

Editorial

Who your enemies are

One has only to look at Baruch Goldstein's Jewish Defense League connections and the role of the JDL in sponsoring settlements in the region of Hebron, to realize that the Feb. 25 Hebron massacre was not the work of a lone crazy, nor even Israeli in origin. Forces deployed out of the United States are trying to destroy the possibility of peace in the Middle East.

The question then to be asked is: What is the JDL? Jewish Defense League terror squads have been roaming the United States for decades with impunity because, like the Anti-Defamation League, they have worked under the protection of J. Edgar Hoover's FBI. One of the first tasks assigned to the JDL was to raise the bloody flag of so-called black anti-Semitism. We see today that the ADL and the JDL are maintaining the same deployment in their persistent defamation campaign against Minister Louis Farrakhan.

These same forces have been deployed directly against Lyndon LaRouche and his associates, and worked with the "Get LaRouche" task force. They rightly perceived LaRouche, with his unflinching commitment to truth, as a formidable opponent who must be stopped by any dirty means possible.

As a means of establishing the connection, we name just two people. First is Herbert Romerstein, who was a staff investigator for the House Un-American Activities Committee and worked closely with both the FBI and the ADL. One of his assignments was to promote JDL founder Meir Kahane as an expert on black militant organizations. During the Reagan period, he was deployed into operations in South America which supported Oliver North's more infamous activities, as well as a number of broader assignments for the intelligence community.

Similarly, Roy Godson worked directly with Kahane, to form the pro-Vietnam War July Fourth Movement. Romerstein and Godson, who style themselves neo-conservatives, were big players in Ronald Reagan's Project Democracy, through which "Iran-Contra" operations were run.

These networks slandered LaRouche, even to the point of asserting that associates of LaRouche were

involved in the assassination of Swedish Prime Minister Olof Palme, while they themselves were working hand-in-glove with the Soviet KGB and the East German Stasi in order to get arms for the Contras. In other words, they were falsely accusing Lyndon LaRouche of crimes which may yet be brought to their own doorstep.

This list can then be expanded to include the lower level of criminal thug, such as Galen Kelly, who is currently in prison for a kidnapping which he carried out at the behest of the ADL-connected Cult Awareness network. These are the same neo-conservative networks who are fueling the flames of the present assault upon the U.S. presidency under the banner of the so-called Whitewater investigation.

Still, so far this is just a compendious list, a "Who's Who" of bad guys. The question of who your enemies are, needs to be answered on a far more profound level. A clue is given by the extremely vituperative manner in which the British press is dogging President Clinton, insinuating that he will not be able to finish out his presidential term, and putting a "spin" on the President's indignant attack on his defamers, claiming it was tearfully defensive.

Can we not see a pattern in the attacks against the U.S. presidency, the destabilization of a potential Mid-east settlement, the fanning of race war in the United States, and the attacks against Lyndon LaRouche? Can we not see the historical pattern of geopolitical manipulation which has characterized British imperialist policy since before the time of the American Revolution, and emphatically thereafter?

We started with Baruch Goldstein, deployed into Israel by a key part of the U.S.-based "Zionist Lobby," which is influential in an alarming set of institutions of the U.S. government, and which is deployed to destroy those institutions. We end by recognizing that all of these operations are interconnected. Their aim is to destroy that potential for a revival of the republican mission of the United States, the mission served by men such as Benjamin Franklin, George Washington, Alexander Hamilton, and Abraham Lincoln, and served by LaRouche today. These are your enemies.