Higher Studies) in Paris, Althusser has made a long career out of applying linguistic-structuralist techniques to the recruitment of terrorists. It was Althusser, along with Jacques Lacan, who conducted a linguistics project at the Psychiatric Laboratory near the Sorbonne that served as the command center for the 1968 Paris events that destroyed the government of General Charles de Gaulle. Prior to that, Althusser had been the principal responsible individual in the creation of the French Maoist movement and the Italian Manifesto group, a support and feeder organization to the Red Brigades.

Norberto Bobbio, a central committee member of the Second International's Italian Socialist Party, has been identified by such diverse sources as former U.S. Attorney General Ramsey Clark, Amnesty International, and the U.S.-based Russellite Telos magazine as the "individual most on top of the Negri situation."

A self-identified linguistics expert, applying those techniques to "democratic socialist institutions," Bobbio was the on-the-scene overseer of every step in the development of an Italian terrorist sewer since the 1930s when he led the Turin cell of the British-created anarchist-terrorist "Justice and Liberty" group, later to merge with the Action Party. From this early period, Bobbio worked in the service of the Einaudi family, as well as the Agnelli family. Bobbio presently sits on the board of both the Agnelli and Einaudi Foundations and joins members of both of those families of the Italian Black Nobility on the London International Institute of International Affairs—a Tavistock-affiliated branch of British intelligence. A former "resident philosopher" at the Johns Hopkins University-linked Cattaneo Institute in Bologna and the University of Trento (a known recruiting ground and safehouse for the Red Brigades), Bobbio runs a Socialist Party journal called Mondo Operaio which houses the leading known "academic" controllers of the Italian terroristsincluding Trento Sociology Professor Alberoni and Dark Age advocate Roberto Vacca.

Giangiancomo Feltrinelli died in 1972 when a bomb that he and a fellow Red Brigades terrorist were constructing detonated in his hands. Prior to that untimely exposé as a terrorist, Feltrinelli had enjoyed the sort of reputation shared by Althusser and Bobbio up until recent weeks—that of an "intellectual" unaccountable for the applications of his theories. A close personal associate of Bertrand Russell and the head of the Russell Peace Union in Italy, Feltrinelli had been expelled from the Communist Party of Italy in the 1950s for smuggling out and publishing the first Western translations of Dr. Zhivago. Through that effort, Feltrinelli maintained close associations with East bloc dissident circles up until his sudden death.

The independently wealthy offspring of an Italian family, Feltrinelli set up a radical publishing house which, to this day, serves as the principal distributor of radical linguistic works (including those of Althusser

Terrorism and the coming Dark Ages

The networks targeted in the antiterror effort are explicitly Italy's "Dark Age" faction, which has dominated state university instruction for a decade. Among the other protéegées of Toni Negri's mentor Norberto Bobbio are "engaged science fiction writer" Roberto Vacca, linguistician Umberto Eco, and sociologist Francesco Alberoni. All three have penned scenarios for the breakdown of today's massive communication and industrial sysems to lead into a New Dark Age, provoking the reduction of the world's population by 1 to 2 billion. The focus is how to control the people who remain.

Vacca's 1971 book Medioevo prossimo futuro (translated in 1973 as The Coming Dark Age favored a New York City power blackout to start the spiral of chaos, bubonic plague, and finally the inrush of "barbarian hordes." In 1973 Eco and Alberoni contributed to a followup book, Documents on the New Dark Age. Alberoni implemented his ideas by creating the original Red Brigades nucleus at Trento University in 1968. Eco became the guru of the Autonomi using his "semiotics" classes as brainwashing sessions for environmentalist terrorism.

Now, the tide is turning.

and Bobbio) and proterrorist tracts in Italy. Through his work with the Russell Peace Foundation, Feltrinelli became the Mediterranean contact point between West German terrorists Ulrike Meinhof and Andreas Baader and the British-Israeli intelligence-run radical Palestinian terrorist circles. It was through Feltrinelli and Russell Peace Foundation associate and French Socialist Regis Debray that the Baader-Meinhof Red Army was connected into the terrorist networks of the Mediterranean area.

Will the "London Bridge" fall?

Should any one of the three above-cited individuals be conclusively shown to be in control of the Italian terrorist networks, sufficient prima facie evidence would exist to investigate and indict the heirs of Russell and the directors of the Tavistock Institute before an international tribunal. The intersection of British agents Althusser, Bobbio, and Feltrinelli in the case against Tony Negri constitutes an overwhelming evidentiary mandate for immediate action.

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