SPIRIT OF FREEDOM



The newsletter of the North American Earth Liberation Prisoners Support Network

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Welcome to the September/October *2001 Spirit of Freedom*, our third newsletter since the network's inception. It would be an understatement to say that recent events in Washington and New York have had quite an impact on our activities as prisoner supporters. It seems that it is impossible to avoid the US governments propaganda it is creating to justify its new war. What is not talked about in the corporate media or on the streets is the impact that the government's propaganda will have on the fledging Earth liberation and anarchist movements. Already the FBI and other agencies are talking about increased surveillance, implementing CARNIVORE to read email and petitioning judges to make wire tapping easier. No doubt, the government will use the hijackings as an excuse to crack down on the Earth liberation movement and those who support political prisoners. We mustn't shriek away from supporting the people who put their lives on the line to protect the Earth and its animals. On a different note, we are currently trying to determine whether *SoF* will continue to be a bi-monthly newsletter or a quarterly. Any feedback or financial assistance would be appreciated.

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FRANK AMBROSE

From a September 13th article in the *Indiana Herald-Times*, it appears that charges against Frank Ambrose have been dropped. However, as of the printing of this newsletter, that has not been confirmed by Frank himself. He was charged in January with spiking trees in the Morgan Monroe State Forest in June 2000. This action was claimed by the Earth Liberation Front (ELF) and local and federal authorities were bragging about cracking their first ELF case. Cops raided Frank's house and seized tools, gloves and other items in July 2000 and sent them to an FBI lab for analysis. His trial was postponed months ago after solidarity demonstrations were called for at federal buildings. The Morgan-Monroe tree-spiking was one of several local acts last year for which the Earth Liberation Front claimed responsibility. Others included an arson of a luxury house, a tree spiking in Yellowwood State Forest and destruction of logging equipment Contact: BDC, POB 3503, Bloomington, IN 47402. (812) 333-0173 defensecommittee@yahoo.com

NEW JERSEY GRAND JURY

Josh Harper has once again received a subpoena from a federal grand jury, this time in East Millstone, New Jersey. The government demanded that Josh release footage from his most recent video, *"This Means War"* which apparently contains images of an ALF liberation of 14 beagle puppies from Huntington Life Sciences (HLS) last spring. According to Josh "I was put into a room with at least a dozen guards. I had a brief argument with the assistant prosecutor, and was told that they were going to have a contempt hearing. I was sure that I was going to jail, so I asked if I could use a bathroom real quick. Anyhow, I stepped out of the room expecting to be taken before a judge for refusing to hand over the video or answer questions, and was instead told that I was being let go. Go figure. I haven't been re-subpoenaed".

Contact: boundless_wild@ziplip.com

FREE PUT IN SOLITARY

Jeffrey "Free" Luers was sent to solitary confinement last month for 42 days resulting from an incident in which he was jumped by two people. His nose was broken in the fight. Free was fined $50 and sentenced to 14 days loss of privileges (no yard, no phone access, no visits) to begin after his 42 days in the hole. He will not be able to make a phone call until October 7th! While he is in the hole, he is unable to receive any publications, books, magazines, anything other than letters.

Jeffrey Luers #13797671, OSP, 2605 State Street
Salem, OR 97310

NEBRASKA ARRESTS

We are attempting to find out information about the alleged arrest of three ELF members in Nebraska in late July. The only source we have is an article in the *Omaha World Herald* stating that three young men were charged with multiple counts of fourth class felony criminal mischief. They are accused of sabotaging four golf courses in the Omaha area. According to the article, they have claimed to be ELF members. Any information or leads on this case would be appreciated

CRITTER MOVED

For no apparent reason, Craig "Critter" Marshall was transferred in early September. His new address is:

Craig Marshall
#13797662

SRCI

777 Stanton Blvd.
Ontario, OR 97914

The Oregon prison system typically bounces political prisoners from one jail to another to disrupt any support they receive.

SANTA CRUZ 2

We understand that the Santa Cruz 2 are in the process of negotiation and their case may come to an end soon. Matt Whyte has a court date scheduled for September 25th. Contact: Santa Cruz 2 Defense Fund, POB 917 Santa Cruz, CA 95060 railpirate@apexmail.com

ELF PRESS OFFICERS STEP DOWN

Both Craig Rosebraugh and Leslie James Pickering have stepped down from their duties as press officers for the North American Earth Liberation Front. Both have stated that they that if the Earth Liberation Front is to be a viable movement, public concentrations of support must not be centered on one or two people. The two have maintained that the ELF is one of the greatest demonstrations of the power the people can have if they so desire to take it. They sincerely wish to express their gratitude to all those who have expressed some form of support over the years and to the courageous individuals that have been involved in ELF actions.

CONGRESSIONAL SUBCOMMITTEE SEEKS TO SUBPOENA CRAIG ROSEBRAUGH

The House Subcommittee on Forest and Forest Health has scheduled an October 16 hearing to explore the increasing numbers of eco-terrorist acts on "national forest" lands. Resource Chair James Hansen seeks to force Craig Rosebraugh, former press officer for the Earth Liberation Front (ELF) to testify. Craig has declined an invitation to appear voluntarily .
Contact Craig at PO Box 4783, Portland, OR 97208.

NO FRIENDS OF OURS

In their quest for more money and lawsuits, the Southern Poverty Law Center has turned their attention to the Earth Liberation Front. Despite the lack of any racist ideology, the SPLC is attempting to draw comparisons between white supremacists and the ELF.

In a report entitled "By Any Necessary Means." (located at http://www.splcenter.org. The SPLC makes these idiotic statements:

"When it comes to the current economic and political system, the two groups (ELF and fascists) increasingly find themselves on the same side."

"The shadowy ELF makes much of the radical right look rather meek."

"Right-wing extremists like the look of those involved in eco- and animal rights terrorism."

Than they close with the obvious which raises the question, Just what is the SPLC's motives?

"it seems clear that the ELF doesn't share their racist views or have other connections to their groups."

THE PLEADING

As I am looking out my window
I see a rising mantel of poison
as vehicles rare against times flow
spreading disease and death against reason

Human Beings learn to walk and see
the Earth Mothers wonders all around
fight fast time desires and be free
so balance and harmony can be found

Please relations give slowness a try
or a great crisis we all will face
as life gradually in time says good bye
unable to contend with our polluting pace.

Eric Wildcat Hall
1990

LETTER FROM FREE

To my supporters:

I guess first off I want to say thank you to all those people who have written me, supported me, or donated time or money to my defense. You have made this situation bearable. I cannot thank you enough. My heart especially goes out to those who have continued to fight, and have risked their own freedom, struggling against this destructive and oppressive system.

I have been able to adjust to prison life. I can tell you that it is a whole new experience. That puts it politely.

I do not know how long I will remain here, as of now I have 21 more years to go. It is my plan/goal to remain as active in the struggle for all life and against all forms of oppression as I can. By necessity I must use new tactics that can be employed from here.

I hope to complete a degree in sociology while I'm here. And to write and inspire with words. Already I have received many requests for interviews. I can only do the best I can to try to awaken people, raise awareness, and lend strength to those still on the front lines.

To all of you who try to bring change, in whatever form or tactic you use... whether you fight for the planet or against sexism, whether you are trying to raise minimum wage and create better work conditions or helping to create alternatives to traditional work: Our struggle comes in many forms. We fight different battles, in different fields. We use different tactics and different skills. We share different beliefs and different ideologies. Yet, we have one thing in common: we need each other, we need to stand side by side, to work and fight together. Only together can we create a world that we can all live in happily, healthfully, safely, and sustainably.

My goal in life is to help create that world. While I plan

on continuing that goal, right now I need to focus on getting out of prison. My appeal will be underway shortly. I expect it will be a lengthy process. I'm asking for your continued support through these rough times ahead. Those of you that can donate money to my defense, thank you, it is very much needed and appreciated.

I would also like to ask that everyone write to the governor of Oregon* in regards to the length of my sentence and the lack of evidence in the Tyree case.

Thank you,
Jeff "Free" Luers

*Gov. John Kitzhaber, State Capitol Building
Salem, OR 97301-4047

REQUEST FOR POEMS

Prisoner VoldyA! V. Mozhenkov is compiling a zine of prisoner poetry. Please send anti-copyrighted poems to him at:

VoldyA! V. Mozhenkov, Reg Number 06429-046
Unit D/B, FCI Elkton, POB 10
Lisbon, OH 44432-0010

MORE FASCIST LEGISLATION
(yes, we know that's redundant)

National

Congress pigs cunningham (R-CA) and two house pigs, Chambliss (R-GA) and Nethercutt, Jr. (R-WA), introduced a bill to protect US researchers and farmers from animal liberationists who destroy property The Agro-Terrorism Act of 2001 will increase protection currently extended to plant research facilities to include animal research facilities and give the FBI new tools to pursue criminal conspiracies against animal and plant terrorism". This bill will also increase penalties for Animal Terrorism and establish the National Animal Terrorism and ecoterrorism Clearinghouse at the FBI to help law enforcement agencies gather and exchange information on animal and ecoterrorists nationwide.

Congress-person Hooley (OR) has proposed legislation that would provide additional local resources (financial and personnel), create an information clearinghouse and make Hooley seem like she is doing something to stem the rising tide of Earth liberation activities in her voting area (Monmouth, Oregon-site of the Christmas 1999 burning of Boise Cascade by the ELF). Hooley also sent a letter to gw bush and attorney general ashcroft urging them to send additional federal agents to Oregon.

LETTER FROM PRISONER HELEN WOODSON

Let's give them the benefit of the doubt. Those who originate and use new science and technology intend beneficial results. Nuclear power, pesticides, cloning and genetic alteration are sincerely seen as worthwhile advances, their potential harm as acceptable risk. And this was undoubtedly true when Congress passed Public Law 106-546

Public Law 106-546: DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000 mandates the taking of blood from certain federal prisoners, the samples to be sent to the FBI for DNA profiling, the left over blood to be permanently archived by the FBI. Procedures for implementation have just been drawn up, and prison medical departments are preparing the individual kits. Inmates who refuse will be restrained and the blood drawn forcibly, and they may be subject to sanctions and criminal charges as well. Carswell officials say that only a "minute percentage" of women are affected, and I am to be the first here.

At first glance, the law is not a bad idea. DNA profiling may lead to the closing of previously unsolved cases and will aid in the apprehension of recidivists in the future. Since I do not attempt to hide my identity, this will have no effect on my actions after my eventual release. However, everyone who reads the news knows of FBI

carelessness and malfeasance. There will be mistakes, there will be deliberate incrimination of the innocent, and experts will lie in court. But it is the potential abuse in other areas that concerns me.

Psychologists have long theorized about the genetic origins of anti-social behavior, and some educators have expressed an interest in identifying at risk children. This and similar state laws will create the largest DNA data bank in existence, and sooner or later studies will be made. What if some criminals have identifiable genetic markers, and what if their children do too, and what if they exist in the general population also, maybe in your children and grand children? Doesn't society have the right to know only, of course, so that appropriate intervention measures can be taken?

Orwellian? I think not, and I predict that within 10 years the voluntary testing of children will be common and within 20 years mandatory. Newborns will leave the hospital with their own DNA on file just as they now leave with their Social Security numbers.

Let's give them the benefit of the doubt. Many law enforcement personnel have only the best of intentions, the kind that the road to hell is paved with . A police state is characterized by "repressive governmental control of political, economic and social life..." At what point does that apply to the United States, and at what point will ordinary citizens decide to do something about it? Our children and grandchildren will want to know.

8/29/01
Helen Woodson, 03231-045, FMC Carswell, Admin.
Max POB 27137 Ft. Worth, TX 76127

PRISONER PROFILE

Garfield Marcus Gabbard (age 37) is a Green Anarchist political prisoner held against his will at HMP Camp Hill Gulag in England. He is serving 18 months imprisonment after attending the November 30th 1999 'Anti Capitalist Demo' in London and setting fire to a Babylon van at Euston after the police attacked young demonstrators. Garfield was caught because a fluffy unmasked him and a police informer identified him.

Garfield has been active in the Animal/Earth Liberation movement since 1976. He is a staunch Animal Liberationist, Deep Ecologist who is involved with Community Justice. Garfield has also been involved with the squatters movement, hunt sabbing, trade Union fight back, Anti Fascist Action, etc. Garfield very much sees direct action from the grass roots as the way forward. He is a vegan who is persecuted for who is by the automatons. He is an eco-anarchist and proud of it. Garfield welcomes all letters and would very much like to hear from you. Also, Garfield has asked, if possible, can people please spare a little money to help him and his fiancé whilst he is inside. It would help take the pressure off his fiancé who is not only financially supporting Garfield while inside, but also spending a lot of money herself on prison visits.

If you would like to make a donation to help Garfield, please send checks or postal orders to Ms Kate Muggleton (Garfield's fiancé) and send them to Garfield Gabbard Support Fund, c/o BM Box 2407, London, WC1N 3XX, England.

WRITINGS BY PRISONER JEREMIAH RUSH BOWEN

Okay, so my unwanted fifteen minutes in the Colorado papers have taught me (as if I needed the lesson) that print media is almost exclusively distortions, packed lies too tight for even subjective bias to enter; the spin could be called objective, even though not factual due to the diffuseness of its origin. Wholies? 'They lie'; the impersonal institution of mediatizing reportage lies: all more or less meaningless because there is no who there. Impersonal: the cages are certainly physical but hardly human: a careerist cedes her humanity tot he career. Or more specifically, to the physical apparatus of that career-the cubical, the office tower, the highway, the subway, the automobile, the microscope, the uniform or apron, the screen the screen the screening and to the network (cage) of power relations that govern and specifies each action. It is people who are destroying the real world by covering it with exploitation and artifice, but they are people in their "official capacities": people who have lost the human to an impersonal architectoinic identity. This for me is where the struggle begins and ends: it is not people I fight; not the who but the what that has capitated from within and without.

I was invited to write something about "what we want". Meaning of course (Because I wouldn't presume to speak for anyone else without their input) what do I want in the context of an international movement toward (I hope) revolution and restoration. It's an interesting subject, partly because I would like to see a radical liberation of desire, which seems incompatible with a definition of such, but also because I want nothing new. I don't want to build a "new world" (thought the world I want would of course be something different than heretofore experienced by humans-difference as temporality and spacing).What I desire is already present, metaphorically and actually just beneath world as it is ("Underneath the pavement, it's the beach!), showing through in spots but (increasingly) rarely untainted by the overlay of civilized

superficiality. All that is truly necessary is that we clear away enough space for real life to reemerge.

So are the papers right? Am I a 'terrorist'? Webster defines terrorism as "the political use of terror and intimidation". But I have no desire to intimidate anyone. If circumstances make us as much as we make circumstances, if our cages are not merely ideological or psychological, but physical, then liberation requires a physical response to physical enslavement. I don't want to change people; I want to open up situations, make space for new possibilities (or the return of forgotten ones).

A Eugene Anarchist pamphlet from 1999 included the phrase "institutions could be removed, but their imprint must also be removed from our minds". Obviously, an imprint cannot be removed as long as the imprinter is still exerting pressure on the imprinted. Civilization must be destroyed physically before it can fade and disappear psychologically and ideologically. Trying to free one's mind in a sea of subjugation is like trying to dry your pants in an aquarium.

So what do I want? Complete reintegration with the land. An existence undifferentiated but infinitely different. The 'untouched' in which every touch touches itself, in which diversity=health, in which economy and extravagance coexist without contradiction. The ideal is real life; we look for analogies, human societies that mirror the circle. Hence the reexamination (and to a certain extent) emulation of the primitive.

At the center of all that I find revolting and deserving of revolt is mediation; this most of all I see as definitive of the artificial. Civilization is what comes between. The measure of authoritarianism is our distance from our own power (human being defines as rich, white and male) is product and function of mediation; as is the constant construction of newer, more sterile cages, the subjection of touch by image. If asked, I would posit this as the driving

force, the common denominator in those fighting for liberation: the experience of and desire for a direct life, unmediated living.

But it unnerves me to try to describe this ineffable core because I perceive it only obliquely, or in flashes of spontaneous involvement. It is the center of what most would call my 'spiritual' life but its spiritual power lies in its overwhelming physical authenticity. It is a physical reality that subtends the floating images of modern life; it is a circular stream fed by its own spring that flows beneath the streets of every city.

But is also the very empirical creek cutting through sandstone and cattails just beyond the barbed wire outside my window. It is my sunburned cheeks, my hands raw from the shovel handle. I'm sometimes surprised to find that reality infects my actions with an unreasonable cheerfulness. Sometimes the sound of rocks popping off rocks striking the rock pile strikes me like marimba rhythms because they are siblings making their own sounds without regard for uniforms or penalty.

I can't speak for anyone else's aims, but what I want is to dance to those rhythms as concrete falls before the advancing wilds.

For wildness, wilderness and wonder

Jeremiah Rush Bowen
#108016
DCC
1140 East 10 Road
Delta, CO 81416



Prisoner Jeremiah Rush Bowen- April 2000

PRISONER ADDRESS LISTINGS

ECODEFENSE/EARTH LIBERATION

Jeremiah Rush Bowen. #108016, DCC, 1140 East 10 Road, Delta, CO 81416. Serving two years for the arson of a townhouse in Boulder, Colorado in the summer of 2000. Release date: [redacted]

Jeffrey Luers #13797671, OSP, 2605 State St, Salem, OR 97310. Sentenced to 22.5 years for 13 charges related to an arson of a car dealership and an attempted arson of oil trucks in Eugene, Oregon.

Craig "Critter" Marshall, see page 3 for address Serving a five and a half year sentence for conspiracy to commit arson and possession of unlawful devices.

Ted Kaczynski (04475-046), US Pen - admin Max Facility, PO Box 8500, Florence Colorado 81226.

Helen Woodson, 03231-045 FMC Carswell, POB 27137 Admin Max Unit, Fort Worth, TX 76127. Serving 27 years for robbing a bank and then setting the money on fire while reading out a statement denouncing greed, capitalism and the destruction of the environment.

Marco Camenish, Viale dei Tigli, 14 13900, Biella, Italy. Serving 12 years for a number of eco-bombings in Italy. Also Switzerland wants to extradite Marco so he can serve a 10 year sentence there for eco-bombings. Marco can read French, German, Spanish & Italian.

Iñaki Garcia Koch, Carcel de Pamplona, C/San Roque. Apdo. 250, 31080 - Iruñez - Pamplona, Navarra (España), Spain. Serving just under five years for cutting cables on the construction site of the Itoiz dam.

Nikos Maziotis released after 3.5 years!!!

Silvano Pellissero, Com. Mastrolierto, Via Ferrerinoli no2, Sanponso, 10080 Torino, Italy. Serving 6 years 8 months for allegedly sabotaging a rail line construction site in the Northern Italian Alps. Silvano can read Spanish, Italian and French but not English.

ANIMAL LIBERATION

Neil Bartlett, FW7083, HMP Lewes, Brighton Rd, East Sussex, BN7 1EA, England. Arrested on August 28th on suspicion of making telephone bomb hoax calls to various animal and earth abusers

Barry Horne VC2141, HMP Long Lartin South Littleton, Evesham, Worcs WR11 5TZ England In 1997, Barry was found guilty of several arson-related charges on Bristol and the Isle of Wight, and was given an 18-year sentence.

Dave Blenkinsop HMP Bedford, St Loyes St. Bedford MK40 1HG England. Serving three years for causing "grievous bodily harm" to Brian Cass of Huntington Life Sciences.

Mel Broughton DJ8216, HMP The Mount, Molyneaux Avenue, Bovingdon, Hemel Hempstead, HP3 0NZ, England. Serving 4 years for conspiracy to cause explosions.

Geert Waegemans, Begijnestraat 42 2000 Antwerp, Belgium. Serving five years for an attempted arson against a Judge's car, two arsons against McDonalds and two arsons against the meat industry. Geert has named police informant, Anja Hermans, as an accomplice after she named him as an ALF activist and tipped off the police about one of his actions.

JUNE 18TH/ N30 /MAYDAY...

Robert Thaxton #12112716, 2605 State Street, Salem, OR 97310. Rob threw a rock at a cop in self-defense at the 1999 Eugene J18 RTS and received a severe seven year sentence as part of a "mandatory minimum" sentence. Rob has "security threat status" because he is an anarchist. Rob's writings can be obtained by the NWAPSN. (See contacts for address).

Garfield Gabbard, FT9062, HMP Camp Hill, Newport, Isle of Wight, PO30 5PB, England. Sentenced to 18 months for setting fire to a riot van during the N30 protests in London. He may be released on the 28th of October.

Paul Robinson, Goteburg Remand Centre (Haktet), Goteburg Polis Headquaters, (Polis Huset), Box 429, 40126 Goteburg, Sweden. 1 year imprisonment for rioting.

INDIGENOUS

Eric Wildcat Hall, #BL-5355, Unit I/A 10745 Route 18, Albion, PA 16475-0002 Serving 35-75 years for helping ship arms to Central American resisters.

Leonard Peltier #89637-132, PO Box 1000, Leavenworth, KS 66048. An American Indian Movement (AIM) activist, serving two Life sentences for the alleged murder of two FBI agents at the Pine Ridge Siege in the 1970's. For more information on the movement to free Leonard contact his defense committee and read Peter Mathieson's excellent book, *In the Spirit of Crazy Horse* (Penguin Books, 1980)

Standing Deer (Robert Wilson) was released from prison after serving 25 years!

Linn (Lenny) Chavez, c/o SAIIC PO Box 28703, Oakland CA 94694; saiic@igc.apc.org. A 36 year old AIM activist and Kiowa man, Lenny was cutting wood at his home when he was attacked by a right wing Aryan group member. The man grabbed Lenny's chainsaw threatening him and all those in the property. Fearing for his and his family's life Lenny drew his penknife and inflicted non-lethal injuries to the attacker. While the other man went free, Lenny was charged with attempted murder.

MOVE

MOVE, an eco-revolutionary group, were consistently persecuted by the Philadelphia police during the '70s culminating in the police firebombing of their commune in 1985. The 'Move 9' were framed for the murder of a cop and sentenced to the maximum prison sentence of 100 years each. In '98 Merle Africa died in very suspicious circumstances in prison. The pamphlet 20 years on the MOVE is an comprehensive account of this story.

Debbie Simms Africa (006307)
Janet Holloway Africa (006308)
Janine Philips Africa (006309)
are at: SCI Cambridge Springs, 451 Fullerton Ave, Cambridge Springs, PA 16403-1238

Michael Davis Africa (AM4973)
Charles Simms Africa (AM4975)
are at: SCI Grateford, PO Box 244, Grateford, PA 19426-0244,

Edward Goodman Africa (AM4974) SCI Camp Hill, PA 17011-0200

William Philips Africa (AM4984)
Delbert Orr Africa(AM4985)
are at: SCI Dallas Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612.

Mumia Abu Jamal (AM8335), SCI Greene, 1040 East R. Furman Highway, Waynesburg, PA 15370-8090.

PRISONER SUPPORT GROUPS/USEFUL CONTACTS

Anarchist Prisoner Legal Aid Network (APLAN) 818 SW 3rd Avenue, PMB 354, Portland, OR 97204: aplan@tao.ca Publishes the excellent newsletter, *We Never Sleep.*

Anarchist Black Cross Federation http://[redacted]

Animal Liberation Frontline Information Service http://www.animalliberation.net

Bloomington Defense Committee, POB 3503, Bloomington, IN 47402 defensecommittee@yahoo.com(812) 333-0173

Connor Cash Support Committee c/o Long Island Animal Defense League (ADL) PO Box 1117, Huntington, NY 11743. (631)340-4708 freeconnorcash@yahoo.com or longislandadl@excite.com

Defenstrator,4722 Baltimore Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19143

(an) Earth Liberation Front (ELF) Information page http://www.earthliberationfront.com

Free and Critter Legal Defense Committee, POB 50263, Eugene, OR 97405. gumbycascadia@yahoo.com http://www.efn.org/~eugpeace/freecritter

Free Mumia Coalition: PO Box 751 Portland, OR 9720

Friends of MOVE, POB 19709, Philadelphia, PA 19143

Garfield Gabbard Support Fund
c/o BM Box 2407, London, WC1N 3XX, England

[redacted]

Leonard Peltier Defense Committee, POB 583, Lawrence KS 66044; 913-842-5774

No Compromise magazine P.O. Box 1440, Santa Cruz, CA 95060; 831-425-3007; nc-info@nocompromise.org

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North American Animal Liberation Front Support Group Box 69597, 5845 Yonge St., Willowdale, Ontario, M2M 4K3, Canada. Publishes *The Underground.*

NW Anarchist Prisoner Support Network, POB 11331, Eugene, OR 97440. Distributes prisoner writings: *We are Everywhere-Political prisoners in the Northwest, Rob the Rich* and *Fuck you Bearden* by Robert Thaxton and *Break the Chains.* Write for full listing

Prison Activist Resource Center PO Box 339 Berkeley CA 94701

Prison Legal News: 2400 80th St., NW #148 Seattle, WA 98117

Rob Thaxton Support/Friends of Ted Kacynski c/o POB 11331, Eugene, OR 97440

Santa Cruz 2 Defense Fund, POB 917 Santa Cruz, CA 95060;[redacted]

South Chicago ABC POB 721, Homewood, IL 60430 Publishes the zine, *Thought Bombs* and distributes a load of other zines and pamphlets, many containing writings by prisoners.

UK Earth Liberation Prisoners Support Network c/o CRC, 16 Sholebrooke Avenue, Chapelton, Leeds, LS7 3HB earthlibprisoner@mail.com

UK ELP-[redacted] animalearthliberation@bigfoot.com

Vegan Resource Pack- available from PCRM, 5100 Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 404, Washington DC 20016 They can send a packet about vegan nutrition to wardens and prison dieticians.

NIKOS MAZIOTIS RELEASED!

According to comrades from the *Anarchist Bulletin For Counter-Information and Action* in Greece, anarchist Nikos Maziotis, was finally released in mid August, after spending 3.5 years in prison.

LAST MINUTE UPDATES:

Jeff 'Free' Luers was moved on September 18 to Oregon State Penitentiary in Salem from Two Rivers Correctional Institution. His co-defendant Craig 'Critter' Marshall was moved to Pendleton (Eastern Oregon Correctional Institution) two weeks ago. Free's supporters say: *"Is this game of 'Musical Prisons' being played to keep them from receiving consistent mail and visits, to confuse their supporters, to keep them from accomplishing their minimal goals, to stop them from making friends, or to test them out with different jail informants?"* Free's new address: Jeffrey Luers #13797671, OSP, 2605 State St, Salem, OR 97310

ANIMAL RIGHTS ACTIVIST JAILED IN CHILE

On August 30, Carlos Riveros, a 22 year old animal rights activist, was arrested and accused of putting a bomb at the "Health Service" of the city of Valparaiso. A recording sent to a newspaper claimed responsibility for that direct action, as well as another that took place the same night apparently in protest of the city's killing of 100 dogs.

On August 30, his house was searched by detectives who destroyed many of his things, confiscated literature, banners, pamphlets and what they said to be material to build explosives. The charges he is facing are still unclear, but yesterday he was sent to a jury where they notified him that he will be processed by an anti-terrorism law.

Carlos was released shortly afterwards but under "*libertad vigiladd*" (freedom under surveillance). Money is needed to hire a lawyer to represent him. Donations can be sent to:

Carolina Gonzalez, Ruiz Tagle 350, Estación Central
Santiago, Chile.

DESTROYING BARRIERS
By RM

The moment we are brought into this world our rulers- to ensure the present order continues- quickly begin to impose many fears and phobias, morality, religion, language, time, number, art, etc. on our consciousness under the guise of culture. To do so, they hope to divide us within, placing invisible barriers on our emotions, our feral ness, to control how we act and what we say through the use of order and social fear. Destroying barriers is to dismantle all such authority imposed on us by Leviathan. When we attack such limitations psychologically imposed on us, we begin to feel more alive, a hint of what it is to live fully, to live in wild, creative, undomesticated freedom. It is this freedom in which some of us wish to gain, and to do so requires the destruction of the enemy of the wild- the present system. Within this context I have listed those who refused to live their lives as machines, who forged beyond such barriers attacking more fiercely the order of the present system; as such I extend my solidarity. The state may attempt to punish the few who challenge the order, who dare attempt to take back their humanity; but for those of us who want to live free- insurrection is spontaneous, it is wild! and for this very reason those who attempt such control and domestication, who expect the expected will ultimately fail to destroy us. Long live life and love, passion and anger!

Destroying Barriers, POB #127, 12463 Rancho Bernardo Road, San Diego CA, 92128. http://www.geocities.com/malf42

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