

A BRIEF HISTORY OF AMERICAN NATIONAL SOCIALISM by NSM Michigan

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The German-American Bund (Amerikadeutscher Bund)

The Teutonia Association (founded in Detroit in 1924) served as an inspiration for the group Friends of the New Germany which would become the German-American Bund in 1936. While the Bund and the N.S. German government had no official connection to one another, it was widely believed that Ernst Wilhelm Bohle's Foreign Organization was surreptitiously funneling literature from the Reich into the hands of selected members. *

Much to do has been made about the public rallies of the (which sometimes numbered in the tens of thousands and included throngs of extended right arms and even brown shirt uniforms!), but less spoken of are the Summer youth camps situated in Wisconsin, New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania. Boys and girls alike were herein schooled in outdoor survival, physical fitness, and political theory. Despite enemy claims to the contrary, most photos of the participants at those camps show groups of happy and enthusiastic children and youth who were in no way 'pressured' or 'brainwashed' by 'Nazi propaganda.'

After spokesman Fritz Kuhn was arrested and imprisoned on fraud/embezzlement based charges, and with the anti-German mood in the U.S. growing stronger, the began to lose members and support. It was officially disbanded on December 8, 1941, the day after Pearl Harbor was bombed by the Japanese.

* This author has a small booklet titled "What the Germans Have Contributed to World Progress." Judging by the font and paper type, and given that the last date given was 1934, this book is likely one of such items. Perhaps even more telling, there is no indication of an author or mailing address anywhere in the booklet. Said item was purchased for the grand total of \$1.00 during the 1990's!

Robert Henry Best (a.k.a., "Mr. Guess Who")

A native of South Carolina, Robert Best served as a reporter for United Press during the post WWI years in both Austria and Germany. On December 7, 1941 (a.k.a., "Pearl Harbor Day"), Best was among a group of 145 U.S. journalists arrested and jailed by German authorities. After a short stint, he petitioned for and received a job with the German Reichsrundfunk which served as the broadcasting arm for Dr. Josef Goebbels' Ministry Of Public Enlightenment.

Under the pseudonym of "Mr. Guess Who", Robert Best used the microphone to

expound upon the horrors of Soviet Communism, the Roosevelt administration and the sinister force of Jewry. According to fellow broadcaster Donald Day, however, Robert Best was never a member of the National Socialist party and refused to don any uniforms or symbols associated with it.

In a move considered bizarre by some, Robert Best occasionally urged American listeners to write his name in for every position on every voting ballot across the U.S. as a protest vote.

Captured on an Austrian farm by British soldiers on February 10, 1946, Best was eventually tried for treason in Boston, Massachusetts. He would be convicted and sentenced to life in prison on April 16 (which, coincidentally, was also his 52nd birthday.) Robert Best died from complications arising from an earlier cerebral hemorrhage on December 16, 1952. His remains were buried in a South Carolina Methodist cemetery. (Information on Robert H. Best taken from the book "Berlin Calling")

Mildred Gillars (a.k.a., "Axis Sally")

Mildred was born on November 29, 1900 in Portland Maine. After moving to Ohio and then New York, the theatrical actress moved to France in 1929 and worked as a model. By 1934, she took up a career as a broadcaster in Berlin. Her broadcasts were largely devoid of political leanings until 1942. Under the tutelage of program director Max Otto Koischwitz, Mildred began broadcasting under the name "Midge At the Mic." Her voice could be described as both haunting and alluring, and her style was blunt and forceful.

In one particular broadcast (which would later be used in part as evidence at her 1949 treason trial), Mildred told her American listeners that she would rather "...die for Germany than live for one hundred years on milk and honey in the Jewish America of today!" Her broadcasts also included up to date notices of American killed and wounded in combat as well as exhortations directed toward American women and parents at home to stand up against Roosevelt and the assorted Jewish forces behind the war.

Her last broadcast from the Reichsrundfunk building took place on May 6, 1945 (when the structure was said to have been almost completely deserted). After living in the ruins of post WWII Germany, Mildred was captured and returned home for a much publicized 'treason' trial and conviction. Paroled in 1961, she took up residence in a Catholic convent where she earned her keep as a music teacher. On June 25, 1988, Mildred passed away from cancer.

Most of her neighbors were shocked to learn that the aged Miss Gillars had at one time been a "Nazi propagandist", yet reporters were further shocked when, after hearing about her past, colleagues and acquaintances held firm in their praise for the work she did on behalf of their children and local schools. Statements such as "We loved her" and "She was great with our children" ultimately served as lasting epitaphs to the memory of Mildred Gillars.

Douglas Chandler (a.k.a., "Paul Revere")

A contemporary and comrade to both Robert Best and Mildred Gillars, Chandler is (to the best of this author's knowledge) the only American so called "radio traitor" to have met Adolf Hitler face to face (According to the book "Berlin Calling", Chandler interviewed the aspiring Hitler in 1922).

Doug Chandler's broadcasts were geared toward the patriotic attitude of the Americans of his time and included many references to the colonial spirit of defiance embraced by the first Americans.

Douglas Chandler was tried for treason in 1946 and convicted of the same on July 30, 1947. President Kennedy would eventually commute his life sentence and set him free in 1963. One of the conditions, however, was that Chandler leave the U.S. In a kind of 'happy ending', he eventually relocated to the Fatherland. Information on his death are somewhat contradictory with some sources claiming he died in Spain in 1976 with other sources claiming he was living with his daughter in Germany until the end of his life.

George Lincoln Rockwell

A decorated Naval Commander during WWII, Rockwell's eventual founding of the American Nazi Party could be seen as ironic. Working on the demolitions team, he would help to sink 2 Axis ships during the war (an action he later deeply regretted). By 1951, after reading Mein Kampf and talking with early N.S. Activist DeWest Hooker, George Lincoln Rockwell became a dedicated National Socialist.

Chapters of the A.N.P. opened around the country and were regularly attacked by forces such as the Jewish American War Veterans and the various Communist/Marxist groups of the day. At least one police raid and a perpetual shortage of funds also hindered progress for the A.N.P., although Rockwell and his followers always seemed to bounce back from such obstacles with renewed strength and vigor.

On August 25, 1967, Commander Rockwell, the courageous leader of the American Nazi Party since its February 1959 inception, was assassinated in Arlington, Virginia. The full details of said assassination are murky and unexplained to this day, yet most observers are skeptical that convicted assassin (and former party member) John Patler worked alone.

Both friend and foe alike largely believed that the party would fall overnight and disappear into the obscurity of history. After the Commander's assassination, Matt Koehl, who had been Rockwell's research chief, emerged as his successor and Commander of the National Socialist White People's Party. (1.)

In 1973, purging and defections became the order of the day. California Captain Joseph Tommasi was expelled from the party, allegedly for accepting money from the Republican Party to disrupt the Democratic campaign. (See N.S.L.F. entry below) In 1983, the Arlington headquarters was shut down, the name officially changed to The New Order (2.) and full time operations moved to Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said organization's headquarters was called "Nordland" and stood on the site of a former training ground for the German-American Bund. Some prominent visitors to the

headquarters included the post WWII National Socialist philosopher Savitri Devi and Adolf Hitler's personal pilot Hans Bauer.

Matt Koehl passed away at age 79 from "complications due to cancer." on October 10, 2014. Long time National Socialist activist Martin Kerr assumed leadership of the group and, as of July 2015, the NS Bulletin resumed publication.

Allan Vincent/National Socialist White Workers Party (N.S.W.P.P.)

Allan Lee Vincent started out fighting shoulder to shoulder with Commander Rockwell in 1964. Almost immediately following Rockwell's death, Vincent split with the old N.S.W.P.P. to form the National Socialist White Worker's Party. Displaying exceptional bravery in the face of adversity, it was not unusual to see Vincent in full uniform bringing the message of National Socialism to crowds in the form of one man rallies across the state of California. Those wishing to see this man and his brave storm troopers in action need only rent the video 'California Reich', a documentary made about the West Coast Nazi movement of the late 1970's.

Vincent's activity continued up until the early 1980's when the brave warrior at last went into what amounted to a state of retirement. In 1997, Vincent returned to active duty as chief adviser to the newly reformed National Socialist Movement. This activity included at least one rally-turned-riot in April of 1998 in which the then 66 year old Vincent was said to have put up a front line fight against hundreds of U.S. communists and anarchists. Sadly, this brave warrior for our people from throat cancer on July 11, 1999.

It should also be mentioned briefly here that a group bearing the name 'N.S.W.W.P.' existed for a time in West Palm Beach, Florida during the early 1990's, however this group was not known to have any official ties to Vincent's earlier movement.

National Socialist Movement (N.S.M.)

The National Socialist Movement was founded by Ohio resident and former N.S.W.P.P. Member Robert Brannen in 1974. The exact date of membership in the N.S.W.P.P. is unknown, however it is believed he joined the Arlington crew just after the death of Commander Rockwell. His overall movement history extended to World War II era activity with Father Charles Coughlin and a stint with a Klan faction soon thereafter.

The N.S.M. eventually came to be something of an umbrella group for organizations such as the National Socialist Liberation Front, the National Socialist Party of America and the SS Action Group, although by the late 1970's many Comrades within these groups had broken away from the group.

Originally a member of the Cincinnati branch of the N.S.W.P.P, Clifford Herrington moved to Oklahoma around 1975 to set up an N.S.M. affiliate organization called Local Group Rockwell. His involvement with the N.S.M. continued until at least 1994, although this comrade appears to have taken on a more low key persona in recent years.

The N.S.M. was later resurrected (with the blessings of the by then aging and ailing

Brannen) in the mid-1990's under the capable leadership of Commander Jeff Schoep . At the time this essay was written, the reconstructed N.S.M. had units in the cities of Minneapolis, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Louisiana, Ohio, Kansas, New York and Nebraska. They have also worked closely with the National Socialist Irish Worker's Party as well as N.S. comrades in England and Serbia.

It should be further stated that the N.S.M. is the only National Socialist group in existence at this time (Spring of 2016) that holds uniformed public demonstrations. Regardless of the possible public misinterpretations and risks involved, this type of activity goes a long way toward putting both friend and foe on notice that the National Socialist struggle did NOT end in 1945.

Fred Cowan

On February 14, 1977, openly Nazi Fred Cowan (a weight lifter of tremendous proportions who was also a U.S. army veteran) committed what was most likely the first post 1945 National Socialist armed assault with known fatalities against the powers that be in New Rochelle, New York. Bursting into the furniture moving company that had suspended him the week before, the and black beret and brown shirt wearing Cowan fired at two of his black coworkers, killing both of them instantly. As another black employee turned to run, he too was cut down by high powered rifle. Continuing into the workplace, Fred fired through the cafeteria window, killing an Indian immigrant. Within approximately 10 minutes from the beginning of the rampage, a White police officer arrived on the scene and yelled for the shooter to surrender. Cowan responded by firing at him (the cop later died). In the ensuing hours, several more police officers were wounded by gunfire as this one man "Einsatzgruppe" continued to exchange gunfire with the system's troops.

The main target of wrath, his Jewish boss, escaped unharmed and Fred Cowan was found dead by the police later that evening, ostensibly the victim of a self administered gunshot to the head. (3) While the objects of assault were certainly petty and not worthy of the loss of his life, the spirit and raw courage that he showed on that day have seldom been equaled. The N.S.M., while lamenting the waste of this 33 year old man's life, vigorously defended his valor in their bulletins that followed the attack. This author also published a personal tribute to him in the late Summer/Early Fall 1992 issue of "On Guard!" magazine.

Frank Spisak

Whereas Cowan's assault was what Time magazine described as a one man Blitzkrieg, 32 year old Ohio National Socialist Frank Spisak's campaign stretched throughout the latter part of 1982 and encompassed the shooting deaths of at least two Blacks and one liberal (possibly Jewish) college employee. When the action and trial proceedings had ended, was sentenced to death for the murders on August 10, 1983. At the conclusion of his sentencing statement, Frank proclaimed a loud and unapologetic ' Hitler' to the courtroom.

Frank Spisak was executed via lethal injection on February 17, 2011 at the Southern Ohio Correctional Facility. His last words were read (in the German language) from Chapter 21 of the Book Of Revelations, and his last letter (sent the night before his execution) was mailed to this author.

The National Socialist Party of America (N.S.P.A.)

Rivaled only by the N.S.W.W.P., the Chicago based National Socialist Party of America was one of the most active groups from June 23, 1970 until around 1982 in terms of street rallies. This small but determined band of Storm Troopers participated in literally hundreds of demonstrations and mini-demonstrations during that era. Marquette Park (then an all White suburb of Chicago) was a favored area in this respect. Building on the support that Commander Rockwell found there during his 1966 visit, the N.S.P.A. amassed a sizable base in and around this region.

Their headquarters (a storefront named Rockwell Hall that routinely displayed flags and insignia) was firebombed at least twice during these years, although overall sentiment from the was community at large was quite favorable.

By far the most famous claim to fame in the history of the N.S.P.A. was their 'Operation Skokie.' After years of court appeals, the U.S. Supreme Court eventually held that the Party could march through the largely Jewish suburb of Skokie, IL. in full Nazi uniform and with flags and pickets signs depicting anti-Jewish/pro-White messages. Although the N.S.P.A. never actually marched as planned, (4.) the court decision (which effectively struck down all prohibitions against National Socialist symbols and slogans) was a priceless victory for all American Nazis.

On November 3, 1979, the Communist Worker's Party (as well as fellow leftists) hosted a 'death to the Klan' rally in Greensboro, North Carolina. Imagine their surprise when both Nazi and Klan street fighters showed up ready to do battle! Responding to a barrage from the enemy of bottles and bricks followed by gunfire, several White nationalists withdrew loaded guns from their own car trunks and returned fire. When the shooting had stopped, five members of the C. W. P. lay dead and fourteen loyal White men (eleven and three N.S.P.A. members) were held on charges including murder. Although our comrades did expend considerable money defending their cases in court, and the enemy's surviving relatives did eventually win a civil suit against the city of Greensboro for 'negligence', no N.S. or Klan comrades served actual prison sentences.

As an interesting side note, John Hinckley (the man who attempted to assassinate then President Ronald Reagan in early 1981) was at one time a card carrying member of the N.S.P.A. Prior to the attempt on Reagan's life, he had been expelled as an unstable person.

The N.S.P.A effectively ceased to exist during 1982 (Please see **Harold Covington** section for further details.)

Art Jones (Chicago)

Art Jones is a veteran pro White and National Socialist activist with involvement

going back more than four decades. A decorated Vietnam veteran, Art began his involvement with the old N.S.W.P.P. From there, he went on to found the America First Committee in the Chicago area during the 1970's. During the 1980's, Art rallied with Detroit's SS Action Group and later joined Jim Burford's American Nazi Party in Chicago. This author first met him around 1988 at a gathering held on the farm of the late Reverend Bob Miles in Cohoctah, MI. Art also ran for Congress (at great personal expense!) at least twice and has been physically attacked by the enemies of our race on several occasions.

Most recently, a thug from Anti Racist Action who was around a third of Art's age sucker punched him at a Chicago area restaurant. The miserable coward then fled before Art (a trained boxer) could respond. Never one to give up or stagnate, Art Jones continues to rally with the National Socialist Movement to this day.

Casey (Casimir) Kalemba and the United White People's Party

In harmony with the N.S.M., the United White People's Party (led by Casey) brought the message of National Socialism and White unity to Ohio residents via their combination public recruiting headquarters/ bookstores from 1970 until at least the early 1980's. The front of one of these buildings was painted with a series of signs that read 'God, Country, Race' with the respective symbols of the cross, the American flag, and the Swastika. The Party also distributed literature for other organizations and participated in meetings and rallies with the N.S.M., the N.S.P.A. and the SS Action Group.

This author has only met Mr. Kalemba one time (at the farm of the late Reverend Robert E. Miles in 1991), and no word has been heard from him since.

Harold Covington

Harold Covington began his movement involvement with the N.S.W.P.P. And emerged as the new leader of the National Socialist Party of America in 1980, however the group effectively ceased to exist by 1982. Covington later went on to found (with varying degrees of success) organizations such as the Confederate National Congress, Dixie Press and even a revamped version of the N.S.W.P.P. (entirely separate from any Koehl influences). These organizations were at various times centered in North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas and Seattle. At this time, Harold's main priority lies in helping to secure a homeland for our Folk in the Northwestern states of Idaho, Washington and Oregon (an idea originally put forth by the late Robert Miles of Michigan and Pastor Richard G. Butler of the Idaho based Aryan Nations/Church of Jesus Christ, Christian.) Although his opinions regarding other National Socialists and racialists in general are at times overly harsh, Harold Covington has, as an individual, always impressed this author as an honest man and a decent overall chap. The late Reverend Bob Miles always spoke highly of Harold as well.

In the early 1980's, Gerhard Lauck (publisher of the N.S.P.A.'s New Order newspaper, not to be confused with the later day organization of the same name) broke

away from the dying N.S.P.A. and went on to form the N.S.D.A.P. -A.O. (National Socialist German Workers Party- Overseas Organization). As proprietor of the world's largest single selection of National Socialist related books, flags and recordings, Gerhard has, over the past decades, published newspapers in no fewer than 12 languages and established a website that offers multilingual downloads of Nazi material.

Amazingly, even a four year stint in a German prison (Gerhard was abducted by Danish authorities while in Europe and turned over to German police for the 'crime' of sending National Socialist materials into the Fatherland) did not slow his organization down one bit. Comrade Michael Storm handled the day to day operations in Lauck's place. The New Order paper itself was founded under the N.S.P.A. header in 1972. It ceased publication for some years (although presence on the Internet never was diminished) but resumed publication during the Spring of 2015 with as much spirit and dedication as before!

Joseph Tommasi/National Socialist Liberation Front

"On March 2nd, 1974, forty three National Socialist Revolutionaries met in a hall in El Monte, California. At the meeting, the National Socialists declared their lack of faith in the losing strategy of the mass movement idea. The National Socialists abandoned the mass strategy and adopted the revolutionary concept of the underground." So began the of the National Socialist Liberation Front, without a doubt the most militant of all post Rockwell National Socialist organizations. To this day, many (if not most) of the underground 'strikes' committed by this small but brave band of Comrades remain unknown or are only vaguely suspected. Strong evidence does suggest that activists involved in the N.S.L.F. were responsible for tear gassing a memorial rally for Julius and Ethyl Rosenberg (Jewish spies executed for selling U.S. atomic secrets to the Soviet Union) as well as the torching of at least one communist bookstore.

Sadly, the courageous life of Joseph Tommasi came to an end on August 15, 1975 at just 24 years of age. Fingers were pointed on both sides, but the story essentially is that Joseph and another comrade were driving past the then N.S.W.P.P. building when one of the on duty guards flipped a middle finger at him. Joseph then stopped the car and confronted the on duty trooper. After a brief scuffle, another guard on duty drew a gun and fired one shot into Joe's head, killing him then and there on the porch of the N.S.W.P.P.'s headquarters. (It is unclear whether or not was Joseph himself armed at the time.) Lieutenant David Rust took over as party Captain. Karl Hand later assumed leadership of the party, however Hand's mid-1980's prison sentence on firearms related charges effectively ended this organization. Karl Hand continues to work as a dedicated and independent activist within the White nationalist movement.

SS Action Group

Formed initially as a security detachment for the Nazi bookstores run by Bill Russell (coordinator for the Detroit branch of the N.S.M. during the late 1970's), the Security Services Action Group was founded as an independent group in Detroit in 1979 by John

Reich and Ted Dunn (a.k.a. Mark Heydrich) after a bitter split in which all local members took the side of Reich following his expulsion by Robert Brannen. A Chicago chapter was soon formed and in years to come the SS Action Group would boast of chapters in New York, Texas, Ohio and Pennsylvania as well.

From 1980-1993, the S.S.A.G. hosted an array of street demonstrations that rocked the streets of Detroit and its surrounding suburbs. Highlights included several rallies in Ann Arbor, Michigan in which various communist groups such as the Progressive Labor Party, International Committee Against Racism and the Spartacist League attacked the Action Group in large numbers, often resulting in extensive damage both to city property and their own members at the hands of the Detroit Nazis and riot police alike (5.) In 1982, an Oak Park, Michigan pro-Israel celebration was crashed by the Action Group and a Lansing, Michigan rally was held in the same year in conjunction with the Chicago American Nazi Party.

During the early 1980's, Comrade Danny Zettle passed away after a bout with cancer.

The official uniform of the SS Action Group was black and decidedly Nazi oriented. When the situation called for it, black motorcycle helmets and hand held shields (fashioned from surplus stop signs) were added. Ted Dunn was sent to prison in April of 1988 on (non-narcotic) drug charges and was released from prison in 1990. During the summer of 1988, three rallies were held (respectively in Dearborn, Livonia and Redford, Michigan), with some mildly positive publicity being generated in the local press. While the S.S.A.G. violent rallies of the 1980's are largely a feature of the past, Ted Dunn continues his activism (via writing and speaking at various movement functions) to this day. At the time of Dunn's arrest, this author and another young man known by the pseudonym Greg Strasser began a newsletter called 'On Guard!' which was set up to take the place of the Action Group's former publication, the Michigan Briefing while Dunn was incarcerated. This newsletter continued publication until 1995 when lack of interest forced its closure.

The SS Of America was a Rockwood, Michigan based group that worked closely with the Action Group for a brief time during the late 1980's, although one of the prominent members was also an official supporter of the N.S.W.P.P. Wes (the group's co-founder) later passed away at a young age from an unknown illness and the group disbanded.

Chicago SS Action Group co-founder Will Leinberger was sent to prison on charges relating to his alleged involvement in several incidents of anti-Jewish retribution and Crystal Night recreation on November 9, 1987. Will was released in the early 1990's and remains a dedicated activist to this day. As with other activists mentioned here, this author wishes to express that Comrade Ted Dunn was and remains an activist/leader who has always conducted himself with loyalty and honor. Other loyal S.S.A.G. members over the years included Kenny Morgan (Member since 1979 and participant in some of the most harrowing street rallies in the history of the Action Group), Don Hunter (Member and street fighter from the days of the N.S.M. bookstores

in Detroit) and Angel Summers (This member ran a tape and t-shirt business known as Angel's Action Gear as a side project for the group).

In the mid-1990's Lou (better known as 'Bones'), coordinator of the New York chapter of the S.S.A.G. passed away as the result of a heroin overdose. As is so often the case in situations such as this, the demise of the leader led to a disintegration of the group itself. This author only knew 'Bones' through occasional mail contact and as such cannot a guess as to why he was involved with such a dangerous narcotic. It can only be said that 'Bones' was known as a dedicated National Socialist among his comrades and should be remembered as such rather than as a 'junkie.'

Veteran SS Comrade Karl Wolf passed away from unknown causes around 2000. Karl had been out of touch with his former S.S.A.G. members and supporters for many years previous to his death and word of his demise only trickled in some months later.

George Dietz /Liberty Bell

"The Voice of thinking Americans." This was the letterhead for the longtime Reedy, West Virginia based racist publication The Liberty Bell. Although no Swastikas could be found on its pages, this high quality, digest sized magazine frequently contained articles supportive of Adolf Hitler, the Third Reich and/or then-N.S. political prisoner Rudolf Hess. While never one for public rallies and/or meetings, publisher and L.B. creator George P. Dietz has a long and honorable history in the National Socialist struggle both in the U.S. and overseas. Born in Germany, was a member of the Hitler Youth toward the end of WWII.

Contributing writers to the L.B. included the late, great racist writer (and former Professor of the Classics at the University of Illinois) Revilo P. Oliver, Major Joseph Stano and Dr. Charles E. Weber. Dietz once remarked that he and his associates "lived and breathed National Socialism." Articles such as "Did Six Million Really Die- A Review ", "Poland and the Lies of the Allies " and "Hitler Speaks To America " certainly confirm this statement and entitle Mr. Dietz to a place of honor within the American National Socialist cause.

This author tried contacting George Dietz on April 28 of 2002 for further information regarding his movement history, but the only answer he received was as follows: "I'm not answering any questions. Liberty Bell was discontinued in 1999. I'm going out of business." Best wishes were then extended to Mr. Dietz who said, "Thank you, good bye" and hung up. Mr. Dietz' death (the exact causes of which were not disclosed) soon thereafter was announced briefly in an issue of Gerhard Lauck's "New Order" newspaper.

Aryan Nations

An Identity Christian reverend with strong National Socialist feelings, Pastor Richard Butler was among the most durable, likeable and well respected people in the White nationalist movement. His awakening to the problems facing our Folk came during WWII when Butler (then a U.S. serviceman) was stationed in India. A dark skinned

Indian asked the young Butler why he was fighting his own people. Butler was perplexed and in want of an explanation, so the Indian stated the obvious: both the Germans and (most) Americans were of the same bloodlines. Although he did not then and there change his point of view, the plain truth in the man's statement troubled Butler in a way he was unable to deny or ignore.

In 1960, Butler joined Dr. Wesley Swift's Church of Jesus Christ, Christian in California. He would remain a close associate of Dr. Swift's until the latter died in 1971.

In the 1970's, Pastor Butler moved to Hayden Lake, Idaho and founded the Aryan Nations/Church Of Jesus Christ, Christian. Gatherings (including Hitler birthday celebrations complete with WWII era Swastika flags adorning the guard tower) took place on the grounds of his camp and speakers from a wide variety of pro-White organizations made appearances there. The author of this article attended (and spoke on behalf of the S.S.A.G.) both at the 1987 and 1988 Aryan World Congress held there. In addition, I have communicated via phone, emails and several face to face meetings with the Pastor.

During the latter part of 1987, Butler was charged (along with the late Robert E. Miles, Klansman Louis Beam and several members of the Bruder Schweigen/Order group) with sedition (i.e., conspiracy against the United States government). A hot line was set up to provide weekly updates for all concerned and money was collected for the across the entire spectrum of the movement. Complicating matters further was the triple bypass operation the Pastor was compelled to undergo in the midst of the trial. To both the system's and movement's surprise, all thirteen were found not guilty on all charges.

After his release from the federal monster, Pastor Butler resumed regular meetings at his headquarters, seemingly strengthened rather than weakened by the ordeal. The hateful anti-White powers that be never forgave Pastor Butler for winning in their own courts, and in 1998, they got their chance for retribution. Depending on who you believe, a young half Indian woman was driving by the headquarters with her son and, according to her, the car backfired. According to the guards at the gate (who had admitted to drinking alcohol) a gun was fired. The guards took off in pursuit, eventually forcing the woman's car off the road and interrogating her roadside. Although Pastor Butler had specifically warned all headquarters guards AGAINST initiating a physical confrontation, the resulting civil trial (brought on by leftist trouble maker Morris Dees) found Pastor Butler liable for the event merely for being the owner of the property. As a result of the \$6.3 million judgment, Butler was forced to relinquish his property in 2001.

In typical Jewish fashion, the Church, bunkhouse and offices were all burned to the ground as part of a fire fighting exercise. As a side note, clearly the enemy does not care one whit about "church burnings" or "desecration of a religious shrine" when said entities are not on THEIR approved list!

Compounding his troubles, within less than a year's time, a faction loyal to A.N. associate Ray Redfeairn seceded from the organization at large, claiming that Butler had made too many 'poor' decisions to be the leader.

At 84 years of age, the courageous pastor spoke at an April 20, 2002 York, Pennsylvania public rally in honor of Adolf Hitler's birthday. Pastor Butler passed away at age 86 in September, 2004.

Rick Cooper and the National Socialist Vanguard

Disillusioned with the path taken by the mid-1970's era N.S.W.P.P. in general and leadership in particular, former party member Rick Cooper went on to form the National Socialist Vanguard. Through the use of a bulletin by the same name, Cooper reported on matters that concern both the public in general and inner movement circles in particular. Never one to 'pull punches', Cooper had both praised unpopular figures within the White nationalist movement and criticized those whom others would not dare to rebuke if and when he felt it appropriate.

Massive kidney failure finally sent this Comrade to Valhalla on November 26 of 2006. One may have disagreed with Cooper's opinions at times, there is little doubt that he was a man of character who served his Folk as his conscience dictated during his 30+ years of activism.

Jim Burford, American Nazi Party (Chicago)

Former U.S. Army Sergeant James Burford served as financial manager of the N.S.W.P.P. for an undetermined time before founding both the American Nazi Party of Chicago and the Old Sarge PX (the latter being a military surplus store). Plans were made during the middle-late 1980's to build a headquarters ('Fort Rockwell'), however these ideas were never brought to full bloom.

The party participated in street demonstrations throughout its existence, sometimes with the S.S.A.G. of both Chicago and Detroit as well as with Arthur Jones of the America First Committee. The last word on James Burford is that ill health forced him into retirement. A recent public records scan has turned up no deaths under that name since the mid 2000's.

Russel Veh /National Socialist League

Yet another casualty in the early '70's N.S.W.P.P.'s purgings and defections, California resident Russel Veh decided in 1974 to do something that no National Socialist activist has ever attempted before or sense: Form an openly gay Nazi Party. Needless to say, reactions from 'mainstream' National Socialists ranged from shock to dismay to revulsion, and despite some off the record contacts with other parties, Russel's National Socialist League remained largely a pariah among like minded (in the racial sense) groups. That being so, it must said that it is due in large part to Veh's connections and efforts that films such as 'Triumph Of the Will' can now be purchased complete with English subtitles. Moreover, it was reported to this author by another California comrade who had witnessed an N.S.L. street demonstration first hand that these were among the most professional and well organized movement activists he had ever seen.

The N.S.L. basically fizzled out by the mid 1980's, and Russel rebounded by forming

a racist video/book selling enterprise named World Service. On August 8, 1995, Russel Veh passed away after a bout with pneumonia.

James Mason/N.S.W.P.P., N.S.L.F., Universal Order

After resigning from the N.S.W.P.P. in 1976, James Mason joined the N.S.L.F. and soon thereafter became party secretary for both the N.S.L.F. and its partner, the N.S.M. In conjunction with his party duties, this Comrade also published 'Siege!', an N.S. newspaper designed to appeal to young, action minded individuals. Around this same time period, Mason began contacting (and corresponding with) Charles Manson, Lynette 'Squeaky' Fromme and Sandra Goode, much to the consternation of some of his more 'conservative'/play-it-safe comrades. After taking Manson's advice concerning the futility of the 'left vs. right' political struggle, Mason largely resigned from orthodox 'political' activity and formed the Universal Order, a kind of Hitler/Manson based think tank. Unlike all other Nazi parties, the insignia for this group (designed by Charles Manson himself) consisted of a counter clockwise-facing Swastika imposed upon the scales of justice. In subsequent years, Comrade James Mason wrote several books that compare biblical theory to the tenets put forth in 'Mein Kampf.'

Perry 'Red' Wharton, another National Socialist friend and comrade of Manson, was convicted of shooting a 17 year old alleged police informant to death. Predictably, the police released statements immediately after the arrest suggesting that and his followers had drawn up plans to dynamite at least one sheriff's office, a dam and some other alleged 'targets.' Whether there was any proof to these allegations or not, there is little doubt that Perry fought the good fight for Race and Nation to the best of his ability. He later became an Identity minister while in prison.

'Jim' (?)/National Socialist White American Party

With the exception of the N.S.D.A.P.-A.O., the National Socialist White American Party in Pacific Palisades, California most likely holds the record among National Socialist groups (or any other White nationalist groups, for that matter!) for the most literature ever distributed from one single address. A simple request for literature would bring a envelope full of dozens of 3" x 1.5" (approximately speaking) stickers with messages such as, "Rudolf Hess: Hero of the White Race!", and "Stop Black Crime!"

It was generally believed that the sole member of the N.S.W.A.P. was a fellow by the name of 'Jim' . This comrade either dropped out of the movement entirely or switched tactics as no mailings have been reported since the early 1990's. The stickers served their purpose, however, as thousands of our Folk were introduced to National Socialism via their small but impossible to ignore presence.

The New-National Socialist

The New-National Socialist was a reasonably thick xeroxed black and white publication out of , Florida. This author no longer has any copies in his collection, however all issues were mailed in exchange for copies of 'On Guard!' during the late

1980's-early 1990's. German born publisher Hank printed articles of both contemporary and historical N.S. significance, and his views on Christianity were largely based on those of the late Church of the Creator founder, Ben Klassen . Sometime in the early 1990's, Hank called the author of this essay to inform him that his (Hank's) wife Gloria had become a race mixing prostitute and that he had the photos to prove it. He had also promised to send copies of the photos as 'proof' of her racial treason. Because 1. Hank never again contacted this author or anyone known to him, 2. The photos never arrived, and 3. Gloria denied the charges (before herself dropping from the political scene), we can assume that the accusations against her were false.

Raymond Leo Schultz

In one of the most bizarre incidents involving an American National Socialist, Raymond Leo Schultz used cyanide gas to poison a Jew (the exact way this operation was carried out was never made public), then used the same method to kill himself. According to police records released after his death, comrade Schultz had been active with Commander Rockwell since at least 1962. The ratio (1 comrade for 1 enemy figure) made this one of the poorer one man " missions, although we must again remind ourselves that anyone who is willing to die for his people has more character (however misguided his or her actions may be) than 99% of all living people.

National Socialist Front

Around the time of the Randy Weaver/Ruby Ridge incident (Fall, 1992), a group in Oregon arose by the name of the National Socialist Front. Their political 'life' was extremely short lived, however this group did manage to put out a superbly detailed account of the Weaver family tragedy in the form of a one time mini-magazine.

Jonathan Haynes

On May 27, 1987, San Francisco area beautician Frank Ringi was gunned down in his salon by an assailant who later escaped. Ringi's partner had also been shot but survived. How does this relate to American National Socialism ? Read on...

After obtaining a list of White nationalist group addresses from around the world (sent to him by the late, great Ukrainian born White hero Joseph Dilys), 32 year old artist and historian Jonathan Haynes mailed out a professionally printed booklet titled 'A Kaleidoscopic Vision of the Third Reich' This booklet contained clipped collage art that combined /Nazi imagery with nudes and religious symbolism. This was in 1991 and, after exchanging a couple of pro-White 'chit-chat' letters with this author, the San Francisco based Haynes seemed to disappear from the political radar screen. Fast forward to August 7, 1993: Dr. Martin Sullivan, a well known Chicago area plastic surgeon, was gunned down in his office by an unknown person who had posed as a patient. As with the previously described shooting, this incident seemed completely illogical and random. The car driven by Sullivan's assassin was said to be a VW (no, that's not the connection to N.S., comrades...) and, after stopping a dozen or so drivers in

the area, the police detained the then 34 year old driver of a vintage Volkswagen. The driver was Jonathan Haynes.

Under questioning, Haynes admitted to both the and Sullivan , offering these words as an explanation: "I condemn fake Aryan cosmetics. I condemn bleached blond hair, tinted blue eyes and fake facial features brought by plastic surgeons." Haynes was sentenced to death for the murder of Dr. Sullivan in May of 1994. At the time of this writing, this comrade is still among the living since his sentence was eventually commuted to life in prison

NS Kindred

NS Kindred was the name of a small but dedicated band of National Socialists who lived in Northern California. Their spiritual leader, Josef (a.k.a. "Jost") Turner published over twenty tracts all aimed at showcasing the positive side (as opposed to the confrontational aspects) of National Socialism. Declaring Christianity an "alien spiritual disease" Jost, favored a decidedly Pagan view of religion.

Although Swastikas and images of the Leader were used at times, the group strongly condemned public rallies and racial epithets as being counterproductive. Jost passed away on October 8, 1996 after suffering a massive heart attack on the grounds of the camp. The group has dropped from site since then, either going completely underground or folding up.

National Socialist Skinheads

National Socialist Skinheads was the name of a short lived and largely forgotten group of comrades in Minnesota, Florida and Texas. Appearing around the early 1990s, this group sent out perhaps two mailings to this author (including embossed business cards bearing the group's name, address and a Death's Head skull) before disappearing into obscurity.

(1.) Commander Rockwell had changed the name of the American Nazi Party to the National Socialist White People's Party just prior to his death in the Summer of 1967.

(2.) The New Order of Matt Koehl should not be confused with the long running New Order newspaper published by Gerhard Lauck.

(3) It is worth noting that the late, longtime movement activist J.B. Stoner told this author that it was his belief that Fred Cowan was murdered by the police and did not commit suicide, however the truth is likely lost to history.

(4.) In December of 2000, a Klan group held a largely successful march through the suburb of Skokie (with police reportedly arresting 10 counter-demonstrators), although the publicity granted to our robed brothers and sisters was far less than that given to the National Socialist Party of America 23 years earlier.

(5.) As a personal participant in the 1988 rally in that city, this author can verify the violence and chaos the S.S.A.G. was often forced to function. At least \$30,000 worth of

windows in the front of the federal building were shattered out as the commies hurled rocks, bottles and chunks of concrete, often missing us entirely. Injuries to Nazi comrades were relatively minor, and one P.L.P. associate was bloodied by S.S.A.G. member Don Hunter and arrested by the cops after attempting to charge our line.

Conclusion

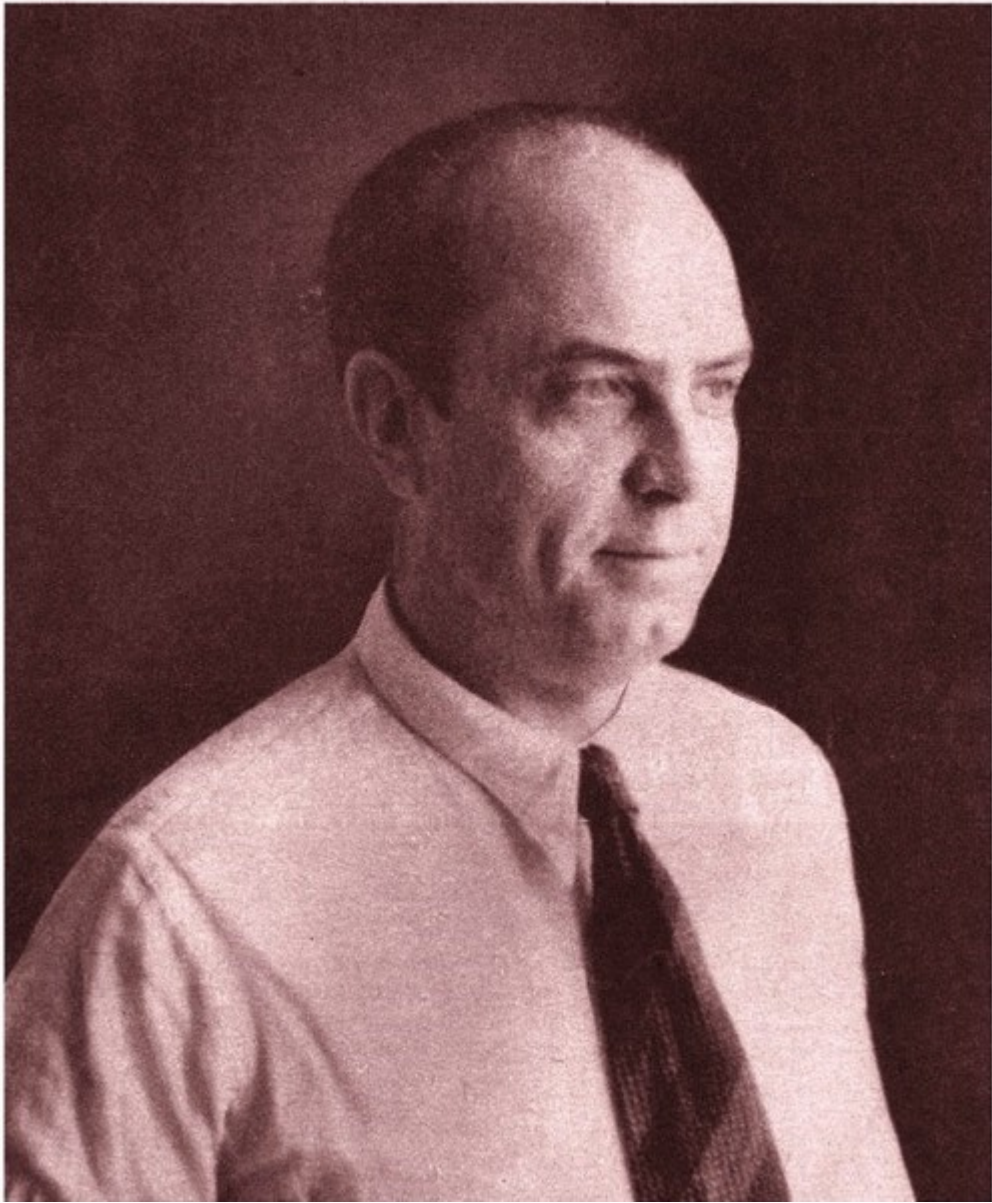
The reader likely will have noticed many entries in this essay where accounts are incomplete or hypothetical. While every effort has been made to present complete and accurate information, most of the events documented herein have been recalled from as many as 30 years ago, combined with those of the memories of others (with many of those memories reaching back even farther!) and compared against scattered remnants of faded National Socialist publications, archived news articles and any documents found. As such, it is the hope of this author and the National Socialist Movement that this document will serve not only as a National Socialist history piece but also as an evolving work.

It should also be noted that the history of the heroes of The Order is not included herein as their heroism and sacrifice is worthy of an entire article in and of itself. This author has a booklet written by the late Pastor Miles that does these brave men and women far more justice than I could ever hope to achieve.

Corrections and information about entries not included herein are most welcome!

Hero's Gallery Of Photos

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Robert Henry Best (a.k.a., “Mr Guess Who”)



Robert Henry Best (right)



Fritz Kuhn (German-American Bund



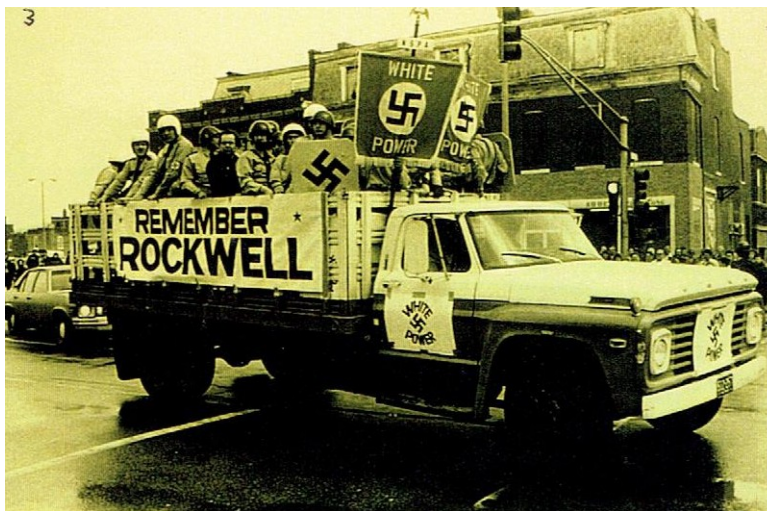
Mildred Gillars (a.k.a., "Axis Sally")



Doug Chandler (a.k.a., “Paul Revere”)



FRANK COLLIN speaks at the Chicago Civic Center Plaza on October 30th, 1976, before the afternoon session of the NS CONGRESS starts. From left to right are: Casey Kalembo, Warren Zillis, Mike Kelly, Richard Tedor, Allan Vincent, Gerhard Lauck, Mike Whalen and Raymond Chaney. Over thirty Stormtroopers participated.

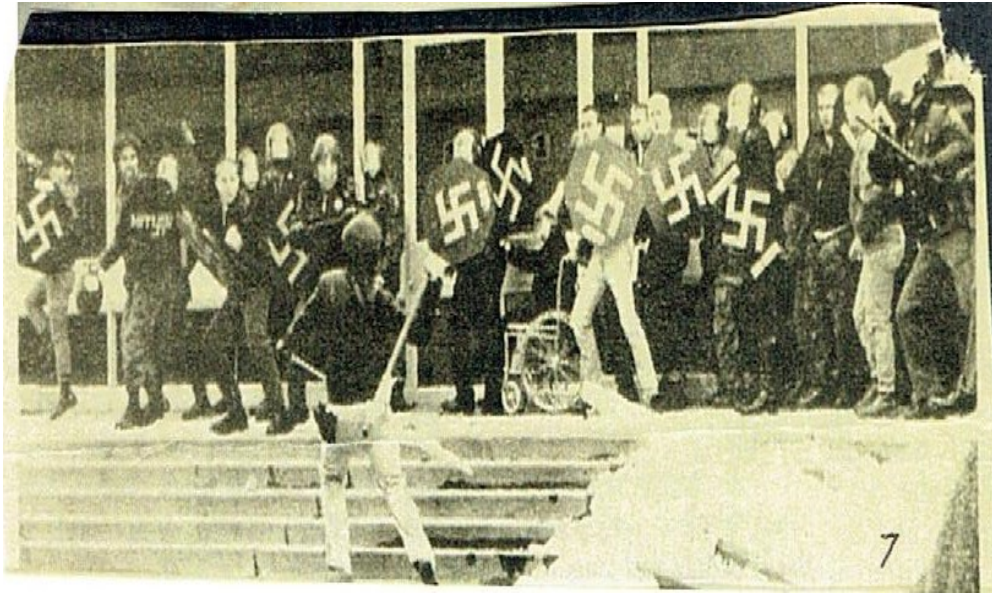


National Socialist Party of America (above two photos)



ALLAN VINCENT is savagely attacked by a raving Jew during a daring ONE MAN DEMONSTRATION outside the Palace of Fine Arts in San Francisco. As this picture from the SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER clearly shows, the incident was extremely well-covered by the press. VINCENT reports the Jew got smashed but good. Congratulations, comrade!

Allan Vincent (National Socialist White Worker's Party)



SS Action Group rally, March 19, 1988 (Ann Arbor, MI.)