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NAZIWATCH

NORTH WEST ANTI-FASCIST MONITORING NETWORK



Editorial

Welcome to Issue 3 after which *Naziwatch* will be published quarterly; the next issue will be out in September.

The response over the last few months has been tremendous. We have been involved in setting up monitoring teams in Todmorden, Bury and Ashton under Lyne. It is also rewarding to see the fruits of our networking. Many thanks to the anonymous source from Bradford for identifying the 3 BNP supporters in Dewsbury who were featured in *Naziwatch* photocall. Two other BNP supporters were also successfully identified.

Firstly may we reiterate that the tactics that the BNP have employed ie intimidating peoples families will never succeed and will only lead to counter measures -TARGET take note -this rag has been responsible for publishing addresses of anti fascists via BNP errand boys.



THE FACE OF NAZI BNP CANDIDATE CHRISTIAN JACKSON FROM TODMORDEN BLOOD & HONOUR SKINHEAD AND LEEDS UNITED SOCCER THUG.

On this, Ken Henderson has been none too pleased at the hassle he received after details of his work place were published in *Naziwatch*. All we can say to you Ken is that you are being held solely responsible for the harassment certain anti-fascists are receiving by your C18 cohorts. Our answer to your bleatings are, sort your mates out Ken because you wont win with these tactics. Recent investigations have uncovered individual BNP supporters living in Manchester including a number who joined up in the euphoria after Derek Beackons election victory in Tower Hamlets last September. It will be interesting to see if those supporters take up activity when the stakes start to go up

ELECTION ROUND UP IN BRIEF

The local election last month threw up a few questions in the North West. Firstly what happened to the BNP election campaign in Rochdale.? Their presence on the streets was negligible, not once did they hold a leafleting session of any worth in their so called strogholds. Anti fascists monitoring the BNP observed their glaring paranoia as they constantly kept looking over their shoulder. Hendersons inept organisation meant that the BNP in the North West missed a valuable chance to make headway though in Smallbridge Henderson did beat the Tory into third place. On the night of the count at Rochdale Town Hall anti fascists were involved in clashes with BNP supporters who had been frantically bussed in from as far away as Scotland. A skirmish outside the Town Hall resulted in anti fascists getting picked up at random by the police and three now face serious charges. Also charged is Mark Priestley a BNP supporter from Oldham Todmorden candidate Chris Jackson did not even bother turning up for his count at Halifax Though the BNP votes were small, even one vote for the BNP is one too many and anti fascists must not get carried away. The failure of Derek Beackon to keep hold of his seat in Millwall is good news but it is not a victory as some anti fascists seem to think considering the BNP increased its vote by 500.

INFORMATION ON FASCIST ACTIVITY URGENTLY NEEDED

THE ARCHIVIST



THE WRITING ON THE WALL

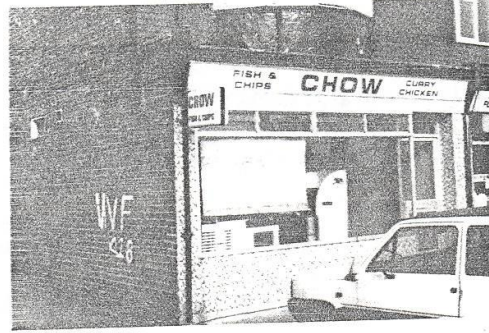
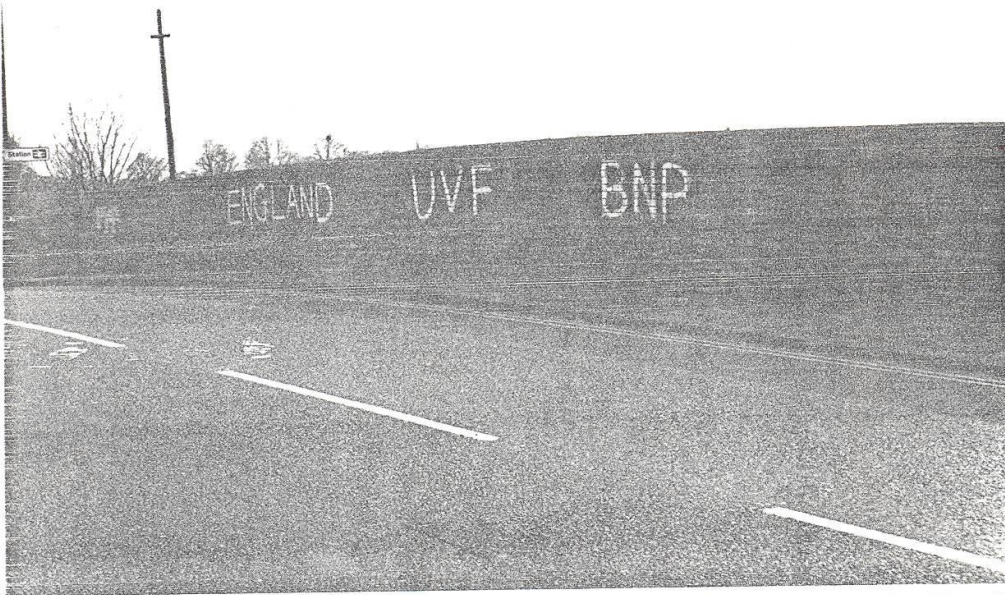
Look at these photographs. What do they tell you? Don't they sum up the twisted logic that inhabit certain minds Sick people, of sick politics of a sick society.

A young family set up a simple grocers shop and within days are harrassed by a gang of thugs. Graffitti, put up to terrify spells out the intention.

Around the Quadrant in Stretford more graffiti appears. The Chinese chippy and bizzarely a chemist run by a white person. But then why should logic come into it? On the bridge over the railway a war of attrition is fought between the anti nazis and the UVF/BNP lovers who have launched a campaign of racist damage. A local power sub station is covered in BNP slogans as is a local school and park buildings.

top left BNP/UVF slogans on Great Stone Road railway bridge Stretford

middle and bottom shops in the Quadrant Stretford BNP / C18 plus paint equal terror



BOTTLE ATTACK ON BNP PERVERT

Austin Stonham the Blackburn BNP organiser was injured in a Town Centre incident last month and required hospital treatment for head wounds. Stonham spotted near to a bookshop used by anti racists, was challenged then battered by a man who was dissatisfied with Stonham's excuse for being in Manchester.

A few days later and beefed up by some BNP pals from Rochdale he threatened staff at the bookshop where the assault took place. The lesson to be learned Mr Stonham is that you must accept the consequences of your actions and that your presence in Manchester will not be conducive to your health.



EX - BRITISH MOVEMENT GUN RUNNER JAILED

Brian Phoenix, a British Movement activist from in the late seventies / early eighties, has been jailed for 4 years after getting caught dealing an Uzi sub machine gun and ammunition. Phoenix, from Salford has a previous conviction for illegal possession of firearms and served time in prison. Sources have pointed to a loyalist connection, which is nothing new at the moment as their is plenty of evidence that hardline loyalists are aligning themselves with fascist sympathisers.

BRITISH MOVEMENT STICKERS APPEAR IN MANCHESTER

Not seen for many a year British Movement stickers have now started to appear in Manchester. A number of stickers were found around Victoria Station.

B.M. were never up to much in Manchester even in their heyday in the late 70's early 80's. In addition to the stickering certain anti fascists have been receiving British Movement literature through the post. The person sending out this stuff is a guy called Jowett, living at 93 Stonehall Road, Eccleshill, Bradford.

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Nightclub manager 'caught with machine gun'

A FORMER regular soldier was caught red-handed in a police raid buying an Uzi machine gun for £1,000 at the Stretford nightclub where he was the manager, Manchester Crown Court heard.

David Watson, 37, a soldier for nine years, of Hazelfield House, Bowdon, was arrested buying the weapon and 63 bullets from 34-year-old Brian Phoenix.

The court heard that police went to the Sands Club in Stretford's Arndale Centre after a reliable tip-off. They watched the club and raided it during daylight when Phoenix, a nightclub security man, Steeple Drive, Salford, entered. Phoenix was jailed for four years for possession of a prohibited weapon and ammunition and supplying them to Watson.

Watson, who formerly lived at Barton Road, Withington, was jailed for three years for receiving and possession of the gun and ammunition.

Judge David Maddison said Watson had purchased the weapon to sell it on.

"It is capable of firing 10 bullets a second and could kill or injure many people in a very short time when fired," he said.

It was a mystery where Phoenix obtained the machine gun and a mystery where Watson was going to sell it on.

He said: "It is inconceivable he did not have someone lined up for a re-sale. It could only have been acquired for a sinister reason."

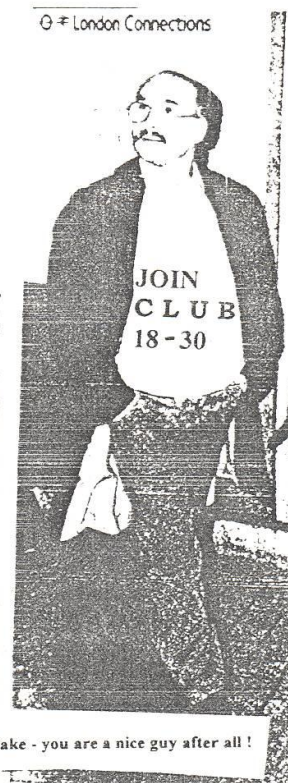
An aggravating feature is that Phoenix is close to the source of supply. The judge was told that Watson served for nine years with the Kings Regiment and was with them for 'hot spot' tours in Northern Ireland and the United Nations Barrier Force in Cyprus.

There had been a frightening increase in the use of gun crime in Greater Manchester and in London armed police were being moved onto the streets.

London Connections



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Now I see Derek its all a mistake - you are a nice guy after all !

Above, ex Isle of Dogs BNP councillor Derek Beackon. Now without a seat, will he go back to his mates in Combat 18 ?

Right, O.K. so he's not a local but North East BNP activist David Rumney's a spit for Plug !



BARKER UP THE WRONG TREE

Rochdale BNP Press Officer Peter Barker failed to turn up in court in Bolton last month resulting in the acquittal of a Rochdale man accused of assaulting him.

In August last year Barker was harranging locals into joining the BNP at a town centre pub when he was assaulted by a local white man after an argument. Although not political he ended up on the same BNP/C18 hit list as (see Naziwatch issue 2) leading anti fascists from Manchester.

Sources in Rochdale say Barker and his BNP cronies published information about the man which led to a campaign of harrassment against him and his family including violence.

Evidence of the BNP intimidation was produced in court which helped with the eventual acquittal.

Barker served time for a politically motivated assault in the 1980's. An Anti Nazi League supporter waiting at a bus stop in the town centre had an 8 inch knife plunged into his chest by Barker who ran off laughing.

This and the pathetic tactic employed by Barker and his cronies in Rochdale is further proof of the cowardly scum inside Rochdale BNP.

Right, Ken Henderson in his law and order role in Manchester 1992. Where were his boys in lasts months election ?. Instead of kicking "black ass" why not boot a few racially pure absent white BNP bottoms Ken!!!

FIVE ARRESTED IN TOWN HALL FRACAS

SCUFFLES broke out between BNP supporters and a group calling themselves Anti-Fascist Action as people started leaving the Town Hall count.

Two policemen were slightly injured as they got between the two groups, during which a bottle was thrown.

Police ordered the doors be kept shut and were only re-opened after 20 minutes.

A police spokesman said: "One group

appeared to be from the Anti Nazi League. Some bottles were thrown and this was how two officers were injured.

"During the confrontation five people were arrested. They have been charged with public disorder offences and will appear at Rochdale Magistrates Court on 9 June."

A man claiming to be a spokesman for the Anti-Fascist Action told the **Observer** that

his members had confronted the BNP on the steps of the Town Hall.

He claimed some 30 BNP supporters had intimidated people arriving for the count.

He said: "We moved in to remove them from the steps, and they turned tail and fled."

"We make no apologies for what we did. As far as we are concerned, the operation was a complete success."



Above, Rochdale **Observer** reports some of the events of the night.

SMALLBRIDGE AND WARDLEWORTH

*Abdul Hamid Chowdry (L)	1,863
Colin Greenwood (Lib-Dem)	1,851
Kenneth Henderson (BNP)	208
Michael Smith (C)	187
Percentage poll	46.2%
Spoilt papers	13
RESULT	L hold

BALDERSTONE

Allen John Brett (L)	1,440
Teresa Kathleen Rook (C)	1,039
Ian Baker (BNP)	138
Percentage poll	36.6%
Spoilt papers	8
RESULT	L hold

NEWBOLD

Peter Joseph Wardhaugh (Lib-Dem)	1,440
Linda Brosnan (L)	1,297
Frederick Alan Mead (C)	173
Janet Appleyard (BNP)	171
Percentage poll	41.62%
Spoilt papers	2
RESULT	Lib-Dem gain from L

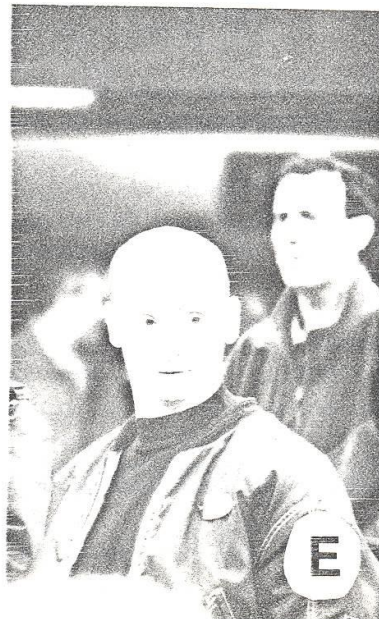
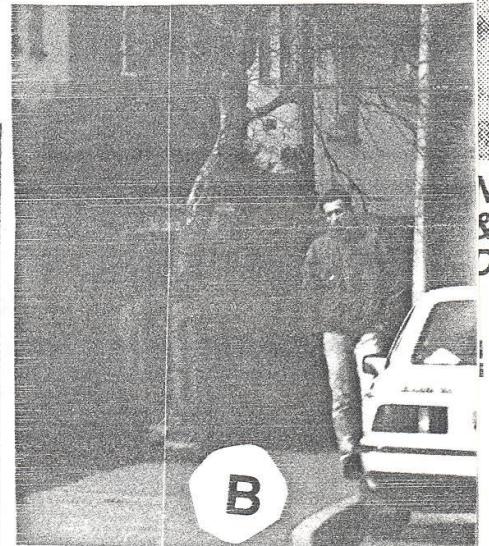
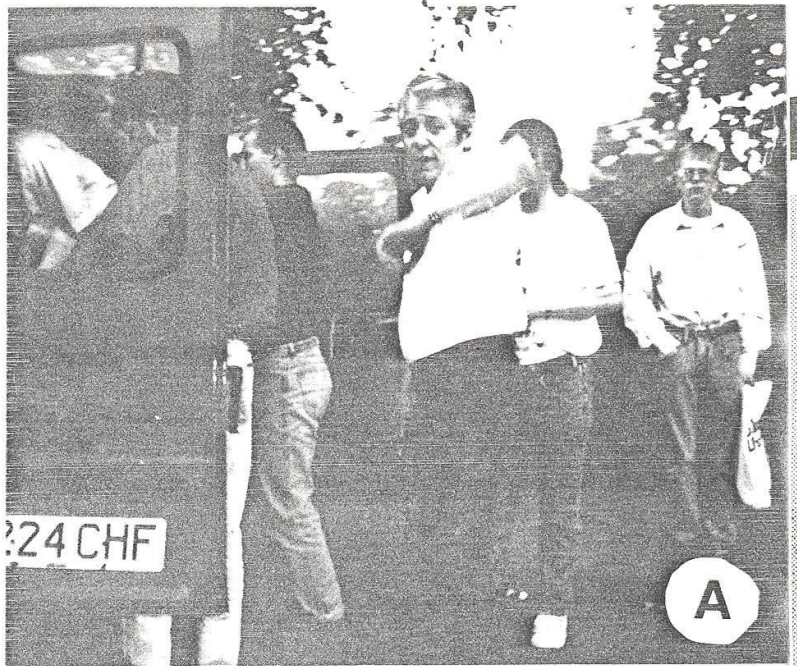
Left, results of the three BNP candidates in Rochdale. Note Henderson forces Tory into third place. Unable to control himself the local Tory candidate gets involved in a punch up with Henderson after the count at the Town Hall !!



Naziwatch Photo-call

This will be a regular feature in Naziwatch. We aim to identify with your help. North West BNP activists & supporters by putting names to faces. If you know any of these people featured or have photos of fascists you need to identify get in touch immediately

PHOTO (A) BNP MEMBERS FROM LEEDS, (B) ROCHDALE BNP SUPPORTER, (C) BNP SUPPORTERS POSSIBLY LEEDS / SCOTLAND, (D) TAKEN NEAR BLACKLEY JEWISH CEMETERY 1990, (E) BOLTON 1992, (F) ROCHDALE BNP SUPPORTER, ASSOCIATE OF RAY MARSH.



SECURITY NOTICE

Because most our monitoring is ongoing we are unable to pass on operational details in certain cases. That is not to say that we are not working in your area. The reason being, we do not want to tip off the enemy nor bring pressure on our sources by publishing evidence of our activities. This may seem obvious but people should be reminded not to give the BNP/ C18 hints into tactical planning nor explicit detail of past operations which may allow the fascists to anticipate future activities. Keep them guessing!!!



above, Wayne Taylor without hair but with can of beer, now on an AFA probation scheme.

EX-FASCIST?

Wayne Taylor, a well known fascist sympathiser has apparently decided to call it a day, again! Recently released from prison, Taylor admitted to a group of anti fascists who confronted him in a pub last month that he was fed up with it all and didn't want the hassle.

From Rochdale, but now living in Manchester, Taylor has been seen in the company of BNP members. His recent conviction for racially attacking an Arab student means that anti fascists will need more tangible evidence of his change of heart. We wait in anticipation of a miracle.



C-18 STICKER MAN

Just to let you know that the stickers put up in the Urmston area have got some juicy thumb prints on them.

* * * * * In the next issue we will be doing an in depth area round up of the North West * * * * *

THE AIMS OF THE MONITORING NETWORK

The principle aim of the Monitoring Network is to operate an information exchange for anti - fascists / anti - racists in the North West. It invites people to contact the Network with any information of racist / fascist activity in their area. Furthermore, the Network will where possible, provide intelligence to anti - fascist groups and give practical support in setting up local monitoring.

The BNP / C18 are picking up ever increasing levels of intelligence on the left / anti-fascist movement. It is vital anti-fascists are aware of the dangers of infiltration. The Network can provide anti-fascists with photographs and video material and other information so BNP activists can be identified. It has an extensive information data base, cuttings library and access to specialist monitoring equipment.

The Network will assist established anti-fascist / anti-racist groups without political preference and help new local groups or individuals to set up. If you would like to get involved with the Monitoring Network please contact the address shown in the newsletter.

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