Italy's War on Crime by Marco Fanini

The P-2 Lodge killed Moro

Clamorous warnings about a coup by Tina Anselmi, of the Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry on the P-2 Lodge.

he Propaganda 2 masonic lodge is by no means dead, it still has power. When there is a hidden power parallel to the official one, this is already a potential coup." This statement, made to the weekly Panorama by Hon. Tina Anselmi, who chairs the Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry on the P-2 Lodge, confirms that behind the early elections in Italy, coming up June 26, are hidden plans for a coup. Both Anselmi and the vice-president of the commission, Hon. Alberto Cecchi, who issued a similar statement, have fingered the international P-2 apparatus. Anselmi said: "Let us recall that P-2 has its power centers fully functioning abroad, in South America, for example. . . . We also know that relations with foreign powers have been established through the P-2."

To whom is Anselmi referring, and what new revelations will come out in the final report of the inquiry by the commission she presides over when it is presented to parliament next Oct. 8?

I would predict that the report will focus above all on the links between the United Grand Lodge of Great Britain, directed by the Duke of Kent, and Licio Gelli, Grand Master of the illegal P-2 lodge first exposed in May 1981. Such relations were discovered in the investigation of the assassination of banker Roberto Calvi at the hands of P-2's hired killers in London. The second international link likely to appear in the Anselmi report will be Licio Gelli's relations with the former U.S. Secretary of State Henry

Kissinger and with Gen. Alexander Haig. It was during the search of Gelli's Villa Wanda near Arezzo that a "Haig dossier" was found, in which Licio Gelli's encounters with Kissinger and Haig in Washington in 1969 were described.

As Mrs. Anselmi testifies, 1969 was the year of Licio Gelli's investiture: "We have discovered that in 1969 Licio Gelli had already received from the heads of the masonry the task of supervising and organizing secret lodges, at the pinnacle of which was the P-2." Such tasks were entrusted to Gelli not by the various Grand Masters of the Grand Orient in Italy, subsequently revealed to be all Gelli's own men, but by the Duke of Kent himself and the American heads of the Scottish Rite. It will be interesting, too, to read the chapter of the report of the Commission of Inquiry on P-2 regarding the Moro killing in 1978: In fact, Mrs. Anselmi imputed to P-2 the responsibility of the murder of the former Italian prime minister and political control over "red" and "black" terrorism.

"There are still unresolved questions in the political life of this country, starting with the death of Aldo Moro. We still do not know where he was being hid and we do not know on whose orders he was killed. That the P-2 had a political project is proven, on the record, and that it certainly had among its objectives that of 'getting rid of the Christian Democracy of Zaccagnini and Moro,' as one reads

verbatim in a well-known document. . . . I do not believe that the fact that the top levels of the secret services during the years of terrorism were in the hands of the P-2 is without significance." These statements of Mrs. Anselmi ended up on the front pages of the Italian press because they represent a clear accusation against those forces which took advantage of the death of Moro and the ensuing fall of the government of national solidarity. What we have here are very tough charges against the "new Christian Democracy," appropriately represented by its number one candidate, former Governor of the Bank of Italy Guido Carli, that is, by the right-hand man of Gianni Agnelli and hence pointman of the Trilateral Commission in Italy.

FIAT magnate Agnelli and Carli, like Kissinger and the Trilateral, are pulling out all the stops against the policy of the American government and openly plotting to hinder President Reagan's reelection. Not only do the Trilateraloids attack Reagan's defense doctrine but his entire foreign policy as well. In the Italian political spectrum, the American government will find few true allies: The Christian Democracy is in Trilateral hands and is in fact allied to the "Europeanist" policy of Andropov. Prime Minister Fanfani himself is supported by the Communists and has had godfathers in Moscow since the days of the Mayor of Florence, La Pira. The Socialist Party is an instrument in the hands of Kissinger, whose meetings with Socialist chief Craxi have been public for some time.

The European Labor Party's pro-American electoral campaign in favor of Reagan's ABM defense, space colonization, and against Moscow's "Third Rome" imperialism, is the only certain American card.

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