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Anglo-Americans fostering Nazi revival in Germany

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If 1990 was remembered as Germany's year of hope and opportunity, following the fall of the Berlin Wall and the collapse of the communist dictatorship in the East, 1992 will be remembered as the year of chaos and despair, when the streets of Germany were the scene of violent clashes between left-wing and right-wing gangs, and foreigners were the targets of Nazi gangs.

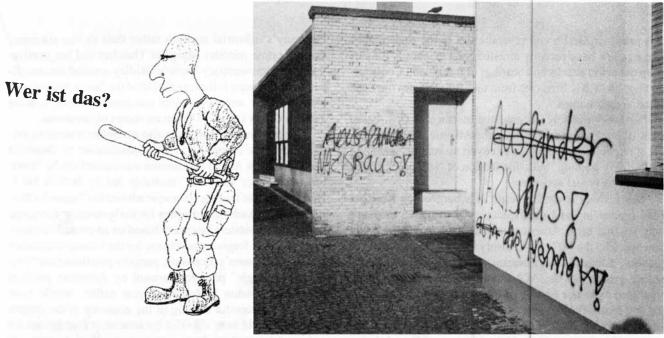
The news media in the United States, Britain and Israel have been running amok in criticizing *Germany* for the revival of Nazi violence *in* and *against* Germany. But this revival would not be occurring except for a sweeping economic and political destabilization of the Federal Republic by the same British, American (and, now, Israeli and Zionist lobby) factions, which earlier supported the rise of Adolf Hitler's Nazis to power in 1933.

Then, as now, the Anglo-Americans' geopolitical game ruled out a strong and peaceful German republic as a threat to the British Empire and to Anglo-American imperial power. Thus Hitler's insane dictatorship was boosted into power and armed by the Montagu Norman clique, the Cliveden set, the Harrimans, Morgans, Rockefellers, du Ponts, Sulzbergers, and Warburgs. Today's Nazi revival and the threatened plunge into terror and counter-terror are a cynical antidote to the threat of German economic strength—strength which could indeed help make Europe or all of Eurasia a superpower uncontrollable by the Anglo-Americans.

With the adjacent Balkan region in a state of civil war and genocide on a scale not seen since the close of World War II, and with the world economy already in the throes of a second Great Depression, the effort to throw Germany into chaos again by means of radical movements could trigger a new Thirty Years' War across Eurasia and beyond.

The following report includes information gathered by our bureau in Wiesbaden, Germany, and a study by a Washington-based counterintelligence specialist who has reviewed archive files documenting the role of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith (ADL) in penetrating and taking over the Nazi milieu in the United States. The information

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The Anglo-Americans are propagating a Nazi revival in Germany, just as they did in the 1920s and 1930s, which features left-versusright, gang-versus-countergang violence. Left, a cartoon asks, "Who is this?" referring to a leftist beaten up by other leftists who mistook him for a Nazi because of his short haircut. Right, rightist graffitti urging that foreigners be expelled, written over by leftists urging that Nazis be expelled.

is preliminary; we expect to expand it and make it more precise in the coming weeks and months. However, there is enough already in the public domain to conclude that Nazism today, as earlier in this century, is not a home-made product, but injected by Anglo-American interests into Germany.

A counterculture project

There is no question that an ugly movement driven by a xenophobic hatred of foreigners has been built among German youth, particularly youth from the eastern zone who have been hardest hit by the collapse of industry and skyrocketing unemployment in the past year. This movement has been further fueled by the flood of immigrants from the Balkan war and the economic crises in the former communist states of Central Europe that have been ravaged by the International Monetary Fund's "shock therapy" policies.

That movement is also a product of the drug-rock-sex counterculture which is spreading into Germany from its birthplaces in England and America, with the assistance of such German-based "psychological warfare" outfits as the Frankfurt School for Social Research, a onetime arm of the Communist International ("Comintern") more recently absorbed into the U.S.- and European-based Zionist lobby.

Just as the radical left-wing anarchist milieu in Germany and elsewhere is a product of the degenerate counterculture, so too is the neo-Nazi "skinhead" phenomenon. Among the crucial "recruiters" to this burgeoning skinhead movement are the growing number of "death rock bands," mostly from the United States and England, that have toured the Federal Re-

public. Groups like "Slayer," "Screwdriver," and "Napalm Death" appear in concert decked out in Nazi attire. Their songs call for violent attacks against foreigners, and in recent years, some of the most brutal attacks against foreign workers and refugees have occurred immediately after such concerts.

Nazi computer games, although outlawed in Germany since 1988, also make up an important feature of the recruitment pitch for these neo-Nazi gangs. Such computer games as "Clean Germany," "Anti-Turk Test," "Concentration Camp Manager," and "Aryan Test" circulate through a black market. Investigations by German security services indicate that these computer games are being dumped on the German market by British, Canadian, and American distributors, some apparently working in league with former East German Stasi operators who traditionally have run smuggling routes through Central Europe into the eastern zone.

Of the estimated 4,200 hardcore Nazis operating today in the Federal Republic, according to the 1991 year-end report of the Federal Bureau for the Defense of the Constitution (Bundesamt für Verfassungsschutz, BfV), nearly all are skinheads—i.e., products of this drug-rock counterculture experiment.

But the role of foreign intelligence services in fueling this crisis goes far beyond the atmospherics of the violent, often overtly satanic counterculture. It is a matter of public record in both Germany and the United States that for the past five years, several leading figures in the U.S.-based Ku Klux Klan and other racist movements have been making regular trips to Germany, Austria, and other countries in continental Europe, actively working to build up a violent underground

movement. In Berlin and several cities in the eastern zone where police have recently arrested Nazi skinheads for carrying out arson attacks and beatings of foreigners, Confederate flags and KKK literature from the United States has been found in their homes.

For every publicly documented instance of U.S.-based KKK or Nazi activists transiting the Atlantic, there are dozens of unpublicized instances of covert assistance, including paramilitary training, bulk distribution of Nazi propaganda, and other technical assistance.

This activity is not the result of a burgeoning Ku Klux Klan revival in the United States. All available evidence suggests that these American circles have been so heavily penetrated by the FBI, the Treasury Department's Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms (BATF), and "deputized" private groups like the ADL, that they have no significant organized existence outside of that controlled by these official and semi-official agencies.

As early as 1975, *EIR* was publishing eyewitness accounts of Nazi groups in the United States and Canada being covertly controlled by the U.S. National Security Council, then headed by Henry Kissinger. If anything, those controls have been tightened even further over the intervening years.

Is there a U.S. government covert hand behind this Nazi and KKK invasion of the Federal Republic? There is little doubt that the answer is "yes."

In September 1989, in a speech delivered to the Los Angeles World Affairs Council, then-CIA head William Webster identified America's leading "economic competitors" (Germany and Japan) as primary targets for U.S. covert operations: "Our political and military allies are also our economic competitors," he told the audience. "The national security implications of a competitor's ability to create, capture, or control markets of the future are very significant." Webster's successor, current CIA chief Robert Gates, reiterated that perspective on repeated occasions.

Sources inside the U.S. Pentagon's special forces community have also confirmed that U.S. covert operators are active in the on-the-ground destabilization of the Federal Republic in pursuit of this doctrine outlined by Webster and Gates. Israeli sources have told *EIR* that both Israeli superspy "Dirty" Rafi Eytan and his onetime CIA counterpart Theodore G. Shackley are involved inside Germany helping to fuel the "strategy of tension" through covert support to the anarchist leftist and neo-Nazi rightist gangs. According to these reports, the "money is coming from the United States" and the on-the-ground efforts are being "steered by Israelis and former Stasi operatives." The alleged U.S. official role is part of a larger mosaic that makes up this "strategy of tension" against Germany.

Since former President Ronald Reagan made his trip to Bitburg, Germany in 1985, the British Crown and its leading spokesmen in the British government and press have been trumpeting the threat of a "Fourth Reich," this time fueled by Germany's industrial strength rather than its war machine. Former prime minister Margaret Thatcher and her onetime transportation secretary Nicholas Ridley assailed the reunification of Germany following the fall of the Berlin Wall in such alarmist terms, and their venom was matched by the London *Times*'s Conor Cruise O'Brien on scores of occasions.

German investigators have also assembled extensive evidence that the November 1989 assassination of Deutsche Bank President Alfred Herrhausen was carried out by "western intelligence services," probably led by British MI-5. Herrhausen, the leading economic adviser to Chancellor Helmut Kohl, had advocated a plan for the systematic economic integration of eastern Germany based on an overall development and debt forgiveness scheme for the former communist states. Herrhausen's proposals, partially paralleling the "Productive Triangle" plan put forward by American political economist Lyndon LaRouche a year earlier, would have meant the successful buildup of the economy of the eastern zone, and could have also laid the economic foundations for a peaceful transition from communism. With Herrhausen assassinated and LaRouche thrown into federal prison in the United States, those prospects were dashed. The past 24 months of economic collapse and ethnic violence were the intended result.

Bronfman and the ADL

Another indispensable component of the ongoing "strategy of tension" directed against Germany and its Central European neighbors is being carried out by the ADL, and the allied World Jewish Congress (WJC) and Institute for Jewish Affairs (IJA). Just before the fall of the Berlin Wall, WJC president Edgar Bronfman was awarded the highest civilian honor given by the East German communist regime. At the award ceremony, Bronfman vowed to \$ED (communist) party chief Erich Honecker that he would put all the resources at his disposal into the fight to prevent reunification. Since then, the WJC and the ADL have carried out a non-stop propaganda barrage decrying the Nazi revival in Germany. As one of the accompanying reports will show, the ADL is one of the crucial agencies covertly running the U.S.-based Ku Klux Klan networks providing aid to the German skinheads.

While the behavior of British, American, and Zionist circles toward Germany today is an echo of their criminal policies of the past, the vast majority of Germans, on the other hand, are outraged at the skinhead violence. In every major German city, Christmas season vigils protesting the violence drew some 300,000 citizens.

Privately, German security services are well aware that their country is a target of a covert war involving foreign intelligence-directed violence by both left-wing and right-wing gangs. In one of the most dangerous vestiges of the postwar orchestrated "collective guilt," they will not bring to public light what they know about this foreign involvement. It is the kind of error that gives rise to real-world tragedy.

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