PANistas." PANistas are members of the National Action Party (PAN) a Nazi-Communist, anti-American party, therefore backed by the U.S. State Department, and the subject of a recent book by the Mexican Labor Party, *The PAN, Moscow's Terrorists in Mexico*.

The State and Treasury Departments are aiding and abetting the Nazi-Communist forces seeking to destabilize the Mexican government, create chaos, and make whole states into free zones for narcotics traffickers and terrorism. They are doing this Philippines-style, by preparing vote-fraud accusations on behalf of the PAN, and by helping their mafia allies arm themselves for post-election guerrilla warfare in the U.S. border states.

In Brownsville, Texas, a U.S. Treasury agent, Chris W. Heart, implied that his bosses are complicit in a burgeoning of heavy arms traffic heading toward bandit armies in Mexico. "I sat down to look at the case files a year after the [1982] peso devaluation and two different patterns emerged. Before, people bought many revolvers, .45, 9 mm, .25, and .22 caliber. These arms were used by businessmen, the federales, police, and even some delinquents across the river. But now, people are buying AR15, AKS, MAC 11, Uzis, paramilitary arms which cost \$250 to \$1,200 apiece. From the intelligence data I have, many of these arms end up in the hands of small private armies made up of 60 to 70 men."

Heart said that after he reported this shift to combat quality weaponry, Treasury cut back his staff by 40%. One can only conclude that the "structural reformers" at the State Department have cut a window through which the private armies of narcotics-traffic and insurgency in Mexico obtain their fire-power.

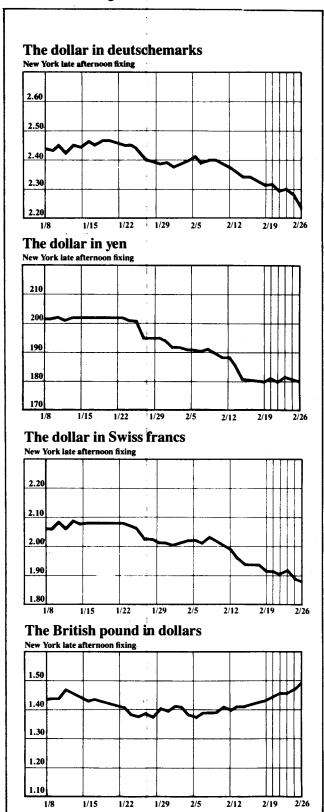
Some PAN leaders are frank about their intentions. Marijuana magnate Manuel J. Clouthier was quoted in the Mexico City daily *La Jornada* Feb. 19: "I don't know whether for better or worse, this country is going to change. . . ." He reported on a visit two years ago to the Philippines. "Things are going to happen, and it is inevitable that they will also happen in Mexico, damn sure." Clouthier is the probable candidate of the PAN for the governorship of Sinaloa, a narcotics-producing zone.

The State Department report on "human rights" in Mexico, released Feb. 13, complains, "Most of the opposition parties' opportunities have been blocked by the electoral force and the organizing power of the PRI, by maneuvers to divide the opposition, extensive public influence, and, according to the claims of the opposition, by electoral fraud."

Senator Jesse Helms (R-N.C.) plans to use his Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee to feed Mexico's destabilization. Hearings are to begin in April.

The Financial Times of Feb. 19 says of Helms' endeavor: "Such hearings could be expected to echo conservative judgments that not only is Mexico's economy a statist breeding ground for corruption, but that the time is overdue for it to start reforming its political structures and move firmly in the direction of embracing true (capitalist) democracy."

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