

## Bare Links Of Falange's Gemayel To NATO Intelligence

Aug. 27 (NSIPS) — The following document excerpted below is now being circulated by the European Labor Party to Third World embassies throughout Western Europe. The Labor Parties, regarded both in the U.S. and in Europe as the authorities on international terrorism, first exposed the connections of the Falange to NATO and Israeli intelligence circles last year and have documented such connections in several locations long before they began to appear recently in the press.

WIESBADEN, West Germany, Aug. 16, 1976 The Kissinger ordered butchery of the Palestinian population of the Tel El Zaatar camp last weekend was accomplished only through a massive deployment of semi-official and official government institutions in Western Europe in the transfer of arms to the organizations of the facist "Lebanese Front" of Camille Chamoun. These same European officials acted through a known modus operandi of transfer of weapons from CIA weapons depots in Europe, implying the direct involvement of the CIA. It is also a well-known fact that the Israeli "Shin Beth" has acted as a central coordinator of all operations against the PLO and the Lebanese left.

The deployment to Europe of Beshir Gemayel, two weeks ago, to France, Germany, Belgium and Switzerland as well as Italy, and the deployment more recently of the leader of the "Cedres du Liban," Shebel Kassis — known fascist — to Italy, Germany and France, give the outline for the full exposure of all and every covert fascist operation now underway.

It is absolutely urgent, if the genocide in Lebanon is to end and peace be established in the Middle East, that all of the West European peoples and their legitimate institutions be alerted to the grave crimes against humanity being committed by Giscard D'Estaing, President of France, the gun runners and fascists of both the Social Democratic Party and the Christian Democratic Union of Germany acting in concert with the Bundesnachrichtendienst, and of the other operatives in Europe. Only the open exposure and most severe denunciation by prodevelopment forces and governments in the developing sector and Europe of these hideous crimes will permanently damage

the fascists behind the present killings, those responsible for Tel El Zaatar.

Beshir Gemayel, military chief of the Falange, was in Europe in late July. Travelling under an alias, Gemayel made contact with the French government and very high West German government officials as well as lower level private institutions.

According to a report in Canard Enchaine last week, Beshir Gemayel met successively with Defense Minister of France, Yvon Bourges, then with Foreign Minister Saugvanargues, and with officials of the Elysee Palace, Giscard D'Estaing's officies. Gemayel also came into contact, according to the same press report, with the SNIAS (Societe Nationale Aeronautique et Spatiale), a government owned arms manufacturer headed by the brother of François Mitterrand, Jaques Mitterrand. The SNIAS sold at least three helicopters to Beshir Gemayel, says Le Canard. At the same time, he came into contact with Thomson C.S.E., a corporation, interlinked with the government, producing light and heavy weapons. Gemayel was sold machine guns and heavy artillery. Previous to the Canard report, the daily paper of the Communist Party of France, "L'Humanite", had published at the end of July that Gemayel was dealing in arms in France. L'Humanite, in the first week of August, specified that the heavy artillery coming from French companies was being used at the "Tel El Zaatar" camp. Investigative work by NSIPS revealed that Beshir Gemayel also met with officials of "Matignon," the offices of Prime Minister Chirac.

The policy of arms sales by France and direct participation in the Tel El Zaatar massacre and more general operations militarily in the Mideast constitute a vicious violation of the national interests of France. Very large sections of the Parliament are revolted by the policy followed by Giscard, and at this time, a tactical combination of Gaullist nationalist elements and sympathetic elements in the French Communist Party have the capability under appropriate circumstances of ending once and for all the Atlanticists' destruction of French foreign policy by Giscard D'Estaing.

## Germany

The transactions in France at the end of July were followed by a visit of Gemayel to the Federal Republic of Germany and Belgium. In the Federal Republic of Germany it is known that Gemayel met with government representatives: the notorious long time counterinsurgent of the Bundesnachrichtendienst, Hans Juergen Wischnewski (otherwise known as "Ben Wisch") met with Gemayel at the end of the first week of August in the Federal Republic of Germany and then in Brussels. it is also known, and was published at the time by the "Muenchener Abendzeitung, that Gemayel's visit activated the use of U.S. arms transfers to Lebanon, from the ports of Bremen and Bremenhaven. The latter piece of information so caused alarm in the leadership of the Federal government that Foreign Minister Hans Dietrich Gensher initiated a series of tremendous search and seal operations looking for "whole tanks" and other "whole" pieces, i.e., cartons full of machine guns and the like, (which no one possibly could believe to be real), in the ports of Bremen and Hamburg. The Foreign Ministry of Germany and the U.S. Embassy as well as the Falange-connected Lebanese Embassy in Bonn, subsequently denied any sales of arms. However, Gensher paid a personal visit to the Munich paper to threaten them with reprisals.

It is known further that Gemayel initiated mercenary recruitment in the Federal Republic of Germany and in Belgium; the East Bloc press reported that the brother of the present Lebanese Ambassador in Brussels had created a mercenary pool in Belgium. In Germany, the same Strauss apparatus is being used as the one used for the massive deployment of arms to the fascist CIA-created FNLA and UNITA in Angola. At the time of the Angolan war, it is commonly known that Strauss with French collaboration, transferred "Milan" missiles to the FNLA.

It was learned by NSIPS from discussions with people knowledgeble of the arms trade, that arms of German origin were transferred in pieces to "La Spezia." in Italy, as well as to England, Switzerland, Portugal and Spain for transfer to Lebanon. Much of the arms are conduited through Cyprus. It has been established, official covert CIA modus operandi to conduit arms from CIA depots in Western Europe (Spain, for example), arms which sometimes are Czechoslovak and so forth, taken in the Vietnam war, to Cyprus, which is the main CIA station (alongside Athens) for Mideast operations, and to the NATO Sixth Fleet, for their transport to Lebanon. This CIA modus operandi has been in activation now for months for supply of arms to the fascist Falange.

Most recently, on the 15th of August, the Soviet daily Pravda revealed that "a major part of arms deals towards the Falange in being done by West German arms dealers." Pravda has published a series containing information corroborating this account.

## **Sherbel Kassis**

Sherbel Kassis, self-professed fascist who still calls himself a "priest," though the Vatican and official Catholic organizations have strongly condemned his and the Falange's murderous insanity, was deployed through a Bundesnachrichtendienst network through Mr. Vocke of the editorial board of the Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung, who in the late 1950s and in the 1960s was an intelligence officer deployed to Embassy posts in Damascus and Beirut for the Foreign Ministry. Upon the personal invitation of Herr Vocke, Kassis came to the Federal Republic of Germany a week and a half ago and visited "Catholic Organizations" in Munich, Freiburg, and Aachen. It is also known that Kassis met with government linked officials. Kassis also was reported by the Italian Communist Party paper, Unita, as having been in France and in Italy for the purpose of arms sales. Kassis' "Cedre Du Liban," the most bloodthirsty and openly fascist organization of the right in Lebanon, was responsible for the bombing and strafing of Red Cross cars trying last weekend to evacuate the wounded of Tel Zaatar.

There are clear signs that the Vatican and the Italian government are prepared to move against Kassis. The Vatican paper, Osservatore Romano, on Saturday, Aug. 15, attacked the Falange massacre at Tel Zaatar. The Milan Catholic paper today also blasted the homicidal maniacs of the Falange.

Most noteworthy, however, the Bundesnachrichtendienst is the main conduit for both operations, Gemayel and Kassis, with a clear interlink to NATO intelligence and Interpol.

A previous memorandum of the European Labor Party, on the more specific Bundesnachrichtendienst and Federal Republic of Germany destabilization operations against the developing sector, outlines the massive deliberate governmental coverup of proven massive Bundesnachrichtendienst involvement in arms sales. The Federal Republic of Germany and France at this time are the major infringers of international law. Both countries' leading officials and the Christian Democratic Union in Germany are liable to immediate sanction under the code of the Nuremberg Trials.

The mercenary deployments, legally condemned by Great Britain, are known. French mercenaries have been killed in Lebanon already, German and Belgian mercenaries are funneled through by the extreme right Atlanticists, Strauss in the Federal Republic of Germany, the National Democratic Party, as well as the Ordre Nouveau in France.

There is sufficient mass indignation in Europe against the vicious and fascist activities of the arms dealers and the Atlanticist intelligence networks for the developing sector and the Middle East nations to forcefully smash any continuing arms sales. They must be exposed ruthlessly and internationally as a political priority of the highest order.

## Barron's Briefs Business On The Institute Operation

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (NSIPS) — The business and financial weekly Barron's, published by Dow Jones and Company, this week features a straightforward, detailed account of the Institute for Policy Studies operation as well as a shorter piece on the cracks in Ralph Nader's image. Both articles carefully note links to Carter and the Democratic Party.

Barron's, which is allied to conservative, anti-corporatist Wall St. interests, characterizes the Institute as the "center" of the new left and in deadpan style, runs down its program of deindustrialization, community control, anti-technology, and anti-growth. Prominently displayed in a large-type box is the Institute's connection to terrorism: "In a recent interview on Canadian TV," author David Kelley writes, "Tariq Ali, a Fellow in the Institute's overseas branch, displayed an open mind when it came to the use of violence: 'I would say that this is largely a tactical question, depending precisely on the degree of opposition we encounter in our struggle for socialism."

"There is a feeling in the Institute literature that people can't cope with the present scale of things," Kelley says. "Decentralization is seen as the only way to guarantee simpler technology and keep out large-scale industry." To illustrate this point, Kelley quotes from the Institute's "Encyclopedia of Social Reconstruction" on how a locally controlled energy system would work: "We simply would have got rid of most of the extra high-voltage wires strung around the country; closed up the coal mines, oil and gas fields; taken down oil refineries and much of the petrochemical establishment."

The article debunking the myth of Ralph Nader, entitled "Mud on the Muckraker — Ralph Nader is Finally Getting a Bad Press," leads with a jab at Jimmy Carter and his recent softball game "where Umpire Ralph Nader called the shots. A preview of the upcoming Carter Administration?