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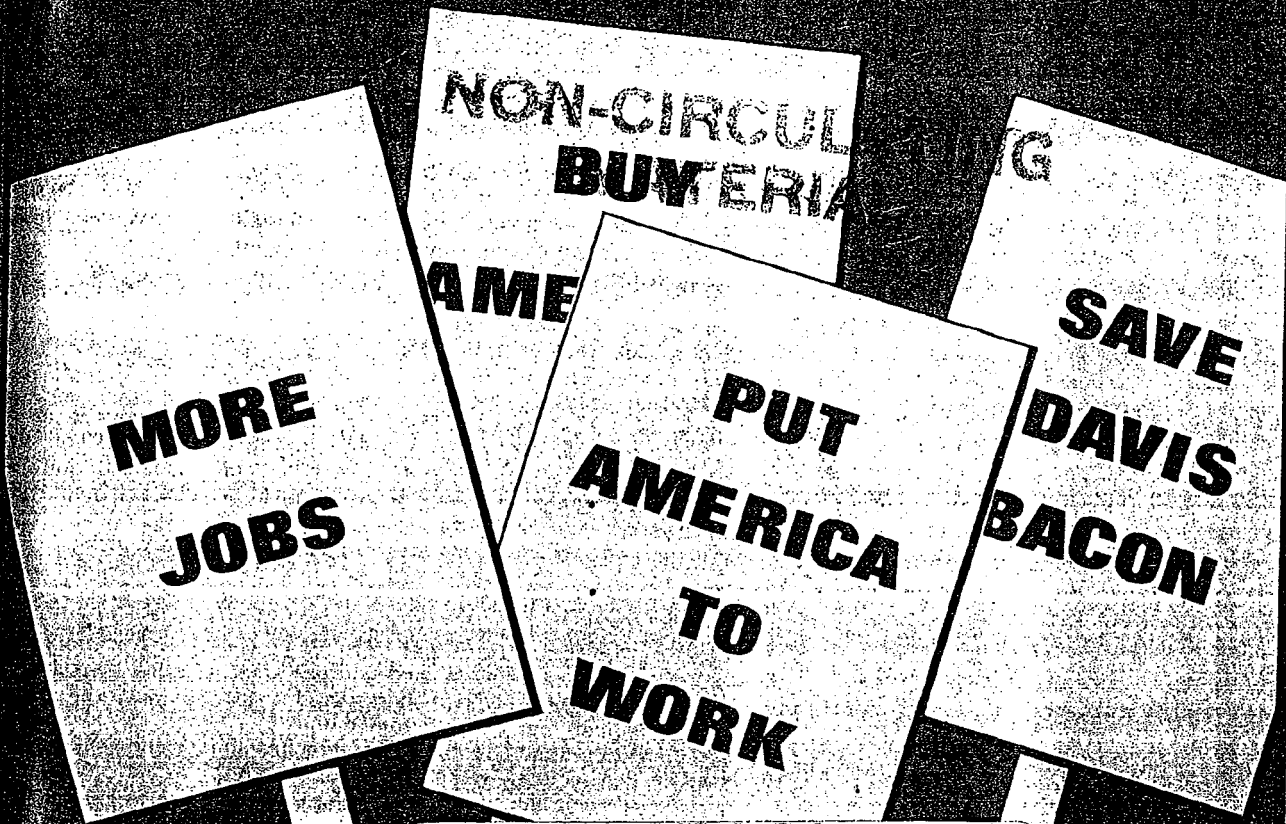
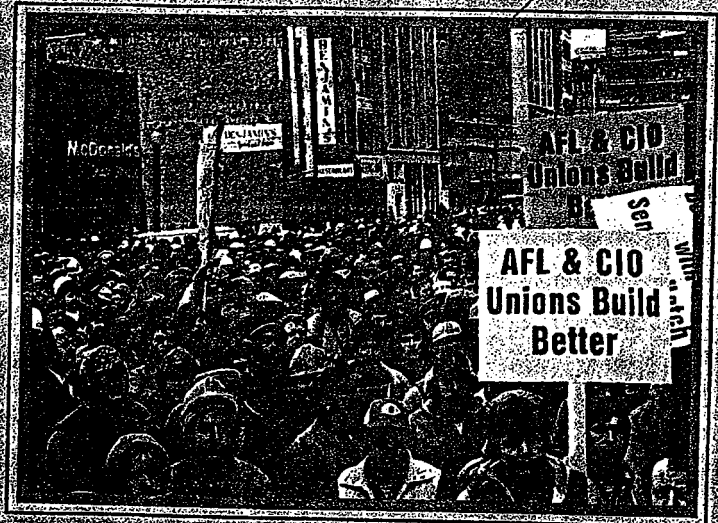
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**from the General
President:**

DRYWALL TAPERS: CAN YOU HELP THIS MEMBER?

Retired IBPAT drywall taper member Nicholas Gravino is trying to establish an asbestos-related disability claim. Brother Gravino has asbestos scarring of the lungs. In the 1960's and 70's many drywall compounds contained asbestos. Brother Gravino needs names and labels from these early asbestos-containing drywall products.

If you have any labels, names or other information concerning asbestos-containing drywall compounds, please write Brother Gravino at the address below right away.

Mr. Nicholas Gravino
360 Bay Blvd., Apt. #202-A
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Sincerely and Fraternally,

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GP Rafferty Receives Unique Tribute From OSHA

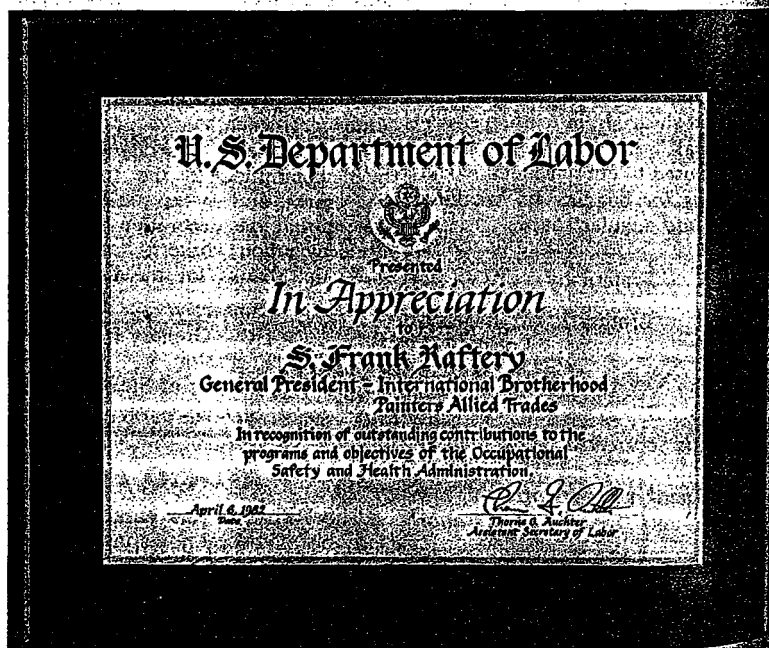
A singular tribute was paid General President S. Frank Rafferty during the recent AFL-CIO Legislative Conference in Washington, D.C.

Assistant Secretary of Labor for OSHA Thorne Auchter made a special visit to the conference to present IBPAT's General President with a plaque and to praise publicly the uniquely successful efforts in occupational safety and health made under his leadership. "In recognition of outstanding contributions to the programs and objectives of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration" is the plaque's inscription.

The unusual honor, not given to any other individual or organization, demonstrates the prevailing excellence of IBPAT's work in health and safety—which has been singled out for praise under Republican and Democratic Administrations.

"Our sole objective is to improve the industry by protecting our members' health and safety," said GP Rafferty.

In presenting the award, the As-



stant Secretary told IBPAT delegates, "From the formation of the National Joint Safety and Health Committee in 1969 to the declaration of the 'Decade of Job Safety and Health' in 1974 to the current Jobsite Monitoring/Worker

Surveillance Program, the IBPAT consistently broken new ground in furtherance of OSHA's of providing a safe and healthful place for every working woman in this country."

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