International Intelligence

Is Henry reading the Young Shah's mail?

Sources among the Iranian exile community in Western Europe and the United States have expressed deep concern of late that the Young Shah of Iran has been surrounded by a nest of agents reporting to Henry Kissinger and Zbigniew Brzezinski, two of the leading Americans responsible for the overthrow of his father and the installation of Khomeini's "Islamic revolutionary" regime.

According to our sources, the leading figure in this effort to isolate Reza Shah from the monarchist networks pressing for a nearterm uprising against Khomeini, with United States and Saudi Arabian backing, is Shahriar Ahi. A former employee of United Technologies, a U.S. corporation linked to Kissinger, Brzezinski, and former Reagan Secretary of State Alexander Haig, Ahi has reportedly been informing the Kissinger circles on all of the Young Shah's activities, screening his mail, and encouraging the heir to the Iranian throne to "forget politics back home" and enjoy the jet-set life of Monte Carlo, New York, and Acapulco.

According to a leading American specialist in the Persian Gulf region, Edward L'Arabi, critical correspondence relating to on-the-ground developments inside Iran have been screened from the Young Shah. This correspondence suggests a climate favorable to an internal revolt against the Islamic fundamentalists and Islamic-Marxists destroying the country through the ongoing war effort against Iraq. Return correspondence has been signed by Ahi.

The sources underscored to EIR that such screening at this juncture is tantamount to delivering Iran over to the Soviets. It is the widespread estimate of Gulf experts, including L'Arabi, that if Khomeini dies in office—as is anticipated as early as autumn of this year—and a new "human wave" offensive is launched against Iraq, bringing devastation to the Iranian military as well as economic infrastructure, Soviet-controlled networks will take over the country within

the next year.

U.S. intelligence circles have additionally reported that the Saudi regime is intent on assisting in the demise of Khomeini's fundamentalist revolution. Saudi Arabia is currently flooding the market with crude oil, temporarily driving the price down and shutting Iranian oil, which cannot compete with the Saudi rock-bottom prices, off from foreign sales. The sources say that the Saudis adopted this policy as an overt act of economic warfare against the Khomeini regime, in the hope that this will cut off Iranian plans for a new war offensive and encourage a move from within the country for a return to some form of secular rule outside of Soviet control.

New Canadian party shapes election results

Canada's new political party, the Party for the Commonwealth of Canada (PCC), scored a major victory in national elections Sept. 4, even though none of its candidates were elected. It created the political climate in which the Liberal Party, ruler of Canada for most of this century, was badly defeated.

When the votes were counted, acting Premier John Turner and his Liberals had gone from a majority government of more than 150 parliamentary seats to just 40 seats nationwide. In Quebec province, where the Liberals had controlled 74 out of a total of 75 parliamentary seats, the election left them them clinging to 14. After the election, the Conservatives said they were "not sure what happened" in Quebec.

The PCC's election campaign is "what happened." Chaired by Gilles Gervais of Montreal, the party fielded 65 candidates in both English- and French-speaking Canada in the Sept. 4 elections, running on a platform like that of U.S. presidential candidate Lyndon LaRouche: for international monetary reform, defense of Western Europe against Soviet threats, and allied cooperation in support of the Reagan administration's Strategic Defense Initiative for beam-

weapon defense.

The PCC campaign against Turner was the subject of nearly 500 articles or appearances on radio or television during the monthlong campaign.

None of the PCC candidates was elected this time around, but the rout of the Liberals, with their policy of abject appeasement of the Russians, was far greater than any political analyst had predicted. The media had forecast defeat for the Liberals and Turner (the successor to Pierre Trudeau), but no one except the PCC considered it possible to crush the Liberals in their strongholds of Quebec and parts of Ontario.

Terrorists, separatists threaten Europe again

According to precise information in the hands of French intelligence leaked to the daily *Le Figaro*, a new terrorist wave is expected in France soon, and all security forces have been put in a state of alert. French aiports and airlines are indicated as possible terrorist targets. TNT explosive-filled suitcases are reported to be planned for use by these terrorists.

Le Figaro and Quotidien de Paris also report a reorganization of a "nationalist international," which was consolidated at a "summer university" in Pamplona, Spain with representatives of the Corsican FLNC, French and Spanish Basques, along with the Irish Sinn Fein, Armenians, and Kurds.

The most recent leak is a report that on Aug. 23 the terrorist group Action Directe tried to blow up the Paris headquarters of the Western European Union. According to the account, Action Directe had put a 23-kilogram TNT bomb in a car nearby, which, had it exploded, would have been enough to destroy the entire building. Le Figaro is speculating that this may have been the first step toward a "Lebanese type of blackmail."

Faced with the passivity of the newly appointed government of French Premier Laurent Fabius, French police revelations are likely aimed at forcing the government to take action, since the new interior minister, Pierre Joxe, is a Marxist ideologue who warned the police when he was appointed in August that he wanted to personally authorize all police operations down to the level of tailing people.

Roman prof. denounces campaign for euthanasia

A cry of alarm against euthanasia came from Prof. Adriano Bausola, Rector of the Catholic University of Rome, at a conference on "The Value of Life" Sept. 13. Opening the sessions, Professor Bausola declared:

"Euthanasia is a denial of life which involves a social judgment, in so far as it requires external collaboration to carry it out. It is a suicide. . . . Today we have reached the point that not only is euthanasia accepted, but it is seen as a spectacle. This has recently occurred: A case of euthanaisa was broadcast directly by West German television. Then French television and Italian television rebroadcast a part of the 'spectacle.'"

Prof. Bausola referred to the case of the German doctor Julius Hackethal who assassinated a patient by giving her four grams of cyanide, after convincing her that her life was not worth living, but that she could serve as a good example to others. The international Club of Life organization, headed by Helga Zepp-LaRouche, launched an intense campaign of condemnation of Hackethal and his collaborators in the "right-to-die" movement. The Pope delivered a speech harshly condemning euthanasia in early September, singling out the Hackethal case, which was then taken up and spread by all major Catholic journals.

Mertes: Soviets want to terrify Germans

West German Defense State Secretary Alois Mertes told an interviewer from the French daily Le Monde that the Soviets want to terrorize West Germany into submission, but insisted that there is no real war danger, and that Soviet internal problems are behind Soviet policy—the KGB's own disinformation line.

"Neither the missiles as such, nor the Russian troops are threatening us," he said. "The Soviet Union does not want to destroy Germany; it does not want to run the risk of a war in Europe. But it wants to use its power, and if possible its military superiority over the West, to the benefit of its psychological expansionism. It wants us to react out of fear by assuming an attitude of 'preemptive good behavior'. . . . This is why it has deployed the SS-20s, so as to have an instrument, not of war, but of blackmail. . . .

"The precarious political situation of the Soviet Union in Eastern Europe compels it to reinforce its influence in Western Europe. Not through war, I repeat, but through military superiority and the exploitation of a war danger which does not exist."

Exercise danger cited by British specialist

Self-styled "exercise experts," many of whom are former athletes or dancers possessing no medical background, are prescribing exercise programs which could harm or even kill people, a British medical specialist warned in a paper delivered at the annual meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science.

Persons over 40 are especially at risk, according to Dr. Bruce Davies of England's Salford University. Tests on 350 executives between the ages of 40 and 60 years, showed cardiac and other abnormalities in 80% of those studied. Such persons can suffer serious, and sometimes fatal, effects from improperly prescribed exercise.

Citing a study of 30 joggers who died, of whom 73% had severe heart disease, Davies observed: "Many people attempting to run marathons should be nowhere near the starting line."

Briefly

- KGB VETERAN "Ernst Henry" (Semyon Rostovsky) is the writer of one of the most recent Soviet diatribes against West Germany, penning a ferocious attack on "West German militarism" in Literaturnaya Gazeta, the unofficial KGB house organ. "Henry" is the 1930s recruiter of H. Kim Philby, and others among the "Cambridge Apostles" who became high-level Soviet agents in the British and American intelligence services and subsequently defected. Philby is now a KGB general.
- SIKH SEPARATISTS killed at least nine Hindus in Punjab and injured 60 others in religous violence in the Indian state. The terrorists hijacked a bus, separated Hindus from Sikhs and killed the Hindus. In Jullundur, a grenade was hurled outside a movie house, killing one. In Sangruru, terrorists burst into a playhouse brandishing swords, starting a stampede for the exits, injuring mostly women and children.
- FLORA LEWIS was the subject of praise for her "realism" on the space weapons issue by Izvestia writer Valentin Falin. Lewis, a nominally anti-Soviet New York Times columnist and European specialist, wrote an article Sept. 4 arguing that the United States and the Soviet Union should freeze development of beam-weapon defense systems.
- MALAYSIA is the newest British Commonwealth nation to call for a nuclear-free zone in the Pacific. Malay Foreign Minister Tengku Ahmad Rithaddeen declared at a Sept. 10 meeting of Asean foreign ministers that the Asean countries should begin "to exert the necessary steps for a zone of peace, freedom, and neutrality." This makes the fourth major Asian Commonwealth country to come out for a nuclear-free Pacific. The first are the two ANZUS partners to the U.S., Australia, and New Zealand. This was followed by a call by the Sri Lankan government for a nuclear-free zone in the Indian Ocean.