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## MORE JOBS--LESS WORK

October 1975: President Ford, Wall Street and I.W. Abel tell us the economic outlook is brighter, the economy is moving into an upswing and unemployment is dropping. This doesn't jive with reality at GLS. Our situation is more work-less jobs, more company harrassment and increased discrimination. This isn't something just happening here either. It's happening all over the city and the rest of the country.

We should unite and fight against this stuff when:

1. Negro women get cut back to the Sinter plant and have to work the wind lines every time the plant goes down and continuously get the worst jobs. They are constantly told "Put more on your shovel", "Fill that wheelbarrow fuller."

2. Class 16 millwrights in the Cold Mill get cut back to class 6 Helper on the Island and find themselves still doing the same work but being paid for class 6.

3. The company is firing people for collecting unemployment checks after returning from a layoff. Even one check!

4. General notices are sent out by the credit union to "remind" workers they are still liable for payments while laid off.

Many people say, "I'd rather be laid off than working like this." Who wants to work when the company keeps adding on more work to your job and laying off at the same time? What also feeds this "I'd rather be laid off" routine is the tendency to think that SUB pay lasts forever. It doesn't! Not only does it run out but the more people using it makes it run out sooner. The other side of the sub pay coin is that those employed are contributing to the sub pay fund and feelings of resentment are beginning to run high because people who are working are getting ripped off. They have to do the work of those laid off.

The list of examples could go on and on. But what stands out is that workers always pay the price for the economic crisis in Capitalism. The cycle continues with workers worrying about losing jobs, not having money, or having it and not wanting to spent it. We can't buy back the products we produce! At the same time the owners want their continued high profits, forcing fewer of us to work harder and raising their prices as inflation continues to soar. More working people are forced further into depression.



"You've been overworking yourself lately, Burrows. Keep it up!"

GLS workers or any workers should not have to suffer these attacks on our living standard and quality of life. To survive we must fight to overcome the divisions the company sets in motion to divide us. WE MUST STRUGGLE FOR AND SUPPORT EQUALITY FOR ALL MINORITIES AND THE RAISING OF THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL WORKERS. WE MUST DEMAND MORE JOBS--LESS WORK. THAT MEANS JOBS WITH PEACE. WE MUST WORK TOGETHER TO BUILD AN UNEMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE WHICH WILL UNITE THE EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED IN DEFENSE OF OUR RIGHTS!

Time is wasting. We have to spread the word quickly. We can do this by giving at least 10 copies of this shop paper to friends of ours. If they agree they should give copies to their friends and so on. We must make our position clear to everyone even if that means writing on the bathroom walls or any place else we can:  
**MORE JOBS--LESS WORK!!**

## CLP Fights For...

### JOBS WITH PEACE

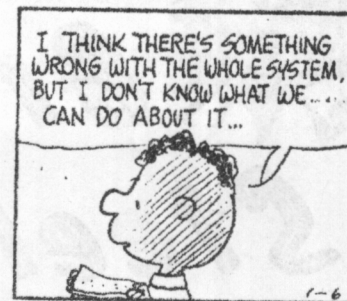
THE COMMUNIST LABOR PARTY (CLP) PUTS FORWARD THE FOLLOWING DEMANDS AS A BASIS FOR A UNITED WORKING CLASS STRUGGLE AGAINST THE PRESENT CAPITALIST CRISIS:

1. A JOB FOR EVERY WORKER AT THE EXPENSE OF THE MILITARY BUDGET.
2. SUPPORT BUSING--SMASH THE KKK, THE NAZI PARTY AND ALL OTHER FASCIST GANGS; NATIONALIZE EDUCATION!
3. END ALL DEPORTATIONS OF UNDOCUMENTED WORKERS.
4. NO USNA MILITARY INTERVENTION IN SOUTH-EAST ASIA OR THE MIDDLE EAST.
5. NATIONALIZE THE ENERGY INDUSTRIES!

FELLOW WORKERS! OUR SALVATION IS NOT IN THE DEMOCRATIC OR REPUBLICAN PARTIES; IT IS NOT TRADE UNION MISLEADERS--WE MUST FREE OURSELVES!

**JOBS WITH PEACE!**

# Build the Party!



Tired of being sped-up, gassed out, burned, and harrassed? Tired of taxes, prices and crime going up? Tired of wages, schools and city hospitals going down? Tired of constant bloody war? Tired of discrimination, KKK goons, and anti-busing riots?  
**WE ARE!**

The COMMUNIST LABOR PARTY OF THE UNITED STATES OF NORTH AMERICA is a political party of the working class. We actively fight for and defend the democratic rights of workers, national minorities, women, youth, and the aged, on the job, in our unions, and in our communities.

We believe the Republican and Democratic parties are both gangs of thieves, office seekers, demagogues and vested interests. They are both parties by and for the rich, united in exploitation and oppression of the people in the USNA and around the world.

The aim of the CLP is to show the working class that socialism is our system just as capitalism belongs to and operates for the capitalist class.

We support all individuals in their struggle for a decent life. We support all groups which fight for better working conditions. We support local 1299 when it defends workers rights. We oppose layoffs, cutbacks, speed-up and support JOBS WITH PEACE. The CLP can be the general staff of the army of the working class which is able to join all our struggles together towards a common goal. We understand that workers will remain wage slaves until we unite to overthrow capitalism and build socialism!

Do something for yourself. Do something for your class.

**JOIN THE COMMUNIST LABOR PARTY!!**

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## Construye el Partido!

Estás harto de la aceleración de trabajo?  
Harto de impuestos, la subida de precios y crimen?  
Harto de la bajada del diario, de la calidad de escuelas, y hospitales?  
Harto de la guerra--constante y sangrienta?  
Estás harto de la discriminación, los KKK, y motines policiacos?

PUES, ASÍ ESTAMOS NOSOTROS.

EL PARTIDO COMUNISTA LABORAL DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS DE NORTEÁMERICA es un partido de la clase obrera. Luchamos activamente y defendemos los derechos democráticos de obreros, minorías nacionales, mujeres, jóvenes, y los ancianos--en el trabajo en nuestras uniones, y en nuestras comunidades.

Creemos que los partidos Demócrata y Republicano los dos son pandillas de ladrones, kemagogas, e intereses especiales. Los dos son partidos de por, y para los ricos, unidos en la explotación y opresión del pueblo norteamericano y del mundo entero.

La meta del PCL es de mostrar a la clase obrera que el socialismo es el sistema nuestro, lo mismo que el capitalismo sirve a la clase capitalista.

Respaldamos a todos que luchen por una vida decente. Respaldamos a todos los grupos que luchen por mejores condiciones en el trabajo. Respaldamos el local 1299 cuando defienda los derechos del obrero. Oponemos la desocupación de los obreros, aceleración de trabajo y respaldamos Empleos Con Paz. El PCL puede ser la dirección general del ejército de la clase obrera, cual es capaz de juntar todas nuestras luchas hacia una meta común. Comprendemos que los obreros seguirán siendo esclavos del jornal hasta que nos unamos para derrocar al capitalismo y construir el socialismo.

Haz algo para ti! Haz algo para tu clase!

JUNTATE CON EL PARTIDO COMUNISTA LABORAL!