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Native American Gaming: **California's Tribes Thriving** **State Seeks Control Via Compact**

9/22/97 RICK MARTIN

Well, as usual, the issue of Native American gaming in California (or any other state for that matter) is far more complex than one would at first suspect. So, too, is the issue of "sovereignty" among the native tribes and Native American reservations. Sovereignty is an illusive concept. Intellectually, it is easy to grasp; in practice, it has become all but impossible. The achievement of sovereignty in our current culture makes forging a home out of the 1800s American wilderness seem like child's play. And sovereignty for the Native Americans in their treaty-bound trail of tears becomes yet further entrenched through modern legislation which promises abundance via gam-

bling (commonly referred to as gaming), but in reality further chains-down the concept of freedom and sovereignty.

It seems that Uncle Sam will, much like the camel in the tent, first stick his nose onto the reservation through governmental supports via the food-stamp program and Medi-Cal, and then, once in, has a virtual lock on freedom on alleged sovereign property. What do I mean? Well, let's take a closer look to gain some insight while attempting not to stray too far from the original topic of Native American gaming.

Let there be no mistake, gaming on the reservations has provided financial
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The News Desk

9/20/97 DR. AL OVERHOLT

BAHT BAILOUT BILKS YOU

From the INTERNET, 9/6/97: [quoting]

The Rich Get Richer and You (the Taxpayer)
Get The Shaft as Another Third World
Economy is Propped Up by U.S. Coffers.

To sink the baht, Thailand's national currency, took only three months of money market raids by currency speculators. But to refloat it will take over two years and at least \$16 billion in bailout funds—with the lion's share of the cost charged to U.S. taxpayers.

"If it all goes as planned the American public will never even realize its wallet has been lifted," said Dr. Banharn Chirithivat, a Thai-born economist now with the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation Forum in Washington. "International finance is getting as secretive and devious as spy operations."

Even a factual account of the Thai baht's breakdown—from early June to late July it plunged more than 30 percent, an economic earthquake felt all over Southeast Asia—is hard to come by.

Southeast Asian leaders assert that international traders, led by billionaire speculator George Soros, waged relentless raids on this vulnerable currency until it collapsed.

Western observers, however, cite Thailand's large foreign debt and a regional economic slowdown as crucial factors in the crisis.

"That may be true, but it's not the problem," Chirithivat explained. "Global speculators like Soros always wait until a currency becomes vulnerable, then they pounce on it for the kill. Without that speculative pressure, the baht would have easily withstood all other economic setbacks."

As for the inevitable bailout, "That will be handled by the International Monetary Fund [IMF] and a group of Asian nations", the *New York Times* reassured its readers on August 12. "The United States... will not take part in the rescue directly."

But while the *Times* noted that the largest contributor, with some \$6 billion, will be the IMF, it failed to explain where the IMF's money will come from.

The answer was found on Capitol Hill, where last month Congress suddenly tacked \$4.2 billion on the annual foreign aid appropriations bill and earmarked it as a "special quota" for the IMF.

Moreover, Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan has made a reported \$1.7 billion available to the IMF as "currency stabilization" support—a notorious Fed slush fund.

"Behind all this technical verbiage and bureaucratic jargon, the fact is that whenever Soros and his followers knock over the payments system of a smaller nation, the American taxpayer ends up with the bill," explained Dr. Aldo Milinkovich, a former Treasury analyst who is now a Wall Street consultant.

Perhaps the most misleading—and galling—pretense of these deceptive disbursements is that the bailout billions are used to "rescue" the shattered economy of victimized nations.

Instead, most of the bailout cash provided by generous—if uncomprehending—taxpayers end up

enriching Soros and his allies.

The speculators drive down the targeted currency by trading in huge amounts of it at ever-lower exchange rates. After the IMF takes over and restores the original exchange rate, the traders can redeem their cheaply amassed bank note holdings at huge profits.

"It's outright fraud—and a disgrace that no one in Congress has the guts to stand up against it," concluded Milinkovich. [End quoting]

Guess why we support this scam. The key beneficiaries always turn out to be the kings of the Elite, but their time is growing very, very short. Don't give up hope!

THAILAND'S PRIME MINISTER BOWS TO REFORM PRESSURE

From *THE ORLANDO SENTINEL*, 9/6/97: [quoting]

Thailand's prime minister, Chavalit Yongchaiyudh, reluctantly agreed Friday to support passage of a new, reformist constitution, giving way to pressure from the military and his own party. He said he would propose amendments later. The constitution—if approved, Thailand's 16th—would make changes that backers consider essential to cleaning up Thailand's widespread political corruption. [End quoting]

More accurately: turn power over to the New World Order (NWO).

EUROPEAN INSIDER ISSUES ALERT

From *EIR*, 9/11/97: [quoting]

"I have put clients on alert today that the Asia turmoil may be spreading to Latin America," a well-placed European fund manager told *EIR Alert* Sept. 9. "Right now it is the Colombian Peso which is hard hit, having lost 3% or so in the past 2 days despite central bank intervention, some claiming the recent political murders as trigger; but, in my estimation Mexico is also vulnerable as it just recorded its first balance of payments deficit in July since 1995, raising new fears of further peso devaluation down the road." [End quoting]

These scam artists will keep moving from one country to the next until WE ALL WAKE UP. This is affecting the U.S. economy and it is **mighty shaky NOW!**

FROM PRESIDENT CLINTON TO THE NAVY TWA FLIGHT 800 RECOVERY TEAM: THINK TWICE BEFORE SPEAKING OUT

From a FAX sent by J.R., 8/29/97: [quoting]

The White House recently removed the all-too-revealing Executive Order 13039 from the White house webpage. EO 13039 removes the Naval Special Warfare Development Group (which contains the Navy units that recovered the debris of TWA 800) from federal-labor protections that include protections for whistle blowers. The rights of the Navy crew were revoked to protect "national security". [End quoting]

I'll let your imagination tell you who Clinton was protecting.

TWA FLIGHT 800: TARGET PRACTICE GONE WRONG

Excerpted from *NEXUS* magazine, Aug.-Sep./97: [quoting]

"It was like turning a 747 into a microwave oven."

That's how David Morehouse explained what happened to TWA Flight 800, after he delivered a remote-viewing report for *CBS News*—a report which was never used.

"We originally started at the request of a producer at CBS to work in consonance with them to investigate the downing of Flight 800," explains Morehouse.

"We used a team of six remote viewers. After having gone back in time and looked at the event, five of them did not say that a missile struck the aircraft, but said that it was an energy beam or a light beam and that the aircraft exploded. It was a light beam that could not be seen by the human eye. It was high-powered microwaves.

"We did a 32-page report for CBS on it; a lengthy investigation. We used a law enforcement liaison officer who was a retired US city cop. I was dealing with Ph.D.s who owned patents on fiber optic cables.

"It goes right back to the CBW thing in the Gulf War (the cover-up of chemical/biological warfare by the Pentagon). The first thing that came out of the Navy was, 'We had no exercise going on, none whatsoever.' I saw the message from the Department of the Navy to the FAA (Federal Aviation Administration) that said that from this time to this time—which was a time window that included the departure time of Flight 800—there was an exercise going on.

"The microwave that we think did it was built by Phillips Laboratories. It's about the size of a Ryder truck, a moving truck about that size, which produces 1.4 gigawatts, a billion watts of power in a concentrated stream of electrons that are guided by a self-generated electromagnetic field. The footprint of this particular weapon can be anywhere. They can tweak it up or down. They can crank it down to a footprint the size of a basketball. They can expand it to a footprint the size of a football field. Of course, the more you disperse the electrons, the less effective the beam is, but it's still pretty nasty stuff."

Morehouse, of course, had to deal with the usual denial. "The executives at CBS said, 'We don't have anything that has that kind of range.' It's like the Ph.D. who installed microwave dishes around New York and New Jersey who told us that when the guys working on the Empire State Building go out on a platform to change the lights for Christmas, they wear flash bulbs in their pockets. The reason is because of the microwave energy from all the dishes and power mounted on the building. When they get closer than they're supposed to be, it pops the flash bulbs. That's how much ambient radiant energy is coming out of those dishes. If you were to stick a frozen chicken on the end of a fiberglass pole and stick it in front of a microwave dish, faster than you could blink your eye it would be charred black...

"We presented all the evidence and the facts. We had satellite imagery that was purchased from the French. We had autopsy data from the French, testimony from Suffolk County medical examiners where guys had inadvertently revealed the fact that they had seen a flight attendant who had a piece of metal fused to her back. That doesn't come from an explosion; that comes from a high-energy micro-

wave beam that superheats metal and burns it into human tissue. It fuses it. It was cutting open cranial cavities; it was removing brains; it was dishing out eyes. It was doing all that stuff because a microwave beam on humans takes out all the ocular neural networks first. It fries the brain and fries the eyes; it hits the spinal fluid, the blood and the marrow. It boils the blood. It actually gels the blood. This sounds very gruesome, but it happens so fast that the brain doesn't even have time to register pain. You're dead instantly." [End quoting]

As I stated at the beginning of this article, this is only an excerpt of an excellent article.

This is the first verification I've come across of the statement that Commander Hatonn made when this first happened and that was that **TWA 800 was downed by a beam weapon.**

Why would this be a cover-up? Well, one very good reason, which is also stated in the article, is that Bill Clinton had his reelection bid coming up in 4 months and the truth of all the details of what caused this disaster (there is more to this story) would have defeated his bid for a second term.

HOUSE: STATION TROOPS ON THE MEXICAN BORDER

From *THE ORLANDO SENTINEL*, 9/6/97: [quoting]

The house reaffirmed its support Friday for deploying up to 10,000 troops to guard the border with Mexico and keep out drugs and illegal immigrants. On a 261-150 vote, the House endorsed an effort by Rep. Jim Traficant, D-Ohio, to ensure negotiators writing the final version of next year's defense bill include the troop measure, which was passed in June. The Senate defense bill contains no such provision. [End quoting]

Again, the Elite—who make most of the money off of drugs—are going to end up with more money and more control over us. It's a win-win situation for them.

MORE ITEMS ABOUT DIANA AND DODI'S MURDERS

Excerpted from *THE ORLANDO SENTINEL*, 9/10/97: [quoting]

Bernard Darteville, a lawyer for the Fayed family in Paris, said that two frames from a photographer's roll of film seized at the crash site show Paul startled by a camera flash, Diana's bodyguard pulling down the Sun visor and Diana looking out the back at a motorcycle headlight.

The film is being held by police and was not made public. Darteville said he has had access to it, but could not release prints or the name of the photographer. However, its existence was also confirmed by a defense lawyer in the case, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

In an interview in his Paris office, he described photos he said were "clearly" taken from in front of the Mercedes. That would buttress some witness accounts that a car or motorcycle was in front of Diana's car before it crashed, blocking its path. [End quoting]

Is this blinding flash the laser that was used according to Commander Hatonn?

Also can you picture a motorcyclist ahead of the car doing 100-or-more miles-per-hour and also taking pictures or doing anything other than trying to stay alive through Paris streets? Furthermore, managing to not get injured or directly involved in that horrible accident right behind him.

PRINCESS DIANA: CRUSHED BETWEEN THE EAST AND THE WEST

Excerpted from the INTERNET, *Conspiracy Nation*, 9/97: [quoting]

Princess Diana and her soon-to-be husband, Dodi Fayed, were fatally injured in the Pont de l'Alma tunnel. The site is ancient, dating back to the time of the Merovingian kings (ca.500-751 A.D.), and before. In pre-Christian times, the Pont de l'Alma was a pagan sacrificial site. Note that in the pagan connotation, at least, sacrifice is not to be confused with murder: the sacrificial victim had to be a willing participant.

In the time of the Merovingian kings, the Pont de l'Alma was an underground chamber. Founder of the Merovingian dynasty was Merovaeus, said to be descended from the union of a sea creature and a French queen. Merovaeus followed the pagan cult of Diana. In Middle English, "soul" (Alma) has as etymology "descended from the sea". "Pont" has as a Latin root, "pontifex", meaning a Roman high priest. (See also pons, pontis—bridge; passage.) "Alma" comes from the Latin "almus", meaning nourishing. One translation of Pont de l'Alma would be "bridge of the soul". Another would be "passage of nourishment". All true European royalty are descended from the Merovingians, which are believed to be descendants of Jesus Christ.

During the Merovingian era, if two kings had a dispute over property, it was settled in combat at Pont de l'Alma. According to legend, anyone killed there goes straight to Heaven and sits at the right hand of God, watching over all his foe was to do. The person killed in combat was actually considered to be the "winner", since he became God's eyes on Earth and even could manipulate events.

The current British royal family are imposters. The House of Windsor is a fraud. But the lineage of Lady Diana Spencer goes back to Charles II of the House of Stewart. The House of Stewart is of "true" royal blood. Diana's sons, William and Harry, have 3-quarters true nobility in their blood.

Princess Diana was in a powerful position. Two main factions vied for control over her: (1) the New World Order faction, founded on an alliance between King William III (Bank of England, modern system of finance, and "national debt" all beginning during his reign) and later, the Rothschilds; and (2) the true nobility of Europe.

"Within" the New World Order faction, there are smaller, warring factions, exemplified by Rothschilds vs. Rockefellers. The plan of the New World Order faction was to marry Lady Diana to an American. Even though Bill Clinton has bastard roots in the Rockefeller clan, he is rejected by them and is aligned with the Rothschilds. Bill Clinton was the designated future husband for Lady Diana, with Hillary Clinton to be eliminated through divorce or even murder. The Rockefellers were furious; in no way would they allow a marriage between Bill Clinton and Lady Diana. In Great Britain, Prince William would be on the throne by age 25; if Prince Charles did not abdicate, he would be assassinated. Then, Prince Harry and the living Lady Diana would have moved to the U.S. Harry would become a U.S. citizen and go into politics, becoming perhaps a U.S. Senator. By then, whoever controlled the two boys—Prince William and Prince Harry—would control the world.

But in her last visit to the White House, circa January 1997, Lady Diana informed Mr. Bill Clinton that in no way, shape, or form would she "ever" marry him. (While in America, lady Diana also met

with John Kennedy, Jr.) Diana chose, instead, to marry for love. (Jackie Kennedy married Aristotle Onassis for power; he could protect her.)

Dodi Fayed, beloved of Lady Diana, is a cousin of Adnan Khashoggi, a CIA asset involved in sales of arms to Iran—he and Oliver North. Adnan Khashoggi is part of the Saudi royal family. Through marrying Dodi Fayed, Diana would have been marrying into the Saudi royal family. She might have had to convert to Islam.

British intelligence (MI-6) arranged the deaths of Lady Diana and Dodi Fayed. It was imperative that the Saudi royal family not have control over Diana. The driver of the ill-fated Mercedes was a *Manchurian Candidate* (brainwashed tool), with connections to the French military. How did so much alcohol get into his system? Amounts suggested in mass media reports are truly staggering—so much alcohol that the driver would have had to have been carried to the car. The way it happened was, the driver was made to swallow special slowly-digestible balloons containing high-potency alcohol. While he drove, the balloons were slowly digested and he became dangerous behind the wheel.

But even within British intelligence there are factions. A rogue faction in MI-6, powerless to prevent the assassination, arranged for the deaths of Lady Diana and Dodi Fayed to happen at Pont de l'Alma. Cleverly, it was known that a death at that historic location would not only send a "signal"; it would eventually lead to the creation of a "Saint Diana". In Roman paganism, Diana is "Queen of heaven", a triple-goddess. "Al-mah", in Mideast language, means "moon goddess". One aspect to the Roman triple-goddess is the "lunar virgin". The "al-mahs" served as maidens of Diana, the lunar virgin. In France, the Cult of Diana was so powerful that it wasn't until the Middle Ages until the French gave up worship of the pagan goddess. The "true" Knights Templar (not to be confused with imposters) are sworn to protect the Merovingian blood—i.e., that of the "true" royals, such as Lady Diana. Before too long, Project Bluebeam holographic imaging will be used to create "miraculous appearances" of Lady Diana. Children at various locations will be randomly selected to witness "saintly apparitions". These children will receive a "message" from "Diana". Some of the children will claim that "Diana" has given them healing powers—and what is more, these children "will" be able to "heal". Locations of these "miraculous appearances" will become known as places of healing and sacred shrines. "Saint Diana's two children, William and Harry, will become akin to two living Jesus Christs, walking the Earth. It will be the start of "the new religion". Who controls the new religion controls the world. [End quoting]

Interesting!! HOW MUCH TRUTH???

CYBER-SPACE IS THE NEW BATTLEGROUND

From a FAX, 7/97: [quoting]

Call him the intruder.

Sitting at a computer terminal hooked up to a telephone line, he (or she) quietly penetrates the software programs that now run much of North America's basic infrastructure.

Air conditioners and lights in major cities shut down.

Telephone switching systems up and down the East Coast begin to crash, cutting off millions of conversations.

Computer-controlled routing systems for freight and passenger trains go haywire. Airport traffic

controllers lose track of flights, leading to collisions across the continent.

Electronic banking operations become hopelessly snared. ATM cash machines randomly credit or debit account-holders, causing panic on the streets, and stocks plunge in New York, Toronto and London.

The stuff of a Hollywood plot? Or a real-life possibility?

Call it cyber-war.

"I think we have maybe two, perhaps 5-to-10 years, before cyber-warfare begins to look like a very attractive alternative to conventional forms of warfare," says Peter Wilson of the Rand Corporation, a leading U.S. think tank.

The scenario described was in fact part of a simulated "technological attack" on North America developed by Wilson and other RAND researchers in 1995.

One of the first exercises of its kind, it assumed the attack was launched by an unidentified Middle Eastern country hoping to distract U.S. authorities while it planned an invasion of a neighbor.

The cyber-wargamers found it took less than three hours to destabilize North America's electronic grid.

"You bring me a select group of 10 (computer) hackers and within 90 days I'll bring this country to its knees." —Jim Settle, former director, FBI computer crime squad. [End quoting]

Far fetched?? Not at all if you are familiar with computer networking.

OFFICIALS WANT POWER TO DECODE MESSAGES

The White House Is Seeking Strict Controls On Technology That Can Scramble Private Data

From *THE ORLANDO SENTINEL*, 9/7/97: [quoting]

The Clinton administration is circulating proposed legislation on Capitol Hill that would, for the first time, impose strict controls on the manufacture and use of technology that scrambles electronic data for privacy reasons.

The proposal would prohibit the manufacture, sale, import or distribution within the United States of any such technology unless it contained a so-called trapdoor feature that would permit immediate decoding of any message by law enforcement officials. The officials would have to have a wiretap order from a court.

The proposal also would require telephone companies and Internet providers that offer data-scrambling technology, called encryption, to have that same feature.

Encryption has broad uses, including protecting information related to purchases made over the Internet, making possible private communication by telephone or computer, and certifying the iden-

tity of an individual. It also is used in the transmission of military and intelligence secrets. The government maintains that it needs access to scrambled data for national security and for law enforcement.

Currently, the only limitations on data-scrambling technology are regulations governing the export of hardware and software containing encryption features. That has allowed U.S. citizens and companies to develop and use any kind of encryption device.

Under the administration's proposal, although data-scrambling technology would have to have the trapdoor feature, the users would not be required to turn on that feature.

Critics of the proposal say the feature would simply be a first step toward making such a surveillance capability a legal requirement.

In recent testimony before the Senate subcommittee dealing with the issue, Louis Freeh, director of the FBI, said he will lobby to make the trapdoor feature a legal requirement.

The proposed legislation represents a significant reversal for the administration, which had insisted that it was opposed to domestic encryption controls. It also appears to contradict the administration's support for unregulated development of commerce on the Internet, an approach emphasized recently in a speech by Ira Magaziner, a senior presidential adviser, to a meeting of the American Electronics Association in Silicon valley.

Civil libertarians say the proposal marks a significant move toward a complete ban on products that offer unbreakable communications privacy. [End quoting]

How long did we think they would let us get by without a law like this? Furthermore, as I stated in previous New Desks, they have methods of getting the information they want now from your Internet transmissions.

Don't ever trust the Internet for something you really want to keep private—even NOW!!

SCIENTISTS CREATE HIV-FIGHTING VIRUS

From *ASSOCIATED PRESS*, 9/5/97: [quoting] Boston—Scientists have created the first virus-killing viruses, cleverly crafted microscopic missiles that zero in on AIDS-infected cells and destroy them.

The idea is to fight infection with infection. The newly created viruses target only cells that have already been captured by HIV.

The approach works well in the test tube but has not been tried yet in people or animals.

"It's absolutely amazing that you can make a virus that will specifically target HIV-infected cells," said Dr. Ronald Desrosiers of the New England Regional Primate Center, who plans to begin testing one of the viruses on monkeys soon.

One version of the virus, created by Dr. John K. Rose and his research team at Yale Medical School, is a genetically altered form of vesicular stomatitis virus, or VSV, a bug that ordinarily infects livestock. Another is based on the rabies virus and was created by a team led by Dr. Karl-Klaus Conzelmann of the Federal Research Center for Virus Diseases of Animals in Tübingen, Germany.

"It's a completely new approach to limiting viral infection," Rose said. "This is the first virus that's an anti-virus."

Reports on both experiments are being published in today's issue of the journal *Cell*.

If it works as its developers hope, the technique will stop the AIDS virus cold by employing a sort of mirror image of HIV's own sly tricks for worming

its way into cells.

The experimental rabies virus cannot reproduce. However, Yale's bullet-shaped VSV can actually command the cell to make new versions of itself before killing it. These new bits of VSV can then spread to other HIV-infected cells, essentially becoming a self-manufacturing AIDS drug.

Dr. Edward A. Berger of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, called the approach "interesting and clever".

"This is a selective way of delivering something to the HIV-infected cell, in this case a virus that will kill the cell," he said.

In the test tube, the reproducing VSV was able to reduce levels of HIV to almost zero for three months. This means it's unlikely the treatment will wipe out HIV, even if it works, but it might be used with other drugs to keep HIV infections from progressing to AIDS.

The newly created viruses are designed to attack HIV-infected cells and nothing else. However, the safety of the new approach will be one of the first questions to be answered. [End quoting]

If it works don't expect to get access.

The Elite are into dispersing killer diseases and not into curing them. Their game is depopulation—NOT SAVING THE POPULATION!

CABIN OWNERS FACE FEE HIKES ANOTHER SIGN OF THE TIMES

From *CHICAGO SUN TIMES*, 9/5/97: [quoting]

Owners of prime cabin sites in the national forests will be forced to pay drastically higher rents as the government reappraises the land. Many oceanside or lakefront sites will cost five to 20 times more. [End quoting]

This is another tactic for the Elite to confiscate your rights and property.

ORTHODOX RABBIS SUING OVER HOLOCAUST MUSEUM

From *THE ORLANDO SENTINEL*, 9/6/97: [quoting]

A group of Orthodox Jewish rabbis sued New York City's Holocaust Museum Friday for using public funds to reflect non-Orthodox views, including memorializing homosexuals. Defendants in the suit, which was filed in federal court, are the soon-to-be opened Museum of Jewish Heritage and the New York Holocaust Memorial Commission, appointed by former New York City Mayor Ed Koch. The plaintiffs, more than a dozen rabbis from Brooklyn and two Roman Catholics from the borough of Queens, alleged the use of public funds to commemorate only one religious group of Holocaust victims was unconstitutional. [End quoting]

It's about time for honest people to stop this Khazarian propaganda and scam!

TV IS GOOD

From *TV GUIDE*, 8/15/97: [quoting]

For years the pundits, moralists and self-righteous, self-appointed preservers of our culture have told us that television is bad. They've stood high on their soapbox and looked condescendingly on our innocuous pleasure. They've sought to wean us from our harmless habit by derisively referring to television as the Boob Tube or the Idiot Box.

Well, television is not the evil destroyer of all that is right in this world. In fact, and we say this

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with all the disdain we can muster for the elitists who purport otherwise—TV is good.

TV binds us together. It makes us laugh. Makes us cry. Why, in the span of ten years, TV brought us the downfall of an American president, one giant step for mankind and the introduction of Farrah Fawcett as one of “Charlie’s Angels”. Can any other medium match TV for its immediacy, its impact, its capacity to entertain? Who among us hasn’t spent an entire weekend on the couch, bathed in the cool glow of a Sony Trinitron, only to return to work recuperated and completely refreshed? And who would dispute that the greatest advancement in aviation over the last ten years was the decision to air sitcoms during the in-flight service?

Why then should we cower behind our remote controls? Let us rejoice in our fully adjustable, leather-upholstered recliners. Let us celebrate our cerebral-free non-activity. Let us climb the highest figurative mountain top and proclaim, with all the vigor and shrillness that made Roseanne a household name, that TV is good. [End quoting]

What kind of an entity—notice I didn’t say human—would put out this type of muck??

HIDDEN MESSAGE

From ANGELS ON EARTH, May/June 1997, Guideposts, 39 Seminary Hill Rd., Carmel, NY 10512: [quoting]

All week I had a sinking feeling in the pit of my stomach. Monday we put my wife’s car in the shop, not sure how we’d juggle our family’s hectic schedule with only one car running. Tuesday I had a disagreement with a client that left me wondering whether our business relationship was ruined. And on Wednesday morning when my accountant scanned my tax records, his expression spelled trouble.

Now my 18-year-old son was waiting for me to pick him up from work. My bad mood would have to wait.

My daughter offered to keep me company. “We can pass the taco place, right, Dad?” she asked. Two bean burritos, no red sauce, no onions: a small price to pay for her dimpled smile and one-on-one conversation. I backed the car down the driveway and honked. Auburn hair swaying, Allison pressed the automatic garage door button on her way out of the house, ducked under the door and hopped in the car.

She was 14, which meant I never knew which Allison I was going to get on any given day. That day I lucked out. I got the chatty, animated one. The Allison who had just aced a geometry test and got asked out by “him”. At least one of us was having a good week.

Wrapped up in my own concerns, I heard her words and glimpsed her dramatic hand gestures, but I wasn’t completely with her. I was trying to come to grips with the mechanic, the client and the accountant. Allison yammered on about this and that. Then, out of the blue, she just said it.

“I mean literature class was soooo boring. And I’m sitting there wishing it would hurry up and end, but Mrs. Staley just kept going on and on about this dead writer and I’m going, ‘Not again,’ you know? Oh, man. And all of a sudden I thought, ‘I have a really neat dad.’”

“Huh?”

Allison began to repeat the whole sentence, verbatim.

“You mean me?” I asked suspiciously. For the past several years I had been convinced I was her greatest source of embarrassment.

“Yeah,” she said.

“What made you think that?” I asked, still wary this might be a trick.

Allison shrugged. “It just came to me.” Then she was off on another avenue of personal narrative, leaving me alone with her message. The furrow in my brow softened and my fingers, which had been curled tightly around the steering wheel, relaxed. I even managed a real smile. Maybe the first since Monday.

As I pondered what Allison had said, I began to

get the message. The message hidden within the message. Some days the world crowds in on me, but as long as God sends me encouragement every now and then, helping me to see beyond the difficult clients and the car repairs, letting me know that love is also out there, then I can live with the rest.

Thank you, God, for your messages, and for all your messengers. —Phil Truman, Oklahoma. [End quoting]

How often do we catch these little messages from God?

HIDDEN CAFFEINE

A Consumer Group Wants Product Labels To List Caffeine Content.

From a FAX sent by N. McLaughlin, 9/11/97: [quoting]

We all know that coffee, tea and Coke contain caffeine, but Mountain Dew? Sunkist Orange Soda? Dr. Pepper?

The advocacy group, The Center for Science in the Public Interest has asked the Food and Drug Administration to require that foods be labeled with their caffeine content.

“Consumers have a right to know how much caffeine various foods contain,” said Michael Jacobson, executive director of the advocacy group. “Knowing the caffeine content is important to many people—especially women who are or might become pregnant, who might want to limit or avoid caffeine.”

Consumers can find out how much caffeine a particular product contains by calling the manufacturer’s 800 number listed on the product, according to the National Food Processors Association.

But in the meantime, the Center for Science in the Public Interest released a partial list of foods and their caffeine content, which can vary a lot within food categories.

As a point of reference, keep in mind that an average cup of brewed coffee contains 135 milligrams of caffeine; an average cup of tea, 50 milligrams. [End quoting]

Different varieties of teas have wide variations in caffeine content.

product	serving size	milligrams of caffeine
frozen desserts		
■ Bon & Jerry's No Fat Coffee Fudge Frozen Yogurt	1 cup	85
■ Starbucks Coffee Ice Cream assorted varieties	1 cup	40-60
■ Haagen-Dazs Coffee Ice Cream	1 cup	58
■ Haagen-Dazs Fat-Free Coffee Frozen Yogurt	1 cup	40
■ Haagen-Dazs Low Fat Coffee Fudge Ice Cream	1 cup	30
■ Starbucks Frappuccino Bar	1 bar	15
■ Healthy Choice Cappuccino Chocolate Chunk Low-Fat Ice Cream	1 cup	8
■ Healthy Choice Cappuccino Mocha Fudge Low-Fat Ice Cream	1 cup	8
yogurts		
■ Dannon Coffee Yogurt	8 ounces	45
■ Yoplait Cafe Au Lait Yogurt	6 ounces	5
■ Dannon Light Cappuccino Yogurt	8 ounces	Less than 1
■ Stonyfield Farm Cappuccino Yogurt	8 ounces	0
chocolates and candies		
■ Hershey Special Dark Chocolate Bar	1.5-ounce bar	31
■ Hershey Milk Chocolate Bar	1.5-ounce bar	10
■ Coffee Nips hard candy	2 pieces	6
■ Hot chocolate	1 cup	5
drinks		
■ Josta	12 ounces	58
■ Mountain Dew	12 ounces	55
■ Surge	12 ounces	51
■ Diet Coke	12 ounces	47
■ Coca-Cola	12 ounces	45
■ Dr Pepper	12 ounces	41
■ Sunkist Orange Soda	12 ounces	40
■ Pepsi-Cola	12 ounces	37
■ Barqs Root Beer	12 ounces	23
■ Barqs Diet Root Beer	12 ounces	0
■ 7-Up or Diet 7-Up	12 ounces	0
■ Minute Maid Orange Soda	12 ounces	0
■ Mug Root Beer	12 ounces	0
■ Sprite or Diet Sprite	12 ounces	0

product	serving size	milligrams of caffeine
Caffeinated waters		
■ Krank-2-0	16.9 ounces	100
■ Aqua Blast	16.9 ounces	90
■ Water Joe	16.9 ounces	60-70
■ Aqua Java	16.9 ounces	50-60
iced teas		
■ Celestial Seasonings Iced Lemon Ginseng Tea	16 ounces	100
■ Snapple Iced Tea, all varieties	16 ounces	48
■ Lipton Iced Tea, assorted varieties	16 ounces	18-40
■ Nestea Pure Sweetened Iced Tea	16 ounces	34
■ Nestea Pure Lemon Sweetened Iced Tea	16 ounces	22
■ Arizona Iced Tea, assorted varieties	16 ounces	15-30
■ Celestial Seasonings Herbal Iced Tea	16 ounces	0
flavored instant coffees		
■ General Foods International Coffee, Orange Cappuccino	8 ounces	102
■ General Foods International Coffee, Cafe Vienna	8 ounces	90
■ Maxwell House Cappuccino, Mocha	8 ounces	60-65
■ General Foods International Coffee, Swiss Mocha	8 ounces	55
■ Maxwell House Cappuccino, French Vanilla or Irish Cream	8 ounces	45-50
■ Maxwell House Cappuccino, Amaretto	8 ounces	25-30
■ General Foods International Coffee, Viennese Chocolate Cafe	8 ounces	26

Beasts In Blue Berets: The U.N. At Your Service

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GOOD FOR MR. TURNER

On the same day that Teddy Turner offered the United Nations a billion dollars over a ten-year period, and appealed to others to share-up as well, a strange thing happened at the post office. The following article arrived and it bears sharing with you people who think this is a benevolent act. Turner doesn't want this money used in administration because of its corruption but rather in the "field" where it can best be utilized. And ten years? He said that he made the billion in less than nine months, so is ten years reasonable to give a billion dollars for good causes?

What is this sudden burst of charity? Well, it keeps the U.N. from folding its busted tent and closing its good-will missions—perhaps.

The following is the Cover Story from *The New American*, September 29, 1997. And, while you study the incredible attitudes of your adult children in uniforms protecting the world of women and children, think hard about what might have gone wrong in your world and if God should do much of anything for the dying species of mankind. Also, note that Somalia is mentioned along with other less fortunate places where genocide is prevailing—think, at the least, Henry Kissinger Associates because the structuring of the intent in such places is from the planning pens of Kissinger Associates, the corporation.

[QUOTING:]

BEASTS IN BLUE BERETS

"We are not going to achieve a New World Order without paying for it in blood as well as in words and money," warned Arthur Schlesinger Jr. in the July/August 1995 issue of *Foreign Affairs*. Schlesinger had taken to the pages of the flagship journal of the Council on Foreign Relations to vindicate the dubious proposition that the United Nations military represents the thin blue line dividing peaceful civilization from savagery—in short, our planetary police. But what happens when the planetary police run amok and become the agents of bloodshed? When local police abuse their power, the abused have avenues of redress. From what body can those abused by the planetary police seek justice? The escalating scandal of unpunished atrocities committed by UN "peacekeepers" illustrates that the planetary police are beyond accountability.

"Perhaps our leaders should put the question to the people; what do we want the United Nations to be?" Schlesinger wrote. "Do we want it to avert more killing fields around the planet? Or do we want it to dwindle into impotence, leaving the world to the anarchy of nation-states?" Critics of the UN should eagerly embrace such a debate—provided

that a copy of the above photograph is made available to all participants. First published in the United States on the cover of the June 24th issue of the left-wing weekly *Village Voice*, the photograph depicts two Belgian paladins of the New World Order giddily holding a Somali child over an open flame. Other series of photographs depict UN soldiers kicking and stabbing a Somali, and another soldier apparently urinating on the Somali's dead body; yet another shows a Somali child being forced to drink salt water, vomit, and worms. A second group of photos published in July 15th *Village Voice* shows the dead bodies of bound Somalis—what appears to be the work of a death squad.

One atrocity not caught on camera involved the "punishment" of a Somali child by placing him in a metal container and withholding water from him for two days; predictably, the relentless African heat killed the child. One Belgian UN soldier testified that it was a regular practice to use metal boxes as prison cells, and that other Somalis probably died similarly gruesome deaths.

STRANGELY SILENT

One might expect the photographs and first-person accounts of such atrocities to arouse public indignation against the UN's "planetary police", just as the endlessly replayed videotape of the Rodney King arrest turned public opinion against the Los Angeles Police Department. Perhaps this is why the photographs have been all but invisible in the United States, and precious little media attention has been

devoted to an examination of UN atrocities.

Village Voice reporter Jennifer Gould came across the accounts of the Belgian atrocities while doing an earlier story about sexual harassment of female employees at UN headquarters. "When I spoke with people at the UN, time after time I was told, 'If you think it's bad here, you ought to see what happens in peace-keeping operations,'" Gould told the *New American*. "I started looking into that issue and found that the abuses I reported were well-known and easily documented. They were all over the media abroad, and I was really surprised it hadn't been written about over here."

Belgian military authorities launched an investigation into the atrocities following publication of a front-page story by Belgium's *Het Laatste Nieuws*. In early July, Privates Claude Baert and Kurt Coelus, the two paratroopers photographed dangling the Somali child over a flame, were acquitted by a military court, which ruled that the incident—described by Baert and Coelus as a punishment for stealing—was "a form of playing without violence", according to prosecutor Luc Walley. And what of discipline from the UN, whose "Code of Personal Conduct for Blue Helmets" requires that peacekeepers "respect and regard the human rights of all"? Gould reports that a UN spokesman dismissed the acquittal of Baert and Coelus by insisting that "the UN is not in the habit of embarrassing governments that contribute peacekeeping troops."

For its diligence in reporting unwelcome news, *Het Laatste Nieuws* was rewarded with a bomb threat. Reporter Lieve Van Bastelaere informed *The New American* that the man arrested for making the threat owned a local bar that is frequented by many people in the military, including veterans of "peacekeeping" missions. "He apparently had been angered by what he had read, Bastelaere observed dryly. "We've enhanced our security here at the paper, and the police took the threat seriously, even though he may have been drunk when he made it. He claimed not to remember phoning in the threat when he was arrested."

In September, another military tribunal will be held to investigate the actions of Sergeant Dirk Nassel, the soldier photographed forcing a Somali



Two United Nations soldiers from Belgium were caught on camera swinging a Somalian youth over an open fire.

boy to ingest worms and vomit. However, the Belgian military system—which is deeply entwined with the UN “peacekeeping” apparatus—has yet to inflict substantive penalties for abuses committed in the service of the UN. Several years ago, according to Gould, “Belgian soldiers were also accused of holding mock executions for Somali children and forcing them to dig their own graves; though their officer was given a suspended sentence, the soldiers were acquitted.” It is thus firmly established in Belgian military jurisprudence that service in the new world army is a license to commit barbarities with impunity.

[H: Well, those are a long way from home so what about others in the position of this type of “play”?]

CANADIAN, ITALIAN ATROCITIES

Nor was the Belgian component of the UN’s “Operation Restore Hope” uniquely barbarous. Three members of a now-disbanded elite Canadian paratroop regiment were tried and convicted of criminal charges in the beating death of a 16-year-old Somali boy named Shidane Arone; the three “peacekeepers” had been photographed smiling beside the bloody corpse of the boy, whose hands had been bound. The incident prompted the creation of a Canadian government commission to review that nation’s military and its involvement in “peacekeeping” missions; however, the inquiry foundered on the obstructionism of political and military bodies and produced what Canadian critics call an incomplete and inadequate report.

On August 8th, Italian military officials admitted that Italian soldiers assigned to UN duty in Somalia had also tortured and otherwise abused Somali civilians. According to the *Washington Post*, “Two generals who led the Italian forces to Somalia resigned in June following publication of graphic reports of sexual violence against a Somali woman, electric torture of a young man and allegations that an officer had murdered a young boy.” Drugs and prostitutes also were allowed to circulate freely among Italian UN troops.

The Italian government assembled a five-member commission of inquiry, which interviewed 145 people and traveled to Africa to interview Somalis who had been tormented by UN troops or witnessed the bestial acts firsthand. The panel’s 46-page report documented that “the criminal events were not just the result of ‘rotten apples’ that you may find in any structure, but were rather the consequence of a stretched line of command and amused compliance toward such high jinxes by some junior officers.”

The January 18th *New York Times* reported that 47 Canadian UN troops who served in Bosnia were accused of “drunkenness, sex, black marketeering and patient abuse at a mental hospital they were guarding”. The soldiers had been assigned the “humanitarian” chore of guarding a mental hospital at Bakovici in order to secure it for the staff’s return. “The hospital instead became the setting for heavy drinking; sex between soldiers, nurses and interpreters that violated regulations; black-market sales, and harassment of the patients...”

During the “frenzy of looting” that broke out in Liberia in the spring of 1996, peacekeepers used UN vehicles to make off with pilfered goods, according to the April 12, 1996 issue of *USA Today*. UN vehicles—and the troops responsible for them—have also been a boon to Balkan drug smugglers. The August 9, 1996 *Washington Times* reported that “U.S. and Bosnian officials suspect that high-

ranking UN officials from Jordan based in the central Bosnian towns of Bugojno and Travnik have routinely provided UN vehicles to help smugglers get contraband past checkpoints. The officers appear to have received money and the services of prostitutes from the smugglers, led by Islamic foreigners who entered Bosnia with U.S. approval to defend the Muslim government.”

Significantly, the Bosnian narco-ring apparently received critical support from UN police monitors, who were stationed in the Balkans in order to facilitate the creation of a civilian police force dedicated to upholding “world law”. A Pentagon official told the *Washington Times* that such problems were predictable, given that “the international police task force [in Bosnia] is a compendium of people from diverse countries with different degrees of professionalism and training and different backgrounds in operations and ethics”—a fairly-compelling explanation of why UN-style “world law” cannot work.

[H: OK, people, these are THE ONES that are now set forth to police YOUR world—no matter who you are or where you might be in this old world. And, these are the TRAINED policemen set to take control through the United Nations. It has always been planned thusly and terror is the best method of controlling people. Further, terror has to be based on base elements in order to get past the violent-nature and acceptance of any society. Where do you think all your own soldiers go from the closed bases, etc.? Why yes of course, overseas to “peacekeep” so that they are unavailable to serve YOU THE PEOPLE but attend others while others’ children are sent to control you so that there is no softness allowed on the part of “strangers” in your own forces. Would your son shoot you? Disallowing the fact that this is getting to be more and more prevalent we will consider that a foreigner might well sooner shoot you than would your own child.

You mourn for weeks over a princess who is killed literally by living her own lifestyle and yet who attends these babes who are tortured to death by the very parties sent to protect them? If you see nothing wrong with this—you are sicker than the whole lot of them.]

The UN’s “nation-building” mission in Cambodia—long touted as among the world body’s proudest achievements—added to that unfortunate land’s abundant history of lawlessness. In 1993, 170 residents of Cambodia protested the abusive behavior of blue helmet troops in a letter to Yasushi Akashi, who served as then-Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali’s representative in Cambodia. Prominent among the complaints was the mistreatment of women, who were treated to abuse and harassment by UN officials “regularly in public restaurants, hotels and bars, banks, markets, and shops”.

New York Times correspondent Barbara Crossette, whose primary beat is the UN, elaborated: “The bad behavior [of UN forces in Cambodia] was not limited to abuse of women. There were bar fights, brawls, and shootouts and a proliferation of brothels, stolen vehicles and general drunken boorishness. Geographical origins were no indicator of what to expect. While some Asian and African troops got out of line, it was the soldiers of a Bulgarian battalion who had the worst reputation. They went down in local legend as ‘the Vulgar-ians’.” Cambodia has descended again into murderous chaos, and Kenneth Roth, executive director of Human Rights Watch, believes that “the mess that Cambodia finds itself in today is in large part

a product of the UN’s failure to uphold the rule of law” in the course of its “nation-building” mission.

NIGHTMARE IN RWANDA

The same lawlessness infected the UN mission to Rwanda, which suffered a Cambodia-style genocide earlier this decade. Crossette noted that Rwandans accused UN troops “of illicit trading, hit-and-run driving, sexual harassment and criminal abuse of diplomatic immunity they have bestowed on themselves. The disruptive personal behavior of some troops has been a factor in Rwanda’s demand that all peacekeepers be withdrawn from the country...”

Also contributing to that demand is the fact that UN forces in Rwanda actually *abetted* the worst bloodletting in recent memory—the Rwandan genocide of 1994, in which a half-million Tutsis were annihilated in approximately 100 days. “Many of the mass murderers were employees of the international relief agencies,” testified Peter Hammond of Frontline Fellowship in *Holocaust in Rwanda*. In one incident recounted by Hammond, Belgian UN troops stationed in a heavily fortified compound in Kigali “deceived the [Tutsi] refugees by assembling them for a meal in the dining hall and then [they] evacuated the base while the refugees were eating. Literally two minutes after the Belgians had driven out of their base, the Presidential Guard poured into the buildings, annihilating the defenseless Tutsi refugees.”

When the Tutsi-organized Rwandan Patriotic Front drove many of the worst Hutu murderers from Rwanda into the Congo (then called Zaire) the UN intervened militarily—on the side of the murderers. One year after the genocide, wrote Peter Beinart in the October 30, 1995 issue of *The New Republic*, “former [Rwandan] government militias, often armed and sometimes in uniform, control many UN refugee camps, terrorizing civilians and plotting to reinvade.” Janet Fleischmann of Human Rights Watch-Africa reported, “The UN clearly took the lead in assisting these refugees who were in uniform and armed... and that helped them establish control over the refugee camps.” This development provoked the renowned French humanitarian group *Medecins sans Frontieres* and several other charitable organizations to withdraw from militia-controlled UN refugee camps.

When the UN “peacekeeping” mission to Rwanda finally furlled its blue banner in March 1996, the reaction on the part of Rwandans was one of unalloyed relief. “Hundreds of genocide survivors protesting outside the UN headquarters in Kigali cheered... as the UN flag was lowered to mark the end of the United Nations’ peacekeeping mandate,” reported a March 3, 1996 *Reuters* wire service report. Apparently, Rwandans would rather face the prospect of bloody anarchy than submit to the variety of “peace” administered by UN troops.

FOLLOW THE BROTHELS

The market in prostitution—including child prostitution—thrives wherever blue berets decamp. According to Gould, records of UN peacekeeping missions documented that “brothels have sprouted nearby—and in one case allegedly inside—UN compounds. In the latter case, prostitutes were allegedly employed by the UN and were reportedly even shipped on UN planes to fornicate with a UN staff member in hotels paid for by the UN.”

Last December a UN study on children in war reported that blue berets had been involved in child

prostitution in six of the 12 countries which had been studied. In country after country unfortunate enough to attract the UN's "humanitarian" intervention, "the arrival of peacekeeping troops has been accompanied with a rapid rise in child prostitution," the document reported. Following the signing of a peace treaty in Mozambique in 1992, for example, "soldiers of the United Nations operation... recruited girls aged 12 to 18 years into prostitution."

However, as Jennifer Gould learned, the mistreatment of women is something of a UN tradition—the world body's enthusiastic support for radical feminism notwithstanding. In a report published in the May 20th *Village Voice*, Gould described the plight of Catherine Claxon, a UN employee who filed the first-ever sexual harassment complaint against the UN in 1991. After Claxon filed her complaint, "Someone fired a shot through the glass window of a coffee shop by the United Nations"—just above Claxon's head. "Another bullet shattered Claxon's windshield as she drove home from her job at the UN one night on the Long Island Expressway." On three other occasions, Claxon was nearly run off the road—at the same spot where she was nearly killed by the gunshot. According to Gould, "UN women describe a godfather-like institution"—a network of cronyism and corruption. "This is compounded by the fact that in some UN member countries, women are treated as chattel instead of as equals."

HAUNTING PROPHECY

Gould described the UN as "a bizarre universe of intrigue and outrage, where diplomats from 185 countries—stuffed suits simmering with regional, religious, and class-bred hatreds—try to promote world peace." Such is the character of the institution whose masters crave the power to enforce "world law". The essence of that abstraction is captured in the photograph of "peacekeepers" Baert and Coelus playfully swinging a Somali child over a fire: unaccountable power employed mercilessly against the helpless.

More than seven decades ago, while the U.S. Senate was debating ratification of the League of Nations Covenant, Senator William Borah (R-ID) sought to cool the ardor of the League's supporters by dousing it with a bracing shower of cold reality. Those who believed that a world army would consist of stainless champions of "world peace" were ignoring the unyielding facts about human nature. A world army, Borah declared, would consist of "the gathered scum of the nations organized into a conglomerate international police force ordered hither and thither by the most heterogeneous and irresponsible body or court that ever confused or confounded the natural instincts and noble passions of a people." Can there be any doubt that the UN has vindicated Borah's dismal prophecy? — *William Norman Grigg*.

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After seemingly being away, just why would I choose such a horrid story for sharing with you, my friends? Well, because you have to understand that our mission is not for the timid nor for the simple "do-gooders". But no, we do not have to tease the dragon nor the Cobra. You, however, have to realize that you miss most of what is REALLY news and fasten your hearts, souls and misdirections onto the distractors presented to you in order to cause you to miss the REAL thing.

Corruption As A Way Of Life?

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INDIANS AND SOVEREIGN NATIONS

Read carefully the information Rick Martin offers this week [*our Front Page story*] (and ongoing in future editions of the paper) on the topic of Sovereignty of Indian (Native American) lands and the gaming which is springing up all over the nation of the U.S.

We have gone to visit and sit with these people here in many of the casinos and central service districts of the Natives and find an incredible LACK OF ANY SOVEREIGNTY. How did this happen? Easy—the natives sold out to the government welfare system. Can it be reversed? Well, the takeover came and got entrenched a long time ago by such as Lansky, Morgan and other parties easily recognized as the underworld crowd and money-brigade.

Can we deal with them? Perhaps, but it certainly is going to be a tedious inroad into the muck and mire of ongoing wars over who gets the gaming money in the biggest rip-off scam. When, and only when, you see the circumstances and squarely study the facts can you hope to begin to do anything worthy of mention. The US Congress has TOTAL CONTROL over the entire circumstance of the Native Americans as do the States in which a reservation is located. Should it be this way? Of course NOT. But, since when is "should" or "should not" honored as viable basis for government?

The business establishment (casino) at Table Mountain, for instance, appears to be a United Nations of workers—almost no Native Americans among them. This is a Las Vegas-type casino of some 20 years ago. The workers we questioned did not even know which Indian tribe held the casino and had to go and research the question.

So, should we back off any suggestions to assist in the Indian's plight? Only if the Indians wish assistance, and you would be quite surprised at how few want anything from you, while they continue their dark passage down the primrose paths of the government takeover of the last vestiges of anything sovereign in their nations.

But I remind you that when the minorities of the United States, as an example, rise up against the Fred Goldmans of the nation, you are going to be at a great disadvantage in your white suits-of-skin and you will wish you had made an effort to gain some working relationship with these people. I use Fred Goldman as an example because the Blacks are having to witness the FACT that O.J. is a scapegoat and will never be allowed to rear his children in

peace.

The man, O.J., was found NOT GUILTY and all the civil trials in the world will not make him guilty—only disadvantaged by a corrupt system (judicial) and money-mongers. And, when the top leaders SELL OUT to the money-barons you have no hope of reestablishing, easily, a nation under God under any circumstances.

Can these misfits run everyone out of business? Of course, they have, they do, and they will. It is up to us to build substantial foundations upon which to reclaim our rights and duties as citizens in a better society.

Ah, but do good things ever happen in the hearts of evil? Yes ma'am and sir, they certainly do.

MOON MAIDENS

How many of you remember us writing, last year, about Bush going down to bless the Moonie installation in Venezuela? Well, Mr. Moon then went about his bush business thinking himself to be beyond any reprobation of any man. He promptly brought into the country 3 to 4 THOUSAND Moon Maidens (prostitutes and programmed call persons).

Word has it that he has been ordered out of, and has been removed, from the country.

Is Bush's empire falling? Hard to say, isn't it?

Let us close this, please, for we have a meeting this afternoon and I would like this in this week's paper if at all possible. I have so many topics to cover that we hardly know where to begin so don't think everything is peachy-creamy just because we have been distracted to other duties. We will keep on keeping on until we can no longer do so or we begin to find rewards for our service returning properly unto us.

Thank you for being patient in these weeks of strained health and necessary focus on other circumstances. No, the sky is not falling, Henny-Penny, but your enemies are just about to do so!

In sincerest love and appreciation for that patience and understanding, I remain yours, Gyeorgos C. Hatonn.

"Knowing is not enough;
we must apply.
Willing is not enough;
we must do."

—Goethe

Little Crow Speaks At August Gathering

[Part III in a Series]

Editor's note: The following is a further transcription (Part II was in last week's CONTACT) of Little Crow addressing those gathered for several days in Tehachapi during this year's Mountain Festival (tapes available from The Word: 8/16/97 to 8/19/97, New Year Celebration meeting tapes). Little Crow's words offer insight and often humorous respite in these difficult times of challenges and changes all around.

Little Crow: Okay, what would you like to hear? Way in the back?

Audience: The last time you were here you said after your rebirthing—I still don't know whether you call that rebirthing or not—you went through quite an ordeal; you had a lot of things to resolve and to put in perspective. One of those, I thought, was sex—I wonder if you ever came to a conclusion.

Little Crow: No, no; it is that I was not as inspired by sex as I used to be as a younger man. (laughter)

I look towards that in many ways. The primary one that I was getting at is that I do not look at women as objects of sexual pleasure, nor men as objects of sexual pleasure, whatever my gender preference might be—animal shapes, whatever. (laughter) I don't look to that as an important aspect of my life as it had been because the problem is that sex, as it was explained to me, is about power and manipulation. It's about dominance; it's about power and dominance and manipulation of another human being to satisfy one's own needs. That the one can have that control over someone and not have any other control in their life can be an ultimate failure in everything and anything. Not be recognized for anything other than what they believe their sexual prowess to be, and their sexual dominance of another human being, and a manipulation of that human being's time, service and resources and to abuse them physically, mentally and spiritually. So I must look at feminine energy or masculine energy. Were I bisexual or homosexual, I must look at that in a responsible way and saying it is not necessary to have sex in order to live.

I have gone 24 years with no alcohol, no drugs in my body and I am alive and functioning and I am doing quite well without it. And I can do the same without sex. I don't need it in my life to the point any longer that it is something that is going to make me feel better—feel good, feel dominant, feel strong, feel powerful. Because I already am those things. And there is no such thing as a sexual encounter that is going to make me feel any better, and if it is not about love and only about sex—and the two, there are vast differences, as you know—then it is a futile exercise, an exercise in futility. Then you take the physical and the realities of impotence and aging. They say the urge never goes away or the desire never goes away, but the mechanics and the facilities of the mechanics seem to suffer. (laughter)

Audience: How about "wither"?

Little Crow: Wither is one of the words I was looking for. (laughter) Of course you remember the old windows where the weights were on the side, the counter-weights; I wear several of those over my shoulder. "What are those, Little Crow?" "Oh, those are just to remind me of what used to be." (laughter)

I had realized how much I had abused sex in my life, as a person, as an individual. And how important it was for me to have sex, per se, because it was the only thing that I saw as being comforting for me in a world of very little comfort; disappointment. Disappoint my life, my condition and all the other things—a very dissatisfying disorder. It was a disorder if you wish to call it that. Because it was not a thing like food—food does not resolve anything. Food simply puts the carbohydrates and the proteins in the wrong place and we store it and we create sugar—kaboom, we go out of shape, we go out of sight. But it is just to fulfill a need and a hole. I found that in the God-self, in the creation of the energy of the spiritual energy that is within and the recognition and acceptance of that responsibility, the hole is filled. You fill that hole. You fill that hole by being here for me. Allowing me to interact with you and your energy interacting with mine—you fill that hole for me.

So part of what I was talking about was that, and another part of that was manipulation. How everything and everyone manipulates. How we use sex to manipulate, how we use beauty to manipulate, how we use weight to manipulate, how we use power to manipulate.

And we all manipulate. How we use illness and sickness to manipulate. How we use wellness and fitness to manipulate. How we use money and power to manipulate. We all are manipulators. The Creator itself manipulates. You see? Realizing that and not being embittered by it and not being captive to it, allows me to get on and do a lot more. To recognize that and to see how I have done that and to keep check on it, and to question myself and saying, "Why am I

doing this? Why am I saying that? What was the purpose of that?" To question myself rather than go blindly off and say things and bark at the moon. It is a responsibility. Even more so now with my new grandchildren and things that I mentioned also. It is an immense realization for me. It was a spiritual death; six of them, and a spiritual rebirth. I made the choice to come back; I made the choice to remain; I made the choice to stay; it wasn't made for me. The voice I heard was my own voice, because I can't picture the Creator sounding like me. I had to take accountability for making the decision; I couldn't say, "God told me to stay; it wasn't my time." What did God's words sound like? A lot like mine. (laughter)

So I take accountability for it and I said to myself, "Well, do you want to go or do you want to stay?" And I said to myself, "Self, I think I'll stay, because I have too much to do yet, and I am not done. I can't die now because there is too much stuff in this place where I am staying that I don't want people to find. (laughter) I haven't gone through my written works, or my unwritten works. I haven't gone through stuff I have in my office, in drawers, behind books, things that are buried and under shelves. I have to go clean all that up, Lord, before I leave; so please don't take me yet." Uh huh! To take accountability for that—it was kind of a different experience.

I didn't see my grandparents or my great-grandparents and there was nobody at the end of the tunnel. There was no tunnel; there was this vast, lit universe of pain and anguish and sorrow and laughter and joy and music and silence and rumbling and lightning and thunder and amazing, blasting stars were all there, all around. Then they would open to the sea and the bottom of the sea, and then it would open somewhere else, and every time I would come back to this pillow between my legs and the two little flags that were waving there, and they would turn in and this blue light which was God, the breath, eternal breath, immortality, the infinite breath traveling, and me hanging right with it. You know, in *Close Encounters of The Third Kind*, when that thing went zoom, then the little one came and hung out there and went zoom and went after it, you know. "Hey fellow, stay up with it," you know, that's just how it was. And so now I believe that's what it is for me, and that's what I am about; so I am just doing, based on my faith. I can't prove it. How are you going to prove this? I say I don't have to prove it. Do you realize, I don't have to prove it. All that's necessary is for me to believe it. And if I believe it then that's good, because that's what it is all about.

All God wants us to do is to believe something, you know. Wakan Tanka wants us to believe something, and that is to believe in ourselves. And if you believe in yourself, then you believe in what created you, and what created you is God, and if God created you and you believe in God then you have the faith, and the faith is all that is necessary because the faith will set you free. Truth or whatever. Each truth is truth. That's the process and that is what it was about—so I made it abundantly clear that my concepts and ideas and my respect for feminine energy has taken a new perspective. It isn't a sexual symbol, it isn't a "perhaps", it isn't a "I wonder what" or "why" or "how". I see feminine energy as a wonderful, loving human being to be respected because it is a life-giver and it is resonate and cognizant to the Mother Earth fertility. And to respect it for that, and to give it equity, and to give it parity in my life. It isn't a second thought or a sub-thought or a subservient thought. It is on line and has parity with everything else that I honor. It isn't a second-class or an after-thought that I must respect in such a way that I have maybe never respected before. That's what I was talking about. I was taking my own inventory. I was doing self-inven-

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tory. And I had to share that, I had to share it openly with the congregation, I had to share it openly with the gatherers, as I share with you. I didn't have to tell you. I didn't have to answer that question. I could have said that is personal and private and wait for the video (laughter); wait for the series, it will be along. It will be part of the series that we will produce but that is down the road, right now. We are doing something else.

Another question?

Audience: I remember when I was with another Indian teacher as great as the one I am with now—Hindu Indian in that case—and I asked Baba, "How do I get free of this gnawing feeling for sex, etc. The issue was women; I just want to be a saint, I want to be a Sadhu, and I'll be a Swami—and how do I get rid of this issue of women?" Baba just waved his feathers and said, "Just see them as men." (laughter) That worked for a while and that took care of that. Then, after that while was gone, I went back to Baba again, "Baba how do I get rid of this thing about desire for women, etc.?" He said, "Look at their feet." (laughter) So now we are back to the respect, and to the love and compassion for the Divine Mother. Because somehow whenever we look at Mother there is no sexual desire—no matter how beautiful or sexy Mother might have, could have, or would have been. Mother is different. So just before I left down there, I'm in the office taking care of some business and I look on the wall and there is one of the pictures of Divine Mother, and the quote on the calendar is: "The purpose of life is to merge in the divinity of your inner self and when you do that there is nothing there but love and when you do it completely you lose all consciousness of the physical body. There is nothing left but love." So my question after all this blabbing, Little Crow, is, was your experience—how do you describe it; are you more loving? What is this; you describe six deaths, could you elaborate on what that means, what that is?

Little Crow: For me as Little Crow it is a process of compassion, a process of experiencing the things that I did and have and continue to experience. Am I more loving? More or less is hard for me—it's like good or bad, plus or minus. No, I am just more accountable for the love that I feel.

When I say to people, on Sundays or whatever, "I love you. I don't even know you and I love you. I don't care where you have been, what you have done or where you are going or what you do." That is not my place. My place is to have someone say to them they love them, without knowing a thing about them. Not wanting anything from them. So for me it has been my accountability about loving, whether it is more or less. I believe the result of all of our experiences is to eventually reach a place of compassion. If we believe God or the Creator or whatever Source, we confirm to be compassionate. We seem to have that need for it to be forgiving because we ask for forgiveness and deathbed ritual, and last minute, and soul-saving ritual and things are all about forgiveness. It is all about being forgiven.

What I got from this and what helped me also, what I felt and saw was I had to be able to forgive myself. When I was able to do that and being embodied with whatever I am embodied with, it was the same. So now what I do, and when I do, and how I do it is done with more conscious effort, more accountability. Hopefully it is not something I would have to ask forgiveness for; I would not have to ask apology for, that I would not have to preface with, "First I want to apologize to anybody that I might offend." My effort is to not offend you, not to offend you, and that can be done, really. If you give me long enough up here, I can talk long enough that whoever is offended now will not be offended—you will be asleep, but you will not be of-

fended (laughter) by the time that I leave. It is just a matter of time—given enough time I can get your forgiveness. Yeah, because you will go to sleep and forget about everything and I will get up and leave, so that is how it is. Compassion, and [the fact that] I have more accountability for the love and the ways in which I express it. That is how it affects me. Thank you for the question.

Audience: What were the six deaths?

Little Crow: Yes, they were the six times that I died and came back and each one of them was kind of affiliated with different areas or questions that I had and things that were shown to me in six twenty-four-hour periods. Basically they were things that dealt with sex, death—you know, living, manipulation, loving, accountability, disease. A lot about disease: how it works, how it operates. And then some marginal periferal things that I also talked about. More in depth about that when I make the tapes. We can sit and talk about it in depth. Anything else?

Audience: This is not a question, this is just a statement. I would like to express appreciation that I have experienced having you be so simple as to talk of the importance of each breath. I am in that realm of appreciation and understanding of knowing that is a very special and direct gift that each of us share. And with our consciousness of each experience, which is the only thing that actually does happen in the moment of "now", is that the inhale and then the return to that still, silent beginning with endless presence in which we dwell and overlook looking for it. That I think we find that confluence of that which has no beginning and just in that simple act, letting that one breath in and the one breath out, and I feel that it is my goal and desire in this life to be as conscious of that in the moment as I can possibly be, because of the

joyous feelings that come about. I have, also, just nothing to express but supreme divine gratitude for Commander, this gathering, the speakers, and the participants here and everywhere in the universe as far as I can see. And that with the beginning of the eleventh year that we begin doing divinely what has been done in the absence of that in all history that I can see on this Earth. Thank you all.

Little Crow: Thank you for that, and the way in which you stated it. That is all we have; and if I were to give you a dollar for every breath and the next fifty breaths, no one would be willing to sell your breath. You see, if I could say give me your next fifty breaths, I want to buy them, you would say "No; get out of my face." But you see, when you exhale, I inhale; so you give me life. When I exhale, you inhale; and the plants work that way; and the Earth works that way; and the air works that way; and the water works that way; and rocks work that way; and trees work that way; and leaves work that way; and insects work that way. When an ant exhales, we inhale; when a spider exhales the Mother Earth breathes, and when the Mother Earth exhales all the plants breathe. And on and on, connected brothers and sisters, we are connected; we are related; we are one and the same, only in a different form.

It is inescapable, we are not different. We are just diverse. Each of us is right, but we are also accountable. Accountable: that seems to be the stickler sometimes. That we don't want that kind of accountability that comes with the knowledge that God dwells within us. All it takes to recognize it is to act in that way. It is an awesome responsibility, but it is not held for the special of the few, it is there for all of you, it is there for everyone. You already have it; it is already there.

[To be continued.]

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Native American Gaming

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abundance and "means" where before there was none. Of the some one-hundred-odd Native American tribes/bands in California alone, it is estimated that over 40 are currently practicing some form of gaming, thus making it the highest number in the nation. This is followed by the state of Oklahoma with 38 tribes practicing gaming. At a national total of some \$4.5 billion annually, Native American gaming has certainly become a financial force in its own right. Is it any wonder that Uncle Sam has suddenly reared his head at attention? Gaming has strengthened tribes through prosperity. But Native American gaming, in California as elsewhere, certainly has not gone unfettered or without attacks by state and national governmental agencies.

In *Our Brother's Keeper: The Indian In White America*, we read: [quoting]

The Indian is never alone. The life he leads is not his to control. That is not permitted. Every aspect of his being is affected and defined by his relationship to the Federal Government—and primarily to one agency of the Federal Government: the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

From birth to death his home, his land, his reservation, his schools, his jobs, the stores where he shops, the tribal council that governs him, the opportunities available to him, the way in which he spends his money, disposes of his property, and even the way in which he provides for his heirs after death—are all determined by the Bureau of Indian Affairs acting as the agent of the United States Government. [End quoting]

From the introduction of another book supplied to *CONTACT*, title unknown, we read: [quoting]

Law dominates Indian life in a way not duplicated in other segments of American society. The federal Congress, which early in the Nation's history was found to possess extensive power over Indians, has enacted over four thousand treaties and statutes dealing with Native Americans. Regulations and guidelines implementing these laws are even more numerous. The tribes' own laws, and some state statutes dealing with Indians, add to the complexity. There are thousands of reported judicial decisions in Indian law. Litigation has dealt extensively with Indian rights to valuable resources such as land, minerals, wildlife, and water. Self-government in Indian country, a right that has always been central to Indian people, has continuously been challenged in court by state officials, private interests, and others who argue that separate Indian governments should not persevere.

The doctrinal foundations for federal Indian law are in many respects anomalous in our jurisprudence. The Supreme Court has drawn upon principles of international law dealing with aboriginal peoples. The United States has recognized Indian

tribes as sovereigns with powers of self-government. Further, the *Constitution* was drafted in such a manner that tribal governments are not bound by constitutional limitations such as the *Bill of Rights* and the *Fourteenth Amendment*. Thus, among other things, Indian law includes unique property interests, distinctive jurisdictional principles, and a special trust relationship between Indians and the United States. [End quoting]

Sovereign immunity is currently under attack in the Congress through legislation being put forth by long-time Native American foe Senator Slade Gorton (R-WA), Chairman of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies. Section 120, as part of the fiscal year 1998 Interior appropriations bill, contains a provision which would require Indian tribal governments to waive their sovereign immunity against suit as a condition of receiving federal funds and, further, would authorize actions against tribes to be heard in federal court, thus undermining tribal self-governance. Under Senator Gorton's proposal, tribal court authority would be diminished and a tribal council elected to lead a tribe and govern its people would face the risk that, whether it acted or failed to act, the tribe's land and other assets, and thus the tribe itself, would be exposed to loss through the federal courts.

INDIAN GAMING REGULATORY ACT (IGRA)

As if all of these factors weren't enough, in 1988 Congress passed a law legislation which has had a tremendous impact on Native Americans throughout the land. That legislation is known as the **Indian Gaming Regulatory Act (IGRA)**. The Indian Gaming Regulatory Act is currently codified under federal law as 25 U.S.C., Sec. 2701-2721, as was theoretically promulgated with the goal of "promoting tribal economic development, self-sufficiency, and strong tribal governments". IGRA was enacted in response to a 1987 Supreme Court decision *California v. Cabazon Band of Mission Indians*, 480 U.S. 202, 107 S.Ct. 1083, 44 L.Ed.2d 244 (1987). The Act creates three classes of "gaming":

Class I: Social games for minimal prizes and traditional Indian games.

Class II: Bingo and similar games of chance such as pull-tabs and lotto. Card games that are explicitly authorized by the State or not explicitly prohibited by the State, but not including banking card games including baccarat, chemin de fer, or blackjack. (Class II gaming, by definition, specifically excludes any "electronic or electromechanical

cal facsimiles of any game of chance or slot machines of any kind." 25 U.S.C., Sec. 2703 (7)(B)(ii).)

Class III: All games not included in classes I or II.

Tribes throughout California are currently under judicial attack by each of the four federal districts of the U.S. Attorney's Office. In a recent suit (still pending) filed in the Central District by U.S. Attorney Nora Manella in U.S. District Court for the Central District of California, Western Division, Case No. CV-97-1716-JSL against 9 Central District Native American tribes, we read: [quoting]

Two principle federal statutory schemes—the Johnson Act and the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act—govern gaming on Indian lands. The California Penal Code also contains an extensive statutory scheme addressing gaming, and is incorporated into federal law by the terms of IGRA. The gaming devices and any blackjack, played at the casinos discussed (herein this lawsuit), violate these statutes.

1. The Johnson Act: The Johnson Act, as amended by the Gambling Devices Act of 1962, is codified at 15 U.S.C., Sec. 1171-1178. The Johnson Act applies to "gambling devices", which generally are defined as: (1) any so-called "slot machine" or any other machine or mechanical device an essential part of which is a drum or reel with insignia thereon, and (A) which when operated may deliver, as the result of the application of an element of chance, any money or property, or (B) by the operation of which a person may become entitled to receive, as the result of the application of an element of chance, any money or property; or (2) any other machine or mechanical device (including, but not limited to, roulette wheels and similar devices) designed and manufactured primarily for use in connection with gambling, and (A) which when operated may deliver, as the result of the application of an element of chance, any money or property, or (B) by the operation of which a person may become entitled to receive, as the result of the application of an element of chance, any money or property; or (3) any subassembly or essential part intended to be used in connection with any such machine or mechanical device, but which is not attached to any such machine or mechanical device as a constituent part.

15 U.S.C., Sec. 1171(a)(1): By definition, slot machines are gambling devices. Electronic video gambling machines are also gambling devices. *United States v. Two-Hundred-Ninety-Four Various Gambling Devices*, 731 F. Supp. 1246, 1247 (W.D. Pa. 1990) (video poker machines gambling devices); *United States v. One-Hundred-Thirty-Seven (137) Draw Poker-Type Machines and Six (6) Slot Machines*, 606 F.Supp. 747, 754 (N.D. Ohio 1984), aff'd, 765 F.2d 147 (6th Cir. 1985) (electronic video draw poker machines held to be gambling devices within the meaning of 15 U.S.C., Sec. 1171(a)(2); *United States v. Sixteen Electronic Gambling Devices*, 603 F. Supp. 32, 34 (D. Haw. 1984) (electronic video games duplicating casino games such as draw poker, blackjack and keno held to be gambling devices.)

[Still quoting, later on, the U.S. Attorney's lawsuit:]

As a preliminary requirement, a Class III gaming activity is permitted on Indian lands only if the state in which the Indian tribe is located "permits such gaming for any purpose by a person, organi-

zation, or entity..." 25 U.S.C., Sec. 2710(d)(1)(B).

IGRA then sets forth the statutory and administrative procedures a tribe or band must follow in order to secure authorization to conduct Class III gaming on Indian land. Included among these procedures is a process by which it can be conclusively determined whether the gaming proposed by an Indian tribe is of a type permitted by the state for "any purpose by any person, organization, or entity" as required by Section 2710(d)(1)(B).

In order to conduct Class III gaming on Indian lands, the interested tribe must enter into a tribal-state compact governing the Class III gaming with the state in which the Indian lands are located. The reason for this compact is not arbitrary. Congress imposed the requirement because: there is no adequate Federal regulatory system in place of the regulation of Class III gaming, nor do tribes have such systems for the regulations of Class III gaming currently in place. Thus the logical choice is to make use of the existing state regulatory systems.

[Still quoting:] Congress unquestionably intended to prohibit all Class III gaming activity by Indian tribes unless conducted pursuant to a compact:

Under this act, Indian tribes will be required to give up any legal right they may now have to engage in Class III if: (1) they choose to forgo gaming rather than to opt for a compact that may involve State jurisdiction; (2) they opt for a compact and, for whatever reason, a compact is not successfully negotiated.

A tribe can begin the negotiating process for a compact by asking the state in which the tribe is located to enter into negotiations for a compact. Under the Act, the state "shall negotiate with the Indian tribe in good faith to enter into such a compact." If the parties reach agreement, they sign a tribal-state compact.

The qualification to this good faith negotiation requirement is that proposed gaming activities must be negotiated by the state "only if such activities are...located in a State that permits such gaming for any purpose by any person, organization, or entity. "Consequently, where a state does not 'permit' gaming activities sought by a tribe, the tribe has no right to engage in these activities, and the state thus has no duty to negotiate with respect to them." *Rumsey* 64 F.3d at 1256. "In other words, a state need only allow Indian tribes to operate games that others can operate, but need not give tribes what others cannot have."

Therefore, as set forth above, an Indian tribe may engage in Class III gaming only if: (1) located in a state that permits such gaming and, (2) conducted in conformance with a tribal-state compact entered into between the tribe and the State. [End quoting]

In an effort to clarify the state of California's position on this issue, I telephoned Attorney General Dan Lungren's office. His press spokesman responded in the following manner when asked to articulate the state's posture: "The state's position, as it always has been, is that Native Americans are allowed to have any gaming which is allowed under state law. What is currently allowed under state law is: Bingo; horse racing or paramutual wagering; non-house bank card games; and the state lottery. That is it."

Governor Wilson's press office responded to my query concerning the establishment of a "compact" with various tribes in the following manner: "Well, in the past there have been. Those negotiations had always come to an impasse because of the tribe's

insistence to negotiate over games that were not legal in the state of California, most notably, slot machines. The courts have ruled that the state is under no obligation to negotiate over games that are not legal in the state. We are currently negotiating with the Palas, with the goal of negotiating a compact that can serve as a model for other compacts." The court case referred to was identified as "originally *Rumsey vs. Wilson*, but when it got through the Ninth Circuit, it was called *Sycuan Band of Mission Indians vs. Wilson*. The Supreme Court left the Ninth Circuit ruling stand (*this year, specifically on June 27.*)"

When asked to further state the Governor's position on gaming, the reply was: "Our position has always been that the Governor is willing to negotiate with any tribes that are law abiding tribes. But any tribes that are running games that are not legal in the state of California have to shut them down." When asked how that would be done, the response was that it is the responsibility of the U.S. Attorney's Office.

At the heart of the Native American gaming controversy are slot machines vs. "paramutual" betting. When asked to clarify the definition of paramutual betting, the Governor's spokeswoman said, "A bank game is where the house has a stake in the outcome of the game. A non-bank format, or a paramutual format, is the house just takes a standard cut but it has no interest in the outcome of the game. Bank games are illegal in California."

Governor Pete Wilson issued a statement back in June of this year concerning the amicus curiae brief filed with the Supreme Court concerning *Sycuan Band of Mission Indians v. Wilson*. His statement says, in part: "No tribe has the right to conduct gaming that is illegal under State law, and the State is under no obligation to negotiate a compact which permits such illegal gaming."

Upon asking the Governor's spokeswoman for further details on the issue of "compacts", she stated: "There is no information available on the compact. Now, what I could do is talk to you about some of the areas that could be discussed or would need to be covered in some way because of the fact that the tribes are sovereign. When they're setting up some kind of a business operation, anybody else in California has all these permitting and regulatory processes to deal with—environmental quality, health and safety codes, and all these other things—and there is no requirement then for the tribes to go through it. So a lot of the things that would normally be handled under typical regulatory processes in the state of California have to be accounted for somehow to make sure that things like insurance, public safety, environmental quality issues, and environmental protection issues and all these other things are dealt with. So, I've summarized some of the issues that would be involved. Obviously, as well as the type and style of games that can be conducted. Now, the one form of Class III gaming that would be allowed to be negotiated over by the tribe is a lottery-style game. The reason for that is, the lottery is also, actually, the only entity that is allowed to run a lottery is the state of California. And because it is legal for at least one entity in the state (coincidentally, the state) to run the lottery, it would also be legal for the tribe to negotiate over running lottery games."

Pala tribal chairman Robert Smith had no comment except to acknowledge on-going negotiations concerning a compact for the Pala band.

It is very clear that the issue of Native American gaming is one which will be passionately debated in the halls of justice for months and years to

come.

Interestingly enough, the government's "official" position concerning Indian sovereignty is very clear in a statement which even appears on the Department of Justice's web-site.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE POLICY ON INDIAN SOVEREIGNTY AND GOVERNMENT- TO-GOVERNMENT RELATIONS WITH INDIAN TRIBES

[Please stay with me, this is a long quote: (quoting)]

Purpose: To reaffirm the Department's recognition of the sovereign status of federally recognized Indian tribes as domestic dependent nations and to reaffirm adherence to the principles of government-to-government relations; to inform Department personnel, other federal agencies, federally recognized Indian tribes, and the public of the Department's working relationships with federally recognized Indian tribes; and to guide the Department in its work in the field of Indian affairs.

I. INTRODUCTION

From its earliest days, the United States has recognized the sovereign status of Indian tribes as "domestic dependent nations". *Cherokee Nation v. Georgia*, 30 U.S. (5 Pet.) 1, 17 (1831). Our *Constitution* recognizes Indian sovereignty by classing Indian treaties among the "Supreme Law of the land", and establishes Indian affairs as a unique area of federal concern. In early Indian treaties, the United States pledged to "protect" Indian tribes, thereby establishing one of the bases for the federal trust responsibility in our government-to-government relations with Indian tribes. These principles continue to guide our national policy towards Indian tribes.

THE EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM ON GOVERNMENT-TO-GOVERNMENT RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND INDIAN TRIBES

On April 29, 1994, at a historic meeting with the heads of tribal governments, President Clinton reaffirmed the United States' "unique legal relationship with Native American tribal governments" and issued a directive to all executive departments and agencies of the Federal Government that:

As executive departments and agencies undertake activities affecting Native American tribal rights or trust resources, such activities should be implemented in a knowledgeable, sensitive manner respectful of tribal sovereignty.

President Clinton's directive requires that in all activities relating to or affecting the government or treaty rights of Indian tribes, the executive branch shall:

1. Operate within a government-to-government relationship with federally recognized Indian tribes;
2. consult, to the greatest extent practicable and permitted by law, with Indian tribal governments before taking actions that affect federally recognized Indian tribes;
3. assess the impact of agency activities on tribal trust resources and assure that tribal inter-

ests are considered before the activities are undertaken;

4. remove procedural impediments to working directly with tribal governments on activities that affect trust property or governmental rights of the tribes; and

5. work cooperatively with other agencies to accomplish these goals established by the President.

The Department of Justice is reviewing programs and procedures to ensure that we adhere to principles of respect for Indian tribal governments and honor our Nation's trust responsibility to Indian tribes. Within the Department, the Office of Tribal Justice has been formed to coordinate policy towards Indian tribes both within the Department and with other agencies of the Federal Government, and to assist Indian tribes as domestic dependent nations within the federal system.

FEDERAL INDIAN SELF-DETERMINATION POLICY

President Clinton's executive memorandum builds on the firmly established federal policy of self-determination for Indian tribes. Working together with Congress, previous Presidents affirmed the fundamental policy of federal respect for tribal self-government. President Johnson recognized "the right of the first Americans...to freedom of choice and self-determination." President Nixon strongly encouraged "self-determination" among the Indian people. President Reagan pledged "to pursue the policy of self-government" for Indian tribes and reaffirmed "the government-to-government basis" for dealing with Indian tribes. President Bush recognized that the Federal Government's "efforts to increase tribal self-governance have brought a renewed sense of pride and empowerment to this country's native peoples."

II. PRINCIPLES OF INDIAN SOVEREIGNTY AND THE TRUST RESPONSIBILITY

Though generalizations are difficult, a few basic principles provide important guidance in the field of Indian affairs: (1) the *Constitution* vests Congress with plenary power over Indian affairs; (2) Indian tribes retain important sovereign powers over "their members and their territory", subject to the plenary power of Congress; and (3) the United States has a trust responsibility to Indian tribes, which guides and limits the Federal Government in dealings with Indian tribes. Thus, federal and tribal law generally have primacy over Indian affairs in Indian country, except where Congress has provided otherwise.

III. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE RECOGNITION OF INDIAN SOVEREIGNTY AND THE FEDERAL TRUST RESPONSIBILITY

The Department resolves that the following principles will guide its interactions with the Indian tribes.

A. THE SOVEREIGNTY OF INDIAN TRIBES

The Department recognizes that Indian tribes as domestic dependent nations retain sovereign pow-

ers, except as divested by the United States, and further recognizes that the United States has the authority to restore federal recognition of Indian sovereignty in order to strengthen tribal self-governance.

The Department shall be guided by principles of respect for Indian tribes and their sovereign authority and the United States' trust responsibility in the many ways in which the Department takes action on matters affecting Indian tribes. For example, the Department reviews proposed legislation, administers funds that are available to tribes to build their capacity to address crime and crime-related problems in Indian country, and in conjunction with the Bureau of Indian Affairs and tribal police, provides essential law enforcement in Indian country. The Department represents the United States, in coordination with other federal agencies, in litigation brought for the benefit of Indian tribes and individuals, as well as in litigation by Indian tribes or individuals against the United States or its agencies. In litigation as in other matters, the Department may take actions and positions affecting Indian tribes with which one or more tribes may disagree. In all situations, the Department will carry out its responsibilities consistent with the law and this policy statement.

B. GOVERNMENT-TO- GOVERNMENT RELATIONSHIPS WITH INDIAN TRIBES

In accord with the status of Indian tribes as domestic dependent nations, the Department is committed to operating on the basis of government-to-government relations with Indian tribes.

Consistent with federal law and other Departmental duties, the Department will consult with tribal leaders in its decisions that relate to or affect the sovereignty, rights, resources or lands of Indian tribes. Each component will conduct such consultation in light of its mission. In addition, the Department has initiated national and regional listening conferences and has created the Office of Tribal Justice to improve communications with Indian tribes. In the Offices of the United States Attorneys with substantial areas of Indian country within their purview, the Department encourages designation of Assistant U.S. Attorneys to serve as tribal liaisons.

In order to fulfill its mission, the Department of Justice endeavors to forge strong partnerships between the Indian tribal governments and the Department. These partnerships will enable the Department to better serve the needs of Indian tribes, Indian people, and the public at large.

C. SELF-DETERMINATION AND SELF-GOVERNANCE

The Department is committed to strengthening and assisting Indian tribal governments in their development and to promoting Indian self-governance. Consistent with federal law and Departmental responsibilities, the Department will consult with tribal governments concerning law enforcement priorities in Indian country, support duly recognized tribal governments, defend the lawful exercise of tribal governmental powers in coordination with the Department of the Interior and other federal agencies, investigate government corruption when necessary, and support and assist Indian tribes in the development of their law enforcement systems, tribal courts, and traditional justice systems.

D. TRUST RESPONSIBILITY

The Department acknowledges the federal trust responsibility arising from Indian treaties, statutes, executive orders, and the historical relations between the United States and Indian tribes. In a broad sense, the trust responsibility relates to the United States' unique legal and political relationship with Indian tribes. Congress, with plenary power over Indian affairs, plays a primary role in defining the trust responsibility, and Congress recently declared that the trust responsibility "includes the protection of the sovereignty of each tribal government". 25 U.S.C. § 3601.

The term "trust responsibility" is also used in a narrower sense to define the precise legal duties of the United States in managing property and resources of Indian tribes and, at times, of individual Indians.

The trust responsibility, in both senses, will guide the Department in litigation, enforcement, policy making and proposals for legislation affecting Indian country, when appropriate to the circumstances. As used in its narrower sense, the federal trust responsibility may be justiciable in some circumstances, while in its broader sense the definition and implementation of the trust responsibility is committed to Congress and the Executive Branch.

E. PROTECTION OF CIVIL RIGHTS

Federal law prohibits discrimination based on race or national origin by the federal, state and local governments, or individuals against American Indians in such areas as voting, education, housing, credit, public accommodations and facilities, employment, and in certain federally funded programs and facilities. Various federal criminal civil rights statutes also preserve personal liberties and safety. The existence of the federal trust responsibility towards Indian tribes does not diminish the obligation of state and local governments to respect the civil rights of Indian people.

Through the Indian Civil Rights Act, Congress selectively has derived essential civil rights protections from the *Bill of Rights* and applied them to Indian tribes. 25 U.S.C. § 1301. The Indian Civil Rights Act is to be interpreted with respect for Indian sovereignty. The primary responsibility for enforcement of the Act is invested in the tribal courts and other tribal fora. In the criminal law context, federal courts have authority to decide habeas corpus petitions after tribal remedies are exhausted.

The Department of Justice is fully committed to safeguarding the constitutional and statutory rights of American Indians, as well as all other Americans.

F. PROTECTION OF TRIBAL RELIGION AND CULTURE

The mandate to protect religious liberty is deeply rooted in this Nation's constitutional heritage. The Department seeks to ensure that American Indians are protected in the observance of their faiths. Decisions regarding the activities of the Department that have the potential to substantially interfere with the exercise of Indian religions will be guided by the *First Amendment* of the *United States Constitution*, as well as by statutes which protect the exercise of religion such as the Religious Freedom Restoration Act, the American Indian Religious Freedom Act, the Native American

Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, and the National Historic Preservation Act.

The Department also recognizes the significant federal interest in aiding tribes in the preservation of their tribal customs and traditions. In performing its duties in Indian country, the Department will respect and seek to preserve tribal cultures.

IV. DIRECTIVE TO ALL COMPONENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

The principles set out here must be interpreted by each component of the Department of Justice in light of its respective mission. Therefore, each component head shall make all reasonable efforts to ensure that the component's activities are consistent with the above sovereignty and trust principles. The component heads shall circulate this policy to all attorneys in the Department to inform them of their responsibilities. Where the activities and internal procedures of the components can be reformed to ensure greater consistency with this Policy, the component head shall undertake to do so. If tensions arise between these principles and other principles which guide the component in carrying out its mission, components will develop, as necessary, a mechanism for resolving such tensions to ensure that tribal interests are given due consideration. Finally, component heads will appoint a contact person to work with the Office of Tribal Justice in addressing Indian issues within the component. [End quoting]

CLOSING THOUGHTS

Since the enactment of the IGRA, revenues from Indian gaming operations have grown exponentially. Nationwide, total revenues from Indian gaming are projected to top \$4 billion, some say more. Tribes are using their profits for the betterment of the reservation and its people. They are building schools/colleges (there are currently 26 tribal colleges nationwide) and community centers, setting up education trust funds/scholarships, investing in alcohol- and drug-treatment programs, financing new business enterprises (entrepreneurships), and putting in water and sewer systems on the reservations.

On the flip side of the equation, many experience gambling as an addiction, a compulsive behavior. Also, it seems, those who can afford it least are the ones usually the most affected. Among natives, individual bands have been divided over the gambling issue. Elders fear losing traditional values to corruption and organized crime: "...the proliferation of gaming is a spiritual cancer eating away at what is left of the soul of Native American Communities." One involved person put it this way: "Casinos are one of the first real tools natives have gotten to become self-sufficient."

Of course outsiders have no justification for imposing their will upon any given band or native tribe. It might be helpful if gaming were viewed as a stepping-stone rather than an end. There always will be controversy surrounding an issue such as gaming. Perhaps it would be also useful to see gaming as a funding source for true alternative healing centers, for actual sovereign banking, for a whole host of potentially beneficial activity which would serve the greater good of the tribe. In short, gaming could be viewed with greater vision rather than, as with some, a limited and potentially destructive influence to an ancient culture.

Editor's note: Coincidentally, EIR (Executive Intelligence Review, P.O. Box 17390, Washington, D.C. 20041) has just come out with an incredibly well researched article titled: "Legalized Gambling: Britain's Dope, Inc. Subverts The U.S."—in the September 5, 1997 issue. So that you have an understanding of the MUCH LARGER picture behind this ever-growing phenomenon in America today, we are going to present this article in four parts and we begin this week with Part I of the series on gambling. Read and weep.

Legalized Gambling: Britain's Dope, Inc. Subverts The U.S.

Part I
by John Hoefle

Poor governments are, as we everywhere see, driven to encourage gambling, drunkenness, and other immoralities, as a means of extracting revenue from their unfortunate taxpayers; and the greater the revenue thus obtained, the poorer become the people and the weaker the government.

—Henry Carey, *The Slave Trade, Domestic and Foreign*

The Lottery, with its weekly pay-out of enormous prizes, was the one public event to which [they] paid serious attention.... It was their delight, their folly, their anodyne, their intellectual stimulant.

—George Orwell, 1984

A MONEY-LAUNDERING DIVISION OF THE EMPIRE

With \$550 billion in wagers reportedly placed in legal gambling facilities in 1995, gambling has become big business in the United States. Some form of gambling is now legal in 48 of the 50 U.S. states, with over 500 legal casinos, and 38 states are themselves participants in gambling, through lotteries. More money is spent in casinos than is spent on tickets to spectator sports and movie tickets combined.

The myth has been spread that organized crime has been run out of the gambling business, replaced by honest corporations. What this report will show is that gambling remains the province of organized crime, and more importantly, it will provide the reader with a look at the true nature of organized crime, and who actually runs it.

In 1978, *EIR* released its ground-breaking best-seller, *Dope, Inc.*, which detailed how the international narcotics trade was run, [from the] top down, by the British Empire. The book also showed how entire sections of the world's financial system, from the then-British colony of Hongkong to the British territories in the Caribbean, were organized explicitly to launder the hundreds of billions of dollars of annual proceeds of the international drug trade, to keep the drug business from choking on its own cash. As the drug trade has grown, the demands upon its money-laundering arm have rapidly expanded. One major component of this money-laundering apparatus is the gambling business; casinos, with their heavy and substantially anonymous cash flows, have long been used by organized crime to launder the proceeds from criminal operations.

The gambling business has indeed changed over the last three decades, but those changes reflect a decision by Dope, Inc. to upgrade the status of its gambling division, to make it more acceptable to the public, and thereby make its expansion easier. Gone, for the most part, is the violence which characterized the early years (the violence still exists, but much of that function has been transferred to Dope, Inc.'s street-gang arm). It has been replaced by modern corporate management techniques, shielded by armies of lawyers, accountants, and public relations flacks. But gambling remains the province of organized crime: The gambling business would not exist, on the scale it does today, were it not for its status as a money-laundering arm of Dope, Inc.

The modern gambling business, termed "U.S. Gambling, Inc." by *International Gaming and Wagering Business* magazine, was created by dirty money. The seed money came from Prohibition, out of which grew a network of violent whiskey-running gangs, behind which stood the Bronfman family of Canada and the British liquor lords. With the end of Prohibition in 1931, the British began the transformation of these violent gangs, using their enormous criminal profits, both to create the Hollywood movie business and turn Las Vegas into a gambling center. The inside-the-mob case officer for this transformation into so-called legitimate business, was Meyer Lansky, the mob's financial officer and gambling tsar.

Enormous amounts of money and propaganda have been deployed to put a happy face on the gambling beast. Las Vegas has turned itself into a giant theme park, which some now call the "Orlando of the West", with pyramids, sphinxes, and Hollywood-style extravaganzas, luring in not just the gamblers, but their families as well, raking in the cash while addicting new generations of gamblers.

Behind this entertainment facade, however, lies a machine designed to ruthlessly separate people from their money, and destroy them and their country in the process.

Behind Gambling, Inc. stands Dope, Inc., and the international financial oligarchy, whose main power base is the British Empire, the largest criminal enterprise in the world. The real godfather is the Queen, and she's after you.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE TODAY

The presence of The Rt. Hon. Lord Moore of Lower Marsh, PC, a member of the Queen's Privy Council, on the board of GTECH, the leading operator of U.S. state lotteries, is no coincidence, given the way lotteries function as institutions of cultural warfare against the United States. The other major U.S. lottery operator, Automated Wagering International, has its own British connec-

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tions, in the person of former U.S. State Department official Richard Burt, who sits on the board of the Hollinger Corp., a British intelligence front which owns several media outlets. Behind them, stand the empire's dirty-money specialists, the Rothschilds.

In the 1970s, Lord Victor Rothschild, one of the British Empire's top spooks and dirty-money operatives, chaired a Royal Commission on gambling, which set up the British National Lottery, the proceeds of which were to be used to preserve Britain's imperial heritage. Lord Victor's son, Lord Jacob Rothschild, would later become a director of the British lottery.

"As the industrial base of this country has declined, so our past and the presentation of our past has become more important," Lord Jacob pontificated some years ago. "We are not like Venice, because we still have a producing economy.... We are aware of the risk that we could tilt too much in the direction of being a country whose past predominates."

The comparison with Venice is telling, since the British Empire represents the continuation of the Venetian Empire, which in turn was a continuation of the Roman and earlier empires, Britain being merely the latest in a series of capitals of the ancient oligarchical system. Britain's heritage is that of the Whore of Babylon, an ancient system of looting by powerful families, which sees the world and its population as a plantation to be managed for the benefit of a few.

This British Empire was, and remains, committed to destroying its deadly enemy, the nation-builders, who created the United States and led a worldwide fight to destroy the power of the oligarchy, and to usher the world into a future of global economic development and prosperity for all men.

The explosion of gambling within the United States was not imposed entirely from the outside, however, because the oligarchy has tentacles deep within the cultural, political, and economic institutions of the United States. Among the foremost agents of the oligarchy in the United States are the families known as the Boston Brahmins, and the families and institutions that dominate Wall Street, led by the House of Morgan, the Mellons, and others. Among the pushers of gambling in the United States, one will find Morgan, Credit Suisse and its allied Weld family, the family of Sir George Bush, and others, all of whom hate and are committed to destroying the United States of Benjamin Franklin, Alexander Hamilton, Henry Carey, Abraham Lincoln, and Lyndon LaRouche.

POLITICAL COVER AND FINANCIAL OWNERSHIP

"It is time that the organized crime issue is put to rest. The myth that organized crime owns, operates or even influences casinos is a canard spread by political opponents without regard to facts," the American Gaming Association (AGA) claims, in a document entitled "Myths & Facts" about what it calls "gaming".

The AGA, one of the major lobbying fronts for the gambling business, pushes the line that gambling is good for the economy. Gambling, the AGA claims, creates jobs, pumps money into local economies, and pays taxes; its employees buy houses, cars, and refrigerators, spreading the wealth.

This argument is a fraud. By focussing on what it puts into the economy while hiding what it extracts, the gambling sector presents the illusion of prosperity. After all, drug dealers and pimps also

provide jobs, and buy houses, cars, and refrigerators, but few would consider them assets to society.

One study, by Prof. John Warren Kindt of the University of Illinois at Urbana, estimates that, for every \$1 a state receives in gambling revenues, it spends \$3 for social services and criminal justice agencies to cover the damage done by gambling. Gambling, Kindt says, acts as "a regressive tax on the poor", and "makes poor people poorer".

What counts is how much of a bite Dope, Inc. takes out of the country and its people, not how many crumbs are left on the table after it has eaten its fill.

A look at the composition of the American Gaming Association provides a glimpse into how the protection racket for gambling is run.

The president of the AGA is a political insider, former Republican National Committee Chairman Frank Fahrenkopf.

The AGA board includes, in addition to gambling company representatives and a liquor distributor, representatives of two of the biggest investment banks in the United States, Goldman Sachs and Merrill Lynch.

The membership roster of the AGA likewise includes a rash of investment bankers and accountants, in addition to gambling companies and their suppliers. The bankers include Bear Stearns, Deutsche Morgan Grenfell, Donaldson Lufkin & Jenrette, Goldman Sachs, Merrill Lynch, Montgomery Securities, Oppenheimer & Co., Salomon Brothers, and Schroeder Wertheim & Co., several of which own big chunks of gambling companies and which are integral to the money-laundering process.

Bear Stearns officials, for example, sit on the boards of Mirage Resorts and Carnival Corp. The company sold bonds to fund Donald Trump's move into Atlantic City, and represented the notorious Resorts International, Meyer Lansky's flagship.

There's more. AGA board member Merrill Lynch owns 10% of Scientific Games, while AGA member Oppenheimer owns 8.5% of Harrah's Entertainment. Other financial institutions, including Bankers Trust, Lazard Freres, Morgan Stanley, Chase Manhattan's Texas Commerce Bank, First Union, Wells Fargo, Credit Suisse First Boston, Riggs National Bank, First Tennessee National, Prudential Insurance, Mutual of New York, and the Bank of Montreal, also show up, either as owners, with representatives on the boards, or both.

The accountants, whose job it is to keep the books sparkling clean, include Arthur Andersen & Co. and Coopers & Lybrand LLP. Andersen has authored several studies for the AGA, on the alleged benefits of gambling.

The political class is also well represented, proving the ease with which political influence can be bought:

- Two top Republican operatives are consultants for GTECH: Charles Black, who ran national campaigns for Sir George Bush, Ronald Reagan, Jack Kemp, and Phil Gramm; and Paul Manafort, who ran the 1988 and 1996 Republican conventions.

- The chairman of Video Lottery Technologies, parent of Automated Wagering International, is former Reagan-Bush State Department official Richard Burt. Burt is also a director of the Hollinger Corp., the British intelligence front (and successor to Permindex) whose board also includes former Secretary of State Sir Henry Kissinger; a director of the food cartel firm Archer Daniels Midland; and a member of the international advisory board of the Bank of Montreal.

- Former Secretary of State Alexander Haig sits on the board of Kirk Kerkorian's MGM Grand.

- Former Democratic National Committee Chairman Paul Kirk (1985-89) sits on the board of ITT Corp., whose Sheraton subsidiary owns the Caesar's World casinos.

- Former Undersecretary of the Treasury Bette Anderson (1977-81) also sits on the board of ITT.

POPULAR CULTURE

Harrah's, in its 1997 Survey of Casino Entertainment, claims that polls show that 92% of Americans see casino gambling as acceptable for themselves and others, including 62% who see it as acceptable for anyone, and 30% who see it as acceptable for others but not for themselves. Only 8% of Americans say casino gambling is "not acceptable for anyone".

While these numbers are open to question, given the ability of modem pollsters to shape their questions to produce the desired answers, many Americans do indeed either support, or accept, gambling.

Moral arguments, as Tom Grey's National Coalition Against Legalized Gambling and others have found, are no longer sufficient to defeat gambling referenda, but the antigambling forces have had significant success over the last few years by debunking the alleged economic benefits of the gambling business.

During the research for this report, the author visited several casinos in Atlantic City, where the casinos go to great lengths to entice people into their gambling dens, and to keep them there once they do. The casinos are designed in a style that has been called "gangster glitz", lots of flashing lights, bells, and whistles; the noise level is high, thanks to acres of slot machines, each designed to hold a player in rapt attention.

The overwhelming impression is that of lambs being led to the slaughter. The casinos are designed to separate people from their money, and they are quite efficient at doing so. Casinos routinely "rate" regular players, according to the frequency of their visits, and the amount they gamble, and offer an escalating series of bonuses (termed compensations, or "comps") to keep the suckers coming back. While the gamblers, and even the casino operators, may believe in luck, the edge the casino has is mathematical: The odds vary according to the game being played, but in all cases they favor the house, and over the long run, the house always wins. There have also been claims, from regulatory agents and slot machine manufacturers, that the slot machines are rigged to show an artificially high percentage of "near wins", to entice players to keep feeding the one-armed bandit.

The atmosphere is not one of fun, but rather one of desperation, of people looking for the big score. Faced with a collapsed economy, more and more people are turning to gambling, pouring their money into casinos and lotteries, in the vain hope of hitting the jackpot.

Finally, although the term "gambling industry" is widely used, we will not use that term in this report. Gambling is not an industry: Steel is an industry, aerospace is an industry; gambling is a parasite.

[To be continued.]

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Confirmation Of Global Plan 2000 And Coming Earth Changes?

9/17/97 RAY BILGER

Readers of *CONTACT* who have followed the evolution of Art Bell and his late-night radio talk show over the past year or two may have noticed that Art is becoming more and more receptive to, and outspoken about, things which are not discussed in the mainstream media—things which seem to defy any sort of easy explanation. At the same time, and noticeably more recently, Art has dared to take on topics which only a few years ago might have caused him to be taken off the air.

In fact, Art believes his program was actually overtly taken off the air for about two minutes (in some places, for much longer) on the night of Thursday, Sept. 11, 1997, perhaps because he stepped over the line into the area of topics definitely not to be discussed in any public forum. G.E.-Americom told Art the satellite via which he transmits lost Earth-lock. In other words, it suddenly forgot where Earth was, but only for 50 channels out of 200? Hmmm?

By Monday night, Sept. 15, 1997, Art, and the network people he works with, all believed that he was intentionally taken off the air on Sept. 11th, to prevent extremely sensitive information from going out to the general public. But it was too late when the network went down, because the important information had already been put out there. So, what the heck was it that caused all this great stir?

On the night of the 11th, Art decided to designate one of his phone lines to callers who are current or former employees or workers at Area 51. You know, that place in the Nevada desert that our government says doesn't exist.

Art has always had a certain fascination with Area 51. He lives in a little town called Pahrump, Nevada, not far from Area 51. And there must be some employees living in this little town, because

each morning at 4:30 a.m. a bus loads up there, and on the side of the bus it says Area 51!

Anyway, Art took a number of calls from persons who had allegedly worked at Area 51. Some seemed believable, but they demonstrated how compartmentalized the work is, because they knew what they were supposed to know and nothing more. Some were obviously disinformation agents, feeding us confusing information designed to make us wonder just what the real truth is.

But then there was one call (at 12:47 a.m., technically on 9/12/97) that changed everything, including Art. Art now says he will be pondering this one for a long, long time to come. To get the real feel of the event, here is the actual transcript of the call:

Art: On my Area-51 line, you're on the air; hello.

Male caller: Hello, Art?

Art: Yes.

Caller [sounds frightened]: I don't have a whole lot of time.

Art: Well, look, let's begin by finding out if you're using this line properly or not.

Caller: Okay, in Area 51?

Art: Yes. Were you an employee, or are you now?

Caller: I'm a former employee. I—I was let go on a medical discharge about a week ago and, and [chokes]—I've kind of been running across the country. Damn, I don't know where to start. They're, they're gonna—they'll triangulate on this position really, really soon.

Art: So you can't spend a whole lot of time on the phone, so give us something quick.

Caller [voice breaking up with apparent suppressed crying]: Okay, um, um, okay. What we're thinking of as aliens, Art, they're extradimensional beings that—an earlier precursor of the space program they made contact with. They are not what

they claim to be. They have infiltrated a lot of aspects of, of, of the military establishment, particularly the Area 51.

The disasters that are coming, they, the military—I'm sorry, the government—knows about them. And there's a lot of safe areas in this world that they could begin moving the population to now, Art.

Art: So they're not doing, not doing anything?

Caller: They are not. They want those major population centers wiped out so that the few that are left will be more easily controllable...

Art [there is silence for a few moments, then one word gets through]: ...discharged...

Caller [silence, then sobbing, then silence, then a few words]: ...I say we go...

At this point Art and the caller were completely gone, as the satellite (allegedly) lost sync. Art was off the air for two minutes (in some places, for much longer). He was still on the phone for a moment with the caller, but we couldn't hear it, and Art doesn't record the calls himself. But Art later said the caller was crying and then there was a loud scream and it sounded like the phone was physically dropped. At that moment the satellite (supposedly) lost Earth-lock and all signals went dead.

Is this a confirmation of the Elite's Global Plan 2000? Those of us who are aware of that plan know that it involves a major depopulation of the planet, with a consequent enslavement of those who survive. If the caller was for real, he showed some apparent understanding of the Earth Changes now imminent, and of the Elite's plans to let a majority of the population perish with those cataclysmic changes.

Another caller in the next hour, on the Area-51 line, said that he was a former security person at Area 51 and that his job was to deal with such security breaches as the previous caller represented. This new caller said that "You won't be hearing from that man again." He also said that your radio transmission was "hit with a pulse", and that was why the signal and equipment went down.

This man spoke with the calm assurance one would expect from someone who knows what they are talking about. Art asked the man if he ever had to kill anyone, and the man reluctantly responded in the affirmative. Had this man just spoken with someone else who disclosed to him the information presented to Art Bell's audience? Did he have specific knowledge that the mystery caller had been taken out?

As already stated, Art had decided by Monday, Sept. 15th, that he had intentionally been taken off the air. Art said, "Officials at my network have serious reservations about the story that they're being told by G.E.-Americom. I have serious reservations about the story. It may well be true, but it is pretty strange that 50 out of 200 channels on a major geosynchronous satellite would be lost because of a loss of Earth-lock, without the others being lost... It's not probable... Everything should have gone, not (just) 50..."

"In other words, could it really be true that there would be people out there with stories to tell about Area 51, or S-4, or whatever in the hell is going on over there, something that is so sensitive that they would actually take a national talk show off the air to prevent it from being heard?"

Art admitted that he didn't like the idea that he might have been taken off the air by someone(s), and that on this night (Monday, Sept. 15th) he was considering opening up an Area-51 line again. He then soon made the decision to do so, and announced that it would begin at midnight, but by 11:00 p.m.

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he could wait no longer and opened one line for callers from Area 51.

Now, if government or military controllers had knocked out Art's program on Sept. 11th because someone went public with sensitive, highly classified information (even though the person speaking out knew what the probable consequences might be), to take the program off the air a second time in 5 days would be a very obvious big red flag that there is a conspiracy to hush-up any information coming out about Area 51! Art might then get the idea that he could never talk about Area 51 without running the risk of his program being shut down.

So, if we think about it seriously, it would be extremely foolish and counterproductive to shut down Art's program again. We would then have every reason to wonder if the shut down came directly from Area 51. But those who control us had to stop the potential possibility of another security breach occurring on Art's show. What could they do? They are very smart, indeed. They jammed Art's Area-51 line all that night.

We could expect maybe one or two callers not connected to Area 51 to use that line by mistake, but not the number of calls there were that night. And then there were hang-ups. By 2:30 a.m. the situation was impossible.

Art takes a break on the half-hour for about 5 minutes. After he came back on the air from his 2:30 a.m. break, he said that during that break he took about 30 calls on the Area-51 line, while he was off the air. They were all people incorrectly using that line, or simply hang-ups!

It seems unmistakable that someone or someones, somewhere, made a decision to have a team of people swamp and jam that phone line incessantly until Art finally went off the air at the end of his program at 3:00 a.m. After the 2:30 a.m. incident, Art took no further calls on the Area-51 line. He was noticeably dismayed and slightly frustrated.

One thing which was very interesting that evening was a fax which seemed to confirm Art's suspicions about the satellite situation. The fax read: [quoting]

Art, Thursday night I was listening to your show on satellite when you were knocked from the airwaves. After you came back on and talked about what G.E.-Americom had told you had happened, I telephoned a close friend who is a satellite technician with a large, well known company contracted to the Department of Defense. They monitor military satellites.

His wife said he'd just been called out on a problem. He called me (back) on Saturday morning (Sept. 13th). I asked him about Earth-lock and the loss of only certain channels. He said, "Look. You either lose them all or you don't lose any of them." I told him what had happened to you and asked if they'd experienced any problems.

He said yours was not the only satellite affected and they thought something had created an E.M.P. effect (Electro-magnetic Pulse) over a broad spectrum. Some satellites were affected, some were not.

He added that it was his and others' opinion the problem did not originate from the ground (Earth). My friend also stated there were some very,

very nervous people conferencing with his control center on Thursday night/Friday morning.

He ended by telling me he couldn't elaborate any more because of security concerns. By the way, he called me from a pay phone instead of his house. I assume he was concerned about the monitoring of his phone lines.

Signed, A Friend [End quoting]

Still think our adversary isn't desperate about people awakening by leaps and bounds to the truth of what is really happening? And just who told G.E.-Americom to tell Art and his network the hogwash story they received? Makes you wonder?

Art also read a fax from the gifted futurist, Gordon-Michael Scallion, who will be on Art's show on Friday, Sept. 19, 1997. That fax stated in part: [quoting]

"...I have appreciated your ongoing support of my work and your desire to have me appear on your show.

Again, for the past year I've been trying to restore my vitality and complete my book prior to the great changes I see on the doorstep, here in a few months.

I now feel I have something of value to share with your listeners dealing with the activities that are now going on in Montserrat as well as the phenomenal ocean temperature rise globally. Part of me is totally amazed that the world is not focused on the cause of the current El Nino for, in my opinion, it is much more than El Nino.

In my opinion, we are very close to global cataclysmic events. While some might say the current weather changes are indeed that, I see these only as precursors to a shift in the magnetic field of the Earth, as well as a disruption of the tectonic plate system. [End quoting]

Last week's issue of *CONTACT* (9/16/97) included a writing from St. Germain which briefly addressed the ongoing and escalating situation with respect to the reversal of the magnetic poles of planet Earth.

Those familiar with Mr. Scallion should be aware of his *Future Map of the World*, given to him through repeated visions. This map, according to highly-placed sources, is a relatively accurate picture of Earth, after the imminent Earth Changes soon to sweep the planet. Anyone who has seen this map (available from MATRIX Institute at 1-800-628-7493) knows that all coastlines will be changed, the coastal areas presumably having been inundated with massive amounts of ocean waters.

Let's go back now to the mystery caller from

Area 51 and consider the parameters and ramifications of what he was telling us. If what he was saying is true, then it confirms the fact that the Elite One World Controllers know about the upcoming Earth Changes and the *Future Map of the World* after those changes.

If we think about it for a moment, one of the main geological characteristics of Earth is the fact that 75% of the planet's surface is covered with water. Water is basic to all life, including human, and since it has always been a source of food, and since it has always been the stepping-off point for navigation, shipping and international commerce, it was only natural that the major population centers of the world would develop along coastlines. The major cities of the world are coastal cities.

To name but a few of these, there's London; New York; Los Angeles; San Francisco; Buenos Aires, Argentina; Tokyo, Japan; Hong Kong; Singapore; Rome; Sydney, Australia; Bombay, India; Beirut, Lebanon; and Miami. There are many more.

But, if one looks at Scallion's *Future Map of the World*, the one thing that every one of those cities just mentioned (and many others) have in common is that they are all shown to be under water!

Now, if our One World Controllers know this, and if they want to depopulate the planet, then they will say nothing about what you just read. They know where the major population centers are, and they could tell the people what is about to happen and the people could move. But that is not part of their Global Plan 2000. Knowledge is the key to undoing the Evil plans made to control and destroy us.

If we allow ourselves to proceed on the basis of fear, we will be lucky to make the right decisions. Earth changes, or any changes, need not necessarily be bad. It is all a matter of our perception of things. If we can approach change with a positive attitude, we will see the coming events as opportunities, whether they be to test our own stamina and endurance, or to help others understand what is happening.

Just how much longer Art Bell will stay on the air to help awaken humanity remains to be seen. He does present enough misinformation on his program that such could be to his "benefit" from the point of view of the perverse logic of the New World Order controllers. We can only hope that he steps softly on those big toes he has upset, so that many may yet be awakened to the Truth—no matter how convoluted or "accidental" is the route to that door.

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PAY ATTENTION, TEAM

There are too many reasons for lack of time for writing in these recent weeks by Dharma and myself. We are spread thin in just about every category of our working existence and we must ask for more from you and you and you.

We must attend the things of life as they impact, continually, from health alerts to more legal battles and thus and so. We are also extremely consumed for time by the amazing amount of global activities with our ongoing projects as presented and only five parties to actually handle the exchanges from this port.

So, team, this next is to keep you on your toes to see how things are related:

[QUOTING, *EIR*, Aug. 29, 1997, pg. 20:]

RUSSIAN-ISLAMIC BANK AIDS BAM ZONE RENEWAL

In an effort to draw in Mideast oil funds, Russia has established the First Russian-Islamic Bank, co-owned by investors from Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Qatar, Sudan, and Egypt, and the Russian government, *Rossiyskiye Vesti* reported on July 22. The bank, which is established on Islamic principles, does not extend interest-bearing credit, which in Islam is considered usury, but invests in projects in exchange for a percentage of future profits. One of the areas in which the bank intends to invest is the impoverished region along the Baykal-Amur Mainline (BAM), the rail line in Russia's Far East.

Adalet Dzhabiyev, the bank's chairman, reports that the bank plans to invest up to \$60 million in various projects by the first quarter of 1998. "The highest priority in placing the investments of the Russian-Islamic Bank," he reported, "is given to the defense industry, space technology, shipbuilding, the processing sectors, industrial ecology, and environmental protection. We plan to allocate the

most wide-scale investments in the project for developing BAM."

ONE OF THE BANK'S PRIORITY TASKS IS TO DEVELOP INFRASTRUCTURE TO SERVICE TRADE BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE NEAR AND FAR EAST, AND WITH SOUTH-EAST ASIA. Russia, the paper commented, "in addition to the fact that it is a major producer and supplier of weapons and a strategic partner of many Arab countries, can become a capacious market for investment of the capital of the countries of the Muslim world."

[END QUOTING]

Now, girls and boys, if you can't see the advantage and possibilities in THIS, you are dead between the ears!!

And here is another plum for your collection and probably G.L. could follow up on information for this one.

[QUOTING, Same *EIR*, page 21:]

UKRAINE, TURKMENISTAN, IRAN SET UP BARTER DEAL

Iran, Turkmenistan, and Ukraine have entered into a three-way barter deal, which centers on rail equipment. The deal is an example of how regional trade arrangements, in the context of the Eurasian Land-Bridge, can provide markets for former Soviet industrial capacities, which otherwise are shrivelling up.

According to Kiev Intelnews on Aug. 3, Ukraine's Resources, a state-run joint stock company, has been appointed by the government to run the barter deal for 1997-98 under which Ukraine will receive \$50 million worth of natural gas from Turkmenistan. (Iran and Turkmenistan are building a pipeline to bring Turkmen natural gas to Turkey, and westward.) Ukraine will ship to Iran \$50 million worth of industrial goods, free of the value-added tax and of any extra fees. The bulk of

the order is for rail development; Ukraine is to supply 1,000 sets of switch points, and other metal products. Iran will deliver goods worth the same amount to Turkmenistan.

Ukrainian construction of industrial facilities in Iran is also pending, including plants to produce aircraft, locomotives, paper-polyester thread, and sugar, and to install turbines and generators at two electric power plants.

[END QUOTING]

AND, NOW FOR A DOUBLE-WHAMMY!

[QUOTING, Same source, same page:]

RAW MATERIALS GRAB NOT HINDERED BY 'LAND RIGHTS'

One-hundred-and-twenty mining companies have committed \$64 BILLION for planned investment in mineral exploration and processing plants in Australia over the next three years, according to *Australian Commodities*, a report by the Australian Bureau of Agriculture Resource Economics, the *Canberra Times* reported on Aug. 14. This high volume of investment comes despite the ostensible uncertainty over indigenous land rights, which, it has been assumed, would hit the mining industry hardest.

The Australia High Court's 1992 "Mabo" decision, which found that "native title" or prior indigenous ownership of the land, EXISTS, and its 1996 "Wik" decision, which found that native title was not extinguished by pastoral leases, have created a situation where the holders of pastoral and mining leases are forced to negotiate with any Aboriginal people who claim ownership of the land, thus tying up projects until negotiations are complete.

However, native title has not affected British mining giant Rio Tinto, one of the funders of Prince Philip's World Wide Fund for Nature, which created the indigenist movement. It has negotiated a number of major projects.

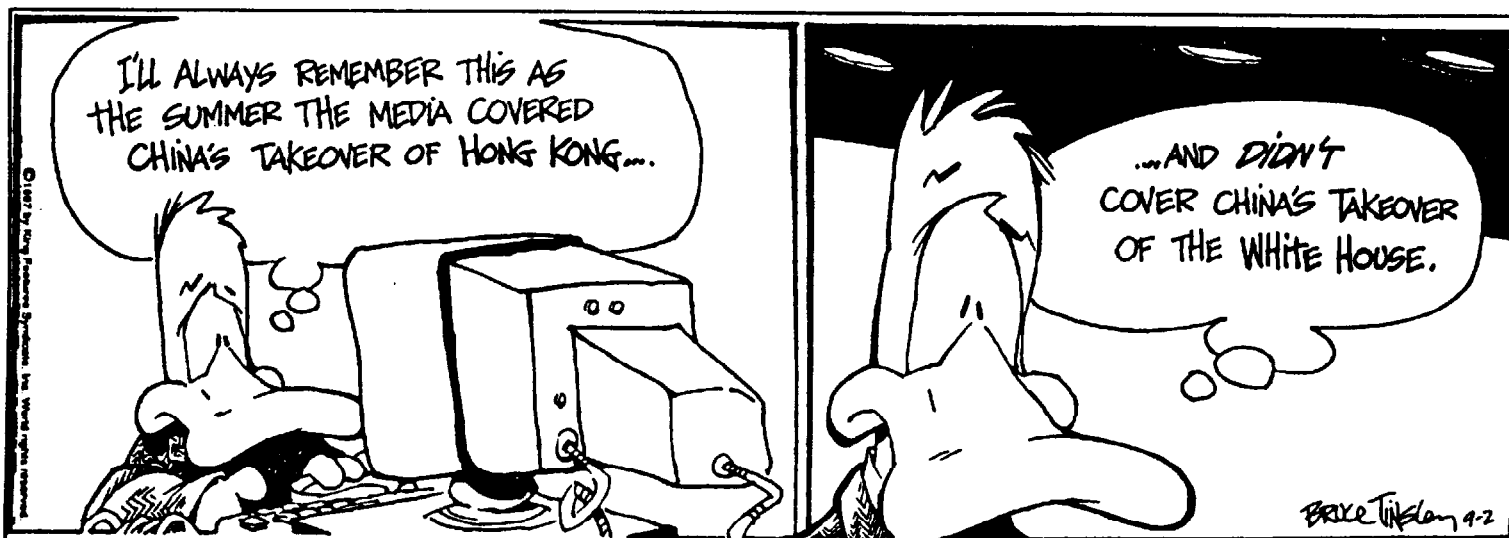
The investment figures indicate that land rights are not seen as a threat to the mining industry generally. Rather, the biggest threat from land rights is to farmers and infrastructure development projects.

[END QUOTING]

Since Australia falls under the same set of dastardly mischief-makers' regulations and ORIGINAL THEFT procedures, let us find out how and what was done in the "high court" to cause this fine ruling. And then, let us proceed with great haste before more shackles are attached around our own indigenous people.

AND:

Five Saharan nations, Libya, Niger, Chad, Mali, and Burkina Faso, agreed at a summit in Tripoli to set up an economic regional grouping. "The five heads of states have reached a decision favoring closer ties between their countries," Niger's Foreign Affairs Minister Ibrahim Assane Mayaki said on Aug. 16. Nigeria will be invited to join the group.



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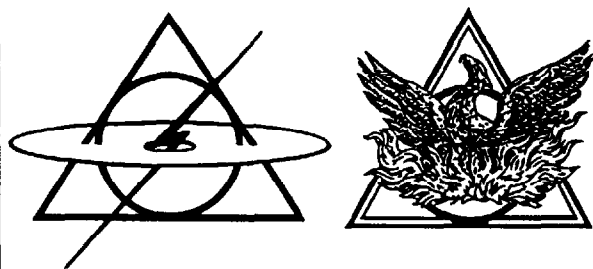
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