Pope Paul's commitment to a realistic Vatican-East policy strongly supported Casaroli's initiatives. Five days after Montini's election (June 22, 1963), he announced the re-convening of Vatican II. One of the major aspects of Council II's agenda was the emphasis on the Vatican's new role as a peace initiator. Pope Paul opened the fourth — and final — session of the council by motivating the discussion of the "The Church in the World Today."

The pontiff stated: "Mankind was destined to reform the world... the Church must 'historicize' itself — insert itself into history, in order to promote the renewal of the world for which it exists." Subsequently Paul established a new Secretariat for Non-Believers in the spring of 1965 under Cardinal Koenig of Vienna, to try to find "a basis for accomodation (stronger than the code-words

'pragmatic' and 'dialogue' which were used by Paul's predecessor, John XXIII —ed.) with the communists, atheists, and other non-believers."

During the open debate sessions of Council II, the major discussion centered on the documents relating to the Church's policy towards the "non-believers" and the issue of disarmament. During the Council Pope Paul himself left twice, once to address the United Nations, and then a trip to India to appeal to countries of the world to work for peace. The Secretary of State at that time, Bishop Samore, characterized Paul VI's peace policy as unprecedented. Samore stated, in part: "...The Pope's appeal in Bombay continued the quest for a different view of disarmament, as a total and international process, and as a way of getting past the logic of deterrence..."

## 'Strategy Of Tension' Imported To France

#### **FRANCE**

The "strategy of tension" which the Rockefeller puppet-Carter regime used in Italy has now been imported to France. If it succeeds, it will complete the process of French President Giscard's subjugation of France to the economic policy of New York banks, and to U.S. Secretary Cyrus Vance's global deployment for thermonuclear confrontation with the Soviet Union.

The "strategy of tension" is the Carter-Rockefeller policy of controlled terrorism and counter-terrorism by "left" and "right" countergangs operating under identical police agency auspicies. Its aim is to destabilize significant forces in opposition to Rockefeller-Carter policy.

The immediate target of the terrorists in France is the CGT, the giant, Communist Party-linked trade union confederation which is the main obstacle to Giscard government deindustrialization programs and Giscard-Vance foreign policy collaboration.

On Saturday, June 4, strikers picketing at a plant in Rheims outside Paris, all CGT organizers, were showered with gunfire by members of the so-called CFT, a fascist "company union" outfit. One worker was killed and two others critically wounded.

Then, today, a gaggle of howling "left ecology freaks" gathered before a plant of the EDF electricity company, stoning the gates and buildings. EDF is engaged in an extensive nuclear power plant expansion program, at odds with Carter-Giscard zero growth plans.

#### Terrorist Goal: Slave-Labor

This terrorism unleashed against both labor and industry was carefully pre-planned in Paris and Washington. For its part in the private intelligence work, the New York Times treated its readers ten days ago to a completely unexplained news scoop: "Right Wing Violence May Erupt in France, Some Fear."

In Paris several weeks ago, the Giscard government think-tank, "Perspective and Realité," unveiled

government deindustrialization plans specifying the closing down of large industrial firms in large cities like Paris, to permit decentralization of the related production capacities into smaller units spread across the countryside. The feudal-fascist (Vichyite) plan, contrived under the direction of former French Finance Minister Fourcade, thus called for a dismantling of those heavy-industry urban sectors which are the stronghold of the CGT confederation, as well as the sites of heavy immigrant-labor concentration — the immigrants to be simply shipped home.

The only qualification to Fourcade's small slave-labor unit scheme is that some large factory units are to be maintained for conversion to military production, whose export volume could provide the foreign exchange to meet New York bank schedules for French debt repayment. European Labor Party organizers were told by Paris workers that such a conversion plan was on the books for their own plant, the giant Renault auto complex, the strongest of CGT bases.

Who fired on CGT workers in Rheims is no secret. The so-called CFT was the goon-organization named in the New York Times' far-sighted prediction of anti-working class violence ten days ago. Another paramilitary intelligence gang involved, the SAC, a secret fascist group, is known to have been taken over by the old Algerian "blackfoot" Secret Army Organization (OAS), itself run by Rockefeller private intelligence networks with an Interpol and Israeli intelligence interface.

#### And the 'Left'

The "left-wing" so-called Ecology Movement now attacking French nuclear power development is an even more hastily contrived merger of several pre-existing Rockefeller network ganglets, including "Trotskyist" and "Maoist" crazies whose color was changed from red to green at the Vincennes University sociology department in Paris — an intelligence agency behavior-modification center. Vincennes set up as a purportedly working-class institution, has been increasingly exposed as the French equivalent of the notorious Trento University in Italy, whose sociology department spawned such internationally known killer-groupings as

the "Red Brigades."

Debate over Vincennes currently centers on whether the police will be allowed in to bust the rampant drug traffic (and unleash a wave of riots) or the Communist Party, which has been linked to the institution since 1968, will succumb to supporting its so-called academic freedom.

The next stage of the "strategy of tension" is planned to be a confrontation between the zombie terrorists and the police, to be brought on by Giscard's threats to shut down Vincennes. This scenario was invoked in linguisticians mumbo-jumbo by one of the main brainwashers involved, the well-known "psychologist" Michel Foucault whose book "Madness and Society" extols the advantages of schizophrenia. Declared Foucault: "Vincennes University is the kernel of the future Italian process. Its liquidation is predetermined, for many want to avoid the Italian situation."

### Rudakov Revelations Break In France

An article appearing in the Paris daily Le Figaro May 7, by Jerome Dumoulin, marked the first French publication of the year-old "Rudakov revelations" which gave the U.S. an idea of the superiority the Soviets have in basic science. The Rudakov disclosures later became one of the bases for the evaluation by retired U.S. Air Force General Keegan and Aviation Week that the USSR is well ahead of the U.S. in weapons capability. With the publication of this report, Le Figaro has simultaneously undergone a full-scale "clean up" of its editorial board, exemplified by the resignation of Raymond Aron, the French representative of the ultra-"utopian" London Institute for Strategic Studies.

# "Do The Russians Possess The 'Absolute Weapon'?"

...In strategic terms, this (the revelations in Aviation Week) comes down to reducing to nothing the U.S. second strike capability and bringing down the entire edifice of deterrence. If the Aviation Week revelations are founded — and the reputation of the review is well-established — the Soviets could thus acquire, in the very near future, an absolute strategic superiority.

At the origin of these revelations, a man of experience: General George Keegan...We met him in Washington in his office at the United States Strategic Institute, of which he is presently vice-president. The institute makes no mystery of its "hard" positions on defense questions. The review which he edits, Strategic Review, is unanimously respected as one of the best American publications on military and strategic subjects.

For General Keegan, a Cassandra all the way, USSR military superiority — on the nuclear as well as conventional level — is now a given fact.

"The end of the thirties, Churchill preaching in the desert, the disaster invited by the policy of 'appeasement' towards Nazi Germany, how can we not think of this tragic period in our history when we become conscious of the illusory character of detente?"...

"The Soviets have a 20-year advance over the Americans as far as the development of a technology which they are convinced could soon neutralize the threat of ballistic missiles is concerned. I have every reason to think that they are already at the trial stage. For five years intelligence circles have maintained that I was wrong. Finally, it was my small organization which buckled down to fundamental research — undoubtedly the most advanced since the development of the A-bomb — and which demonstrated the reality of facts."

According to General Keegan, the incredulity of intelligence circles - of Office of Nuclear intelligence of the CIA in the lead — is explained by both psychological and technical reasons. Psychological, because it is a priori very difficult for American scientists to admit that other countries, and the USSR in particular, could be in certain areas clearly in advance over them. "At the beginning," explains General Keegan, "most of our scientists were simply not armed to comprehend what we were presenting them." Technical, because the production of a beam of particles of such force would suppose that conceptual solutions, then concrete solutions were brought to an impressive series of major technological problems. "My 'young turks," says General Keegan, "demonstrated that all these 'barriers' had been surmounted with success by the Soviets."

#### The Revelations of Professor Rudakov

Their demonstration is support by rich and precise information: the observations of American alert and reconaissance sattelites, Soviet writings on high energy physics, contacts between Soviet and Western scientists. On this last point, a curious episode: in July of 1976 the physicist Leonid Rudakov, visiting Lawrence Livermore Laboratories, gave an exposé which left no doubt among its auditors of the scope of the Soviet advance in nuclear fusion and the production of high energy particle beams. The Pentagon immediately classified the Rudakov exposé "top secret." Why did the Soviet physicist let himself go to make such explosive revelations? Hypotheses can be multiplied. According to General Keegan, the American scientists who were listening put into doubt some of his affirmations. Rudakov, angered, then went far, too far, in the detail of Soviet work - in the area of theory and its applications - leaving his American colleagues with their mouths hanging open....

... At this hour, General Keegan is not optimistic: he