,000

Qurrent weekly national income underestimate due to the continous payout of transportation and other costs to sustain daily organizing - now breaks down approximately as follows:

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The national budget itself represents a strategy for the splution to this problem. First, cost controls, have been instituted through a rationalized control

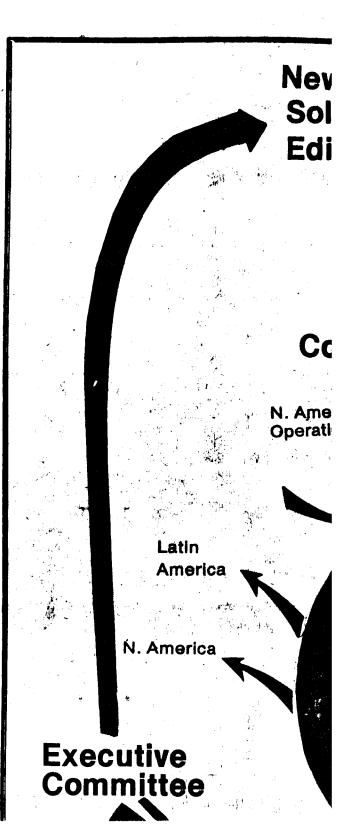
Secondly, within the immediate months ahead, New Solidarity sales must quickly rise to 100,000 per week; increased income will also come with related worker contributions and fundraising.

Thirdly, loans based on the capital of a few members are being used to stretch cash flow and finance necessary capital expenditures. By no later than January, income levels should begin to meet national costs and beyond.

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New Solidarity is the primary cost in the NCLC national budget. A working class committed to political combat against Rockefeller will soon require a daily newspaper which produces a flow of world news, and strategical and tactical analysis. From this viewpoint, budget allocations are

extremely modest.

The present production cost of the twice-weekly New Solidarity reflects only the most immediate commitment of resources and manpower to produce the paper; salaries of no more than \$50 to \$75 weekly for selected editorial and production personnel, and national executive leaders; rental of highly sophisticated equipment — photo typesetter, keyboards, headliners, etc. — This equipment . makes it possible to produce the paper on tape which then passes from layout to plates to offset printing. Handling and freight delivery of the finished newspaper represent main direct costs.

To these basic costs must be added the hidden resources that are essential to produce New Solidarity as the only authoritative English language newpaper. An intelligence staff of 20 fulltime organizers monitors the mass strike process from information coming into the national center through field operations intelligence. In addition, an international intelligence staff covers every major news source throughout the world in at least 21 different languages. News items are checked and cross checked through investigative and undercover intelligence digging in telephone calls around the world. To a certain extent, the amount of and quality of, aggressive intelligence is bounded by the amount of money available to pay telephone expenditures. The intelligence staff checks and cross checks items that may begin as a single line report by a Chicago steel worker about an inplant. OD network, or an obscure item in an Argentine newspaper about cannibalism, or an eyewitness. report from a meeting where a Trilateral Commission agent proclaims the probability of Mideast War. The actual time cost of producing a single issue of New Solidarity includes the entire



intelligence budget, a large portion of the national telephone bill, and a major share of the continental and international communications cost.

New Solidarity is now feeding this vital information in nine foreign-language newspapers to the working class on three continents, as well as Australia and Japan. The Spanish-language New Solidarity (Nueva Solidaridad) is produced in New York City; the German, Italian, French, and

Swedish editions are produced in Europe.

The next major capital expense in expanding New Solidarity is the leasing of \$102,000 worth of equipment which will make possible the production of all European newspapers at the European operations center in Weisbaden, West Germany, by the same advanced means currently used in New York. This expansion will give the European Labor Committees the capacity to move to a daily paper in each language. Taking this step requires \$12,500 for the initial payment on the equipment.

In addition to New Solidarity, Campaigner Publications, Inc., publishes a monthly theoretical purpal in English; the International Bulletin — a bi-monthly publication in five languages; Epanastasi, a Greek-theoretical journal; and soonlb-appear Mid East and Japanese journals; and

many parhiphlets.

The New Solidarity International Press Service, Inc., now produces a twice weekly packet of news for journalists, and which is also exchanged for information packets with representatives of some U.N. countries. IPS is now preparing to become a dally wire service operating out of the national center in New York City. IPS will supply the only authoritative and reliable news wire service as a direct counter to the CIA psywar conduits,

Communications

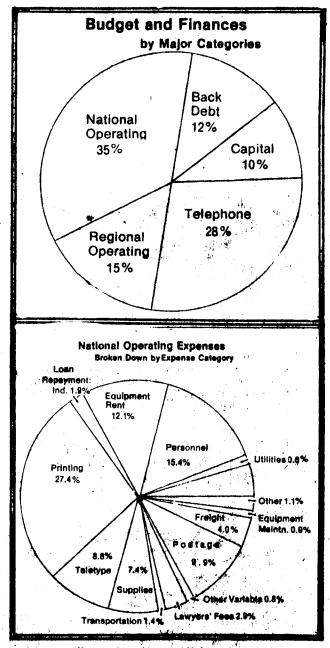
The vital communication lines which link the New York National Operations Center to every local and regional center on three continents gives the working class the ability to tactically deploy against Rockefeller on an international scale.

A reciprocal process is carried out daily whereby thtelligence and motion from the class is communicated through National Operations and Intelligence to the National Executive Committee (NEC). In its nightly executive meeting, the NEC formulates the conceptions and tactical directives necessary to expand the fight against Rockefeller. Through the Operations Center and the daily briefing, the day's tactical orientation is transmitted to every organizer across the continent.

is through the telex communication lines that the International and Continental Patterns of Development Briefing reaches hundreds of workers across the country each day. As UAW bureaucrats in Toledo learned last month, they were not simply attacking the twenty or so organizers present at the Perrysberg Chrysler plant, but were taking on a far superior force of a political network of workers who were watching Toledo from halfway around the

In Europe and North America, the NCLC employs a meshed system of telex and telephone that are connected to each other by the same means. The weak point in the communications system is the international link that now permits only a single two-way telex conversation to take place.

This method is already outmoded. When the five language New Solidarity production is centralized at European headquarters in Wiesbaden, it will require a far more efficient and expanded



arbitrary figure but is a well-founded estimate of potential sales based on Labor Party penetration analysis of the North American working class. The analysis of present New Solidarity sales figures indicates that if deployment efficiency in all regions equalled the present activity of Philadelphia and Newark, 56,000 copies of New

Solidarity could be sold immediately.

Besides the direct income from New Solidarity sales, the growth of the newspaper and the commensurate growth of subscriptions will yield increasing indirect income. As the mass showing of workers' endorsement of the Labor Party in the 1974 elections is rapidly organized into sales networks, workers in the plants will shoulder greater direct responsibility for the maintenance of their own organization. Worker sustainers, fundraising, and sub drives are now beginning to provide increasing returns. As New Solidarity sales converge on the 100,000 level income above sales. will grow from 1 to 1.5 to 2 times sales income. At 40,000 NS per week sales income should be \$10,000 plus another \$10,000 from other sources. At 100,000 level, it will reach \$75,000 weekly.

Budgeting the Present Deficit

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This method is already outmoded. When the five language New Solidarity production is centralized at European headquarters in Wiesbaden, it will require a far more efficient and expanded international communications link. This can be provided by a relay that permits five channel communications in both directions, simultaneous telex and telephone communication, and the capacity to hook up with several cities through telephone lines. This machine leases for \$10,000 monthly but replaces Labor Committees' present international telex and transatlantic calls which cost \$8000 monthly. The North American working class will have to assume a major share of the responsibility to pay for this vital link to Europe.

Part North American continental communications grid is designed to provide maximum access to organizers throughout the continent at minimum cost. Heavy duty telex machines operate in eight key cities, light machines operate in regional centers and locals, and receiving-only instruments are now on order for 11 midwestern locals. Meshed with this system is a telephone network of Wats lines and tie-lines

regions.)
The current cost of the continental system alone is about \$20,000 monthly; additional Wets and other services will add several thousand dollars.

that will connect 75 percent of the existing organization to the New York operations center directly. By the end of the year the entire national

organization will be so linked. The major foci of this

system are the national office in New York (with

two national Wats lines, three national telex

machines, and soon-te-be installed tie-lines to Detroit and Washington) and Detroit (secondary national center with Wats and telex com-

munications to New York City and the Midwest

The maintenance and expansion of the political machinery for class war depends upon the immediate rise in tales of New Solidarity from its present 24,000 per week rate to 100,000. This is no

level, it will reach \$75,000 weekly.

Budgeting the Present Deficit

There will be a short interim period between present income levels and income levels based on 100,000 New Solidarity weekly sales. The NCLC budget is designed to account for a continuing if diminishing deficit. Campaigner Publications, Inc., is the means by which the NCLC finances its debt

for a limited period.

The financial strategy for this interim period aims immediately at paying the operating costs of regionals from earned income. This amounts to \$10,000: about \$5100 for telephones and \$4880 for all other regional operating expenses. The bulk of the remaining deficit which covers the cost of the national operation; production of New Solidarity and other fiterature, the payment for international communications must be paid, for the moment, from bank loans and investments by members in Campaigner Publications. An additional amount of income from subs, donations, and membership dues comes directly to the national office and covers cash requirements of the national office.

From week to week these proportions must change; debt financing can only absorb the large NCLC deficit for an extremely short period of time. Additional financing must also cover the repayment of initial loans. The original expectation that present financing of \$84,000 would absorb the bulk of the operating deficit for six weeks proved false because rises in income levels have not proceeded fast enough; at the same time the NCLC has contributed necessary funds to the ELC.

Because of the extremely tight cash position NCLC operations are presently in the is no time to lose if this strategy is to work. There must be a brute force development of the force class of ganizing. This cannot be translated, however, into the necessity for the exertion by present NCLC members and immediate periphery, no matter how willing they are. Only through the direct involvment of masses of working people can we succeed.

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No Miracle

Right now every capitalist is hoping that the new year will miraculously solve the year-end dilemma of hyperinflation vs. deflationary collapse. However on Jan. 1, when the new balance sheets are turned over, the situation will be all the more pressing. Immediately manufacturers and retailers will have to borrow upwards of \$40 billion just to pay interest costs on refinancing loans in order to go on carrying their \$300 billion worth of inventories. These can't be sold now that production and consumption are falling at a 25% annual rate. On top of this corporations will be in the market for "normal" debt financing; they have already scheduled \$3.7 billion in bonds for January to meet immediate cash needs, as well as to turn short-term bank loans into longer-term debt. This means \$40 billion in 1975 will be needed to go. on refinancing corporate debt.

Vying with the corporations, the U.S. Treasury will have to go on refinancing the budget deficit, now projected at \$35 billion for fiscal 1975 (the year ending June 30). Competing for funds with the Treasury will be the federal agencies, which are now borrowing at an annual rate of around \$30 billion a year.

All of these figures are greatly understated, because in every case the refinancing will itself require refinancing; debt-requirements will be increasing at a geometric rate.

Triple-digit inflation is not an exaggeration: it is absolutely possible that the money supply will be enlarged by another \$280 billion (the size of the current money supply) in 1975, a 100% increase! The expansion of the money supply is not the same thing as inflation - especially at a time when the production of the commodities that people buy will be declining at an everincreasing rate. The capitalists don't mind the fact that Weimarstyle inflation will make it impossible for working class families and retired people living on fixed

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The Collapse Plans For a

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This January U.S. capitalists are reluctantly going to hold a gigantic white sale. They have not yet decided whether the bargain will be the huge inventories of autos and industrial materials or the U.S. dollar itself. The value of one or the other has to collapse. But before workers get too enthusiastic about up-coming sales, they should remember that in either case the cheapest item around will be their own laborpower.

U.S. capitalists are at a juncture where they have record corporate and government debt to refinance and no means to do it. They can either magically create the means - print up paper to cover all the debt-service and fit requirements on capitalist paper - or allow the fictitious structure to collapse. This second case would entail a decision by the New York banks to stop financing manufacturers' and retailers' stocks of unsold goods, which would precipitate a massive dumping of the stocks — and an immediate price deflation — in an all-out scramble by the companies to get cash. The first option would involve throwing an estimated \$30 to \$40 billion into the U.S. economy at once, merely to postpone the dumping of inventories and a chain reaction of bankruptcies. It would bring in its wake wilder inflation than we have ever known, dumping of dollars on the international money markets, and the collapse of world trade. Neither option is very appealing.

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