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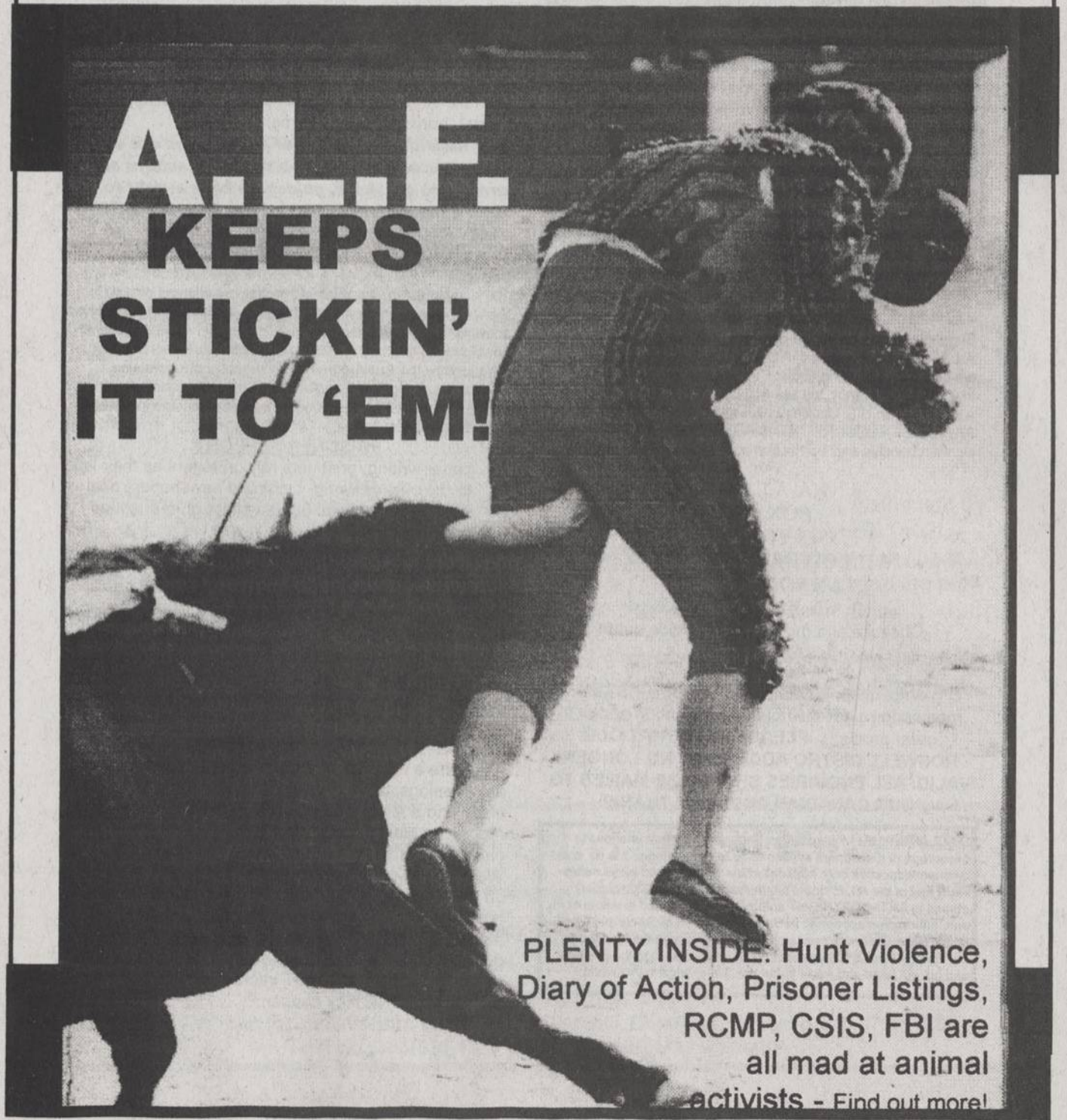
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TO reveal the horror and atrocities committed against animals behind locked doors, by performing non-violent direct actions and liberationist.

TO take all necessary precautions against harming any animal, human and non-human.

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OK folks, just a brief introduction from the desk of yer Editor, before we get dug into the rest of the magazine. Mainly, I wish to take this time to give thanks to everyone out there who has shown such incredible support and generosity, not only to the NA-A.L.F.S.G., but to all the various support campaigns and defense funds currently set up and running in North America. Many of those who have given us support cannot be named, but we'd like to thank a few of you that can — Thanks go out to Darren, Gina, and David for all your efforts, to Catherine and EVERYTHING you've done, to Consolidated and Propaghandi for spreading the word and asking us to table, to the kids in Hamilton, Roach, Nikki, Katie (the new Press Officer), J.P. and other CAFT folk, Who's Emma, No Compromise!, EF!, and everyone who does a zine on Animal Liberation. There are so many more who deserve acknowledgment and I'm sorry you can't all be listed, but you know who you are!

We are at a point in our movement's growth where for the first time a large number of dedicated activists are facing jail time or have already been thrown in prison for their efforts on behalf of the animals. While admittedly, it can be confusing, frustrating and disheartening to see so many warriors taken out of action, your continued support acknowledges the sacrifices they've made and lets others know they will be supported if ever they're caught. Too many times we've seen above ground activists (who should know better) offer their support ONLY if they get something out of it. We've seen activists put their names at the bottom of A.L.F. communiqués sent to the media, happy to get their names known as A.L.F. "Supporters," who then cut loose those same A.L.F. activists once they've been caught, because they're not happy with the activist's trial strategies. We've seen above ground "supporters" spread rumours, undermine support for jailed activists, and outrightly sabotage the efforts of animal liberation activists because they weren't getting their own way — thanks guys, the Feds couldn't do better.

To everyone who has donated to a fund, sent letters of support, put on shows, distributed flyers, attended court cases, made calls to jails, or asked a prisoner, "How can I help you?" — thank you. And to those who have put their freedom and even their very lives on the line to save an animal's life, to destroy machines that torture and kill, who have sabotaged the profits of earth and animal abusers, from the bottom of our hearts — thank you.

Some have ended up in jail, and as likely as not others will join you there in the future, but every liberation, every act of sabotage, brings this battle that much closer to the end, and will spell total liberation for all. Keep on fighting.

Love and Liberation,
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Letters to Underground



INTRODUCING THE PROVISIONAL ALF

We are long-standing Animal Liberation Front activists who have become impatient with the painfully slow progress towards a better world. This lack of progress is due in part, so we believe, to the policy of non-violence pursued for so long by the ALF.

Although we continue to fully support the sacrifices and successes of the ALF - both animal liberation and economic sabotage - we align ourselves firmly with the Animal Rights Militia and Justice Department by feeling that animal abusers should be made to pay directly for their crimes.

We could have acted under the umbrella of the ARM or JD but, having been active within the ALF for so long, are reluctant to deny our roots. We therefore declare ourselves to be the logical radicalisation of the Animal Liberation Front; renouncing non-violence against individuals in common with many other just liberation struggles both past and present. We are the Provisional ALF.

Unlike some areas of the animal liberation movement we do not accept that it is wrong to endanger secretaries and others who may be perceived by some as "innocent". We argue that anyone who profits in any way from animal abuse is as guilty as those who actually perpetrate the obscenities. The abusers at the "sharp end" could not continue in isolation. They shall all pay. None who receives rewards from evil deeds shall be exempt from vengeance until they renounce animal torture.

Our targets will not only be animal abusers and those who profit from their work but also those infiltrators and turncoats who claim to represent the animals while selling them down the river.

To announce our existence we have mailed out hoax devices - video cassette boxes containing packets of cat litter. These packages also contain detailed instruction on constructing a viable incendiary device (copy attached). We intend these hoaxes to act as a warning so that both animal abusers and traitors may have the opportunity to change their ways before our unashamedly violent campaign begins in earnest.

We have designs for many types of devices with capabilities to attack both people and property. Our period of warning will end in April this year. Animal torturers - you still have time to end your abuse of the innocent before it's too late.

We wish the ALF, ARM, JD and all similarly active units continued success. That said, we have torn up the rules. The animals have suffered far too long already... now it's the turn of their tormentors.

The Provisional ALF accepts completely that if non-human animals could fight for themselves then there would have been a lot of dead animal abusers already. We are here to achieve what our non-human comrades cannot achieve for themselves - ANIMAL LIBERATION.

"We cannot wait for the world to turn, for times to change that we might change with them, for the revolution to come and carry us around in the new course. We ourselves are the future. We are the revolution."
(Beatrice Fruteau)

SWEDISH UPDATE

Hi!
I did spend some time in "jail" (about 17 days I think), but now I'm free and fighting. Henrik (the other guy who was caught together with me, was on a Swedish radio show some days ago and had a debate about fur farm liberations/fur farming. A scum called Gsta Larsson, who is "president"(?) for the Swedish fur industry was also there, but he got kicked by both Henrik and an ecologist, who said that liberations of minks aren't bad for the environment etc, so Gsta was all crazy ... The third guy, David, isn't all that good. I heard from Henrik that he had given our names to the police in the hearings, and said that we were the ones who planned everything, so I think he's not gonna get any support if we get to prison. But the police love him, so I also heard that they are going hardest on us two. The support, by the way, has been very good. On the first days we got 72 letters, and that really made me wanna keep fighting. I don't think that it's decided when the trial is gonna be, but I think it's going to be in late April; and all supporter-demos etc is already planned. I and Henrik has also decided to go out to the media, with names and everything and talk about what's happened, and explain about our philosophy. There hasn't really been anything like that before in Sweden, so it is going to be really good, cause the newspapers are always writing stuff like "Oh, how can undemocratic groups like this exist in a democratic country like Sweden?", and always that all minks starve to death and shit like that. I hope it will

turn out good. Well, now I have to go.
Take care, Kristofer

HURRAH SWEDISH ACTIVISTS

First there was the traditional animal welfare organizations in Sweden, then nothing. Nothing ... for a LOOOOONG while. Then, suddenly, on June 16th 1985 the Swedish ALF (Djurens Befrielse Front) carried out the first animal rights action in Sweden. Two "lab" dogs were rescued from a lab in southern Sweden. Action after action took place, but unfortunately the Swedish ALF operated alone.

Late 1994, to our big (but happy) surprise, something happened and it was done by others. Great, there were others operating! In Umea (North Sweden) meat trucks had been set fire to. Of course, the media went crazy. Hour after hour I spent on the phone with the media. They believed it was the Swedish ALF who was behind the action -- well, we were not. More fire attacks were carried out by nameless groups, against meat trucks and slaughterhouses, all in Umea.

We, the Swedish ALF were very happy. Finally, more groups were in business and that would really confuse the police and SAPO (the Security Police). Meanwhile, of course, the Swedish ALF was in business as usual. Work, work and more work. Because of the Umea actions the police had increased their interest in us. Also our enemies began to take and interest in us -- more threats against the Swedish ALF Press Officer over the phone, and an increase in surveillance by whom?

These last years we have seen more new animal rights groups in business. Especially in 1997, with many new groups on the move -- some very serious and dedicated but unfortunately a few less serious when it comes to animal's rights. Hopefully they'll learn. Take note of the ALFs guidelines, specifically "To take all necessary precautions against harming any animal, human and non-humans." There are also ALF groups in Norway and Finland, but as far as we know, not in Denmark.

The Swedish ALF are happy to see new serious groups in business and we wish them good luck. Work hard and stay away from the police. The Swedish ALF will have its 13th birthday in June -- and still no activist in prison.

We wish all imprisoned A/R activists good luck!

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We have always made an effort to support imprisoned animal-rights people all over the world by letters. Lately we haven't been living up to our intentions. Why? Well, animals come first and there has been a lot of work lately. The Press Office and the Supporters Group is run by one person with some extra help by one more. There is not enough time to do all we want to do. We hope you can forgive us and understand. Rest assured, you are not forgotten. Not at all. We wish you good health, success and good luck.

Emilie E:son (Press Officer)

DEATH ROW VEGAN NEEDS LETTERS

Underground,
First of all I want to thank you for sending me your paper. It is very informative and one of the best I have ever read.

I am Buddhist, a vegan and on Death Row in Florida. I am interested in hearing from anyone who is an activist, and who may be able to tell me how to get a proper vegan diet.

Thank you
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LETTER FROM BARRY HORNE

Dear Comrades,

Greetings from England, and a happy new year to one and all. Many thanks to the North American A.L.F.S.G. for the newsletters and all the support over the past 1 1/2 years that I've spent in prison. And many thanks to all the comrades in North America for support, love and solidarity through the long months that have passed. Needless to say, my thoughts and love are with you all. My solidarity with your actions for the animals, and my support for your fight for liberation, is 100%, and it always will be.

As you'll know, I finally came to trial in Nov.'97, on a whole list of charges that have little relation to reality. The main charges against me, and the ones that the police were desperate to convict me of, were for incendiary device attacks allegedly by the ARM on the Isle of Wight in August 1994. Despite the fact there was no direct evidence to link me with these attacks, I was found guilty on all charges and sentenced to 18 years

in jail. To say the trial was a farce would be to understate the case somewhat. The whole point of the prosecution's case seemed to be to blacken my name as much as possible, with the view to convincing the jury that I was a dangerous person with no regards for the safety and lives of the public at large. The judge, for the most part, acted as a second prosecutor. He even directed the jury that because my defense team had failed to indicate who was responsible for the Isle of Wight attacks, it therefore followed that I must be and they should find me guilty accordingly! And they clearly did. In the three weeks between the end of the trial and my sentencing, the police gave numerous interviews to the press in which I was described as all manner of things -- such as "dangerous and ruthless," "a dangerous extremist," and "prepared to kill, having no consideration for innocent members of the public," to name but a few. The press gleefully printed all these things, plus a few that they seem to have made up themselves! Even the probation office, who compiled a pre-sentence report based on one short interview with me, joined in with it all. They produced a report on me that bore little relation to anything I had actually said to them. So it was no surprise when the judge brought the whole sorry process to its inevitable conclusion by sentencing me to 18 years. In fact, the only surprise was that, considering how dangerous I apparently am (!), they didn't immediately order me out the back to be executed by a firing squad!

You may have noticed by now that, despite getting lumbered with 18 years, I'm tending to take it all a bit light-heartedly. And why not, ME, dangerous? I think not. Where are the bodies of the people I have killed? Where are the people I have injured? Where are the innocent members of the public who have been terrorized by any actions I've ever been involved in? There are none. A statement was read on my behalf outside the court building after I was sentenced, it contained the most truthful words about me that had been spoken throughout the whole proceedings. They were that I "had not, and would never, harm anyone." And that is the truth. The police, the security services, and all those who conspired to convict me, know it as well. I will be appealing against a lot of the convictions, and against the sentence. Who knows, maybe a little bit of justice may filter through then.



So, is there anything we can learn from this whole sorry business? Seems to me there is, and it involves the whole Animal Liberation movement in Britain, and quite possibly North America as well. To explain what it all means, I'll give you a few background details to the whole case against me.

In July of 1996, I was arrested in Bristol on an action to firebomb animal abuse stores in the city centre. As always with this type of action, I was using incendiary devices timed to activate around 1am in the morning, when no members of the public would be around and no-one would get hurt. At the time of my arrest, the police themselves issued a statement admitting that the action was obviously an attack on property and not people. As the months went by, the prosecution settled for a number of charges against me of attempted arson with intent to cause criminal damage. All fine and good, I had no problem with that. I indicated my intention to plead guilty to these charges. On sentencing I would then have been looking at a maximum of around 10 years in jail. A date was agreed, in November '96, for me to attend court, plead guilty, and be sentenced. Two days before this court appearance, the prosecution suddenly dropped all theses charges and in their place substituted a whole new set of charges of, basically, endangering peoples safety and lives. These new charges were nonsense, and they knew it. But it meant that I now had no alternative but to plead "not guilty" to all the charges, as they knew I would. It was obvious that a decision had been taken, for political reasons, that I was not to be allowed to "get away with" a 10 year sentence, but that I was to be made an example of. that decision could only have been taken by a person or persons much higher up the ladder then the police or prosecution service. What other explanation could there be, considering that at no time had the police or prosecution indicated any interest in, or desire to, send me down for anything other than attempted criminal damage by arson?

As the saying goes, the rest is history. With a "not guilty" plea entered, it meant that the date of a trial could be delayed for months and months, giving the police and prosecution time to "fit me up" for the Isle of Wight action, and ensure that I would ultimately go down for much longer than 10 years. I believe this was all done under political pressure by those faceless people much higher up the ladder.

In the 6 months or so before my trial, several other people appeared in court on relatively minor charges connected with arrests on demonstrations and suchlike -- the sort of charges that would, in the normal

course of things, result in fines and/or community service orders. Unexpectedly, some of these people were sent down for short prison sentences. One has to wonder why. On January 9 this year, 12 people attended court to answer section 3 and section 4 public order charges in connection with a demonstration at a live export depot. A deal had been struck with the prosecution prior to this, that if all 12 pleaded guilty then only 2 or 3 would be in danger of a short prison sentence, the rest facing fines or something similar. The judge ignored this deal and imprisoned ALL TWELVE of the defendants. Again, one has to wonder why. There have been other unusual events over the last 8-9 months that seem to link in with all this as well, all this sudden hardline sentencing of AR people. And believe me, I think there is a definite link between all these events. When the courts begin displaying bias that is so blatant that it even takes MY breath away (and I thought I'd seen it ALL over the years!), then it can only mean that pressure from "high-up" is being brought to bear on the courts. And that pressure can only originate from one source - big business animal abusers.

Over the last year in Britain, we have enjoyed a definite and unprecedented upturn in activity against animal abuse. New tactics have been used and found to be effective, the commitment of our people has been heightened to new and unseen-before levels. Not just with the "front line" activists, but with the Animal Rights movement as a whole. The result of all this has been that many areas of animal abuse are under attack as never before. As a movement, we have advanced as the abusers have retreated, and all of this new activity has hit the profits of the abusers and had them running scared. So, I believe that the big business animal abusers have pressured the British government into doing something about it. the orders have been passed down to the courts to slow us down by imprisoning people on the smallest pretext, and (of course) handing out a record sentence to me as an attempt at a deterrent to other people.

So, who are these big business animal abusers? They're the multinationals who operate in many countries of the world, and in many cases, in both Britain and North America. For Animal Rights and Animal Liberation, things are going well in North America, as I read all the time in publications such as *Underground* and in letters I receive. If its not already happening there, then how much longer before you encounter a similar situation to us in Britain? A situation where the courts are pressured, on behalf of big business animal abusers, into "slowing" you down? Not long, I would think.

I could say a lot more about this, but I'm sure you get the message. Obviously this is all a theory of mine, I have no proof, so I may be wrong -- but I don't think so. Britain in 1998, since the "New Labour" government took office, is increasingly big business oriented at the expense of the working class and those on the lower rings of society. Nothing is too much trouble where the rich and powerful are concerned, with New Labour bending over backwards to protect their interests. By comparison, New Labour have shown time and time again that the interests of the animals come nowhere when profit is at stake. They've even admitted this, so we should be under no illusions about that. Bearing that in mind, it becomes all too easy to see that New Labour would not hesitate to stifle opposition to their big business friends by instructing the courts accordingly. WE are that opposition, and we are now under attack because of our successes against the animal abusers.

So what should our answer be to all this? Seems to me there is only the one answer. The strength of Animal Liberation is that we never give up. We go on and on until we wear down our opponents, wearing down their resistance until they give in. We must now continue to do just that. The strategy of defeating us by imprisoning all and any can only work if we let it. The Animal Liberation movement is made of better stuff than that though. Keep on fighting brothers and sisters, wear down their resistance as never before. Show them that we can not be defeated, and we will not be intimidated. Sooner or later this current strategy by our enemies will collapse as all of their previous strategies have done. Until then, and until ALL animals are free, we continue, we fight on, we do not surrender!

Take good care my brothers and sisters, in love and solidarity I send my thoughts to you. One day we shall all be free, and this world shall be one of justice and peace. This will be our achievement for we shall succeed, never doubt it.
For the cause,

Barry Horne

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NEWS BRIEFS

CSIS IS WATCHING

Canada's spy agency, The Canadian Security Intelligence Service (CSIS)is trying to keep a close eye on radical animal liberation activists.

CSIS is responsible for advising the government or police of security threats, including the possibility of political violence, sabotage of vital property, foreign espionage and subversion of "democratic" institutions.

Recently released documents reveal how CSIS sees the potential for "serious violence" by animal-rights activists as "a threat to the security of Canada." It is believed to be the first explicit indication from the intelligence service that it believes some militant animal-rights activists are potential political terrorists.

David Harris, a former director of strategic planning for CSIS, says, "I'm confident that CSIS has an active animal rights-related program under way. Certainly the service is very interested, to put it mildly."

The evidence of CSIS's concern comes in the wake of bombings at BioChem Pharma Inc. in Laval, Que., that might be linked to the company's use of rodents in drug and vaccine testing.

In the last five years, Canadian activists have released animals from farms and laboratories, claimed to have contaminated meat and food tested on animals and sent a bomb to a genetics laboratory.

A July memo prepared by the service addresses the "potential for serious violence related to animal-rights extremism. The activities of this subject of investigation may on reasonable grounds be suspected of constituting a threat to the security of Canada ..."

JOSH ELLERMAN UPDATE

U.S. District Senior Judge J. Thomas Greene issued that ruling in denying a motion to dismiss the federal charges against Douglas Joshua Ellerman. Ellerman, 19, was indicted last year on 16 counts of using destructive devices (pipe bombs) to destroy the co-op and delivery vehicles at 8700 S. 700 West on March 11, 1997. The Animal Liberation Front claimed responsibility for the bombing. Authorities contend Ellerman was a member of that organization.

Defense attorney Ronald Y. Yengich asked Greene in December to dismiss the charges, arguing that a criminal act must substantially affect interstate commerce to be subject to federal prosecution. According to Yengich, the U.S. Supreme Court in recent rulings "stepped back" from interpretations that allowed a broad application of the Interstate Commerce Act.

U.S. Attorney David J. Schwendiman insisted federal charges were appropriate because the co-op served mink farmers in Idaho and Utah, traded extensively with out-of-state feed producers and distributed mink furs throughout the nation with a fleet of long-haul trucks, some of which were destroyed by the bombs.

The issue is important to Ellerman because if he's convicted under federal law, he could be sentenced to life in prison.

The March 11 (1997) bombing was one of a rash of attacks by animal-rights activists in Utah beginning in 1995. More than 40 incidents of broken windows, vandalism and arson fires followed.

CAVEL WEST LAND SOLD - A.L.F. VICTORY!

The Cavel West Slaughterhouse which was recently burned to the ground by underground animal and earth liberationists has been sold. According to media sources the zoning regulations prohibit any slaughterhouse from being built on that property. What this means is that the Animal Liberation Front, in burning down the slaughterhouse causing $1 million in damages, shut that slaughterhouse completely down and prevented another from being built in its place.

NYC FURRIER JAILED FOR DEATH THREATS AGAINST DALLAS FUR GROUP

NEW YORK: A New York City furrier and board member of a prominent fur trade organization was arrested for making death threats against a representative of a Dallas-based anti-fur group.

J.P. Goodwin, director of CAFT, said his office has been vandalized twice in the past 2 years, and he and another Dallas activist sued Neiman Marcus after the store's security attacked them sending the other activist to the hospital with a concussion last October.

Goodwin said he was not surprised to hear about the threats, noting that "an industry that gasses, elec-

trocutes and breaks the necks of animals certainly wouldn't have qualms about making death threats."

Police nabbed Fur New York treasurer Steve Cowit after an undercover operation found Cowit was making threatening phone calls to Mike Nicosia, a Long Island representative of the Coalition to Abolish the Fur Trade, based in Dallas.

Cowit, who was arrested on Aggravated Harassment charges, also works for Henry Cowit Furs, a major NYC fur manufacturer, whose retail division, Madison Avenue Furs, has annual sales estimated at about $2.5 million.

Nicosia said he alerted police after he began receiving death threats months ago. Cowit apparently was making the calls from a pay phone, and was arrested Thursday morning when police caught him making one of the calls to Nicosia.

JILL PHIPPS DAY

A variety of events were held in memory of Jill Phipps, a dedicated animal liberation activist, killed three years ago during a live export demonstration.

The day started of in Reddich where the live exporter Woods lives. The police blocked off the road leading to his house and were out in force though hidden from view. There was about 100 to 150 people there including some Hare Krishnas. There was a march through the town intending to go to his house, but the police would only let a few people through at a time to lay flowers. There were a few scuffles with the police being heavy handed. Two people were arrested and one was seen being punched by a copper while in custody.

At 2.30 people left to go to Guilders, another live exporter, for a second demonstration. There was a heavy police presence there with a helicopter out in full. A short prayer and silence was held for Jill.

Finally people returned to Reddich to pay a surprise visit on a huge turkey/poultry farm there. This time the police were behind and the protestors managed to close the area down and got a huge response from the filth with a helicopter and many police called there to deal with it. There was a lot of anger as at a previous demo one of the owners threatened the 10 year old daughter of a protestor with explicit detail of the sexual acts he was going to do to her and her mother. When a complaint was made to the police they refused to do anything about it. A worker was also said to have boasted in the pub that he put cigarettes out in the eyes of turkeys.

On the night a worker was seen carrying around a baseball bat, and the son of the owner came out to taunt the protestors but was escorted away by the police for his own safety. A few nice spits landed on him.

ANTI-FUR VICTORY IN AUSTRIA

Feb/98

It's official: the provincial government of Lower Austria, Austria, had a vote on banning fur farming. The vote went UNANIMOUSLY AGAINST fur farming. Hence, Lower Austria is now the next province banning fur farming outright, and Austria is now fur farm free. It remains to be seen whether the last Austrian fur farm can do their ugly business this year for the last time, or whether it has to close down immediately.

5 long years of intense campaigning are over. The Austrian ar movement has managed to finish off the fur farming business starting from scratch (with a couple of hundred fur farms in the 1970s, to 43 when the campaign started in earnest, to a complete ban 5 years later). However, a number of fur shops still operate in Austria, and the fur trade is still active here, although it is completely illegal to produce fur in Austria at all now.

15 ARRESTS IN CAT FARM PROTEST

Feb 22/98

Anti-vivisection campaigners tore down metal fencing around a cat breading farm in Oxfordshire and clashed with mounted police as over a dozen people were arrested. In the largest demonstration so far at Hillgrove Farm, near Witney, around 600 protesters, many disguised in balaclava helmets, tried to break in to free kittens. At least 280 officers with riot shields, backed up by tracker dogs and a helicopter, prevented animal rights activists from reaching the buildings. There were no injuries reported. Hillgrove, which has bred cats for medical research for nearly 30 years, has become a national focus for protests. Protecting the farm has cost Thames Valley Police $8,000,000.

The demonstration began peacefully, with families singing and holding placards showing cats being dissected. The site around the farm's perimeter was cordoned off, and those entering were searched for weapons. As mounted police rode in to stop protesters from pulling down fence, rocks were thrown Sergeant Helen Roberts said "We have a duty to protect the property and the farmer's family from these activities." The farms owner, Christopher Brown, called the protesters an "anarchic mob" who enjoyed causing trouble. He was also one of several targets for hoax bombs sent by a splinter section of the Animal Liberation Front.

An ALF spokesman said: "We are trying to stop them from breeding

animals for vivisection. Anyone who saw these cats during the experiments would be horrified." Those arrests were for alleged criminal damage and public order offenses.

GANDALF THREE FREED

from: SchNEWSflash 31/3/98

In a shock move on Friday lunchtime (27/3/98) the GANDALF 3, Saxon Wood, Noel Molland & Steve Booth were told they could pack their bags and were free to go. Their lawyers had put in a standard bail application to push for an appeal date [still unknown]. Mr Justice Sedley signed the papers for their immediate release after they'd served four and a half months of a three year sentence.

The three UK editors were jailed for reporting the facts of direct action protests. They were sentenced under a catch-all 'conspiracy' law and found guilty of inciting 'persons unknown' by disseminating environmental and animal rights literature over a five year period - akin to a gagging order on journalists working in similar fields. This clear case of denial of free speech was not lost on *Index on Censorship* which reprints samples of the 'offending' copy, from the radical journal *Green Anarchist* (GA) and the Animal Liberation Front (ALF) supporters newsletter, on its website.

The move has led to hope that their convictions may be quashed. In the meantime, the trial on the same charges of Robin Webb with possibly Paul Rogers is going ahead, starting on 27th April at Portsmouth Crown Court. A demonstration will be taking place outside the court on the first day of the trial (Mon 27th Apr, 10am, Winston Churchill Plaza).

Steve Booth told *SchNEWS*:

"When I was told I could go the lads in the cells were cheering. People inside have a defeatist attitude - but this time it was like 'Yes! You've fought the system!'. I'm completely shocked and stunned by the whole thing. The guard said he'd never heard of this happening before. We've heard a rumour that the reason we've been let out was Amnesty in the US was about to list us as political prisoners."

"I went into prison with bar of soap, biro and toothpaste. I came out with four huge binbags of letters and books - I couldn't carry them! It shows that the campaign must have been having some success. It's not over yet. We don't know when the appeal is and its even possible there'll be a retrial. We can't let them get away with this. The conspiracy law is so bad, it's a licence to nick people. I was disappointed at lack of coverage of the case in the mainstream. Absolutely pathetic. The grassroots came through with the goods - and thank goodness for the internet."

"They've not heard the last from me - jail is no deterrent. Don't do it folks! The next *Lancaster Bomber,* Issue 20, will be out as soon as I can do it! Thanks for all the support, letters and books. It really cheered me up and helped me through it all. "

Saxon Wood told *SchNEWS*: "It's very bizarre being out. I went clubbing on Saturday which startled a few friends who thought I was still locked up. I think it had become too much of a hot potato - so thanks to *SchNEWS* and everyone who supported me. I'm writing lots of thankyou notes - if anyone needs a spare organ they can have one of mine! Public pressure what goes us out."

Noel Molland told *SchNEWS:* "Within half an hour of being told I was standing outside the prison gates, totally stunned and amazed. The first person I phoned burst into tears. "Prison was not hard, just dull and boring. My main hassle was three neo-nazi skinheads singing: `You're Red, you're Scum, you're public enemy Number One!' I had around two hundred supporters and I'd like to say thanks to all - it was really appreciated. Although we are physically out there are other people inside who would also appreciate letters of support. ...Maybe our release is the whole case starting to unravel and hopefully Robin will walk."

The freed men will now join the Liberation Tour, a speaking tour of the two outstanding defendants, Paul & Robin.

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ANIMAL RIGHTS GROUP FILES MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR SUIT AGAINST POLICE

March 31/98
A civil rights action was filed in federal court on behalf of the Animal Defense League, charging the Syracuse police department with multiple violations of their constitutionally protected rights.

For more than 2 years, the Syracuse police deliberately and systematically interfered with the activists ability to protest animal abuse by harassing them, subjecting them to unreasonable search and seizure, false arrest, and denying them their rights to free speech and due process.

"This suit is our way of saying that we will not let the Syracuse police trample the rights of activists in our area", states activist Sean White. "There are animals being exploited in our society and we cannot waste any more time sitting in jail cells on trumped-up charges."

The suit, which is being filed by Richard Marris, of Marris and Bartholomae in Syracuse, will ask for damages of $1 million dollars for the ADL, $500,000 for each activist wrongfully arrested and $100,000 for each activist subjected to police misconduct.

DEATH ON THE HUNT

ENGLAND A Huntsman died on the Chiddingfold, Lecontree and Cowdry hunt on Monday 2nd February after falling from his horse and suffering head injuries. The police helicopter had to be called out in order to air lift him from a field. Michael Taylor (60) from Surrey was a former master of the Surrey Union hunt.
The hunts were out again two days later and a minutes silence was observed for Mr Taylor.
What can One say! What goes around comes around.

FOUR CHARGED OVER CHICKEN DEATHS

feb98, AUSTRALIA THE deaths of about 2000 chickens in sweltering heat in one day at a poultry factory has led to the first animal cruelty prosecution under the chicken industry code of practice.

Georgina Sabaliotis and Andrew, Anna and Anastasious Christopolous, proprietors of the Adelaide Poultry Service at Wingfield, are charged with handling poultry at a slaughterhouse in a manner which failed to comply with the model code of practice for the welfare of animals at slaughtering establishments.

The allegations forming the basis of the charges, which are being prosecuted by the RSPCA, include that they failed to:

PROVIDE protection from direct sunlight, radiant and reflective heat and adverse weather.
ENCLOSE the shackling areas adequately.
PROVIDE a cool holding area.
The model code of practice states that holding areas should be cooled with strategically placed fans, fine water-misting sprays, water reticulated over the roof cover areas or blinds or tarpaulins hung from the roof.

It is alleged birds were dying from heat exhaustion in cramped crates between January 13 and February 23 last year, while a large number died in one day when the temperature reached about 40C.

The alleged regulation breaches were discovered by the South Australian branch of Animal Liberation, which said it had had the Wingfield slaughterhouse under observation for several weeks after a tip-off by industry sources.

MOVE PRISONER DIES IN PRISON

On March 13th, Merle Africa died in Cambridge Springs prison in Pennsylvania, of "natural causes." Although Ramona Africa of the MOVE family said that Merle was a physically & mentally strong 40 year-old woman, no other explanation was given for her death. The first reports said she died of tumours, but that was changed to natural causes. Merle had a stomach virus, but it is not known for how long. Although she felt ill, she was said to be still very strong.
On March 13th, her cellmate says she alerted prison officials that Merle was sick; her pulse was still very strong, & she was breathing well. The prison doctors removed Merle's cellmate. After 40 minutes, a CPR crew arrived; within minutes they came out & said that Merle was dead.

Merle Africa was a strong-minded & strong-bodied woman. She had done 7 hunger strikes, as long as 40 days, & was still doing pushups late into the hunger strikes. She was known to run 5 miles a day and, in keeping with MOVE beliefs, to eat well, & to be very careful of her health. It is very suspicious that she would die like this.

EARTH LIBERATION PRISONERS WEB PAGE
Check out the E.L.P. - a prisoner listings publication SPIRIT OF FREEDOM, now online at the Earth Liberation Prisoners Web Page
(http://www.geocities.com/RainForest/3081/elf.html)

2 Courageous Activists Under Fire

GINA LYNN



A year ago, we reported on the harassment experienced by activists in Canada. David Barbarash and Darren Thurston have, over the past three years, undergone intense police scrutiny, including foot, vehicle and aerial surveillance; monitoring devices placed in both vehicles and homes; had thousands of email, fax and voice communications intercepted; and had vast amounts of files and property seized in raids. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) even surreptitiously seized my truck under false pretences to place a bug.

The RCMP had named Darren and David as their prime targets in their investigation of four mail bombs sent to racists and a geneticist in 1995, and razor blade booby trap letters sent to 27 guide outfitters in 1995-96. The mail bombs were claimed by the Militant Direct Action Task Force and the razor blade letters by the Justice Dept.

On March 20, 1997, almost immediately after listening devices were found in and removed from my truck and the apartment Darren and I were living in, the RCMP executed five search warrants on the homes of Darren and David, as well as other places where some of their belongings were stored. Tons of property was seized under the guise that it may be relevant to their investigation.

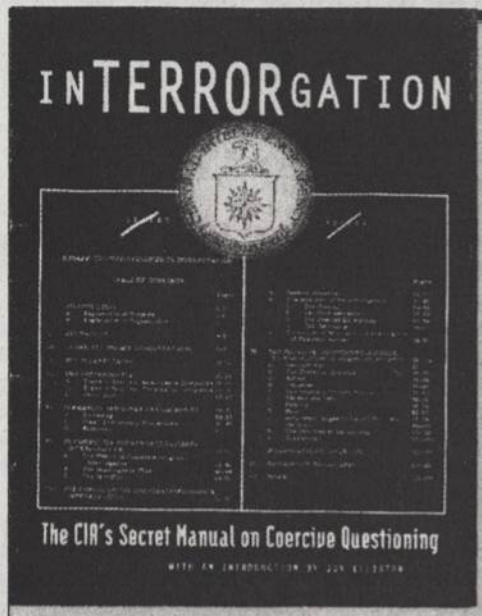
Since then, the Crown has successfully applied to further detain the seized property several times. We have opposed their applications and, over time, had a few items returned. In the meantime, these unscrupulous federal agents have unveiled an arsenal of dirty tricks in their attempt to destroy these freedom fighters.

The RCMP have now laid charges against both men in relation to the Justice Dept. actions, as well as a couple more resulting from the raids. One year had passed since their property was seized, during which time the Crown, on two occasions, had successfully applied to further detain it all (save a few items). On March 19, 1998 the feds had to make a choice whether to fight in B.C. Supreme Court to continue to keep it all, which they probably would have lost, or to lay charges. They chose the latter.

Last summer, they launched a media smear campaign by making the information used to obtain the search warrants available to a slimy reporter who could be counted on to paint an inaccurate picture of non-violent activists as "violent terrorists" which will surely taint a potential jury pool in the event of a trial. The headlines read, "Stalked by Eco-Bombers," and Barry Clausen, infiltrator, was interviewed on the radio as a self-appointed "expert on domestic terrorism."

Since that first media onslaught (not the first in the overall media disinformation campaign) since the raids, a sealing order was sought and successfully obtained by lawyers for Darren and David. After charges were laid in late March the media attack began anew. Now both the Vancouver Sun and Province will be brought to court to answer to contempt of court charges.

The National Security Investigative Section (NSIS) and the Canadian Security and Intelligence Service (CSIS) have both contacted and visited dozens of people (some numerous times) across Canada, probably the United States, and also England to question friends and associates of Darren and David. They have attempted to coerce activists



An inside look at how the government uses coercive techniques to break resistance during interrorgations.

This is a verbatim reproduction of the CIA's "Counterintelligence Interrorgation" manual (128 pages), declassified in January 1997, published by ParaScope Inc.A must read for anyone who may one day find themselves being questioned by police or Federal authorities.

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to turn against their peers by making up ridiculous stories that would get anyone else sued for defamation.

On June 16, Warren Leigh Ryan, head investigator on the case, sunk to new lows in his disgusting, twisted and pathetic attempts to destroy the lives of Darren, David and anyone close to them. He came to our apartment and told me that Darren killed my dog - my precious Whiskey, who died the day after the raid on our home while I was in California - and that they have it on tape (um, yeah, Darren spent two years in prison for freeing cats from a lab but he beats dogs.....whatever).

He was clearly trying to get me to turn against Darren and make statements as he insisted that I come down to Headquarters to listen to the tape for my "own benefit". Shortly after this visit, our lawyer attempted to get a copy of this tape but, since it obviously doesn't exist, it was never made available.

I entertained this demented excuse for a human being much longer than I should have and I hope that this is a lesson to all about what not to do. When cops are at your door, do NOT open it PERIOD! No matter how nice they seem and no matter how innocent their line of questioning is and no matter how close to your heart the topic they bring up is, don't let yourself get sucked in! Tell them IMMEDIATELY to contact your lawyer and say NOTHING more.

Later on, in September, I was kicked out of Canada because of my criminal record back home in California (for protest-related trespassing). I guess when Leigh's sick little story about Whiskey didn't succeed in splitting Darren and me up, they decided to take the easiest and most brutal measure: selectively use the law in an attempt to remove me from the picture.

In October, Darren attempted to visit England where he was supposed to testify in the GandALF trial, as mandated and approved by the court, but was denied entry. Reportedly, the RCMP told British authorities there that he had outstanding weapons charges, which is ridiculous as he has never had any weapons related violations nor did he have any outstanding charges at all.



On January 28 of this year, Darren was visiting me in California and was arrested at gunpoint by at least 15 thugs from Immigration and Naturalization Services (INS), FBI and the Anaheim Police Department. After being searched, he was immediately taken to the Public Library where they had a command post set up and about 20 more federal agents in suits waiting for him. There, he was shackled and caravanned to LA to be processed as an "undesirable alien".

Darren was held in custody for about 2 weeks without bail based on his "criminal" convictions in Canada (freeing cats from a lab and burning meat trucks 5 years ago). During his deportation hearing, the DA said that he was being investigated by the FBI as a "threat to national security" but she wasn't sure why. That wasn't good enough for the judge - she issued him a "voluntary departure order", which is not as bad as the deportation we feared would be ordered. Darren was escorted by INS officers to a plane bound for Canada, with no opportunity for goodbyes, on February 7th.



David was arrested on March 27, 1998 on a warrant sworn out on the one year anniversary of the raids, and spent 23 hours in jail awaiting paperwork that should have taken no longer than a few hours. Darren arrived back in Vancouver and turned himself in a couple days later. They are jointly charged with 27 counts of "sending an explosive or dangerous thing in the mail". David is additionally charged with "possession of an explosive substance" and "possession of a prohibited weapon" (stun gun). Darren is additionally charged with "impersonation". No charges have been laid in connection with the mail bombs.

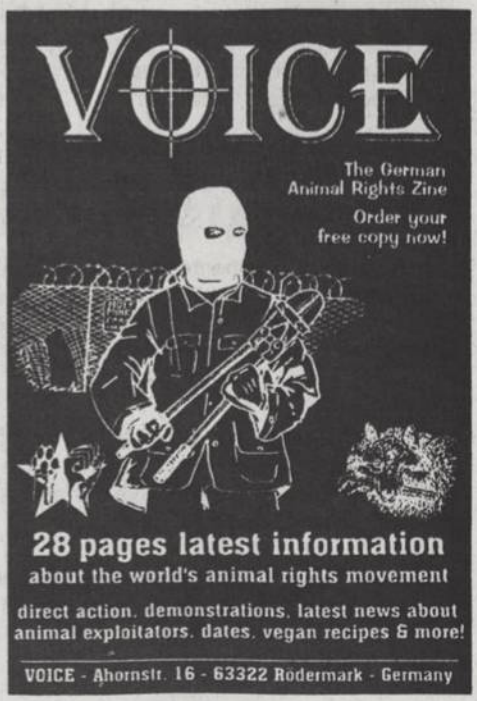
Both have been released on bail on their own recognizance with strict conditions - they are not allowed to leave B.C., had to surrender their passports, are not allowed to have contact with each other and must report to RCMP headquarters once a week. Any violation means being sent back to jail to face a harder bail hearing, and they can also be sued for $10,000.

David will be proceeding, on April 16 in B.C. Supreme Court, with a motion to quash the search warrants.

The increasingly uphill battle just got a little steeper. But Darren and David are not your everyday activists - they are lifelong soldiers, they are tough, and they will march on and overcome whatever ordeal is put before them. That is just one of the many qualities that makes them special to those who know and love them and invaluable as advocates for the animals and the environment.

Please support our fellow warriors during this most trying time. Send letters of support and donations for their legal defense *(earmarked "for Darren and David")* to:

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INTRODUCING:

THE NORTH AMERICAN A.L.F. PRESS OFFICE



Since the recent formation of the North American ALF Press Office, things have been very busy! The first media interview for the Press Office was to explain a bomb hoax in Rochester, New York. Channel 9 (24 hour cable news show) and channel 13 conducted phone interviews. The bomb hoax was a pipe bomb with the initials "ALF" spraypainted on it and left in a county park. A warning was also sent to the County Park Supervisor. The park is considering a deer bait and shoot massacre. The Press Officer highlighted the fact that no one was injured (or even close to being injured) in the hoax, and therefore fell within ALF guidelines.

Many students and reporters have been in contact for general ALF information and future news stories, because word is spreading fast about the Press Office. You can certainly help by passing on our address etc. to everyone you know. Also, check out our web page at the always exciting Frontline Information Service!

Be sure to tune into the Toronto based animal rights show "Animal Views" on Thur. April 16, 1998 at 10:30am Eastern time. The Press Officer will be interviewed about the ALF. Previous guests include Rod Coronado and the NA A.L.F. Supporters Group. Remember that you are the eyes and ears of the movement, so whenever you see the Press Officer speaking, be sure tape any interviews and send any news clippings to the Press Office, (don't worry, you will be reimbursed for expenses.)

Currently, a Press Office leaflet is in the works, and we are raising funds for buying a computer (in preparation for all those wonderful actions taking place in North America!) Much, much more to come, as the Press Officer is on call 24 hours a day.

Finally, this is the time to renew your support of direct action for the animals. Remember that the animals, ALF, and prisoners are counting on each of us to stay strong in support of direct action, especially when it's easier not to. You know that the ALF works, you know it's the right thing to do.

Katie Fedor
NA-A.L.F. PRESS OFFICER

What does the Press Office Do?

Similar to the ALF Press Office (UK), the NA-ALF Press Office has several basic functions, all of which are designed to explain why the A.L.F. carries out actions, how it does, and how non-human animals are treated by our species.

Any anonymous information received by the press Office which details ALF-style actions will be communicated to the media. The Press Office will be available as part of the network of contacts for the media, able to confirm actions that fall within ALF policy and explaining the suffering that necessitates such actions.

The Press Officer, as a public face for the A.L.F. is available for interviews, phone-ins, news reports, etc. The group is 100% volunteer run. Any reporters or interested parties may contact the NA-ALF Press Office at:

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READING THE LABEL

IN TODAY'S WAR AGAINST PEOPLE, THE EARTH AND THE ANIMALS, JUST WHO ARE THE TERRORISTS?

by A.L.F. Information Services

In the 45 day 1990 Gulf War, the U.S. military and allied forces bombed Iraq with an estimated 40,000 tons of explosives killing an estimated 200,000 Iraqi citizens including women and children and other innocent civilians hiding in bomb shelters. In 1994, agents from the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (BATF) and the F.B.I. using U.S. manufactured CS gas and other military hardware burned down a religious community in Waco, Texas killing 86 people including 24 children. And in the southern Arizona desert, employees of Raytheon Corporation, one of America's top three bomb factories, recorded record-breaking profits in 1997 assembling $750,000 Tomahawk missiles which once again are threatened to be used against Iraq in a U.S. military recommended 4-day round-the-clock bombing campaign.

These are just a few examples of the duplicity of U.S. government policy that labels the use of deadly force against innocent women, men and children by its own police and military equipped with U.S. manufactured explosives as legally-sanctioned and justified activity while calling the isolated use of homemade explosives against property, not people used in the death and destruction of innocent life as "terrorist activity" punishable with decades in prison. Not one soldier or policeman responsible for the indisputable death forementioned has or will spend a day in prison, on the contrary some of those responsible have received promotions and been recognized for their "valor" with one U.S. Gulf War veteran using his military training to bring human death and destruction to the Oklahoma City Federal Building in 1995. Somehow, we are supposed to believe that U.S. government sanctioned murder is not a crime punishable with prison while the strategic targeting of inanimate objects intended for life's destruction for economic gain is.

March 11, 1997 Sandy, Utah; In the early morning hours, a series of small explosions destroy tractor-trailers and administrative offices at the Utah Fur-Breeders Co-operative injuring no one, but causing over $1 million in damages in a courageous attack on the nerve center of Utah's fur farm industry. The Fur-Breeders supplies Utah's fur farms, which comprise the nation's largest captive-bred mink pelt trade killing over 300,000 animals a year for the luxury fur trade. The Fur-Breeders also serves as one of the U.S. fur farm industry's last remaining research facilities which develop the scientific diets necessary for the domestication of a wild North American predator, the mink, and to create the fur quality that will guarantee millions in profits to the U.S.'s 500 fur farms. It was in Utah in the 1920's that fur trappers first captured live wild mink and began to raise them in captivity for their fur.

When Josh stands before his sentencing judge in May, his action will be called extreme and it was, but it was an extreme response to an even more extreme crime, the rape, commodification and harnessing of a life force that no human has a right to extort or demand from our peaceable animal sisters and brothers.

The Fur-Breeders bombing was a successful attempt to sabotage an industry's efforts to transform one of this nation's last remaining wild predators into a factory farmable fur machine with no consideration or regard to the physical and psychological torture they will endure to produce a product no on really needs. The bombing also represents the first U.S. action by animal liberationists using explosives to strike a long-time target of animal defenders on this continent, the fur trade which for the last 400-plus years has delivered devastation and extinction to wildlife with full U.S. government cooperation and assistance.

Unlike the U.S. government's aforementioned slaughter of innocent people, 19yr. old Josh Ellerman who has pled guilty to the Fur-Breeders action was not motivated by a willingness to use deadly force to secure an economic monopoly or political power and control. Josh's action was motivated by a desire to end the commercial exploitation and senseless suffering of an animal species whose only crime was to be born with a fur coat that some humans believe appears more attractively on their own backs rather than on that of its original owner. Growing up in Utah, Josh probably saw mink in their natural environment and maybe even saw the escaped mink from the Fur-Breeders who have taken up residence in the creek that passes behind the Co-operative. Josh's brave action was motivated by something the U.S. government has failed to understand despite generations of resistance against its destruction and taming of the natural world in North America, that is a great feeling of love, compassion and empathy for the other-than-human life we share earth with.

When Josh stands before his sentencing judge in May, his action will be called extreme and it was, but it was an extreme response to an even more extreme crime, the rape, commodification and harnessing of a life force that no human has a right to extort or demand from our peaceable animal sisters and brothers. Josh simply is the first warrior of our time who was willing to risk and pay the ultimate price to launch an opening salvo that must ultimately end the war against nature that the fur industry has waged on the animal nations for centuries. Josh represents America's new generation of youth who believe differently from their forefathers, who themselves believe it is time we ended the war on wildlife waged by the fur trade. Unlike the mass of people his age lost in their own self-centered existence, Josh was willing to sacrifice his own freedom to achieve peace for the mink nation. For his action, Josh faces a mandatory minimum of 35 years in prison due to his use of an "unregistered explosive device" and as a result of recently legislated "anti-terrorism" laws which mandate life imprisonment and the death penalty for the use of explosives which the U.S. government only allows if you wear their uniform and represent their own selfish interests.

Though the Fur-Breeders bombing has been labelled by the U.S. government as a terrorist act, we must remember that historically so have the actions of runaway slaves, indigenous warriors and others brave enough to thwart violent acts of war waged by the U.S. government against the earth and her people. Terrorism is simply a convenient buzzword long used by those most guilty of its committance to cast a dark shadow over those whose only goal is true freedom from oppression. It was not Africans who chose to be slaves, it was not the indigenous peoples of this continent who chose to have their lands stolen and it was not all animalkind and the natural world that volunteered to abandon their pursuit of peaceful existence and ecological worth to serve the greed of the U.S. power structure and its ruling classes. It was the U.S. government that first sanctioned such activity and began the war against the people of the world and all animal life and the earth we all live on that continues today. And though our actions may be criminal in the government's eyes, they are not in the perspective of those who choose to preserve our planets life nor are they even extreme when compared to the much greater acts of violence which they aim to prevent.

The bombing of the Fur-Breeders was a just act of defense in an attempt to maintain the resistance to economic practices that continue to spell danger for earth and continue the war against animals and nature. The actions of Josh Ellerman in Utah are simply the latest in a battle that must continue if we are to carry the torch of resistance that many have died for in this country and many continue to die for in other countries. Aggressive defense of the natural world that targets the fur industry in this country is nothing new, just ask the descendants of the Plains Indians whose ancestors went to war against the U.S. government and buffalo hide-hunters who exterminated the great buffalo culture that existed in this country a little over a hundred years ago. In their day, those warriors too were accused of terrorizing the "law-abiding" interests of U.S. citizens and industry but now we see them as the heroes that they were. The question that Josh's action demands an answer to is whether we as 21st Century generational warriors can do our part to ensure that such a resistance survives in our own time with its own increasingly repressive climate towards the same undying resistance.

Victory against the fur trade is a possibility. Already in Britain a multi-faceted strategy including A.L.F.-type direct action has forced that country's fur farmers closer to their final days of operation, but here in the U.S. where a large percentage of the world fur markets pelts come from we still have our work cut out for us before we can see such a victory on the horizon. The A.L.F.'s direct action campaign against the fur trade has proven the success of guerilla tactics. Operation Bite Back's attacks against the research and development wing of the fur farm industry in 1991-92 was just the beginning of our movement's renewed assault against an old enemy. The A.L.F.'s mink liberation campaign as phase two of OBB that began in 1995 has since pushed many a fur farmer to the brink of bankruptcy while giving tens of thousands of mink the opportunity of freedom in their natural environment. The Fur-Breeders action was also an important strike in the continuing campaign against a vulnerable industry

UPDATE ON FRANK ALLEN

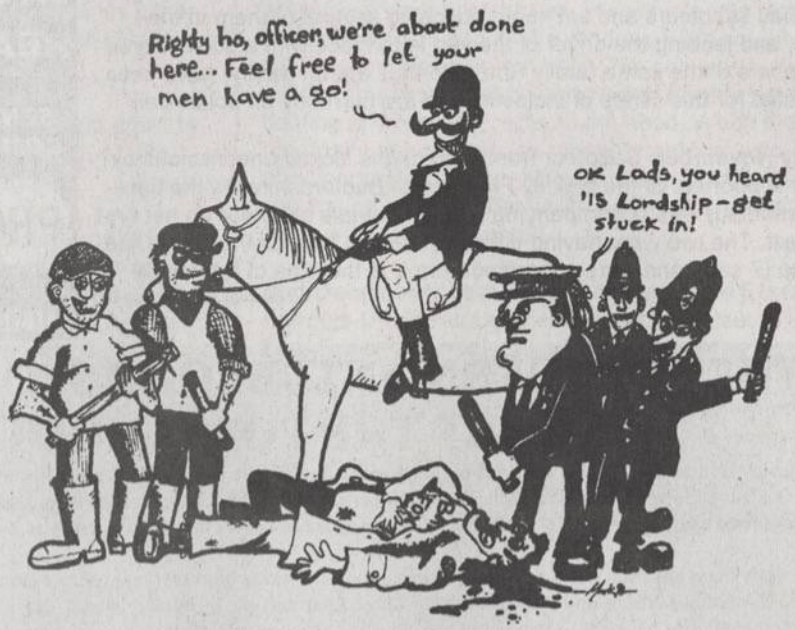
Frank Allen, a southern California animal liberation activist, was arrested on September 13th 1998. He was charged with the attempted arson of a high school slaughterhouse in Mission Viejo, California. Students at this high school receive extra credit in a 4-H program which includes watching their teacher slaughter cows.

After serving five days in Orange County Jail, Frank was released on $50,000 bail. He then pled guilty on January 8th, and was subsequently sentenced on April 2nd to 90 days of "psychiatric evaluation" at Ohino State Prison.

Frank surrendered to prison on Thursday, April 9th to begin his sentence. At the end of the 90 day term Frank will be re-evaluated by the judge to determine whether he is suitably "remorseful" and ready to be released.

THE EVIDENCE OF ESCALATING HUNT VIOLENCE

Here follows a brief summary of some of the more serious attacks on hunt saboteurs so far this season in the United Kingdom:



Late August 1997: Saboteur Neil B from Dorchester visited at home by Portman FH terrierman Nick Stephens who tried to kick the front door down, warning the saboteur that if he or any of his group try to disrupt Stephens' hunt, they will pay for it. Issued threats to kill Neil, his wife and their pets. Reported to police - no formal action taken by police.

Early September: Nick Stephens (as above)attacks the Dorset sabs' transit van with a pickaxe handle while at the Portman FH, trying to smash the bodywork and windows. Foresight on the sabs part meant that the windows were grilled with mesh, stopping the glass from shattering. However, the van was damaged in an ensuing chase as Stephens tried to ram the van off the road, driving recklessly without lights at night, and then with full beam lights to blind the driver. A 999 call to police elicited no response from Dorset Constabulary.

Early September: A single saboteur out trying to stop the Western FH from killing fox cubs in Western Cornwall was attacked by several jeering hunt followers. He was battered about the head and had his head and neck wrenched severely, was knocked unconscious and dragged around. He was then thrown into a huge patch of stinging nettles. The sab walked 4 miles home. This was an appallingly cowardly and sad attack on one of the only saboteurs in the area of this hunt.

Mid September: More than 20 hunt supporters chased and threatened with pick-axe handles a group of less than 8 saboteurs who turned up at an evening cub-hunt of the Ashford Valley FH. Police attending the incident turned on the saboteurs and used extendible batons to hit them with. Later the police attacked the saboteurs in the Ashford Police station when the saboteurs attempted to make a formal complaint about the policing.

The police's actions were caught on video, as were the hunt supporters actions, but the tape was then confiscated by the police. A video also exists of the police actions within the police station.

Late September: Two saboteurs were injured when run over by an All-Terrain Vehicle (ATV) - one was run over in a field, the other was hit and carried along on the ATV for over 50m before being punched and kicked by hunt supporters of the Ashford Valley FH. While this was occurring, another lone saboteur was set upon by up to 6 hunt supporters who punched, kicked and beat him around the body with lumps of wood. The sab was left semi-conscious in the field after being hit across the head with an iron bar. Upon arrival, Ashford police arrested the dazed saboteur for assault, before eventually taking him to a hospital in Ashford.

Mid October: Middle aged female saboteur attacked by a hunt supporter of the Cattistock FH who was armed with a shovel. She narrowly avoided serious head injuries by raising her arms in defense, but was injured on the hand. In the same incident, a saboteur has his face rammed into the front grill of a transit van as hunt supporters try to wrestle his camera from him. Meanwhile a duo of hunt supporters had climbed into the back of the transit van, containing 5 terrified saboteurs and set about punching several of them in the face, and jabbing the driver of the van in the face with a stick. Three members of the same family (the notorious Martin family) have been arrested for this series of incidents and are currently on police bail.

Early November: Saboteur from Bettering is kicked unconscious by hunt supporters of the Oakley FH in North Bedfordshire. At the time the saboteur was accompanying a young female saboteur on her first protest. The two were having difficulty keeping up with the rest of the group (7 sabs)and were separated from it at the time of the attack.

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THE SOUTHERN ANTI-BLOOD SPORTS CAMPAIGN SUPPORT THE PORTSMOUTH THREE

The Hursley Hambledon Hunt is a vicious hunt notorious for violence against sabs. Because of this it's unsafe for a small group of sabs to attend this hunt. However hunt saboteurs are not prepared to allow hunts to terrorize them into not sabbing and so, every so often, a mass hit is organised against the Hursley Hambledon. Experience has shown that there is safety in numbers.

Just recently there has been a lot of extreme violence shown towards hunt saboteurs across Britain. This has included sab vans being rammed & windows broken and sabs being hospitalised after assaults by hunt members. Sabs have been threatened with guns and in one incident, the home of a leading Dorsad hunt sab, who has been issued with death threats warning him not to sab, was visited by a gang of hunt supporters who were wielding machete type blades. It is in recognition of the fact that no hunt must be allowed to terrorize sabs away from attending it, but with acknowledgement of a very real threat of violence from the Hursley Hambledon hunt thugs that a mass hunt sab was organised - this hunt sab was very well publicised. People openly discussed this sab over a month before it actually happened.

On the day of the hit (Saturday 13th December 1997) it was decided that everyone would meet up at a common meeting point and go in convoy to the Meet. It was feared if lone vans were spotted by the hunt they would be vulnerable to attack. Well publicised, at the meeting point there were between 9 to 14 sab vans, a police Range Rover and a police spotter plane in the sky above. Most of the vans contained sabs from the South Coast, groups from Dorsett to Sussex. However a few of them were from outside of the region and were people unknown to the South Coast sabs. The vans set off in convoy, followed by the police Range Rover with the spotter plane flying over head. For some unknown reason, just before getting to the Hunt Meet, the police vehicle turned off and went down a side road. There was not a single police officer present at the hunt when the sabs arrived! At the Hunt Meet, the sabs parked and headed towards the hunters. According to one sab, "We all started walking towards the hunt when suddenly we heard a fracas going on behind us. We turned around and saw people smashing up the hunt vehicles."

Although most attending were hunt sabs intent on lawful hunt sabotage, some of those who came from outside of the region were Hunt

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The assault took place an a footpath and was apparently witnessed and videoed by Bedfordshire police (although why they didn't intervene is a mystery). No police action on this one either.

Early - Mid November: Mass ridings down by mounted hunt-followers of the Chiddingfold, Leconfield and Cowdray FH, resulting in many injuries to saboteurs, and in one case, a cameraman from Nippon TV was rode into and over by one of the masters of the hunt. Miraculously, he was shaken but uninjured. These assaults were also caught on video by two saboteur cameras! Dismounted riders had to be restrained by W. Sussex police when they whipped and attacked several female sabs with upturned bone-handled whips -- again caught on video. Also, a saboteur was lucky to escape serious injury when a whipper from the hunt charged his horse over the top of him. The hooves smashed a scent-spray lying next to the head of the saboteur - a couple of inches either way and this could have been the third dead saboteur of the 1990's.

Mid November: A female saboteur was held down by hunt supporters and repeatedly punched by a male follower of the Garth and South Berks FH.

End November: Several sabs ambushed and attacked by well-known hunt followers in balaclavas using pickaxe handles and metal piping. The two worst injured taken to Salisbury hospital with head injuries. The sab van was rammed by hunt follower's Land Rover. Several hunt staff got involved in the clashes, one of the red coated riders pulled out a cut-down axe handle from his saddle to smash sabs in the field. Video and Photo evidence of the attacks.

Early December: Dorset sab contact was threatened at his place of work by man with machete! The sab had to leave his work site as his workmates restrained the assailant. The attacker was a part of a gang of poachers linked with the army of hunt followers of the Portman, south West Wilts, South Dorset and Hursely Hambledon hunts in Southern England. They have now threatened to shoot or 'chop' any sabs that turn up in the Dorset area. The CID are currently investigating these death threats, and have installed a panic button in the home of the local saboteur.

Mid December: Ashford Valley, Kent -- a lone saboteur returning from a fundraising stall in town found the hunt trespassing over land near his house from which they have been barred. His vehicle was blocked by hurt followers and all the windows were smashed with axe handles and iron bars. The sab was pulled out the smashed driver's window and given a severe beating and repeated kicks to the head. When the police finally arrived they (as usual) arrest the saboteur and impounded his car. He was released from the police station at 3am, after which he went to hospital to have his injuries treated.

End December: Several sabs injured at the Essex Farmers Union Hunt at their Boxing Day meet in Maldon, Essex. As usual, the press, TV cameras (and

Retribution Squad activists. The HRS headed straight for the hunters vehicles which they proceeded to smash up. The intention of the HRS appears to be mainly criminal damage with no premeditation to injure or harm the hunt and their supporters. Where 'assaults' took place, it was the fox hunters trying to stop their vehicles being attacked and they were forcefully pushed aside. The HRS activists did not stop until every hunt vehicle had its windows and lights smashed, they then jumped back into their vans and fled. The hunt sabs, realising that the Hursley Hambledon hunt was likely to take revenge on any sabs in the area decided that this was also an ideal time for them to leave.

The Hunt Retribution Squad action was obviously well planned and professionally executed. The HRS activists have obviously never revealed theiridentity, but they clearly had an escape route organised and were able to leave the county as planned before the police were able to react to what had happened. Sadly, as the South Coast hunt sabs had not been privilege to any knowledge about what was going to happen they did not have any 'escape routes' planned out.

The police set up a number of road blocks which failed to capture any of the HRS activists but instead caught the innocent hunt sabs who were travelling across Hampshire to return to their respective homes.

The police road blocks caught a total of five of the sab vehicles. All of the vehicles they caught were South Coast hunt sabs, from the Dorchester, Southampton, Portsmouth and Dover, none of whom had taken part in the Hunt Retribution Squad action. In total the police arrested forty-two people. All forty-two were taken to police cells, subjected to strip searches and had their clothes confiscated. They were held for 36 hours, had their homes raided and vehicles impounded. The police even decided to raid the homes of some people who weren't even on the hit!

Having been held for 36 hours all of the sabs were eventually released on Police Bail to return in February 1998 where they were told they could face possible charges of 'Conspiracy to commit criminal damage, ABH and violent disorder".

In the middle of February 1998 the hunt sabs surrendered themselves into police custody. When they did so they found that the police in-

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most of the demonstrators) left after the initial demonstration against the hunt. When the saboteurs left their vehicle to follow the hunt on foot, they suffered several violent attacks from hunt followers and riders. In the worst attack, a sab was knocked to the ground and repeatedly punched in the head, leaving him with a broken nose and head injuries. A female sab who came to his aid was punched in the face, resulting in a black eye. Also on this hunt, two sabs narrowly avoided being run over by demented hunt followers in vehicles. A sab was run over by a lunatic rider on horseback, sustaining back injuries. This incident was apparently caught by Essex police an video, and resulted in an arrest. There were also a couple of arrests for the earlier unprovoked assault, and we await any outcome with interest.

There have been many more incidents around the country than those detailed above, but this is a fair selection! What has seemed to be an unusual feature of the violence so far this season (apart from the stuff we expect from the foot followers and terriermen!) is the amount of riders who are charging down sabs and either whipping them or trying to ride over them. We are taking this as a sign that the 'average' mounted followers of hunts are increasingly desperate after the Foster Bill on November 28 and are taking their frustration and anger out on those in the front line - i.e. the saboteurs.@

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tended to single out three long-standing members of the Portsmouth sab group who they accuse of 'masterminding' the sab. Out of a total of 42 sabs arrested these three individuals are the only one's facing charges, they are being made scapegoats by the police for everything that happened on the day. They have all been charged with 'conspiracy to commit violent disorder'.

As a result of the police laying charges against the three defendants a Support Campaign has been set up to help them. This campaign is made up of friends and supporters of those arrested. We ask for as many people as possible to join the campaign and show your support with the defendants by;

1) Sabbing the hunts. All those arrested are dedicated hunt sabs who are committed to defending wildlife. Carrying out hunt sabotage on a regular basis will both directly help to save animal lives and show the police and hunts that we will not be intimidated by their tactics.

2) If you are unable to sab, then another way to show your support for both the defendants and the animals is to do everything possible to help make sure the 'Wild Mammals (Hunting with Dogs)' Bill becomes law.

3) Waiting for trial can be a traumatic time. Send letters of support to the defendants c/o;

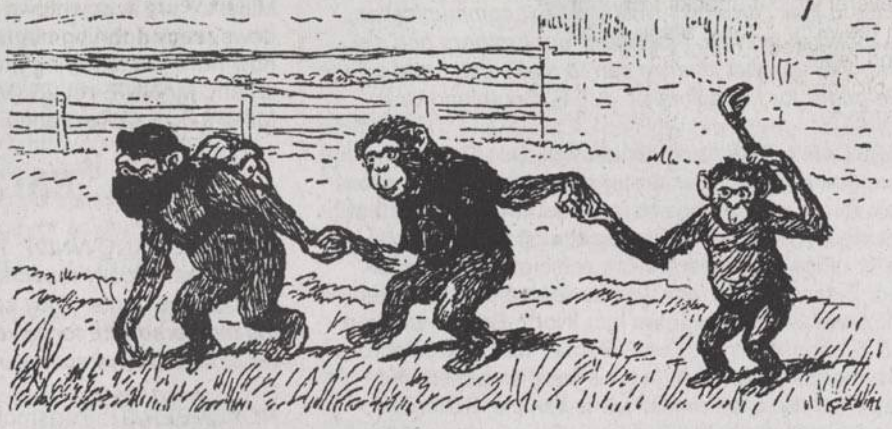
The Defence Campaign: Portsmouth HSA, Box H, 167 Fawcett Road, Southsea, Hants. P04

5) Send a donation to the Support Campaign to enable us to support the defendants and produce more mailouts. If you would like to receive more mailouts please do contact us at:

Support Campaign, South Dorset Anti-Bloodsports, Box 1119, Dorchester, Dorset, England

DIARY OF ACTIONS

Ok, kids, you know how it goes. The Diary of Actions is intended to report the news of direct action to save the earth and animals, not to encourage crime. All reports come from communiques, other publications, the internet and the news. Some actions took place in time periods covered by other issues of Underground but were not reported until recently.



CANADA

FEBRUARY 24/98: Abbotsford, BC - A fire at a mink farm destroyed a house, but the residents managed to escape unharmed, and the minks on the farm also were unharmed. Twenty-four fire-fighters were dispatched to the blaze at the 28300-block Townshipline Road. Damage from fire, smoke and water is estimated at $49,500. Cause of the fire is still under investigation.

MARCH 6/98: Montreal, PQ - The Quebec headquarters of Canadian AIDS drug maker BioChem Pharma Inc. (BCH.TO) near Montreal was evacuated as bomb disposal experts inspected a "suspicious package" found outside the vivisection complex. The pharmaceutical company, which was rocked by four small bomb blasts last November, had not received any threatening message or warning, police said. Trading in BioChem Pharma's stock was halted on Nasdaq and the Toronto Stock Exchange shortly after 11a.m.

UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 29/97: Neligh, Nebraska - activists caused over $100,000 damage to the construction site of a controversial hog farm, in an attempt to protect the local environment. Unclaimed.

NOVEMBER 17/97: Justice Dept. contaminated supermarket turkeys up and down the east coast of N.America, including at Acme Shoprite, Superfresh, Pathmark Food, Stop 'N Shop, with a lethal substance. This contamination occurred when the consumption of turkey flesh is at its highest, but the group vowed the contaminations would continue long after the "Thanksgiving" holidays were over. -Justice Dept.

DECEMBER 4/97: Lake Worth, FL - Locks glued, and slogans spray-painted at Intra-Coastal Packing Inc. ("Wholesale Poultry"). A truck was also spray-painted and had its windows broken. -A.L.F.

DECEMBER 9/97: Boca Raton, FL - Slogans spray-painted at The Leather Center and the windshield of a delivery truck was broken. -A.L.F.

DECEMBER 10/97: N.Y.C., NY - A.L.F. activist(s) raided the Astora Live Chicken Market (31-37 20th Ave, N.Y.C. 718-777-7249/718-278- 8915), releasing a dozen pigeons and four rabbits. Dozens of hens, roosters, turkeys and ducks are also housed and slaughtered at this Market. More NYC liberations to come, and in greater numbers. -A.L.F.

JANUARY 18/98: Los Angeles County, CA - from the communique: *"Hello, SG and fellow activists! It's been a while, but we have a couple of things to report ... We liberated 18 rabbits, 1 duck, 3 hens, and 5 quail from a slaughterhouse which kills the animals by beheading them. They also leave the animals out, in small cages, in the 100-degree heat in the summer. Among the 18 rabbits was a tiny baby girl who was severely malnourished. All the animals were immediately rehomed. Sadly, the baby girl bunny passed away during the night. Her starvation was too advanced already at that point. We were heartbroken, but tried to console ourselves thinking about the other animals who would live the rest of their lives in loving homes ... In addition to the above, we have also treated several animal-abusing businesses to the standard lock-gluing and*

slogan-painting forays. One thrift store, whom we have targeted countless times, has separated from its "parent," the City of Hope (VIVISECTION SCUM)! I guess we don't know for certain, but it seems like our ministrations (gluing and painting) could have been a factor in their "divorce"! Until our next communication, we thank all activists fighting for our brothers and sisters. We do what little we can to make this world a little better for the animals." -A.L.F. Southland Unit

FEBRUARY 2/98: North Brunswick, NJ - Police believe that a group of environmental activists is responsible for recent damage to facilities and equipment at a Sutters Avenue construction site off Route 27. A trailer office and several work vehicles were vandalized. Extensive damage was done to property owned by Forest Gate Associates Inc., North Brunswick, and O & S Landscaping. "Eco-Defense" was written across a vandalized vehicle. Windows were smashed and tires were flattened on the same vehicle. Police also found mothballs in the fuel tank. Other writings found on vehicles include: "End this murder of all life" and "Earth Liberation."

FEBRUARY 11/98: Chevy Chase, MD - The A.L.F. struck at Miller's Furs, covering three windows with etching cream. -A.L.F.

FEBRUARY 23/98: Rochester NY - Durand Eastman Park was bomb-hoaxed to protest a deer-bait-and-shoot program. For at least the last 5 or 6 years the park closes early for one month and off-duty police officers shoot deer that are baited to certain areas with piles of corn. So far they've killed about 700 deer since the inception of the program. A bomb warning was painted on the pavement near the start of a hiking trail and realistic looking bombs with copper wires sticking into ground were hidden in the park. County Parks Supervisor Alan Cassidy received a suspicious envelope in his mailbox. That too turned out to be harmless but contained a note warning what might happen if deer bait and shoot program was not halted. -A.L.F.

MARCH 4/98: Spencer, N.Y. - Animal activists sabotaged a vehicle belonging to organizers of a "donkey basketball" game sponsored by Spencer Van Etten High School as a fundraiser. Observers at the event say students were playing basketball while riding donkeys, and they often punched, kicked and screamed at the animals to force them to "cooperate." The activists say they slashed tires and may have damaged other parts of a blue, remodelled school bus owned by Shaw Brothers, the providers of the donkeys. The animals are apparently transported in this poorly equipped, non-insulated vehicle.

MARCH 6/98: Washington, D.C. - activists struck Miller's Furs in downtown D.C. Two large show windows, each sporting huge "Drastic Reductions" signs, now have the following messages written in etching cream: MANNIE KILLS (Manny Miller, owner of both Miller's Furs stores) and FUR STILL HURTS.

ENGLAND

MONTH UNKNOWN/97: Kingbury, Staffordshire - A field of genetically modified rape-seed was destroyed by local residents. They said, *"Our natural world is being tampered with for private profit, and its only a matter of time before something goes seriously wrong."*

NOVEMBER/97: Portsmouth/Hampshire - In support of the Gandalf 3, A.L.F. activists smashed a number of butcher shop windows. Trucks were also torched in Chichester. -A.L.F.



NOVEMBER 20/97 - Portsmouth/ Hampshire - Animal libbers demonstrating at a Sainsburys Supermarket protested the sale of kangaroo, crocodile and ostrich meat by conducting a "trolley run" -- in which meat was removed from the freezers and left in shopping trollies in a warm part of the supermarket. Bleach was also poured over the "exotic meat." This is the third such protest of its kind in Portsmouth during November. Sadly, nine activists were arrested and have been threatened with a conspiracy charge.

EARLY DECEMBER: Wanstead - (West London) A McDonald's had its window taken out using some sort of explosive device, possibly a kind of firework that was taped to the window. When it went off, it cracked the whole window. -A.L.F.

DECEMBER/97: Oxfordshire - A.L.F. activists gained access to Christopher Brown's Oxfordshire cat breeding farm. Despite filth swarming all round the area (Home Secretary Jack Straw lives less than a mile away), they leave having smashed 17 windows.

DECEMBER/97: Oxfordshire - In a similar action, Farmer Brown loses 26 windows to the A.L.F.

DECEMBER/97: Oxfordshire - Two workers employed at the vivisection cat breeders receive home visits

from the A.L.F. They both get most of the windows in their houses put through, and their vehicles get similarly trashed. Also: A worker returning to their vehicle having parked it in a car park finds it in a considerably worse state to that in which they left it.

DECEMBER 13/97: Wheely Down - Three hunt supporters were injured and 44 protesters were arrested during an attack on a hunt meeting by saboteurs. About 70 masked activists set on the Hampshire Hursley and Hambledon Hunt. Car windows and headlights were smashed and several people were injured in the clash. The Hunt Retribution Squad claimed that it had carried out the attack in revenge for assaults by members of the hunt.

JANUARY 9/98: Dorset - 50 mink were liberated from a UK fur farm.

JANUARY 6/98: Carterton - masked animal rights raiders targeted the home of a breeding farm worker by daubing paint on the walls. In the latest in a series of attacks on the homes of employees at Hillgrove Farm, corrosive liquid was also poured over the employee's car and the windows smashed.

JANUARY 15/98:Oxford Professor Colin Blakemore was presenting the 72nd Conway Memorial Lecture to 150 members of the South Place Ethical Society when a bottle was thrown and two women jumped on the stage, a witness said. Prof Blakemore, Waynflete Professor of Physiology at Oxford, was describing experiments on rat brains when he was attacked. A witness described how "They rushed the stage, threw the lectern over and caused a lot of damage. They smashed glasses and threw flowers to the floor." One woman was arrested on suspicion of assault, criminal damage and threatening behaviour after kicking a car door closed on the academic as he climbed into the vehicle after the lecture ended at 9pm.

FEBRUARY 9/98: London - the North London Angling Centre in Finsbury Park had all its front windows smashed by A.L.F. activists, before it was even able to open for business. The shop had signs up but the inside was not yet fitted out. A few days later a heavy duty security shutter was installed.

FEBRUARY 11/98: Stevenage - A.L.F. activists broke into the John Lewis Partnership (pro-bloodsports) storage depot and caused $20,000 damage to several trucks. -A.L.F.

MID FEBRUARY/98: London - Stall holders at car boot sales in the West London area had recently been spotted selling new fur coats. The coats being sold were apparently mostly mink. A.L.F. activists carried out an arson attack and destroyed the vehicle used by the furriers. -A.L.F.

FEBRUARY 17/98: UK - The Provisional Animal Liberation Front announces its launch by sending out 20 hoax devices to animal abuse targets while clearly showing that it could easily have assembled viable anti-personnel letter bombs.

Packages were sent to:

VIVISECTION

Roslin Institute, Edinburgh: Dolly the sheep and similar obscenities

Huntingdon Life Sciences, Suffolk: Contract testing laboratory

L Powell, Cambridgeshire Rodent studies director at

HLS, Huntingdon D Cameron, Cambridgeshire Small shareholder in HLS

C Brown, Oxfordshire Breeds cats for vivisection

MEAT INDUSTRY

Meat City, London Dead Animals City!

Bernard Matthews, Norfolk Major animal murderers

Crawshaw Pigs, Humberside Breeds pigs

Sandyford Hides & Skins, Strathclyde By-products of murder

LIVE EXPORTS AND THE DAIRY INDUSTRY

Gilders Transport, Gloucestershire Long a target for protests

Dover Harbour Board, Kent Refuses to stop live exports

Wensleydale Creameries, North Yorkshire No dairy industry no veal calves

FISHING INDUSTRY

Midland Fish, Lancashire Left to drown slowly in alien atmosphere

FUR TRADE

Peter Ley, Dorset Part of the obscene fur industry

CAPTIVE ANIMALS

Colchester Zoo, Essex Life imprisonment without trial

INFILTRATORS, ETC

M Jennings, West Sussex Pro-vivisectors' lackey at RSPCA HQ

D Hammond, West Sussex Stole from animal lib PoW's defence fund

"PET" TRADE

Sengora Toy Poodles, Mid Glamorgan Breeds for profit while strays are killed

BLOODSPORTS

County Down Stag Hounds Properties, Belfast Even the National Trust have seen sense!

Leckford Abbas Estate, Hampshire Pheasant shoots for John Lewis employees

Attached is our introductory statement and the message/diagram which was enclosed with each hoax device. Please check out whether it's a viable design! Had the devices been genuine then stronger cassette boxes would have been used to avoid detonation by the contacts meeting if the box were crushed in the post.

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MARCH/98: Berkshire - The Vine & Craven foxhunt held their annual hunt ball at Greenham, near Newbury. Whilst the blood junkies were inside enjoying themselves, A.L.F. activists did several thousand pounds worth of damage to their vehicles. Paint-stripper was liberally applied to the bodywork and tires were slashed, as well as windscreen wipers being snapped off. -A.L.F.

MARCH 16/98: A.L.F. activists smashed several windows of the Waitrose supermarket on Holloway Rd, north London. Waitrose are owned by the department store chain John Lewis plc, currently the target of a campaign by the National Anti-Hunt Campaign. John Lewis own a pheasant shooting estate in Hampshire where their staff go on weekend killing sprees. -A.L.F.

MARCH 19/98: Oxfordshire - Billy Butler (Farmer Brown of Hillgrove Cat Farm fame) had his windows smashed, in response to Kevin Hickey's 12 month sentence.

IRELAND

SEPTEMBER 28/97: Carlow - The Gaelic Earth Liberation Front destroyed an entire crop of genetically engineered cereal grain owned by US based biotech corp. Monsanto. The Gaelic E.L.F. have said "This was the first genetically engineered crop in Ireland, and hopefully will be the last." -G.ELF

HOLLAND

JANUARY 4/98: Barneveldt - Nine meat lorries at a poultry slaughterhouse were burned to the ground, causing 4 million guilders damage (1,5 million pounds or so). Responsibility has been claimed by an A.L.F. cell the Rode Haan (Red Rooster). Their communique stated the action was "a good start for 1998". The media reported extensively on the arsons. -Rode Haan A.L.F.



Spanish A.L.F. hard at work.

SPAIN

FEBRUARY 1/98: Bilbao (Bizkaia, Basque Country) - Three shops run by animal abusers were targeted by

activists, resulting in windows and walls being severely hit with red paint-bombs. The targets were Peleterias Delmar (Furrier), Caza Y Pesca Ollagorra (Ollagorra Hunting and Fishing), and an important bullfighting bar called La Taberna. The actions were in protest of any activity that harms the dignity and life of any animal, and to show solidarity with all A.L.F. prisoners, as well as those killed for defending the earth and all its creatures. The communique states more actions will be forthcoming! -ACCION Y JUSTICIA POR LA LIBERACION ANIMAL Y ECOLOGICA (Justice and Action for Animal and Ecological Liberation)

GREECE

FEBRUARY/98: Athens - Fire-bombers struck at two McDonald's restaurants in a northern suburb of the Greek capital. What police said were home-made devices went off outside the fast-food outlets in the suburb of Halandri within two miles and ten minutes of each other. Both branches suffered damage, but nobody was injured as they were closed. No organization took responsibility for the blasts, which shattered windows in nearby flats. - unclaimed.

SWITZERLAND

DECEMBER 31/98: Bellruzoue - A.L.F. activists attacked several fur and butcher shops, smashing windows and doors and spraying slogans. -A.L.F.

SWEDEN

OCTOBER 25/97: Enkping - During the early morning of the October the 25th the new-found group Djurrattsmilisen (Animal Rights Militia) liberated 13 rabbits from a vivisection-breeder in Enkping (Gunnar Hagdahl, Ullunda 5462, 199 91 Enkping, Sweden). The activists broke into one building in which they found 40 rabbits of which 13 were rescued and placed in loving homes. The Breeding records of the rest of the rabbits were also stolen. "Djurrattsmilisen" was spraypainted on the building Gunnar Hagdahl has bred animals designated for animal testing all the way back from the 80s.

NOVEMBER 18/97: Eskilstuna - the underground direct action group "De Vilda Minkarna" (The Wild Minks) struck again, freeing 1000 mink from a fur farm. 7 holes was cut in the fence surrounding Kungsor mink farm, and we opened the cages for over 1000 minks, (most of them black), and set them free. This is the second raid this year on this farm and since February 1997, and at least 25 raids has been carried out against fur farms resulting in 12,000 minks and 260 foxes being set free. UNTIL THE BLOODY FUR TRADE IS GONE, THE WILD MINKS

NOVEMBER 25/97: Enkoping - The DJURRATTSMILISEN (Animal Rights Militia) made its first appearance on the Swedish scene in a raid against rabbit breeder, Gunnar Hagdal. 13 rabbits were freed and are all now in loving homes. DJURRATTSMILISEN" was painted on the building. -DJURRATTSMILISEN

DECEMBER/97: Varberg - A.L.F. raiders trashed 16 wheels on trucks belonging to a fish company, and 10 windows were smashed at an egg-factory. -A.L.F.



Swedish A.L.F. strike!



DECEMBER 10/97: Urea - Activists attacked a skinstore, spraypainting slogans, and a fire-extinguisher was used to fill the store with powder. The fire extinguisher were afterwards thrown through a large sign, shattering it. The store is nowadays shielded off by an steel gate which they must role down every evening.

DECEMBER 11/97: Stockholm - An early morning raid by the direct action group Djurattsmilisen (Animal Rights Militia) against a breeding unit belonging to Brothers Eklund in Vallentuna, just outside Stockholm. They breed rats and mice for vivisection. A total of 57 animals (48 rats and 9 mice) were liberated. Two of the mice were pregnant so many more mice was saved from vivisection. From the communique: *"All animals has now been placed in loving, caring homes. This action is dedicated to united Kingdom prisoner of war Barry Horne, who recently was sentenced to an 18 year prison sentence for his acts of compassion. Long prison sentences like that don't make us afraid, it's just makes us even more determent to get an end to all animal abuse."* - Djurrattsmilisen (Animal Rights Militia)

DECEMBER 12/97:Urea - Biopol (vivisection) gets 5 windows smashed by santa who got mad when he

heard what Biopol was up to!

LATE DECEMBER/97: Urea -A meat truck is severely vandalized; all windows and spotlights were smashed, all tires were slashed and slogans spreypainted.

DECEMBER 31/97: Urea - Biopol gets 15 windows smashed and electronic equipment destroyed.

JANUARY 15/98: Uppsala - Activists of DJURRATTSMILISEN (Animal Rights militia) raided labs belonging to Bio Jet Service, rescuing 92 guinea pigs. Bio Jet Service is owned by Ghote Olofsson, a vivisector at Uppsala University. Bio Jet Service breeds guinea pigs for vivisection. The activists went in through open doors and had planned to liberate about 50 guinea pigs, but when there was "only" 92 guinea pigs in the Premises, it was decided to rescue them all. Most of the 92 guinea pigs has now been placed in good homes after being checked by a vet. Several of the females were pregnant, so an estimated 120 guinea pigs were rescued, if you count the unborn ones. When leaving the Premises the activists were lucky. One minute after their disappearance, a security car drove up to the labs. The owner of Bio Jet Services told the newspapers that he will probably close down after this attack. Djurrattsmilisen will continue it's action until all animal abuse is only a memory in the Past. -DJURRATTSMILISEN

FEBRUARY 6/98: Karlstad - the activist group Djurens Hamnare (Animal Avengers)attempted to burn a meat factory down. Unfortunately, the activists were seen and the fire department was called, but it was on fire in at least three places and the building was damaged by fire and smoke.

FEBRUARY 14/98: Bredared -activists from the Wild Minks visited the Segerstorps mink farm. Damages unknown. -The Wild Minks

FEBRUARY 14/98: Boras - A fur farm in the south of Sweden was raided by activists and all breeding minks on the farm, (300 minks) were set free.

FEBRUARY 21/98:location unknown -- A fishing company had one of their vehicles vandalized: windows were smashed, slogans such as "go vegan" were painted and the interior of the car was vandalized.

FEBRUARY 25/98: The group The Wild Minks made a second visit to Ugglekarrs mink farm, a place well known for it's breeding work. The last attack on this farm was in april-97 so this time the farmer was prepared. In the woods and on small roads around the farm he had placed barb wire at stumbling height. Also, several scare-crows had been made to look like farmers with sticks in their hands that should look like guns. On the farm the activists was met by a sign reading "WARNING! mines!" Activists checked it out and found that the gate had been rigged with some kind of explosive crackers that would have made a lot of noise if they were set off, so the activists decided on another way in. Several holes were cut in the fence around the farm and after that all minks on the farm (breeding animals) was released. The result was 650 minks released into freedom, and a farmer without breeding animals. Hopefully he understands our message; CLOSE DOWN, if not - see you! NO COMPROMISE! -The Wild Minks"

FEBRUARY 26/98: Hagshult - a mink farm had a visit from the Wild Minks. Holes were cut in the fence and 550 black minks (breeding animals) were released from their cages. DESTROY THE FUR INDUSTRY! - The Wild Minks"

FEBRUARY 28/98: Bredared -activists from the Wild Minks was going to free some minks from Segerstorps mink farm. "The Wild Minks" had been sprayed on a building and the activists went in the farm, unfortunately triggering a motion-detector and spotlights went on. A few minutes later cars arrived to the farm. Fortunately, the activists from The Wild Minks made a quick escape and no one was arrested. This is the same farm that was attacked on february 14 this year.

MARCH 15/98: Dstersund - A number of animal rights activists raided the Brunflo fox farm. The activists open the cages to the foxes(70) and took every breeding card. The activists carried out as many foxes as possible from their cages. The foxes were given something never given before in their tragic lives - freedom! Some of the foxes ran out in the woods without looking back once. Slogans such as "A.L.F.", "Treblinka", "Close down" and "Freedom" were sprayed on some of the sheds. All the animals released was breeding animals. The action is dedicated to the 3 activists on remand in Sweden. -A.L.F.

MARCH 17/98: Stockholm - A group called "The Avengers of Fur-Bearing Animals" attacked 11 fur shops throughout the city. Several windows were smashed at each store, slogans sprayed, paint poured over walls and locks glued. The actions were in support of the 3 activists on remand in Sweden, and to show the abusers that nothing will stop animal liberation.

MARCH 22/98: In the early hours over 200-300 breeding minks were released from Forsheda mink/fox farm in Sweden. The action is dedicated to Kristofer Aberg, on remand for releasing minks. NO COMPROMISE! - The Wild Minks

FINLAND

JANUARY 26/98: Helsinki - Two meat trucks were attacked and burnt out by animal activists. A third truck was also targeted, but the fire failed to ignite.

POLAND

FEBRUARY/98: Bialystok - "Eco-punx" paintbombed three McDonalds billboards.

AUSTRALIA

MARCH 13/98: Victoria - Friday 13th turned out to be a 'lucky' day for 16 battery hens rescued from one of Victoria's larger and most notorious battery hen farms. Activists raided the farm in the evening. The hens that were lifted from the tiny cages were dehydrated, and suffering from the initial stages of feather loss, caused by overcrowding where boredom and stress lead to severe mutilations. The 16 hens are now being rewarded by living out the rest of their lives at secluded hen sanctuaries. The farm is presently under surveillance. Further actions are expected.

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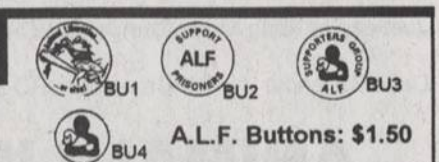
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NA-A.L.F.S.G PRISONER PAGES

Prisoner Support Matters!

Please take the time to write to the folks listed on the following pages. Remember, prison is meant to isolate an activist from her/his support and community -- so help keep the connections going and counter that isolation. Don't be shy! Prisoners really appreciate mail. Some prisoners can get other items sent to them in jail, ie: postcards, stamps, photos, books, clothing, etc. Write and ask what they can and can't be mailed. Prisoners are frequently moved, occasionally released, and there are often people going in and out of jail on short sentences. It is best to contact a prisoner support group for up-to-date information.

other prisoners support groups:

A.L.F.S.G. UK: BCM 1160, London WC1N 3XX England <100302.1616@compuserve.com>

Direct Action Defense Fund (DADF): Box 57357, Tucson, AZ 85732- 7357, USA

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Earth Liberation Prisoners Support Network: c/o BM HEAL, London, WC1N 3XX, England

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Spanish A.L.F.S.G.: APDO 50390, 28080 Madrid, Spain

Justice For Keith Mann Campaign:PO Box 3690, Bracknell, Berks, RG12 8NW

Dave Callendar Justice Campaign: PO Box 38, Manchester, M60 1NX

ANIMAL LIBERATION PRISONERS

UNITED STATES

Rod Coronado #03895000,
FCI Unit SW, 8901 S. Wilmot Road, Tucson, AZ85706, USA
Sentenced to a total of 57 months for aiding and abetting arson and handling stolen goods while acting as spokesperson for the North America A.L.F. Also for damaging US government property, a display offensive to native Americans. (Rod is a member of the Yacqui nation).

Ryan Durfee, BA03,
c/o Oxbow Jail, Inmate mail, 3148 South 110 West, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84119, USA
Serving one year for burning down a McDonalds restaurant under construction in West Jordan, Utah. Ryan will be released on May 12.

Mark Klein, AA45,
c/o Oxbow Jail, Inmate mail, 3148 South 110 West, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84119, USA
Serving one year for burning down a McDonalds restaurant under construction in West Jordan, Utah.

Do not send magazines, news clippings or other items with your letters to Ryan or Mark, otherwise your letters will be returned.

Jason Troff,
Section 9040, c/o SL County Jail, 450 South 300 East, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84111-3207, USA
Serving one year for burning down a McDonalds restaurant under construction in West Jordan, Utah.

Jacob Kennison, #06329-081,
Yuma Unit, 37900 N. 45th Ave., Dept. 1700, Phoenix, AZ 85027-7004, USA
Serving 12 months for an arson attack on a Tandy Leather store in Murray, Utah, which caused over $6,000,000 worth of damage, plus 16 months for illegally acquiring an assault rifle.

Clinton Colby Ellerman,
c/o SL County Jail, 450 South 300 East, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84111-3207, USA
Serving two years for freeing thousands of mink from a mink farm and for arson at a Tandy Leather store.

Trev Poulson #9375,
Wasatch A West / 313, Utah State Prison, P O Box 250, Draper, UT 84020, USA
Serving 6 months for attempted arson at a mink farm in Ogden, Utah.

UNITED KINGDOM

Barry Horne VC2141,
HMP Full Sutton, Nr Stamford Bridge, York,YO4 1PS
Sentenced to 18 years for arson at several premises on the Isle of Wight, with a concurrent 14 year sentence for attempted arson in Bristol. Barry admitted the Bristol incidents, but is appealing conviction for the Isle of Wight attacks. Also appealing sentence for both.

Keith Mann EE3588,
HMP Long Lartin, South Littleton, Evesham, Worcs. WR11 5TZ
Serving 11 years for criminal damage, attempted incitement, attempted arson, possession of explosive materials and escaping from custody.

Gillian Peachey RL3415,
HMP Winchester, Women's Annexe, Romsey Road, Winchester, SO22 5HY
Sentenced to a total of six years and 9 months - five years for conspiracy to commit arson plus 21 months for being in breach of a previous suspended sentence.

Geoff Sheppard MD1030,
HMP Parkhurst, Newport, Isle of Wight, PO30 5NX
Serving 7 years for possession of a shotgun and possession of materials for making incendiary devices.

Barbara Trenholm RL1292,
HMP Durham, Old Elvet, Durham, DH1 3HU
Sentenced to 10 years for conspiracy to commit arson at the White Hart pub, but maintains innocence.

Justin Wright CE3046,
HMP YOI, Portland, Dorset, DT5 1DL
Sentenced to five years for arson at the White Hart pub, and also maintains his innocence.

Kievan Hickey AP7904,
HMP Woodhill, Tattenhoe St, Milton Keynes, Bucks, MK4 4DA
Sentenced to 12 months for receiving stolen property in connection with a demonstration January 1997 when activists broke into Hillgrove Farm vivisection breeders and attempted to rescue a number of cats.

SUPPORT THE ACCUSED MINK LIBERATORS!

On march 8, three men were charged with: trespassing, arbitrary proceed and conspiracy to commit arson. They are charged with trespassing and arbitrary proceed at 4 farms; Skyberga mink farm (230 minks released), Ardala mink farm (700 minks released), Hagshult mink farm (600 minks released) and Bredared mink farm (300-400 minks released). Please write letters and cards of support to them and they would appreciate animal rights/liberation magazines. The Swedish Support campaign for accused mink liberators can be contacted at:

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