

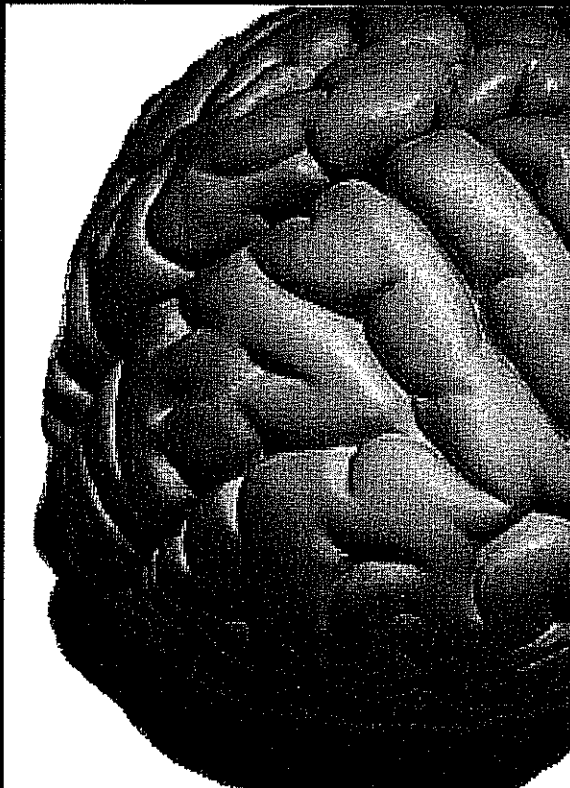
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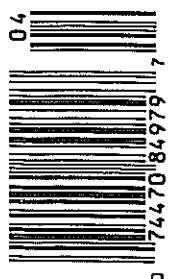


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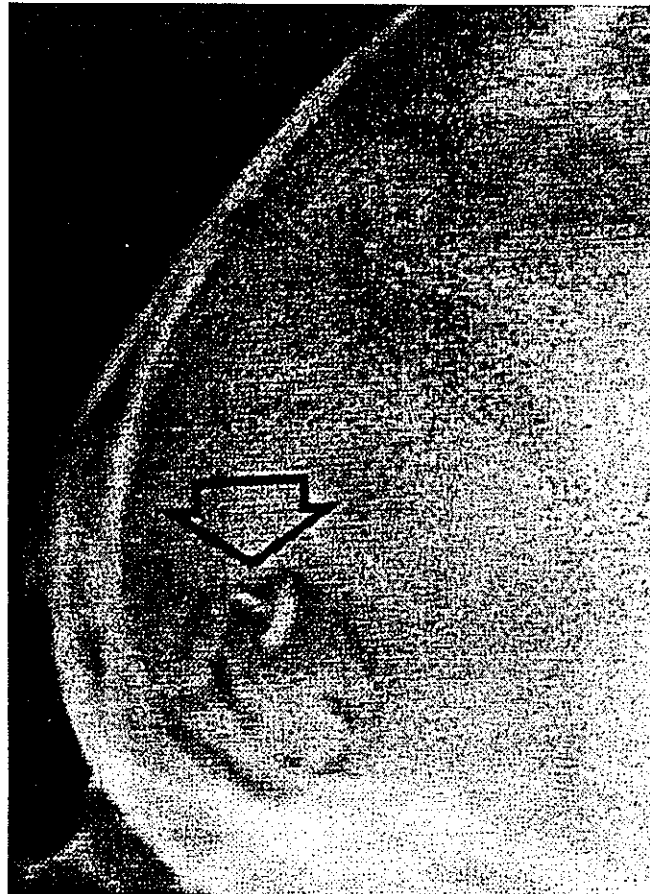
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# **BRANDED by the Security Police**



**by ROBERT NAESLUND**

**T**he right of might: the source of inhumanity and state tyranny. This is an account of the Swedish Security Police (SÄPO) and the use of humans for medical research, but it could well be from Nazi Germany, where state abuse was a natural part of the system. There are many similarities in the methods and routine of brutality between the Gestapo and SÄPO. Moreover, SÄPO is exploiting a new kind of computer technique to enable them to control human thoughts and behavior.

Pictured at left is an X-ray of an object located in my skull directly anterior to the frontal bone. The object was forcibly implanted in 1967 at a hospital where I was awaiting an operation. SÄPO had forced the surgeon to participate in their scheme, preventing him from performing the original surgery.

After violently sedating me, they made a 5 cm long incision in my frontal bone, in which they placed the object: a radio-transmitter which has been transmitting a high frequency electromagnetic beam through my brain 24 hours a day ever since. The dimensions of the device are a mere 7x4 mm.

*The process of miniaturisation has already passed the stage of the injectable transponder, a tiny ampoule capable of storing data and acting as a sender and a receiver.*

Jan Freese, *The Despot's Incompetence*

The reason for SÄPO's action was that I constituted a threat to the secret of state mind-control projects. This covert operation of coupling people's brains to computers has been going on for decades, and not only SÄPO is involved. Transmitters are being implanted in people's heads during routine hospital surgery. Most commonly, these are inserted through the nostrils, from where they operate using two-way radio communication. After penetrat-

ing the brain, the radio-wave is processed in a system that connects the neurological functions to a computer. Afterwards, mental activity, biological processes, sensory function, in fact the entire life of the individual, are laid bare for state inspection and control.

In his report, the eminent professor Peter Lindström calls the technique "radio-hypnotic intracerebral control." This speaks a lot about a science which is also known as bio-medical telemetry, mind control or brain-computer interaction. He writes that there is a risk of meningitis and chronic infections with such implantations. I have, in fact, had constant sinus infections since the early 1970s, something which is most probably connected with the implanted objects.

In the late 1960s, the potential and areas of application of telemetry were already being discussed by J.M. Delgado in his book *Physical Control of the Mind: Toward a Psychocivilized Society*:

*We are advancing rapidly in the pattern recognition of electronic correlates of behavior and in the method for two-way radio communication between brain and computers.*

This has been going on much longer than most people can imagine. It was, in fact, one of the first applications of computer technology, forty years ago, to link the human biological system with a computer. Thirty years ago, in 1968, Dr. Stuart Mackay published his *Bio-Medical Telemetry*, in which he outlined the potential of this latest science:

*Among the many telemetry instruments being used today are miniature radio transmitters that can be swallowed or surgically implanted in man or animals ... The scope of observation is too broad to more than hint at with a few examples... They permit the simultaneous study of behavior or physiological functioning... In cases such as the monitoring of the welfare of a diver in the ocean or an astronaut in orbit, a continuous flow of physiologic information is essential.*

X-rays of my head show three implanted transmitters, of which one has been completely embedded in the frontal lobe. All were implanted on different occasions during the 1970s by the Swedish Criminal Police while I was under arrest in Stockholm and Nacka. A paper



published in 1975 at Yale University by an international team of six researchers as part of a joint project between Yale and the Medical University of Madrid entitled "Two-way Communication with the Brain" describes how communication can

*eliminates the need to restrain the experimental subject, permitting free behavioral expression and social relations. Instrumentation, including the radio links, is small and light and does not interfere with mobility... Our experiment demonstrated the suppression of a specific EEG pattern by repeated feed-back radio stimulation of a specific intracerebral point ... As no batteries are used, the life of the instrument is indefinite. Power and information are supplied by radio frequencies.*

It has been almost thirty years since the first transmitter was implanted in my head at Söder Hospital; the issue is in fact much bigger and even more shocking, since surgeons have also been placing these transmitters in the heads of patients under anesthetic on the operating table. This is what happened to me at the end of the 1960s when I underwent surgery at Söder Hospital. Prior to that time, I had been a completely normal member of society. I had never committed a crime nor had any contact with psychiatry, and I was employed. In fact, there was nothing about my life which could warrant the taking of special measures to observe me. The only reasonable conclusion is that certain surgeons at the hospital were and may be continuing to implant transmitters

during normal operations on a regular basis. There is no reason whatever to believe that I was an exception.

Thirty-three years ago, in 1965, a researcher at the Defence Research Institution department for information technology named P.M. Persson published an article on biomedical telemetry in which he wrote:

*Telemetry, i.e. the radio-*

*transmission of data, is applied primarily when it is difficult or impossible to supply the parameters by any other method ... the word Telemetry is derived from the Greek "tele" meaning "to measure". In Swedish, telemetry would therefore be called "fjarrmatning" (long-distance measuring) ... A significant part of biotelemetry is conducted principally with the use of implanted transmitters, the development of which has come a long way in medical research.*

What had actually been well developed in medical research was of course the abuse of patients in whose heads the surgeons were implanting transmitters.

### **A Journey Into Madness**

For the years following the implantation of the transmitter at Söder Hospital, I was actually quite unaware that anything had happened. All I was mindful of was a weak radio signal of unidentifiable origin inside my head. It was only after a few years that I became wise to something having been put inside my head during the operation. This time was to be a period of great and inexplicable change and, when I turned thirty, I decided to tread a criminal path. It is hard to claim with any certainty that this was a result of what was happening to me, but it was, in any case, after the implantation of the transmitter which linked my brain to a computer so scientists could use me for their own wicked designs, that my conceptions and feelings were radically altered.

In America, the same year as the implant of the transmitter at Söder Hospital (1967), the Department of Psychiatry at Yale University published a report entitled "Man's Intervention in Intracerebral Functions." The authors wrote:

*Techniques are being developed for the investigation and manipulation of man. Two-way communication with the depth of the brain*

# **Psychiatry is used as a weapon against me to conceal the brutality of the state in its implantation of transmitters in my head and my subsequent exploitation in a continual, perpetual scientific experiment.**

be achieved with deep-brain processes using tiny transmitters, thereby also being able to suppress EEG patterns. They also state that because both energy and data is supplied by radio-waves, these transmitters last for life.

*Two-way communication with the depth of the brain makes it possible to send and to receive information to and from the brain. The technique*

*makes it possible to send and receive information to and from the brain... We can start, stop or modify a variety of autonomic, somatic, behavioral, and mental manifestations. We can experiment with intracerebral mechanisms responsible for the onset and maintenance of specific behavioral and mental functions... As no batteries are used, the life of the transmitter is indefinite. Power and information are supplied by radio frequencies.*

The report of a Parliamentary Committee chaired by Alva Myrdal, SOU 1972:59 entitled "To Choose the Future" addressed this technique:

*Research into the field of cerebral function and behaviour has as its primary aim to identify the type and degree of changes that can be effected with these new methods, thereby providing information on new possibilities for easing human suffering as well as the risks of control and modification of behaviour against the people's will.*

The state report SOU 1987:74 also mentions the technique, discussing the ability to see through the eyes of another person:

*It is inevitable that covert personal surveillance brings with it a significant infringement of individual integrity. A person's private and public doings can be registered and documented to a high degree. This also includes any encounters the individual has with other people. Letters and other such written communications which the individual receives, for example, at home or in the office, can be monitored during surveillance.*

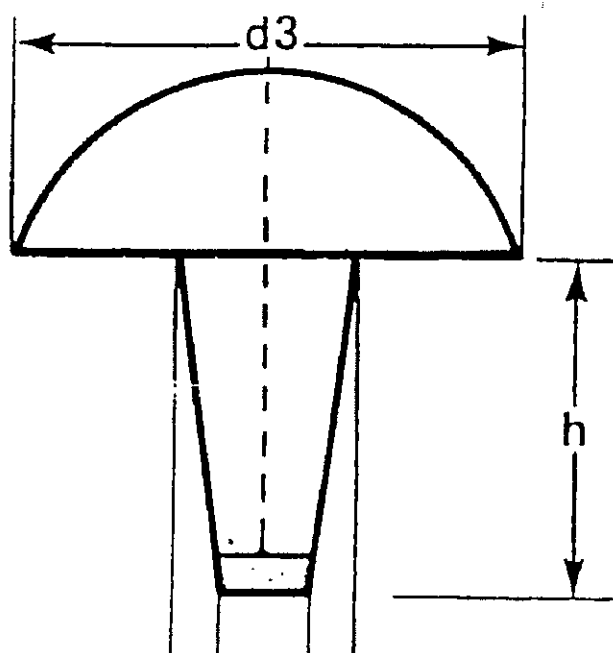
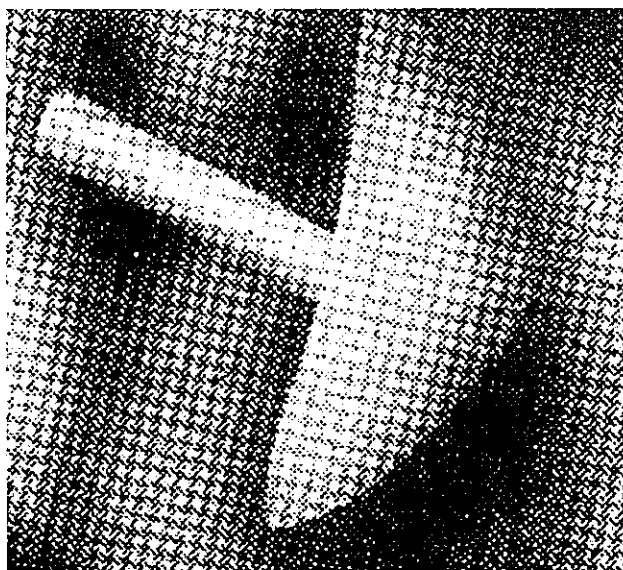
It was on my first occasion with the police, on March 10, 1972, that I was put to sleep without my consent and when I awoke a few hours later it was to a whole new kind of life. The first thing I was aware of was a deeply disturbing

radio signal in my head. The electromagnetic wave which was penetrating my skull was brainwashing, and had a detrimental effect on my memory functions, habits and behaviour. Slowly but surely I was being changed into a different person with greatly impaired faculties. As can be seen from the X-ray photograph shown, this transmitter had been inserted through the left nostril.

The experiment which then began went on daily, unchanging, for the following 3.5 years. It inhibited the capacity of my left cerebral hemisphere, and after a short while I lost such basic skills as sequentiality, turning the alphabet, for example, into a swarm of irretrievably disordered letters. My capacity for logical thought was impaired and due to the brainwashing I had great mnemonic problems which created daily chaos. Dr. Lindström's reference in his second letter to this process as "the electronic dissolution of memory" is a fitting description of what was happening to me.

Gordon Thomas, the well-known author and BBC producer, wrote in the introduction to his book *Journey Into Madness*, that:

*Since the 1950s, doctors in both east and west have ignored the sacred oaths of their profession and helped in governments-sponsored*



**The Transmitter:** Detail of X-Ray shown on page 2. Below, a diagram of the "epidural peg electrode" marketed by Dow-Corning for insertion into the human brain.

*research into methods of medical torture and mind control.*

A detail of one X-ray of my head shows the nasal passages and the area behind the forehead. Two shaded parts indicate the position of the transmitters that were surgically removed at private hospitals overseas. One was inserted at Söder

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June 20, 1983

Dear Mr. Naeslund:

The enclosed letter of May 30 I had prepared in rough draft. I don't find a copy so I might not have mailed it to you. Later I received your additional skull film, which clearly demonstrated some implanted transmitters, one inside the brain and two probably just underneath the brain. Within a week I shall have that film examined by the radiologists here, but I do not expect them to prove, nor to rule out, any brain damage like granulomatous changes or a superficial brain abscess, at least not based on the findings of that plain skull film you sent.

~~I have been very busy the last month and have not had time to~~

**Expert Opinion:** From a letter to Robert Naeslund dated June 20, 1983 by professor P.A. Lindström, M.D. In another letter dated July 27, 1983, Lindstrom related an encounter with the infamous mind control expert Jose Delgado [See PARANOIA Issue 17, "A Brief History of Modern Mind Control"]. Delgado urged Lindstrom to focus his research on "the altering [of] patient's behavior," but Lindström rejected the idea.

Hospital, while another was the one I received in police custody in 1978. A third object on the X-ray is the first transmitter that the police put in me on March 10, 1972, while a fourth was implanted either at Stockholm's detention center or in custody at Vasteras in 1973. The last transmitter shown in the X-ray was inserted under sedation on November 26, 1975 at the Nacka Police custody center.

Nine years went by before I tried to do something about the increasing torment. In 1976, I wrote to Bror Rexed, the general director of the Board of Health and Welfare, and explained what was happening to me and how it had all begun. What I failed to understand then, however, was that there were unwritten routines to bury as swiftly as possible any reports concerning the existence of these barbaric practices. Instead of answering my letter, Mr. Rexed passed it on to the department

responsible for psychiatric care, who contacted me with a warning that I could be taken in if I continued to make these claims. A document entitled "The Breaking of Bodies and Minds," published by The American Association for the Advancement of Science, states:

*... The state, with the aid of psychiatrists, can effectively silence people who oppose its policies, state manipulation of psychiatry for political ends is a reality in many countries.*

On a trip to Athens in the summer of 1977, I took the opportunity to have an X-ray examination. There the radiologist was able to identify two foreign objects in the extension of the nasal passages, adjacent to the frontal lobe. On my return to Sweden, I handed over the X-rays to the Board of Health and Welfare to confirm my previous claims. They, in turn, passed them on for examination by their own

radiological consultant, Dr. Kjell Bergström of Uppsala's Academic Hospital, who promised to produce a report. After several attempts to contact Dr. Bergström, it became evident that he was not prepared to make a report at all. After much correspondence both by letter and phone, he finally submitted a report. It came as no surprise that his report was entirely misleading. He denied the existence of any foreign objects in my head and claimed that my cranial X-rays were perfectly normal.

I was forced then to do something about my enslaved life. I traveled back to Athens in February of 1978 and met a radiologist who then put me in contact with a surgeon who was prepared to operate to remove the object. The transmitter that had been implanted in my head at Söder Hospital was finally removed on March 13, 1978 after having been in operation for eleven long years. It

had been only a month since Dr. Bergström's report denied the existence of any foreign objects in my head. My life improved measurably after the removal of four transmitters which had been transmitting electromagnetic waves through my brain.

### **A Criminal Collusion Exposed**

Dr. Gregorius promised to perform the next operation a couple of months later. In July of 1978, a week before I was due to return to Athens, I was arrested by the police for a crime that had been committed some months earlier. After a few days in custody, Dr. Annmari Jonsson from the Board of Health and Welfare came in for a chat. Dr. Jonsson is the psychiatrist who had contacted me the previous year in connection with my correspondence with Rexed. She had previously threatened me with psychiatric confinement if I persisted in making claims about a transmitter having been implanted in my head at Söder Hospital. She was now getting serious and was prepared to use her position to silence me in a criminal collusion between doctors and the police.

Our talk lasted no longer than a few minutes, after which she was ready to prepare the report which was to pave the way for the coming psychiatric diagnosis which the Board of Health and Welfare could then, following the routine, use as a weapon for concealing the illegal activity of the state. Her report was based on the obvious fact that anyone who claims that they are being used for scientific research into telemetry is mentally ill. I was also threatening to expose something of an extremely classified nature. This was justification enough to brand me as a chronically paranoid individual.

Annmari Jonsson's report of August 1978 included the following note: "He fiercely maintains everything that he wrote to the General Director. He becomes indignant and clearly offended if anyone questions the reality of his medical history. In doing so, he displays clear delusions and is also paranoid. He is psychotic, in need of hospitalisation and there is every reason for forensic-psychiatric examination."

Until a certain point in my life, I had never had any psychiatric problems, never had any contact with mental care or displayed any inhumane traits or used violence. The reason why it was so important for the psychiatrists to diagnose me as mentally ill was that the use of brain-computer systems involves the infringement of the basic human right to life. Anyone who constitutes a threat to this secret shall be silenced at any price. It is also important for them to create an illusion that those who claim they are being subjected to such abuse have mental problems.

Dr. Janes Jez, the psychiatrist who conducted my forensic-psychiatric examination and who is ultimately responsible for my psychiatric diagnosis wrote in his notes: "Robert Naeslund ought to be considered dangerous if his system of delusions can not be cured and he starts to doubt his conceptions and obtain insight into his illness."

I was, of course, dangerous to nobody other than the state criminals who I believe collaborated in the abuse, like Dr. Curt Strand, Dr. Annmari Jonsson or Dr. Janes Jez.

By the time the X-ray was taken in 1984, I had undergone two operations: the first was the transmitter that was implanted and had been removed, and the second involved the one which had been inserted in my right nostril on my last detainment in police custody in 1978. Dr. Lindström has documented that my cranial X-ray clearly exhibits a number of implanted transmitters, one of which is in my brain. When I was able to obtain the verification of Dr. Lindström and several other doctors some years later, I submitted a letter containing the correct X-ray reports to both the Board of Health and Welfare and the named doctors for comment.

They reacted just like criminals. They will do anything to bury the truth when they are finally exposed, and so they refuse to answer my letters and to admit that they ever received them, despite the fact that I have sent letters on a number of occasions. There is, of course, nothing that they can add. It has been proved beyond a shadow of a doubt that psychiatry is used as a weapon against me to conceal the brutality of the state in its implantation of transmitters in my head and my subsequent exploitation in a continual, perpetual scientific experiment.

Some years ago, there was a media scare concerning the use of psychiatric incarceration in the Soviet Union as a political weapon against dissidents. The situation is not so different in Sweden, as my case shows. I was simply trying to free myself from the experiment from which I had suffered for the previous eleven years and to retrieve the human rights I was entitled to, the right to not be enslaved by institutional experiments and research.

Dr. Tord Svahn of Huddinge Hospital is one of those doctors whom I believe Dr. Jez involved in the plot against me to legitimize his diagnosis. During the forensic psychiatric examination I demanded that a radiological study be made of my skull, since I knew that these objects would show up on the X-rays. But my request was denied and I had to fight for three months before he gave in to my requests. The radiological examination was conducted by Dr. Svahn, who also undersigned the reports confirming their normal status. A couple of years later, I was

able to expose Dr. Svahn's deliberately fallacious report when the X-rays were requisitioned from Huddinge for further study by other medical practitioners. All the doctors who have seen these pictures have been able to identify the implanted foreign objects, something which they have also confirmed in reports.

# **Mental activity, biological processes, sensory function, in fact the entire life of the individual, are laid bare for state inspection and control.**

With the help of several electronics companies in Stockholm which supplied me with both the means and the know-how, I was able to ascertain the frequencies of the electromagnetic waves which were traveling through my head to these transmitters. The frequencies entering my head have been analysed to be between 17 and 24 kHz.

About twenty years ago (1976), researchers Eskil Block and Per Scharestrom published their book *Man and Technology in the Society of the Future*. The book addresses the following technique:

*The study of electronic communication has given us a much greater opportunity to understand vital aspects of the human nervous system and sensory organs. Out of this technology then grew a more abstract and general science, cybernetics, the study of communication and control ... advancements in science and technology show us*

*again and again that we must be prepared to adjust our view of the world and reassess the limits of what is possible.*

When the state commits a serious crime, it is ensured that none of their own will reveal the secret. In that case, all would be lost from the start. For that reason among others, the radiologists at the different hospitals deny the existence of foreign objects in my head, as we can see from the reports of Drs. Bergström and Svahn. There are, however, many other radiologists who use their position to deny the truth in one huge collective fabrication, so that no information about the abuses threatens to leak out. It was, therefore, critical when Dr. Lindström produced an entirely contradictory report concerning the X-rays that the Swedish doctors had declared normal. It was, therefore, also in the nature of things that the Swedish doctors tried to make Dr. Lindström retract his report.

Doctors at both Karolinska Hospital and the Karolinska Institute, who actually had absolutely nothing to do with my case, wrote to Dr. Lindström in California insisting that he conduct himself properly and not make that kind of report, and asked if it would be possible for him to reconsider his statements. Others took a tougher line, saying he was not competent to examine X-rays and that he ought to change his mind. There was not a single person acting out of any other motive than that of concealing his own or his colleague's malpractice. The psychiatric clinic at Karolinska Hospital is another example. Failing to find out the facts, an easy enough task considering that Dr. Lindström's name and address are on the letters, they contacted the Board of Health and Welfare with the incredible story that the reports I had submitted were my own fabrications.

Instead of making him toe their line, the Swedish doctors' behaviour had the opposite effect on Dr. Lindström. He felt, quite naturally, indignant that they had tried to force him to conform to the corrupt Swedish model, and as a result he passed on certain of my X-rays to some of his colleagues at the University of California Medical Center in San Diego, asking them to write down exactly what they could see without first giving them any prior information. Professor Wickbom produced one such report. Wickbom had previously been chief clinician of the radiological department at Sahlgrenska Hospital, Gothenburg, Sweden.

The contradictory reports of the Swedish doctors and their overseas colleagues gives a clear picture of the methods that the Swedish state uses to ensure that nothing concerning this mind control harassment leaks out. It is not just isolated radiologists, psychiatrists or surgeons who are participating in the crimes. In that case, they would have been exposed long ago. It ought to be an inalienable human right to not be victimised by the implantation of transmitters in the head by surgeons during operations. One should also naturally expect to receive accurate radiological reports untainted by the need to conceal the crimes of the state.

All this concerns the abuse of a technique so terrifying that the state will go to any lengths to ensure that it is kept from the general public. This is the real reason why psychiatrists regularly diagnose as mentally ill anyone who tries to claim that they are an experimental victim of this technique. The psychiatrists explain that the technique does not exist and that it is simply a symptom of schizophrenia or

paranoia to imagine that such a thing is happening. The truth is that thousands of books and medical and scientific reports testify to the existence of this technique. The following quotes will provide a survey of these reports:

*Electronic systems that can be totally implanted within the body have progressed in the last twenty years from single transistor devices to complex multifunction devices that can also incorporate memory and microprocessor logic functions. ("Survey of Implantable Telemetry," Tomas B. Fryer, NASA, 1974.)*

*The technique of telemetric control of human beings offers the possibility of regulating behavior with precision on a subconscious level. ("Electronics in the Observation and Control," Crime and Justice, 1972.)*

*The purpose of biomedical telemetry is to monitor or study animals and humans with minimal disturbance to their normal activity, during sleeping, loving, working, eating, lecturing and diving, etc. (Telemetry is Coming of Age, Dr. Stuart Mackay, 1983)*

*This technique would also lend itself to the restriction and control of people's private lives and social behaviour on a national level. There would be the unfettered violation of personal integrity and the suppression of social and political activity, enough to make Orwell's terrifying robotised state a reality. (The Information Society, Yoneji Masuda, 1980)*

**I**t is possible not only to thoroughly monitor every dimension of a person's life, but also to manipulate them. I became aware at a very early stage that they were able to register my thoughts, vision, emotions and intentions. The police never prevented me from acting unlawfully, despite knowing my plans in advance. Instead, they stimulated my criminal behaviour and since I knew that they knew what I was doing, they were clearly safeguarding my criminal activity. The question is whether all this has also happened to other people in custody.

Swedish scientists write in their research papers that people's thoughts are observed and that "experimental data from the nervous system, at an undiminished rate, continues to flow into the computers." This statement was made by Professor Jens Allwood in *Framtider (Futures)*, published by the Institute of Future Studies in Stockholm. In the same issue, assistant professor Erland Hjelmquist argued that, in most cases, "researchers have intended their theories to deal with just what happens in the heads of people when they make decisions or form opinions, or when they remember something ... and so on."

Peter Westerholm, senior lecturer and medical researcher, suggested in a speech at a Department of Justice conference in 1986 that:

*We must also find out how people are experiencing what's happening, maybe even their opinions, their evaluations. And it's quite clear that this will bring us into some not entirely legitimate territory.*

The fact that data from the nervous system continues to flow into

the computers at an increasing rate is due to the fact that more and more people are being hooked up to the system. The growing rate of hospital, SÄPO, and Criminal Police abuse is built upon the mind-control system which has been highly developed within medical research.

## Generating Diseases

To provide an idea of the kind of experiments I was being subjected to, consider the following aspect of these systems. During the years 1979-1984, I suffered from their power to generate disease in a person. This is something which has been well documented by medical researchers. In *Bio-Medical Telemetry* (1968), Dr. Mackay wrote that "there are certainly more elaborate and immediate methods for accelerating human and animal subjects into a state of motion sickness." His chilling claims that immediate and accelerating morbid states can be induced through two-way radio communication with the brain also reveals his own attitudes concerning the possible areas of application for these methods.

Beginning in 1972, when the police implanted their first transmitter in my head, the predominant effect was powerful radio signals in my head. These signals continuously intensified and oscillated over the years between loud bass notes and piercing high-frequency signals, with the entire intervening sound spectrum at varying volumes. This changed my life and altered my moods; it often induced insomnia, an inability to concentrate, irritation and impaired thinking. But there were also changes to my behaviour, which sometimes meant that I ended up unusually out of my depth, or did things completely out of my character. The symptoms which the scientists had begun to induce at the time of my residence at Sidsjon's special psychiatric clinic in 1978-79 were exact reproductions of earlier illnesses, like the throat infections which kept me in a recurring state of cold and fever for several years.

This technique makes it possible to control all cerebral functions and biological processes. During the first three years of the 1980s, my brain's thermo-regulator was made to malfunction, producing temperature

swings between extreme heat and cold for several hours. Between 1981-83, this technique also controlled my heart with such precision that they could bring it almost to a stop. This also went on for hours at a time, at least every night, after which they would hyperactivate it. The pattern was so systematic that it must have been produced by a computer program. From August 1978, when I was put to sleep in custody for the last time, and from when the transmitter inserted into my right nostril began its four year operation, I suffered from cramps in my legs, feet, hands and arms for hours every day until the transmitter was removed in Athens in 1982.

Only a year after Dr. Lindström and others made accurate statements concerning my X-rays, the brain experiment which had intensified continuously since 1972 finally leveled off. When the electronics companies gave me the opportunity to demonstrate the different frequencies of the waves that were passing through my head, the effect lessened. After the Red Cross in Stockholm spoke to Dr. Lindström to discuss possible surgery in the USA, for which he intended to assist with necessary travel costs, the terror from which I had suffered for twelve years finally stopped altogether. The operation came to nothing, however, since for the first time ever I was refused an entry visa into the United States.

### Frankenstein Techniques

In 1987, an assault took place at St. Carolus Hospital in Djakarta, Indonesia, where I was awaiting an operation to, once and for all, remove the transmitters implanted in my brain. The assault began as I was being wheeled into the operating theatre. Standing outside was the surgeon, a professor of neurosurgery named Dr. Hendayo. He informed me that he was unable to go forward with the operation which had been scheduled a week previously. He told me that we would have to postpone it, explaining that he could not reveal the reasons why. I tried to persuade him to keep his side of the agreement, and after a short discussion he changed his mind and I was wheeled into the operating room. What was known to him, and what I realised the moment I entered the room, was that there were two plain-clothes men waiting for me. I tried to free myself from these frightening Frankenstein techniques. They grabbed my arms and injected me with something, and I lost consciousness.

When I came around, I was right in the

middle of the operation, and I felt a sharp pain in my head. My arms and legs were strapped down and the doctor was holding my head, while one of the two in plain clothes wielded an object similar to a branding iron used to mark animals. He pushed the heated instrument down into my opened head. It felt as though my skull would explode, and I screamed in agony before I lost consciousness. Eighteen hours later I awoke. As soon as I was able, I went directly to the X-ray department to report what happened. From the X-ray they took, the radiologist thought that it looked like a burn into which some sort of foreign object had been placed. Afterward, I went to the head of the hospital to tell him what had taken place. I was informed that Dr. Hendayo was not due back for a couple of days. When I later made contact with him, he explained that what happened was not of his doing. He explained that I should have understood when he tried to back out, and that he had been unable to act because my country's security police were involved. The presence of both the burn and the implanted object has been confirmed by a number of radiological reports. A hospital in Stockholm writes, "To the left in the margosupraorbitalis is a deep groove, 2 cm in diameter and 0.5 cm in depth." Another hospital overseas writes:

*"X-ray skull lateral view shows a radioluscent defect just behind the frontal sinus. An umbrella-shaped foreign body is seen in relation to the defect just above the right orbital roof."*

These events at St. Carolus Hospital in Djakarta in August 1987 reveal another side to the difficulties experienced when trying to free oneself from computer mind-control. Dr. Hendayo realised he could not operate on me or do anything about my situation when the security police, possibly along with their colleagues in the CIA, forbade him from operating on me and took over the surgical department of St. Carolus Hospital in order to implant another transmitter. The mushroom-shaped transmitter lies adjacent to the right frontal lobe, which it paralyzes. The transmitter now affects the left side of my body. It is particularly noticeable in the face where the left eyebrow now droops as a sign of cerebral impairment.

The radiation produced by this implant has an effect different than that produced by the other transmitters, since it operates with high frequency radio-waves which lie just before the microwave part of the frequency spectrum. Right from the start, I could feel how the temperature of my brain rises, the consequences of which change my life and influence my abilities, energy and alertness. This radiation is also very dangerous and known to induce cancer and leukemia. As a completely normal symptom of a paralysed right hemisphere, I have lost all emotions including sexual feelings. Medical certificates confirm the continual and untreatable infections caused by the painful dehydrating effects of radiowaves produced by the implanted object, as well as greatly impaired vision and astigmatism. The continual deterioration of my vision has led to my needing glasses and a magnifying glass in order to read normal letters.

Pictured on page 5 is an illustration from the medical company Dow-Corning's advertisement for their new electrode for implantation into people's heads. It was published in *Neurology*



and Biomedical Engineering (1990), with the following text:

*A new electrode design for the extradural recording of brain activity ... Epidural peg electrodes are implantable mushroom-shaped composites of Silastic elastomer ... Recording cerebral activity from the extradural space is not a new concept ... Extradural strip electrodes have a low risk of infection, are well tolerated by patients, and have excellent recording characteristics.*

### A Modern Slave

Like all such radio devices, this electrode transmits data from a person's inner life, his mental functions, biological and neurological processes, all of which can be combined to yield more information about someone's life than even that person knows about himself. The implants can be used to "brainwash": to manipulate inner processes, modify or destroy emotions and thoughts, and, as one of the earlier research papers said, *control behavior in detail*. It is the most fantastic, and the most frightening technique that has ever been developed, and consequently one of the biggest secrets ever to be held by the state. The new transmitter was intended to brainwash me to a much greater extent than any of the previous ones. It is clear how far doctors, psychiatrists, and SÄPO are prepared to go to prevent any leaks from revealing the secret of the technique and the extent of the brutal experiments and life-long abuse of the people involved in them.

The fact that the Criminal Police are using the technique and anaesthetising people who are under arrest in order to implant transmitters should paint a whole new picture of what these authorities actually represent. It is also not difficult to see that this technique can only be employed as long as the public knows nothing about it. Having been used as an experimental subject for various state projects for about the past thirty years has meant that I have had to live my life without the normal freedoms and personal security necessary to plan and choose my own destiny.

One can say that I have had to live like a modern slave. I have never been able to escape the continual experiment in my brain and have had to bear complete observation by medical/police research and their intrusion into my life as an invisible party to everything I do. The high frequency radiation is destroying my health and I am living with the constant threat of lethal injury.

I have been deprived of human rights and integrity, and have been stripped, studied, exploited, raped and threatened with my life. I need to find a doctor who is able to operate, first and foremost, to remove SÄPO's transmitter in the face of SÄPO's power. These people are the face of Nazism in our society. They are backed up by the entire political system, and there is no court in Sweden that will convict one of them. There is no psychiatrist who will risk their job by revealing their own, their colleague's and society's crimes. Nor is there any surgeon answerable for the implantation of radio-

transmitters in the brains of patients during surgery. Radiologists who produce false reports to protect state institutional abuses are likewise exempt from punishment.

If we in Sweden wish to live in a society where the authorities have to take responsibility for their

actions, these people must be arrested. This is the only way we will find out what is happening behind SÄPO's high wall of secrecy, and how far this mind control experimentation has gone. There are people responsible for the kind of life I have had to suffer and the torture I have endured, and I have named them all. Everyone at some time in their lives needs to go to the hospital for an operation, but who would enter a hospital if it could mean becoming part of a secretive medical research program which can proceed for the remainder of their lives? It can no longer be granted that he who lives his own life also has rights over it. •



**The Experiments Take Their Toll:** The author in 1978 and one year later, in 1979.

**US Senator  
John Glenn's**

**Introduction  
to S.193**

# **The Human Research Subject Protection Act**

**M**adam President, I rise today to introduce the Human Research Subject Protection Act of 1997 ...  
Madam President, if I approached any Senator here and I

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about your own  
family, your own  
son, your own  
daughter, or  
grandchildren  
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said, "You did not know it, but the last time they went to the doctor or went to the hospital, your wife or your husband or your daughter or your son became the subject of a medical experiment that they were not even told about. They were given medicine, they were given pills, they were given radiation, they were given something and were not even told about this, were not even informed about it, yet they are under some experimental research that might possibly do them harm—maybe some good will come out of it, but maybe it will do them harm also—but they do not know about it," people would laugh at that and say that is ridiculous. That cannot possibly happen in this country. Yet, that very situation is what this piece of legislation is supposed to address.

I have been in public life and have served this country for many years. Frankly, I do not think too many things that I see surprise me anymore about our laws and about Government. Three years ago, though, I began to learn about a gap in our legal system that does truly concern me. In 1993 the Governmental Affairs Committee began to investigate the cold war radiation experiments. These experiments are one of the unfortunate legacies of the cold war, when our Government sponsored experiments involving radiation on our own citizens without their consent. They

did not even know the experiments were being run on them. It was without their consent.

One of the most infamous of these experiments took place in my own State of Ohio, when scores of patients at the University of Cincinnati were subjected to large doses of radiation during experimental treatments, without their consent, without their informed consent. During the course of this investigation, I began to ask the question, what protections are in place to prevent such abuses from happening again? What law prohibits experimenting on people without their informed consent?

What I found, when I looked into it, is there is no law on the books requiring that informed consent be obtained. More important, I believe there is a need for such a law, as there continue to be cases where this basic right—I do view it as a basic right—is abused. As I started out, I would like to put this on a personal level for every one of my colleagues. You just think about your own family, your own son, your own daughter, or grandchildren who might be, the next time they go to a doctor, the subject of some medical experiment that they are not even told about. I do not think there can be many things more un-American than that.

# MIND CONTROL INC.

Illustration by Rick Ray (The Masked Cartoonist)



With the introduction of this bill today I hope to begin the process of correcting some serious gaps in our legal system. I want to make clear right now I am not seeking to bring medical research to a screeching halt. Please do not, anybody at NIH, or anybody doing research throughout this country, think we are trying to stop that. We are not. That is not my intent and not the intent of this bill.

This country has the very finest health care system in the world, in part because of basic research. In fact, in large part because we have put more effort, more resources, more of our treasure into health research than any other nation in this world. In fact, I believe most people are not opposed to participating themselves in scientific research, if they are told about the pros and the

cons. That is the goal of this legislation, to make sure that people have the appropriate information to make an informed choice about their medical treatment.

Everyone listening today probably has heard of the Nuremberg Code. That is the list of 10 ethical research principles which were produced as part of the judgment against Nazi physicians who engaged in truly heinous medical experiments during World War II.

The first principle of the Nuremberg Code states that the voluntary consent of the human subject of research is absolutely essential. Unfortunately, as we look back through our history since the late 1940's, it appears that researchers in America may not have taken all that Nuremberg lesson completely to heart. •

The War comes home

# Napalming East Chicago

by Ken Silverstein

**I**f all goes according to plan, the Navy will soon begin shipping by railroad 23 million pounds of napalm from a military base in California to a toxic waste plant in East Chicago, Indiana, just across the border from Illinois. There, the napalm will be made into a fuel used by the cement-making industry — a process Navy flacks soothingly refer to as “recycling.”

The firm awarded the \$2.5 million contract to handle the napalm is called Pollution Control Industries, or PCI. The company and its owners have compiled a staggering record of environmental crimes during the past 15 years, and at one point, as determined by the US Congress, owned a mob-linked firm. PCI was picked for the job by the Battelle Institute, a Navy contractor that has been involved in human radiation experiments.

East Chicago sits in the most polluted corner of the fifth most polluted state in the country. The town is poor and over 80 percent black and Hispanic. Area residents—who suffer from high rates of cancer, heart and lung disease, asthma and infant mortality—are furious about the Navy’s plans. “They keep telling us that if everything performs properly there’s nothing to worry about,” says Betty Balanoff of Northwest Indiana Residents for Clean Air, a group that’s been fighting a series of battles against corporate polluters for the past decade. “Well, at that [PCI] plant nothing ever performs properly.”

PCI opened its East Chicago plant in 1986. It is licensed to run a “fuelblending” program that mixes hundreds of dangerous chemicals, including cyanide, mercury and arsenic, to make fuel for industrial furnaces.

It’s unlikely that even the most job-starved community in the land

would want PCI operating in the neighborhood. The company formerly owned a Kansas City firm called, of all things, PCB Inc. According to a 1989 report issued by the House Committee on Government Operations, individuals linked to PCB were involved in activities such as “narcotics, prostitution, loan sharking, illegal gambling, arson, insurance fraud, bank fraud and extortion.” PCB was also accused of falsifying hazardous waste disposal records.

PCI’s own record does little to inspire confidence. On at least three occasions in the past few years, residents were forced to evacuate their homes following explosions or fires. People living near the plant say that they have seen “bubbling mud” near the fence and on one occasion snow in their yards turned blue. To cover up the incident, which resulted from a plant spill, company employees fanned out with jugs of bleach in a futile attempt to return the snow to its normal color.

Numerous employees have come forward to accuse the company of a variety of misdeeds. In a series of groundbreaking stories in *The Times*, a local newspaper, William Lazarus reported that in recent years:

- Workers without any type of protective gear were ordered to clean up cyanide following an explosion of three drums. Most of the poison blew away or soaked into the ground.

- Several employees who suffered chemical burns were told by a company doctor that their injuries resulted from exposure to poison ivy.

- The company ordered workers to reuse gloves and other materials that had been exposed to toxic chemicals.

- An employee said he witnessed a PCI official change decimal points on a report about the chlorine content of a company waste shipment, thereby dramatically lowering the shipment's toxicity level.

- Chemical fumes are severe and a source of constant complaints from residents and workers. One employee told Lazarus, "The place is so smelly that when you go home, you could wash off but the smell would still be in your skin. It would soak in."

- Workers told of pre-inspection cover-up operations during which employees would throw gravel over patches of the company's grounds that had been burned by toxic spills. In 1994, a top company manager, Patrick Gleeson, quit in disgust over the company's practices. Gleeson was no radical. Before signing on with PCI, he worked for a dozen years for Safety-Kleen Corp, another hazardous waste disposal company. Yet he resigned after telling a company executive that PCI's practices were "going to kill somebody out there."

Other sordid incidents abound. Two oil companies charged PCI with illegally selling them waste oil contaminated with PCBs, which can cause liver damage and cancer. The case was settled out of court and the terms sealed from public review.

One of PCI's owners, Kevin Prunsky, was once convicted of bilking the federal government out of \$60,000. The case involved Prunsky's previous firm, known as Pollution Control Industries of America, which received a contract to remove toxic waste from a Chicago factory and haul it to Texas and Ohio. Prunsky billed the government for doing so but actually disposed of the waste at nearby sites in Chicago and Indianapolis.

According to a government report, the Chicago and Indianapolis dump sites were not authorized to accept hazardous waste.



**The Pentagon has been planning to ship napalm to East Chicago for about three years, but kept the scheme secret in the hopes that it would go undiscovered.**

Prunsky's firm cut through the red tape by simply labeling the material as "nonhazardous."

PCI now admits that there have been some problems at its site, but still sticks to a PR strategy that can be broadly described as stonewalling. Company CEO Robert Campbell dismissed residents' complaints as "psychosomatic."

PCI's original operating permit expired more than a year ago because of its hideous record. It is currently operating on an interim permit while it tries to get past state inspectors.

The most recent report from the Indiana Department of Environmental Management, issued on January 7, 1998, found a host of problems at the East Chicago plant. These included 55-gallon drums of ignitable waste being stored within 50 yards of the property line, waste held in a "severely damaged" container, storage drums that were "unfastened or open" and a number of record-keeping problems. And keep in mind that many workers have reported that the company normally received advance warning before state authorities showed up at the plant!

It's startling that PCI could have been selected for the napalm job in the first place. All becomes clear, though, when we learn that the Battelle Memorial Institute is overseeing the recycling project for the Navy and did the selecting. Between 1963 and 1973, Battelle helped the Pentagon run experiments in the Pacific Northwest during which 131 prisoners had their genitals bombarded with high levels of radiation (as was reported in *CounterPunch* in early January 1998.)

Local residents feel, understandably, that they have been betrayed by the federal government and by local authorities. The Pentagon has been planning to ship napalm to East Chicago for about three years, but kept the scheme secret in the hopes that it would go undiscovered.

After the plan leaked and opposition mounted, the Navy promised a thorough review. It took all of a week and concluded that there was no reason to block the shipments. Now the Navy is keeping shipment dates secret in order to minimize the risk of protests at the PCI plant.

Residents' hopes soared when they learned that the Clinton administration had issued an executive order requiring all federal agencies to consider issues of "environmental justice" when implementing their programs. They soon found out that the order is toothless and does not impose any legal or financial penalties for those who violate it.

For months, residents' requests for assistance from administration officials went unanswered. In late March, 1998, the White House finally agreed to delay the napalm shipments for 60 days while a group of officials

studies the situation. If past practice is any guide, those 60 days will be spent preparing a press release putting the best possible spin on the decision to go ahead with the proposal.

Nor have state and local officials been responsive to residents. With few exceptions—most noticeably in the case of Sen. Richard Durbin and Rep. Rod Blagojevich, both from Illinois—they have either supported the napalm shipments or offered up timid protests. Then, too, the state of Indiana rarely bothers to prosecute environmental crimes and those who commit them almost

never go to jail or suffer any serious consequences.

A few years ago, a firm called Fisher-Call Chemical was found to have contaminated groundwater by illegally storing hazardous waste, thereby resulting in a multi-million dollar federal clean-up site. The state charged David Fisher, a top official at the firm, with 26 felonies in connection with the case, but then quietly allowed him to plead guilty to a single misdemeanor and fined him \$15,000.

Balanoff says the napalm affair has confirmed all of the sad lessons she's learned during the last ten years as a grassroots activist: "Industry has all the clout. The health of citizens just isn't high on the government's list of priorities."•

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# The Clinton Body Count part II

By Al Hidell

**O**ne by one, the Clinton Body Count has gone up since it was tallied in *PARANOIA* Issue 6. Of course, the suspicious and often violent deaths of people connected to Bill Clinton may simply be a series of unrelated tragedies. Indeed, the lists that began appearing in print soon after Clinton's 1992 election and which now populate the internet are not 100% convincing.

Vince Foster certainly may have taken some politically-explosive secrets with him to the grave, but it is hard to see how the doctor who served on Clinton's healthcare reform advisory committee—for example—would have merited a presidential hit squad. And if Clinton's bodyguards are being targeted, as some Body Counters suggest, one wonders why the Secret Service agents who testified before Kenneth Starr are not on this list. In fact, it seems odd that the shadowy figures who have presumably been willing to kill even minor threats to the Clinton presidency would have left all of the Lewinsky scandal's principal players standing.

On the other hand, it is really not necessary for conspiracy theorists to prove that the President is part of an unbelievably sinister "Murder, Inc." If the politically-convenient death of even one Body Count member could be conclusively linked to the President or his agents, it would be the greatest scandal in U.S. history. Which is why even the most skeptical reader must at least consider the implications of the growing Clinton Body Count:

- James McDougal, banker and major Whitewater figure. Died March 8, 1998.

McDougal was serving a three-year sentence for bank fraud at the Fort Worth Federal Medical Center in Texas, a facility operated by the federal Bureau of Prisons. Just before he was to give additional testimony before Kenneth Starr's grand jury, McDougal suffered a fatal heart attack while in solitary confinement. When Jim McDougal was finally taken out of solitary, instead of attempting to defibrillate his heart with equipment on hand at the facility, officials drove McDougal to John Peter Smith Hospital. Not only are there other hospitals closer to the Fort Worth Federal Medical Center, the John Peter Smith hospital in fact has a poor reputation.

McDougal was in solitary confinement due to his refusal to provide a urine sample for drug testing. Perhaps the most suspicious charge to emerge out of the McDougal death was that he was injected with Lasix, a diuretic, to force his giving a urine

sample. Lasix is not supposed to be given to people with heart disease, which officials knew he suffered from, and can cause blood volume reduction, circulatory collapse and blood clots. In addition, McDougal may have been taking the heart medication Digitalin, which cannot be combined with Lasix. Several inmates had gone public with the claim that McDougal was given a heavy injection of Lasix right after he ate lunch, a charge denied by the prison facility.

McDougal, a former business partner of President Clinton and a major figure in the Whitewater investigation, did not have access to his heart medication in the hours before he died. According to the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*, which obtained his medical records under the Freedom of Information Act, McDougal was not provided a doctor even though he had been complaining of dizziness on March 7, and also vomited after his move to solitary confinement. Most significantly, the newspaper reported that guards did not allow McDougal to take his heart medications (including nitroglycerin) with him to solitary because they did not want to disturb his sleeping cell mate by searching for them in McDougal's regular cell.

- Ron Miller, campaign finance scandal witness. Died Oct. 12, 1997.

Ron Miller was being investigated by authorities over the sale of his company, Gage Corp. to Dynamic Energy Resources, Inc. (DER). According to the testimony of the late Commerce Secretary Ron Brown's business partner Noland Hill, DER hired Brown's son Michael solely for the purpose of funneling \$60,000 to the commerce secretary. Ron Miller tape-recorded Gene and Nora Lum and turned those tapes (and other records) over to congressional oversight investigators. The Lums were

sentenced to prison for campaign finance violations, using "straw donors" to conceal the size of their contributions to various candidates, mostly Democrats.

A man with no known health problems, Miller suddenly took ill on October 3, 1997, and steadily worsened until his death nine days later. Due to the strangeness of the illness, doctors at the Integris Baptist Medical Center referred the matter to the Oklahoma State Medical Examiner's Office. The Oklahoma State Medical Examiner's Office ran tests on samples of Miller's blood, but has refused to release the results

- Mary Mahoney, former White House intern. Died July 1997.

Mary Mahoney, 25, was a former White House intern working as the assistant manager at a Starbuck's Coffee shop in Georgetown. Perhaps coincidentally, Monica Lewinsky, George Stephanopoulos, and Chelsea Clinton were all regulars at this Starbuck's. Gunmen entered the establishment after closing. Mahoney's two co-workers, Aaron Goodrich, 18, and Emory Evans, 25, were taken to a room and shot. Mahoney had five bullets in her, from at least two different guns, most likely fitted with silencers. A total of 10 shots were fired. None of them were heard by neighbors in the densely-populated Georgetown section. Mahoney was shot in the chest, face, and in the back of the head. Even though more than \$4,000 remained in the store, police have categorized the triple murder as a robbery, even as they acknowledge the "execution style" of the killings.

- Larry Lawrence, Ambassador to Switzerland nominee. Died 1997.

Larry Lawrence was a Democratic fundraiser, made famous by his burial at Arlington National Cemetery. This was part of an alleged "burial-plots-for-contributions" scandal which ultimately proved groundless. Less well known is that at the time of his death, reportedly from a

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heart attack, Lawrence had just come under unspecified criminal investigation by the State Department and had indicated a willingness to cooperate with authorities.

- Bill Shelton, Arkansas state trooper and fiancé of Kathy Ferguson. Died June, 1994.

Shelton allegedly committed suicide by shooting himself in the back of the head at the grave site of his fiancé. Officer Shelton was the fiancé of Kathy Ferguson, who was the ex-wife of Trooper Danny Ferguson. Kathy Ferguson herself had committed suicide a month earlier, also by shooting herself in the back of the head. Oddly, her packed bags were found next to her body. Danny Ferguson was a co-defendant along with Bill Clinton in Paula Corbin Jones' sexual harassment suit. He allegedly escorted

Jones to then-Governor Clinton's hotel room. Kathy Ferguson was reported to be a corroborating witness for Ms. Jones at the time of her death.

- Neil Moody, stepson of Lisa Foster. Died Aug. 25, 1996.

Following Vincent Foster's death, Lisa Foster married James Moody, an Arkansas judge, in 1996. That summer, Judge Moody's son Neil died in a car crash just prior to the beginning of the Democratic National Convention. Witnesses said they saw Neil Moody sitting in his car arguing with another person shortly before his death.

- Johnny Franklin Lawhon, key Whitewater witness. Died March 29, 1998.

In the spring of 1997, a tornado ripped through some junked cars at Johnny Lawhon's Transmission shop. According to the PBS investigative series *Frontline*, the tornado opened up the trunk of a car containing a box of Whitewater records, including a copy of a \$27,000 cashier's check drawn on Jim McDougal's bank and payable to Bill Clinton. Lawhon turned the box of documents over to the FBI. According to police, Lawhon and a friend hit a telephone pole at a high rate of speed in a deadly March 1998 accident.

- Ron Brown, Commerce Secretary. Died May 3, 1996.

Ron Brown, former Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, died along with 39 other people when their T-43 crashed while approaching the Dubrovnik airport in Bosnia. At the time of his death, Brown is said to have been on the verge of being indicted. He had recently stated words to the effect, "If I go down, I'm not going down alone." In 1998, a cylindrical hole, the size of a .45-caliber round, was said to have been found in the top of his head. However, the story was never corroborated and appears to have been disinformation

put out by Clinton's political foes.

- Barbara Wise, Commerce Department staffer. Died Nov. 29, 1996.

Barbara Wise, a Commerce Department staffer under Ron Brown and an associate of Democratic fundraiser John Huang, was found dead in her locked office at the Department of Commerce, partially nude and covered with bruises. No cause of death was given.

- Charles Meissner, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for International Economic Policy. Died 1996.

Following Ron Brown's death, Commerce official Charles Meissner died in a small-plane crash. It was Meissner who had given the aforementioned John Huang a Commerce Department contract that allowed him to retain his now controversial security clearance.

- Brother(s) of Betty Currie, the President's personal secretary. August and December, 1997.

At this point, Presidential secretary Betty Currie appears to be the only Lewinsky Scandal figure to have been struck by tragedy. However, it is unclear whether one brother or two is involved. Regarding her testimony before the Thompson Committee in August, 1997, the *Portland Oregonian* reported that "White House lawyers advised her to postpone the session because her brother had been severely beaten and hospitalized the night before. However, Currie sat through the grilling without complaint." In addition, the February 9, 1998 edition of *Time* magazine noted in passing that "Clinton and Lewinsky met that night [12/28/97] with Currie present. The secretary's brother had just been killed in a car wreck, and Lewinsky came to bring her a Christmas gift."•

# DO KILLER MICROBES CAUSE BREAST CANCER?

**Suppressed and forgotten research could hold the key to a cure for this dread disease.**

**D**espite a century of research, the cause of breast cancer remains unknown. Age, diet, stress, hormonal factors, and genetic predisposition are all suspected. However, there is also a widely-ignored sixth suspect: Infectious bacteria, which have been implicated in breast and other cancers.

**by Alan Cantwell, Jr., M.D.**

A century ago when major diseases like tuberculosis, leprosy, and syphilis were discovered to be bacterial (not viral) infections, many physicians suspected bacteria might also cause cancer. At the close of the nineteenth century (when the science of microbiology was in its infancy), many different microbes were cultured from cancer. Various called "cancer coccidia," "sporozoons" and "cancer parasites," a few of these microbes produced cancer tumors when injected into animals. But many did not, and most doctors finally assessed these cancer germs as laboratory "contaminants" or as "secondary invader microbes" that infect the tissue after the cancer is already formed.

The idea of a cancer parasite was finally dismissed in 1919 by noted American pathologist James Ewing. In his popular textbook, *Neoplastic Diseases*, he declared: "Few competent observers consider it (the parasitic theory) as a possible explanation in cancer." In Ewing's opinion, cancer did not act like an infection. Therefore, he concluded that microbes couldn't possibly cause it. He wrote: "The general facts of the genesis of tumors are strongly against the possibility of a parasitic origin." [1] Subsequently, few doctors dared to contradict Ewing by investigating bacteria in cancer.

Nevertheless, during the 1920s a few persistent physicians like pathologist John Nuzum of the University of Illinois College of Medicine; surgeon Michael Scott from Butte, Montana; and obstetrician James Young of Edinburgh, Scotland, continued to publish research showing that bacteria were implicated in breast cancer and other forms of cancer.

Working independently of one another, all three researchers cultured unusual bacteria from breast cancer, as well as from breast cancer tumors in mice. The peculiar growth of the "pleomorphic" cancer germ defied the established laws of microbiology by its ability to change shape and form, depending on how it was cultured in the laboratory, as well as the amount of oxygen supplied for growth and the age of the culture.

At first, the germ was barely visible as tiny round coccid forms. Later, these cocci enlarged into rod-shaped bacteria, which could connect together to form chains resembling a fungus. Small cocci could also enlarge into larger yeast and fungal-like spore forms.

Nuzum grew his "micrococcus" from 38

though Nuzum couldn't produce cancer tumors in mice, he was able to induce breast cancer tumors in 2 of 5 dogs injected with the microbe.

In a dangerous human experiment, he injected the groin of a 70-year-old man with the bacteria he cultured from breast cancer. After 62 injections over an 18-week period, a skin cancer formed in the man's groin. This experiment showed that breast cancer microbes were also capable of producing a different kind of cancer, such as skin cancer. [3]

Young found his microbe in 16 cases of breast cancer, and in two mice with breast cancer. He identified "spore forms" and clumped "spore balls" in microscopic sections prepared from the mouse tumors. [4,5]

Scott described three stages in the life cycle of his parasite: rod forms, spore or coccus-like forms, and large spore-sacs resembling a fungus. [6,7] He treated cancer patients with an effective antiserum against these microbes, and spent the rest of his life trying to

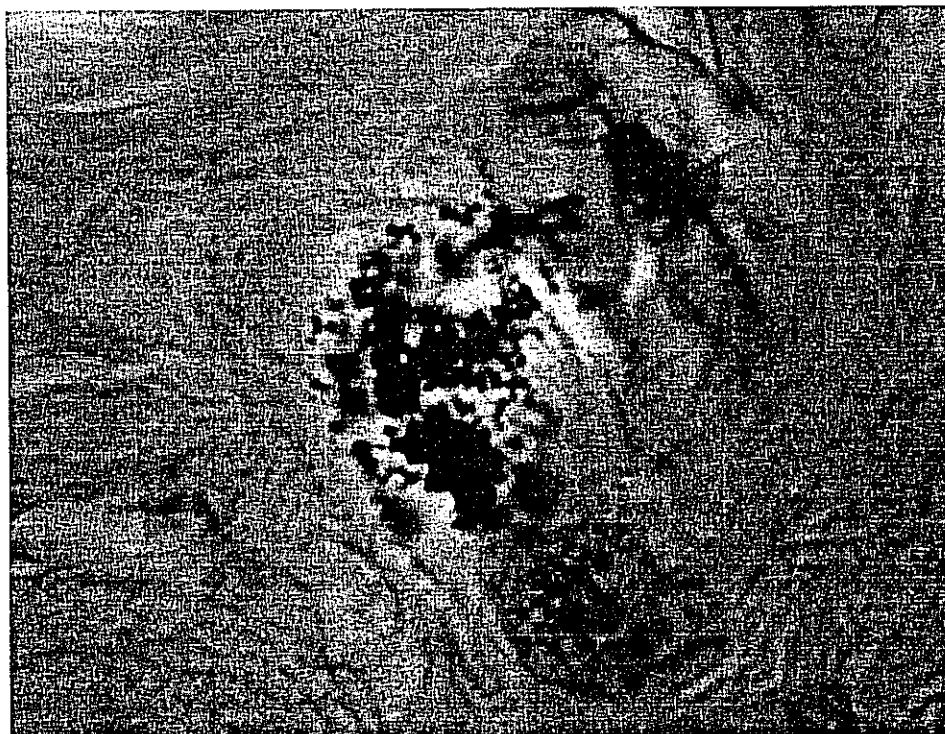
alert his colleagues to the infectious cause of cancer. But the antagonism of the medical profession to Scott's cancer parasites and his antiserum was overwhelming, and he died a forgotten man.

During the last half of this century cancer microbe research was barely kept alive by a quartet of women, now all dead. The published research of Virginia Wuerthele-Caspe Livingston-Wheeler (a physician), Eleanor Alexander-Jackson (a microbiologist), Irene Diller (a cellular biologist) and Florence Seibert (a chemist) provides indisputable evidence that bacteria are implicated in cancer.

Livingston, who never let the male-dominated medical profession intimidate her, independently discovered the cancer microbe in the late 1940s and never stopped talking about it

until her death in 1990, at the age of 84. Aided by Alexander-Jackson, who supplied the bacteriologic expertise, they became an unstoppable research team. [8-12]

The two women found a special stain (the acid-fast stain) that allowed the microbe to be recognized in culture and within the cancer tumor. Like the researchers back in the 1920s, they confirmed the microbe was filterable; and electron microscopic photos provided further proof that the filterable forms were indeed viral-size. Livingston named the microbe "Progenitor cryptocides" (Greek for "the hidden-killer"), which angered cancer experts,



**Fig.1:** A collection of tiny, round, coccid forms identified within the tissue sections from a breast cancer tumor. Acid-fast stain, magnified 1000 times.

of 41 early breast cancers, and from the cancerous lymph nodes and metastatic tumors resulting from spread of the cancer to other parts of the body. [2,3] During his 6 years of intensive bacteriological study, he learned the microbe could pass through a filter designed to hold back bacteria, indicating that some forms of the microbe were as small as the size of some viruses. With special stains, he detected these small round coccid forms within the breast cancer tumor cells. Al-

microbiologists, and American Cancer Society spokespersons, all of whom insisted the cancer microbe did not exist!

In the 1950s Irene Diller of the Institute for Cancer Research at Fox Chase, Philadelphia, discovered fungus-like microbes in cancer cells. Joining forces with the Livingston team, Diller worked with specially bred mice with a proven cancer incidence. By injecting them with microbes cultured from breast cancer and other tumors, she was able to more than double the cancer incidence of the mice. [13]

She injected healthy animals with cancer bacteria. When cancer tumors developed she successfully cultured the microbe from the tumors—thus proving that these bacteria were implicated in the production of cancer. Utilizing Livingston's methods, Diller also grew the microbe from the blood of cancer patients.

In the early 1960s Florence Seibert became so impressed with Diller's research that she quit retirement to help prove that bacteria cause cancer. Back in the 1920s Seibert devised a method to make intravenous transfusions safe by eliminating contaminating ubiquitous bacteria. Later, as one of the foremost authorities investigating the chemistry and immunology of the acid-fast bacteria that cause tuberculosis, she perfected the skin test for tuberculosis that has been used worldwide ever since. In 1938, she was awarded the famed Trudeau Medal, the highest prize given to tuberculosis research.

Experiments conducted by Seibert and her research team showed these acid-fast and TB-like cancer microbes were not laboratory contaminants because they were able to isolate bacteria from every piece of tumor (and every acute leukemic blood) they studied. [14]

In her autobiography, *Pebbles on the Hill of a Scientist*, published privately in 1968, she wrote:

"One of the most interesting properties of these bacteria is their great pleomorphism. For example, they readily change their shape from round cocci, to elongated rods, and even to thread-like filaments depending upon what medium they grow on and how long they grow. This may be one of the reasons why they have been overlooked or considered to be heterogenous contaminants...And even more interesting than this is the fact that these bacteria have a filterable form in their life cycle; that is, that they can become so small that they pass through bacterial filters which hold back bacteria. This is what viruses do, and is one of the main criteria of a virus, separating them from bacteria. But the viruses also will not live on artificial media like these bacteria do. They need body tissue to grow on. Our filterable form, however, can be recovered again on ordinary artificial bacterial media and will grow on these. This should interest the virus workers very much and should cause them to ask themselves how many of the viruses may not be filterable forms of our bacteria."

Seibert's provocative papers, some emanating from the prestigious *Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*, should have caused a stir. But with

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the quartet slowly closing in on the infectious cause of cancer, funds from previous supporters (like the American Cancer Society) suddenly dried up. All cancer microbe researchers eventually discovered that studying cancer bacteria was the kiss of death as far as funding was concerned. And without adequate funding, this type of cancer research was made more difficult.

But coming from thirty years of research into the acid-fast bacteria that cause tuberculosis, Seibert knew that the discovery of a pleomorphic and acid-fast microbe in cancer was tremendously important. She fervently believed that knowledge of this microbe would be instrumental in developing a possible vaccine and more effective antibiotic therapy against cancer. In *Pebbles* she confided: "It is very difficult to understand the lack of interest, instead of great enthusiasm, that should follow such results, a lack of certainty not in the tradition of good science. The contrast between the progress made in tuberculosis where we know the cause, where we have good general diagnostic tests, where we have a vaccine and

effective antibiotic controls, and that made in cancer with the millions invested, is very striking. Some dedicated scientists should indeed find it rewarding to confirm or deny these painstaking and time-consuming experiments, for the sake of establishing the first necessary step in the important problem of the etiology of cancer."

Like the other women, Seibert observed the virus-like forms of the cancer microbe within the nucleus of the cancer cells. She theorized this infection could disrupt and transform nuclear genetic material that could lead to malignant change. Even though cancer microbes might appear to be simple and common microbes, their ability to infiltrate the nucleus of cells meant they were far from harmless.

In 1990, at the age of 92, Florence Seibert was inducted into the National Women's Hall of Fame, along with Barbara Jordan (Government), Billie Jean King (Athletics) and Margaret Bourke-White (Arts). When she died the following year her passage was noted in *Time* and *People* magazines, and in major newspapers like *The Los Angeles Times*. All the obituaries mentioned her contributions to the safety of intravenous fluids and her great achievement with the TB skin test. But not a word was written about her cancer microbe research, to which she devoted the last thirty years of her life.

Each year 190,000 American women are diagnosed with breast cancer. And the prognosis is still dismal for women whose breast cancer has spread to the lymph nodes and beyond. Yet the medical establishment remains adamantly and irrationally opposed to cancer microbe research. It is perhaps understandable from an economic viewpoint that the medical profession would not welcome a proposed infectious cause of cancer that would challenge the highly lucrative multibillion-dollar cancer industry.

Physicians confidently ignore cancer bacteria because they have been carefully taught in medical school that there are no significant bacteria detectable in cancer. They still believe that cancer microbes represent contaminant bacteria or bacteria of no significance. Thus, published reports of cancer microbe research are rarely cited and the subject remains virtually unknown.

The idea of a microbe with virus, bacteria, and fungal-like stages is also anathema to most doctors. However, over the past several decades the study of cell-wall deficient bacteria and "mycoplasma-like" bacteria (which are both bacterial and viral-like) indicates that microbes indeed have a complex life cycle. In 1919, when Ewing offered his damning opinion of cancer parasites, none of these microbiologic peculiarities were even recognized!

In some instances, cancer microbe research appears to be deliberately suppressed. For example, the National

Cancer Institute on its "Cancer Facts" webpage <http://oncolink.upenn.edu/pdg/600911.html> informs viewers about Virginia Livingston and states: "There is no scientific evidence to confirm her theories of cancer causation or to justify her treatments." Obviously, this official judgment is a blatant lie because, as we have noted, Livingston's discoveries have been confirmed by many competent scientists.

In addition, Livingston has written three books on the cancer microbe: *Cancer: A New Breakthrough* (1972), *The Microbiology of Cancer* (1977), and *The Conquest of Cancer* (1984). [15-17] More recent books on bacteria in cancer include Alan Cantwell's *The Cancer Microbe* (1990) and *Can Bacteria Cause Cancer?* (1997) by David J Hess. [18,19]

Using acid-fast staining techniques, bacteria have been identified in breast cancer, lymphoma, Kaposi's sarcoma (the so-called "gay cancer" of AIDS) and other forms of cancer. [20-22] Figure 1 shows bacteria identified in breast cancer, indicating that such microbes are already present within the tumor and are not laboratory contaminants. Microbes have also been identified in "normal" and cancer-free breast tissue removed at the time of surgery. This suggests that the bacteria are not "secondary invaders" because they are identifiable in areas *before* the tissue has been invaded by cancer. [20] Figure 2 shows the appearance of a microbe cultured from the same breast cancer. Note how the size and shape and appearance of the microbes within the tumor (Fig.1) approximates the appearance of the bacteria cultured from the metastatic spread of the tumor to the skin (Fig.2).

The current lack of knowledge about the cause of advanced breast cancer has resulted in the recommendation of some very expensive and death-defying treatments for this horrendous disease. Bone marrow transplants, which carry a 5% death rate, are being proposed as a routine treatment, at a minimal cost of \$100,000 per patient.

As described in Karen Stabiner's *To Dance with the Devil: The New War on Breast Cancer* (1997), the procedure is not pretty. [23] First, a catheter is placed in a woman's chest to deliver the drugs. A surgical treatment is then performed to scrape out bone marrow from her pelvis, followed by 7 days of growth hormone injections. Then starts days of intravenous chemotherapy that can cause kidney and bladder damage. A catheter is placed in the bladder, followed by a round of intravenous BCNU, or carmustine, a drug that makes a woman feel like she is falling down drunk. Patients become sleepy, sullen, disoriented, agitated, and angry. Loss of bowel control and vomiting are common. After all this, women are put into isolation because the white count drops precipitously, making her vulnerable to all sorts of



infections. There may be inexplicable spiking fevers and rashes, and the inevitable loss of hair. After three weeks, patients are allowed to go home where they are told to watch for "interstitial pneumonitis," a potentially fatal aftereffect if not diagnosed and treated early.

Bone marrow transplant for breast cancer is not guaranteed, nor is it considered a cure. Women have been known to die of cancer three months after the procedure, proving that some patients do not respond to chemotherapy no matter how high the dose.

Even with radiation, chemotherapy and surgery, the cost of dying of cancer is not cheap. At the price patients are paying, physicians should not have the luxury of being ignorant about cancer microbe research, particularly when these microbes can be identified in cancer tumors.

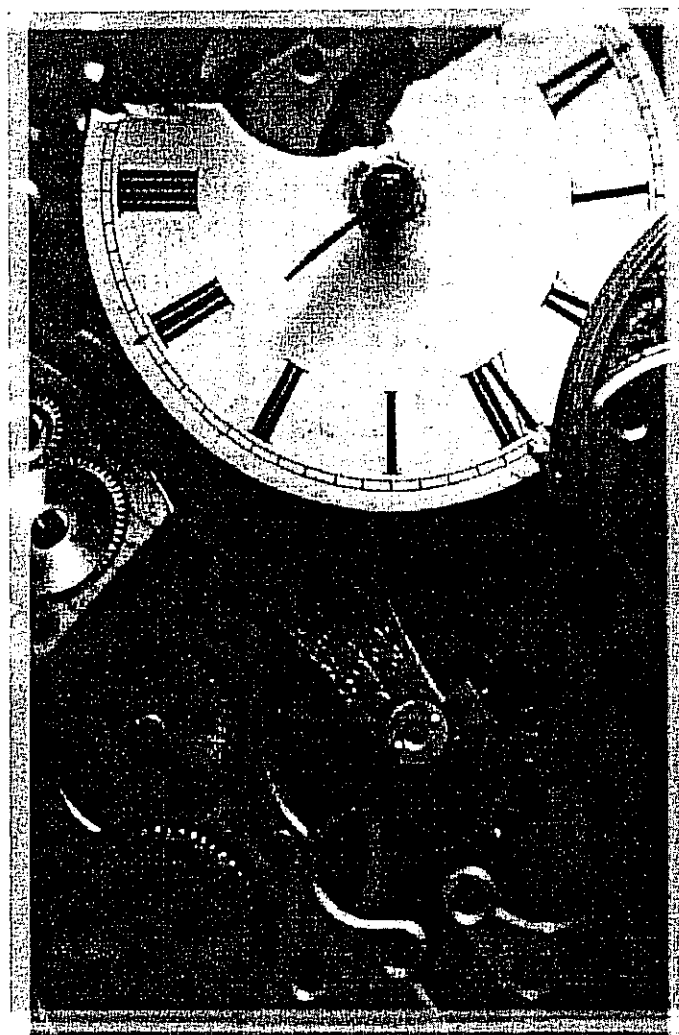
With 40,000 American women dying annually from breast cancer, it is time medical science reevaluated the parasite of cancer that James Ewing so casually dismissed in 1919. Perhaps if he hadn't been so adamant about cancer microbe research, his colleagues might have been able to do more to save him when he himself eventually died of "the Big C."•

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**Fig. 2:** Bacteria (in the form of cocci) cultured from a metastatic tumor of breast cancer which spread to the skin. Acid-fast stain, magnified 1000 times. Note the similar size and shape of these bacteria (identified as *Staphylococcus epidermidis*) to the coccoid forms identified in the original breast cancer tumor (Fig. 1).



# Y2K, The Coming Tax Revolt and Political Decentral- ization

**B**ecause dates are referred to in terms of DD/MM/YY (Date/Month/Year) in the programming of most computer systems, when the year 2000 registers as "00," up to 90% of the world's computers will go haywire. The computers on a 99-year cycle will think it's the year 1900, while others programmed in the 1970s may interpret the year "00" as an "interrupt" command which instantly shuts them down. This dilemma has been termed the Millennium Bug, or the Y2K Problem. Computer companies like IBM and others have known about the Millennium Bug for at least 25 years, since insurance companies attempting to project future life insurance policies began having problems in the 1960s. This article summarizes the extent of this problem with respect to its governmental and financial aspects. It leaves other aspects of the Y2K Problem, for example its affect on defense and weapons systems worldwide, up to your paranoid imagination.

**By Gary North**

Politically, no nation can voluntarily return to the level of taxation and debt that prevailed prior to 1914. The ratchet resists such lowering. One or another tax may be cut, but the level of overall taxation remains high. So does the level of debt. What voter believes any politician who promises significant tax reform? No politician who might conceivably win runs on the platform: "I'll cut tax rates to where they were prior to World War I."

So, how do we escape? A few people may join the tax revolt movement and find themselves living in fear of the tax collector. They dare not accumulate wealth in the form of bank accounts or paper assets. They are forced into the underground economy, where payments are made in cash and income is low, unless they are selling illegal drugs. This avenue is closed to all but the very dedicated. There are not enough of them to hurt the government.

Then there is the hope of State bankruptcy. Maybe the spending programs will at last bankrupt the State, but not before the State bankrupts the taxpayers and debt-holders, such as investors in money-market funds and bond funds. State bankruptcy is never simple and open. It is always bankruptcy by stealth, which they call *inflation*, and governments never default except after a war. Instead, they inflate their way out of debt. After the inflation is over, we never find that the State has shrunk. After the 1923 inflation ended, Germany and Austria were not small-government nations. They remained big-government nations. They got worse in the 1930s. This was a replay of the American experience after the Civil War. The State never again

returned to its pre-1860 size.

Can the dead hand of bureaucratic government never be removed? The answer of the conservative movement today is "no." The conservative movement has bought into the Welfare State. It is not willing to challenge the entitlements that have become familiar to voters: Social Security, Medicare, etc. Conservatives may push for this or that reduction in some fiscally marginal program, but no one with a large constituency is calling for the outright abolition of the Welfare State. So deliverance must come from outside the political system. It has to be imposed upon the politicians. There is only one way known to man to roll back a bureaucracy: cut its funding. Nothing else works. So far in this century, it has proven to be impossible to roll back this funding. Until now...

### **Our Deliverance Draweth Nigh!**

Some of my subscribers took me seriously when they received my Year 2000 compliance sample letter to mail to their banks, mutual funds, and suppliers asking if their computers will be compliant when the clock ticks after midnight on December 31, 1999. Some of you sent me copies of your replies. There were some choice ones. The most important letter came from a man in the securities business. He said that he contacted a friend of his who works for the Internal Revenue Service. His friend told him that the IRS will not be compliant in the year 2000. I quote from his letter:

*I ran the Year 2000 scenario by him and asked him what the IRS awareness level is, what they are*

*doing, etc. His response was that the IRS computer system is a mess and that they have only in the last few months begun to talk about the need to do something. When I pressed him on the "not enough time left" issue, here is what he revealed. In 1989 the Social Security Admini-*

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*stration (SSA) started working on the problem. The SSA projects that they will be Year 2000 compliant in 1998. It was then that he revealed the IRS strategy. They plan on simply tapping into the SSA system and databases! Granted, there will be no tax-return histories, etc., but there will still be a significant amount of comparable data that the IRS can use, i.e. SSNs, earning histories, etc. Of course, this assumes that the SSA can make the deadline. Time will tell.*

Obviously, I cannot get formal confirmation of this story from the IRS. If the IRS were to let this story get out to the general public, this would begin to affect the government's credit markets. If the IRS is going to have problems tracking payments, then the Treasury's promise of "full faith and credit of the United States government" becomes highly problematical. Ever since Franklin Roosevelt had the U.S. government steal the nation's privately-owned gold in 1933, this catch phrase has undergirded the nation's capital markets, and through foreign central bank holdings of T-bills, the world's capital markets.

The promise of the U.S. government to continue to tax us, so that it can meet the interest payments on its ever-growing debt, is supposedly far more reliable than the promise of gold. Gold's promise is based on geology: you can dig only so much of it. The government's promise is different: it can dig into our wallets, or at least print up the money, for far less than it costs to dig up and refine an equivalent dollar value of gold. To reduce its costs of getting into our wallets, the IRS installed an IBM computer system and paid to have it programmed. That was over thirty years ago. Now the IRS faces what all the rest of the computer-dependent world faces: a drastic increase in costs.

There are two important questions. First, how will the non-compliant IRS computer gain access to a compliant Social Security computer after January 1, 2000? If the SSA is going to defend its computer files from data corruption by non-compliant computers, the IRS computer will have to be locked out. Certainly there can be no input from the IRS. Second, will the SSA meet its deadline? It has not been easy to obtain information on the status of the SSA's repair program. Congressman Stephen Horn's office (202-225-6676) released a report

card giving the SSA an "A." But this report card was graded on a curve. The SSA was in competition only with other U.S. government agencies. The problem is, the real test will not be graded on a curve; it will be given on a "pass-fail" basis.

A small-circulation publication called *CIO Magazine*, which goes to chief information officers of large computer departments, published an article in their September 15, 1996 issue entitled: "Will Your Systems Survive the Year 2000?" It reported that the SSA has adopted an algorithm that translates two-digit years and converts them to four digits. The article indicated that "by June 1996, changes were complete for six million lines of code, with 24 million left to go." (*CIO Magazine*, 9/15/96, p. 58)

Think about this. The SSA discovered the problem in 1989. They began working on the correction in 1991. Their announced deadline for compliance is December, 1998. This means that in order to run parallel testing and leave time to make corrections, they have to finish in 1997 or early 1998. In five years, they completed the repair of six million lines of code, and between June of 1996 and December of 1997, they must have completed an additional twenty-four million lines of code. Furthermore, the SSA has not yet completed its inventory of operating systems, which keep the overall system running.

Testing requires parallel simultaneous runs. Identical data must go into the existing program and the revised program. The revised program must produce identical results. It must not shut down. If it shuts down, the programmers must go through thirty million lines of code to find what went wrong. A bad fix in one line can corrupt any other line. Where will they find the unused computer capacity to run the necessary tests? Are they now running the SSA computer at, say,

45% capacity? If not, where will they get the mandatory extra capacity to run the parallel test?

This question is the Achilles' heel of all glib talk about Year 2000 compliance. At least 40% of the cost of making a computer system compliant is in the testing. But there is not enough excess mainframe computer capacity sitting around dormant that will enable the tests to be performed. The world will go into the year 2000 with its hands full of hopefully compliant mainframe systems still untested! Any organization that says it will be Year 2000 compliant that cannot show where it will get the additional 100% of computer capacity needed to run the tests is misinforming the public. Do not accept anyone's assurance of Year 2000 compliance without proof that the organization has this extra computer capacity.

The SSA keeps assuring Congress that it will meet the deadline. Well, so what? Anyone can promise anything about compliance. How can any project so complex be forecasted accurately? In 85% of the cases, large-scale programming projects are brought in late. What Congressmen refuse to ask (in public) is the really crucial question: "What happens to Social Security if the project is not finished in 2000?" Fortunately, we have a roundabout answer from Kathleen M. Adams, associate commissioner for systems design and development for the SSA. She told *CIO Magazine*:

*We send out 43 million checks each month, and we have to have as close to zero defects as we can. Even with a one percent error rate, we'd have 430,000 people coming in or calling our district offices; so we do everything we can to avoid risk in our core functions.*

What if SSA is, say, 30% non-compliant? Will anyone ever get through to the Social Security Administration? No. The busy signal will be permanent. Lines will start

forming in front of local offices. Or, what if checks go out, but they are wrong? "The worst thing that can happen," she says, "is if an application does the calculation but does it wrong. It would be better if it broke." Broke is the operative word. That's what the government will be.

There is no good reason to believe that the Social Security Administration's computer system will be Year 2000 compliant. And if it is not, the IRS will not be able to track down tax cheats. Word will get out. It will then not take much to persuade people to stop filing. There will then be a huge population explosion: dependents will multiply in the year 2000, thereby eliminating salary tax withholding. The big tip-off that the IRS is going down will be when the government passes a law making it mandatory for businesses to verify all claims regarding the existence of employees' dependents. When that law is proposed, or when the IRS announces it through the Federal Register, it will be time to sell your government bonds (maybe sooner).

Federal law now mandates that after January 1, 2000, every business in the U.S. must submit its tax withholding forms and checks by computer. Millions of non-compliant personal computers will send in mountains of non-compliant data to a non-compliant IRS computer, presumably by way of third parties that will format all of this data into one gigantic system-destroying virus. Then the IRS will tap into the Social Security Administration's computer to verify everything! Years ago, Howard Ruff announced "Government is stupid." In the year 2000, it will be both blind and stupid.

## **Government Loss of Legitimacy**

All over the world, taxpayers feel cheated. What keeps them paying is fear, plus some minimal respect for the government as healer-provider. Two things will undermine faith in government: the inability of the government to track tax rebels; and the failure of Medicare, Medicaid, and Social Security to mail out the checks.

Assuming that banks survive the bank runs of 1999 (a huge assumption), recipients will have to face a new reality: the flow of funds from the U.S. government may no longer be available. This will also be true of state governments. At that point, retired people will have to come out of retirement. This will take place at the time when the West's division of labor is collapsing, when white collar employees will be given pink slips by the millions. Again, all this assumes that the banks are still open. If they aren't, then this collapse will begin a year earlier.

## **The Year 1999 Problem**

There may be another problem looming besides the Year 2000 compliance problem. That is, the Year 1999 problem. For decades, programmers have used the two-digit entry "99" to mean the *end of run*. When a mainframe programmed this way reads "99", it will stop all operations and archive the data. It then waits for new instructions. It will wait for a long, long time if there are no instructions ready to go as soon as the end of run takes place. The problem is that the entry "99" will appear whenever a fiscal year rolls over from 98.

In particular, this rollover will begin when New York State rolls over on April 1, 1998. April Fool's day may bring a very big surprise to a lot of institutions located in New York state,

such as Wall Street, Madison Avenue, the largest money center banks in the U.S. (except for Bank of America), the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, plus a few million bank depositors. Then, on July 1, 1998, the other states roll over. Any of their computers that have been programmed to read 99 as *end of run* will cease operating.

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Is it possible that all of the states will be Year 99 compliant by 1998? Maybe. But if even one of them shuts down, this will spread panic to the capital markets. The programming deadline promises of the Washington bureaucrats will mean little or nothing. The legitimacy of the U.S. government will be called into question if state governments start shutting down. The tax revolt

may begin as early as 1998, before the Congressional elections, and when it starts here, it will spread throughout the whole world.

The *Dallas Morning News* reported on February 3, 1997 on the

## The financial world has not grasped the magnitude of the risk it is facing.

U.S. Navy's satellite system, the Global Positioning System, which lets anyone identify exactly where he is. Global mapping systems, including the U.S. military, and even the trucking system, rely on this Global Positioning System. This system will crash in 1999. The Navy has warned all users of GPS software that its system will roll back to 1980 on August 22, 1999, losing 1024 weeks. The Navy has deferred all responsibility for this crash, stating that: "Once the rollover has occurred, it is the responsibility of the user (equipment or software) to account for the previous 1024 weeks." (Somebody better tell Bill Buckley to stay off his yacht that week.) This information can be verified at [http://tycho.usno.navy.mil/gps\\_week.html](http://tycho.usno.navy.mil/gps_week.html)

### Stocks, Bonds and Banks

On December 6, 1996, Congressman John Dingell (D-Michigan) put the Securities and Exchange Commission on notice to get the securi-

ties industry compliant. He cited an article in *Security Industry News* (Nov. 18, 1995) entitled: "Why the Securities Industry Can't Afford to Hide Its Eyes." He refers to "the catastrophic business and economic consequences" of this problem if industry delays. This is not the kind of language you read in the conventional financial press, which survives through its conventional advertisers. Dingell asked for an annual report, beginning on June 1, 1997, regarding what the SEC and other regulatory agencies and organizations are doing, including broker-dealers. He also asked for a report on "what the SEC is mandating with respect to disclosure by publicly reporting on companies regarding their potential liabilities as a result of Year 2000 computer problems and what they are doing to address them." Unfortunately, Dingell is no longer chairman of the Committee of Commerce and he cannot compel the SEC to comply.

On June 17, 1996, the Comptroller of the Currency's Administrator of National Banks sent out the OCC Advisory letter addressed to the Chief Executive Officers of all national banks. It was signed by Jimmy Barton, the Chief National Bank Examiner. He sent them a copy of a report by the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council (FFIEC) which represents the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the FDIC and the National Credit Union Administration. The report spoke of the "substantial risks" of this problem. Pay particular attention to the following statement:

*... industry estimates are that only 30 percent are currently addressing the issue ... This lack of planning could result in the extended or permanent disruption of computer system operations ... This issue affects EVERY financial institution.*

Notice that it does not say that 30% of banks are compliant. It says that 30% are "addressing the issue" in some way. The financial world has not grasped the magnitude of the risk it is facing. We are talking about the system of payments: the flow of funds that keeps every institution's doors open, from supermarkets to the local police department. We are talking about the world's reserve banking system, a gigantic inverted pyramid of debt that will topple and shut down when people seeking cash create bank runs. This will shrink the division of labor. Such an event is called a depression.

### Personal PC Problems

On February 3, 1997, I drove into Dallas to have dinner with Prof. Kappelman and three other professionals dealing with the Year 2000 problem. One is a mainframe programmer who now helps businesses assess and solve their Year 2000 problems: Stephen Gordon ([sgordon@tri.com](mailto:sgordon@tri.com)). Another is Karl Feilder ([kwf@gmt-2000.com](mailto:kwf@gmt-2000.com)), who had just spent the day in Austin, warning over 100 state employees of the looming crisis. (The state of Texas has 250 separate computer systems.)

Feilder is convinced that the problems for desktop PC's will be worse than the mainframe problem, since PC's are uncoordinated. Recently, he checked out 125 brand-new pentium PC's from five different manufacturers. Not one machine was Year 2000 compliant. All of these four men said the same thing: standard off-the-shelf software for PC's is rarely 100% compliant, no matter what the manufacturers say. Spreadsheets are especially vulnerable. This includes accounting systems. Small business will be hit with a crisis that very few businessmen will be prepared to deal with. Time is running out.

(Note: Here's a tip for a quick

test and possible fix for your personal PC, free of charge. Go to [www.righttime.com](http://www.righttime.com) and download the software program. **Warning:** do not run any test without backing up your entire hard disk. One way to test for compliance is to set your PC's date at 12/31/99 and its clock at 23:58. Then wait two minutes. Does it go to 1980 or to 1984? This also has risks. Some of your software will be noncompliant, and your data could get corrupted. That's why you must back up your disk before you run this test!)

### Year 2000 Stocks

The Year 2000 story is bigger in the individual stocks than it is in the stock market. There is simply no way that all of the world's main-frame computers that need to be compliant can become compliant. Nevertheless, some organizations are hiring companies that do the repairs. The demand for these services will soar. If the existing repair companies can keep their programmers without paying them most of the money coming into the companies as fees, then there will be big profits. The problem is, the programmers will know how valuable they are. So, it may pay more to be a programmer than to invest in the companies that hire them.

One thing is sure: the companies that do the repairs will be in better shape than the companies that need the repairs. Some of the latter will go bankrupt. If enough of them do, the world economy will collapse. If the repaired computers can keep from being re-infected by noncompliant computers, then the compliant firms have a better chance at survival than the noncompliant ones. But if enough firms are noncompliant, the overall disaster will wipe out stock market equity as nothing ever has before.

Until further notice, I recommend that you plan to get out of these

stocks no later than early 1999. After that, the banks become a big problem, as does a meltdown of the stock market, assuming this hasn't happened yet. Don't stay to the end. Take your money, convert it into durable goods, and get out of the line of fire.

### New World Order Derailed

In conclusion, we are going to see political decentralization on a scale never imagined by modern social theorists. The New World Order is going to be derailed. Yet its promoters don't even see it coming. They are blind. If the banks go down, no unit of government higher than the county will be able to collect taxes directly. If the banks do not fail, but the IRS computer is not compliant, the states will be the tax collectors. If their computers go down, we're back to the counties. Localism is preferable to centralism, depending upon where you live. Safety is crucial. If welfare checks stop coming, "safety" will be more difficult to buy than it is today, especially if the banks are closed. If banks are open only because the FED is printing money, you're in trouble. •

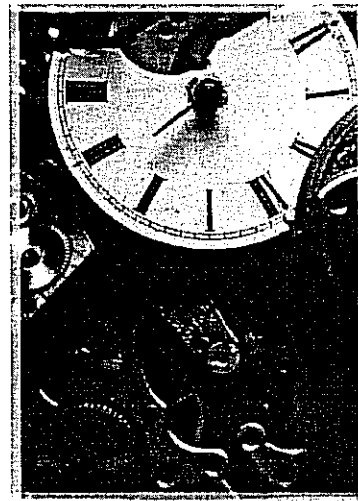
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### Resources

Leon Kappelman's web site:  
<http://www-lan.unt.edu/cobabak/www/bcis/faculty/kappema>

*The Millennium Bomb*, by Simon Reeve.

**"The worst thing that can happen," she says, "is if an application does the calculation but does it wrong. It would be better if it broke." Broke is the operative word. That's what the government will be.**





## Global Surveillance System Exposed

- For the first time, an official government body has acknowledged the existence of a global electronic spy network that can eavesdrop on every telephone, email, and fax communication worldwide. In December 1997, a European Commission report ("Assessing the Technologies of Political Control") was delivered to the European Parliament. As related by the *London Daily Telegraph's* Simon Davies, the report details a network of spy stations around the world that "routinely and indiscriminately" monitor the world's telephone and electronic communications. The network, formerly thought by many to be a paranoid fantasy, was initiated by the United States National Security Agency (NSA) in the late 1980s and is code-named the Echelon system.

According to the Commission, Echelon works by intercepting "very large quantities" of communications and then using artificial intelligence computer programs to find certain key words. Each participating country has compiled a "national dictionary" of key words of particular interest. In his recent book *Secret Power*, author Nicky Hager describes how "hour after hour, day after day," the intelligence stations intercept thousands of messages as their computers look for "intelligence needles in telecommunications haystacks." Human analysts then scroll through the flagged faxes, phone call transcripts, and email messages, and write summaries of those that appear to be significant. Hager reports that key words include such things as individuals, organizations, countries, and subjects. They also include the phone numbers, fax numbers, and Internet email addresses of certain "targeted" individuals, businesses, and organizations. And who or what does Echelon "target"? According to Hager, "Anyone and anything that a particular government is concerned about can become a target."

## Genetic Technology Threatens Food Security

- For thousands of years, the world's agricultural food supply has been largely self-sufficient. That is, our fruit, vegetable, and grain harvests have literally provided the seeds needed to produce the next harvest. Today, however, nature's elegant system of food security is being threatened in the name of corporate profits. Incredibly, the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) is currently negotiating to license the so-called "Terminator" genetic technology to a subsidiary of the biotechnology firm

Monsanto. The Terminator technology (U.S. patent #5,723,765) renders farm-saved seeds sterile and would, according to Monsanto subsidiary Delta and Pine Land Co., produce as much as \$1.5 billion per year for the multinational firm.

Essentially, the Terminator would fatten Monsanto's profits by forcing local farmers to return to the commercial seed market every year. Some scientists believe that the Terminator gene could also flow to surrounding plants via pollen, making their seeds sterile as well. In a related story, a recent 14,000 print run of *The Ecologist*, which contained an article attacking Monsanto on this issue, was mysteriously destroyed by the printer without the knowledge or consent of the magazine. ([www.rafi.org/usda.htm](http://www.rafi.org/usda.htm))

## South African Biowarfare Assassinations

- British police and the MI5 intelligence agency have reopened the files on six people who died in Britain in the 1980s and early 1990s of apparent "strokes" or "heart attacks." It is now thought that they may have been murdered as part of a secret germ warfare program (Project Coast) run by the former South African apartheid regime. At the time of their deaths, the victims were either working against the apartheid regime or had some knowledge of South Africa's efforts to develop chemical and biological weapons. Evidence that these individuals were in fact murdered by poisons developed to induce heart failure emerged during South Africa's Truth and Reconciliation Commission hearings of June, 1998. Former senior South African officials also told the Commission that the regime had attempted to develop special poisons to induce cancer and sterility in the country's black population. (*The Australian*)

## Reno Orders Review of MLK Killing

- In August, 1998, Attorney General Janet Reno ordered a limited Justice Department review of the 1968 assassination of civil rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr. The review is a step below the national commission requested by the King family, whose members have expressed doubts about the official verdict that James Earl Ray acted alone in shooting King. The allegations to be reviewed include those of former FBI agent Donald Wilson, who has stated that after the assassination he took papers from Ray's car that supported Ray's claim of the involvement of a shadowy gunrunner named "Raoul" in the conspiracy. Another allegation to be reviewed comes from former Memphis bar owner Lloyd Jowers, who claimed on ABC's *PrimeTime Live* in 1993 that he hired King's real killer and that the killing was arranged by a

Memphis produce dealer with reported ties to organized crime. In addition, the Justice Department report will likely attempt to explain ballistics tests conducted in the Summer of 1997 which suggest that most of the test bullets fired from James Earl Ray's rifle bore marks different from the bullet that killed King. (A.P.)

### **Project Censored 1998**

- Sonoma State University's Project Censored has released its list of the year's most censored or underreported news stories. Topping the list is the Clinton Administration's aggressive promotion of U.S. arms sales around the globe. According to the group, America's share of the worldwide arms market has grown from 16 percent to 63 percent in the last 10 years. Other stories in Project Censored Top Ten list include "U.S. Companies are World Leaders in the Manufacture and Export of Torture Devices" and "Little Known Federal Law Paves the Way for National ID Card," which reports that the Illegal Immigration Reform and Responsibility Act of 1996 contains the framework for a national ID card. ([www.sonoma.edu/ProjectCensored](http://www.sonoma.edu/ProjectCensored))

### **Fluoridated Water Linked to Violence, Cocaine**

- Long mocked as the paranoid rantings of "conspiracy nuts," the alleged dangers of fluoride are now being backed up by serious scientific research. These dangers include brain and chromosomal damage, as well as miscarriages. (Fluoridated water was originally promoted in the 1930s by the ALCOA aluminum company, which produced fluoride as a manufacturing byproduct.) But even many anti-fluoride activists were surprised by an article in the September 8, 1998 issue of *Academe Today*.

The article reported the findings of Roger D. Masters, a Professor Emeritus of Government at Dartmouth College. Professor Masters has found that communities that use a fluoridation agent known as silicofluoride have higher rates of violent crime than communities that use an alternate method or do not fluoridate their water. He based his conclusions on a series of statistical analyses of communities in Massachusetts and Georgia.

Masters also cited the work of other researchers, which suggests that silicofluoride in water causes people to absorb more lead. Lead in turn is thought to block the action of neurotransmitters which suppress violent behavior. In addition to increased violent behavior in the silicofluoride communities, Masters found an elevated rate of cocaine addiction. Once again, increased levels of lead in the brain may be the key, since cocaine addiction appears to be tied to low levels of the neurotransmitter dopamine, and lead in the brain lowers dopamine levels. Mr. Masters noted that

silicofluoride is less expensive than alternative fluoridation treatments.

### **Domestic Urban Combat Training Begins**

- On May 5, 1998, the U.S. Marine Corps began combat training in Chicago. Marine officers from Camp Lejeune, NC, began to map the city's infrastructure, including all streets, sewers, communications, bridges, rooftops, and key buildings. After Chicago, other cities are to be thoroughly mapped by the military. The mapping is the first step in planned domestic combat training in several American cities, and would be vital to the military in the event of the declaration of martial law or some other "National Emergency." (*The Vigo Examiner*)

### **FBI Seeks Access to Mobile Phone Locations**

- In July 1998, FBI Director Louis J. Freeh asked the Senate to require telephone companies to provide police agencies with the precise location of cellular phone users, in some cases without a court order.

*The New York Times* has reported that the technology that would enable this kind of tracking is now being deployed nationwide, with the ostensible purpose of enabling 911 emergency service centers to learn the location of cellular callers. Less publicized is the fact that the technology would also enable phone companies to get location information on any cellular phone that is turned on within its network, even if the user is not making a call.

In a related development, *Nexus* magazine reports that GPS (Global Positioning Satellite) systems will be required in all U.S. cellular phones starting in 1999. While the GPS receiver/transmitter would certainly be helpful to lost drivers, the GPS-phones will also transmit their ID number and position automatically, four times an hour. Essentially, all cellular phone users will soon be required to report to Big Brother where they are every fifteen minutes.

### **Bin Laden Family Gains \$Millions from U.S.**

- The brother of terrorist-threat-du jour Osama bin Laden is a director of a major U.S. telecommunications company, Iridium LLC. Indeed, although bin Laden is the United States' Most Wanted Man, the rest of his family does millions of dollars of business with the United States. Ironically, it was the bin Laden family construction company which was paid by the U.S. Air Force to build a new desert base in Saudi Arabia after the deadly 1996 Khobar Towers bombing, an attack blamed on Osama bin Laden. (*New York Daily News*)•

Uri Dowbenko Interviews Mind Control Survivor  
Cathy O'Brien, and Her Therapist Mark Phillips.

# "I Was A Sex Slave for the C.I.A."

**C**athy O'Brien has faced Evil, and survived. Sexually abused by her father, she was then "sold" to a government agency doing mind control experiments with multi-generational incest survivors.

Later she was subjected to ongoing sexual abuse and torture under the influence of drugs. This so-called trauma-based programming continued until she approached the age of 30 — and a date with death. She didn't know it, but she was scheduled to be murdered in a "snuff" film, a filmed recording of an actual murder.

Rescued just in time and deprogrammed, she has written a book called *TranceFormation of America: The True Life Story of a CIA Mind Control Slave* with her rescuer and therapist Mark Phillips. "Recovery is the best revenge," she says.

Amid the never-ending allegations of CIA crimes and cover-ups, *TranceFormation of America* is one of the most sordid books in print. It alleges unspeakable acts of cruelty and depravity. It describes the vilest exploitation of people — the creation of slaves forced against their will to do the dirty work of a cabal of depraved government officials. Like the fallen angels of Dante's *Inferno*, these government officials are marked by an incredible arrogance and lust for power that belie their public persona of virtue.

Quite frankly, *TranceFormation of America* reads like sci-fi porno. It's triple-X rated material that's raw, raunchy and disgusting. Most shocking of all, though, it fearlessly names the alleged perpetrators of these crimes: top government officials and celebrities.

Cathy O'Brien states in her book that a former Defense Secretary abused her in a sub-basement of the Pentagon which he called "The Bunkhouse," and in other locations where he hunted Cathy and her daughter Kelly in what he called "The Most Dangerous Game" (hunting naked humans with dogs and raping them as a finale). O'Brien also describes the country music scene in Nash-

ville, Tennessee and Branson, Missouri, where she was used as a drug courier and sex slave.

Is Cathy O'Brien's case an exception? Mark Phillips emphatically states that "there's a tremendous amount of mind control that's being done in sports, entertainment and pornography — all for the sake of money. Cathy's case is absolutely not isolated."

So why haven't you heard about this story? Very simply, the unindicted criminals hide behind the shield of the National Security Act of 1947. Oddly enough, however, no charges of libel or defamation have been raised against Cathy O'Brien or Mark Phillips. The charges in the book, some of which are repeated in this interview, are truly sensationalistic. But are they reality or fantasy? We leave it to the reader to decide.

—Uri Dowbenko

According to your book, *TranceFormation of America*, you were programmed through brutal torture, sexual abuse and highly advanced mind control technology to be a sex slave for the upper echelons of the U.S. government. In other words, those men who knew the code words or triggers could activate this sexual programming and make you do whatever they wanted. Cathy, how did you meet your alleged owner, [names a U.S. Senator]?

CO (Cathy O'Brien): I met him in Mackinaw Island, Michigan, when I was about

thirteen years old. Mackinaw Island is a political retreat where the Michigan governor's mansion is located. Many of my abusers were present at Mackinaw Island. But I met [names a U.S. Senator] when I was about thirteen years old and it was decided then that he would become my owner in this MK-Ultra Mind Control project. And as my owner he would decide where I would be taken and what specific operations I would be forced to carry out.

**And [names a former U.S. President] at the time was, according to your book, a Mafia gofer, or something?**

CO: Well, at that time, the criminal faction in control of our government was targeting dissociative identity-disordered children. This used to be called multiple personality disorder, but it has now been renamed more appropriately dissociative identity disorder (DID). Dissociative identity disorder is highly conducive to mind control, so this faction of the government was targeting children like myself, chosen ones, prime candidates, that had been so horribly abused that they suffered from this disorder. They were actually sanctioning the local Michigan Mafia child pornography ring. Because they knew that the children that had been used in this pornography had been abused to the point that they would suffer from this particular disorder, which they were so interested in for mind control purposes.

**You were programmed to have sex with these men and then you were shot with a stun gun to repress or compartmentalize the memories, is that correct?**

CO: Yes.

**What was your experience with, for instance, [names an ex-President]?**

CO: My experience with [ex-President] was [that I was used] for specific criminal covert operations to usher in what both he and Adolf Hitler have separately termed the New World Order. This included especially a lot of drug running out of the Caribbean and Mexico. And also under his direction I was used to lay the groundwork for NAFTA. Additionally, he was an abuser of my daughter, Kelly. He sexually abused her on numerous occasions. It is my experience that [ex-President] is in control of influencing many world leaders and criminal politicians in this country for New World Order purposes.

**And Bill Casey, then the CIA director... I understand that you were able to actually draw a floor plan of his home on Long Island.**

CO: Yes. There are a lot of details that are provided in *TranceFormation of America* that could only have come through eye witness recall, and I did have a photographic memory, which is consistent with dissocia-

tive identity disorder, and had photographically recorded the layout of his house and, not only that, but such things as Dick Cheney's office in the Pentagon.

**There is growing evidence that UFO abduction stories are a CIA cover story for mind control experiments. What has been your experience?**

CO: That has been my experience, that it is a mind control theme that is being used to make people feel totally helpless, whereby they are more receptive to being controlled by others. The technological advancements of those criminals in control of our government are at least 25 years ahead, and it is my experience that when people see top secret [technology], it does seem alien to them, so to speak, because it is so totally advanced. Our government has had this technology and

**“It's routine that mind control slaves, particularly sex slaves, are disposed of at the age of 30.”**

this information for quite a long time and people need to be aware that this programming theme is conditioning the minds of the masses to feel like there has been some kind of an alien invasion, when the technological advancements are finally revealed.

**And Senator J. Bennett Johnston of Louisiana, he in particular had tried to use this UFO story?**

CO: J. Bennett Johnston claimed to be an alien, which was an effort to make me feel totally helpless for mind control purposes, and when he showed me the then top secret Stealth fighter in 1978, it looked like a space ship to me. It was triangular ... and people are still reporting triangular-shaped UFOs and all. This certainly was a technological advancement in 1978 and

his high intelligence combined with this technology certainly convinced my highly suggestible mind at that time that he was an alien. But, of course, he is nothing more than a man.

Through the deprogramming process and my photographic recall, I found that every instance of a so-called alien had a very logical explanation behind it. I could see the set-up to the program, and every bit of it certainly is earthly.

**Mark, could you describe the origin of the mind control operation MK Ultra / Project Monarch, and its connection with Nazi scientists who were brought over covertly into this country through Project Paperclip?**

MP (Mark Phillips): Yes, I would be happy to. Adolf Hitler assigned his right-hand man, Heinrich Himmler, the task of researching multigenerationally sexually, psychologically, and physically abused northern European families for the simple reason that he wanted to build a network of what he called political puppets. He knew the effects — he didn't care about the cause, but he knew the effects on the mind of this horrific type of abuse, particularly the sexual abuse of children by their own caregivers, their fathers and their mothers. These children were to be groomed by the SS, to be placed in positions of political influence and control throughout governments all over the world. As I'm sure that you've heard, there are a number of persons with questionable pasts in our own government holding various cabinet jobs and Pentagon positions.

Project Paperclip was a project involving the importation of Nazi and fascist scientists from all over the world. They were brought in and placed not only in rocket propulsion laboratories, NASA, but our universities and Fortune 500 companies as well. Many, in fact a disproportion-

ate number of them, were not rocket scientists, but psychiatrists. The project was implemented by the CIA and controlled by the Pentagon.

Aside from Project Paperclip, there were other sub-projects that were also responsible for changing the identities, and this sort of thing, for some of these characters that were brought in. Their expertise emerged in the early 70s, when the CIA became extremely interested in infiltrating satanic as well as other types of witchcraft cults in this country.

**This is called what?**

MP: The project name is unknown to me, but it was all under the umbrella of MK-Ultra, which was the multigenerational mind control research project that was initiated in the early 1950s. By 1957, Project Monarch was one of some 100 sub-projects of this MK-Ultra mind control research. Project Monarch was the code name of the study, in this country, of these multigenerational children. [As adults,] they have been placed in institutions of higher learning. They have been in military operations. Special Forces operations particularly have an interest in these folks, because they have these incredible skills such as photographic memory, and 44x visual acuity abilities. It's like having eyes in the back of your head.

**Was this Project Monarch a CIA operation?**

MP: Yes. Actually, the CIA was in control of the project. Also NASA and ARPA, formerly DARPA, a special development group out of Blacksburg, Virginia — I believe DARPA, NASA, and the CIA were ultimately responsible for controlling the projects. But the Defense Intelligence Agency is acutely aware of it and has implemented much of what has gone on. We have very little information in that regard. However, there have

been a number of scientists and a number of persons involved in various levels of various projects, all associated with MK Ultra, who have stepped forward.

**Mark, in what could be called a miracle of recovery in therapy, you were able to decondition Cathy from this mind control. How did you do it?**

MP: Well, actually it's not so much of a miracle. There are a number of therapists around the world who are building various models for treating dissociative identity disorder, what was formerly known as multiple personality disorder, which is the psychiatric result of being programmed through horrific structured tortures, particularly if it is begun before age five, before the person's brain is fully formed, such as it was with Cathy and her daughter.

I became aware of some of the elements of deprogramming during the 60s and the 70s, when I was working to guard the integrity of certain file tapes and films that were being created in legitimate experiments involving animals and human beings, while working for the Defense Department. Later on, I gained an acute interest in mind control as a result of what I had seen, because I envisioned that our mental institutions and prisons could be benevolently cleared out, and these people that were in there could become useful and productive citizens through the moral application of this science. But, unfortunately, as you well know, this was not the case.

The prognosis for someone recovering from what Cathy and tens of thousands of others have experienced with this type of horrific mind control abuse, is extraordinarily good. But there are certain rules that must be followed, some basic rules that were handed to me through friends and people working inside, I

believe, the Central Intelligence Agency. It was during Cathy's recovery that I was given these psychological tools to work with. Dr. Milton Ericson, who is recognized as the founder of benevolent mind control, or NLP, as some people call it these days, a form of mind manipulation on a subliminal level, was instrumental in developing a number of research medical books which I was presented with after rescuing Cathy.

Of course, my concern was that what I had seen during the 60s and the 70s was being used in the most horrible way imaginable. I had heard rumors about this sort of thing occurring while I was associated with a spin-off corporation supply company for NASA during the mid 70s. I was totally taken aback and decided, like so many other people who become whistle-blowers, to do something. So I took it upon myself to rescue Cathy O'Brien and her daughter in February of 1988, and as a result it has taken us many years to get to the point of actually feeling protected enough to go public with this information.

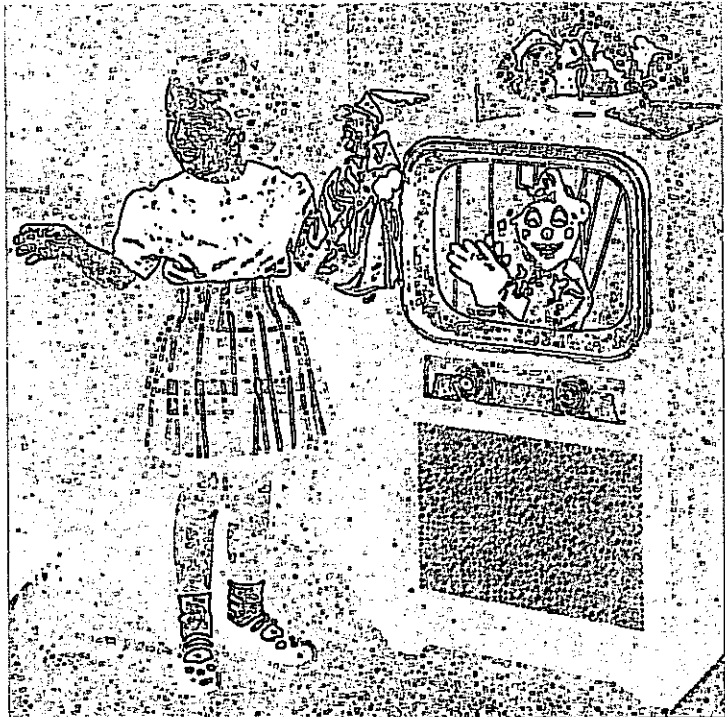
For the past few years we have been working with law enforcement, both state and federal and local authorities all over the United States and Canada -- as a matter of fact, with intelligence communities worldwide -- as well as working with mental health workers, and have established our credibility in that regard so that the book would not be challenged by the mainstream.

Unfortunately for us, the book has not been challenged in court, for reasons of national security. We want it to get into court. We have well over 27,000 hard proofs, including pictorial proofs, of Cathy O'Brien's and her daughter's victimization. But to this date we have not been able to get that in front of any court in the land, either civil or criminal, because of this amended 1947 National Security Act. By the way, Ronald Reagan amended the damn thing.

**How have you managed to stay alive and get the word out about your experience?**

MP: I think first of all, since we're just two of many, many people doing the same thing. I've often heard it said that the big lies lack credulity, when in fact, I don't believe the CIA or any of the government officials ever thought that we would reach this point. Not to say that we outguessed them. I'm just saying that they were not concerned ... there is so much corruption and so much criminal behavior going on within our government. As you are well aware, this country is now the largest drug dealing operation in the world. With this sort of thing going on, we become very small potatoes, in effect. Secondly, since we can't get it into a court of law and present our evidence, the only thing that we have left as

far as relief goes is to bring attention to this thing in hopes that we can eventually force those in control of our government, both good and bad, to help Kelly, Cathy's institutionalized daughter. She is beyond my ability to treat, because her victimization was primarily done technologically, and her brainstem is so well scarred that affecting it from a psychological angle is impossible.



**Explain that.**

MP: It has a variety of names. Psytronics is one word. I call it harmonic hell, or harmonic programming. Harmonic programming literally bypasses the conscious mind and literally programs the subconscious, which programs the conscious mind upon cues.

**What tools do they use to do that?**

MP. The equipment is a computer and a harmonic generator. You and I can acquire a computer and we can acquire a harmonic generator. But to be able to actually impact someone who is recovering, or wanted to recover from this type of mind control abuse and gain control of their own mind, we would have to have a very sophisticated program.

Let me give you a little background. You know, information is transferred, cellularly speaking, in our brains with not the synapse itself, but the covering of the synapse, the RNA. And this RNA covering transfers the signals or cues from one part of the brain to the other through the vibration of each particle in that covering. What has happened with Kelly is there are

scars — physical, visual on an MRI study or other types of dye studies in the brain — she has physical scars that have been created from this type of, we'll call it human mind violation, or brain violation. This scarring can be bridged and can be impacted only the same way that it was put in, through the same type of equipment. I was talking about this, of course, in the early 1990s ... by the mid 1990s, the Center for Autism based out of Jackson, Mississippi, suddenly said, Gee whiz, we've got a piece of equipment now, that we can take a 16 or 17 year-old autistic child, who has been totally noncommunicative and totally nonproductive and in three to five weeks make him an ordinary person through the use of harmonic control. And, yes, their equipment is based on the same premise and the same ideas as the type of equipment that I'm aware of that was used to program Kelly. Cathy experienced some of it, but Kelly experienced this stuff from birth.

**This is the next generation of programming technology?**

MP: Yes, sir. Kelly was associated with it, or unfortunately, to it. I understand there are other cerebral types of electronic devices that affect the cerebral cortex that do not even require the operator to overtly work with the person. They can actually zap somebody, if you want to use that term, from a distance and the person thinks that their own thoughts are their own thoughts when, in fact, they are someone else's. Now this type of technology has been around a while. The Soviets were working with it back in the 50s and 60s, and had developed it to some degree, but now I understand that it has reached a state of the art. So whether or not they are still using harmonics for actual programming, I don't know. But I know they certainly were up until the mid 80s.

Mark, how did you become

aware that Cathy was involved with Project Monarch? What were the signs and symptoms that you observed?

MP: I observed nothing. I had not actually met Cathy except one time. And the symptoms are so subtle that even someone who is aware of it unless they are looking for it specifically would not pay any attention. I became aware because of a business that I had as a joint venture company — I was president of Uniface Corporation, which manufactured with the People's Republic of China [military], large capacitor banks for their mining industries. But they were concerned that I had a business partner who was involved in CIA drug operations in this country and was also reporting directly to the White House. They were extremely concerned that a faction of the CIA was interested in infiltrating their military through this avenue. This is presumptive on my part, because when I was presented with these facts, they did not tell me why they wanted me to get this partner out, beyond the obvious. They gave me a complete dossier [that suggested that he was involved with] child pornography manufacturing, drug muling, money laundering, and the fact that he was using Cathy O'Brien and her daughter within the country music industry.

He used the country music industry as a cover for these activities and, of course, as in many glamour, fast-dollar, cash businesses like the entertainment business or organized sports, they quickly addict their musicians and their entertainers with these drugs so that they can recapture the funds that the entertainers are making off the sale of their wares and their talents.

[Also, regarding physical signs,] if you look, particularly in women, you will see the white above the iris on their eyes when they are normally relaxed and looking at you. In

other words, that wide-eyed effect. It's very attractive and is sought after in the motion picture industry. That's the reason there are so many multiples, or people suffering from DID, in the motion picture industry. It's because they can become their part. That is a physical sign that does show up.

**Now what was the turning point in your relationship with Cathy's handler, when you decided to rescue her?**

MP: Well, after the Chinese told me I had to get rid of this person, I had to buy him out. I had consulted with some friends of mine who were active and inactive both in the military and in the intelligence community, and I queried them about the use of mind control in the private sector. Because I was still, shall we say, a little bit dubious that he was actually working as an officer for the CIA. Another thing, when the Chinese had told me that he was reporting directly to the White House, this seemed like something totally out of character and, knowing him the way I did, or at least the way I thought I did, nobody in the White House, regardless of who it was, would want anyone of his type in there. I was wrong. But nevertheless, I approached it from the angle that Cathy O'Brien and her daughter needed to be pulled out of there. So I got some advice on how to cue them, or actually how to cue Cathy O'Brien on the phone, and got her out of there.

**By "cue" you mean what?**

MP: Well, triggering is the key word. But cuing or triggering is...

**Explain that, if you would, please.**

MP: Well, for instance, you are familiar with the Pavlovian studies, where Pavlov would condition a dog with a steak, then eventually show the dog a picture of a steak and the dog still salivates. In other words,

the steak is only in the mind of the dog. Well, that is a cue.

**It's a verbal trigger.**

MP: Well, you can use verbal triggers, you can use hand signals — anything that can be tactilely experienced can be used or programmed in as a cue or trigger. So I merely triggered Cathy O'Brien to depart [her handler's] abode while he was "on vacation" up in Boys' Town. He was named, by the way, in *The Franklin Cover-up* as being one of the perpetrators up there, for going up and sexually assaulting those children at Boys' Town. As a matter of fact, he has the keys to Boys' Town, the proverbial big keys, hanging on his wall.

Cathy, what was your first moment of self awareness in freedom when you realized "I am who I am, and not a slave of someone else"?

CO: It was about eight months after Mark rescued my daughter Kelly and me that I regained any conscious awareness at all. That is when the trance was actually broken and when I became able to think for myself again. That was when I first realized my own identity, so to speak. But it was quite a process, at least for two years after that, of intensive deprogramming, so that I gained more and more access and control over my own mind to where my knowledge of my identity was strengthened that much more. The eight month period was an enormous turning point for me. Up until then, I was so robotic that I couldn't even think to escape the CIA mind control victimization or to bring my daughter out of it.

**How do you remember your first experience of your own free will? What happened?**

MP: I can answer that one for her. Do you want me to? I can tell you where it happened. It happened in the Carr's grocery store parking lot in Eagle River, Alaska. Cathy had a demeanor — she had really half a dozen different faces and demeanors, so that when she would shift personas her appearance would change. She had one singular demeanor, her walk, her gait, that she had that was reminiscent of a couple of her programmed personalities. She had responded to a question of mine in the car just as we had pulled into the parking lot. She apparently registered on that particular thing. I was locking the car up, and I noticed that her walk changed, and when she turned to me to say, "Come on, hurry up," I noticed that her face had gone back to what I had seen so many times during the deprogramming process, which I considered to be [the real] Cathy O'Brien. It never changed. Not ever again, not once.

Of course, awareness of time is very important to determine whether or not a person is actually switching personas or is not themselves. Cathy quit losing time at that point and never lost time again. So, I would say she became more aware of everything in her environment. She told me at that point the floor came up and felt different to her as she walked.

**Awareness of being.**

MP: A cognitive awareness of being, is the best analogy that I can think of.

Mark, in your video presentations you mention that inter-generational incest produces a higher IQ. You said that these scientists sexually abuse their own children. What is the basis of this assertion?

**We want it to get into court. We have well over 27,000 hard proofs, including pictorial proofs, of Cathy O'Brien's and her daughter's victimization.**

MP: I've got to reframe that statement for you. In many cases it raises the IQ. In most cases, but not all. In some cases the child seems to go backwards. Now, I'm sure that NASA and ARPA and all the rest of the agencies know exactly how to predict this now. But I have not a clue. Cathy O'Brien has an above average IQ. Her daughter has an above average IQ, and demonstrates an IQ that you might consider genius, but in testing it just shows slightly above average. The doctors who have worked with DID and MPD over the years all have reported to the APA, both American Psychological and American Psychiatric Associations, that it seems to provide an above-average IQ, this type of horrific abuse. I think



actually, in essence, what it does is it just causes a person to heighten their skills of survival to the point to where they actually access parts of their brain that a normal person would never access.

**Cathy, in your book you write that you were also used as a courier delivering hypnotically induced verbal messages to various individuals. Could you describe some incidents that took place?**

CO: There were numerous instances where I delivered messages to drug lords or to politicians who were involved in criminal activity. I wouldn't really have any comprehension of what I was even delivering, because I would deliver it verbatim as it was programmed, even using the voice inflections of my programmers.

**Cathy, what has been your experience with the so-called Global 2000 education plan?**

CO: I was forced to work directly under Reagan's education secretary, Bill Bennett. I also had to work under Lamar Alexander, who was heavily involved in implementing Global Education 2000 into the school system. This Global Education 2000 is also referred to as outcome-based education, America 2000, Goals 2000. There are several different names for it. But it amounts to increasing the children's learning capacity while decreasing their ability to critically analyze. This way they would readily accept whatever information was being pumped into their heads without question. And it was my experience that much of the information that is being pumped into their heads through this education program is pro-socialism and pro-New World Order, to where the children will automatically accept it and...

**Is there a component of behavior modification or mind control in this as well, or how would you**

**characterize it?**

CO: Absolutely. I would characterize it as mind control on a more subtle level than what I experienced. My experience was totally robotic. But, yes, what they are doing is in some cases they are even using trauma to increase the suggestibility level of the children so that they can absorb more information photographically.

MP: That would be pseudo-trauma.

**Pseudo-trauma is what?**

MP: In other words, I think Disney has done a great job in conditioning our children over the years, at least for the past four decades, using pseudo-trauma, when you see the various cartoons with all the violence in them. Pseudo-trauma, is a conditioning process for exactly that purpose -- desensitization.

CO: I know of instances where hypnosis is actually used on the children to put the information in further. There was also a lot of discussion pertaining to, as children use computers for gaining their information, that they would also wear headphones which could harmonically enhance their absorption of the information. But just because they can photographically record all the information, doesn't mean that they have any ability to actually critically use it in any way or creatively use it in any way.

**Cathy, in this plan to consolidate political and economic power on a global scale, the so-called New World Order, were you aware of who was pulling their strings?**

CO: I know that there is an elite group that is in control of this whole New World Order effort, but it was my experience to have witnessed the extensive power of George Bush. It was my experience that George Bush actually ran this country during the Reagan administration,

and that plans were already established where he would run the country during the Clinton administration, so that is three different administrations that I know of where George Bush was actually in power and control for the purposes of bringing in this New World Order.

**Now, who was he reporting to? Do you have any sense of that?**

CO: I don't know who he was reporting to, or who he was taking orders from. I only know that Bill Clinton took orders from him. Ronald Reagan took orders from him. Not robotically, not like mind control, but because this was their shared effort and George Bush was one that had the information, that they were following. I also was aware that at the time George Bush was in control, while Reagan was president, the vice president of Mexico, Salinas, was actually in control of much of the country during De La Madrid's presidency, and it was planned that as George Bush and Salinas went from vice president into the presidency, as planned in both countries, that at that time NAFTA would be implemented. It was also planned, according to discussions that I overheard and through George Bush's controls and influence, that the Canadian prime minister, Brian Mulrooney, would also be a part of bringing in NAFTA, which of course is very much a part of ushering in this New World Order.

**Now Mark and Cathy both, why haven't you been sued for libel? Also, why haven't you sued the perpetrators of these horrible atrocities against you?**

MP: As I mentioned briefly earlier, we were stopped from the onset from presenting anything in a court of law. For instance, in juvenile court, which is the so-called family court in Tennessee, where Kelly was locked into the system, the judge made a statement in open court that this particular case was

not about laws, since national security issues were at hand. Now we have that on audio tape and we also have the district attorney up there who was more than willing to present his testimony to this same statement. But they made the statement that we could not have any justice through the court system for reasons of national security. Now we can't be sued either, because we can present evidences that, of course, would have to be stopped for reasons of national security.

In other words, if [names a former U.S. President] sued you for calling him a pedophile, this would never take place?

MP: No. Exactly. We couldn't do it, and [he] is not going to do that anyway. There has been one other case when a Nebraska senator representing a number of people in the Franklin cover-up also named [him] as a pedophile and I know of a couple of mothers that had children at the Presidio that [he] regularly entertained himself with, reportedly.

You alluded to Reagan amending the National Security Act. Would you explain that?

MP: In essence, it gave the CIA a full reign of terror over any American citizen to do anything they wanted to, anytime, any place, anywhere and involving anything, and it could not be prosecuted for reasons of national security, as long as the intelligence community was involved. Now that didn't necessarily apply only to the CIA. It applied to all other branches of national security as well, including the military.

CO: This is a "national security" that is threatening the security of our nation when it covers up such crimes against humanity as the rape and molestation of women's and children's minds and bodies, when it allows for the CIA to have their so-called war on drugs, which was no more than the CIA eliminating their competition worldwide as they took over the industry. And it is appalling to think that this "national security" is being implemented to cover up these kinds of crimes against humanity, while at the same time selling

our country out to New World Order controls.

Cathy, you say you were scheduled to be murdered in a snuff film when you turned 30 years old. How did the synchronicity of Mark finding you just before then strike you in retrospect?

CO: It's routine that mind control slaves, particularly sex slaves, are disposed of at the age of 30. The sex slaves in particular, because they are considered too old and used up by that time. So, like so many others, I was to be killed at the age of 30 and it was right at that age that Mark Phillips interceded and was able to save me from scheduled death, and Kelly from a fate that certainly would have been worse than death. So his timing was profound.

## TRANCE FORMATION OF AMERICA

MP: It had nothing to do with planning, I can assure you that.

That's great. Cathy, you have a daughter, Kelly, who has also been abused and is now being held as a political prisoner in Tennessee. Can you talk about her and how you plan to get her released?

CO: Kelly knows that Mark and I are not going to stop in our effort to give her the same peace of mind that I know comes with full recovery. She knows that we are going to continue in our effort to obtain her right to qualified rehabilitation. She knows our family motto, "It's not over until we win," and there's no question about it, we will win. Because, like truth, Mark and I don't go away and we are going to persist until Kelly is mentally and physically free from the grasp of these people.

MP: By the way, there are a number of rumors that surfaced about our book *TranceFormation of America* being out of print or that we've been stopped, or we've been silenced or this or that. Those are misinformation. Our book will remain in print forever, until such time as Kelly is helped. •

*TranceFormation of America is available from Reality Marketing, PO Box 27740, Las Vegas, NV 89126.*

# What Was the Mossad Role in the Lewinsky Affair?

Sept. 16 (EIRNS) — According to a little-noticed passage in the Starr report, during March 1997, President Clinton told Monica Lewinsky that he suspected a foreign embassy was tapping his telephone conversations.

Nothing more is said in the report about the incident, but according to information received by this news service, that reference could provide the key to the entire Lewinsky scandal and to the setting-up and entrapment of the President. Reportedly, the embassy involved was that of Israel, under the control of the right-wing Likud government of Benjamin Netanyahu.

First, the time-frame of the Lewinsky affair should be taken into account. It is bounded by two events: (1) the assassination of President Clinton's partner in the



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Middle East peace process, Israeli Prime Minister Yitzak Rabin, on Nov. 4, 1995, which opens the path for Netanyahu becoming Prime Minister in May 1996; and (2) Netanyahu's visit to Washington in mid-January 1998 — just as the Lewinsky affair was breaking in the U.S. news media. On this visit, Netanyahu publicly insulted the President by meeting with Bill Clinton's worst enemies, televangelists Jerry Falwell and Pat Robertson. Netanyahu carried out this affront over the objections of both President Clinton and moderate Jewish leaders

in the United States.

The question must be asked: Was the set-up of President Clinton part of the effort by the Likud fanatics in Israel, and their "Temple Mount" backers in London, to punish the President for his efforts to force through an implementation of the 1993 Oslo peace accords?

## The Other Lewinsky Tapes

British investigative journalist Kevin Dowling has released an article for publication to a variety of British and American news organizations, charging that the Israeli Mossad was bugging the Watergate apartment telephone of Monica Lewinsky, and was able to obtain material used to blackmail the Clinton administration into shutting down a probe of widespread Israeli espionage in Washington. Dowling reports that well-placed sources in Tel Aviv say that full transcripts of more than 30 sexually explicit conversations between Clinton and Lewinsky are held by the Israeli foreign intelligence service, the Mossad.

The backdrop is as follows, Dowling reports, and it is backed up by published sources in the U.S.,

that the U.S. government was aware, from late 1995 on, that the Mossad was carrying out extensive espionage activity in the United States. When the Defense Investigative Service issued a warning to defense contractors about the Israeli spy program, the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith went into an all-out mobilization to denounce the DIS memo as "anti-Semitic." Of course, just one year earlier, the ADL had been the subject of a lengthy espionage probe by the FBI and the San Francisco Police; and the ADL had earlier been deeply implicated in the Jonathan Pollard spy affair.

In May of 1997, the *Washington Post* and other media reported that the U.S. National Security Agency had intercepted a phone conversation between a Mossad officer posted at the Israeli embassy in Washington, and Danny Yaton, the Mossad chief, in Tel Aviv, during January 1997. The Mossad agent was seeking clarification whether he should attempt to obtain a copy of a private letter from then-Secretary of State Warren Christopher to Yassir Arafat, via a Mossad mole high-up in the Clinton administration codenamed "Mega."

The Mossad boss told the agent that under no circumstances should "Mega" be approached, as he/she was the top Israeli penetration agent inside the Clinton inner circle. An extensive FBI counterintelligence probe to determine the identity of the high-level Israeli mole in the U.S. government was triggered by the NSA intercept.

Comparisons to the Pollard spy affair were naturally raised; the deeper issue is that many observers believe that Pollard's controller

(sometimes referred to as "Mr. X," or the "X Committee") is still burrowed deep in a high-level position in a U.S. government agency.

According to the Tel Aviv sources cited by Dowling, there was an emergency meeting of top Israeli intelligence officials, as soon as NSA intercept was discovered; a

then used to blackmail the Clinton administration into calling off the search for "Mega"; the threat was that if the search for "Mega" were not shut down, the Israelis would begin leaking material from the tapes.

According to Michael Isikoff, the reporter who first started investigating the Lewinsky story, he first learned about a story involving the President and "an intern" in March-April of 1997.

The Dowling story is consistent with many leads assembled by this news service over the past several years, suggesting that the Israelis were operating against the Clinton Presidency in underhanded ways, as well as in an overt policy, to sabotage the Middle East peace process.

It should not be overlooked that the appellate attorney for convicted spy Jonathan Pollard was Theodore Olson — Kenneth Starr's long-time colleague and close friend, and host of the "Get Clinton" salon. Olson was still Pollard's lawyer as late as 1993, when Olson was already launching the anti-Clinton "Arkansas Project" with the *American Spectator* magazine and Richard Mellon Scaife's money — out of which opera-

tion came the Whitewater investigation and the Paula Jones case.

[Interestingly, an eleventh-hour Israeli demand that the United States release Pollard almost destroyed the October, 1998 mideast peace negotiations which were mediated by Bill Clinton. — ed.]•

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## **The Mossad was bugging Monica Lewinsky's Watergate phone, and obtained material used to blackmail the Clinton administration into shutting down a probe of Israeli espionage in Washington.**

Mossad electronic-bugging team of yalohim was dispatched to Washington, and one of the targets of their operation was the home telephone of Monica Lewinsky.

According to the Dowling sources, the Mossad obtained wire-tap tapes of at least 30 X-rated conversations between the President and Lewinsky. These tapes, according to the sources, were hand-carried back to Tel Aviv, and were

# The Evolution Feud

## The Lineage of an Acade-Media Hoax

by Joan d'Arc

In his well known books and articles on evolution, popular science writer Stephen Jay Gould has attempted to steer Darwinian theory away from natural selection as the lone process involved in evolution.

A 10/3/97 *Boston Globe* article entitled "Survival of the theorists" outlined the crux of the argument within the evolution and evolutionary biology academic factions. The article quotes Gould as saying that "too many biologists, psychologists, and philosophers are buying the notion that natural selection is the be-all and end-all of evolution." He warns that this situation is "bad for science" and, further, is "fueling the growth of evolutionary psychology, a field full of 'narrow, and often barren speculation' about how and why humans behave as they do."

"In a sort of modern-day Darwinian adaptation," proclaims *Globe* journalist John Yemma, "sociobiologists evolved into evolutionary psychologists and animal behaviorists in order to survive the intellectual onslaught." Gould asserts that this way of seeing evolution "puts natural selection on a pedestal not even Charles Darwin would have wanted it on." Addressing one of these evolutionary psychologists, Daniel Dennett, Gould described Dennett's faction as "Darwinian fundamentalists" with a "propensity for cultism and ultra-Darwinian fealty." He further assessed Dennett's book, *Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, as an "influential but misguided ultra-Darwinian manifesto."

In response, Dennett argued that Gould has created "artificial distinctions." He claimed that, because Gould is such a prolific and capable popular science writer, "the public may be getting misled into thinking there is

fire beneath all the smoke he is blowing." Dennett asserted that the public needs to know that Gould's views are not widely shared by evolutionary biologists. Might he be in trouble for labeling the "extreme rarity of transitional forms in the fossil record" as "the trade secret of paleontology"? (*Darwin on Trial*, 59)

In a review of Dennett's book, British biologist John Maynard Smith stated that most evolutionary biologists see Gould as "a man whose ideas are so confused as to be hardly worth bothering with." The reason that this faction had not attacked Gould earlier than this, Smith added, was because they figured he was "on their side against the creationists."

### The Hatfields and McCoy's of Darwinian Theory

The author of the *Globe* article, Yemma, asserts that "depending on whose argument is being made here, there *may be crucial scholarly distinctions* at stake. It is hard to tell." If it's so hard to tell, the *Globe* should have put someone else on the story. Puffing himself up like a blowfish, Yemma adds that "the public could be excused for seeing this as one of those perplexing academic arguments that in an earlier age would have involved angels dancing on the head of a pin."

Why should the public be excused from understanding the basis of this simple argument? Why couldn't this author have explained the argument, even in abbreviated form? Is it because he doesn't understand it himself or because *the media wants to maintain a barren distance* between the public and scientific theory? In effect, what we see on brazen display here is the media attitude that the public is not expected to understand evolutionary theory and is enjoined, instead, to reel around on the head of a pin until confusion sets in and they have to sit down.

Finally, Yemma writes, "just in case creationists are

listening in, all parties take pains to point out that this fight has nothing to do with God, religion, the Bible or, as Gould put it, *attempts to smuggle purpose back into biology.*" It is, the contenders say, "an argument well within the world of secular science."

Apparently the writer thinks that "creationists" can't read the newspaper, and those who can, he bargains, will be unable to see through his smug coverage of this important topic. How could this argument possibly not have anything to do with God or religion? There is no getting around the fact that the evolution tiff is a war between atheist and religious contingents. The mind-numbing fear of all the principals involved in this 'survival of the theories' is based on the fact that the evolutionary record is, as we shall see, incompatible with Darwinian natural selection and compatible with purposeful design. There is, in fact, "fire beneath all the smoke" that Gould is blowing.

Clearly, it is just this "smuggling of purpose" into evolutionary theory that is *the devil* to the Hatfields and McCoys of Darwinian theory for, as we shall see, it is the only truce for which they are willing to put down their shot guns. With regard to this ongoing feud in evolutionary science, Gould wrote in *The New York Review* that "we will not win this most important of all battles if we descend to the same tactics of backbiting and anathematization that characterize our true opponents."

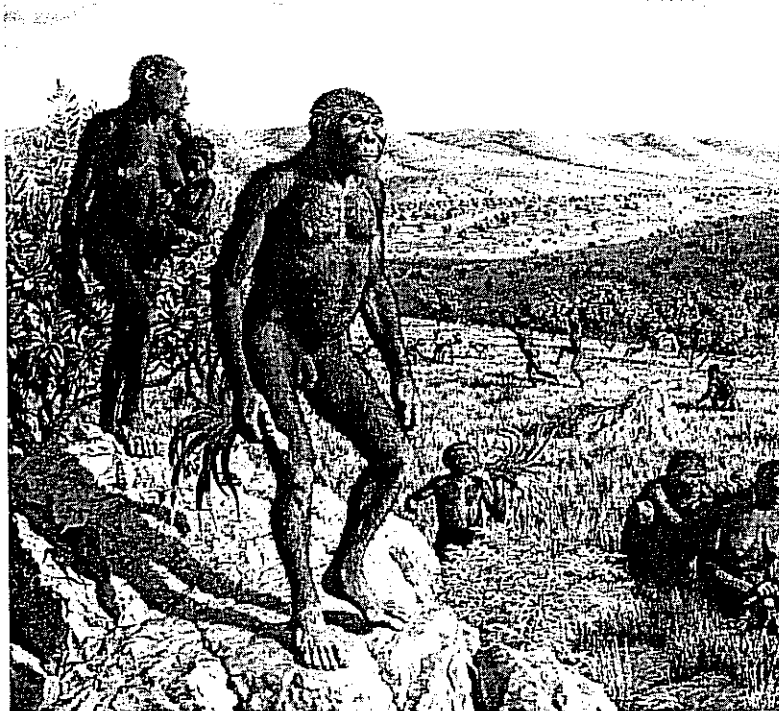
The "true opponents" of this atheistic bunch are obviously religious creationists, but let's widen the fray as we draw that line in the sand to include all BIPEDs (Beings for Intelligent Purpose in Evolutionary Design), those who have the feeling that 'we didn't get here from there' and are experiencing a little Darwinian Dissent. To arm ourselves for this "gentlemen's" duel, let's zoom in on the head of that pin.

### Taking the Super Out of Natural

The National Academy of Sciences has told the Supreme Court that the most basic characteristic of science is "reliance upon naturalistic explanations" as opposed to "supernatural means inaccessible to human understanding." (*Darwin on Trial*) That's funny. Human beings have cultivated a comfortable relationship with things "supernatural" over the course of their days on Earth, while it might be said that the relatively newfound theory of Darwinian evolution has made itself very inaccessible to human understanding indeed. Furthermore, the attitude that people are incapable of understanding scientific theories is continually perpetuated by mainstream publishers, as exemplified in the above *Globe* article.

In fact, the theory of natural selection offers very little in terms of a detailed explanation for mankind's

unique existential situation as an animal with self-awareness. From a materialist perspective, the "evolution" of consciousness still remains a baffling mystery, as does the enigmatic and sudden appearance of language and culture. Since its minute, incremental steps are impossible to conceptualize in detail, the evolution drama is, by necessity, a panorama. It is, and can only be, an outline of a shadowy metamorphosis from *animal in-the-world* to Overlord of all planetary life forms. The



**Darwinian Restoration:** A pastoral scene complete with frolicking gorilla-human children and several deer. Essentially a gorilla-human picnic without the basket, circa 1.7 million B.P.

evolution 'story' dramatizes the 'natural' transfiguration of mankind through a linear procession of metamorphoses which eventually separate him from the animals of his ancestry. Evolution is Western man's totem. Various worldwide creation myths illustrate a similar motif; but as a scientific theory there is very little concern over the missing details. This is where evolution's faith-based attributes are most evident.

In keeping with the proclamations of Earth's Academies and Courts and other regulatory bodies, the paradigm of natural selection is the only explanatory route which remains after official slicing and dicing of deductive reasoning cuts out the elusive 'super' in natural. But the Empire's empiricism on this count is peculiarly lax. There is no plausible theory which can support an empirical test of the elusive 'natural' in 'selection.'

A consistent pattern in popular evolutionary theory is that evolution progresses 'upward' toward more com-

plex forms. This is actually contrary to Darwinian theory. Peter J. Bowler points out the mistaken notion of Darwin's so-called revolutionary effect on nineteenth-century thought. Examining the work of such figures as Owen, Spencer, Kelvin, Huxley, Haeckel, and Freud, Bowler finds "a near-universal tendency to accept evolutionism while rejecting Darwin's central premise: natural selection." (*The Non-Darwinian Revolution*, book jacket) In fact, the idea of the upward movement of life forms from lifeless matter through plants, animals and man was suggested by Lamarck and initially given the term 'evolution' by Herbert Spencer.

In contrast, Darwin argued against the idea that there existed any innate tendency toward progressive development. Darwinian theory, instead, was shaped rather like a bush than a ladder, and accounted for all types of development, including unchangingness and regression, as responses to environment. In actuality, Darwin posited no guarantee of the continuation of particular changes, and saw no particular change, such as increased intelligence, which stood at the apex of this metamorphosis. Thus, Mary Midgely deduces, Herbert Spencer's ladder theory has prevailed over Darwin's bush theory in the public mind and in popular writing, as well as in the minds of scientists who have had a difficult time fitting Darwinian theory to the actual fossil record. (*Evolution as a Religion*, 31)

### The Shape of a Seductive Idea

In his book *Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, philosopher Daniel Dennett tries to downplay typical feuds such as the one portrayed in the *Globe* article. He contends that the "relatively narrow conflicts" which have arisen among theorists have been blown out of proportion and seriously distorted. With regard to Gould's statement in the *Globe* to the effect that evolution adherents need not lower themselves to the level of feuding to which the creationists have crawled, Dennett's attitude toward non-believers is telling. He states: "anyone today who doubts that the variety of life on this planet was produced by a process of evolution is simply ignorant - inexcusably ignorant, in a world where three out of four people have learned to read and write." (*Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, 46)

So, since it is by law peddled in public schools, you should know that the prevailing worldview is Darwinian evolution and you would be stupid, rather, inexcusably ignorant, to argue the fine points. Needless to say, Dennett is sure that no controversy could affect Darwinism, which is about as "secure as any idea in science." If science is all about security, it is no wonder the Brookings Institute came to the conclusion it did with regard to the theoretical effect of the discovery of extraterrestrials on the scientific world and on scientists themselves. They concluded it would scare the pants off them. It would appear that the aim of the Brookings

study was not to protect Earth people or religious institutions, but to protect the scientific establishment, i.e. Darwinian evolution. After all, what other discovery could completely shatter the Darwinian mythology of our purely accidental climb out of the ponds of our local habitat Earth?

Dennett states that "Darwin's fundamental idea of natural selection has been articulated, expanded, clarified, quantified, and deepened in many ways, becoming stronger every time it overcame a challenge." In spite of stating emphatically at the beginning of his book that he could provide numerous examples of how modern Darwinists have overcome the shortcomings of Darwin's theory, Dennett accomplishes no such feat. Instead, on the last page, he admits: "I have learned from my own embarrassing experience how easy it is to concoct remarkably persuasive Darwinian explanations that evaporate on closer inspection." Dennett explains that his book has "sacrificed details" in order to provide a better appreciation of the "overall shape of Darwin's idea," proclaiming the truly dangerous aspect as its "seductiveness." (*Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, 521) This seductiveness is indeed very dangerous. It is what compels people to fight tooth and nail on the side of an unscientific theory. Dennett insists that natural selection is best explained at the level of a "blind, mechanical and algorithmic process," dependent on chance alone. He explains that the "mindless" steps of Darwin's natural selection are the outcome of "a cascade of algorithmic processes feeding on chance." Thus, explaining natural selection mathematically is Dennett's idea of "rising above the microscopic view to other levels, [and] taking on idealizations." Anyone who has "learned to read and write" will know that there is simply no getting around analysis of Darwin's theory at the micro level, unless one is afraid what might be found there. Alluding to "algorithms" is simply an abstraction used to explain another abstraction. Dennett's cascade of abstractions resolves none of the quandaries of Darwinian natural selection.

Dennett states that "the only way to answer questions about such huge and experimentally inaccessible patterns is to leap boldly into the void with the risky tactic of deliberate oversimplification," asserting that "oversimplified models often actually explain just what needs explaining." He also asserts that "when what provokes our curiosity are the large patterns in phenomena, we need an explanation at the right level." He adds, "if science is to explain the patterns discernible in all this complexity, it must rise above the microscopic view to other levels, taking on idealizations when necessary so we can see the woods for the trees." He deduces "could anyone imagine how any process other than natural selection could have produced all these effects?" (*Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, 102)

The experimentally inaccessible patterns which can

only be explained by oversimplified models are part and parcel of the speciation problem. Darwinists have not been able to zoom in on any proofs of the evolution of any one species into another, so instead they construct "seductive dramas." Dennett's proof is to maintain that Darwinist theory is so on the mark that it constitutes "a complete reversal of the burden of proof." (*Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, 103) So, now we need to prove that evolution didn't happen? This preposterous reasoning confirms Phillip Johnson's assertion that most scientists are looking for confirmation of the only theory they are willing to tolerate.

"Could anyone imagine" any other explanation for Dennett's peculiar line of logic? To outline the shape of a seductive idea does not describe the practice of science.

The scientific lingo which dramatizes the evolution story may fool most of the people all of the time, but such dramas are actually contrary to currently accepted science concerning natural selection. Dennett may see Darwin's "dangerous idea" - natural selection - as a "universal acid," eating through "just about every traditional concept leaving in its wake a revolutionized world view." Perhaps this was true in its heyday; but a survey of the valid arguments against Darwin would suggest that it's Dennett's world view that's in trouble.

### Darwinian Hindsight

Geneticist Steve Jones has made the remark that "if there is one thing which *Origin of Species* is not about, it is the origin of species." Nonetheless, in spite of the fact that Darwin's manifesto has trouble even

defining the concept of species, his followers believe "the fact of speciation itself is incontestable." Of course, winding backward from the fact that species exist, any mechanism whatsoever can be postulated. The practice of Darwinian Hindsight is far from scientific. "Whatever the mechanisms are that operate," writes Dennett, "they manifestly begin with the emergence of variety within a species, and end, after modifications have

accumulated, with the birth of a new, descendant species." (*Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, 44)

Beneath this doublespeak lies the simple reiteration that via an unknown mechanism, variety within species eventually leads to speciation. This statement merely repeats Darwin's thesis over a hundred years later. This is progress? The fact is, Darwin never quite defined his terms. He was unable to securely pin down this process from "well-marked variety" to "subspecies" and on to "well-defined species." As Darwin wrote in *Origin of Species*, "it will be seen that I look at the term species as one arbitrarily given for the sake of convenience to a set of individuals closely resembling each other, and that it does not essentially differ from the term variety, which is given to less distinct and more fluctuating forms." (*Darwin's Dangerous Idea*, 44)



**The Missing Link Look:** "Just why Lucy should have been restored to have humanlike hands and feet, contrary to the known anatomical facts, remains a mystery which only her restorers can explain."

Darwin's attitude throughout *Origin of Species* is that "varieties" are simply "incipient species." Forever teetering on the edge of potentiality, species are always in a hapless phase of becoming. This suspension of actuality is the Darwinist way of non-explanation. How have we based an entire cosmological scheme on such ill-defined terms? Darwin never purported to explain the origin of the first species, or the origin of biological forms, or of the universe itself. He merely began in the middle and tried to work his way back utilizing a circular motion inside of a box. These are the footprints which all Darwinists seem to follow, for this is the only methodology possible.

As John Davidson writes in *The Web of Life*:

"Evolutionary theory presents one of the most

explicit examples of a priori reasoning, and even blind faith, ever seen in a supposedly scientific hypothesis. Books on evolution are full of the prior assumption that evolutionary theory is correct. The facts are then presented to fit the theory. And although many other interpretations of these facts are also possible, it is a rare biologist who dares to be a dissenter or to even suggest that other interpretations and explanations are also possible." (Davidson, *The Web of Life*, 233)



### The Fitness Test

Darwinian natural selection is a process which maintains the genetic fitness of a population by ensuring that the most fit individuals survive to produce the most offspring. Pay particular attention to the terms *fit*

which survive; the fittest organisms are, plain and simple, the ones which produce the most offspring.

Natural selection presupposes that the fittest organisms are the ones which produce the most offspring.

We can presume a characteristic to be an advantage because a species which has it (wings, eyes, large brain, warm blood, claws, beaks, fur, bipedalism, language, etc.) seems to be thriving, but it is impossible to identify the particular characteristic or advantage which has produced the coveted outcome of survival. In Darwin's theory, advantage means nothing more than success in reproducing, or increasing the population for survival of the species as a whole. We can surmise, then, that the individuals which survived to produce the most offspring are doing something right, but that is all we can do. We do not know, specifically or empirically, what they are doing right, but we presume that they must have had the qualities required for producing the most offspring. Therefore, such assumptions always rely on a bizarre retrospective stance (i.e. it must have been the fur that made the grade, or it must have been the large brain, the warm blood, etc.)

Hidden within the natural selection hypothesis is a meaningless tautology which essentially states that those organisms which 'leave the most offspring, leave the most offspring.' Darwin's fitness test is an all-inclusive tautology which sits in a box by itself, in its own world, and explains nothing outside of this box. All of its assumptions are, therefore, true since they cannot be tested empirically. There is, in fact, no evidence which confirms the hypothesis that the concept of

natural selection is an evolutionary process capable of producing innovative designs in organs and organisms. In fact, states zoologist Pierre Grasse, such "proofs" of evolution-in-action are simply "observation of demographic facts, local fluctuations of genotypes and geographical distributions." Such fluctuations, he asserts, do not assert an innovative evolutionary process. (*Darwin on Trial*)

### Artificial Selection

Mutations are "randomly occurring genetic changes which are nearly always harmful when they produce effects large enough to be visible," but which may "occasionally slightly improve the organisms ability to survive and reproduce." (*Darwin on Trial*, 16) Yet, Darwin asserted that this force of natural attrition is also responsible for crafting, over billions of years, the variety of life forms on planet Earth. Darwin proposed that, given enough (1) time and (2) sufficient mutations and variations of the right sort, complex organs as well as adaptive behavior patterns could be produced in incremental steps without outside guidance, intelligence, ultimate goal or purpose.

Problematically, since Darwin did not have any examples of natural selection with which to illustrate his assertion, he used examples of artificial selection or breeding under the presumption that the same process was at work. But was this extrapolation correct? As Phillip Johnson argues, "plant and animal breeders employ intelligence and specialized knowledge to select breeding stock and to protect their charges from natural dangers. The point of Darwin's theory, however, was to establish that purposeless natural processes can substitute for intelligent design." In fact, domestic animal breeders have produced no new species; the new offspring are always capable of interbreeding with the parent gene pool. The results of artificial selection are actually powerful testimony against Darwin-

**The mind-numbing fear of all the principals involved in this 'survival of the theories' is based on the fact that the evolutionary record is incompatible with Darwinian natural selection and compatible with purposeful design.**

and *offspring*. A biological species is a group which is capable of interbreeding to produce viable offspring; that is, offspring which can reproduce. Creatures who do not survive to produce offspring do not supply the gene pool with their genes which, we may presume, were somehow deleterious rather than genetically advantageous or fit. But we are simply making presumptions after the fact. Darwin's concept of natural selection simply defines the fittest as the individuals

ian evolution. Zoologist Pierre Grasse has stated that, "selection gives tangible form to and gathers together all the varieties a genome is capable of producing, but does not constitute an innovative evolutionary process." (*Darwin on Trial*, 18.)

### The Whole and Its Parts

Darwin's theory emphatically avoided any leaps or jumps in evolution, called "saltations," which resulted in a new species in one generation. Such a leap being equal to a miracle, or an act of creation, Darwin asserted that he would have to throw out his baby with the bath water were it ever proven that evolution required saltations, or systemic macromutations as they are called today. Systemic macromutations are considered theoretically impossible, since complex assemblies of parts cannot change simultaneously as a result of random mutation, that is, in a preserved being.

In the last fifty years, biochemists have begun to decipher the enormous complexity within cellular structures. Complex entities don't evolve piece by piece, asserts Michael Behe, they have to be designed from the start. In his book, *Darwin's Black Box*, Behe outlines a number of biochemical systems that cannot be explained by Darwinist gradualist explanations. For instance, Behe writes, if the shape of a protein is warped, it simply fails to do its job. If the job of one protein is to bind to another specific protein, Behe explains, their two shapes must fit each other precisely. If there is a positively charged amino acid on one protein, it will fit only with a negatively charged amino acid. If it is the job of a protein to catalyze a chemical reaction, the shape of the enzyme must match the shape of the chemical target.

In short, the work of every cell in the body requires teams of proteins, made up of amino acids, and each member of the team carries out just one part of the task. Not one of

these chemical reactions is allowed to go awry in a functioning system. Behe concludes that irreducibly complex systems cannot evolve in Darwinian fashion. The whole system has to be put together at once. He asserts that "it is extremely implausible that components used for other purposes fortuitously adapted to new roles in a complex system." (*Darwin's Black Box*, 111)

Human and animal bodies contain an array of interrelated systems containing organs, tissues and chemical components in intricate order. How would it be possible to build into this system random micro-variations during each tiny step which are at the same time profitable to the preserved being? Problematically, since macromutations are always maladaptive, Darwinists assert that complex and similar organs must have evolved independently, over and over again in many different organisms, by the accumulation of tiny micromutations over a long span of time. One example is the evolution of the eye, which Darwinists assert evolved independently many hundreds of times in different animals. Such an assertion does not sound random or accidental, but inclines toward purposeful activity.

### Punctuated Equilibrium

It has been noted by paleontologist Niles Eldredge that certain restrictions make it difficult to pursue a successful career as a Darwinist. Ironically, those restrictions arise from the fossil record. He writes that the pressure for positive results is enormous. The various schema which these stressed-out researchers must juggle is Darwin's insistence on gradualism on one hand and, on the other, the findings in the fossil record which point to saltation. Eldredge explains the dilemma: "either you stick to conventional theory despite the rather poor fit of the fossils, or you focus on the empirics and say that saltation

looks like a reasonable model of the evolutionary process - in which case you must embrace a set of rather dubious biological propositions." (*Darwin on Trial*, 60)

Thus, it is clear that paleontologists who are tethered to neo-Darwinism are not free to draw conclusions to which their "dubious" evidence points. In order to operate within the neo-Darwinist boundaries and at the same time achieve success with their projects (and, therefore, future funding and paychecks) another subsidiary theory called "punctuated equilibrium" was hatched. This theory posits that organisms remain the same over long periods of time and that evolutionary changes take place rather abruptly.

Punctuated equilibrium is actually an attempt to strike a balance between what Darwin hoped would be discovered in the fossil record and what has actually been found since 1859. How different is punctuated equilibrium from saltation or creation? The embarrassing fact is that, despite an enormous amount of fossil hunting, according to Gould, the history of most fossil species includes two features particularly inconsistent with gradualism. Those two features are stasis and sudden appearance.

Gould has written that most species exhibit no directional change during their tenure on Earth and that they appear in the fossil record looking morphologically the same as when they depart. He also wrote that species do not arise in a local area by steady and gradual transformation but, rather, species appear all at once and fully formed. (*Darwin on Trial*, 50) Yet, in spite of the fossil record essentially displaying saltation, Gould and other neo-Darwinists remain devout apologists for the theory of natural selection. Johnson succinctly states the problem: "natural selection is a guiding force so effective it could accomplish prodigies of biological craftsmanship that

people in previous times had thought to require the guiding hand of a creator." (*Darwin on Trial*, 16)

### The Evolution of Man

Anthropologist Lord Zuckerman has stated that "attempts to place fossils in an evolutionary sequence depend partly on guesswork, and partly on some preconceived conception of the course of hominid evolution." Thus, we need to remind ourselves that these so-called lineages are, at best, educated guesses; that is, guesses made by people

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educated in the Darwinian tradition. For instance, in his book *Mankind Evolving*, Dobhansky suggests that the evolution of Australopithecine to *Homo sapiens* occurred in a continuous lineage within a single gene pool. Stephen Stanley disagrees. In his book *The New Evolutionary Timetable*, he outlines his thesis that "a very small number of discrete, long-lived intermediate species may have overlapped each other." (*Darwin on Trial*, 193)

In short, it's best not to take any of these contrivances very seriously. The species *Homo habilis* (the "Handy Man"), the Leakey family's 1964 missing link, consisted of a lower jaw with teeth, a collarbone, a finger bone, and some small fragments of skull. For the first time, writes Richard Milton in *Shattering the Myths of Darwinism*, "a new human species was to be described on the basis of teeth and fragments alone, and in circumstances where the association of the bones as those of a single individual was conjectural." It has since been suggested that one of the hand bones is actually a piece of vertebra, two of the other bones may belong to a tree-dwelling monkey, and six

other bones came from an unspecified non-hominid. (*Shattering the Myths*, 206)

Even more recently, in 1994, two arm bones, an ulna and a humerus, were established as belonging to the mysterious creature, *Australopithecus afarensis*. It is typical that an entire evolutionary sequence can be extrapolated from a few bones, sometimes even scattered across a few miles. Such illicit extrapolations can eventually come to describe a creature which "climbed in the trees but also walked on two legs when on the ground." Hmmm. Could these researchers be looking for a "transitional" find?

### Darwinian Artistic License

The best known fossil of *A. afarensis* is the one called Lucy, which you can see at the Museum of Natural History in New York and London. From her glass case, writes Richard Milton, "Lucy peers with an intelligent gaze at visitors, her posture fully erect and humanlike, her hands and feet also short and humanlike." Incredibly, Lucy's apelike appearance was ignored when she was restored to ostensibly lifelike appearance for both of these museum exhibits. In actuality, the hands and feet of this species are long and curved like that of a tree-dwelling ape. The finger and toe bones of this species are "highly curved even when compared to those of a modern ape like a chimpanzee." Milton queries: "Just why Lucy should have been restored to have humanlike hands and feet, contrary to the known anatomical facts, remains a mystery which only her restorers can explain." (*Shattering the Myths*, 207)

In addition, the rib cage of *A. afarensis* is conical in shape, not barrel-shaped like a human rib cage. Lucy's shoulders, trunk, and waist have a "strong apelike aspect to them." At a conference held in Paris in 1989, anthropologist Peter Schmid stated that *A. afarensis* "would not have been able to lift its thorax for the kind of deep breathing that we do when we run." He explained that the abdomen was potbellied and there was no waist, thus restricting the flexibility required to accomplish the feat of running. (*Origin of Humankind*, 56)

In addition, Leslie Aiello's work on body weight and stature of *A. afarensis* clearly identified it as an ape. The Australopithecines were more apelike in their body build; heavily built for their stature, like that of a present day ape. Richard Leakey sums it up: "Australopithecines had been bipeds, but were restricted in their agility; while species of *Homo* were athletes." According to Leakey, the inner ear structure of *A. afarensis* has been shown to exhibit semicircular canals which resemble those of apes. The structure of the pelvis and lower limbs also suggest an apelike gait. Leakey also states that *A. afarensis* was not a toolmaker. (*Origin of Humankind*, 56)

With regard to different Australopithecus finds in South Africa called *P. robustus*, Ian Tattersall -- Curator of the Department of Anthropology at the American Museum of Natural History -- describes in detail the dentition, skull size and shape and facial architecture of fossils attributed to this 1.7 million year old species. His illustrated compendium entitled *The Last Neanderthal* shows an upper skull of this Australopithecine, which exhibits, in his words, a "sagittal crest reminiscent of those in some gorillas." Describing the brain case, Tattersall admits it is "hard to estimate it as a proportion of body size, because not very much of the body skeleton is known." (*The Last Neanderthal*, 49)

However, neither the author nor his publisher, Simon & Schuster, are reticent to reproduce alongside these descriptions an artistic rendition of these supposed "pre-humans," with arms and legs of modern human proportion. A color illustration shows a rather tall and lanky, fully upright gorilla-human couple carrying a gorilla-human child, walking through an open pasture with a fully upright gait. This pastoral scene is complete with frolicking gorilla-human children and several deer: essentially a gorilla-human picnic without the basket, circa 1.7 million B.P. Alongside this scene, Tattersall suggests: "it is likely, if not entirely certain, that these hominids used bones and horn cores for digging." As noted earlier, Leakey has stated that this hominid was "not a toolmaker." Tattersall hasn't lied; he has merely suggested that the hominids picked something up and used it to dig. Chimpanzees do that. But, as sure as they are standing, there *should* be no question that fully upright bipeds would be toolmakers. It goes with the territory. Everything is wrong with this picture.

Such artistic license has been the hallmark of the Darwinian evolutionary paradigm. Do you mean they make these up? Yes, Virginia, they do. As Milton explains alongside prints of the busts of Piltown man,

Java man and Neanderthal man, "Darwinian restorations based on fragmentary finds of bones and teeth always manage to convey a distinct 'missing link' quality to their former owners." While the Piltown man was a hoax in which someone actually put a human skull with the jaw of an ape, essentially the same artistic license blends humans and apes in popular books and even in museum displays, to give the missing link look to genuine fossils. The missing link look also includes the illicit addition of human proportions to the limbs, and an upright bipedal gait. Milton adds: "this modern confidence and apparent precision in reconstruction is not based on further discoveries of fact, but takes place despite the discoveries of recent decades - that the evidence for humankind's own evolution is actually nonexistent." (*Shattering the Myths*, 195-200)

In fact, the status of Australopithecus as an extinct ape was actually established as long ago as 1954 by zoologist Solly Zuckerman, who deduced, by measuring the skulls and teeth of a large number of modern apes, human specimens and Australopithecine fossils, that the head of this species was balanced like that of an ape, its brain was the same size as a modern gorilla, and its jaw and teeth are predominantly apelike. The same conclusion was reached by Charles Oxnard of the University of Western Australia in 1984. In his book, *The Order of Man*, he deduced that "Australopithecus is an extinct ape and is unconnected with humankind's ancestry." (*Shattering the Myths*, 203-204)

Leakey concludes that the shape of the Homo lineage earlier than two million years ago must be regarded as an unresolved question. This is because it remains heavily disputed whether the size ranges of early fossils indicate variation between males and females or whether the size ranges indicate different species. Under the most

ludicrous diagram consisting of two versions of evolutionary boxes with the names: *A. afarensis*, *A. africanus*, *H. habilis*, *A. robustus*, *A. bosei*, *H. erectus*, and so forth, Leakey writes:

"Family trees. The existing fossil evidence is interpreted differently by different scholars, although the overall shape of the inferred evolutionary history is similar." (*Origin of Humankind*, 33)

Yes, the overall shape would be similar, since all of the box designers are working with the same Darwinian, materialist, causal, paradigm! How could we expect the shape of an evolutionary diagram to be anything but a linear, historical and connected movement of the representational animal figures of a powerful Western totem? Interestingly, it's even called a "family tree"!

To utter the blasphemy that Darwin was wrong is comparable to Galileo's house arrest for stating that the Sun was the center of the Solar System. Problematical to a strict Darwinian interpretation of evolutionary processes, allowing any outward causal factor into its analysis, such as God or vital force, would be conceding to the supernatural. But maybe, just maybe, our scientists have got the process of evolution wrong. We have got to embark in a serious consideration of that possibility. We have nothing to lose and everything to gain. •

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# Was Shakespeare a Freemason?

## The Masonic Symbolism of Macbeth

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**I**n 1933 Past Master Alfred Dodd published a book which purported to contain evidence linking William Shakespeare with the creation of Freemasonry, an international secret society built around an interest in esoteric knowledge, especially the ancient art of alchemy. In the book, *Shakespeare: Creator of Freemasonry*, Dodd focuses on the Masonic symbolism in two plays, *Love's Labours Lost* and *The Tempest*. Except for two brief references he ignores *Macbeth*, an indispensable play in establishing Shakespeare's ties to Freemasonry. The entire play appears to have been written as an allegory for the bloody murder of Hiram Abiff, the core figure of Masonic ritual.

Upon reaching the third degree the Masonic initiate is led through the mock ritual killing of Hiram Abiff, one of three original Grand Masters of Freemasonry. According to legend, Abiff had promised his architects that he would reveal to them all the secrets known by a Master Mason once the construction of Solomon's Temple was completed. Three of the builders—Jubela, Jubelo, and Jubelum—were too impatient to wait and attacked Abiff, demanding to hear "the Master's Word" immediately. Abiff refused, after which the three "unworthy

craftsmen" committed the ultimate betrayal by killing their Master (Robinson 218, 219).

From the previous paragraph alone one might notice the uncanny reoccurrence of the number three in Masonic ritual. In addition, not only are there three original Grand Masters, three assassins, and a total of thirty-three degrees of the Masonic hierarchy, but there are also three Principal officers, three symbolic steps "from this life to the source of all knowledge" (Downard "Sorcery, Sex, Assassination" 81), three obligations, three lights upon the Altar, three "pillars" that support the Lodge, and three knocks which gain the candidate admission into the Lodge, followed by three more knocks that summon the Brethren (Pike 548).

This last example is paralleled in Act Two, Scene *Three*, in which three knocks are continually repeated until the porter allows entrance to Macduff, the future murderer of the "unworthy" Macbeth. Both the number three and the concept of alchemy play an integral role in the story of Macbeth's downfall. In Act One, Scene One, we are introduced to three witches who utter the words, "Fair is foul, foul is fair," (1110). James Shelby Downard has pointed out that this is a well known principal

of alchemy. Just as lead can be transformed into gold, the ostensibly noble Macbeth and his wife can be transformed into serial murderers by greed and ambition. Macbeth and Lady Macbeth might be seen as deliberate representations of the mystical *nagari*, an androgynous dragon that symbolizes the alchemists' ultimate goal of separating "the cosmic she and he" (Downard "Call to Chaos" 309). Certainly, the Macbeths might be viewed as a warning to those who would take this separation to an extreme.

The number three appears again in relation to Hecate's appearance in Act *Three*, Scene Five. Though some scholars attribute the authorship of this scene to a writer other than Shakespeare, nevertheless it's interesting to note that in classical mythology Hecate has three roles—some of them infernal, some of them divine. Downard writes, "... she is Diana on Earth, Luna in Heaven, and Hecate in Hell" ("Sorcery, Sex, Assassination" 63). This parallels the Masonic godhead Jah-Bul-on, an entity comprised of Jahweh, Baal, and Osiris (Knight 236). The melding of the positive and the negative are common elements of both alchemy and the Brotherhood. In the higher degrees of Freemasonry one learns that Lucifer should be worshipped

alongside God, for it is impossible to have one without the other. As Grand Commander Albert Pike has written, "The Light necessitates the Shadow" (307). In other words, "Fair is foul, foul is fair."

Macbeth can easily be viewed as a mingling of these forces. He is a bundle of paradoxes: nobleman and murderer, murderer and coward, coward and warrior. He is the perfect vessel for Shakespeare's retelling of the ritualistic killing inherent in the third degree, for the three "unworthy craftsmen" possess many of the same contradictory traits.

In Act Two, Scene Three, Shakespeare presents a subtle analogy to a fragment of the Hiram story. According to the ritual, confusion erupted among Hiram's architects after his murder, for only the Grand Master knew the location of the building's plans. Without these the architects could not finish constructing the Temple of Solomon, which was to have been the masterpiece of Hiram Abiff. Instead it remained half-completed for a long time, and eventually deteriorated into ruins. It was not to be finished until years later, by architects who had no knowledge of Abiff's original intentions. Essentially, the life had been stolen from the building by the "unworthy craftsmen."

Similarly, confusion abounds when the noblemen learn about the death of King Duncan. In feigned surprise Macbeth yells "horror" three times in a row, followed by these lines:

*Confusion now hath made his masterpiece:*

*Most sacrilegious murder hath broke ope*

*The Lord's anointed temple and stole thence*

*The life o' th' building!* (1118)

The parallels between the Abiff legend and these lines are obvious.

Shakespeare further extends the Abiff metaphor only a few lines later when Macbeth describes what the King looked like in death:

*His silver skin laced with his golden blood;*

*And his gashed stabs looked like a breach in nature*

*For ruin's wasteful entrance ...* (1118)

Of course, silver and gold are colors respectively attributed to the moon and the sun, both of which are prominent alchemical symbols. According to Albert Pike they also "correspond to the two columns of the [Masonic] Temple, Jachin and Boaz" (776). Reinforcing this connection, Shakespeare uses an evocative simile to describe Duncan's wounds. The word "ruin's" brings to mind the dilapidated state of an old building—no doubt the unfinished "anointed temple" of Solomon.

Perhaps the most blatant parallel between the death of Abiff and Shakespeare's tragedy occurs during the next murder scene. Haunted by the witches' prophecy that Banquo would be "father to a line of Kings," Macbeth hires a pair of assassins to exterminate Banquo and his son Fleance. In the following scene, this pair mysteriously transforms into a trio. To the uninitiated this might seem like a discrepancy. However, after all the evidence presented so far it becomes obvious that Shakespeare is purposely waving a red flag in order to attract the reader's attention to this "irrelevant" detail. For the Bard's "fellows" it would have been immediately obvious that the three assassins were to be associated with Jubela, Jubelo, and

Jubelum. Certainly it's no coincidence that the assassins kill Banquo in Act Three, Scene Three. As stated before, there are thirty-three degrees in Freemasonry. To underscore the symbolism, Shakespeare begins the very next scene with these words, "You know your own degrees." (1122)

In scenes like these Shakespeare is constantly toying with figure and ground. The figure is the plot itself,

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while the ground is the mystical symbolism fueling the direction of the plot. For example, on the surface "You know your own degrees," simply refers to the revelers at Macbeth's banquet measuring how much they can eat and drink, but beneath the surface lurks the true, symbolical meaning. Another example of this occurs in this very same banquet scene when one of "night's black agents" returns to inform Macbeth of Banquo's murder. To Macbeth's question, "Is he dispatched?" the assassin replies, "My lord, his throat

is cut:/That I did for him." Relieved, Macbeth says, "Thou are the best o' th' cut-throats" (1122). The figure here is a mere plot device, a continuation of Macbeth's killing spree. The ground is something quite different, a subtle reference to the Masonic initiate kneeling before the Pedestal with a "cable tow" wrapped around his neck (Dodd 52), which explicitly represents the slitting of the throat (Knight 170).

Like light melding with shadow, figure and ground perform a delicate dance throughout the entire play. Sometimes, however, the symbolism subsumes both figure and ground. When Macbeth confronts the witches a second time, for example, he is assailed by *three* apparitions. These apparitions cannot be interpreted on a rational, surface level. The first one, described as "an Armed Head," is clearly symbolic of the first Sephiroth of the Kabbalah. As Albert Pike has written, "First of these [the ten Sephiroth] Kether, the Crown, ring, or circlet, the HEAD" (768). Freemasons believe that Hiram Abiff's "Word," lost upon his death, can only be found "in certain great texts known to scholars under the generic name of Kabbalah" (Waite 417). The search for the Lost Word is a central goal of Freemasonry.

The second and third apparitions are inextricably tied together. The second takes the form of a bloody child, while the third appears as "a Child Crowned, with a tree in his hand" (1126). This recalls the Mysteries of Samothrace, one of many ancient cults upon which the Freemasons based their hierarchical system of degrees. On the island of Samothrace very young children were initiated into the Mysteries. They were presented with the sacred robe, the crown of olive, and directed to sit upon a throne. Pike

describes the details:

"In the ceremonies was represented the death of the youngest of the Cabiri, slain by his brothers, who fled into Etruria, carrying with them the chest or ark that contained his genitals: and there the Phallus and the sacred ark were adored. Herodotus says that the Samothracian Initiates understood the object and origin of this reverence paid the Phallus, and why it was exhibited in the Mysteries." (427)

The second apparition represents



the object of the mimed ritualistic sacrifice, the Hiram Abiff of the Samothracian Mysteries. While the third is to be identified with the Initiate himself, holding aloft a tree that is both phallic and reminiscent of the Kabbalistic Tree of Life, thus connecting the final apparition with the first. Of all the symbols in *Macbeth* these are the most overt, and at the same time the most obscure. Appropriate for a play filled with paradoxes.

The preceding has merely been a brief fraction of the Masonic symbolism that can be found in *Macbeth*. Any of these examples viewed in isolation would not mean much.

However, as in alchemy, when the various elements are combined, something strange and unexpected rises to the surface. Though new, one feels as if it has always been there, just out of sight.

The idea of Shakespeare having been a Freemason would probably be a controversial theory to literary scholars, but then again anything not generally known since before the Cretaceous Period is controversial to literary scholars. Meanwhile, most historians believe that Freemasonry was founded in 1717, long after Shakespeare's death. Other, more eccentric authors trace the origins of the Brotherhood all the way back to Ancient Egypt. True or not, neither theory erases the fact that obvious Masonic symbolism is woven into the tragedy of *Macbeth*, written over a hundred years before traditional history says that such symbolism ever existed.

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Nazi Germany. This has been carefully kept hidden from the public.

One hypothesis is that Building 7 is inhabited by, or used to communicate with, the Inner Head, or "controlling unknown." The identity of the Outer Head is unknown. Bill Gates may be the Outer Head, a high initiate of the conspiracy, or just a figurehead whose purpose it is to divert attention.

To fully understand this history, or what parts of it may be understood by human minds, one must have some knowledge of the history and origins of the Illuminati. Little is known about the Illuminati, but what is known is that the Illuminati can be definitely traced back to 1776. On Walpurgis night 1776, five men met in a cavern deep beneath Ingolstadt, Bavaria. There they invoked some sort of supernatural beings and made contact with the Unknown Superiors. The following day, one of these five men proclaimed the foundation of the Ancient Illuminated Seers of Bavaria, using the name "Adam Weishaupt," which means "the first man to know the Superiors."

Although the Illuminati were officially disbanded in 1785, they did not disappear. Throughout the past 200 years, they have been observing the profane world carefully, and occasionally intervening: in Sarajevo in 1914, St. Petersburg in 1917, Manhattan in 1929 (to divert attention from a rather unpleasant affair off the coast of New England,) and Dallas in 1963, to name a few cases. Their contacts with the Unknown Superiors continued in specially constructed buildings, originally in Germany but later in Washington.

During the 1920s and 1930s there occurred a potential problem. A young writer named Howard Phillips Lovecraft published many stories which contained allegories to Illuminated history (for example, Joseph Curwen's invocation of "Yogge-Sothothe" in an underground complex in the 18th century). It is believed that Lovecraft's father was a Grand Orient Freemason. The Illuminati, however, persuaded Lovecraft to join their cause and faked his death in 1937 (Have you ever wondered why his grave is not marked?) Another incident occurred on October 21, 1967, when occultists attempted to "raise" the Pentagon. They were given permission to approach it but were prevented from completely encircling it.

However, in 1975, a crisis developed that threatened the very foundation of the Illuminati. A book, claiming

to be a fantasy novel, appeared. This book was mostly fiction; however, it hinted at the secrets of the Illuminati (even going as far as using Lovecraft's term "Yog-Sothoth" for the Unknown Superior). To this day it is not known whether the authors were renegade Illuminati or whether the information was acquired from informers within the organization. The book was called *Illuminatus!*

Immediately, the Illuminati convened an emergency meeting in Cesme, Turkey. There they discussed a contingency plan to restructure the organization and to move the Pentacle of Invocation to a new location. They decided on setting up a small computer company in one of the smaller cities of the United States as a front. That year, Microsoft Corporation was founded.

It has been speculated that the name of the founder, Bill Gates, is a code much as "Adam Weishaupt" was a

code. Apart from being the name of a magician in Aleister Crowley's novel, *Moonchild*, Gates is a reference to the Unknown Superior and the gateway between ordinary reality and the Invisible World; Lovecraft himself referred to Yog-Sothoth as "the Gateless Gate." By the same token, IBM can be said to stand not for "International Business Machines" but rather

for "Iacobus Burgundus Molensis," or Jacques de Molay, the last overt Grand Master of the Knights Templar, whose name was borrowed by the Bavarian Illuminati for one of their ciphers.

The North American lodge of the Bavarian Illuminati is (logically enough) known as the "Bavarian Illuminati." (The name of the Bavarian lodge is obviously not in English, it's the "Alten Erleuchteten Seher Bayerns," e.g., the Ancient Illuminated Seers of Bavaria.) The German-style abbreviation of "Bavarian Illuminati" is the B. Ill. or simply BILL. Members of the American lodge frequently identified themselves in secret communications by using the name Bill.

The official designation for the American Lodge is the "Secret American Daughter-organization of the Illuminated Seers," that is, the "Geheime Amerikanische Tochtergenossenschaft der Erleuchteten Seher," GATES.

The numerical value of Bill in Hebrew AND Greek is 72, which is the number of divisions in the Illuminati pyramid. Gates (in Hebrew) is 78, which is 13x6. Thus "Bill Gates" is a description of the pyramid, 72 divisions, 13 levels, and 6 sides (including the flat top where the eye in the triangle sits).•

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## MICROSOFT AND THE BAVARIAN ILLUMINATI

By Anonymous

These days most people have heard of Microsoft Corporation, and its founder Bill Gates. The majority of computers in use today use Microsoft system software, and those that do not often run applications from Microsoft. However, few people know the true story behind the rise of Microsoft and even fewer suspect the terrible cosmic secrets that are concealed beneath the facade of a successful software company.

In Microsoft's *Object Linking and Embedding 2.0 Programmer's Reference*, there is a very curious term. On page 78, the second paragraph starts with the sentence, "In the aggregation model, this internal communication is achieved through coordination with a special instance of the interface known as the *controlling unknown* of the aggregate." The term "controlling unknown" is a very interesting choice of words. It is not the most intuitively obvious term for what it is describing (something used for implementing a data exchange/embedding system).

A term strikingly similar to "controlling unknown" is the term "unknown superiors," used by many occult secret societies. These included the Strict Observance Masonic lodge, whose members were sometimes referred to as "illuminati," and which had some connection with Adam Weishaupt's Order. "Unknown superiors" is a term that refers to non-corporeal or superhuman agencies in command of secret societies or mystery cults. Such an agency is frequently known as the "inner head" of an order of organization, as opposed to the outer head, who is human. Organizations that claimed or were claimed to be commanded by such "unknown

superiors" include the Ordo Templi Orientis of Aleister Crowley and the Knights Templar, whose Inner Head was apparently a being named Baphomet.

Apart from the term "controlling unknown," another hint at the secrets behind Microsoft is the fact that Microsoft Windows has a limit of five window device contexts. Five is a decidedly odd number for such an application, being neither a power of two nor one less than a power of two. Let us not forget Adam

Weishaupt's discovery of the Law of Fives in the *Necronomicon*.

One must also not forget that a Microsoft network administration tool currently under development is named Hermes, after the god of alchemy, and that a line in Umberto Eco's novel, *Foucault's Pendulum* reads, quite clearly, "Microsoft-Hermes."

Few people know for sure how many buildings there are in the Microsoft campus in Redmond, WA. No maps of the entire facility are known to exist. Some Microsoft employees put the estimate at six or three. An article in an Australian newspaper has claimed that there are 22 buildings. That is partly true; however, there is another building, hidden from the public and even from most Microsoft employees. The twenty-third building, or Building 7, is pentagonal in shape; its exact location is known only to five people (of whom Bill Gates may be one), however it is believed that the building is accessible from elsewhere in the Microsoft campus by a secret passage. What is in the five sided building is not known. However, it is believed that the contents of Building 7 are of a supernatural nature. In addition to the United States Pentagon, there was a similar five-sided building in



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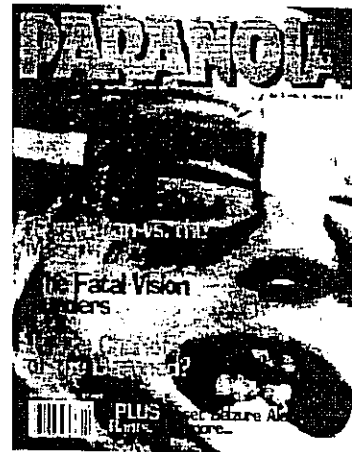
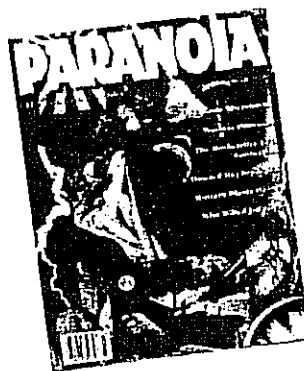
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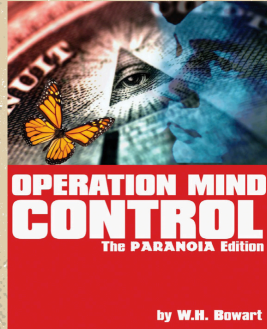
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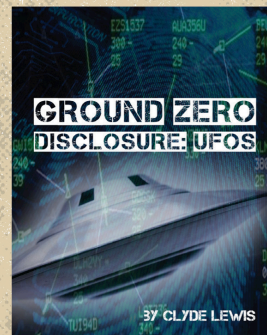
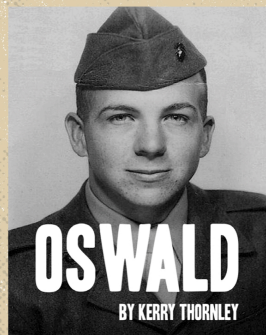
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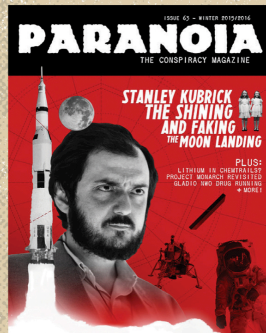


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