

Chile: Claim for explosive device at Center for Social Reintegration in Santiago

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On February 11, we headed for the intersection of Pedro Lagos and Arturo Prat, where the Chilean gendarmerie have their Center for Social Reintegration, and there we proceeded to place a powerful time-delayed bomb. This was a conscious and libertarian act which, far from wishing to harm passersby, sought to directly



attack not only the premises' facilities but also to in a single blow possibly take away the life of some guards, without regard to their rank or status. For us, putting an end to any of these miseries will always be a pleasure.

It is worth mentioning that the device failed, and that this clearly happened because of our mistake in its placement, and not the effective work of the police, as they are saying in the press.

Along with this, we take this opportunity to warn all those uniformed subhumans, especially Lieutenant Lagos and the gang of thugs in the privatized Santiago 1 Prison, that today we pulled together an explosive device, and tomorrow it could be 9 millimeters in your heads. Know this and know it well: the political prisoners are not to be touched.

With this explosion we greet our sisters and brothers imprisoned in various confinement centers all across the world. The always subversive Juan Aliste Vega, Marcelo Villarroel Sepúlveda and Freddy Fuentesvilla Saa, resisting with dignity from the High Security Prison after being sentenced in the spectacular Security Case.

Velvedo case (cont.)

volume of the cases will last at least two years resulting in us completing 1/3 of our original sentence before the end of our appellate trial.

Essentially, in this way they seek to abolish whatever avail the appellate trial might have, exploiting of course the elasticity of the judicial system. A system tailored to the measures of the ruling class which on one side aims at protecting the political and economic elite and on the other the exemplary extermination of the people for who the very living conditions lead them to delinquency.

Hans Niemeyer Salinas and Alejandro Astorga Valdés. Juan Flores Riquelme, Nataly Casanova Muñoz and Enrique Guzmán Amadeus, imprisoned in one of the most Dantesque trials of recent years. Tamara Sol Farías Vergara, Natalia Collado, Ignacio Muñoz, Kevin Garrido and Joaquín García. All prisoners of the Social War in Chile.

Francisco Solar and Mónica Caballero, compañeros on trial in Spain as scapegoats of the new internal enemy to combat. Compañerxs, your courage fills us with conviction.

For us it is necessary to remember that, in an Action like the one we undertook today, but now nearly seven years ago, the compañero Mauricio Morales Duarte died as a result of the premature



detonation of the explosive device he carried with him. Compañero, today you were more present than ever in our hearts. Honor and Glory to the warriors fallen in the struggle against the State/Capital. Sebastián Oversluis and Mauricio Morales: present in every blow against Power.

Political Prisoners of War, to the Streets!! To the Streets to advance the Insurrection!!

December 11th Insurreccional Cell – FAI/ FRI
Antagonist Cells of the New Urban Guerrilla

Text from Contrainfo, translation WOS

Of course as anarchists we have a clear position towards urban justice and will always stand hostile against this system and the subservient who serve it. This is why we are making this approach known and once more highlighting that authority attempts to exterminate those who resist and counter-attack the violence it enforces.

We are not making a denunciation, we are simply clarifying that no such approach, no prison and no judge can bring us to

Vigneux-sur-Seine (Essonne): When the State watches us ... without poles, no cameras

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Wednesday, February 3, 2016

They are not welcome in the neighbourhood. In the Oly estate in Vigneux-sur-Seine two new CCTV cameras in rue des Edelweiss were damaged on Tuesday evening. To overcome these prying eyes, the criminals did not hesitate to bring down the pole on which they hung. Both objects were found nearby in a local bin.

'This is the third time in a month in this area and the second time here, says Serge Poinsot, mayor (LR) of Vigneux-sur-Seine. Each time it costs us 5000 to • 6 000. As well as the financial loss that this represents for the town, it is the message sent to the authorities that calls out.'

Wednesday afternoon, in rue Edelweiss, just opposite the area where the two cameras were installed, two young people hang around. The area is known as a place for drug trafficking. 'There are no more posts, no more cameras,' says a youth on his scooter, his face completely hidden by a hood. He turns up as soon as someone unknown arrives in the street, like a lookout. He continues defiantly: 'Here is the ground as it was before. There won't be any more, we don't want that here.'

The municipality has launched a vast programme to install CCTV cameras all across the town. 'About fifty in total over 2015-2016, said the mayor. These events are worrying. We will try to think about where and how to place the cameras in order to protect them. For now, we are going to put cameras in other areas. For Oly, we'll see. We need to find the best possible place.'

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our knees and make us forget the reasons that led us to where we are.

Until the destruction of the last prison.
Giannis Mihailidis
Andreas-Dimitris Bourzoukos
Nikos Romanos
Dimitris Politis
Fivos Harisis
Argiris Dalios

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Avion (Pas-de-Calais) France: Renault dealership takes a lot.

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France 3 Nord Pas-de-Calais / Monday, January 25, 2016

About twenty new cars parked in a closed parking of a Renault dealer located in Thorez Boulevard in Avion were completely burnt out during the night, at around 2 am.

According to Dominique Ducarin, owner of the concessionary, it was a question of arson, "as footprints were found on the safety barriers." "They went over 2.50 metre barbed wire fences. They weren't able to take what they wanted so they started a fire so as not to leave any traces. They pushed one car", notes Mr Ducari who visited the site at around 2.30, while fire fighters were working with three hoses to put out the flames.

As well as the 20 burnt out vehicles, others were partially affected by the flames or the heat. According to Dominique Ducarin, waiting to take stock with his insurer, the damage could amount to at least 500 000 euros.

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Santiago, Chile: Comrades violently beaten in prison

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On Saturday, February 6, as the comrades held in Santiago 1 prison who work with Defensoria Popular [an NGO, ndt] are returning to their respective wings after meeting with their lawyers, a bastard officer shouts to one of the comrades to put his hands behind his back and pushes him, causing him to lose his balance.

Immediately the other comrades throw themselves to defend him and try to stop the official's aggression. At that point at least 10 screws materialize striking them brutally and kicking them for several minutes until Lieutenant Lagos orders five of them to be taken and transferred to the sector called "the freezer", where they are forced to get down on their knees with legs crossed, hands behind their heads facing the wall, and yelling "this is the stick!" orders his henchmen to strike them, kick them and spray them with a stinging foam. All are brutally beaten, one is left unconscious, another with a possible fractured skull, one dislocated and all are covered in bruises all over their bodies. Defensoria Popular presented a recourse to the court, denouncing the torture of the comrades by the prison guards. But we know that the field of the court is just one part, and that solidarity and support are always necessary.

As Emboscada as we send all our energy and support to the affected comrades, who have not bowed their heads and

Bloomington, Indiana, USA: Banner drop in solidarity with Fernando Bárcenas

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From Insurrection News

Responding to the call for solidarity with Fernando Bárcenas, we hung a banner with words of support for our comrade. Fernando is an anarchist imprisoned by the Mexican state for burning a Coca-Cola tree during a demonstration against the rise of Metro ticket prices.

We hope that small gestures like these will accumulate and spread, contributing to an anarchist internationalism that seeks to destroy the walls of borders and prisons alike.

Against all states, against all prisons!
Solidarity with Fernando and all rebellious prisoners!

have not submitted to the orders of the bastard officials of the gendarmerie who just want to show their power, trying to impose a servile, passive and submissive attitude on prisoners, something that did not happen this time, arousing the fury of the screws.

We greet all the other prisoners who resist the hostility of the jail and jailers in a dignified way, heads held high. Strength comrades !!

In addition to this, we are making a call to solidarity, to show that our prisoners are not alone. Now more than ever is the time to act.

May no aggression remain unanswered !!
Let's return every blow to the enemies.

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(CHILE) THIRD COMMUNIQUE OF THE INDIVIDUALISTS TENDING TOWARD THE WILD

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Incendiary attack on a bus by ITS – Chile
We are the poisonous arrows that the ancients used against their prey and their enemies. We are the flame of the bonfire that warms in the cold. We are the pagan dances and cries in the name of the Unknown. We are the snow on the mountain tops. We are the virgin soil, free of civilization. We are the lava flowing from the volcano. We are the warning calls of the birds.

We are the quiet of the wolf stalking its prey. We are the strength of the ants. We are the wave that wipes cities from face of the Earth. We are the killer earthquake that brings down buildings. We are the wind become hurricane. WE ARE UNKNOWN WILD NATURE!

We came out of our hiding place, like the rabbit comes out of its hole in the



darkness and silence of night. This time we came out in plain daylight.

We frolic in the mountains, rivers, and meadows. But we wander in the city in search of its defects and imperfections,

seeking all that is of civilization and human progress. We know its times, its hours and moments, the daily grind of civilization hides us.

This is a Declaration of War.

War against the Technological system, science, and the modern hyper-civilized man. We detest and spit on all of that. We cling to our most primitive and wild instincts; instincts which all the civilization and technology in the world could never erase from our being. Guile, patience, determination, and daring are the ingredients of this war. It was in this manner that on Tuesday, February 16th, we abandoned a homemade explosive charge on the 210 Bus of the Trans-Santiago Route. We achieved the

successful result of completely burning that machine of civilization. And it would not have mattered to us in the least if some bystander was hurt in the process. Our acts are beyond that foolish classism. We look down on masses, the people, or whatever you want to call them. We only care about ourselves, our people, and

wild nature.

Our fire / attack was in the name of all that is wild and natural. We contaminate their cities with smoke and disturb the civilized



air. We do this in the name of all of the rivers, oceans, the poles, the fields, and forests poisoned by human progress. In the name of every animal species made extinct by techno-civilized progress. The moonlight of the night before filled us with the wild force of the universe. In its name, the name of the stars, planets, and galaxies, IT WAS AS WELL.

We are a sect of pagans, southerners and uncivilized. With our fire we will seek to attack the infrastructure of civilization, accepting the final consequences of our



actions. With every attack we defend our instincts since we refuse to form part of the robotic mass that only cares about money or sex.

The Eco-Extremist tendency spreads from north to south, from east to west. We are accomplices to its ideas and acts, forming part of it. We are giving life to an international project against civilization. Because we are the bullets to the head, the mail-bombs, the indiscriminate bombings and the incinerating fire, we are: Individualists Tending Toward the Wild – Chile

The Winter Earth First! Newsletter is Out!

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From Earth First!

This issue of Earth First! News includes updates and actions in defense of Mother Earth from October through December 2015, as well as a feature on the direct-actionistas in Canada shutting down pipelines, updated prisoner pages (including arrestees facing charges), and our current eco-action group directory.

Earth First! News is a great way to keep those without internet access—like prisoners and treesitters—in the loop of eco-resistance. Print copies for your local infoshop, school library, coffee spot; wherever would-be radicals might be seeking spiritual guidance.

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via: <https://itsgoingdown.org/winter-earth-first-newsletter/>

With this we publicly declare that a campaign of attack is underway, with the complicity and coordination of ITS in Mexico and Chile, and other countries... A conspiratorial greeting from the eco-extremists and each group of ITS of Mexico. Let it be known that there is also war in the south. To the “Terrorist-Savage Behaviors” and “Uncivilized Conducts”. To the eco-anarchists of the “Karr-kai Cell” and “Kapibara Group.” If technology and progress are international, why not the acts of resistance against them as well? Individualist Tending Toward the Wild: – Uncivilized Southerners.

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Greece: Attempted escape by helicopter at Korydallos Prisons

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Secours rouge, February 23, 2016

This Sunday, a woman armed with a gun tried to divert to Athens a tourist helicopter that had taken off from the island of Kythnos and was to pick up 5 other passengers in Theologos. She aimed at the pilot and told him to land in the courtyard of Korydallos prison, where many political prisoners are currently imprisoned. After a struggle and three shots where no one was injured, the helicopter landed in a rural area and the woman was able to escape. According to the Greek police ballistics, the shots were fired with a weapon that had been attributed to Nikos Maziotis, a member of Revolutionary Struggle locked up in Korydallos. The police therefore suspect Pola Roupa, his companion and comrade still in hiding, of trying to help him escape.

There have already been two escapes by helicopter from Korydallos prison in the past, which were for bank robbers.

Authorities find cell bars cut at Korydallos Prison

Just a few days after a botched attempt to break Nikos Maziotis out of Athens’s Korydallos Prison via helicopter, a prosecutor on Wednesday ordered an investigation into allegations that several inmates were orchestrating their escape from the same maximum-security jail. Following an on-site inspection, investigators found that several cell bars had been cut and then disguised to appear normal. The cut bars were found in the same wing where Maziotis is being held. It was not known if the two cases are connected.

Meanwhile, authorities said on Wednesday that jails across the country were on high alert following Sunday’s incident, adding that additional measures would be introduced to secure facilities against similar attempts. scummedia

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Appeal trial for the double bank robbery Velvendo case. – Greece

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Our appeal trial for the Velvendo case was set for April 20th 2016 in the female wing of Korydallos prisons. The first instance decision was made in October 2014, when we were convicted for the double expropriation (at the ATE bank and the Post office) that took place in February 2013 in the village of Velvendo. The procedure of the first instance trial was for us a period during which we were once more able to become one with the world of struggle.

We were able to get away, even if just for the few hours each session lasted, from the asphyxiating world of prison and feel the objective force of solidarity. The constant presence of comrades in solidarity at the trial was for us a confirmation that even in a hostile environment, with the particular weight of the symbolism of authority being bluntly enforced, no comrade is alone. Therefore, after a procedure that lasted a year, the judges acquitted us of the charge of integration and participation in the organization C.C.F. and imposed sentences of 16 years for 5 of us and 11 years to D. Politis for direct complicity. However, although we are not accused with law 187A of being a “terrorist” organization, the appellate prosecutor Georgios Gerakis decided to refer us to the same judges that will try the appellate courts of the C.C.F. The cases of Volos in 2011, the armed clash in Pefki as well as the ruling for the arrests of comrades A.Mitrousias, G.Karagiannidis, K.Sakkas and S.Antoniou.

In a nutshell, G. Gerakis has referred five different rulings to a common appellate trial on April 20th.

For us, the approach behind this choice by the appellate prosecutor is clear, it is one more attempt from the side of authority to keep all anarchist fighters in prison for as long as possible, independently of their sentence. Practically therefore, what is attempted is an appellate trial, which because of the



THERE IS NO COMPROMISE WITH THE STATE! OSMAN EVCAN IS ON HUNGER STRIKE!

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Despite the oppressions like exile, naked body search, cameras in cells, banning of letters and visitors, blocking vegan food Osman Evcan, didn't took a step back and he has started his indefinite hunger strike starting from the 22 February, 2016. Because fear, submission and consenting, crushes the bodies under the heaviness of power of the state. State's efforts to depersonalize political individuals with systematic pressures, should be smashed under Osman's resistance. There is no middle way with the state who is establishing the policy of eliminating the prisoners on price-punishment order. Osman Evcan's struggle is towards the authority. Only way to prove that he does not obey the authority, he does not accept the authority, is to setting forth his body. They can only destroy and divide political identities with murder, not with prison practices.

We summon everyone to share Osman Evcan's struggle, who is fighting against state, surveillance and control, whether outside or inside.

Insurrection is essential for freedom to come into leaf.

Fire to the cells!

Abc İstanbul

Hands off the Calais Jungle! solidarity action in london UK against Creative France event

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Yesterday evening (23 February), in response to the call for international solidarity with the Calais Jungle facing eviction, 30 to 40 people stormed into an elite party hosted by the French ambassador. The party was being held in private members club "Shoreditch House" in the east London hipster heartland, to launch a "Creative France" business campaign promoting hi-tech surveillance cameras, robots and other gadgets. The event was scheduled to start at 6.30PM. About 6.45, most of the mob easily pushed their way through the main entrance, while some others came in through a side door. Security guards reacted late and a scrum ensued in one bar area, while some made it up to the event area on the 5th floor. Rubbish was strewn in the lobby area. Smoke bombs were set off, which led to fire alarms going off and parts of the building being evacuated.

After the initial scuffles, most of the mob were outside blocking the doors with banners and leafletting the crowds that gathered, including the kitchen workers who had been evacuated. Police cordoned off the streets around and called for TSG riot squad back-up to clear the demonstration. Just as the TSG arrived, everyone left together with no arrests or injuries.

In all, the event was shut down for about 45 minutes. One mainstream media article stated that the ambassador was inside the building but got out early. Meanwhile in Calais, so far people in the jungle have refused to move from the south zone facing clearance. Today (24 February) a judge will issue a ruling on an appeal against the mass eviction.

Depending on the outcome of that ruling, and on the state's response, the attack could start within hours, or the waiting game could drag on for weeks or more. In any case, may last night's demo be just a small beginning in a cross-border campaign of solidarity: to put pressure on

the French state and its collaborators from many directions, and make sure attacks on migrants do not go unnoticed or unanswered.



Below is the text of the leaflet distributed last night.

Solidarity with Calais migrants! No Borders – No Concentration Camps.

In Calais, the French state is clearing the "Jungle", a refugee slum built on muddy wasteland. 8PM tonight is the deadline given to 3,500 people living in the "South Zone" to get out or face the teargas and bulldozers.

The jungle is a place of squalor and hardship – but also of life, self-organisation and solidarity. Refugees and volunteers together have built houses, shops, cafes, schools, libraries, churches and mosques, a women's centre, meeting places.

All of this will be destroyed. Instead, France offers 1500 places in a camp of metal containers, fenced and guarded, with access controlled by palm print scanners. For the other thousands, nothing is said.

The people of the jungle refuse to move into a prison camp.

But this is not just their battle. Across Europe, the walls are going up again. Some of the technologies of control and surveillance are new, developed by the high-tech "creative" industries the French government is celebrating at tonight's event. But the scenes are all too familiar. "First they came for the migrants ...". This is the battle of all of us who don't want to go back to a time of razorwire fences and concentration camps, of murderous nationalism and authoritarian "states of emergency".

Borders are weapons of fear and division, used by the elites to carve up the world's wealth and turn us against each other. Against their vicious world of borders, let's create networks of solidarity and cultures of openness ... and cut down their fences everywhere.

rabble.

Greece – Update from Network of Imprisoned Fighters (DAK) on Korydallos prison protests

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In the context of mobilizations in Korydallos prison, we decided to escalate our actions and we are keeping the yard open for two extra hours starting tonight. The prison lockdown will be postponed to 19:20 instead of 17:15.

Four prison wings participate in this mobilization and since our demands remain unfulfilled we'll continue to escalate our action.

The majority of prisoners remained outside during the entire protest in D wing. Photos are from D wing.

Network of Imprisoned Fighters insurrectionnewswworldwide

Montauban (Tarn-et-Garonne): Factory reduced to ashes, perpetrators arrested

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La Dépêche du Midi/ February 2, 2016 The Montauban police in charge of investigations into the arson that destroyed the storage depot of the textile company Ligne T on December 21 have arrested the alleged perpetrators. Three young people aged about twenty years. A million and a half euros' damage to essential business machinery destroyed by fire ... On the night of 20 to 21 December, a large part of the company Ligne T, specializing in professional

Genoa – Solidarity with Carlo, a comrade accused of instigation to commit acts of terrorism

20.02.16

We receive the text of a poster put up in Genoa in solidarity with Carlo, an anarchist comrade charged with writing a piece published on informa-azione.info and accused of 'instigation to commit acts of terrorism' following his criticism of those who took a distance from the attack on Finmeccanica managing director Adinolfi:



NO PEACE FOR THOSE WHO WAGE WAR
COMPLICITY WITH THOSE WHO STRUGGLE
WITH THE DECLARATION OF A SUPPOSED WAR OF CIVILISATIONS, THE POWERFUL OF THE WORLD ARE CALLING ON THEIR SUBJECTS IN THE NAME OF EITHER THE NATION OR RELIGION.
THROUGH THE CREATION OF PERMANENT STATES OF EMERGENCY THE STATE IS REVISING ITS LAWS IN ORDER TO FURTHER ENCAGE THE REMAINING SPACES OF FREEDOM

In a climate of security paranoia increased by the massacre in Paris, an anarchist comrade from Genoa has been charged for publicly challenging the authors of a

clothing, went up in smoke in the activity area of Albasud, in Montauban, leaving behind about thirty employees in fear of being laid off and a huge sense of waste. One month and six days later, the Montauban police arrested the alleged perpetrators of the arson. A girl of 20 years and her 19-year-old brother living in Nègrepelisse were arrested. Another young man of 19 years, resident of Montbartier and friend of the first boy was also held in custody at Montauban police station. The trio confessed to the deed. During their hearings, three suspected arsonists explained that that evening they had gone to a restaurant in the Albasud

piece that takes distance from the attack on engineer Roberto Adinolfi, kneecapped by Nicola and Alfredo, two anarchists currently locked up in the prison of Ferrara, on 7th May 2012.

At the time Adinolfi was managing director of Ansaldo Nucleare, one of the tentacles of octopus Finmeccanica, a company always involved in the market of war and repression, to such an extent that it plays a prominent role in developing international war scenarios.

The comrade from Genoa is under investigation with the charge of instigation to commit acts of terrorism, an offence for which the possibility of being sentenced is constantly extended by every post-emergency bill. In recent years other comrades have been struck by the same kind of investigation, and some have even been sentenced for publicly spreading texts, articles and communiqués that were evidently unacceptable for the State and its spies... the Forces of Order, intelligence services and the judiciary are using the new antiterrorism bills to extirpate any desire for attack for freedom.

FROM THE CALIPHATE TO NATO
THOSE WHO USE INDISCRIMINATE VIOLENCE AGAINST POPULATIONS ARE STATES!
LET'S DESERT THE WESTERN FRONT!
LET'S SABOTAGE THE DEADLY ORDER OF CONSTANT WAR!
LET'S DESTROY THE MACHINE OF SOCIAL CONTROL!
SOLIDARITY WITH CARLO!
SOLIDARITY WITH THE COMRADES IN STRUGGLE OUTSIDE AND INSIDE THE PRISONS!

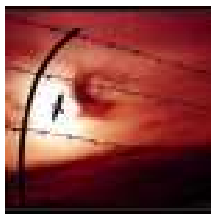
In solidarity from Genoa
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area. One of the boys did not have a driving license and wanted to "learn". The trio set their sights on a Peugeot 205 parked out of sight against the walls of the Ligne T enterprise. Failing in his attempt to steal the vehicle, the suspects then decided to cover their tracks and burn the car. We know the result. The fire spread to the whole building and could have gone even further in this area full of warehouses.

The three youths were released from custody. They have been summoned before the criminal court of Montauban on April 12 by the judicial police. Attaque

Italy – News from the court of Turin

21.02.16



Italy – News from the court of Turin
Several trials were held against comrades today Febbraio 9, 2016 in Turin. Let's start with the trial against Lucio Alberti, Francesco Sala and Graziano Mazzarelli, which we have had occasion to talk about many times in recent months.

As a solidarity demo was taking place outside the court, the hearing began with the judges' refusal to meet the three comrades' demand to have the doors opened to the public, as they were concerned about wasting precious time given many appeal trials scheduled for the morning. In fact proceedings were really fast: after the prosecutors demanded that the first grade sentences be reconfirmed and the defence lawyers that sentences be reduced for Lucio and Francesco and annulled for Graziano, the judges withdrew for half an hour then returned to the courtroom to read the sentences. Lucio and Francesco were sentenced to 2 years and 2 months, whereas the first grade sentence of 2 years and 10 months against Graziano was reconfirmed. We'll have to wait the canonical 90 days judges have at their disposal to produce the official reasons for the different treatment. Given that the sentences were reduced by a third owing to the abbreviated procedure trial chosen by the defendants, Lucio and Francesco were formally sentenced to 3 years and 3 months, Graziano to more than 4 years.

In a nearby courtroom there was also one of the final hearings of the trial against Erika, Paolo, Toshi, Luigi and Marco for having opposed a police raid against migrants in February last year. We've also talked about this investigation, when the five comrades were jailed and later put under house arrest. After the witnesses' statements the judges set a hearing for 17th February for prosecutors' and defence lawyers' speeches and probably the sentence.

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Spain – Feb 29-March 6: Week in solidarity with Mónica Caballero and Francisco Solar

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We call for solidarity with our comrades Monica and Francisco, the week of February 29 to March 6, to inform and make visible their situation!
THEY CAN'T STOP US

On 8, 9 and 10 March 2016 the trial against the anarchists Monica Caballero and Francisco Solar will be held at the National Court in Madrid. The two comrades are more than two years in pre-trial detention.

The charges against them are three of [property] damage, conspiracy and membership of a criminal organization with terrorist aims, which is why the prosecution calls for a sentence of 44 years in prison for each.

Their arrests were the first in a series of anti-terrorist operations in Catalonia, Madrid and Palencia, operating under the name of Operation Pandora and Piñata totaling more than 40 people charged to be part of this alleged "terrorist" organization.

But what is this organization?

The acronym of the Coordination of Anarchist Groups (GAC) are those that the police operations have used to build this imaginary organization.

But what precisely is GAC?

It is a project coordinating statewide anarchist groups whose intention is to help create a strong and cohesive anarchist movement. Coordination based on the principles of solidarity, mutual support and direct action.

They have held public campaigns in support of persecuted anarchists, and in 2013 published a book called "Against Democracy" where an analysis of different political structures is performed accompanied by proposals, made under the prism of individual freedom and anti-authoritarianism, etc.

Anyway, the obvious fact is that in no case is it a terrorist organization, since none of the actions they are accusing Monica and Francisco of, or the other defendants in other operations, have been claimed with these acronyms.

The alleged terrorist organization "GAC" is an absolute police construction to

which judges and prosecutors have given credit, a good opportunity to discredit, criminalize and wipe out an ideology and practices that historically have contributed and contribute to the fight against power in its multiple mechanisms. Since long before the arrest of Monica and Francisco, November 2013, in a period of rising tension and social resistance in the streets, it has been seen how repression has increased against those who fight against oppression, including against anarchists. In this context they have also implemented significant legal changes to increase the repression, like the law of public security, reform of the penal code and the signing of a new anti-terrorism pact.

We have also witnessed how these changes translated into constant arrests, prosecutions and convictions of people struggling, we remember many processes opened like those indicted for the Strike of 29M, the Can routes, the case of the blockade of the Parliament, the 3 of Lleida, etc. but also those who dared to show their displeasure; Other lawsuits are for such ridiculous things as merely commenting on social networks or writing lyrics, even – so far confirming the joke about puppeteers that ended in prison for "glorifying terrorism" when they criticized the repression against anarchists.

The trial against Monica and Francisco, is not the final judgment, but a beginning that can grow a precedent that may affect current and future struggles.

They are creating a fictitious organization where everyone has a place. What looks like a mockery of common sense ceases to be more and more as people fill the prisons of the Spanish state. The accusation of terrorism, or failing that of "glorification" serves as a kind of magic wand with which the state seeks to do away with the various forms of opposition to its omnipresence and repression. We call for solidarity with comrades Monica and Francisco the week of February 29 to March 6, to inform and make visible their situation! And of course, so to let Monica and Francisco feel that they are not alone facing this trial that wants to devour their freedom and their lives!

Freedom for Monica and Francisco!

via contramadrid:
(via 325)

Call-out for international support against Calais evictions and against the borders.

22.02.16

One more time, the French government – in collusion with the UK – has announced plans to evict the homes and shelters of many undocumented people living in Calais. People have until 20:00 on Tuesday 23rd February to leave the Southern half of the Jungle. According to the government, those resident in the eviction zone should move, disappear, be put behind walls, be locked up or deported. The only reason for this, their lack of regularized status. Eviction notices were served on Friday. Many inhabitants of the Jungle, supported by associations, served a complaint against the eviction and destruction of the camp. This appeal will be heard in court in Lille on Tuesday, 23rd February at 2pm. The judge presiding over the case will visit the Jungle on Tuesday morning. These are the facts so far.

The announcement to destroy the Jungle is not surprising to us. For years the government and the prefecture of Calais have systematically destroyed the homes of people without papers. For years undocumented people have been beaten by police and fascists. For years the sans papiers of Calais have had their possessions stolen or destroyed. For years people have been forced to live in fear and insecurity.

The jungle, as it is today, is a ghetto created by the French government after a series of evictions of squats and other jungles last year. It is not possible to say that this Jungle is either good or bad. There are people living together autonomously, in diversity, and in community but there is also squalor, infighting, racism, and violence. It is far from a utopia. In this case it is too simple to use the rhetoric of pity and victimisation but on the other hand it is also too easy to condemn the Jungle for its problems. For better or for worse the Jungle is a space where people are allowed to live. It is a space worth fighting for. This is a practical fight, to defend a place to live (though transitory, precarious, and segregated) but it is also a symbolic fight, carving out a space for undocumented people to live publicly and to not be hidden and concentrated within a container camp.

Right now in the Calais camp there are still more than 5,000 undocumented people. Many more are on their way. It is the political strength and spirit of the people in transit that shakes the foundations of the ordered state and challenges the plans of government, in a way that no 'legal' resistance ever could.

No "better" jungle is needed, no humanitarian solution can be found. What we need is to go beyond the European rhetoric of humanitarianism because with every purely humanitarian gesture we become apologists for Europe's colonial, racist, and never ending war against the outsider. What is needed is anti-capitalist and anarchist solidarity, the overthrow of governments and the destruction of Europe's borders. What is needed is the regularization of status and freedom of movement for all.

We have seen seven years of camp destructions in a relentless war of attrition. We must not be fooled by or perpetuate the state's false promises. In January, some of the camp's inhabitants issued a statement announcing their plans to peacefully resist the eviction, and now we must show them the maximum solidarity in their struggle. CMS calls for international actions of solidarity with the people of the Jungle.

We call on people to organise urgent action now and in the coming weeks against any companies, corporations or governments, French or British which are involved in the eviction of the Jungle and facilitate the repressive operations in Calais.

From:calaismigrantsolidarity

Italy – Anarchist comrade Mattia Zanotti is free!

21.02.16



We've just heard that Mattia was released from house arrest. After twenty-seven months between prison and house arrest he's now finally free without restrictions. Chiara Zenobi, Claudio Alberto and Niccolò Blasi are still being held under house arrest as they haven't submitted any request for release as yet.

From:macerie

Translated by act for freedom now!

9 cars burnt in Mulheim, Germany, by Wildfire Cell – ALF/ELF/FAI

24.02.16



In the early hours of February 14th, we set fire to the urban-cemetery of Mulheim An Der Ruhr, burning nine cars by placing home made incendiary devices on the tires. To us all cars are equally disgusting and toxic machines of the techno-industrial system, so we burn them indiscriminately, choosing not to limit ourselves to targeting some abstract definition of "luxury" cars.

This attack was an act of vengeance for all the nonhuman comrades crushed on the roads of human "progress", and whose lives and homes are destroyed every day to produce cars for the smooth functioning of society and the accumulation of power to the hands of the corporations destroying our home, the natural environment.

We chose to act one day before the original date of the court case for the attempted escape of Conspiracy of Cells of Fire – Imprisoned Members Cell, to stand with them until all prisons are ashes and ruins, and all human and nonhuman comrades are free.

We also send our greetings, love and rage to Monica Caballero and Francisco Solar, whose court trial has been set for the 8th, 9th and 10th of March for the bombing of two churches in Spain.

This is a gesture of complicity in the war for total liberation.

Onward with the violent rejection of civilization and its values.

Until all are free!

Wildfire Cell – ALF/ELF/FAI