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ANARCHIST prisoner Mark Barnsley is likely to be in the segregation block at Wakefield Prison soon. Mark was told he has been allocated to the prison workshop at Wakefield. Since he has declined the offer of prison work he will be charged for refusing to follow this order. It’s likely he will spend time in Wakefield Prison’s segregation unit. This period may have extra time added to his sentence.

Mark has refused to collaborate with the prison system since his wrongful imprisonment over 7 years ago. Instead of doing prison work he has spent his time working on the campaign to overturn his conviction, supporting other prisoners and doing education classes when possible.

According to the prison service, the reason Mark is working is so that they can learn a trade. In theory, increasing their chances of getting a job upon release. At HM Wakefield however, prisoners either make prison uniforms or do tedious packing work for a private company called Hepworth Building Products. For working 25 hours per week they are paid from nothing to £2 a week. Even with bonuses, prisoners are paid less than 10% of the minimum wage.

Let both Wakefield Prison and Hepworth Building Products know what you think about this blatant exploitation:

- The Governor, HM Wakefield, 5 Love Lane, Wakefield, WF2 9AG. Tel: 01924 378282. Fax: 01924 290331
- Hepworth Building Products, Eddington Lane, Eddington, Doncaster, DN12 1BY. Tel: 01709 856000

For more info contact: Justice for Mark Barnsley, PO Box 381, Huddersfield HD1 2XX. Tel: 07944 522001 or visit: www.freemarkbarnsley.com

Write to: Mark Barnsley WA2897 HMP Wakefield, 5 Love Lane, Wakefield, West Yorkshire, WF2 9AG.

SEAN CREGAN, an anarchist imprisoned for charges arising from Mayday 2000 has been moved. Send letters of support to: Sean Cregan FB8582, HMP Ford, Arundale, West Sussex, BN18 0XB.

A PRISON Abolition Conference is being organised for Saturday 26th January 2002 at Conway Hall, London.

For more info or to help out send SAE to Prison Abolition Conference, c/o BM Hurricane, London WC1N 3XX.

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A STRIKE by 350 workers at Triata, the Argentinean car component maker halted most of Australia’s automotive industry. Three of the countries four major manufacturers – Ford, Mitsubishi and General Motors – sent home more than 12,000 workers mostly on full pay due to a lack of parts. This cost them $145 million. The workers unprotestingly saw the strike go on for 2 weeks, by which point the Australian government were describing it as a threat to the national interest. The strike being declared illegal did nothing to stop the de-
WORKPLACE WREREATION

HERE are some highlights from a website set up to help bosses stop the art of sabotag- ing by workers. It acts as a kind of high-speed means of us looking at ways to throw a spanner in the works and also as an insight into how others think about the issue of sabotage.

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"Technique is chosen, sabotage is chosen to mimic the conditions that exacerbate employee sabotage; computerised environments are perfect for this."

"When people feel threatened, they can't respond with an attack of comparable severity. Retaliation can be a powerful moti- vator of employee sabotage."


"SABOTAGE OF THE MONTH

Bono: Prat

SO PONTIFICATES U2 singer Bono on Genoa. And where was Bono when he was making this pronouncement? Yep, behind the police barricades on the very steel fence. Instead of offering up plati- tudes for the cops and their political pay- masters in Blair, Bertuccio and Patco, wouldn't it be more fitting for Bono to have focused on the extreme and deadly vio- lence that was carved into the flesh by the likes of scumbag Blair? In Genoa, what took place was nothing less than state-sanctioned murder. This wasn't a simple case of uniformed thugs 'putting fists into faces' although there was plenty of that too, along with blow-

INTERNATIONALISTS IN HUNGARY

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Or email klasbatst.files@gmail.com
Also see the latest issue of our magazine, Organisanti, for an article on Esperanto.

WHERE IS PRAVIT PRAT?

A NEW anarchist group has formed in Walthamstow, East London. Right now we are or- ganisng a gig, planning a public discus- sion meeting and generally wind- ing up the lefties. We've already gen- erated a lot of interest in the area. Anyone living in Waltham Forest wanting to get in- volved should call 07924 348 941 NOW.

IRAN RIFT

On the 31st July in Hamadan, Iran 300 people rioted for over four hours leaving a policeman injured. Riots broke out after locals accused the Mayor's office of resistance that there have been a number of wildcat strikes in Ireland. Could this be anything to do with the formation of a new party there? Possibly. People are now in Ireland and see the class strug- gle developing along anarchist lines, get used to it and help anarchists become a force to be reckoned with.
**WORKPLACE WRECKCREATION**

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**Examples of Employee Sabotage**

1. Arson. 2. Using explosives to destroy company property. 3. Tampering with parts of machinery. 4. Instructing others to engage in activities harmful to the company. 5. Altering or deleting data company databases.

**SABOTAGE**

**of that too, along with blows from truncheons, tear-gas, riot shields and all but the world was behind the ring cops emptying bullets into the face of one poor guy, a cal- lous killing which Blair, like Bono, was not to condemn outright. Bono, when do ordinary folk ever get the chance to be 'bangers'...**

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**ACTION IN ARGENTINA**

**THOUSANDS of jobless people and state employees blocked highways across Argentina, with the latest outburst of anger in Argentina, where there is unemployment above 16 percent and a quarter of the population living in poverty... Roadblocks were scattered across more than 40 cities, snarling rush-hour traffic... They came after the government won congressional approval to cut... and retire pensions to trim the growing budget deficit... Many workers were told... and... Some workers... who... They were seen... The rioters... the workers... and the city... the strikers... the police... We... worked... to set up... a situation where employees become a force to be reckoned with...**

**SINK OR SWIM**

**FOR five months residents in Gouvianh have been fighting to save their local swimming pool by Glasgow Council who say it isn't economical to run (see page 11 #2).**

**TIME BOMB**

Continuing our regular look at history.

The Attica Prison Insurrection 1971

On September 13, 1971 a four day revolt against the conditions at Attica Prison, near Buffalo, NY in the United States. The year before the National Guard had gassed down unarmed students protesting against the Vietnam War. State and Kent State Universities. Armed guards smashed a Teamsters strike. Malcolm X and Martin Luther King had both been murdered. When George Jackson, Black Panther and political prisoner was murdered at San Quentin by the guards in 1971, no major news stories were written or radio... Requests to phone lawyers or anyone else were denied. We were never told what we were charged with, or what it would happen to us. On Sunday photos and finger-pointing the early hours of Monday our possessions were taken... Our fifth day of rebellion was taken to an office, introduced to a lawyer from the Genoa Social Forum and briefly questioned by the magistrate. After telling the story of our arrest... we were told we were free. In fact, we spent another night in a police custody in Pavia while lawyers argued over our deporta- tion. Eventually we were released on the charge of no "race riot" but a unit class action. The prisoners demanded removal of the war..."the..." employee sabotage... We had taken part in the revolt, and better conditions. The state agreed to 28 of the 33 demands but not arson. The prisoners were not will- ing to sacrifice the anti-racist movement's re- pression would fall heavily on them.

**Hall of bullets**

Governor Rockefeller ordered a military attack. Dropping tear gas from a helicopter, 1,000 State thugs fired indiscrimi- nately into a crowd of unarmed prisoners. 39 lay dead, 9 of them hostages. Lies were made up to say that the prisoners had killed them and mutilated them, but autopsies proved otherwise. The guards beat and tortured prisoners after the revolt.

**Wildcats**

Several rebellions spread to wildlife, involving 20,000.

There were 'several hundred thousand' in prison in 1971 - now there are over a million - and the protest against the violence and the chance of further Atticas is on the horizon. This year prisoners in Texas are planning to take the initiative and rate the Attica uprising and in support of prisoners rights. For more info email: bdfiggsgw@aol.com or visit: www.ironhorsebpo.com.
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Subvert and resist

Take precautions when going on demonstrations and don't take unnecessary losses or drugs. If you are picketed give your name and address then say 'no comment' to any other questions.

SEPTMBER: 9th - Demonstration in support of Paul Robinson outside the Swedish Embassy on Montagu Place (NOT Montagu Drive) in London from 5.30pm.

11th-14th - DSEI Arms Fair. A Fiesta for Life Against Death. Tel: 020 7281 0297, to write to disarm DSEI, PO Box 9565, London N4 4JT, or visit www.disarm-trade.org, to find out how you and your mates can get involved.

OCTOBER: 10th - Anarchist Bookfair at 7pm Camden Centre, London (opposite St Pancras Station). With extra meetings in the Friends Meeting House (five minutes up the road) Anarchist Bookfair, 84b, Whitechapel High Street, London, E1. Email: mail@anarchistbookfair.org or visit www.anarchistbookfair.org

22nd - Big Blockade of Raliene Tidner overseas submarine base. Tel: 0141 423 1212 or visit: www.gp.org.uk/tp2000

30th - 1st NOV: COPEx arms fair, Sandown Racecourse. Exhibition of 'counter-inevity' items previously exposed as a market place for torture equipment. For protests contact CAAT: Tel 020 7281 0297 or email: enquiries@caat.demon.co.uk

NOVEMBER: 9th - Beginning of the trial of Euromixi bosses on charges of corporate manslaughter for the death of Simon at Shepperton. Visit: www.letsspeakfreely.org

9th - Picket of Qatar Embassy at the beginning of the World Trade Organisation meeting: 1 South Audley Street, London W1 from 11.30am.

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Join the resistance

The Anarchist Federation is an organisation of class struggle anarchists aiming to abolish capitalism and all oppression to create a free and equal society. This is Anarchist Communism.

We see today's society as being divided into two main classes: the ruling class which controls all the power and wealth, and the working class which the rulers exploit to maintain this. By racism, sexism and other forms of oppression, as well as war and environmental destruction the rulers weaken and divide us. Only by direct actions of the working class can we defeat these attacks and ultimately overthrow capitalism.

As the capitalist system rules the whole world, its destruction must be complete and world wide. We reject attempts to reform it, such as the efforts of so-called trade unions and parliaments and their political organisations, which they fail to challenge capitalism itself. Unions also work to keep the workers within the capitalist system, so although workers struggle within them they will be unable to bring about capitalism's destruction until these limits are abolished.

Organisation is vital if we're to beat the bosses, so we work for a united Anarchist Federation to abolish these limits. The Anarchist Federation is an international network of Anarchist Federations.

The Anarchist Federation has members across the world, and is working to build a new kind of world outlined above. Contact:

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In SCOTLAND, medical secretaries went on a three-day strike in protest at the crap money they receive, £12,000 p.a.

Wildcat in the country.

POSTAL deliveries in Ireland were disrupted as a result of an effective wildcat action at the National Postal Depot in Portlaoise. Work ground to a halt when posties blockaded the entrance to the factory.

All mail was stopped from entering or leaving the building. The strikers said the action would be repeated as part of their campaign to highlight the threat hanging over the country’s rural post offices.

A WILDCAT strike by mechanical engi- neers of KLM Royal Dutch Airlines at Amster- dam’s Schipol airport succeeded in grounding all 13 KLM international flights from Amsterdam.

On Friday, 27th July about 200 engi- neers went on strike to press for higher wages. The technical workers demanded a wage increase cirtaining higher salaries paid to counterparts working at Northwest Airlines, a KLM partner.

Wildcat on the line

AN UNOFFICIAL strike on 1st August halted services in and out of Cork’s Kent Station in the Ireland. Line maintenance workers walked off the job in solidarity with four of their colleagues who had been victimised for pursuing their own contracts relating to payment and rostering. The contract included issues related to weekend work for temporary workers.

The strike was called off after management agreed to the line maintenance company. Permanent Way, agreed to hold a hearing for the four temporary workers.

Union officials out in the cold

MORE than a month ahead of a planned official strike, Irish train drivers are refus- ing to work an extra roster. A decision to take unofficial action was decided by the drivers' negotiating committee on Tuesday 7th August and took effect from Monday 13th. Union officials were excluded from a meeting, which opted for official action.

The mainline trains in Cork and Kerry were hard hit, with the south west lines having drivers refused to work their last day and four major services in both direc- tions on the Tralee Dublin and Tralee lines were hit.

More resistance inside...