## DETROIT REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT RECORDS

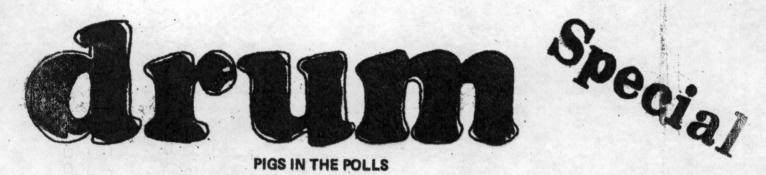
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UAW LOCAL 3 ELECTIONS 1970



This has been the most blatant election in the history of Local 3. All of our Black workers who thought that U.A.W. was democratic should have had that facade wiped away.

On Wednesday morning at 5:00 A.M. when the polls opened only 3 voting machines were in working condition and all day Thursday levers on various voting machines were broke. Ron Marchs' lever was broken all day long and Don Jackson lever was broken all evening. Gerald Wooten's lever was out off and on all day and many delegates levers were broken. Plugs were being kicked out of their sockets and lights going out on machines. Curtains were flying open in the middle of votes, registering the vote before the voter was finished. Many votes were lost because Black brothers became frustrated and left the Local hall because of all the confusion. A Hamtramck Fireman came in and began opening every voting machine and refused to show any I.D.

In the past 2 elections in which D.R.U.M. has participated the election was stolen from us by a Pollack named Anthony J. Waluk, who had been parading as a Certified Public Accountant. In this election we moved to serve Waluk with a law suit for relief and damages. It was because of this law suit that the old methods of cheating could not be used.

We were expecting the Reuther machine to do something to stop the D.R.U.M. push. Since it was obvious that we had the popular support and that we had Waluk up tight that they had to resort to hit and run, breaking levers here and there in order to destroy the DRUM vote. Walter Reuther will go to any end to see to it that DRUM does not take control of Local 3 and it is obvious that he intends to use any means necessary to keep the likes of Liska and Andy Hardy in control of that Local. The United Membership slate is so pitiful that Andy Hardy was chased away from every plant gate that he showed up at even his base at Huber Foundry. At the Front Main Gate, Andy Hardy dared not show up during the rush from fear of being trampled by angry Black workers. Liska only moved as far as the corner of Denten on Jos. Campau also because he feared the Black workers. United Membership tactics were not to pull out its supporters on Wednesday while the hall was in chaos but rather wait until Thursday for the big push. On Thursday morning our challengers were given special rules for challenging which were not even present on Wednesday. United has planned to have orderly proceedings on the day of its big push for the white vote. On Thursday night after the polls closed, the D.R.U.M. challengers discovered 2 (two) voting machines were out of whack. One had a broken glass on the side allowing anyone to run up tallies on the side with out voting. Conditions were so bad that two sisters working for the C.P.A. quit in the middle of the election. Hamtramck Police Dept occupied the Union Hall accompanied by Union Helen Bodnar and Ed Liska. The Police Dept forcibly evicted all of our challengers leaving 15 voting machines wide open at the expense of the Hamtramck Police Dept. One of our Challengers was forcibly evicted from the hall. The election was suspended as Walter Reuther sent his special henchmen from solidarity house. Charlie Brooks was maning the polls with the Hamtramck Police.

It is our duty to see to it that the Black workers at Local 3 know the conditions under which the Reuther gang operates. This election should not be considered seperately. The Delegate election at Local 600 took place on the third of March, the week in which the plant was closed. Almost no one voted except retirees. At Eldon Ave. last week, at Local 961, we saw Skilled Trades steal that election from our E.L.R.U.M. brothers. We must understand that these are not isolated incidents, that the Reuther gang has a thing going on.

But we must not let the thugery and theft of the Reuther gang dampen our galliant enthusiasm, that we should expect time and time again the fact that they will stoop to no end to stop us. We should never forget the galantry of our Challengers who have fought every step of the way inside of the Polls. We should never forget the vigorous effort and hard work displayed by so many Black workers, the drivers, the flag bearers, the chanters, the hustlers, the community supports, the students, our beloved Arab Brothers, our Candidates who so galliantly campaigned, all of our friends, and even some of our enemies, who made our jobs simpler by their stupid mistakes.

So Brothers and Sisters, remember our motto:

DARE TO FIGHT! DARE TO WINI DARE! DARE! AND DARE AGAIN! FIGHT! FAIL! FIGHT AGAIN! FAIL AGAIN! FIGHT

Down with the Reuther gang and to the wall with Liska and Hardy.

ATTENTION: THE REUTHER GANG HAS ALREADY, AT THIS TIME, OCCUPIED LOCAL 3.

REMEMBER:

TAKE the FLAG
to the POLL with YOU

	PRESIDENT
7	RON MARCH
-	HOW MATTON
	VICE-PRESIDENT
8	DONALD JACKSON
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14	GERALD DAVID WOOTEN
	TREASURER
25	CARLOS WILLIAMS
	TRUSTEE
31	CHARLES ROBERTS
34	BETTY "BOO" GRIFFITH
37	GROVER "DOUG" DOUGLAS
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45	DON GAITOR
	GUIDE
48	LAFAYETTE PHILYAW

## DELEGATES

50	EARL ROBINSON
55	"BIG MITCH" McCLELLAN
61	CHARLIE "THE PAINTER" GRANT
63	JIMMY SQUARE
66	RAYMOND JOHNSON
79	GERALD D. WOOTEN
83	CHARLES ROBERTS
99	RON MARCH
100	WILLIE JAMES HUTCHINSON
103	GROVER "DOUG" DOUGLAS
110	JOYCE BIVINS
111	PORTIA REDMOND
132	LEE CAIN
135	GEORGE E. SMITH
140	ALBERT E. HICKS
143	KENNETH ROY MASSENGILE
149	RICHARD JACKSON
151	JEROME HARVARD
166	DONALD JACKSON
167	SAMUEL POWE
175	LAFAYETTE PHILYAW
185	EUGENE WATKINS
195	LEON PICKETT
197	GEORGE CARTER
100	DONICALTOR

PRESIDENT VOTE FOR ONE	VICE-PRESIDENT  VOTE FOR ONE	RECORDING SECRETARY VOTE FOR ONE	FINANCIAL SECRETARY VOTE FOR ONE	TREASURER VOTE FOR ONE	TRUSTEE VOTE FOR THREE	SGT-AT ARMS GUIDE  VOTE FOR ONE VOTE FOR ONE
l 2 Theodore Ed Maxwell Liska	8 Donald L. C. Jackson Marshall	13 14 Edith Gerald David Wooten	17 18 Joseph Walter J. Klenk Kulza	24 John Kowalski Williams	30 Staries Boyd Charles Roberts Widter Green	41 16 Edward Mr.' John Garbacz Rawski
3 6 Jos Frank J. Gordon Littlefield	10 11 Chuck Andrew 'Andy' Walters Hardy	15 16 A. 'Jerry' Rachel 'Rae' Shelton Hale	19 20 A. C. Lee T. Newkirk Wrobel	26 27 Joseph Uriah 'Alee' Manzella Alexander	34 35 36 37  Betty "Boo" H. L. Helen "Scotty" Grover "Doug" Douglas	45 Den Gaiter Majkowski
Ron March	12 Herman E. Montgomery		21 22 Raymond Joe Johnson Elliott	28 29 John Wolf Fica Lawrence	38 39 40 41 'Big Jee' Eugene H. Willis The Painter' Annie Mastowicz Graves II Marshall Thompson	18 Lafayette Phillyaw
			23 Charlie Williamson		42 43 Sarah B. James Ross Johnson	

## 1970 Dodge Local No. 3 UAW Convention Delegates

19 Jim King	50 Earl Robinson	51 Al Hunter	52 Webster Rauls	53 Ray Jones	51 Stanley A. Ulinski	55 'Big Mitch' McClellan	56 R. F. Moorehead	57 Charles Kaigler	58 Sophie Francis	59 Robert 'Bob' Bailey	60 Joseph Szymanski	61 Charlie The Painter Grant	62 Queenie M. Adams	63 Jimmy Square	64 Ida Bell	65 Joanne Marble	66 Raymond Johnson	67 Rudy 'Batman' Rudolph	68 Bessie D. Leonard	69 Luther 'Big Luke' Mosby	70 Roger Quarles	71 Angelo Gentilia	72 * 'Big Joe' Wojczan	73 Frank J. Littlefield
71 Minnie L Baggs	Benny Holley	7() Aaron Gay	77 William H. Lewis	78 M. 'Vick' Vickery	79 Gerald D. Wooten	80 Joe Precopio	81 Aimee Boyer	82 James 'Shabazz' Morris	83 Charles Roberts	84 Bill Majkowski	85 Edward Bajkowski	86 Jodi L. 'Reb' Wade	87 Hugh B. Harris	88 Sarah B. Ross	89 Joe L. Schmitz	90 William 'Big Man' Hagerman	91 Tommy Plesha	92 Ervin 'Birdlegs' Davis	93 'Wild Bill' Newmeyer	91 Ernest L. Carmack	96 Jimmie Puzella	97 Joe Klimek	98 Andrew 'Andy' Hardy	99 - Ron March
100 Willie Jam Hutchins		102 Herman T. Bell	103 Grover 'Doug' Douglas	101 w. c. 'Tiny' Boykin	105 Alan Sulki	106 Otto Covington	107 'Big Joe' Mastowicz	108 Gary Ecton	109 Sam 'Welder Bandy	110 Joyce Bivins	Portia Redmond	112 Theodore Maxwell	113 Samuel Sherman	114 John Maddox	115 Booker T. Ramsey	116 Ralph J. Hatcher	117 Arnold Calhoun	118 Annie Thompson	120 a. c. Newkirk	121 Chester 'BoBo' Wiechecki	122 Charles Wright	123 Louis C. Henry	124 L. C. Marshall	125 Clarence Wysocki
126 Lorenzo Cook	127 Ella Haynes	128 Raymond Hunter	129 Alphonse 'Al' Kozak	130 William Preacher Robinson	131 Elnora Wilson	132 Lee Cain	133 Sandra VanPelt	134 Spurgeon Walker, Jr.	135 George E. Smith	136 Walter Rogowski	137 Joseph Klenk	138 Canada Wright	139 Marvin W. Brown	140 Albert E. Hicks	141 Calvin 'Saucer' Hopkins	112 Walter Cothey	143 Kenneth Roy Massengile	144 Al Jordan	145 'Hank' Ulanowski		147 Alonzo Truck Driver Borders	148 Russell Rice	149 Richard Jackson	150 John Braxton
151 Jaroma Harvar	1.52 Rey Graham	153 John Kowalski	1.5.1 Branch E. Gassoway	155 Samuel Shivers	156 Willie Williams	157 Oliver L. Moore	158 Steven Buchanon	159 John Smith	160 Tom Hanlon	161 Barbara Anderson	162 Ed Stark	164 Arthur Collins	165 William B. Norfleet	166 Donald Jackson	167 Samuel Powe	168 'Singing Sam' Weiman	169 John Malone	170 'Bob' Rose	171 Joe Davis	173 Benjamin McQueen	174 Walter Lovelace	175 Lafayette Philyaw	176 Thelma Cherry	177 Thelma Shimmin
178 Arthur Atkin		180 Evangeline 'Van'	181 ' 'Big James' S. Bryant	182 Wilbur B. Lofton	183 Wanda Pokusa	184 Eddie '45' Jordan	185 Eugene Watkins	186 Wolf Lawrence	187 Eddie Wilk	188 George Owens	189 Dan 'Big Dan' Solinski	190 Joseph Manzella	191 E. 'Mustache' Singal	192 Frank Karschnia	193 David Hughes	194 Harold Sharber	195 Leon Pickett	196 Mort Silverman	197 George Carter	198 Don Gaiter	199 George Johnson	200 Bill 'Cigar' Babcock	201 Willie J. Ware	202 Willis The Lainter Marshall

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