

LaRouche: 'This is a foreign invasion'

Lyndon LaRouche made these comments on the Zapatista insurrection in his weekly radio interview with "EIR Talks" on Jan. 5. The interview is put up on satellite each week and is accessible to any radio station.

This is *not* an indigenous movement. This is, together with the Guatemala insurrection, organized from *outside* Central America. Most of these movements in Central America were organized from *outside* Central America by people such as anthropologists sometimes working under the cover of missionaries. These are *intelligence officers* of foreign intelligence services in the United States and elsewhere. We have documented this operation in the four southwestern states of Mexico, including Chiapas, *for ten years*. So this is not something that came up recently in response to the North American Free Trade Agreement [NAFTA] or anything else. *That is absolute nonsense.*

The context for the occurrence of this at this time, is not so much NAFTA; the context is an operation run through people like Luigi Einaudi, the former senior plotter for the Western Hemisphere of the State Department, a man who is less well known but much more capable, for example, than a Henry Kissinger, by far. Einaudi set up an operation whose objective is to destroy the military and church institutions, that is, the Catholic Church and the military, and other nation-state apparatus, in all of the countries south of the U.S. Rio Grande border. That's policy which we've documented in *EIR* again and again and again, in great detail, right from the documents produced by the circles of Luigi Einaudi and others.

There are those in the State Department and elsewhere who are behind this. This comes together with the first major attack on the Mexican Army as an institution. Other armies have been attacked: the attempt to destroy the Peruvian Army, which is an Indian-based army; the attempt to destroy (naturally) the Argentine Army, the Brazilian military, the Venezuelan military; the Chilean military is targeted, though it's been treated more carefully than others; and now, after El Salvador, after Guatemala, finally, these fellows get around, with Luigi Einaudi's policy, to destroying the Mexican Army.

A two-pronged attack

They have two ways they do it. They try to blame the Mexican Army—falsely—for the massacre, so called, in

Tlatelolco Square in Mexico in 1968, the so-called student shooting, which was done by snipers from the roof, who were *not* Army, and it was done *against* the Army. The snipers were shooting against the Army, as well as against the students. It was a provocation, which is a long story.

You have the simultaneous launching of [the Chiapas insurrection and] the attack on the Army on the issue of the square, where the films from that period exist which show who was doing the shooting. The São Paulo Forum movement, which is working with Cuauhtémoc Cárdenas in Mexico, accuses the Army of the massacre of 1968, which is a complete lie, and they all know it. But this is being steered from the United States, or from certain forces in the United States.

At the same time, they take a longstanding capability which has been built up on the Guatemala border in four southern states of Mexico, including Chiapas. They use in part the camps of Guatemalan refugees as one of the bases, and they use Guatemala itself as a base for organizing. The people who are doing the organizing of this Zapatista bloody sideshow are *foreign* (chiefly) anthropologists and missionaries.

These are the covers used by the foreign intelligence services, non-Mexican intelligence services, which created and are running this operation which they have built up over the past ten years, using in part the cover of the indigenous peoples' movement, which in point of fact is nothing but a foreign intelligence operation and a cover for *destroying* the nations of Central America, Peru, and so on.

The Mexican Army, which is a very small army, although a competent one, is now forced, through an attack on its borders by foreign-based, low-intensity-warfare operations against the integrity and institutions of the nation of Mexico, to act to defend its nation, just as if Cuba under Castro had sent an armed force using some U.S. recruits, say, the Weathermen, of several hundred people, into the state of Florida and was shooting up Dade County. This is a *foreign invasion*, in fact, even though it uses nationals as part of the operation. And thus the Army has to operate to defend the nation against warfare conducted covertly by a foreign nation.

Remember that Cárdenas has involved himself in the São Paulo Forum, which is run through Lula [candidate of the Workers' Party] in Brazil, which also ran the Causa R [Radical Cause] party in Venezuela, which is coordinated by the U.S. secret operations through Fidel Castro, and it is the São Paulo Forum, of which Cárdenas's movement has become a part, which is the successor to the Communist International in the attempt to destroy the Spanish- and Portuguese-speaking part of the Western Hemisphere from within, *with these kinds of low-intensity operations*. And the key, the most dangerous people involved, the most corrupt, the most evil, run under the cover of anthropologists or ethnologists, as they're called in France.