## British agent set up hearings in Congress

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Andrew Philips, a writer for *Maclean's* magazine, has rendered a service to Quebec, Canada, and the United States, even if he doesn't know it. In the Oct. 7, 1996 issue, he described how Montreal lawyer Harry J.F. Bloomfield orchestrated the Sept. 23 U.S. Congressional hearings, designed to scare Congress, and Americans, into accepting the balkanization of Canada as inevitable. Bloomfield is a top British Intelligence operative, who has taken on the mantle of his deceased uncle, Louis Mortimer Bloomfield, an enemy of the United States.

Philips's story goes like this: In December 1995 (the Quebec independence referendum having just failed), Bloomfield was having dinner in Palm Beach, Florida with his friends Patrick and Heather Henry. (Bloomfield and Patrick Henry are both members of the board of Vermont Telephone Co.) It just so happens that Heather Henry is the sister of U.S. Rep. Tom Campbell (R-Calif.), and she put Bloomfield in touch with him. Bloomfield arranged for Campbell to come to Montreal, and organized a series of meetings for him with top Quebec officials. During his trip, Campbell became convinced that the Oct. 30, 1995 referendum had settled nothing in Quebec, and that Canada was in danger of breaking up. Upon his return, Campbell got Gingrichite Rep. Dan Burton (R-Ind.), the chairman of the subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere, to agree to hearings. Bloomfield had succeeded.

To understand the full significance of Philips's story, we must take a closer look at the hearing itself, and, second, at Harry Bloomfield.

First, aside from Campbell, the four witnesses who testified all presented the same basic British view. The reason for this is that they all belong to the same organization of "academics," the Association of Canadian Studies in the United States. ACSUS is a branch of the International Council of Canadian Studies, a British intelligence creation whose patron is Queen Elizabeth II's official representative in Canada, Gov. Gen. The Rt. Hon. Romeo LeBlanc. Now, we're not talking here of membership in some social club, but that

1. For a report on the hearing, see EIR, Oct. 4, 1996, p. 45.

three of the four witnesses were president of ACSUS at one time or other.

## Elevated by the Queen

Then, when we scratch the Canadian paint off Harry Bloomfield,<sup>2</sup> we find the Union Jack. Bloomfield was directly approved by Queen Elizabeth II and, in 1993, elevated to the rank of "Knight of Justice" of the Most Venerable Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem. It probably helped that his mother, Neri Judith Loewy, was made Officer Sister of the British order seven years earlier. We're speaking of one of the top positions in the oldest secret service structure of the British royal family.

Some say that he has taken over the position of his uncle, Louis Mortimer Bloomfield, since the latter's death in 1984. Louis Mortimer was also made Knight Justice of the Order of St. John, and Harry took over his position of Honorary Consul General for the Republic of Liberia in Quebec in 1985, following his death, a position Louis Mortimer held in 1962-84. But there is more.

Harry's uncle was the head of the assassination bureau called Permindex, which was implicated in the murder of President John F. Kennedy in 1963, and in multiple attempts on the life of Gen. Charles de Gaulle.<sup>3</sup>

At the hearing on Sept. 23, Harry Bloomfield confirmed to this reporter that his uncle, Louis Mortimer, was a close friend of Maurice Strong (the Canadian oligarch who ran the UN Earth Summit in Brazil in 1992), and the co-founder of the Canadian branch of the World Wildlife Fund. He boasted, "You know, to be associated with the Queen of England . . . that's a good place to be!" No wonder that, when he was told that *Nouvelle Solidarité* was affiliated with Lyndon LaRouche, his face became red with rage. "I've got nothing more to say to you," he said.

<sup>2.</sup> Henry "Harry" J.F. Bloomfield, born July 29, 1944, the son of Bernard Manfeld Bloomfield and Romanian-born Neri Judith (Loewy); assistant vice president, J. Henry Shroder Banking Corp. 1971-76; joined Bloomfield & Bloomfield in 1976; director, vice president, and chairman, asset management committee, Eldee Charitable Foundation 1980-; chairman of the board, BJB Global Investment Management Ltd., as Canadian partner of Bank Julius Baer of Switzerland 1992; member, Commission des Valeurs Mobilière du Québec, 1981-87; board member from Quebec, Business Development Bank of Canada 1987-96; president, World Society for the Protection of Animals-Canada; director, Medication Info. Ref. Centre; Canada-China Business Council; Honorary Consul General of Belize for Eastern Canada, and alternate delegate, International Civil Aviation Organization, 1991-; Federal Queen Council 1992; board member, Jewish General Hospital Corp. 1982-92; member, Quebec Council, St. John Ambulance 1977- (president, Quebec Council Federation, 1990-); Mount Royal Lodge B'nai B'rith 1978-80 (board of governors, 1982-86); Commenderie de Bordeaux de Montreal 1988-.

<sup>3.</sup> See the Montreal paper *Le Devoir*, March 16, 1967; "Why the British Kill American Presidents" (Leesburg, Va.: The New Federalist, 1994) pp. 8-13; *Dope, Inc.* (Washington, D.C.: Executive Intelligence Review, 1992) pp. 453-460.