

# Zionist Terrorist Remains Free

*Despite a long list of arrests for telephone threats, personal assault, firebombings, and even criminal convictions, Mordechai Levy has yet to spend a day in jail.*

EXCLUSIVE TO SPOTLIGHT

By Henry Duval

At two in the morning on May 27, the Los Angeles "mad dog" terrorist struck again. The suburban home of George Ashley was firebombed and set ablaze.

Ashley is a history teacher in a local high school who has told students that accounts of Jewish deaths during the "holocaust" are "greatly exaggerated." The windows of his home were previously broken with bricks (SPOTLIGHT, June 7), and he faces dismissal from the Los Angeles school system.

The perpetrator was apparently Mordechai Levy, a 21-year-old Zionist terrorist.

Now, you may say that all terrorists are "mad dogs." But they tend to be methodical and cold-blooded, and try to conceal their identity. Levy, however, is a terrorist who attacks people and destroys property with a frenzy that is belied by his slight build. And he often calls his victims immediately after the firebombing (his favorite weapon) to take "credit."

He has been at his "trade" for a little over three years and during that time has been arrested more than a dozen times, but has managed to escape justice or any sort of retribution.

His affiliations include: Jewish Action Movement, Jewish Armed Resistance, Jewish Executioners with Silence (JEWS), the Jewish Defense League (JDL), the New Jewish Defense League and, during the past few months, the Jewish Defense Organization.

The JDL was founded in 1968 by Meir Kahane, a Jewish rabbi born in Brooklyn. He is now international chairman of the organization and lives in Israel. He makes frequent trips to the U.S. to speak before Jewish groups. Kahane's motto, "Every Jew a .22," reflects his philosophy of aggression against non-Jews.



Mordechai Levy (left, foreground, with glasses) participates in a New York demonstration.

In the U.S. the national director, Brett Becker, has called for the establishment of "a secret Jewish strike force—an underground that will quietly and professionally eliminate those Jew-haters that are both a threat and a danger to our existence." ("JDL Update," Sept./Oct., 1980.)

The West Coast JDL coordinator is Irv Rubin. He ran in the June primaries for nomination as a candidate for the California state Assembly but was denied the nomination.

Rubin and Levy had appeared frequently at the various protest demonstrations and are usually first on the scene following the desecration of some synagogue in the Los Angeles area—even before the police become aware of the vandalism. They pose for pictures and promise to avenge the victims.

Levy will be 22 years old next October. His police and court records show that his occupation is "student" and that he has had two years of college. He has no visible means of support, though he had \$1,500 in a savings bank when arrested in Los Angeles in February, 1980.

He is 5 feet 7 inches in height and weighs 140 pounds. He has black hair and sometimes wears a beard. In recent months, he's been wearing wire-frame

glasses. According to one report, he is said to have a strong aversion to bathing. His face exhibits moderate acne and acne scars. The pock marks could also be from syphilis. According to one probation report, he doesn't use drugs.

His father lives in Florida, and his mother is in a mental institution in Pennsylvania.

He has assumed many aliases, including James Frank, James Guttman and Mark Levine. He called himself Rick Thomas while posing as a telephone company representative, and other names while posing as a reporter for a fictitious Long Island newspaper.

The summer, 1980 issue of the "Jewish Militant," official publication of the Jewish Defense League, includes a column headed "Intelligence Report" compiled by Mordechai Levy, who is identified in the byline as chief researcher of the JDL.

Levy first surfaced as a terrorist in newspaper accounts in late 1978, when he was barely over 18 years of age. He is suspected of being the terrorist who doused with gasoline and set afire two homes in the Coney Island section of Brooklyn. The attack was aimed at an Egyptian diplomat to the United Nations. But of the two homes, the home that was most heavily damaged was that of the diplomat's next-door neighbors, an elderly Jewish couple.

Responsibility for the attack was claimed by a group calling itself the New Jewish Defense League—an organization apparently invented by Levy, because he has continued to be the only one who is ever identified as officer or member.

Investigative agencies had begun to keep records on Levy and by early 1979 had ascribed to him disruptive efforts to provoke confrontations with pro-American groups and wide use of telephone threats against citizens in New York and Philadelphia.

#### PLANNED RIOT IS ABORTED

As an agent provocateur, Levy infiltrated a right-wing organization and planned a confrontation between that organization and the JDL. The planned riot was aborted only at the last hour

when the police were alerted to Levy's duplicity in the permits that were issued by the Philadelphia Police Department for the same date, time and place.

In June, 1979, mail bombs sent to an alleged "war criminal" and four members of the American National Socialist Party were pinpointed to Levy. (He telephoned one of the recipients before the bomb had arrived in the mail.)

Also in June, 1979, Levy was involved in a terrorist attempt to murder an individual in Mineola, New York whom he incorrectly had assumed to be another alleged "war criminal." Levy knew details of the attack before they were broadcast by the news media.

In July, 1979, Levy personally participated in an attack on a German-American citizen in Manhattan's St. Patrick's Cathedral. He and another JDL member were arrested at the time, but were inexplicably released.

#### MOVES TO LOS ANGELES

Sometime late in 1979, Levy moved his operations to Los Angeles. He continued his phone harassment, civil disruption, personal assaults and bomb-throwing.

In February, 1980, he was apprehended and charged with 14 criminal counts as result of making threatening telephone calls to personnel at Los Angeles radio station KMPC.

The station had scheduled a segment of "The Holocaust" docu-drama. A "holocaust survivor" and a staff member from the Simon Wiesenthal Institute were going to debate with Arthur Butz, the renowned debunker of the holocaust theory and author of "The Hoax of the Twentieth Century."

Unknown to Levy, Prof. Butz was not going to appear in person but would carry on the discussion by telephone.

Identification of voice prints had established that Levy was the caller who had threatened the station in an effort to prevent the discussion and Butz's appearance.

At the time of the broadcast, Levy tried to get entry into the studio by subterfuge but was stopped by the security man at the gate. Later another security guard observed Levy and two other men chasing a car driven by the station's vice president, yelling profanities.

Levy was identified by the police and picked up on a bench warrant. He was

## Begin Named as Cause of Argentine Woe

In politics, things are never what they seem to be on the surface, and Liberty Lobby's new confidential intelligence report proves this old adage once again.

The new report, dated June 29, 1982, is compiled from various sources, primarily the intelligence apparatus of an Arab country that has recently upgraded its intelligence by spending a significant sum from its oil revenues.

The report details the involvement of Israel in Argentina's attempt to retake the Falkland (Malvinas) Islands. According to the report, titled "The Sting," Prime Minister Menachem Begin of

Israel literally "conned" former Argentine junta leader Leopoldo Galtieri into the move by promising Israeli support.

Begin's motive was to provide cover for his own move into Lebanon and to topple the "anti-Semitic" Argentine regime and replace it with a government of Begin's choosing.

The report is not for sale but is provided at no charge to members in good standing of the Board of Policy of Liberty Lobby. According to Lois Petersen, secretary of the board, members must send a self-addressed No. 10 envelope bearing a 20-cent stamp with their request to receive the report, and cite their membership number.



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