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# THE ENEMY IS AT HOME!

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Australian imperialism quickly backed the NATO bombing of Yugoslavia. The Howard government and the Labor "Opposition" fall in behind the USA, not because they are obeying their masters. They back the aggression so that they will get their slice of the spoils.

The barrage of bombs started on March 24 and since then, the cities of Yugoslavia have been bombed and destroyed; hospitals, schools, factories and worker's homes. Some of these missiles cost 1.3 million each.

The Australian people are fed a daily diet of lies from the monopoly press. The bombing has nothing to do with 'human rights, or the rights of the Kosovo people against, 'ethnic cleansing'.

The Australian ruling class have practiced 'ethnic cleansing' for 200+ years against the indigenous people. The British, also raining bombs on Yugoslavia have practiced 96 separare overseas military interventions since 1945; and the USA, since WW2, has carried out over 200 overt military and 6000 covert interventions. Millions of people have been killed, displaced and starved from the operations of these imperialist powers.

For American troops it's the fourth attack against an independent country in the past 9 months... Afghanistan, Sudan, Iraq and now Yugoslavia. Also in the attack on Yugoslavia, is Germany, the first time since the Nazis were

So let us reject this harping of 'human rights'. and defending the Kosovo Albanians.

NATO OUT OF YUGOSLAVIA!

YANKEE GO HOME!

### WHO IS THE KOSOVO LIBERATION ARMY(KLA)?

Who is behind the KLA?

On July15, 1998, PBS Newshour reported that US Vietnam veterans were training KLA mercenaries in Albania. Almost every European newspaper has reported the on the known ties between the KLA and the sales of illegal drugs in Europe. Only the USA media have ignored this story (and Australia) The Canadian Member of Parliament, David Price told reporters (April 19) that 50 Canadian soldiers are working with the KLA in Kosovo to help report "where the bombs are falling" so that they can better target "where the next bomb should go" It is also reported that special units from Britain, the United States, France and other NATO groups were working undercover in Kosovo. On April 18, the London Sunday Telegraph reported that British SAS is running KLA camps in Albania.

NATO and the media conduct a campaign of lies over the Balkan War. Why is it that there are no pictures of the Serbian army driving the people out of Kosovo. NATO offered 200,000 dollars for such pictures. They don't exist. Mercenaries, drugs, the CIA is an old story. Once denied in the Vietnam war and the contra war aginst Nicaragua, it is now well documented.

We don't know if Australia has any presence in the KLA or NATO, but, the once squeaky clean Mr Butler of ANSCOM is not now employed in Iraq for the United Nations. (now by-passed by the NATO axis, as the League of Nations was by-passed by the Fascists in the 1930's)

### DEPLETED URANIUM (DU) IS NOW USED IN YUGOSLAVIA.

NATO announced in Europe that DU is being used in Yugoslavia (March 30, 1999) This DU has arready been not beauty and the second beauty been all denounce this addition and toxic used in Iraq and the results on human health are well known. It is urgent we all denounce this addition and toxic chemical warfare. Used by Britain and the USA against Iraq and in Bosnia, and now used in Kosovo. While the imperialists bomb Yugoslavia, they continue to bomb Iraq. The USA imposed sanctions against 1999 killing 5000 children a month.

When asked on "60 Minutes" in May 1996 about the deaths of half a million children, more than ded in Hiroshimas Secretary of State Madeleine Albright said, "We think the price is worth it"

The Australian government, and the Opposition Labor Party sent another war-ship to the Gulf to enforce the sanctions. Ruthless suppression of the people in Iraq on one hand and tears and kisses for the people of Kosovo soon to be inside military camps for three months.

## LIFT THE SANCTIONS AGAINST IRAO!

Australia has regional ambitions and is ready to send troops/police to East Timor for "stability", "peace keeping" etc. The Australian ruling class back the regime in Indonesia, they recognize the occupation of Indonesia over East Timor, they have a deal on the East Timor Sea oil., they train Indonesia troops in Australia, give big dollars in "aid", have joint military exercises. The East Timorese want independence.

We say.. INDEPENDENCE FOR EAST, TIMOR, I IMPERIALIST TROOPS OUT!

# MAY '99

Australian capital makes huge profits from the resources in Papua New Guinea, the people of Bougainville have been forced into an "imperialist peace" after years of armed struggle; and the people of Irian Jaya fight on . Australia supports the oppression in these countries.

We sa.y... HANDS OFF IRIAN JAYA, EAST TIMOR, BOUGAINVILLE AND PAPUA NEW GUINEA!

The Australian media invent stories of the "ethnic cleansing" in Kosovo. One programme invented the story of Serbian soldiers kicking a baby around as a football and then feeding the body to the stray dogs. No pictures. These stories are designed to paint a picture of the USA and Britain in the NATO attack as knights in shining armour coming to the aid of the oppressed.

The media in Europe cannot help but report the massive demonstrations taking place everywhere against the imperialist aggression in Yugoslavia. Each of these imperialist countries heading the NATO forces has a history dripping in the blood of the masses, and the countless numbers of starving children all over the world is testimony to the rotten, dying imperialist system.

The imperialist mass media keep silent on the People's War being waged in Peru

and Nepal, in India, the Philippines and in many other countries. These armed forces of the proletariat, led by the

Communist Party, weaken the imperialist system.

The media do not mention the oil and gas pipeline owned by the big US and German companies running from Baku , across Kurdish territory to the sea., It is necessary for the imperialist to crush the people near this oil bonanza to get their massive profits. Remember the Fascist Germans tried to capture Baku but were driven back by the Soviet Red Army., 50 years ago

The new aggressors do not wear leather jackets and the Nazi emblem but they are just the same class with the same

designs.

THERE IS ONE TASK AHEAD, GET RID OF IMPERIALISM

HANDS OFF YUGOSLAVIA!

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIALISM, HANDS OFF EAST TIMOR, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, BOUGAINVILLE!

PROLETARIANS OF THE WORLD UNITE TO DEFEAT THE COMMON ENEMY!

