

Plant to Close Lincoln's Birthday

The management notified the Union that G.E. will close down Monday, February 12th, for Lincoln's Birthday.

This holiday is not included among the seven paid holidays in the U.E. contract. It will mean a 20% cut in take-out pay for many thousands of families that week. No so long ago G.E. workers faced this same situation many times during the year when the Company did not pay for any holidays. In some states G.E. workers still are affected by the plants closing on a number of holidays for which they are not paid. In New York State GE workers will have one more holiday to add to their contract before they eliminate plant shutdowns on holidays without pay.

U.E. Calls Conference On Wages

The National Union is calling a conference of representatives of U.E. locals throughout the country which will take place in New York City on Sunday, February 11, at 10:00 a.m.

The purpose of the conference will be to develop and adopt a program that will help our Union meet the problems of our members in the coming collective bargaining campaigns. Local 301 will send the three delegates who were elected to the G.E. Conference Board for 1951 — William J. Kelly, Fred Pacelli and Leo Jandreau.

The G.E. Conference Board will convene the same day to discuss specifically our approach on the wage question.

President Fitzgerald to Speak to UE 301

International President Albert J. Fitzgerald will speak at the February Membership meeting. The meeting will take place at Union Headquarters on Monday, February 5, at 7:30 P.M. This will be a joint stewards and membership meeting.

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BY YOMEN



"The time has come to sacrifice! So let's start by sacrificing wages."

Three Acquitted On Indictments

Honolulu — Three defendants, leaders of the Intl. Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, who have been indicted for refusal to answer questions before the House un-American Committee, have been acquitted of charges of contempt of Congress.

The action was taken by Federal Judge Delbert E. Metzger in light of a recent unanimous U. S. Supreme Court decision that the defendants were justified in their refusal to answer questions put to them by the committee on grounds of possible self-incrimination.

There have been 39 Hawaiian unionists indicted under the charge of contempt of Congress. It is indicated that cases against other indicted Hawaiian unionists may also be dismissed.

The U. S. Supreme Court has upheld the right of people to "remain silent" under the protection of Constitutional guarantees against self-incrimination in a number of important decisions recently.

Children's Home Thanks Local 301

The Children's Home, at 1216 State St., sent a note of appreciation for the donation of candies, nuts, and toys that were left over from the Local 301 Children's Christmas Party. The message from the Secretary of the Home, Mary Woodin, read: "The Children of the Children's Home, join the Board of Managers, in thanking you very much for the kind donation of candies and nuts, which added so much to the party atmosphere of the Christmas season, and especially for the toys, with which they can continue to play and have as a reminder of your generosity."

The first such case involved Mrs. Patricia Blau of Denver about a month ago and was re-emphasized in another decision involving her husband, Irving Blau. More recently, decisions were handed down extending protection against self-incrimination to witnesses before administrative — as well as judicial — agencies of the Government.

Shop Stewards Sworn In . . .

The following shop stewards have been sworn into office for 1951, according to the Union records. It is a membership ruling that all stewards and officers must take the oath of office or they will be removed from the roles as a representative. All stewards who have not been sworn in should be present at the next Stewards-Membership meeting which will take place on Monday, February 5, 1951, at Union Headquarters.

Bldg.	Steward
10	Martin E. Behr, M. Drooby, Celia R. Moskos, Joseph E. O'Rourke, Sophie Strenka, Charles J. Zukan-skas.
24	Robert Shearer, Evelyn Verlotte.
28	Margaret English, Ethel Furman, Martin Hagl, Harold D. Simpson.
10C	Philip Doherty.
37	Albert C. Baxter, Lillian Kendall.
K-1	Michael P. Petro.
Airport	Frank Morrison.
12	Angelo Durante, George Quick, Antoinette Restina, B. Ten Have.
14	Joseph Kelly.
16	Robert B. Eaton, Graham Herwerth, Samuel Jones, Victor Rucinski, Zygfryd J. Sawicki, L. G. Wilkins, Edward C. Peek.
29	Arthur W. De Braccio, Samuel Giannone, Robert G. Rannie.
15	Floyd H. Borst.
17	Edmund Calleo, Sidney Friedlander, Angelo Pace.
19	Joseph J. Koral, Peter O'Neil.
18	Charles T. Bank, James Cantore, William Christman, Jerry C. Favata, Norbert J. Prusko.
40	George Bullis, Benjamin Gabriele, Medric Guyette, Frank Kania, Joseph Kernaghan, Edith Martin, Clement J. Maten, Thomas J. Morrissey, Henry M. Otten, Cleon C. Powell, Blanche Wincheski.
46	Robert E. Lee, S. Pita, S. A. Campbell.
48	Amancia Blanco.
42	P. F. Candela, Morton L. Milkins, Stephen E. Van Allen.
50	Dante DeCesare, Anthony Gallo, Berness R. Lackey, Nick Maiorelle, Reginald Smith, Joseph W. Tellier, Victor Woolf.
52	Mario Bagnato, Bernard Blesser, Anthony Batkiewicz, James Cognetta, Ralph Pipe, William Burdick, Victor St. John.
60	Earl R. Martin, Paul Rosa, Roy V. Schaffer.
64	Arthur Diehsner, Raymond L. Snyder.

Bldg.	Steward
66	Roy Cannice.
53	Ida Mae Caprio, Luther Close, Frank J. D'Amico, Carmen Di Donato.
49	Charles Holmes.
Fire Patrol	
69	Alice Crowingshield, Dominick Pitucci, Vincent Di Lorenzo, David Fiore, Charles Hannay, Helen Kasitch, Mary Laudozzi, Joseph Macherone, Joseph Whitbeck, John Wiesenger.
73	Carl Fuchs, William Garrison, William Mastriani, Julius Rispoli, George Walker.
77	Michael Riggi.
68	Victor Bikowitz, Ernest L. Costanzo, Edward Di Nicola, Patsy Ferri.
68	Melvin R. Hatley, Joseph Little, Lila E. Skowronski, Dominick Sparano, Will L. Stevens.
72	George Bernhardt.
76	Henry Kaminski, Maynard Porter.
84	Bob Jacobsen, Vernon Wood.
227	Joseph Kmonk.
81	Sadie Iovinella, John Poltrack, Helen Quirini.
89	Dewey Brashear, Sunday D. Lupi, John Parisi, Josephine Riggi.
95	Henry Deskiewicz.
98A	Mike Bielecki.
101	Rudy Ellis, Fred Pacelli.
105	Steven J. Borovicka, Alvin Kremzier, William J. Swint.
107	Robert F. Brown, Louis Christopher Lawrence Dorman, Raymond Jeannot, Edmund Pawlaczyk, A. J. Spears.
85	David J. Adinolfi, Rembrandt J. Coleman, Hugh P. McMullen.

Bldg.	Steward
97	Everett Matthews, Miles G. Moon, Walter H. Balbarsus, E. J. LaBombard.
109	Damas LaFontaine.
59	Edward R. Ausfeldt, Fay R. Hildreth, Peter Pompilio.
269	Joseph P. Fava, Manuel Fernandez, Virginia Murphy, Betty Urbanski, Frank Weksyner.
273	James Antonelli, Adrian Baetens, Raymond G. Blesser, Marcel A. Charbonneau, Bruce Cole, Frank Cornicelli, Dominick R. De Vito, Roger Eaton, Walter Ferenz, Larry Gebo, Thomas Golden, Joseph Oswald, Joseph F. Shagalaki, Jr., Steven J. Taszycki, George T. Trembly, Fred Van Hoesen, Joseph H. Alois, Anthony Bosha, John Fisler, John J. Gregor, Ralph F. Jeffers, Edward Killmeier, R. Rudolph Rissland, Dana C. Smith, William McCall, Jr., Joseph Redmond, Frederick Widmer, John Wilkie, C. Coons, Milton Daring, James Davidson, Michael R. De Celli, Nick De Lucia, George Furness, Paul F. Hacko, Jesse Hall, John Holubek, Kurt N. Huening, R. C. Hutton, Joseph W. Kazmar, Edward H. Koch, Alexander Kotarski, Roy E. Lash, William Linka, Robert C. McNeal, Vito Schiavo, Frank B. Shaeffer, Frederick T. Sheehan, William Stewart, Russell Williams, Warren A. Winslow, James Deuel, Arthur G. Feuz, Donald L. Gauvreau, James Goldsberry, Joseph R. Koch, Clarence F. Perry, Ralph Vitallo, Jack Kilmer.
285	Leon J. Chiachiarretta, Paul J. Landolfo, Owen B. Phillips, Joe Morin, Max Raps, Pauline Scott, Sam Scott, Dan Wojcuk, A. B. Wright, James De Maseo, Roy Hoffman.
49	William J. Snyder, Jr.
Test Maint.	
13	Matthew C. Dockal, Harold Murtagh.
61	P. H. Schaffer, James F. Conroy, Leo F. Cummings.
258A	J. Harold Smith.
259	Raymond R. Williams.
CAP	Salvatore F. Cremona, Frank Csonotos, Fred S. Hudson, John L. Pettinger, J. J. Rakvica, Floyd Thomas, Alton L. Wright.
Office	Angeline Pelleshi, Paul Ricciardi, Service Merriman Dorsch, A. Piscitelli.

3rd Shift Schedule for Holiday

Third shift workers, who are on a six-day schedule and have been working Sunday nights, will start their week the night of the holiday which will be Monday, February 12th. They will not work on Sunday night which will give them a longer weekend. The same premium overtime will be applied on Monday that is applicable for Sunday. This schedule for the third shift is the same as the one that has been used in the past when holidays have fallen on Mondays.