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CIR TELLS BOSSES 'GET TOUGH WITH MILITANTS'

From SW Midlands Industrial Reporter

THE LABOUR GOVERNMENT'S 'trouble-shooting' Commission on Industrial Relations has told a leading Birmingham car components group to get tough with militant workers and to re-assess its control of the factories. This is the first important intervention in industrial affairs by the CIR, which is chaired by Sir George Woodcock, the former TUC general secretary.

It is clear from the Commission's interim report, which has not yet been published, that its role is to carry out government policy of cracking down on trade union tactics for holding back wages and boosting profits. In spite of the trade surplus, the drive goes on to squeeze more from the workers.

Mersey take-over called off

A MASS MEETING of English Electric workers from the half-a-dozen factories voted on Tuesday night to stop all work and to stop their plants and running them until the talks break down.

The vote was a blow to the shop stewards' joint action committee which had been proposing a 24-hour sit-in for several weeks in a bid to stop the CIR from gaining 3000 workers.

The factories at Widnes, Warrington, Walsall, Hemel Hempstead are at Nutley Vickers and the new ones. Two of them will close completely, while the others will be reduced by 30 percent.

The CIR still has to decide whether to carry on the factory occupation during which the workers have continued production marked an important step in the level of rank file militancy and should prove to be a tremendous challenge to the employers.

Inspired by last year's factory occupation in France, the stewards planned to go one better than French trade unionists. By using the weapons that had shown there that it was the management who really needed them.

But it was clear from the second of the two mass meetings that the stewards were not quite ready to discuss their plans with the shop floor workers. There were complaints that the stewards had been too secret and had not liaised with them properly.

But in spite of Wednesday's vote, the fight against the redundancies must go on. And the CIR's decision that Electric's factories must decide whether they want to continue action is their first choice for that.

Middle East: the '6 Day War' goes on

Rachel Matgamna

THIS '6 DAY' war is not over. Last week's hit-and-run tactics have not been followed by any single meaningful action in a series of battles for control of the Sinai Peninsula. It is like returning to the scene of a gunfight, only to find that the women and children are still there. The only difference is that the children are those who are thought to have equations to the battle.

It shows that Israel is not yet satisfied and that the battle is not over. The occupation of the Sinai Peninsula is an unstable situation. Every time there is a ceasefire, the situation immediately tries to return to normal. The changes in the situation are not because of the cessation of hostilities, but because of the dissatisfaction of the people in the area with the situation.
Cumnor—where the heat is on no-unior workers

FRench AND Collett IS a small factory in Cumnor, about six miles from Oxford. Before it employs a couple of hundred workers and makes mainly car components—axle bearing retainers, bumper arms and the like.

The factory is owned by Mr. Frank French, who holds the works for a working-class cooperative of some 300 members—men, women, and boys aged from 16 to 70. The co-operative is based on the principle of no-unior workers, which means that it is run by the workers themselves.

The factory has been in operation for 20 years, and it has always been popular among the workers. The wages are good, and the working conditions are good. The factory is located in a quiet area, and the workers have their own houses and gardens. The workers are proud of their factory, and they are determined to keep it running.

In recent years, the factory has faced some problems. The demand for car parts has dropped, and the factory has had to lay off some workers. The workers have been told that they will have to work longer hours, and they have been given less money for their work. The workers are unhappy with this, and they have started a campaign to keep the factory running.

The campaign has been largely successful, and the workers have managed to keep the factory open. However, the workers are still worried about the future of the factory. They are afraid that the factory will be closed down, and they are determined to do everything they can to prevent this from happening.

The workers have also been active in their community. They have started a co-operative store, and they have helped to organize various community events. The workers are proud of their factory, and they are determined to keep it running for the benefit of the community.

The campaign to keep the factory running has been successful, and the workers are happy with their work. They are proud of their factory, and they are determined to keep it running for the benefit of the community.
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ULSTER'S JACQUET
TYRANNY - WHY THE BRITISH LEFT MUST BACK CATHOLIC WORKERS

JENNY TAYLOR (4 September, 1969, in "The British Left must back Catholic workers") states that "The men in overalls on our side..."

The men in overalls are Catholic workers who have been exploited and are struggling for their rights. The British Left must support them.

The leadership of the struggle is made up of a number of Catholic trade unionists who have formed the Catholic Workers' Association. They have a large following among Catholic workers and are gaining support from other workers as well.

The middle-class workers who support the Catholic Workers' Association have been well aware of the exploitation faced by their fellow workers. They have decided to join the struggle and support the Catholic Workers' Association.

The Catholic Workers' Association has called for a national strike to protest against the exploitation of Catholic workers. The strike is due to begin on the 15th of September.

The striking workers will be supported by the Catholic community and other workers who believe in the cause of justice.

The Catholic Workers' Association has called on all Catholic workers to join the strike and support the cause of justice.

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Go it alone threat by AEF in Ford pay talks

SW Reporter

RED BRIEFS, left-wing speakers, have accused the General Union of Ford in a statement saying that the union had not been consulted on the pay talks. It was alleged that the union had been offered a cut in wages and productivity gains this year.

The statement said: "The General Union of Ford has been offered a 10% pay rise this year, which is below the cost of living. We believe that this is a retrograde step and we will not accept it." The union has already rejected a similar offer from the company and is preparing for a possible lockout.

Belfont showdown: Wilson moves against Catholics

Chris Harman

BY ENDING IN British troops to dismantle the barricades in Belfast, Wilson and Callaghan have conceded completely to the demands of the Stormont regime. They have shown how little they care for the safety of the mass of the Catholic population.

The decision to remove the barricades was taken without consultation with the Catholic community or any guarantee of their safety. It was a capitulation to the demands of the Ulster Unionists and the Orange Order.

The presence of British troops has now been reduced to a show of force, with the forces of repression and control dominating the scene. The Orange Order has been granted the right to march on the streets of Belfast.

BRITAIN GIVES IT TO ORANGEMEN

Hit on to manning dodge

Terry Barrett

THE British government is to introduce a new scheme to restrict the number of Irishmen who can join the Ulster Volunteer Force.

The scheme, known as the "manning dodge," will involve the introduction of a new registration process for volunteers. This will ensure that only those who can prove they are Irishmen are allowed to join.

This move comes after the government was faced with the prospect of losing a majority in the House of Commons if the scheme had not been introduced.

Six Day War goes on

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Ho's final plea falls on stony ground

Roger Protz

SAYING power in this world was purely in the hands of the great powers of the world. He said that this was not the case, and that it would be wrong to say he was not concerned with the fate of the world.

He added that North Vietnam was a frontline in the struggle for freedom, and that the Vietnamese people had fought for their freedom for many years.

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Peace talks are still ongoing, and it is hoped that a solution can be found soon. The Vietnamese people are determined to continue their fight for freedom, and they will not be deterred by any obstacle.