PLOWSHARES SUPPORT/R.I.

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Plowshares Support/RI wants to apologize for the long delay in sending out this mailing. We have been waiting until the Trident I Plowshares received a trial date, and this has been a long wait for all of us. And then, two weeks ago, we received the joyous news of the Trident II Pruning Hooks disarmament action at Electric Boat's Quonset Point Shipyard. Also, we are now able to update folks on the Silo Pruning Hooks' sentencing, and Martin Holladay's trial. We appreciate the patience and continued interest of our readers.

TRIDENT II PLOWSHARES ON TRIAL DOCKET FOR MAY 7TH

The Trident II Plowshares have been called on the Washington County Superior Court trial docket and are to appear in court on May 7, 1985. The Plowshares are to be ready for trial on that day, but their trial might be delayed for a few days or even weeks. There will be a vigil outside the courthouse on Rte. 138 in West Kingstown, RI at 9:00 AM on the 7th to support the Plowshares.

Once the trial begins, there will be hospitality provided for out of state supporters. Potluck suppers and programs with expert witnesses and local speakers and musicians will occur during the evenings while trial is taking place.

To find out precisely when the trial is happening, please call (401) 421-8612. If you will need hospitality during the trial, or can help us provide hospitality, please call the Support Committee at the same number.

SUPPORT COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

Plowshares Support/RI seriously needs financial contributions to publicize and further the work of the Trident II Plowshares and the Trident II Pruning Hooks. Money will be used to put out the newsletter, support the prisoners' material needs, bring expert witnesses to testify at the upcoming trials, communicate with the media about the disarmament work, and pay the phone bill. No contribution is too big or too small-- all are greatly appreciated. Please send checks to:

Plowshares Support Fund
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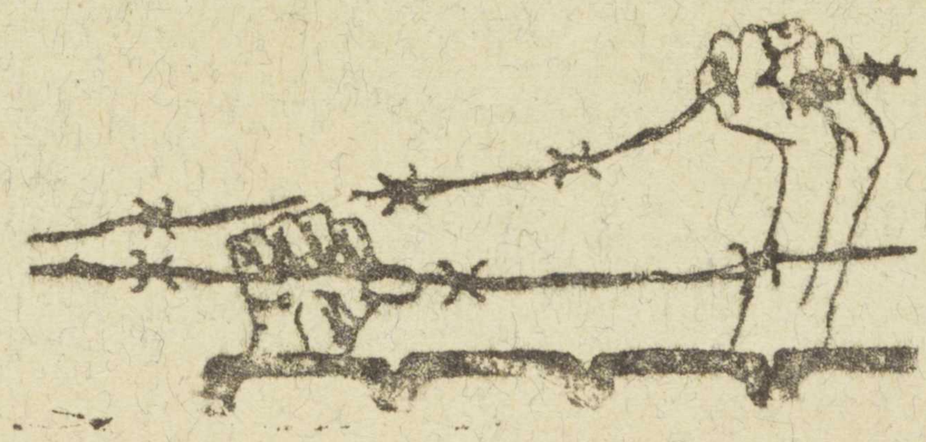
Thank you very much.

Special Notice: Commissioning of the USS Alabama, the sixth Trident, Saturday morning May 25, New London Conn., Underwater Systems Labs. Vigil planned. For details call WRL Norwich, (203) 889-5337. June 15: International Day of Protest N. Atlantic Network of Peace Movements. Demonstration at EB in Groton. Global connections (not weapons) the theme. Posters and banners to be hung on fence at noon. For information on CD contact Trident Nein, Box 411, New Haven Conn. 06502, (203) 562-7935. May 31, 8 p.m. Charlie King & Joyce Katzberg in concert, benefit for Trident Nein, St Paul's Episcopal Church, New Haven CT.