

Campus Nazis Are Smoked Out

by Mark Calney

Under the pretext of an absurd allegation, members of the LaRouche Youth Movement were stopped from campaigning by campus police and thrown off the grounds of Pasadena City College (PCC) on Feb. 24. This type of police-state tactic, which Democratic Presidential pre-candidate Lyndon LaRouche warned against in a January 2001 webcast to mobilize support against the nomination of John Ashcroft, is yet another example of the Attorney General's "arrest them all, and let God sort 'em out" policy. In the name of Homeland Security, we have seen John "Armageddon now" Ashcroft and his supporters increasingly demonstrate that, to them, no right guaranteed by the U.S. Constitution is sacred.

Tearing Up Free Speech

The LaRouche organizers, who had obtained the proper "Free Speech Authorization" from the campus police that morning, were soon told that they had to leave because of a "complaint." When one of the organizers, John Craig, went to the police office to find out the nature of the complaint, he was quickly confronted by the director of campus police, Philip Mullendore. The following exchange occurred:

Craig: "I know that [the alleged complaint of name-calling] didn't happen. . . . There are people who are against what we are doing and lie in order to get us kicked off. What you don't want to do is to take sides based on someone's political views. . . ."

Mullendore: "We've had a case against you for some time now and we have you on video-tape. . . . We're getting a restraining order against your organization."

Craig: "You can't stop us from our freedom of speech."

Mullendore: "I don't have to listen to a brainwashed LaRouchie."

While real terrorist supporters, who have committed violent crimes at PCC, go uninvestigated and unarrested, Mullendore prefers to spend his college's increasingly limited funding to shut down free speech on the campus. On March 11, 2002, LaRouche student organizer Quincy O'Neal was violently attacked by PCC newspaper editor Matt Robinson (who had authored a slanderous article against LaRouche several months earlier) in front of a number of witnesses. The PCC police record stated that Robinson was intoxicated at the time.

What did the Pasadena police do about all that? Absolutely nothing! Instead, Mullendore chose to protect Robin-

son, who has been a publicly avowed supporter of the late Irv Rubin, leader of the terrorist Jewish Defense League (JDL). Rubin was jailed on charges of plotting the murder of a California Congressman and a bomb attack on a Los Angeles mosque; he committed suicide in prison last November, rather than face a trial for his bomb-plotting. Rubin's buddy and JDL co-defendant, Earl Krugel, pled guilty on Feb. 4, 2003 to terrorist bomb-plot and machine-gun-possession charges.

Who's Guarding the Guards?

In a republic, Plato asks the important question of "who guards the guards?" And, how are the guards of a republic to be educated? Free speech on our college campuses is being threatened—but not by Osama bin Laden and Saddam Hussein. Philip Mullendore, and his like-minded trainees, equate passivity with peace, and mistake grazing cattle for the student body. Watch out students—your local campus police officer could have been trained by Mullendore.

Mullendore is deeply involved in the Campus Security Institute (CSI), which publishes the monthly magazine *Campus Safety* and conducts "Train the Trainer" instructional seminars for aspiring campus police officers in California, Texas, and Pennsylvania. According to CSI, Mullendore "has participated as a subject matter expert with the commission on Peace Officer and Standards and Training (POST) in the development of the Campus Law Enforcement Course, and was instrumental in developing the standards for campus security used in California."

At the same time that these nazi-style operations are attempting to shut down free speech on our campuses, the Democratic National Committee is excluding LaRouche from 2004 Presidential campaign events.. This was witnessed recently at the Washington, D.C. conference of the DNC, when party hacks attempted to physically prevent more than 30 young LaRouche supporters from participating in the kind of open, honest, public debate which must occur if our republic is to survive the current dangers of war and economic collapse.

On the Republican side, we have the shenanigans of Sen. Joe Lieberman's (D-Conn.) evil twin, Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.). The same organized crime networks that have pumped money into McCain's career and bank accounts, also finance the Arizona-based operations of the glassy-eyed, so-called "cult expert" Rick Ross, to engage in criminal, thug tactics against students who support LaRouche. Ross was formerly associated with the now-defunct Cult Awareness Network (CAN), and was implicated in setting up the 1993 massacre of the Branch Davidian sect in Waco, Texas. Ross is close to the American Family Foundation (AFF), a successor to the 1950s-70s U.S. and British governments' secret operations to experiment with mind control, employing a wide range of pharmacological and brainwashing methods (see *EIR*, April 19, 2002).