previously exposed by this news service. According to *Quotidien*, "There are certain frequentings attributed to Ben Bella, notably meetings with the neo-Nazi banker Genoud, a man close to certain Palestinian circles. He helped in the liberation from Israeli prisons of [convicted terrorists] Bruno Breguet and Magdalena Kopp. Sources also attribute to Ben Bella the intention to help in the translation and re-publication of certain Nazi works into Arabic."

Privately, it is said in France that Ben Bella and his Islamic networks have the intention of "recovering for Islam" the area of southern Spain known in earlier times as Andalusia, as well as much of southern France. These are areas of high concentrations of workers of North African descent, from whom Ben Bella draws his base of support. Islamic fundamentalist ideology is spreading among these workers, although French sources also report considerable resistance to Ben Bella's preachings among immigrants.

Then there are Ben Bella's Libyan and Pakistani connections. For months now, Ben Bella, who receives Libyan financing, has been acting as the go-between for the German "Die Grünen" (the environmentalist-terrorist "Greenies") and Libyan dictator Qaddafi. The two share a common outlook.

Qaddafi to *Le Matin:* "As for the massacre of the Jews, Hitler had understood that the Zionists wanted to dominate Germany. I have said that Hitler realized the danger of the Jews of Germany, and decided to sacrifice them before they sacrificed Germany."

Ben Bella to *Politique Internationale:* "If there is no other solution, let's have a nuclear war and be finished with the problem of Israel."

Ben Bella also maintains connections to the Islamic fundamentalist networks in Pakistan who are presently mobilizing to increase tensions with India as a means of sabotaging the upcoming March Non-Aligned nations summit in New Delhi.

It is hardly a coincidence, then, that Ben Bella is fundamentally opposed to the policies of industrial development necessary to forge a new world economic order. Indeed, Ben Bella is not his own master, but the pawn of two related institutions, Aurelio Peccei's Club of Rome and the North-South Commission of Willy Brandt and Olof Palme, both committed to neo-Malthusian perspectives envisioning the elimination of 50 percent of the world's present population in the next two decades.

The Brandt Commission's main mouthpiece in West Germany, the daily Frankfurter Rundschau, leapt to Ben Bella's defense in a Feb. 3 article reporting on the police raid. The Rundschau claimed that Ben Bella was the "victim of a political deal between France and Algeria," and that Ben Bella fears that if he returns to France he will be assassinated by Algerian agents. But the Rundschau's actual target was revealed when it mentioned that the Ben Bella affair occurs in the context of French President Mitterrand's attempt to improve relations with the Maghreb North African states.

Kissinger's exoneration fuels European anger

by Umberto Pascali in Rome

Last Jan. 24, after nine months, 99 sessions, and 300 interrogatories, the trial for the kidnapping and assassination of Italy's Christian Democratic Party President Aldo Moro (killed in 1978) concluded by sentencing 32 of the 63 accused to life imprisonment, and the rest to a total of 1,245 years in jail.

Although the sentences could be considered tough according to usual standards, it appears clear that justice remains to be done in the case of Aldo Moro. The key instigator, the real culprit responsible for the most ferocious political assassination of Italian post-war history, was named on the front page of every Italian newspaper following the dramatic testimony of Moro's widow, sons, and the even more courageous declarations of Moro's press secretary, Corrado Guerzoni. That person, named in the news but not in the court's sentence, is: Henry Kissinger. Kissinger, an individual whose personal responsibility for multiple murders and other obscenities has rightly earned him the title of the worst degenerate of the 20th century—an individual comparable to Tiberius, Nero, and Caligula—had openly threatened Aldo Moro to stop his policy of "National Unity" or face the consequences. All this is well, known both inside and outside Italy. The Rome magistracy has in its hands a dossier, presented by the European Labor Party's (POE) secretary, which details Kissinger's deep involvement in the Moro assassination.

Despite all this, Kissinger's name was not even mentioned in the final sentencing. Why? Insiders know that, once again, enormous pressures stemming from London—in particular from the environs of the Royal Household and from the British-controlled apparatus in the United States—were directly brought to bear to save Kissinger's wretched hide. It is exactly these acts of wild interference by Anglo-American circles into European affairs that are provoking an increasing estrangement of Europe from the United States. America's leadership must consider that this situation cannot go on much longer. At this point, they must answer the question: Are they ready to sacrifice their vital interests and, in fact, play into the hands of Soviet propaganda in order to cover up the culpability of a gangster such as Henry Kissinger?

The question becomes even more urgent now, as the Italian magistracy's investigations into the "Bulgarian Connection" produce evidence against the Grand Lodge of Lon-

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don—Kissinger's puppet-masters. On which side do the Americans want to be in this war?

Despite the court's decision, an entire spectrum of Italian press and politicians, together with media spokesmen from other European countries, made a public outcry against the blatant whitewash of Kissinger's role. On Jan. 27, the most important Italian Catholic newspaper, L'Avvenire, published an article that quoted the Soviet Literaturnaya Gazeta. "Kissinger is a 'macabre figure' involved in the murder of Aldo Moro, Spanish Prime Minister Carrero Blanco, and Chilean President Salvador Allende. . . . Numerous assassinations were organized on Italian soil and in other countries with the green light of the bosses of the White House and of this same Kissinger."

Other international outcries against the sentence included the French Paper *Le Monde*. In an article by Philippe Pons datelined Jan. 26, *Le Monde* noted, "The last question concerns the 'threats' that Moro received at the hands of the Americans while he was Foreign Minister. Mrs. Moro and Moro's press aide recalled the stormy conversation that Moro had with Kissinger in 1974: the policy of rapprochement with



A new dossier published by the European Labor Party in Italy: "Behind the Bulgarian Connection to Terrorism is the Lodge of Kissinger and Andropov."

the Italian Communist Party was not liked by the Americans, and Nixon's collaborator Kissinger made this clear in so rude a way that Moro got sick immediately afterward."

An editorial in La Repubblica written by Stefano Rodotà on January 20 reads: "The hostility of the United States [to Aldo Moro] was more than obvious. No matter the 'operational' dimension of the threat Kissinger addressed to Moro: it is certain that the threat indicated a determination to interfere which cannot be considered as secondary." Similarly, the newspaper Paese Sera wrote on Jan. 21: "The Red Brigades made clear that their goals coincided with secret plans of certain political circles," recalling in this context the threats issued by Kissinger. The Soviet party daily Pravda, on Jan. 21, also referenced declarations issued by Red Brigades leader Prospero Gallinari before the Moro trial. Gallinari said: "We kidnapped Moro to destroy the national unity project."

The Grand Lodge of London behind Arsan

Ironically, just when the Anglo-Americans are doing all they can to save Kissinger, the Italian magistracy is amassing evidence of the involvement of the Kissinger's puppet masters in the immense drug/weapons traffic discovered recently by Trento Judge Carlo Palermo. Palermo has not decided to concentrate his efforts on the investigation into the "P-2 connection," a connection that leads directly to the Lodge's leadership, led by the Duke of Kent.

A large part of the weapons smuggled by Henry Arsan (the Bulgarian connection), it has now been found, had been passing through the Tuscany region, in particular through the port of Leghorn. Involved were persons like Maurizio Bruni, and above all, Alessandro Del Bene, both members of the Propaganda-2 Freemasonic lodge (P-2), and both closely linked to P-2 leader Licio Gelli. It was the P-2 umbrella that was really running the weapons traffic. Del Bene had been able to smuggle highly sophisticated weapons, using a British company, the Independent Trading Company, based in Jersey. The area of Leghorn and the Tuscany region is one of the most tightly controlled Masonic areas, an area in which British Masonry planted its roots very early. The first Italian lodge was created in Florence in 1733. But the whole apparatus in Tuscany was reorganized in 1973, after the Grand Lodge of England recognized the Italian Grand Orient. In 1973 the Grand Secretary and the President of the Grand Lodge, James Stubbs and Jeremy Pemberton, made a journey to Tuscany, and had meetings with the most important politicians there (who were also, in large part, Masons). In particular, they met Socialist leaders, foremost of whom was the Socialist president of Tuscany and present Defense Minister, Lelio Lagorio.

The two bosses of the Grand Lodge of England had been guests of an important P-2 Mason, Alessandro Del Bene. A few days ago Florence magistrate Pier Luigi Vigna delivered a warrant for weapons smuggling to Licio Gelli, Gelli's son Raffaele, and Alessandro Del Bene!

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