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Following is a list of the right wing candidates for office as furnished by [30-509?]

President
Vice President
Recording Secretary
Financial Secretary
Treasurer
Publicity and Educational Director
Sergeant-at-Arms
Trustee
Grievance Committee

JOSEPH O'HANLEY
MAURICE LAS
JACK KRAVICK
JAMES SZALKOWSKI
FRANK SMITH

CASEY CZOCHARA
AL ALASUTI
JOSHUA PRICHETT
TOM SELIG
JOHN KAPINSKY
JOE JUPLIC
CLARENCE JOHNSON
STEVIE WILLOUS
JOE BIECLE
OSSIE MASSINGALE

Following is a list of candidates on the left wing ticket as furnished by [30-509?]

President
Vice President
Recording Secretary
Financial Secretary
Treasurer
Publicity and Educational Director
Sergeant-at-Arms
Trustee
Grievance Committee

TOM HURMERS
VINCE JACOPLIUS
TONY NATIUZAK
FRANK SCALZIK
ED GRABOWSKI

BRUNO MARTIN
CHARLES LESTER
HARRY PETTIT
JOHN MARTINO
JOHN COOKE
NICK PASQUA
STANLEY KOSNAROWSKI

Following is a list of the right wing slate's defeat to a very clever smear-campaign on the part of the alleged Communist element of the local. Informant stated that the left wing slate had an excellent organization and were supplied with ample finances. He went on to say that numerous international representatives and organizers of the FE Union took a very active
part in this election to insure the defeat of the right wing candidates who
have always been vigorously opposed to the alleged Communist domination of
the international offices of this union. COO-5097 pointed out that TOM
KELLY, an organizer of the FE-Union, was the power behind the throne and
manipulated the defeat of the right wing candidates.

COO-5097 stated that TONY KATUZAK, new Recording Secretary of this
local, has admitted to him that he is a Communist.

Confidential Informant COO-453 has advised that NICK PASQUA was a
subscriber to the "Daily Worker" as of January 3, 1945. It is noted that
PASQUA was an unsuccessful candidate for membership in the Grievance
Committee on the left wing ticket. PAUL B. LINDSAY, who is now employed
in the McCormick Plant, has been the subject of investigation by this office
and has been reliably reported to be a member of the Workers Party.

Confidential Informant T-2, who is a colored employee in the
McCormick Plant, advised that JOHN COOK is chairman of the Grievance
Committee of Local No. 108 and that he, COOK, had requested informant to
become a member of the Communist Party. T-2 stated that he had also heard
JOSE HUFF, who was formerly a member of this local and who is an inter-
national representative of the FE-Union, admit membership in the Communist
Party. T-2 stated that the Communists in Local No. 108 were recruiting
members among the colored workers with a "no discrimination" sales talk.

On January 24, 1945, Confidential Informant T-2, who is also a
colored employee in the McCormick Works Plant, advised that Communism has
been growing rapidly in Local No. 108, especially among the negro members of
the union. T-2 stated that the Communists were organizing among the negroes
on a "no discrimination" platform. He also stated that the negro workers were
very much impressed with the Communist plan and feel convinced that they
would be better off under Communist than under the present form of government.
T-2 stated that the Communist sponsored group had taken over control of the
Executive Board of this local at the elections held during December last;
T-2 stated that CHARLES FASER, who is the newly elected Sergeant-at-Arms
of this local, has admitted to the informant that he is a Communist and fre-
quently argues in behalf of Communist principles.

T-2 stated that CURTIS SASSER, who is colored, has also admitted
membership in the Communist Political Association.

According to T-2, ANTHONY KATUZAK, newly elected Recording Secretary
of the local, has admitted being a Communist to the informant.
The names of all these individuals were checked against the indices of the Chicago Field Division with negative results.

Confidential informant C.GD-68 has advised that the following individuals were recruited into the Communist Party by FOBE-HUFF:

WILBUR FERRYMAN
GLADYS ADDOX
MARY COOKERMAN
WILLIAM E. MULLEN

Mr. DAN FACETTI, Personnel Manager of the McCormick Works Plant, has advised that all four of these individuals were employed in the McCormick Works Plant. The following individuals, all of whom are members of Local No. 10S, have, during the past year, been reported by informants to either be Communists or Communist sympathizers:

JACK HYMAN
HUSTON STEWART
FRANK STELLA
BRUNO ZETT
HOCKENBIRNE
ANTHONY N.
NICK PASCIA
JOHN COXE
BRILL CARPENTER
FRED MOORE
WILL ANDERSON
GEOFFREY
JAMES GRIMMET
RALPH LAPPSIN
CURTIS SATTER
CLARENCE ROBINSON
JOHN MARTIN
KENNETH VAUGH
BEATRICE HUFF
VINCENZO ZAPPO
CHARLES ALZENI
FRED GRILLIN
EDDIE GRABOSKI
WALTER KRIZEEL
JOSEPH "BOCCHINO"