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UPSURGE IN RACIST VIOLENCE IN L.A. BASIN!

L. A. COUNTY SCHOOLS:

2000+ RACE HATE INCIDENTS REPORTED:

A survey conducted by the L.A. County Human Relations Commission has documented the seriousness of racially- and religiously-motivated hatred in the schools. Of the 1500 schools in the county polled by the commission, nearly 40% of those responding, and a majority of the junior high schools reporting, acknowledged hate crimes and hate incidents in the previous school year.

The report included both attacks and name-calling serious enough to get attention from administrators. In some cases, white kids were the targets. In many, incidents were between ethnic minorities. However, Blacks were the victims in 30% of the cases — a rate more than twice their representation in the school population. The rate of incidents directed at white students was less than half their percentage of the student body, in comparison.

Asian and Hispanic students were targeted for a disproportionate number of attacks and incidents motivated by anti-immigrant prejudice (even when the kids involved were not immigrants). This led the Commission to conclude that anti-immigrant attacks are probably going on in the adult population as well, but are seriously under-reported because of the fears of the immigrant victims of dealing with authorities.

BURBANK:

Synagogue vandalized with nazi graffiti:

Swastikas, nazi slogans and anti-semitic propaganda were sprayed, carved and pasted on Temple Emanu El in Burbank and in the vicinity of the synagogue sometime over the weekend before Halloween. Police have no suspects.

**T.T.T. BEGINS ITS
THIRD YEAR!**

VAN NUYS:

NAZI-SKINS SHOT BY PARTNER IN RACIAL BRAWL:

Three nazi skinheads from around southern California, attending a white power party in Van Nuys, got into a name-calling match with several Black and Hispanic youths in a nearby supermarket parking lot. When their intended targets resisted and started to chase the nazi-skins back to their party, one of the skins opened fire, according to eyewitnesses. However, he shot three of his fellows. Geremi Rineman, 18, of Huntington Beach was paralyzed. Two other nazi skins, from Claremont and Glendale, were wounded in the shoulder and ankle. Police have not filed any charges.

ARCADIA:

Cross burned outside Asian home:

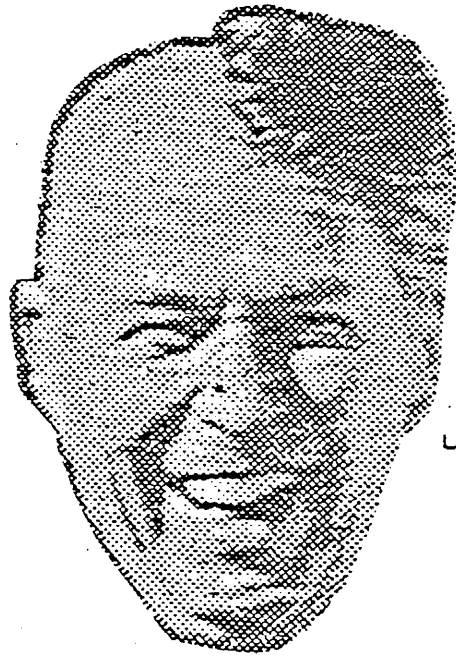
Someone fired BB-pellets into the home of a Chinese American family, and set fire to a 4-foot cross on their lawn in a mostly white neighborhood of Arcadia in the early morning hours of Oct. 22. Police called the incident of harassment "a juvenile prank."

SIMI VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL:

Nazi vandals strike twice:

Swastikas, racist graffiti and white power slogans were spray-painted on Simi Valley H.S. twice in October, once on the tennis courts, and a second time on the interior walls, after the first incident was hushed up by the administration. In August, the home of a Black L.A. school teacher was severely damaged by racist vandals in Simi Valley. The teacher's son is a student at the high school, but police discounted any connection between the incidents.

AMERICA'S #1 NEO-NAZI SKINHEAD!



Hi! I bet you suckers thought that we defeated Hitler and the Nazis in one of my World War II movies!

That's a laugh! Hitler just handed off the ball to us! We got nazis in the Pentagon, the CIA, we got nazis in NASA. Hell, George Bush had Hitler-nazis running his campaign and no body gave a damn!

Now, we've got a whole new generation of nazis up and coming! We've got nazis in the legislature Nazis on the Supreme Court, nazis in the Senate, and nazis on TV!

So, don't you believe it when Danny Quayle says there's no room for nazi skinheads in the good old U. S. of A. It's just a little in joke!

HA-HA-HA!



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MAILBAG

P.A.R.T.—

I got your address from ARA/Chicago. Myself and a few other skins started a chapter of ARA and are writing all the groups in the "syndicate" to trade anti-racist stuff. We're going to print t-shirts and we're looking for good original artwork.

There's not too much nazi activity in our area right now. The American Front is recruiting heavily (and successfully) in Philadelphia. I've also noticed a lot of Klan activity lately. The KKK is very big in central Pennsylvania. Many of my neighbors, teachers, etc., are members. The Grand Dragon of PA lives in my town.

There's about a dozen boneheads in Philly that are members of a group called "White Combat." Pretty original name, huh? That's about it. Write back.

Keep the faith,
Bri, PA

Make my day, Lady



P.A.R.T.—

In your last newsletter you referred to Patrick Purdy as a neo-nazi. I found an acquaintance of Purdy's in Portland. When he read about the middle eastern slogans Purdy used (in killing Indochinese kids in a Stockton school) he was surprised. He said Purdy "hated Arabs, called them sand niggers." According to the acquaintance, Purdy picked up an AYM newspaper, "liked it, said it was right and kept it." The cities where Purdy stayed on his trip between Portland and Stockton corresponds to the list of AYM chapter addresses printed in the back of that issue.

It's an outrage the California Attorney General's report on Purdy is being withheld while the Stockton massacre is used to the political advantage of these same people. We in the progressive movement need to oppose the wave of gun control legislation. The people need the means to defend themselves against the state and private organizations of violent repression.

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NEXT ISSUE OF TURNING THE TIDE

In Volume III, Number 2 of T.T.T., we will be focussing on the question of prisons, jails and prisoners. We have been getting some interesting letters from prisoners that we want to share, and we want to examine the role of the federal and state prison system and local jails in propogating racism and discrimination in our society.

We invite readers to submit letters and articles on this theme. The next issue of TTT will be dated January-February 1990, and will be going to press just after Christmas. Please keep your cards, letters, drawings, and donations coming. Clippings and reports about racist and anti racist developments in your area are especially welcome.

STOP ARYAN HATE-LINES!

PART is planning a demonstration concerning Tom Metzger's new hate lines, which are springing up around the country thanks to a company called American Voice Retrieval. By piggy-backing on to this commercial operation, Metzger is projecting WAR's racist hate-mongering into cities where he has no physical presence. Call AVR in Los Angeles to protest and demand they they drop Metzger from their service. (213) 468-4949. WAR is using the company for hate-lines in Seattle, Phoenix, San Francisco and New York, and will soon be starting up in Chicago, Miami and other cities served by AVR. Call the phone company in those cities to protest as well. More on this in the next issue of T.T.T.

What are people saying about the *Guardian* now?!



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Support the Resistance Conspiracy Case:

An Open Letter to the Progressive Community

The Contra war... the invasion of Grenada... increasing racist attacks... more violence against women, lesbians and gay men here in the U.S....

The U.S. government wants us to "forgive and forget" those responsible for these crimes. Yet some activists who opposed these crimes now face life in prison.

One of Ed Meese's last actions before leaving the Justice Department was to order the indictment of six long-time political activists on charges of protesting U.S. domestic and international policies through "violent and illegal means."

Like other recent political trials, *U.S. v. Whitehorn, et. al.*, (The Resistance Conspiracy Case) targets domestic opponents of illegal practices such as the contra war against Nicaragua and the invasion of Grenada. The investigation of these defendants is linked to the recent illegal FBI investigations of CISPES and the Central America solidarity movement. Like them, it's characterized by massive FBI misconduct and illegality.

The six — Alan Berkman, Tim Blunk, Marilyn Buck, Lin-la Evans, Susan Rosenberg, and Laura Whitehorn — are charged with being part of a network of groups that claimed responsibility for bombings of government and military buildings in 1983-85, including the 1983 bombing of the U.S. Capitol after the invasion of Grenada. No one was injured in any of these actions. The government makes no claim to know who actually carried out the bombings. Rather, it wants to convict the defendants by proving that they shared a "common purpose" of resisting illegal U.S. war crimes: "guilt by political association."

The government has already put these defendants through fourteen separate political prosecutions. Five of the defendants are already serving sentences of up to 70 years. The sixth has been held in preventive detention for 2 1/2 years. This April, the trial judge dismissed all charges against three of the defendants on the grounds of double jeopardy, but the Justice Department has vowed to fight the decision.

The government wants to stage a show trial to have a chilling effect on activists. It uses the guise of security to create an atmosphere of fear and intimidation to make a fair trial impossible. A bulletproof plexiglass wall in the courtroom separates the defendants from their families and supporters. Surveillance cameras in the courtroom are trained on defendants and spectators.

This is political persecution, not a criminal prosecution. The targets are people who have shown a deep commitment to human rights and social justice over many years. There may be political disagreements among us, but we are all part of the community of people in the U.S. who have opposed and tried to stop the murderous, inhumane and illegal practices of the Reagan administration. The defendants in this case, like the other political prisoners in this country, need to be returned to our communities and not disappear into the prison system. We must lend our voices and support to ensure their rights — and thereby our own. We ask you to join in a campaign to halt this vindictive prosecution. Stopping this last prosecution brought by Reagan and Meese can be an important step in dismantling their legacy of a politicized criminal justice system and resurgent FBI.

- Drop this politically motivated indictment
- Stop preventive detention/Release Laura Whitehorn on bail
- Remove the bulletproof wall and surveillance cameras from the courtroom

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PART has been happy to hear from so many anti-racists from around southern California and across the country. We try to share as much of the information we receive as we can.



To do this, we'd like our readers to take a few minutes to fill out this questionnaire about racist and anti-racist activity in your area. We'll compile the results and share them with you in a future issue of Turning the Tide.

Is there an active anti-racist group in your area?

What's its name, address and phone number and who is a good contact person?

Who do you see as the main focus for your anti-racist organizing? (for example, skinheads, young people in general, in the schools, Jewish community, Black community, etc.):

How long has the group been in existence? How long have you been involved?

Do you focus exclusively on racism, or do you deal with other social and political issues? (for example, pro-choice, U.S. intervention, prisons, gay rights, ecology, animal rights, etc.):

Are you in touch with other progressive and anti-racist groups? What experiences have you had trying to work in coalitions?

Do you put out a newsletter or 'zine? (If so, please put PART on your mailing list, and please list or review ITI):

What neo-nazi and racist groups are active in your area? How big is their membership? How public is their activity? Do they have a mailing address? put out a publication? have a telephone message line? Are they affiliated with national racist groups like WAR or the KKK?

What is the general public awareness of the problem? Are there many acts of racist terror? How does the community respond?

These are only some basic questions to encourage you to share what's happening in your area with us. We need to strengthen the base and the unity of the anti-racist movement. Hopefully, your responses to this questionnaire will help.

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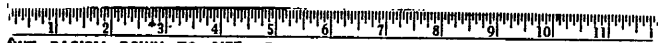
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