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TO liberate animals from places of abuse, ie laboratories, factory farms, fur farms, etc. and when ever possible, place them in good homes where they may live out their natural lives, free from suffering.

TO inflict economic damage to those who profit from the misery and exploitation of animals.

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.

Any individual or group of people who are vegetarians or vegans and who carry out actions according to the A.L.F. guidelines have a right to regard themselves as part of the ANIMAL LIBERATION FRONT.

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- Letter writing: prisoners rely on letters as their link to the outside world. Letters to newspapers help inform the public about the plight of imprisoned activists.
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A little late, but its finally here!



Well folks, what can we say except sorry for the delay, and of course thanks for your patience! This issue of *Underground* is notably delayed by several months, but what's remarkable about our subscribers and supporters in your patience and good will. Thanks!

While it sometimes takes a while to get our own act in gear with regards to the magazine, the Animal Liberation Front has been constantly active since our last issue in December. Reports and communiqués have been pouring in non-stop, and we have page after page of actions, raids and liberations listed in the Diary of Actions for you to check out. We occasionally get letters from Supporters who ask between issues (normally every three months) if the A.L.F. has stopped operations, but it's important to point out that the Animal Liberation Front (and it's sister group, the Earth Liberation Front) are active each and every night in cities and towns around the globe. Whether we're here to help publicize their activities through the pages of *Underground*, the Animal Liberation Front carefully plans and executes daring raids and liberations designed to immediately save the lives of animals.

Helping to spread the message of the A.L.F. and the E.L.F. are the amazing folks working out of the Press Offices. Like those involved with the NA-ALF Supporters Group, Press Officers are independent, above-ground activists who support the efforts of underground liberationists. Both the E.L.F. and the A.L.F. have dedicated volunteer Press Officers contacting media, distributing press releases and communiqués, doing interviews and more often then not, bearing the brunt of police and government harassment as the State tries to destroy our movement. Inside you'll find an article focusing on Craig Rosbraugh, Press Officer for the Earth Liberation Front. Repeatedly raided by police and harassed by the Grand Jury system, Craig is an inspiration to all of us for his determination to support the warriors of the E.L.F. and stand strong against the bullying tactics of the State. As government repression becomes more aggressive, our Press Officers should be both congratulated and supported by all of us. Learn more about how you can contact and support the E.L.F. Press Office and the North American A.L.F. Press Office inside the following pages...

Letters to Underground



PHILIPPINE ANARCHOPUNK

Hello hardworking people at the NAALFSG! Greetings from the Philippines!

We've wanted to contact you for a while but we haven't had much chance. I'm busy writing to a few other contacts too, and I'm a very poor person, but don't plan to surrender - we keep on our struggle to help inform activists here about earth and animal liberation. A very good friend of mine lent me money to write to you. I'm out of a job for almost a year now, due to our country's (ever) worsening economic and unemployment crisis. Anyway, included is some SFAPP newsletters. SFAPP have 26 chapters all over the Philippines. The newsletter reports what was done by each chapter. We mostly report on direct actions and street protest through autonomist, anti-authoritarian, and anarchist/anarchopunk perspectives. You know, most of the environmental and animal awareness organizations here are supported and sponsored by multinationals like Shell, Petron, Caltex, Nesle, Proctor and Gamble, Unilever, etc., if not supported/affiliated with fascistic-nationalist leftist "blocks" in order to further their authoritarian-Socialist agendas. But we're not like them.
I'm here to seek possible support from you, be it donations of old reading materials, or listings of animal and environmental groups we could share with our supporters. At any rate, that" it for now. Take care
B@n
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PHILIPPINES

BEHIND BARS IN NORWAY

Dear NA-ALFSG,
Hi, I thought that I should write a few words to you before it takes too long. First of all, I want to thank you for the tremendous support I have been given in the form of letters from all over the world. I live on an island outside of Bergen, the second largest city of Norway. You could walk across this island in less than five minutes, but since the locals used the island for depots of garbage of all kinds up to 1900, the soil is extremely fertile. When I got here the 10th of August (99) the island was basically self-supported with potatoes, carrots, cauliflowers, leek, cabbage and tomatoes. We, the prisoners, live in small houses scattered on a meow. I live with three other guys, and sometimes it works out alright, other times not. But there's no violence here, since everybody is so afraid of being sent from here back to the ordinary 23-hours-in-a-cell, one-hour-of-air prison. I've never been there, but I guess they know what they fear. I have the impression that not so many people know the circumstances around our arrest and our trial, and I think I'll write an article on it in the near future. Basically, every known animal rights activist in the district was arrested a week after the last action, the one against the local slaughterhouse, and after a couple of months they had used the elimination method, helped by some unwilling informers that were fooled by the police, and it led to the final arrests of me and Aaron. The whole case has been a sitcom of lies -- journalists selling information to the police for news in return - Aaron's custody for about two months with little or no food (he lost over 10 kilos). But I will write and article and send it to you. I go to "school" in the daytime, so I can do it then. This was just a thank-you for all the support. It's surely appreciated! Love, Arild.

Arild Eriksen, Postboks 43, 5726 Vaksdal, Norway

PENPALS ANYONE?

Dear NA-ALFSG,
I was given your address and told that you often have



Submit!

Send us your letters, articles, tactics and tips. We want to hear from you!

requests for pen pals. I was wondering if you could print a small ad for me as I'm always looking for new people to write to and will respond to all letters. My name is Nina, I'm an Aussie girl, single and 31 years old. I'm looking for long term pen pals. Thanks for your time!

Nina Grose
Lot 3 Hatchman Crt. Elimbah, QLD 4516, Australia

THE POPE SAYS: "SET 'EM FREE!"

Hello to all activists!
I'm a total opponent to organized religion, but I cant help thinking that it would be to our benefit if we had "the church" behind us, in order to gain public assistance and support. After all, this is the most conservative country in the western world, with more Catholics than Italy and Spain combined.

It is said to be the most righteous act to protect the most vulnerable creatures; and as long as we aren't hurting people, I can't see how the church could condemn us. If we had "religious" support, the majority of the American public might take another look at our activities.

I'm just wondering if anyone has ever considered this, because we need all the support we can get. What's wrong with using the "church" for the purpose of saving "God's creatures?" The "church" has been using "us" for centuries for far less righteous reasons. To all of you out there on the front, may "God" (or what ever you call it) be with you!
INGO

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS DON'T LIKE US

Greetings ALF SG!

I am glad to support the actions of the ALF and as always wish the ALF and the SG victory in all their endeavors! Today I send some good news and some not so good news. First, the not so good news: The Underground publication you send has been rejected. I am currently preparing to file an action against several members of the State and it's slaves. I shall apply this civil violation of your right to communicate with me, and my right to communicate (through publications) with you, the ALF and members of. If the ALF has any legal challenges against this kind of oppression or already has a list of prisons in the U.S. that allow Underground, please send it so that I may have more "ammo" for the legal feud! Now, onto the good news: Soon my captors may be forced to release me. An attorney has recently been appointed to represent my challenges in the Pueblo County District Court. After more than two years of appeals the courts have upheld my sentence and conviction; Now, I challenge the constitutionality of both. My challenges are strong and will affect hundreds, if not thousands of captives in the stomach of the "brutal totalitarian state" government.

Once released I shall continue to oppose the brutal State! I have become a product of my environment, the natural force of resistance to those who would imprison the people's will and intelligence for Capitalist/Totalitarian goals. I wrote a poem about "it" that I'm sending you.

For Evolution, For Revolution, For Change!
In Solidarity,
James Ray Howard #65679
SCF/DOC Box 6000, Sterling, CO 80751, USA
James is one of many readers of Underground currently behind bars for non-ALF related activities. Issue #14 of Underground was rejected by the Colorado Dept. of Corrections because we "Advocate civil disobedience and destruction of property." Who, us?

I AM (Poem #2)
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like the sky
between earth & stars
encompassing the
world.
through change
evolution & revolution
I am created
Free!
-James Ray

News Briefs

FINNISH LIBERATION UPDATES

Greetings to all our friends! Here's some news from Finland, rounding out the end of 1999 and into 2000. Although there has been some promising actions held recently, such as the energetic demonstrations at the EU Summit, things have been a bit quite here recently over all. Many activists are facing legal developments with cases that have been dragging on for the past two years, and from which we're still trying to disentangle ourselves!

Some news: It seems that we might be getting a special law that targets animal activists, especially those charged with fur farm raids. Productions facilities and offices of large corporations might also be included in domestic peace regulations, meaning stricter sentences for demonstrators and animal liberators. For example, even the attempt to dye fur animals with henna could mean an automatic 2 years in prison!

Two years have passed now since a fur farmer in Orimattila shot at five activists accused of dying fur animals with harmless henna dye. The case against both the farmer and the activists recently heated up again, but this time farmer is facing stricter criminal status. He has been convicted of three counts of attempted manslaughter. Jail time is out, however, since this is the first time he's run amok shooting people in the back. The activists in question are accused of breaking the domestic peace, and will be going to the High court.

In Tampere, four animal rights activists had their fines dropped in appeal court. The four were arrested for leafleting outside of a store, disappointing the arresting cops. This sentence hopefully ends the constant police harassment that has impeded campaigns in Tampere.

Over all, 1999 has been a lot quieter with regards to direct action, when compared to the year before. 1998 had over 150 reported cases of illegal direct action, but 99 had only 55. Still, 1999 saw several huge fur farm raids and other animal liberations, plus one big incendiary attack against highway constructions, so the tension is still there. During 1999, there were 19 hits against fur stores, nine fur farm raids (including two incendiary attacks), one attempt to burn out a fur farm feed Centre, two cases of animal liberations, nine hits against highway construction, 50 or more hunting platforms destroyed, as well as nine other actions. Hopefully, this year will prove to be even more dramatic!

For more information on a wide range of political action in Finland why not contact the excellent publication Muutoksen Kevat. Write to
Muutoksen Kevat,
PL 847, 33101 Tampere

JUSTIN SAMUEL SUPPORT FUND (NORTH AMERICA) WEB SITE!



The Justin Samuel Support Fund was established by animal activists to aid US activist, Justin Samuel, after he was arrested on an international warrant in Belgium. In 1998 a Grand Jury indicted Justin on 6 counts relating to fur farm releases in Wisconsin in 1997. Justin was arrest in Belgium and is currently awaiting extradition back to Wisconsin. Justin needs our support more than ever!

Please visit this site for information on Justin's status, updates related to his case, and where to donate badly needed funds. The site also has information on grand juries, and lots more. Email The Justin Samuel Support Fund (North America)

http://www.nocompromise.org/justin/supportweb.htm
email: usjssf@hotmail.com

FED. APPEALS COURT BACKS STRONGER MIRANDA SHIELD

SAN FRANCISCO: A federal appeals court ruled in November that police can be hit with civil suits if they continue to pressure a suspect who has been advised of the right to remain silent under the Supreme Court's historic 1966 Miranda ruling. The 9th Circuit Court of Appeals, wading into an increasing debate over the Miranda decision, gave it a boost by linking it directly to constitutional protections against self-incrimination.

"Officers who intentionally violate the rights protected by Miranda must expect to have to defend themselves in civil actions," the court's three judge panel said in its decision.

Charles Weisselberg, a law professor at Boalt Hall law school at the University of California, Berkeley, said the court's decision would have an immediate effect on how suspects are treated in police stations around the state.

Now, when a suspect invokes the right to remain silent, the police must be silent, too, no longer free to ignore the assertion and strong-arm a confession.

AUTHORITIES FEAR A.L.F. CYBER-WARRIORS

OTTAWA - Online animal activist's campaign of digital demonstrations against opponents has sparked RCMP fears of an escalation in so-called "cyber-sabotage."

An intelligence brief prepared by the Mounties reveals concern about the efforts of activists to disable the Internet Web sites of animal abusers.

The report refers to the Tactical Internet Response Network, which organized "electronic civil disobedience" actions against two fur dealers and a vivisection laboratory late last year.

Meanwhile, the ALF's Internet Division is hard at work, focusing actions against animal abusers on the Internet. According to the RCMP, the radical animal rights organization claimed to have already cracked numerous computer systems and copied files.

A copy of the secret intelligence brief was released under the Access to Information Act, although several passages of the document were deleted because of continuing investigations.

The RCMP says activists use computer networks to gather information, communicate and spread the message of animal liberation. But there are also indications some groups see the Internet as an offensive tool.

The Response Network claimed that more than 800 people from 15 countries, including Canada, took part in a "virtual sit-in" Jan. 15/99, effectively shutting down the Web site of a Swedish vivisection laboratory by deluging it with messages. "The Tactical Internet Response Network is pleased to have shown once again that `David' can have some effect against the `Goliath,'" said the group's report on the effort.

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E.L.F. SPOKESPERSON RAIDED, HARRASSED BY FBI/ATF AGENTS; FEDERAL GRAND JURY DRAGS ON

PORTLAND, OR - Earth Liberation Front (E.L.F.) spokesperson, Craig Rosebraugh, had his home raided early February 1 by FBI and ATF agents hell-bent on finding information on the Earth Liberation Front. For nearly six hours agents searched and seized a virtual truckload of property presumably related to Mr. Rosebraugh's work publicizing the actions of the underground group.

Some 15 federal law enforcement personnel from the ATF and FBI entered Rosebraugh's home with guns drawn and a search warrant allowing the search of his home and vehicle. Simultaneously, FBI and ATF agents also raided the offices of Liberation Collective in Portland, where Rosebraugh previously worked.

"As it is obvious the law enforcement has no idea who is succeeding with economic sabotage in this country, it seems only fitting that they are going to target and harass the public spokesperson", Rosebraugh commented after the raid.

Mr. Rosebraugh was also issued a subpoena to testify before a federal grand jury in , which is investigating recent actions by the E.L.F. This is Rosebraugh's fifth subpoena he has received to testify before a grand jury in three years.

Since 1997 Rosebraugh has acted as a spokesman for both the Earth Liberation Front and the Animal Liberation Front, as they claimed responsibility for $15.6 million worth of arsons and other attacks, including the record $12 million burning of ski resort buildings in Vail, Colo., on Dec. 18, 1998. Rosebraugh, 27, issued press releases about the arsons but insisted that he knew nothing about the crimes, saying he merely passed along communiqués that he had received anonymously.

"There have been a number of ELF actions since December, and I think they're really getting frustrated because they haven't indicted anybody or sentenced anybody," Rosebraugh told the press.

Search warrant documents filed in U.S. District Court in Portland show that at least

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12 agents from the FBI; U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms; and U.S. Forest Service raided Rosebraugh's home as well as his former office with the Liberation Collective, a non-profit social action group that Rosebraugh helped form in
March 1996.

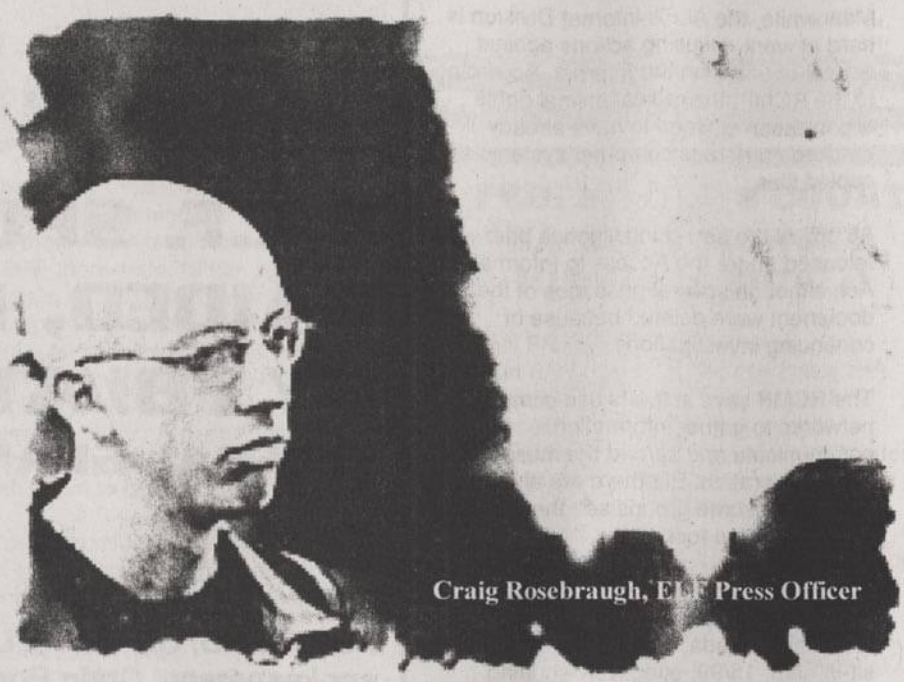
The search warrant documents showed that the agents, besides hoping to solve the Vail arson, also sought evidence to track down activists involved in a $400,000 arson Dec. 31, 1999, at Michigan State University's animal research facility in East Lansing, Mich.; a $1 million arson on Christmas at the Boise Cascade Corp. office in Monmouth; a $500,000 arson on Dec. 27, 1998, at the headquarters of U.S. Forest Industries Inc. in Medford; a $350,000 arson on Nov. 29, 1997 at the U.S. Bureau of Land Management's wild horse corral near Burns; and a $1.4 million fire at the Cavel West meat processing plant in Redmond.

The documents also showed that the agents hoped to identify the parties who released about 9,700 mink on May 30, 1997, from breeding boxes at the Arritola Mink Farm in Mount Angel. The loss from that incident has been estimated at $300,000.

DECLARED A TARGET OF FEDERAL GRAND JURY

Officially declared as a target of a federal grand jury by the U.S. Department of Justice, Rosebraugh was subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury on February 29th. As spokesperson for the E.L.F. and at times the A.L.F., Rosebraugh receives anonymous communications from unknown activists and passes them on to the media. He has no knowledge of the individuals conducting the activities of the E.L.F. and A.L.F. but exercises his first amendment right to freedom of speech in publicising and verbally supporting the actions.

In grand jury proceedings witnesses commanded to testify do not have the usual constitutional right to have an attorney present in the courtroom, or their 5th amendment right to remain silent. Those refusing to testify can be held in contempt of court for up to 18 months. When the Grand Jury convened on the



Craig Rosebraugh, ELF Press Officer

29th, Rosebraugh was determined to exercised his fifth amendment right to remain silent, risking contempt charges and jail time.

For 45 minutes the assistant US attorney and grand jury asked Craig questions in the investigation of ELF and ALF actions from 1997 through the present. He took the fifth amendment to all the questions excluding his name. He was released after the questioning and handed an order to compel testimony in late march. Craig took notes of all the questions asked inside the room. "I feel the public has a right to know what and who is being investigated in these secret proceedings."

Rosebraugh was asked about specific ELF actions; any prior knowledge of actions before they were committed; his philosophy on arson; the source of communiqués; membership to email lists; as well as questions about various individuals involved with animal rights groups including others who have spoken out on behalf of the A.L.F. and E.L.F.

On April 26, Craig appeared yet again before a federal grand jury in Portland. After two hours of intense questioning the Assistant U.S. Attorney released Craig while commanding him to reappear in late May. Authorities wanted to know more about the nature of the E.L.F. Press Office, asking questions about press released, web sites, communiqués and how Craig received information on ELF actions.

To a few of the questions Craig took the Fifth Amendment. He stated afterwards, "Most of the questions I simply could not recall the answers to. This is why out of frustration the Assistant U.S. Attorney asked about my alleged memory problem. I offered no information whatsoever that will aid in the investigation into the Boise Cascade fire nor any other ELF or ALF action.

"I sincerely thank everyone who participated in the day of action against state repression. The media response has been excellent."

MORE DELAYS

One hundred people gathered in front of the US Federal Courthouse on May 24, to protest the harassment of activists by the unjust grand jury system. Rosebraugh and animal/environmental activist Josh Harper of Seattle were commanded to testify regarding several actions of economic sabotage claimed by the E.L.F. and the A.L.F. Rosebraugh's subpoena was called off late May 23, stating that the grand jury didn't have the time to deal with both him and Harper. Rosebraugh, is to be recalled in either June or July of this year. Josh Harper, who recently received his first subpoena while fighting whaling in the Olympic Peninsula , decided to defy the grand jury subpoena completely

by not only not verbally cooperating, but also not showing up at all. He released the below statement declaring his complete non-cooperation. He is facing contempt charges and up to 18 months imprisonment.

JOSH'S STATEMENT:

"My name is Josh Harper, I am a green anarchist currently residing in Seattle, WA. I was recently attempting to interfere in the killing of whales off of the Olympic Peninsula when the vessel I was aboard was surrounded by the coast guard. I was boarded and issued a subpoena commanding me to appear May 24th in Portland, OR. I have decided to defy this subpoena and wish to explain my decision to fellow activists.

First and foremost, this world is dying. All that is beautiful about the world is being destroyed and paved over. The animals are being either killed or turned into machines for human consumption. Our society, which was for thousands of years mostly peaceful and egalitarian, is now filled with neurosis, discontent, and alienation. But there is more out there! All of our rage, all of our anger at this system can be focused into positive action. This grand jury wants to stop that positive action. Although the ALF and ELF are only small parts of a larger effort for autonomy, freedom, and a progression to an intact earth, they are important because they show us that we can fight back, and WE CAN WIN! I will not betray them by speaking with their enemies.

Secondly, as an anarchist I would never willingly cooperate with the grand jury system. The very idea that this government presumes they can command me to do anything shows how very little they know me. My life is my own, my thoughts are my own, and what I decide to do will not be dictated to me by judges, attorneys, and their lackeys with guns. If they want me, let them come and get me. They can drag me to the grand jury room, but they can never make me speak. I send Craig Rosebraugh all of my respect. He has faced down this grand jury, and even though he has chosen a different tactic than me, I understand his motivations. The media he is gaining is invaluable- he is awakening even more people to the path of resistance. To the ALF and ELF- I do not know you, but I send you my endless admiration. Keep fighting. You are my sisters and brothers, perhaps someday you can remove the masks so that we may celebrate victory together. Until then, let us all remain in utter defiance of those who would try to stop us."

SUPPORT THE PRESS OFFICE

The North American Earth Liberation Front Press Office is a legal, above-ground news service dedicated to exposing the political and social motives behind the covert direct actions of the underground Earth Liberation Front. The North American Earth Liberation Front Press Office receives anonymous communiqués from the underground Earth Liberation Front and distributes the message to the media and public nation-wide. We provide a public face ideologically in support of the Earth Liberation Front and similar acts of economic sabotage against those who profit from the destruction of the natural environment. We are contacted by the media and the public nation-wide to provide information behind the political and social motives of Earth Liberation Front actions, and the tactical necessity of covert direct action. Because of this type of work, individuals who are looking to learn more about these issues have a place to turn, and the public who may be ignorant to the actions and motives of the Earth Liberation Front are exposed to more frequent and in-depth media coverage.

The Press Office could not exist without the monetary support of those who understand the necessity of a public face to argue the tactical importance of clandestine direct action against those who profit from the destruction of the natural environment. Donations are needed to pay bills, printing and shipping costs of information we distribute relating to the Earth Liberation Front, and to help pay legal fees of those who are being charged crimes relating to Earth Liberation Front actions.

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SIDE BAR: Craig's statement at the Portland protest (March 1)

Hello and thank you all for coming out today to protest against state repression and grand juries. As you know, the federal grand jury which has convened in Portland is not just an attack on me but an attack on everyone who cares about justice, freedom, and making the world a better place for every form of life to exist. The stated object of this grand jury is to investigate the actions of the Earth Liberation Front and Animal Liberation Front from 1997 through the present. Since 1997, both groups have been responsible for inflicting over $16 million on entities which profit off the destruction of the environment and exploitation of life.

Here is a brief summary of recent actions by these underground organizations under investigation by this grand jury:
1)Mid-1997: The Animal Liberation Front claimed credit for releasing over 10,000 mink from a fur farm in Mt. Angel, OR.
2)Mid-1997 - The Animal Liberation Front claimed credit for a fire which completely destroyed the Cavel West Horse Slaughterhouse in Redmond, OR. The slaughterhouse was unable to be rebuilt.
3)November 29, 1997 - The ALF and ELF jointly claimed credit for the horse release and fire at a Bureau of Land Management Horse Corral in Burns, OR.
4)October 1998 - The ELF burned Vail in an attempt to stop the 885 acre expansion into prime lynx habitat. Over $12 million in damages.
5)December 26, 1998 - ELF claimed credit for destroying US Forest Industries in Medford, OR. Over $500,000 in damages.
6)December 25, 1999 - ELF claims credit for destroying the Northwest headquarters of Boise Cascade.
7)December 31, 1999 - ELF claims credit for a fire at Michigan State University which targeted a genetic engineering program funded in part by Monsanto. Over $400,000 in damages.
8)January, 2000 - ELF claims credit for a fire which destroyed a new house in a development which threatened the watershed which supplies drinking water to the Bloomington, IN area. Over $200,000 in damages.
9)February 9, 2000 - ELF claims credit for sabotaging a genetic engineering program

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LAWMAKERS TARGET ECO-ACTIVISM

OREGON: Two Oregon lawmakers, supported by Attorney General Hardy Myers, have drafted a bill that would make repeat "eco-terrorism" punishable under the state's racketeering statute.

The proposal -- authored by Rep. Bob Jenson, R-Pendleton, and Rep. Lane Shetterly, R-Dallas -- would add crimes against agricultural enterprises, research laboratories and livestock operations to the state's Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organisation Act. The RICO statute, designed to combat criminal organisations, would stiffen penalties for persistent sabotage of such businesses as cattle ranches, logging sites, research labs and fur farms.

Since 1996, groups such as the Animal Liberation Front and the Earth Liberation Front have taken credit for or been named as leading suspects in seven major actions in Oregon, including six arsons. Damage from those strikes -- aimed at logging, mink ranching, food production and wilderness development -- has totalled more than $13 million.

Persistent operations by animal and earth activists has plagued Oregon businesses exploiting natural resources for two decades. Jenson and Shetterly, who represent rural districts, hope that boosting punishment for these activities will deter organised groups of saboteurs.

People who commit arson and other actions deemed "violent" by the state will typically face stiff prison terms. But if they vandalise or steal from research facilities, logging operations or livestock businesses in Oregon, they face misdemeanour or lesser felony charges, which carry maximum penalties of one to five years in prison and $5,000 to $100,000 in fines.

If the Legislature adds the vandalism and theft crimes to the RICO statute, people who commit two or more of the crimes within five years could be charged with Class A felonies punishable by up to 20 years in prison and a $300,000 fine.

"They're nuts if they think more penalties are going to deter animal liberation activists," said David Barbarash, Press Officer for the Animal Liberation Front. "The ALF liberates animals and sabotages fur farms and other enterprises out of compassion for living creatures, he said. "Why don't you just make it a life sentence? It doesn't make any difference to animal activists."

The same for radical environmentalists, said veteran activist Jim Flynn of Southern Willamette Earth First.

"I think this is just typical of the way our society works," he said. "They try to (add) more laws and more jails and police instead of looking at the root problem -- why people take such extreme measures. They are already risking their liberty."

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funded in part by Quaker Oats at the University of Minnesota in St. Paul. In all of these actions, not one individual has been caught by federal authorities. In 1997-1998 a federal grand jury convened in Portland to investigate ELF and ALF action at that time. I received four subpoenas during a six month time period commanding me to aid in the investigations. I refused. The grand jury term expired with no indictments, a best case scenario. A federal grand jury is still convened in Colorado which harassed and subpoenaed Ancient Forest Rescue activists there last year. The same occurred in Minneapolis, where the ALF Press Office was stationed at that time.

What this amounts to is a massive fishing expedition to try to stop the actions and the publicizing of the actions of underground groups successfully hitting unjust entities in a place they will listen to, their pocketbook. Of course, since federal authorities have no idea who is conducting these actions they have decided to place pressure on the main person they can identify, the spokesperson. On February 2, 2000 my home, vehicle and former office was raided by the FBI, BATF, and US Forest Service. After a six hour search, hundreds of items of property were seized. This is an obvious attempt to stop the publicizing of the actions. It didn't work. Two more ELF actions occurred after the raid and I was able to assist in getting the news out to national media.

Grand jury harassment to social movements is nothing new. In recent years grand juries have targeted the Black Panther Party, the American Indian Movement, the anti-war movement of the 60s and 70s, the Puerto Rican Independence Movement, and more. The grand jury system is the strong arm of the US Government. In the federal proceedings those called to testify do not have the right to counsel in the grand jury room nor the right to take the fifth amendment unchallenged during questioning. Those who do take the fifth amendment and remain silent are subject to contempt charges and may be held up to eighteen months in prison. The US Attorneys office has already made it known that they will be offering me immunity. I will be taking the fifth amendment to all questions excluding my name even after I have been given immunity. I feel that to co-operate with this grand jury or any for that matter is such an unjust, and immoral act, I will knowingly run the risk of

THE NIGHTTIME GARDENER



-A guide for the shy gardener in North Amerika-

Greetings. The following guide was put together for the WTO gathering in the hopes that people from all over the continent would find this informational useful and inspiring. The corporate biotechnology onslaught embodies the New World Order perhaps better than any other issue. Johnna Appleseed of Reclaim the Seeds, one of several nighttime gardening groups, describes it well: "If you care about wildlife and think the natural world is fine without mutant genes, you should resist genetic engineering. If you care about social justice and don't want to poison farm workers with pesticides and herbicides, you should resist genetic engineering. If you care about biological and cultural diversity as opposed to a global corporate monoculture, you should resist genetic engineering. If you care about laboratory animals and don't want researchers creating hybrid genetic monsters, you should resist genetic engineering. If you eat food, you should resist genetic engineering. If not you, then who? If not now, when? Resistance to genetic engineering is as transnational as capital."

A section on computer security will be released with a future draft of this guide. Please be sure to check it out. There are numerous benefits of encryption technology and anonymous web-surfing. Also, a read-through of the essential book Ecodefense will be most helpful, in particular the "Security" chapter.

These GE plants are held captive as biotech slaves. By harvesting them early, we free them from the bonds of corporate servitude. Remember this while gardening because sometimes it feels strange to garden in this manner. Life is sacred, which is why we garden at night in the first place. May nighttime gardening flourish here as it has in Europe and other lands around the globe.

AND SO, READ ON...

imprisonment. Grand juries need to be abolished. Grand juries originated in the 1100s in England. They came to the United States with the settlers and still exist today. Yet in England they were abolished in 1933 on the grounds that they are a waste of resources and are unjust. Only public ignorance allows them to continue in the United States.

The US Government realizes that with all its massive weaponry, the power lies in the hands of the people if only we recognize this. The ELF and ALF are representations of the people's struggle against a murderous government operating in a societal ideology which promotes monetary gain and property over life. We must indeed realize that state sanctioned protests do nothing more than ease consciences while reinforcing the farce of this democratic society. The state wants you to stand there holding signs, co-operating with authorities in marches and protests, obeying all laws while promoting passivity. Perhaps it is time for something more. Perhaps it is time to really change things.

The state cannot stop the people once the people are determined. We must now become determined. Not to engage in senseless acts of terrorism or violence, for we must leave those atrocities up to this government. Rather we must see what needs to be done and do it. We must recognize the true source of societal problems and work to abolish it. Only then do we have a chance at a just society.

The actions of the Earth Liberation Front, Animal Liberation Front and similar underground organizations are continually on the increase. These individuals could be anyone. Librarians, doctors, lawyers, grocery clerks, garbage collectors, bicycle messengers, housewives, anyone. What are you doing tonight?

READ ISHMAEL, READ THE WEATHER UNDERGROUND, THINK. ACT. TRY SOMETHING NEW. HAVE COURAGE.

EVENING ATTIRE FOR THE NIGHTTIME GARDENER

Gardening is a very dirty job. For the least hassle it is recommended to wear a complete set of old clothes that can easily be discarded in dumpsters after gardening. Don't be cheap. It's really necessary, even if like us, you hate wasting anything. Black evening attire is the most appropriate for shy gardeners. You may get very wet and cold, so wear appropriate cold-weather and rain gear. Have some comfortable clean clothes and shoes to change into before you get home.

A forensic scientist can tell roughly where you've been from the composition of the dirt and soil that you will have picked up on your travels. Say, for instance, you've been gardening at a Monsanto test site of GE corn, then traces of earth will be upon you, as will traces of plant life, such as pollen that you may have brushed against.

These traces are used to put you at a certain place, and in some instances, at a certain time. Once again, it is best to dispose of any gardening clothing. i.e. give up your attachment to your clothes! And before you leave for the action, empty your pockets and don't bring along anything (even to leave in a vehicle) you don't need and wouldn't want to see in court.

On soft surfaces, such as mud, earth, dog shit, etc., shoe impressions will be left behind. From these marks identification can be made. The only sensible thing to do is to wear old shoes and to throw them a long way away immediately afterwards. Shoes (and clothes) will also carry traces away with them, such as oil, gas, glass splinters and other such gardening giveaways. Don't wear them in your vehicle or in your home. When gardening in urban areas, consider the impact that you may have on a passer-by wearing all black from head to toe. Wearing inconspicuous clothes such as dark pants and a hooded sweatshirt may serve the purpose.

Make sure you don't have activist bumper stickers on your action vehicle. A "Smash The State" sticker may narrow down the pool of suspects.

Gardening just after a spraying of RoundUp, Liberty or other toxic herbicides may pose a grave threat to the health-conscious gardener Gore-Tex or rubber rain gear (cheaply purchased or easily stolen from Wal-Mart) as well as medical masks, and chemical-protective gloves (Home Depot, etc.) are necessary. It is possible to find out from county extension offices whether or not there is a particular timing for spraying of certain local crops. Particularly sensitive gardeners may want to hit BT or other pest-resistant crops rather than Roundup-Ready/ Liberty Link (herbicide tolerant) crops. It is more likely that commercial GE. crops (those grown for market) will be sprayed. Be careful!

THE NIGHTTIME GARDENERS TOOLBOX



The tools you use for gardening will vary, but for some crops you won't need any at all. Your hands in good work gloves (for fingerprint guard and protection) will do just fine. Gardening without tools is great when the crops are easy enough to rip up by hand because you'll have less weight to carry, and less gear to accidentally leave at the site or get nabbed with. Night gardeners have had success with rolling their bodies over the crops as well, but this may only bend certain crops at certain ages, instead of damaging them beyond repair.

However, some GE crops (older trees, for example) are nearly impossible to take out without tools. Some people like to use saws, scythes, machetes, hoes, shears, or other gardening tools, but it's really a personal preference. Think simple and streamlined. Ever try to carry a machete over barbed wire? Not easy! They can sometimes be too much trouble, too time consuming, or difficult to part with after gardening. One group reported that a long metal pole pushed across one or two rows of corn (dubbed the California Corn Cutter") worked well for quick, convenient, and energy-efficient gardening. Be creative. Practice beforehand if you are using any fancy methods.

Bolt cutters are good for getting through locked gates or into greenhouses. Another technique for gaining access into glass greenhouses is to duck tape a square one could crawl through, and then punch it in. The tape will muffle sound by absorbing the blow and keeping the glass from scattering all over the ground. There are also hand-held, manual, spring-loaded punches which paramedics use to break glass on car windows that work very well. Corrugated plastic greenhouses can be cut into with a sharp knife as well.

Another tool for rows of some crops is a strong board with holes in both ends through which a rope is strung. The board is placed on the ground, and then the gardener puts a foot on top of it and lifts up the rope to a comfortable waist height. Then, the gardener can go step by step stomping down the crops, and avoid stooping or kneeling on the ground, which can easily get very tiring.

Lots of tactics have been created since the need for nighttime gardening came about to survive in this modern (biotech) world. If not properly handled, some tools can also be a serious safety issue.

If you do use any tools, make sure they are cleaned of all fingerprints before taken on site. A good way to clear up those pesky fingerprints is with warm, soapy water. In a time-crunch, extensive rubbing with cloth can be satisfactory. Be thorough: even the batteries inside a flashlight have been touched, and you wouldn't want to drop anything while you were out and about!

On the subject of dropping things, it's easy to lose things such as jewelry and glasses when working hard in the garden, so take them off beforehand or make sure they are secure. If something is dropped (especially a hat with hair stuck to it) it might be a good idea to go back and get it if it's not too sketch.

Entry and exit of the site is often the most risky aspect of nighttime excursions. If you need to use a vehicle, it's worth parking away from your gardening and walking in, as tires leave those horrible distinctive marks and can accumulate soils that are easily identified. Leave someone with your vehicle, as there can be unexpected people about, and make sure the driver has a reason to be where s/he is. A pair of people making out can be a good

excuse, or a problem getting the car started. Better yet, have a driver who can quickly pick you up when done gardening. The driver might need to come around at several different times before the final pick-up in order to make sure the gardening is going well. Set up an interval of time (such as 15 minutes) for the driver to wait and come around again if nobody's at the pick-up site. This way if you're running late, you don't miss your only chance for a pick-up.

If the site is located in a residential neighborhood, a drop-off may look suspicious. Therefore, it may be appropriate to have two different pick-up and drop-off points, and possibly alternate sites as well if access is cut off in one place. It is also essential to plan an emergency pick-up time/place where a crew can run to and hide all night if they are detected and the cops are crawling around the neighborhood.

When you're waiting by the road for a car, you can't make out what kind of vehicle it is until the last second because of the headlight glare. One technique is to leave some distinctive marker, such as a bag of trash (not yours) or a can at certain place by the road. When the driver comes by, if the marker is no longer there, s/he knows to pull over and pick up the crew. Another method is for the driver to flash a turn signal during the approach if there is clearly no place a regular vehicle would be turning, and that way the crew can identify their ride to safety. Lastly and best of all, get radios (see below).

Remember when you get home to vacuum and clean the whole car. Oh, and get rid of your directions, too!

For a smooth night of gardening it is best to bring along a reliable set of radios and a scanner. Remove all serial numbers on the radios, and make sure you purchase them discreetly and with cash. Ear pieces work best while gardening because they free up your hands. Check everything thoroughly before you leave, wipe them down, and have extra batteries. You can then be in communication with your driver (and other gardeners) and they can alert you to any possible disturbances.

THE BEST TIME TO GO

The best gardening time for the shy gardener is obviously at night. And at the new moon is better than when it is full. You have two main choices: early a.m. is quite dead, but remember how long the job will take, starting earlier in the evening will give you more of an excuse to be out and about. Try and start at a time that provides you with enough time to garden thoroughly for the specific site and have a buffer for the drop-offs/pick-ups if they take longer than expected, which is common. Agricultural areas or neighborhood garden plots can be a busy place as farmers usually get an early start on the day, sometimes before dawn. At this time a flash-beam or light of any sort will draw attention. Cover flashlights with blue or red saran wrap, tinted tape, or a gel to filter the stark white light into something more subtle.

It is worth bearing in mind that when it's raining hard it will wash away most traces and provide visual and audio cover. You'll often get drenched from the dew alone. It is a good idea to scout your site of interest at many different times throughout the day/night to get a clear idea of what the scene is like.

An all-night recon is a really good idea to make sure the garden is right for you. There may be cameras at university test sites/greenhouses or biotech corporation labs/sites/greenhouses. For the main part, these cameras serve to deter potential "gardeners," and instill a healthy sense of paranoia. Paranoia, Nah! Those who are careful stay free!

HOW TO SPOT YOUR CROP



Firstly, the timing of your harvest is important if you want to actually sabotage their research and cause economic damage. Too early could let them replant, and too late could harvest their crop for them! Just before flowering obviously prevents the mutant genes from escaping through the plant's pollen, and if you can't get it by then, you can cut down the plant before the seeds are fully developed. Don't just harvest the beans or corncob either, harvest the whole plant from the stalk/stems, or better yet, pull it right up out of the ground. A slick trick would be to bag up some of the offending matter and leave it on the doorstep of the facility, or on your local USDA or State Ag. Dept.'s doorstep!

It's important to research WHAT you are targeting and WHO. Considering how pervasive commercial GE crops are, it's a good idea to target research, both at universities and corporate facilities (is there really any difference?). Industry links up with local farmers as "co-operators" to grow seed and test varieties in their fields, often in return for advertising their more impressive trials with big signs advertising the company and the variety. Oftentimes you may see signs for a certain company's seed trials in a field that is obviously belonging to a small farmer (there may be a house and driveway and family-type items around the yard). Targeting these types of sites will likely bring into question the intentions of night gardeners and may confuse the message of opposing the Ag-Biotech industry by targeting already desperate farmers.

On occasion you may be able to identify a commercial crop that is being grown specifically for a company, or on gribusiness farmland where no family is present. You can sometimes find these type of sites by checking out property maps ("Plats") at the County tax assessor's office in the County Building closest to your target crop (or the local library, but they often don't have current maps), or through the LEXUS property records database at your local library.

This is also a good process for locating corporate facilities not listed in the phone book (or on www.yellowpages.net). If you know the address of a facility or a plot of fields, a quick search on the county assessor's web site will tell you the value of the property, the acreage, and possibly the types of structures on the site.

The basic reality is that commercial GE crops cover 20 million acres of American farmland, and attacking random commercial fields is simply not strategic, especially when there are so many better research targets. If a research project is "nipped in the bud," so to speak, it may never make it to the commercial market!

For example, the same colorful signs that

hug the backroads are often posted in the same fashion in front of rows of research crops at corporate facilities, often boasting the "Roundup Ready" or "YIELDGUARD" trait, depending on the company. Bt crops are often listed on signs by a certain variety number ending in Bt. Corn and Soybeans are the most common GE crops, both commercially and in research. But at universities, one might also see a wide variety of GE crops including sunflowers, alfalfa, and wheat.

A helpful, but not infallible, tool for zeroing in on your target crop is the U.S. government database Field Trials listed through the USDA/APHIS web site. You can request searches of current trial notifications and permits as well as registered trials by state, crop, institution or phenotype (GE trait). The results will tell you the states these trials are being performed in, the acreage of the trial, and a contact person, usually a company researcher, for information.

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU GET THERE

Obviously the number of people you need will depend on the size of the GE site. Most sites can be done quite happily with 2-4 gardeners. The actual work could be 1 hour, or it could be all night. For larger sites you may need many gardeners, but it's harder to avoid detection in larger numbers. Again, make sure you're suitably dressed and scout out the site extensively, including in/out routes and an emergency escape plan/meeting place if things go awry. The group should decide what to do if confronted with an angry farmer. Instead of everyone scattering on their own, we strongly recommend sticking together as a group, at least at first, and then making a call to scatter if necessary.



Remember, a well-placed sheet over a camera can have a rather numbing effect on their security. A well-placed kick or spray paint shot over the lens can do the same.

The goal is to destroy the plants: you will either have to snap them off at the stem, or when uprooted pull them apart at times. At a release site in East Anglia (England), sugar beet was uprooted and left lying on the site. It was later replanted by the farmer (and later still, dug up by concerned gardeners and removed from the site). In 1987, the Strawberry Liberation Front in the U.S. pulled up a crop of strawberries that were to be sprayed with ice-minus bacteria. For the photo opportunity the next day, the scientist placed the strawberries back in the holes from which they'd been pulled.

Remember, the test sites are experiments (with our future). If your aim is to disrupt this misguided experiment then you may not need to destroy all of the crop. Destroying 50-75% of the research plants will call into question any data collected. It will also disrupt the experiment if all the markers and identification tags are scattered around or taken, but be safe. Don't stick them in your closet. Make the garden messy, and it is less likely to be considered salvageable. Scattering bags and bags of organic or non/GE seeds can also ruin a test site and spread a little bit of consciousness as well. A good idea is to scatter seed in the beginning of the season and not issue a communiqué about it until a month later. By that time, your seeds have wreaked havoc on the GE varieties.

Don't forget to target irrigation equipment, greenhouses, solar thermometers and the like. Groups such as Reclaim The Seeds and the Future Farmers have sabotaged thousands of dollars of this sort of equipment in different actions. It is suggested that computers, data files, clipboards with research information, and other documentation should be removed for our own research, or quietly destroyed.

WHAT YOU WILL BE GARDENING

Canola (Oilseed Rape) There are two different breeds of canola that you might be gardening, winter and spring. The spring crop is sown mid March and April, and harvested late September to mid October. The winter crop is sown late August to mid September, flowering during May and is harvested mid July - mid August.



The plant has erect branching stems up to three feet high bearing deep-lobed, grass green, bristly lower leaves and lobed blue upper leaves, with distinctive yellow flowers. It may be harvested early by breaking the stalk of the plant. This can be achieved by holding a large disposable stick outstretched and falling onto a row of the crop. The California Corn Cutter is used the same way.

Corn (Maize) Corn is usually sown in late March early April and is harvested from July onward, depending on the region. It has a single main stem with irregular long thin drooping leaves. It can be harvested in the same way as canola. A good snap is enough to finish off the corn plant.

Tomatoes This crop is usually sown in seedbeds at the end of winter and then transplanted to the test fields between late March and early April. It is then harvested between mid-July and early September. They have a main stem with branches. Each branch produces a green fruit that turn red with ripening. To harvest early, pull or dig up the plant and snap the main stem.

Wheat Winter wheat is sown between late September and early October. Summer wheat is sown in early March and harvested in August or September. When young it is difficult to distinguish from barley, both of which look like large-leafed grasses, but as they grow you can see that wheat has a much larger head. To harvest when young, pull up, if older use a "grass hook" (a type of crescent shaped knife).

Barley Spring barley is sown February to March and harvested mid-May to mid-August. The winter crop is sown September to October and harvested July to August. Garden the same as wheat. Sugar Beet

This crop is sown in seedbeds in late February and then transplanted to the fields between late March and late April, and is then harvested in early November. It has a whitish conical root that produces a lot of stems each with a single irregular green, lobed leaf as well as a garland of flowers. It can be harvested early by pulling or digging up the crop and removing the root bit from the leaves and scattering in opposite directions.

Potato There are lots of varieties of GE potatoes grown in North Amerika, many of which would be appropriate to garden. The description and the growing times of the plants will depend on the variety, but generally potato plants look like straggly tomato plants with either small yellow flowers or small green flowers. To harvest early, pull or dig up the plant and snap the main stem and pull apart or smash the root.

GE Forestry Weyerhaeuser, International Paper, Westvaco, and Boise Cascade, among others, are working in conjunction with the oil industry ($hell) and universities to create GE trees for herbicide tolerance, higher growth rates, improved fiber yield/ uniformity, salt tolerance, and much much more! Douglas fir, eucalyptus, banana, papaya, walnut, radiata pine, loblolly pine, Amerikan sweetgum, poplar, European larch, white spruce, orange, kiwifruit, cottonwood, alder and elm are all being genetically mutated and mutilated.

GE trees take a lot more energy, time, tools and research. For nighttime forestry it is important to have the right tools. Saws, hand saws, loppers, pruning tools, and ring-barking/girdling equipment are essential. Sometimes just good old brute force can bring down a small sapling. Or you can just snap it in two with your gloved hands. For small seedlings, cutting and pulling work together to make sure they not only are out of the earth, but cannot be put back in. Apparently, our distant cousins in England used a tool to "ring-bark" trees, which involves cutting a ring into the bark in a complete circle, which will end the tree's life. They also used knives to cut away the bark. The benefits of this silent method hold great potential.

Some GE tree sites are absolutely enormous and you can easily get lost in them. Others are small plots that won□t take much time. Research sites generally have various sizes of trees, so come prepared accordingly. Frankentrees will most likely be out in the fields year round and are part of long-term research. Years of research have gone into them, so be meticulous in your work. Nighttime forestry works because the potency of economic sabotage is strongly felt at the frankenforest institution.

GE trees are also likely to be in pots in greenhouses at the research sites. Greenhouses can be spray painted, stink-bombed, broken, and have every pot within them emptied.

LINKS AND RESOURCES:

U.S. Dept. of Agriculture/Animal Plant and Health Inspection Service (APHIS). Database of GE organisms released.

Bioengineering Action Network links to more research, action news, etc.

–Genetix Alert: Receives anonymous communiques from nighttime gardeners and communicates with the press. galert@angelfire.com

Genetic Engineering Network (UK)

Mapquest. Print out a map and driving directions to your site.

Yellowpages. Run a statewide or local search for an institution in your area.

--There are so many resources on the internet for locating sites and researchers that space does not allow for further information. But it's all out there for you to learn!

This guide is available in booklet form from the NA-ALFSG Distro, for $2. Nighttime Gardener can be contacted directly at: Nighttimegardeners@angelfire.com



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URBAN CAMOFLAGE: ALF ACTIONS UNMASKED
(OR THE WODERFUL WORLD OF UNMASKED ALF ACTIONS)

The following is just one example of many potential "unmasked" A.L.F. actions individuals or groups can participate in. We're interested in hearing from you about other actions that are quick, easy and effective in the war against animal ab/use. Send us your tips and tactics, and perhaps we can make this a regular item in each issue of *Underground*. Just remember, with any action you carry out, make safety and security your main concern. No fingerprints, no witnesses, no traces means no troubles.

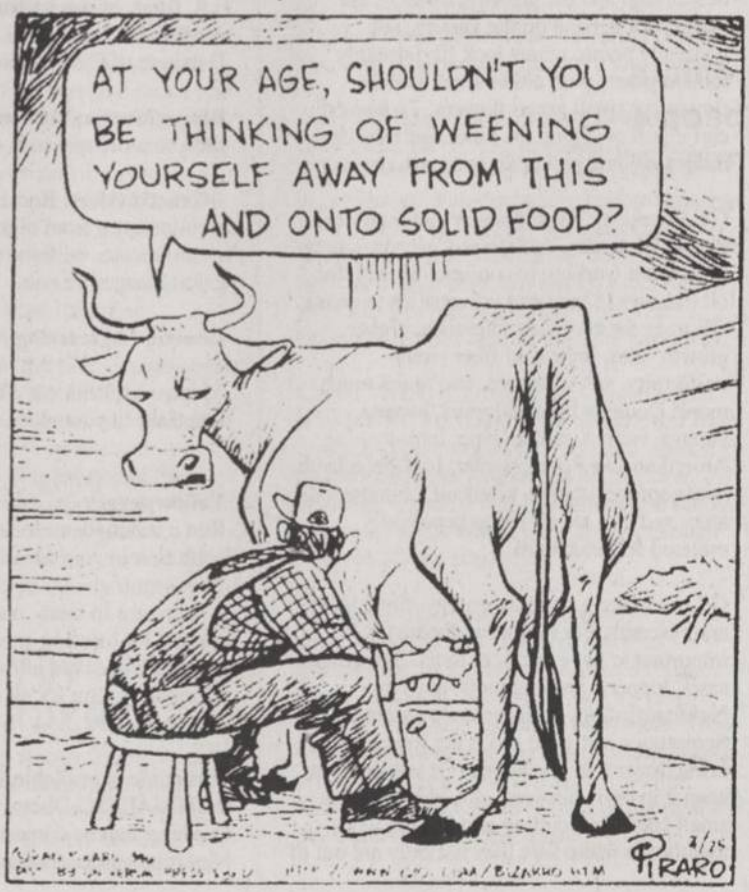
Hi. I am a member of an ALF cell in a highly populated city on the east coast. Though our clandestine actions are often done with black masks in the dark of night, many of our actions are done in the middle of the day without any masks to hide our identity. One great example of one of our unmasked - or urban camouflage - campaigns was when we targeted grocery and hardware stores in our town that sold mouse and rat glue traps. Not only are these traps unnecessary, but they are extremely cruel and inhumane. Our goal was to prevent consumers from purchasing these devices and to stop stores from selling these devices. All live and humane traps would remain on the shelves.

Our "urban cammmo" consisted of very nice clothes. Remember, people DO judge you based on your appearance. Now is not the time to show off that "Meat is Murder" or "A. L.F." T-shirt. Also make sure you've walked up and down some aisles and that you have some groceries in your cart. Nothing will catch management's or security's attention more than someone pushing around an empty cart for an hour or so.

Once we began our "shopping," we would fill our carts with all the rodent glue traps on display and then snap or break off the UPC bar code that management usually scans when it's time to re-order. Next, we would push our carts towards any in-store garbage cans (the deli or cafeteria sections having the most). When nobody was looking we would throw all of the traps into the garbage bags making sure to cover the traps with real garbage. (Make sure your garbage can is dot directly visible to any security cameras where you may be monitored from !)

Though this tactic was often successful, it was not 100% effective. We would often find the damaged glue traps replaced on the shelf the following day. We quickly solved this problem by filling our carts with veal, chicken, turkey, cow, fish, eggs, etc. Then, after getting all of the glue traps, we would browse the aisles, opening the glue traps and permanently affixed them to the dead animal parts, thus insuring that if found they could not simply be placed back on the shelves the following day. This tactic also causes hundreds of dollars of damage to the animal products themselves! Again, always remove the UPC bar code that is used for reordering. This is important, as we found that without removing the UPC codes, there would soon be a fresh order filling the shelves. Without UPC codes, most stores seem to simply forget or just not know to order more. After about 3 or 4 weeks of this continually and persistently happening, the stores would quit selling glue traps.

Be creative! Get stores in your area to stop selling glue traps, ant traps, wasp-killer, roach-motel, be traps, mole traps, etc. Creativity and persistence are the keys. The last time I was at one of the main grocery stores we had targeted, they still were not selling glue traps! A successful action, even without the mask!



DIARY OF ACTIONS



This issue's Diary of Action is dedicated to Bert, one of 19 rabbits liberated by US activists on a raid against a breeding facility in Philomath, OR. Bert died of complications from cancer. Since his liberation, Bert was a living reminder of the importance of militant protest, and even helped two people become vegan. Bert will be missed by many, but hopefully his legacy will continue and more animals will share his taste of freedom.

The Diary of Action is intended to report the news of direct action for earth and animal liberation, not to encourage your young and impressionable minds towards committing criminal acts, etc. etc. All reports come from communiqués, other publications, the internet and news reports. Some of the actions took place during time periods covered by other issues of *Underground*, but were not known to us until recently.

CANADA

OCTOBER 31/99: Saanich, B.C. -- An underground group opposed to genetic engineering (GE) destroyed approximately 1000 trees grown for GE research at the Western Forest Products (Westfor) Saanich Forestry Centre. The "Genetix Goblins" levelled various sizes of cedar, douglas fir, and assorted evergreen trees at the corporate research facility and charged Westfor with intending to replace temperate rainforests with "genetically mutilated frankenforests." Westfor is also known for their insidious logging of the Great Bear Rainforest-habitat for the BC spirit bear.

NOVEMBER 17/99: Summerland, B.C. - An underground group opposed to genetic engineering (GE) destroyed several hundred genetically engineered (GE) fruit trees at Okanagan Biotechnology Inc. The group calls itself the "WTO Welcome Committee" because they "wanted to communicate clearly the future of ag-biotech in our country to the upcoming World Trade organisation meeting in Seattle," according to the communiqué.

DECEMBER 9/99: Victoria, B.C. -- 16-hundred packages of turkey parts at a Victoria grocery chain were recalled and examined by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency after anonymous callers claimed the packages of Lilydale turkey parts were injected with poison.

DECEMBER 26/99: Niagara Falls, ON -- threats of arson plague Marine Land, an infamous marine park, following the death of a beluga whale. Page, the beluga whale, had been brought to Marineland from Russia last fall. Marine experts determined the animal was killed by stress.

JANUARY 13/00: Toronto, ON -- Two billboards for Swiss Chalet (chicken shop) redecorated with slogans like, "Bird Killers," Meat Kills," "Death...Death...Death!"

JANUARY 16/00: Toronto, ON - Fur store hit with slogans, including, "Fur Kills," "Murderers," "Death." Enterance blocked by garbage from the neighbourhood.

FEBUARY 16/00: Elaho Valley, BC -- The Lorax took responsibility for spiking hundreds of ancient trees in areas approved for clearcut logging this year. The purpose of the tree



spiking is to protect grizzly bear habitat and to deter international Forest Products from clearcutting this ancient coastal rainforest, located on Native land northwest of Whistler, BC. Hundreds of black bears and a small number of grizzlies inhabit the rugged mountains and canyons near the Elaho River. The Lorax encourages wood buyers worldwide to boycott InterFor. The company is destroying a unique cedar, hemlock and Douglas fir forest that is thousands of years old, without regard for wildlife, water quality or Native land claims. The Elaho River area is the southernmost remnant of grizzly bear habitat on the west coast of North America. Five and ten inch spikes were driven into trees north of Mile 63 on the Elaho Main and Elaho Main West logging roads. An area north of Cessna Creek, and proposed roadways, were spiked, along with the following cutblocks: 101-9, 102-52, 102-52A, 102-52B, 102-54, 102-55.

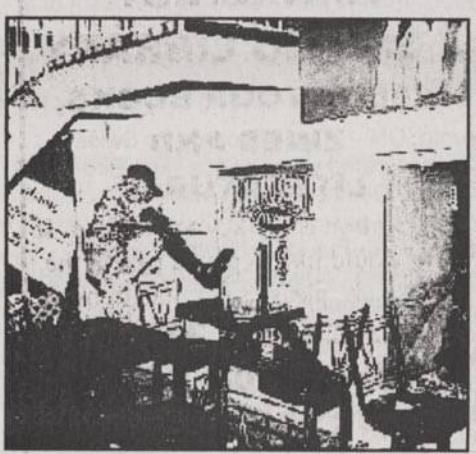
UNITED STATES

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JULY 8/99: Huntington Station, LI -- Poultry Packing and Provisions Distribution had five trucks monkey-wrenched, had their windows smashed, were spraypainted with the slogans, "ALF", "go vegan", "innocent life is under attack", and the slogans "we will shut you down!", and in bold letters "ALF" were found on the side of the facility.

JULY 14/99: Huntington, LI -- Macy's in the Walt Whitman Mall was spraypainted with the slogans "fur is murder", and "ALF".



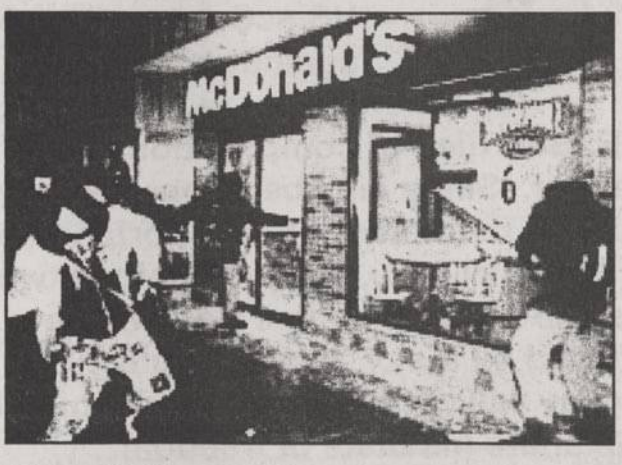
JULY 20/99: Garden City, LI -- two Adjacent Fur sellers had their storefront windows smashed, and the slogans "fur is murder", and "ALF" spraypainted.

JULY 26/99: Huntington, LI -- Bloomingdales at the Walt Whitman Mall had 20+ windows broken, and the ALF went in to smash mannequins and merchandise. The stores exterior displayed the slogans "fur is murder", "ALF", and "boycott federated"

AUGUST 12/99: Huntington, LI -- Macy's In the Walt Whitman Mall was spaypainted with the slogans "ALF," "fur is murder," "boycott macy's," and the front sidewalk was painted with bold letters saying "NO FUR!".

AUGUST 20/99: Huntington, LI -- Bayshore Furs had 5 windows broken and the slogans "fur is murder", and "ALF", spray painted.

AUGUST 22/99: Bloomington IN -- two pieces of machinery were torched and destroyed at the controversial Deer Park development by the ELF. One was a John Deere Grader, and the other was a steam roller. This happened as an armed guard slept on duty. He later said he chased someone into the woods. This did not happen. The member(s) leisurely strolled away and were not chased. The fire engine was not dispatched until more than a half hour after the fire was set. The development of this area marks the destruction of one of the last green spaces within Bloomington's city limits. It is forcing the community to be more car dependent as well. -E.L.F.



AUGUST 26/99: West Islip, LI -- Annie a 26 year old, Vietnamese macaque monkey was liberated from it's showcase "prison", at BTJ's Jungle Pet-store. The ALF state she has been moved to sanctuary and is being rehabilitated and introduced to others of her kind.

SEPTEMBER 14/99: Huntington, LI -- Bayshore Furs had 4 windows broken and the slogans "close your store" and "ALF" spray painted.

SEPTEMBER 14/99: Sayville, LI -- John Pappas Furs had 5 windows broken and the slogans "fur is murder", and "ALF" spray painted.

SEPTEMBER 14/99: Cold Spring Hills, LI -- Furs of Cold Spring Hills had their front window smashed and "fur is murder" spray painted; a Butcher shop adjacent to the Fur store had it's windows broken as well, and the slogans "go vegan" and "ALF" were spray painted.

OCTOBER/99 -- 80+ razor blade laced envelopes were delivered to members of vivisection industry who 'experiment'

on non-human primates. Specifically targeted were those from Regional Primate Centers across the United States. Included was note warning they have until autumn of 2000 to quit vivisection industry, or be subjected to violence which is incomparable to booby trapped letters. - the Justice Department

OCTOBER 15/99: Garden City, LI -- McDonald's had their windows smashed, and the slogans "go vegan" and "ALF", spraypainted on walls.

OCTOBER 15/99: Jericho, LI -- McDonald's had their windows smashed and the slogans "go vegan" and "ALF", spraypainted on walls.

OCTOBER 15/99: Hicksville, LI -- McDonald's had their windows smashed and the slogans "go vegan" and "ALF", spraypainted.

OCTOBER 15/99: Syosett, LI -- McDonald's had their windows smashed and the slogans "go vegan" and "ALF", spraypainted.

OCTOBER 16/99: Nassau, LI -- the Animal Liberation Front attacked four McDonalds outlets. Total damage costs from the broken windows and spray paint exceeded $23,000.

OCTOBER 22/99: Warwick, R.I. - Four vans belonging to Warwick furrier Harold Harris of Harris Furs were torched by the A.L.F. The vans were parked at the store, located at 641 Bald Hill Rd., when activists set them on fire at approx. 4:30 am. The initials "ALF" were spray painted at the scene, on the walls of the fur store. Damage was estimated at US-$50,000, as one van was a total write-off.

OCTOBER 23/99: Bloomington, IN -- 6 pieces of logging equipment on two different sites in the Morgan-Monroe State Forest were hit by activists. Two skidders had their gas tanks loaded with sand, as did a 4-wheeler, and a logging truck that had a loader attached. A bulldozer had its engine filled with sand. A second logging truck had the engine filled with sand, several hoses cut, a couple of tires flattened, and "no profit for ecocide" was painted on the side of the truck. These operators were destroying our public lands for profit. -E.L.F.

OCTOBER 24/99: Bellingham, WA - A.L.F. activists raided the Western Washington University department of psychology animal labs in Miller Hall, liberating 3 rabbits and 28 rats and destroying 2 offices, including the office of notorious and sadistic primate "researcher" Merle Prim.

The entire contents of Prim's office - including all research papers and books on surgical technique were piled on the floor and soaked in 2 gallons of muriatic acid. The office of the animal "caretaker" was devastated and all documents related to animal torture destroyed.

From the communiqué: "We entered the building after midnight, first destroying Prim's lifetime of research derived from torturing primates, and seizing crucial documents related to animal research. We then made our way to the animal labs in the basement, locating a set of keys in an unlocked office. We made our way through the animal rooms, entering 7 rooms and rescuing 3 rabbits and 28 rats from the hands of deranged vvivisectors. Sadly we were unable to liberate 8 rabbits due to



electrode implants, but documented their horrendous condition on video. We also came across large lizards that were not able to be liberated."

OCTOBER 25/99: Los Angeles, CA -- six female mice shipped from NIH to USC were intercepted by the A.L.F. during a courier route transit in Los Angeles. The mice were listed on attached paperwork to be free from infection, and were moved to a home where they won't ever be maimed, sliced, poked, prodded, or tortured by any other laboratory horror.

OCTOBER 25/99: Chandler, MN -- Gunnik fox and lynx farm at 446 80th Ave. was hit for the second time this year, and 5 lynx were released.

OCTOBER 27/99: Eau Claire, WI -- An underground group opposed to genetic engineering (GE) broke windows at the Pioneer Hi-Bred facility. "Seeds of Resistance" charged Pioneer and other proponents of GE with deceiving the public and profiting off of growing GE crops. According to the communiqué: "We, Seeds of Resistance, smashed all the windows on one side of their disgusting building. Wisconsin is now another state that cannot hide from this growing resistance against GE culture." This action

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is the thirteenth known non-violent
destruction of GE crops or other property in the U.S. this year.

OCTOBER 31/99: Chevy Chase, MD -- Miller's Furs had 2 display windows etched.

OCTOBER 31/99: Washington, DC -- Andriana's Furs had 2 display windows etched.

OCTOBER 23/99: Eatontown, NJ -- "Fur Kills" spraypainted on Macy's storefront facing Rt. 35 at the Monmouth Mall. Actions like this will continue until Macy's stops selling fur. -A.L.F.

OCTOBER 29/99: Woodbridge, NJ -- "A.L.F." was etched into one large display window and the glass door at Woodbridge Furs. -A.L.F.

OCT/NOVEMBER/99: Miami FL -- Furs by Flora had its main display window broken. Falls Leather Gallery has its windows and glass door broken on 4 separate occasions. Mcdonalds had its main window with the golden arches smashed. The drive thru was sprayed with "meat is murder" and "ALF". a leather company truck was sprayed with "ALF" and another leather store had its window smashed. The other Mcdonalds had their windows broken out and "ALF" sprayed on drive thru.

NOVEMBER/99: Binghamton, NY -- anti-cruelty activists deployed foul-smelling--but harmless--substances in areas of a Holiday Inn reserved for rodeo activities this weekend.

NOVEMBER 1/99: Woodland Hills, CA -- Woodland Hills Furriers Inc. (22894 Ventura Blvd.) had all windows smashed with several rocks, and was painted with slogans. "We have ample rocks... Do they have enough windows?"

NOVEMBER 1/99: Dallas, TX -- The home of Murray Marcus of Marcus Furs was attacked. Marcus Furs is a major dealer of rabbit skins. His van was spray painted with "rabbit Killer" and "ALF".

NOVEMBER 1/99: Seattle, WA - Seattle's downtown Gap store was firebombed. No one was injured in the Molotov cocktail-induced blaze, which damaged nearly $7,000 worth of blandly attractive clothing. Potential suspects range from early WTO protesters to savvy Gap advertising reps launching their new ad campaign, "Everybody On Fire."

NOVEMBER 12/99: New York, NY -- A billboard put up by the Gap which HAD read "Everyone in leather" had been "altered" to read "Everyone in Death." The billboard was 10 stories high and in the center of Times Square, so the police were simply amazed and confused as to how anyone could get up there and mess with the billboard.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Utah -- The Beckstead Mink Ranch at 11196 South Redwood Road was raided by activists. Breading cards were destroyed and mink were released.

NOVEMBER 14/99: Dallas, TX -- The home of Murry Marcus, Marcus Furs, was attacked again. Road spikes were left under his tires.

NOVEMBER 14/99: Dallas, TX -- A large plate glass window was destroyed at Nordstroms department stores.



NOVEMBER 14/99: Dallas, TX -- A window was shot out at Baubles and Beads, a used clothing store that sells fur.

NOVEMBER 14/99: Dallas, TX -- A portion of fence around Morris Kaye and Sons Fur Co. was cut down. This fence was erected after previous attacks. The entire building was covered with spray painted slogans. A mouse trap found behind the building was destroyed.

NOVEMBER 14/99: Dallas, TX -- The downtown Bifano Furs location was attacked. Windows on the building were smashed. Four windows on their delivery van were smashed, all four tires were slashed, all of the van locks were glued, the windshield wipers were broken off, the entire van was paint stripped and the front license plate was damaged. A garden hose was sliced up and Bifano's own bricks from their planter were used to inflict much of the damage.

"We break windows but fur farmers break animals necks. Those animals feel pain but these windows do not. This war will continue. If furriers are smart they will leave their business now. Anyone in this bloody, cruel industry
will lose out. The war is on."

NOVEMBER 19/99: Puyallup, WA -- The Animal Liberation Front took a stand against the commodification of life by raiding

the Washington State Univ. Dept. of Animal Sciences Poultry. From the Communiqué: "We smashed out a window and entered the lab, making our way to the animal rooms which were found to be empty. We proceeded to smash every computer and piece of lab equipment in the facility. The instruments of torture once used to experiment on live birds have now been reduced to a mere pile of rubble. This action is dedicated to the accused ALF prisoner, Justin Samuel - you are not forgotten. And to the 9+ billion murdered in America each year for food and science, we're doing all we can. -ALF"

NOVEMBER 26/99: Puyallup, WA/Seattle WA -- The Washington Tree Improvement Association" paid a visit to two locations involved in the genetic mutilation of trees. Both UW and WSU are doing research to aid corporations in the complete destruction of forests world-wide. Most of the research is on the Populus family, an "economically important" tree, valued for its fast growth and ease of manipulation. "Tree improvement" took place at WSU facilities in Puyallup where massive groves of genetically modified cottonwoods and poplars loom, threatening native forests. A greenhouse was slashed into and all research materials inside were sabotaged. Water lines and hoses were cut, every pot was emptied and smashed, and the soil was spread throughout the greenhouse. All of this was done under the watchful eye of increased, roving security because just last week the Avian Health Center at Puyallup was sabotaged by the Animal Liberation Front in resistance to the commodification of life. It's clear that persistence pays off and that they can't stop us no matter how much they spend on security.

NOVEMBER 29/99: Seattle, WA -- Anti-trade protesters attacked a McDonald's Corp. restaurant in downtown Seattle, venting their rage against global trade talks. Several demonstrators, some wearing ski caps, masks and bandannas, smashed windows at the restaurant, while others -- carrying a banner protesting the genetic engineering of food -- jumped on the roof of a city bus. At the McDonald's restaurant just four blocks from the convention center where the WTO meeting was being held, police cleared customers from the shop and then locked the doors. Demonstrators, part of a crowd of 400 to 500, ripped down advertising placards and pasted their own signs on the outside of the restaurant.



Washington State University's Poultry lab taken out by the ALF

NOVEMBER 30/99: Seattle, WA - An activist crowd called "The Black Bloc (a loosely organised cluster of affinity groups and Individuals) roamed downtown Seattle for over 5 hours, breaking windows and doors and defacing of facades of banks, fast food outlets and multinational companies. Slingshots, newspaper boxes, sledge hammers, mallets, crowbars and nail-pullers were used to strategically destroy corporate property and gain access (one of the three targeted Starbucks and Niketown were looted). Glass etching solution, paint-balls and spray-paint were also used. Among the targets were (to name just a few): Fidelity Investment (major investor in Occidental Petroleum, the bane of the U'wa tribe in Columbia);Bank of America, US Bancorp, Key Bank and Washington Mutual Bank (financial institutions key in the expansion of corporate repression);Old Navy, Banana Republic and the GAP (as Fisher family businesses, rapers of Northwest forest lands and sweatshop laborers); NikeTown and Levi's (whose overpriced products are made in sweatshops); McDonald's (slave-wage fast-food peddlers responsible for destruction of tropical rainforests for grazing land and slaughter of animals); Starbucks (peddlers of an addictive substance whose products are harvested at below-poverty wages by farmers who are forced to destroy their own forests in the process); Warner Bros. (media monopolists); Planet Hollywood (for being Planet Hollywood). McDonalds Corp. closed down five locations during the WTO, for fear of attack.

DECEMBER 5/99: Little Shelter, LI: a female pitbull due to be euthanized due to legal matters was liberated.

DECEMBER 20/99: Fulton, CA -- Four firebombs were left at a chicken processing plant. One device was triggered inside the Fulton Processors Inc. facility, but it was faulty and there was no damage. The devices consisted of light bulbs, batteries and plastic bottles filled with a flammable liquid. Police said the light bulbs were supposed to ignite paper that would set off the liquid. Flammable liquid was also poured on items scattered throughout the building. The plant processes up to 140,000 chickens a week from a ranch located across the street.

JANUARY 1/00: East Lansing, MI - Fire burned offices on the third and fourth floors of Michigan State University's Agriculture Hall, and caused extensive water damage throughout the building. Investigators found evidence of accelerants used to spread the fire. Many computers and office materials were destroyed and part of the roof was damaged. The last large-scale fire at MSU occurred in Anthony Hall on Feb. 28, 1992, when animal-research files compiled over 30 years were burned and laboratories and offices vandalised. A communiqué sent by the E.L.F. stated, "Our destination was room 324, the offices of Catherine Ives et al. The project being conducted through this office is funded by Monsanto and USAID (United States Agency for International Development) and was designed to not only pursue research concerning genetically engineered sweet potatoes, corn and other crop vegetables, but to lobby developing countries to abandon their current agricultural practices and to rely on genetically engineered plants and thus corporations like Monsanto."



JANUARY 2/00: Miami County, OH - the home of an animal abuser was visited and two dogs were freed from cages and sent to good homes. Activists found the dogs were covered in their own faeces and have spent the entire winter in sub-freezing temperatures in a 5x4 ft. cage with food only given to them weekly, with no water. The windows on the houses were smashed. Later that night a woman who works with the nearby dog-pound to get roaming/stray dogs put to sleep had her windows smashed and the windshield of her car etched.
- A.L.F. OHIO

JANUARY 3/00: Santa Rosa, CA -- Three separate buildings at a Petaluma meatpacking company were hit in an arson attack. Devices were placed in an office, a truck depot and a third in a storage building, causing about $250,000 in damage and partially destroyed three company trucks. The fires were about 75 feet apart and all started around the same time. "If the fires hadn't been noticed, the whole place could have been destroyed," the owner stated.

JANUARY 5/00: Stanwood, WA -- The Animal Liberation liberated 23 rabbits from R&R Research and Rabbitry, a research facility and laboratory animal breeder. According to the communiqué: "We entered the compound in the early morning hours and emptied a shed containing their entire next day's shipment of rabbits. These beautiful creatures were slated for delivery to pharmaceutical R&D labs and gory trauma research at Seattle-area hospitals. We were unable to gain access to the labs and damage was minimal, but 23 rabbits have been placed in loving homes where they will live out their lives free from torture at the hands of sadistic biomedical researchers." -A.L.F.

JANUARY 11/00: Albany, CA -- In celebration of U.S. Senate Resolution 200, which designates January 2000 as "National Biotechnology Month," the nighttime gardeners of Reclaim the Seeds ushered in the upcoming gardening season with a raid on a federal biotechnology research facility. Having cut our way into a greenhouse containing transgenic wheat, Reclaim the Seeds proceeded to destroy over half the crop and ruin the experiment. RCTS chose the Western Regional Research Center (WRRC) of the U.S.D.A.'s Agricultural Research Service for their enterprise. The USDA operates this facility along with the University of California's Plant Gene Expression Center. This facility is also notorious for its research on transgenic corn, tomatoes, and potatoes, as well as the genetic manipulation of fruit tree DNA in its labs.

JANUARY 14/00 : Salt Lake City, UT -- After a lull three-year period, the Animal Liberation Front (ALF) is back in Salt Lake, visiting Millies Burgers, at 2092 South 1000 East. The store was "decorated" with "MEAT IS MURDER" and "ALF" slogans. Diamond Lil's Steakhouse, at 460 South 1000 East, was "remodelled" with smashed windows and "adorned" with various animal rights slogans.

JANUARY 18/00: Bridgewater, NJ -- Flemington Furs billboard inside the Somerset County Ballpark was splashed with red paint. An empty billboard space in centerfield was painted to read, "FUR IS VIOLENCE. THERE IS NO EXCUSE FOR CRUELTY." -A.L.F.

JANUARY 20/00: Salt Lake City, UT -- The following meat businesses were sabotaged with smashed windows: Honey Baked Ham, 1915 East Murray Holiday Road; Apollo Burger, 2254 East 4800 South.

JANUARY 20/00: Long Island, NY -- Dimitri Furs and Leather in East Northport Had all its windows broken, graffiti on the walls and six locks glued shut. Drakopoulos' store has incurred damages estimated at $7,000 to $8,000. Four other fur stores were also vandalised on the same night.

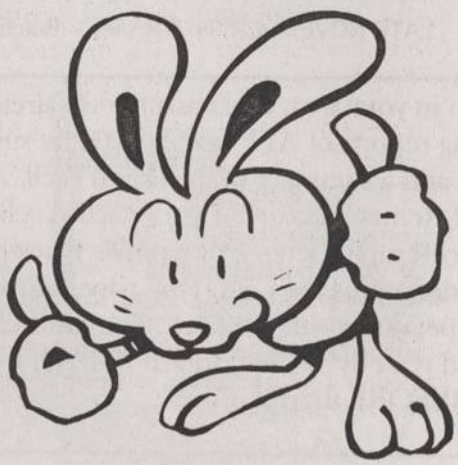
JANUARY 22/00: Washington, DC -- The ALF splashed six display windows with etching cream at Andriana Furs.

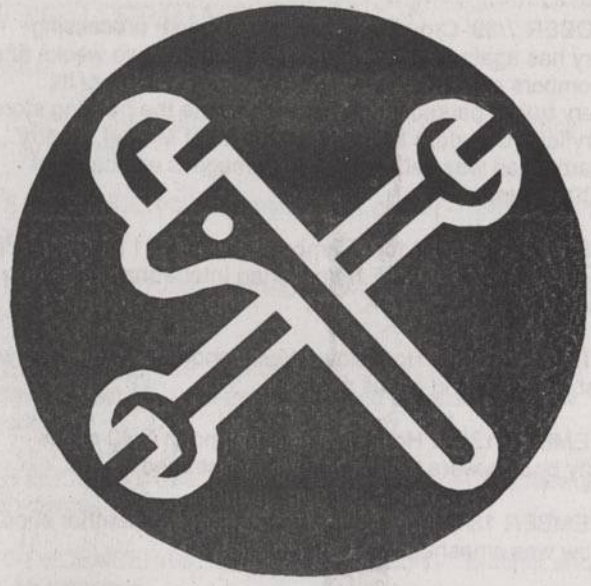
JANUARY 23/00: Bloomington, IN - The E.L.F. paid a late night visit to the Sterling Woods development, torching one house that was under construction. It was completely destroyed. The walls had caved in by the time the fire department arrived. Damage has been assessed at $200,000. When finished the house was to be worth $700,000. "No Sprawl, ELF" was painted on the developers sign. The house was targeted because the sprawling development it is located in is in the Lake Monroe Watershed. This is the drinking water supply for the town of Bloomington, IN and the surrounding area. It is already being jeopardised by existing development and roads.-E.L.F.

JANUARY 24/00: Elwood, LI - A.L.F. visited the facilities of OakTree Dairy distributors, breaking the windows of four delivery trucks, and inflicted other economic damage. Oaktree is Long Island's largest dairy distributor and bottling facility.

FEBUARY 8/00: Bellingham, WA -- activists broke into the basement of Miller Hall at Western Washington University, writing the phrases "Murder happens in here" and "Teaching how to murder" on two of the basement's entry doors. Police are comparing the handwriting to the messages spray-painted on the wall in photographs of the Miller Hall break-in by activists from the Animal Liberation Front last fall.

FEBUARY 9/00: St. Pauls, MN - E.L.F. activists paid a visit to Green Hall at the University of Minnesota, targeting the transgenetic oat research crops. The targeted research was conducted by professors David Sommers and Howard Rines. All oats found in the greenhouse were destroyed. Spray-painted messages were left, and the locks glued. "Let this be a warning to the university of Minnesota and the biotech. industry that if they continue to destroy the earth's bio-diversity, their profits will continue to fall. The ELF is always watching. stop genetic engineering, or we will!"





FEBUARY 9/00: Chestnut Hill, MA -- A huge 5 alarm inferno consumed Jay Lannad Furs, at 200 Boylston Street.

FEBUARY 9/00: Rockville, MD -- Chicken Out Rotisserie had two windows smashed out.

FEBUARY 12/00: Flemington/Burlington/North Brunswick, NJ: Approximately $2000 worth of merchandise in Burlington Coat Factory stores was slashed with a razor. Burlington Coat Factory and any other store selling fur, whether giant department stores, small fashion boutiques or anything in between, must now realise that all of their merchandise is subject to these attacks. If they continue to deal in the skins of innocent animals murdered for vanity and greed, we will continue to make it unprofitable. IF THERE IS FUR ON THE RACKS, EVERYTHING GETS SLASHED!!! -A.L.F.

FEBUARY 27/00: San Francisco, CA -- 30 windows and display cases were shattered at Neiman Marcus' Union Square store. The action occurred about 2:30 a.m. and caused more than $250,000 damage, police said. On the side of the store, the initials ``ALF" were spray-painted in blue 2-foot-high letters. The following day two people attending an anti-fur demo at the store were arrested.

ENGLAND

SEPTEMBER 28/99: Stepney Green, E London -- Chicken shop, meat shop, betting shop windows smashed.

SEPTEMBER 28/99: Whitechapel, E London -- Perfect Fried Chicken, leather shop, butchers shop windows smashed.

OCTOBER 30/99: Darlington, Co. Durham -- "The Northern Self Appointed Guardians of the Environment" trashed a field of genetically modified oil seed rape at a farm near Hutton Magna.

OCTOBER 7/99: Croydon, S London - A meat processing factory has again been the target of arsonists, two weeks after fire bombers caused a blaze which wrecked seven of its delivery trucks parked in the yard. This time the packing store of Cherryfield (Croydon) Ltd in Whistlers Meat Market, Cherry Orchard Road was set alight. The damage is estimated at 150,000 pounds.

NOVEMBER 6/99: Wyton, Cambridgeshire -- 71 beagle puppies were liberated by the ALF from Harlan Interfauna, one of the largest breeders in the UK.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- 5 windows were smashed displaying circus posters.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- 40 circus display boards were taken away and destroyed.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- leather shop window was smashed, locks super-glued.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- Pizza Hut door smashed.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- Kingston butcher shop, slogans painted, window smashed.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- Walthamstow, slogans painted on several shops.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- Bethnal Green, butcher shop window smashed.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Hounslow, West London -- Natwest bank, window smashed."

NOVEMBER 13/99: Carshalton, Surrey -- A group of ALF activists by-passed elaborate security measures at the BIBRA laboratories by cutting through the roof. They entered one of the labs and rescued 140 chicks who were into the fourth day of an experiment, and all of these have already been found good homes. The activists trashed all the lab equipment beyond repair and took away a considerable amount of documentation, including details of those who work at the labs.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Islington -- Pizza House windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Islington -- Burger King windows smashed.



LATE NOVEMBER/99: Hounslow: Supermarket windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Old Street -- Leather Shop windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Old Street -- Butchers shop windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Old Street -- Leather factory slogans painted and locks glued.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Hackney -- Butchers van tires slashed.

Send us your action reports! If you hear of an ALF action in your area, don't assume we already know about it. Add to our library of press clippings today. When sending reports of ALF raids, please be sure to include THE DATE, THE PLACE (Country, city, state/Province etc.) and a summary of the action itself. Also let us know if the action was claimed, and if so, by what group. Thanks! Remember, if you are an active cell sending us a communiqué, send your reports on plain paper, using block capital letters, or a public typewriter that many people have access to. Wear gloves at all times so your fingerprints are not on the paper, envelope or stamp. Do not give your address, and don't lick the stamp or envelope; wet ti with a sponge. Remember, you should expect that all of our mail and any other SG's mail is opened and read by the authorities. EMAIL IS NOT SECURE! And please, DO NOT inform us of upcoming actions BEFORE they happen.



LATE NOVEMBER/99: South Woodford -- Meat restaurant windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Tooting -- Meat restaurant windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Tooting -- Butchers shop windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Piccadilly/Soho -- two No Meat shops windows smashed.

LATE NOVEMBER/99: Woodford Green -- Gun & Fishing Tackle Shop window smashed & locks glued.

DECEMBER 6/99: South Woodford -- Meat Shop windows smashed. Butchers shop slogans painted and van tyres slashed. NatWest Bank slogans painted.

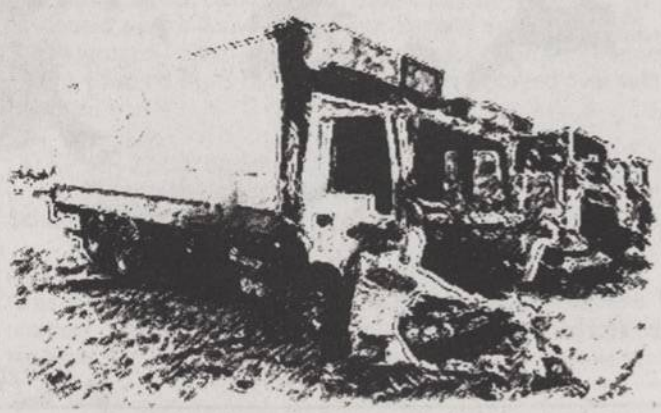
DECEMBER 6/99: Wanstead -- Betting shop windows smashed.

DECEMBER 6/99: Leytonstone -- Butchers shop windows smashed. Cafe windows smashed.

DECEMBER 6/99: Hounslow East -- Butchers shop, Fur trim shop and Leather shop all had windows smashed.

DECEMBER 6/99: Acton -- Butchers shop windows smashed.

DECEMBER 6/99: Hackney -- Butchers shop windows smashed.



LATE DECEMBER/99: Hounslow, W London -- Fish shop window smashed.

LATE DECEMBER/99: Hounslow, W London -- Burger King locks glued.

LATE DECEMBER/99: Hounslow, W London -- Gun shop locks glued.

LATE DECEMBER/99: Wandsworth, S London -- Butchers windows smashed. Locksmiths involved in repairs window smashed.

LATE DECEMBER/99: Kingston, SW London -- Butchers shop window smashed.

LATE DECEMBER/99: Isleworth, W London -- Butcher shop window smashed.

LATE DECEMBER/99: Leyton, E London -- Butchers shop window smashed.



LATE DECEMBER/99: Trafalgar Sq, central London -- Nat West window smashed.

LATE DECEMBER/99: Kings Cross, N London -- Butchers window smashed.

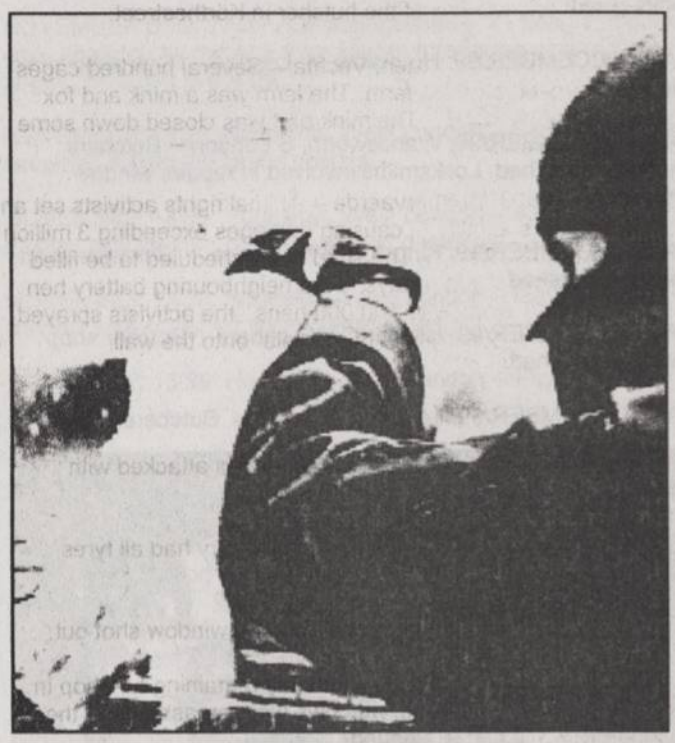
LATE DECEMBER/99: Bow, E London -- Chicken slaughterhouse windows smashed and slogans daubed.

JANUARY 1/00: Ringwood, Hampshire -- Crowhill Mink Farm was raided by the ALF over the New Year and 90 percent of the cages were opened. The ALF said they did it to stop the farm getting compensation if the Government outlaws mink farming.

JANUARY 1/00: Tonbridge -- 221 battery hens were liberated from a large farm. No animals were left, and damaged was done to the cages and water piping to discourage the farmer from getting new hens.

JANUARY 3/00: Leyton, E London -- Butchers shop window smashed.

JANUARY 3/00: Leytonstone, E London -- Butchers shop window smashed, Fried Chicken shop door smashed, fish shop windows smashed, Kebab shop windows smashed. Glass shop



for repairing butchers windows had windows smashed and slogans painted.

JANUARY 3/00: Leicester Sq, Central London -- NatWest bank window smashed.

JANUARY 4/00: Forest Gate, E London -- Butchers shop window smashed.

JANUARY 4/00: Forest Hill, S London --Butchers van tyres slashed, slogans painted on van.

JANUARY 5/00: Brixton, S London -- Meat shop door smashed.

JANUARY 6/00: Putney, W London -- Meat shop window smashed, Kebab shop window smashed.

JANUARY 24/00: Sussex -- Keith Campbell, creator of Dolly the cloned sheep, became the latest to be targeted by a cell of the Biotic Baking Brigade, an international network of pie-tossers who have launched culinary attacks upon the global elite. Targets have included Robert Shapiro (CEO of Monsanto), Renato Ruggerio (ex-director of the World Trade Organisation), Bill Gates (Head of Microsoft) and Milton Friedman (wanker and neo-liberal Economist). Campbell was attempting to promote himself, his technologies and his new publication at the University of Sussex, near Brighton when the BBB attacked. Another mad scientist bites the crust!

FEBUARY 4/00 : London -- areas of the city were brought to a standstill after bomb threats were issued by the Animal Liberation Front, which was protesting against major shareholders in Huntingdon Life Sciences. Eight City institutions were targeted, coinciding with a national campaign against shareholders in the laboratory. Among the firms whose offices were evacuated after threats were Legal & General and Phillips & Drew, fund management groups. Evacuations saw thousands of office workers spilling out on to the streets of the City in Lombard Street, Aldgate and Cheapside. Barclays bank also received a hoax call and evacuated its head office for four hours.

FEBUARY 15/00: London -- Animal rights activists rocked London Fashion Week when they vandalised British designer Alexander McQueen's studios hours before his autumn/winter 2000 show. McQueen uses fur and leather in his fashion designs. Protesters broke into McQueen's north London studios and daubed the walls in red paint with messages and threats that the venue for his exclusive fashion show was rigged with explosives. Police found the initials ALF -- used by the Animal Liberation Front pressure group -- on the walls, as well as the words ``McQueen is a killer."

IRELAND

FEBUARY/00: Limerick - 25 hounds were liberated from a hunting group.

FEBUARY/00: Kilkenny -- a dog pound was broken into, the dogs were released and the walls daubed with red paint.

GERMANY

SEPTEMBER 1/99: Neubrandenburg -- hunting platform destroyed.

SEPTEMBER 6/99: Neubrandenburg -- two hunting platforms.

SEPTEMBER/99: Neubrandenburg -- hunting shop has windows smashed in.





OCTOBER/99: Berlin - A fur shop on Warschauer Street has windows smashed four times within two weeks.

OCTOBER/99: Berlin - three windows of the hunt shop "Eduard Kettner" in the Otto-Braun Street smashed with stones and a meat truck in the Marienstreet had windows smashed.

OCTOBER 6/99: Berlin -- a butcher on the Karl-Marx Allee had five windows smashed.

OCTOBER 24/99: Berlin -- eight advertisement signs of McDonald´s were sprayed over with slogans by the "Vegane Aktionsgruppe - das neue Berlin" (vegan action group - the new Berlin) + two ad signs of fishing shops were sprayed over with slogans.

OCTOBER 27/99: Berlin -- a TBF group damaged two windows (made of armoured glass) of a fur shop in the Scharnweberstreet.

NOVEMBER 2/99: Berlin -- the Peter+Paul Waldkirche (church) in Berlin Wannsee had anti hunt slogans "Hunting is murder," "Hunters kill" etc. sprayed and paint splashed against the walls. On the third of October the traditional Hubertusmesse (hunt mass celebrated in many churches in Germany) was held in this church.

NOVEMBER 16/99: Berlin - ALF smashed a window of the fur shop on Warschauer Street, six windows of the fur shop on Marienhofer Damm, two windows of the fur shop on Karl-Marx Street and one window of the butcher in Körthestreet.

JANUARY 15/00: Klockzien, Vechta -- Several hundred cages were destroyed on a fox farm. The farm was a mink and fox farm several years ago. The mink part was closed down some time ago however.

JANUARY 22/00: Bremervaerde -- Animal rights activists set an empty broiler shed alight, causing damages exceeding 3 million Shillings ($300,000 US). The shed was scheduled to be filled with new chicks in a few days. On a neighbouring battery hen unit 30 metres away with 100,000 hens, the activists sprayed the words "for the liberation of animals" onto the wall.

AUSTRIA

NOVEMBER 30/99: Vienna -- two fur shops attacked with butyric acid.

DECEMBER 1/99: Horn -- Live transport lorry had all tyres slashed.

DECEMBER 2/99: Vienna -- one fur shop window shot out.

DECEMBER 21/99: Passau -- the only remaining fur shop in the city was hit by activists, windows were smashed and the shop front was totally damaged.

DECEMBER 22/99: Passau -- Two windows of a hunting shop and a leather store were smashed.

JANUARY 5/00: location not given -- Austria ALF attacked 6 building halls where young chickens usually were fattened for "food-production". One hall was heavily damaged, because of the cold temperatures the igniter of the other "fire-bombs" didn´t work. In these other 5 halls only little damage was caused, by the ignite-fires. The action caused an damage of 1000 000 Austrian schilling (100 000 USD).

JANUARY 23/00: Kollnbrunn -- activists punctured the tires of a live transport truck at the dairy farm of the company Burkhardt. in Kollnbrunn in Lower Austria. Every week 2000 dairy calves leave this factory farm for a 70 hour journey to Spanish veal crates.

HOLLAND

NOVEMBER 10/99: Utrecht- Activists bomb-hoaxed "De Jaarbeurs," where the yearly intensive factory farming fair is held in Holland. The ALF had announced that at 11.00 on Tuesday that a nail bomb would explode, but an intense search the police found nothing. "This fair was chosen as a target because it is the symbol of a society where the interests of humans are placed above those of animals. Keeping animals captive and then killing them is seen as necessary and the natural right of humans"

NOVEMBER 15/99: Milheeze -- Voedercentrale Milheeze BV in Groesvlaar, nine trucks were totally devastated by fire. The feed supplier processes slaughterhouse waste into mink feed. The police are almost certain that this is an arson and have estimated damages at 3 Million Dutch guilders. Voedercentrale Milheeze is a daughter company of chick (directly translated baby chickens) slaughterhouse Ham Slachterijen which is located in Belgium's Maasmechelen and Holland's Mierlo. The company delivers it's slaughterhouse waste to mink farmers in both Holland and Belgium The company has 10 trucks so the arson has left the company with just one. In addition a freezer building was damaged on the outside by the fire.

JANUARY 25/00: Asten- the Dieren Bevrijdings Front (Animal Liberation Front) has claimed responsibility for an attempted arson at a slaughterhouse in Asten. The cell caused some damage to water heaters by pouring gasoline through a ventilation duct and setting it alight, there was also extensive smoke damage but the fire did not spread further than that. The cell warns: "Justice will be done. In this century animal abusers will be punished". The DBF dedicated the action to Aaron Rudra and Arild Eriksen who are in jail in Norway for arsons against the meat industry.

FEBUARY 10/00: Heino -- The DBF (Dieren Bevrijdings Front) claimed an arson attack against a meat transport company, Slotman and v/d Vegt. Three trucks were burnt out and four others were damaged by the action, which was dedicated to Aaron Rudra and Arild Eriksen, two animal rights prisoners in Norway.

FEBUARY 24/00: Overijssel - Three veal farmers in the Dutch town of Deventer have received warning letters from an anonymous organisation. Excerpts from the letter include: "A few members of our organisation must unfortunately inform you that the manner in which you are keeping your calves is unacceptable" The letter refers to the "lonely imprisonment" of veal calves in "veal crates" and threatens further action. "Heino is just the beginning". This refers to the recent burning of three transport trucks at a meat company in the Dutch town of Heino which was claimed by the Dutch Animal Liberation Front (DBF).

BELGIUM

OCTOBER 30/99: Essen -- The A.L.F. has claimed responsibility for the liberation of 400 mink from a fur farm in Belgian Essen, near the Dutch border. "If it is not a crime, according to the law to keep animals captive to torture and kill them, then it is not a crime for us to break that law and liberate these animals" writes the A.L.F. in a communiqué. "Friday night at around 00h30 we started cutting the wire around the fence where the animals were kept. After we had cut enough holes there were enough escape routes for the mink. In yellow letters the following slogan was sprayed on the fence- 'Leave the pelt on the animal- Commando S.J. Clayton A.L.F. The raid is dedicated to Samuel Justin Clayton, a 20-year old American who has been in a prison in Hasselt, Belgium for allegedly liberating mink in the USA. The communiqué continues "We want to make it clear that Clayton has not been forgotten and the battle against the cruelty that humans inflict on other animals will continue".

"We declare our solidarity with ALF commando Rode Haan (Red Rooster) and other actions against McDonald's, slaughterhouses etc. ACTION SPEAKS LOUDER THAN WORDS. A.L.F."

JANUARY 1/00: Wilrijk - The fur-company, Pelsland, was hit when activists poured benzene through a ventilation shaft and set the fluid alight. The fire went out without damaging the building severely. The letters ALF were sprayed on the ground and the commando claimed the attack in a letter to the commercial station VTM.

SWITZERLAND



JANUARY 31/00: Geneva - five meat trucks torched, approximate dammage at 400,000 Swiss Francs.

FINLAND

AUGUST/99: Savolinna - 20 hunting platforms destroyed.

AUGUST/99 : Helsinki - Fur store Soukko got it's door window punctured.

SEPTEMBER/99: Tuusniemi - 20 hunting platforms demolished. Hunters lodge also set on fire.

SEPTEMBER/99: Manstsala - 16 chinchillas liberated from a farm owned by Tarmo and Anne Peltola. In the raid, keys, documents and animal records were also taken, forcing the farmers to start again from scratch.

SEPTEMBER/99: Helsinki - Fur store Valtonen got two windows smashed and fur gallery Arifdshan had a door window broken.

OCTOBER/99: Vilppula - seven hunting platforms destroyed.

OCTOBER/99: Savonlinna - 3 hunting towers destroyed.

OCTOBER/99: Lapinjarvi - cages opened on a farm with 200 fox. Many fox dyed with henna to make their coats worthless.

NOVEMBER 5/99: Kullaa -- 800 mink released by activists from a fur farm, all 200 foxes were dyed with henna and breeding cards were destroyed. The outer fence was cut down from large parts so the mink could escape. The farmer Paula Virta noticed the raid the following morning. She estimates the damages to dozens of thousands of marks.

NOVEMBER 13/99: Taipalsaari -- Fox farm raided by activists. Liberators dyed all 170 foxes with henna and left all of the cages open. 15 foxes escaped from the farm.

JANUARY 25/00: Willich - Mink farmer Manfred Rossberger was visited by activists, leaving slogans like, "No peace for the animal murderer Manfred Rossberger!!!" on the farm walls. Fire bombs were thrown at farm buildings.

SWEDEN

OCTOBER 28/99: Elofsson, Ramsjö -- Nearly 6000 mink were released from the Östergårdens Mink Kommanditbolag, only a week before they were scheduled to be killed.

NOVEMBER/99: Gothenburg - the Swedish ALF, the DBF, released of 2000 minks from a mink farm.

FEBRUARY 24/00: Bredaryd -- a raid was carried out against Furukulls rabbits farm and slaughterhouse, 3 rabbits were liberated.

NORWAY

FEBUARY 26/00: Fredrikstad -- the Norwegian whaling vessel "Villduen" was destroyed in a blast that sank the ship at its moorings. Owner Thor Jonson, who said he had gone below and lit a cigarette just before the explosion, suffered a broken leg and a burns on one arm. He climbed out of the debris and was taken to a nearby hospital. The blast collapsed the deck of the "Villduen," which sank to the bottom of the harbour half an hour later. Whale activists had long singled out the "Villduen" for its practice of taking only the most expensive cuts of the whales it killed, then disposing of up to nine-tenths of the body of a slaughtered whale while at sea and repeating the process until it had filled its quota. Norway's whale hunting season begins in May, with a self-assigned quota of Minke whales taken over the objection of the International Whaling Commission, which has repeatedly called upon Norway to cease the outlawed practice of commercial whale hunting. Last year, the Norwegian whaling fleet managed to find and kill less than 300 whales out of a self-assigned quota of 753. The global ban on whaling has been in effect since 1986.

SPAIN

MARCH 8/00: Guadalajara - FLA (ALF) activists rescued over 40 hounds in a daylight raid on a small farm in the middle of the countryside. The liberated dogs were used for hunting, and were kept in appalling conditions.



Un miembro del Frente de Liberación Animal salta el cercado de la rehala de perros de caza.

AUÑON (GUADALAJARA) / TESTIGO DIRECTO: ROSA DE LAS NIEVES

Ecoguerrilleros en acción

NEW ZEALAND

NOVEMBER/99: ALF activists attacked several vivisection targets, including: Le Grose & Ronchese, with front window bricked and slogans spray painted. J Miller front window bricked, car paint-stripped and sprayed, house spray painted. Royal Society 15 slogans sprayed on walls!

NOVEMBER 14/99: Wellington -- a group of ANZCCART Vivisectors were Bomb scared with a phone call at the skyline Venue Wellington.

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VIDEOS

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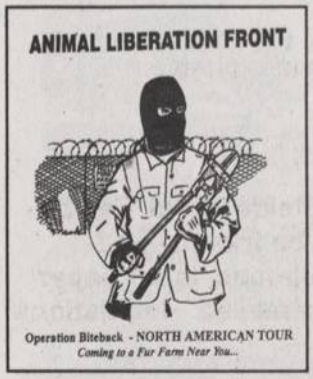


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ANIMAL LIBERATION PRISONERS

BELGIUM

Justin Samuel
Gevangenis Hasselt, Martelarenlaan 42, 3500 Hasselt, Belgium
Arrested in Belgium Sept. 5, currently awaiting extradition to the US where he is to face charges related to several mink fram liberations that occurred in Wisconsin during Oct. '97.

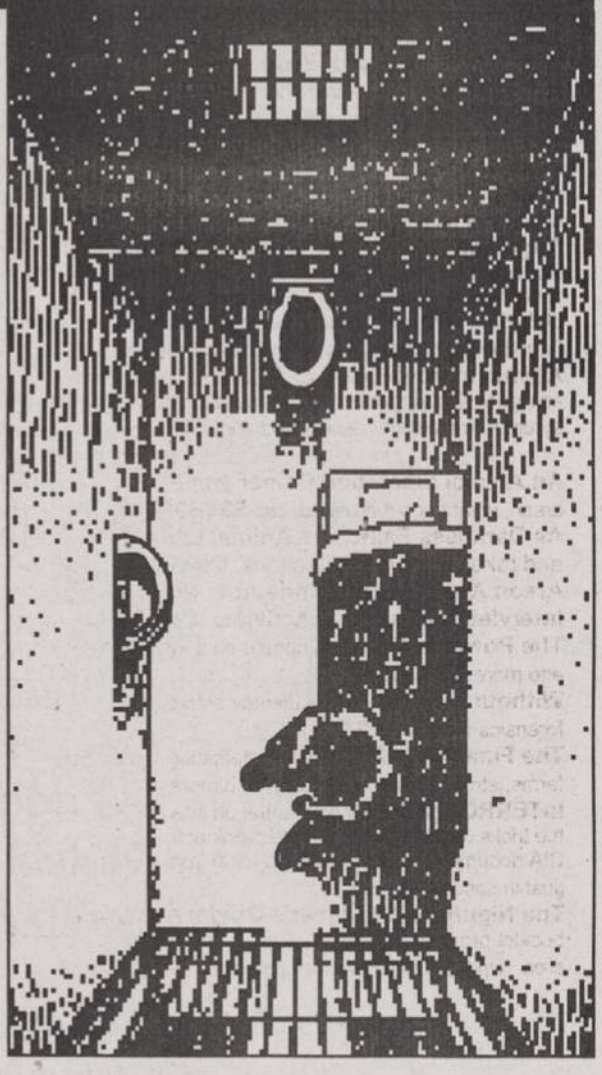
NORWAY

Arild Eriksen
P.B. 43, 5726 Vaksdal, Norway
Norway's first animal rights prisoner started his 8 months of imprisonment on August 10 '99. Arild was convicted for the destruction by fire of two meat-trucks parked by a slaugtherhouse. Due to be released on parole April 10th 2000.

Aaron Rudra
P.B. 43, 5726 Vaksdal, Norway
Aaron started his 8 months of imprisonment on September 15 '99. He is serving 10 months for arson on meat vehicles at a slaughterhouse in Bergen as well as other action. Due to be released on parole July 19th 2000.

UNITED KINGDOM

Barry Horne
#VC2141, HMP Full Sutton, Moor Lane, York, YO4 1PS, England
Sentenced to a total of 18 years for arson at several premises on the Isle of Wight and attempted arson in Bristol. Currently recovering following a 68 day hunger strike against vivisection.



Tony Humphries
#AP7965, HMP Swaleside, Brabazon Rd., Eastchurch, Sheerness, Kent, ME12 4DZ
Sentenced to 7 years for conspiracy to cause explosions plus 2 years concurrent for possession of explosives.

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TO liberate animals from places of abuse, ie laboratories, factory farms, fur farms, etc. and when ever possible, place them in good homes where they may live out their natural lives, free from suffering.



TO inflict economic damage to those who profit from the misery and exploitation of animals.

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

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