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Documents reveal CIA recruited five of Eichmann's associates

By: Yossi Melman, on: 06.02.2005 [04:34] (766 reads)



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Reinhard Gehlen, a chief Wermacht intelligence officer during World War Two, seen in the summer of 1942. (photo Archive)

Five of Adolph Eichmann's Nazi assistants were recruited and employed by the Central Intelligence Agency after World War II, according to recently declassified intelligence documents.

The information came to light after a lengthy battle waged by the non-profit group, The National Security Archive, whose goal is to expose government documents under the framework of the Freedom of Information Act.

The newly-revealed documents are based on internal investigations in the CIA's history department. The agency has steadfastly refused to make the documents public for fear they would cause embarrassment.

The revelations cast a negative light not only on American intelligence activity but also the U.S. Army's conduct in Germany at the conclusion of the war. The military made efforts to recruit members of the SS and the Gestapo into its ranks despite simultaneously waging a campaign of de-Nazification over vanquished Germany, a process which included arresting and trying Nazi war criminals.

The documents also reveal in great detail CIA efforts to recruit Reinhard Gehlen, who was the Wermacht's chief intelligence officer for the eastern front during the war.

The recruitment evolved into a new intelligence sub-organization known as "Gehlen's Organization," which served as the basis for what would later become West Germany's foreign intelligence service, the Bundesnachrichtendienst (BND).

According to the new findings, Gehlen's Organization employed a number of Gestapo and SS officials. Gehlen and his senior associates secretly operated out of a building with the knowledge of the American occupation forces.

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Good coverage of the extensive alliances between Hitler and the Muslim

by cleopatra on 06.02.2005 [05:38]

world both before and during WWII here:

http://www.jewishpress.com/news_article.asp?article=4592

It's titled: Nazi Roots of Palestinian (displaced Arab--ECII) Nationalism

The two sides saw eye to eye on most things - Jews particularly, of course.

The Mufti (Haj Amin al-Husseini) was one of Adolf Eichmann's best friends and had constantly incited him to accelerate the extermination measures.

More info on cia-gehlen collaboration here:

by hayate on 06.02.2005 [06:45]

<http://www.fas.org/sgp/news/2002/05/nara050802.html>

Opening of CIA Records under Nazi War Crimes Disclosure Act

everybody in the capitalist camp was playing footsie with the Nazis

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [08:51]

including your Zionist terrorist heroes, Cleo:

The NMO, which is well-acquainted with the goodwill of the German Reich government and its authorities towards Zionist activity inside Germany and towards Zionist emigration plans, is of the opinion that:

1. Common interests could exist between the establishment of a new order in Europe in conformity with the German concept, and the true national aspirations of the Jewish people as they are embodied by the NMO.
2. Cooperation between the new Germany and a renewed folkish-national Hebraium would be possible and,
3. The establishment of the historic Jewish state on a national and totalitarian basis, bound by a treaty with the German Reich, would be in the interest of a maintained and strengthened future German position of power in the Near East.

Proceeding from these considerations, the NMO in Palestine, under the condition the above-mentioned national aspirations of the Israeli freedom movement are recognized on the side of the German Reich, offers to actively take part in the war on Germany's side.

Fundamental Features of the Proposal of the National Military Organization in Palestine (Irgun Zvai Leumi) Concerning the Solution of the Jewish Question in Europe and the Participation of the NMO in the War on the Side of Germany

Signed: Avraham Stern (terrorist boss of future Israeli PM Yitzak Shamir)

it's not like any of this is news

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [09:41]

The US-Nazi alliance is not exactly news but the Israelis have kept mum about until now. Loftus&Aarons's "[The Secret War Against the Jews](#)" recounts how Ben-Gurion made a deal with Rockefeller to destroy the evidence on his personal and direct collaboration with the Nazis in exchange for delivering the votes of the US's Latin American banana republics at the UN for the creation of Israel. It's reasonable to suppose that Israel used the information it held on US-Nazi collaboration to blackmail the US into supporting Israel on a wide range of issues. This was seen as more productive than exposing the US as a Nazi power, which would give the Soviet Union a winning card. Although the Soviet Union had saved millions of Jews from the Holocaust, sacrificed 600,000 troops to liberate the death camps, and supported the creation of Israel, Ben-Gurion was still a bourgeois socialist and as such, a natural ally of capitalism and a natural enemy of communism. He screwed the USSR and made a deal with the Nazis just like the deal that the Irgun terrorists had tried to make with Hitler.

<http://dir.salon.com/news/feature/2000/05/03/nazi/index.html?pn=2>

. . . America's most notorious Nazi "asset" was Klaus Barbie, an SS man and Gestapo officer recruited by the U.S. Army Counterintelligence Corps (CIC) in 1947. The French, who wanted to try Barbie for such war crimes as sending Jewish children to Auschwitz and ordering the murder of resistance leader Jean Moulin, learned that he was being sheltered by the CIC. When Paris demanded that he be turned over, the U.S. Army helped Barbie flee to South America on a clandestine "ratline." (In 1983, the Bolivian government extradited Barbie to France, where he was convicted of crimes against humanity and died in prison.)

There was also Reinhard Gehlen, the Gestapo general who oversaw military intelligence programs throughout Eastern Europe for Hitler. Gehlen, who got his start by extracting information from Russian POWs who were systematically starved to death following Hitler's invasion of the Soviet Union, surrendered to U.S. troops in 1945. He offered to provide intelligence on Russia in return for light treatment at the hands of the Allies, and was flown to Washington (disguised as an American general) for interrogation and training. In the summer of 1946 — when the policy of de-Nazification was already being supplanted by one of anti-communism — he was sent back to Germany to set up the country's new intelligence agency. In "Blowback," Simpson estimates that the United States spent some \$200 million and employed at least 4,000 people to construct the Gehlen Org over the next decade.

Simpson says that among the most important CIA files still classified are ones concerning Otto von Bolschwing, who as an SS officer served on Adolf Eichmann's staff and was one of the chief masterminds behind the plan to exterminate the Jews. In 1941, he was the top SS officer in Bucharest, Romania, and instigated a pogrom in the city during which hundreds of people were murdered. Some of those killed were hung on meat hooks at a meat-packing plant, had their throats cut, and then were branded "kosher meat" with red-hot irons.

Von Bolschwing was recruited by U.S. intelligence at the end of the war and assigned to the Gehlen Org. In 1954, the CIA brought him to the United States. Since as a Nazi criminal he was ineligible to reside here, the agency provided the INS with a letter saying it had conducted a full investigation of him and had found no derogatory information. Von Bolschwing was discovered to be living in California in the 1970s, prompting Justice Department proceedings to deport him. In the end, he was stripped of his citizenship but allowed to remain in the country due to his age and the fact that he was suffering from a degenerative brain disease. He died in a California nursing home.

The CIA has always claimed, quite implausibly, that it didn't know von Bolschwing was a war criminal. But so far it has given no sign that it will turn over his file.

[Part 2 follows]

CIA & Nazis part 2

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [09:41]

<http://dir.salon.com/news/feature/2000/05/03/nazi/index.html?pn=3>

Maier's research offers other hints at information still hidden in agencies' files. Consider what he discovered about SS officer Otto "Scarface" Skorzeny, one of Hitler's most rabid followers and a man whose files should certainly be released under the NWCD. In 1943, Skorzeny led a commando raid that rescued Benito Mussolini from an Allied prison. The following year, he kidnapped Hungarian Regent Mikls Horthy, who was planning to sign a peace agreement with the Russians. Such exploits led the Allied press to dub Skorzeny "the most dangerous man in Europe."

In 1948, Skorzeny escaped from an American POW camp. He moved to Spain and became intimately involved in postwar neo-Nazi movements, and is suspected of involvement in the disposition of looted assets. According to several published accounts, including one by former U.S. intelligence agent Miles Copeland, Skorzeny, who died in 1975, helped the CIA train the Egyptian security services in the 1950s.

Other than a few bland pages from the Treasury Department, government agencies have turned over nothing on Skorzeny under the NWCD. Meanwhile, Maier has uncovered a 1951 Air Force memo that details a meeting in Spain that year between Skorzeny and an unnamed American intelligence agent. The meeting occurred while Skorzeny was a fugitive on a U.S. arrest warrant, and hunted by German authorities for possible prosecution on war crimes charges.

The U.S. agent was clearly on good terms with Skorzeny — "Customary greeting is not unlike being welcomed by a huge bear or engulfed by a Saint Bernard dog," reads his account. The agent seems to have been no fan, though, of Scarface's wife, Countess Ilsa von Finkelstein. During the conversation, Skorzeny complained that the U.S. Treasury had frozen the profits from the sale of his war memoirs. Reads the memo: "Commenting on this particular point, his wife displayed her rare appearing sense of humor: 'Good God, do you realize that by our money going to the U.S. Treasury, Rolf [Skorzeny's alias] is actually paying for re-arming the French!'"

The memo contains repeated references to Skorzeny's desire to aid America in the fight against communism (though he feared "a loss of face in his [Nazi] followers" should he openly collaborate with the U.S.). "His primary interest appears to be to find some kind of position for himself relative to the only trade he knows — soldiering," the agent reported. "He champions the cause of those nationals of other countries who fought with the German allies against the Russians and who are now held in prison, and plunks for the creation of the nucleus of a German Commando Cadre in Spain about which could be formed a new German army to combat the Russians."

Skorzeny apparently had knowledge of a number of wanted war criminals, including Hans-Ulrich Rudel, Hitler's most decorated airman. Skorzeny indicated to the American agent that he had met with Rudel — who at the time had found refuge in dictator Juan Peron's Argentina — on a recent trip to Lisbon, Portugal. Rudel, Skorzeny said, was bitter toward his former enemies "inasmuch as he was tried as a war criminal and convicted, [and] he cannot legally return to Germany." However, Skorzeny reported that Rudel had returned several times to Germany "in the black" and was "anxious to be on the side of the United States if given the opportunity."

The memo closed by saying that the reporting officer "sees Skorzeny frequently and has succeeded in winning his confidence completely, but it is felt that this source has scarcely been scratched when one considers the wealth of information he possesses. Skorzeny will continue to be watched and pertinent information forwarded when available."

Well, at least there is a little justice

by Crack_Smoke_Republican on 06.02.2005 [10:13]

DATE=5/29/2000 TYPE=CORRESPONDENT REPORT TITLE=RUSSIA / BERIA (L-O)

Nice to see a minor historical win against communist "christian killing" Jews of the USSR - most of whom have never had a criminal trial. These murderous jews are the same kind of people setting the US attack dog loose on Iraq, Iran and Syria. Neo-nazi/Neo-con/Zionist/Mujihadeen what' the difference? Beria beats them all in the amount of human blood shed.

INTRO: Russia's Supreme Court has firmly rejected a request to pardon Lavrenty Beria, the police chief who oversaw Soviet dictator Josef Stalin's reign of terror. Moscow Correspondent Peter Heinlein reports the idea of clearing Beria's name had infuriated human-rights groups. TEXT: Russia's Supreme Court threw out an appeal by members of the Beria family, who claimed he should be rehabilitated because he had been a victim of repression. The court's judgment said in part that Beria was the organizer of repression against his own people, and therefore could not be considered a victim. Beria, who like Stalin was ethnic Georgian, headed the N-K-V-D, the Soviet secret police agency that later became the K-G-B. During the Stalin era, he oversaw massive purges that claimed millions of lives. Historians estimate that one-million people were killed in 1938 and 1939 alone. But after Stalin's death in 1953, Beria and several associates were arrested and tried on a variety of charges, including espionage and attempting to overthrow the government. He and six associates were executed by firing squad in December of that year. Two-years ago, family members requested that Beria's name be cleared under a 1987 law designed to pardon victims of political repression. Before the Supreme Court's verdict was announced, Liberal Member of Parliament Yuli Rybakov said it was probably true that some of the charges against Beria, including espionage, were made up. But he said that should not detract from the police chief's greater crimes.

Old story

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [12:05]

and a little bit irrelevant I find.

It's no secret to anyone that the elite of Germany went to work for the US or USSR according to who caught them or to who they choose to surrender to. The most prominent item in this respect being the Operation Paperclip which tranfered to the US as much as possible of the German rocket technology. Werner Von Braun who developped the V1 and V2 later headed NASA as everyone knows.

This item should be moved

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [12:26]

to the historical analysis section.

You heard the neonazi moderator

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [13:02]

The neonazi thinks this story should be hidden away in the back pages.

Be careful agitpapa

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [13:07]

Don't stab yourself ;)

LOL

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [13:09]

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@Ana

by verve on 06.02.2005 [14:28]

very close, but Clitoria works for the garbage stuck between the Mediteranian and Occupied Palestine. You have to feel for her though, show some compassion, her blow-up GI dolly boyfriend, dumped her. In fact, she stalked him so bad, he had to pretend he had been abducted in Iraq.

Is Israel opening up the can of worms?

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [14:36]

As I noted above, Ben-Gurion made a pact with the devil to get US backing and US support for Israel: He promised that the future Jewish state would keep a lid on the Nazi crimes of the US in exchange for US protection. The principal US party in the Zionist-Nazi deal was John Rockefeller, who through agents such as the Dulles and Harriman brothers had supplied the Nazi war machine with intelligence, strategic materials, technology, financing, and manufacturing capacity, as well as the pseudo-scientific grounds for nazi racial theories with the eugenics research he funded. Rockefeller 's junior capitalist associates like William Randolph Hearst and Henry Ford had been the conduit for a Nazi popaganda blitz in the US, as well as a primary source for pro-Nazi and anti-semitic propaganda.

They had all been under surveillance for years by investigators from the Dept of justice and the Dept of the Treasury and prima facie evidence of Nazi collaboration had been obtained against both Rockefeller and Allen Dulles, the future director of the CIA, two name only two. All of it was swept under the carpet when Rockefeller agreed to Ben-Gurion's terms.

However in 1998, the US congress (aka AIPAC) passed a bipartisan bill called The Nazi War Crimes Disclosure Act that put the CIA and FBI under the obligation to disclose all their dirty Nazi laundry. Although the USSR was gone, thereby freeing the US of the need to maintain a fake facade of spotless virtue as much as before, it was still a risky venture to reveal the truth about the essential myth of the postwar world order, viz. the myth that the US "liberated" the world from fascism. How, in the waning days of the Clinton presidency, did a fiercely divided congress unite behind such a controversial bill? The answer is probably in the files of AIPAC's Mid-Atlantic Regional Office in Washington, DC.

After 1998, AIPAC had more pressing affairs on its agenda like engineering the Lewinsky scandal to pay Clinton back for Camp David, milking the anti-Muslim panic of 9-11, and invading Iraq. However with Bush safely elected, it seems Israel is getting ready to finally open up the can of worms.

This week, Republican Senator Mike DeWine asked Bush's newly-appointed and already embattled CIA director Porter Goss to account for the CIA's refusal to comply with the 1998 bill:

CIA ties to ex-Nazis probed Reuters, Feb 3, 2005

Before that, at the Auschwitz commemoration ceremony on Jan 27, Israeli President Moshe Katsav thanked the Red Army for liberating Auschwitz and berated "the Allies" for failing to take any action whatsoever to prevent the Holocaust.

"But the allies did not do enough to stop ... the destruction of the Jewish people." Bombing Auschwitz from the air "could have saved many hundreds of thousands of Jews from the gas chambers", he said.

"Hundreds of missions of fighting aircraft passed next to ... Auschwitz and Birkenau. But the camp was not bombed ... Bombing the railways which led to the concentration camps ... could have stopped the destruction of the Jews."

The rabbi who performed a service after Katsav's speech heaped even more praise on the Red Army's heroism and sacrifice. Then, Ariel Sharon delivered a scathing condemnation of the West's indifference to the plight of the European Jews, creating a shock wave in Western capitals:

"On April 19, 1943, the Bermuda Conference gathered, with the participation of

representatives from Britain and the United States, to discuss saving the Jews of Europe," Sharon told lawmakers at a special Knesset session on Wednesday.

"In fact, the participants did everything in their power to avoid dealing with the problem. All the suggestions for rescue operations, which the Jewish organizations presented, were rejected. They simply did not want to deal with it," he charged.

Sharon mentioned the Saint Louis, which set sail from Germany in 1939 with 1,000 Jews on board, who successfully escaped but were refused entry into Cuba and ports in the eastern U.S. and were forced to return to Europe, where most perished.

He also spoke about the British Mandate, which ruled the Holy Land at the time, and refused to allow Jewish refugees into Israel.

"Throughout the war, nothing was done to stop the annihilation of the Jewish people. When, in the summer of 1944, the mass deportations in Hungary were carried out, the allies did not bomb the train tracks, which led to Auschwitz from Hungary, nor the murder facilities in Birkenau, and this was despite the fact that they had the ability to do so," Sharon said.

<http://www.cnsnews.com/ForeignBureaus/archive/200501/FOR20050127c.html>

So why the sudden outbursts after decades of silence? Is it a sign that Israel is getting ready to drop its ailing mentor? Is the American Golem about to be turned back into mud?

actually the real news is that the CIA is refusing to provide....

by jangikedi on 06.02.2005 [15:05]

C.I.A. Said to Rebuff Congress on Nazi Files

[http://www.nytimes.com/2005/01/30/international/europe/30nazis.html?](http://www.nytimes.com/2005/01/30/international/europe/30nazis.html?ex=1108098000&en=c6749fee9981fdf&ei=5070)

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By DOUGLAS JEHL

Published: January 30, 2005

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 - The Central Intelligence Agency is refusing to provide hundreds of thousands of pages of documents sought by a government working group under a 1998 law that requires full disclosure of classified records related to Nazi war criminals, say Congressional officials from both parties.

Under the law, the C.I.A. has already provided more than 1.2 million pages of documents, the vast majority of them from the archives of its World War II predecessor, the Office of Strategic Services. Many documents have been declassified, and some made public last year showed a closer relationship between the United States government and Nazi war criminals than had previously been understood, including the C.I.A.'s recruitment of war criminal suspects or Nazi collaborators.

For nearly three years, the C.I.A. has interpreted the 1998 law narrowly and rebuffed requests for additional records, say Congressional officials and some members of the working group, who also contend that that stance seems to violate the law.

These officials say the agency has sometimes agreed to provide information about former Nazis, but not about the extent of the agency's dealings with them after World War II. In other cases, it has refused to provide information about individuals and their conduct during the war unless the working group can first provide evidence that they were complicit in war crimes.

The agency's stance poses a sharp test between the C.I.A.'s deep institutional reluctance to make public details about any intelligence operations and the broad mandate set forth in the law to lift the veil about relationships between the United States government and Nazi war criminals.

The dispute has not previously been made public. Critics of the C.I.A.'s stance, including all three private citizens who are members of the working group, said they were disclosing the dispute now in hopes of resolving the impasse by March, when the working group's mandate is to expire.

"I think that the C.I.A. has defied the law, and in so doing has also trivialized the Holocaust, thumbed its nose at the survivors of the Holocaust and also at Americans who gave their lives in the effort to defeat the Nazis in World War II," said Elizabeth Holtzman, a former congresswoman from New York and a member of the group. "We have bent over backward; we have given them every opportunity to comply."

At the request of Senator Mike DeWine, Republican of Ohio, the Senate Judiciary Committee plans to hold a public hearing on the matter early next month, and is planning to call C.I.A. officials and members of the working group as witnesses, Congressional officials said.

A C.I.A. spokesman said the agency had already declassified and released 1.25 million pages

of documents under the law, including those related to 775 different name files.

"The C.I.A. has not withheld any material identified in its files related to the commission of war crimes by officials, agents or collaborators of Nazi Germany," he said.

The spokesman acknowledged that the C.I.A. had refused to disclose other material "that does not relate to war crimes per se" and that the agency was working on a report to Congress to justify its actions under exemptions spelled out in the law.

A spokeswoman for the panel, formally known as the Nazi War Crimes and Japanese Imperial Government Records Interagency Working Group, said it would not comment on the dispute. The group is led by a representative of the National Archives, and includes representatives of the C.I.A., the F.B.I., the Defense Department and other government agencies, and has taken no formal stand on the matter, people involved in the issue said.

But in interviews, all three public members of the group, including Ms. Holtzman; Richard Ben-Veniste, a Washington lawyer; and Thomas H. Baer, a former federal prosecutor, made plain their opposition to the C.I.A.'s position. Congressional officials said the three had a sympathetic hearing from Senator DeWine, a sponsor of the 1998 law, known as the Nazi War Crimes Disclosure Act.

The 1998 law that established the working group directed that it "locate, identify, inventory, recommend for declassification and make available to the public at the National Archives and Records Administration, all classified Nazi war criminal records of the United States."

Under the law, the heads of government agencies have the power to exempt from release nine categories of national security information. But to assert such exemptions, agency heads are required to submit a report to Congressional committees, a step the C.I.A. has not yet taken, the Congressional officials said.

"I can only say that the posture the C.I.A. has taken differs from all the other agencies that have been involved, and that's not a position we can accept," Mr. Ben-Veniste said. In a separate interview, Mr. Baer said: "Too much has been secret for too long. The C.I.A. has not complied with the statute."

A book, "U.S. Intelligence and the Nazis," that was released by the working group in May provided a partial picture of those dealings. It has shown that the American government worked closely with Nazi war criminals and collaborators, allowing many of them to live in the United States after World War II.

Historians who have studied the documents made public so far have said that at least five associates of the Nazi leader Adolf Eichmann, the architect of Hitler's campaign to exterminate Jews, had worked for the C.I.A. Eichmann, who was arrested by the Allies in 1945, escaped and fled to Argentina. He was captured by Israeli agents in 1960, tried and hanged. The records also indicate that the C.I.A. tried to recruit two dozen more war criminals or Nazi collaborators.

American officials have defended the recruiting of former Nazis as having been essential to gaining access to intelligence after World War II, particularly about the Soviet Union and its cold war allies. Among former Nazis who were given refuge in the United States was Wernher von Braun, the German scientist who developed the V-2 rocket in World War II for the Nazis and played a major role in the development of the American space program.

After World War II, the Allied powers who occupied Germany defined war crimes broadly, declaring the Nazi SS to be a criminal organization guilty of exterminating and persecuting Jews and killing prisoners of war and slave laborers. They identified as a war criminal anyone who was a principal, accessory to, or consented in the commission of war crimes, or anyone who was a member of an organization or group connected with the commission of such crimes.

Exactly how many pages of documents the C.I.A. is still withholding is not clear, according to people involved in the dispute. But they said that at minimum, they believed it amounted to hundreds of thousands of pages.

A report made public by the working group in 1999 said an initial survey by the C.I.A. estimated that more than two million pages of documents among records in the agency's files for the years 1947 to 1998 included "operational, personality, country, and project files; analytical products, source material, and biographic reports" related to Nazi war criminals. The agency estimated that an additional 2.1 million pages among the files of its predecessor organizations, including the O.S.S., from 1941 to 1947, could be covered by the group's mandate.

The group outlined its objections to the C.I.A.'s position in a letter sent to the agency in February 2004, according to Congressional officials. The group's mandate to examine intelligence documents related to the Nazi war criminals was to expire last year. But Congress agreed to extend it until the end of March 2005, in a step that Congressional officials from both parties said was intended in large part to allow more time to resolve the impasse.

Speculation...

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [17:42]

If US financial interests were secretly backing the Nazis, it would have been very difficult for the sitting President (Roosevelt) to bring in a policy of armed combat against ww2 Germany.

Rather like Clinton trying to bring in a policy to combat global warming (ie Kyoto) against a backdrop of multinationals who wished to see oil production increase.

Roosevelt may have "engineered" Pearl Harbour, but what would have been the consequences of the US govt NOT opposing the Nazis? Presumably the Nazi-supporting US organisations would have increasingly manipulated the US media in favour of the Nazi "cause".

Problem was that Roosevelt's successor didn't see the continuing danger, and it looks like the Nazis came back in through the back door...

@stopwar

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [18:39]

I'd recommend you read "Trading With The Enemy - An Expose of The Nazi-American Money plot 1933-1949" by Charles Higgham for that side of the coin. The only one agitpapa wants to see.

Also,

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [18:57]

Hitler has been introduced to German power circles of industrialists by the bearer of an American (and Swiss) passport Ernst Hanfstaengel who did integrally finance Hitler's daily "The Volkische Beobachter" as well as acting as a.

I wouldn't recommend enough the reading of "Hitler" by John Toland. In it you learn not only the above but also get very surprised (at least I was) to discover things such as Hitler's choice of a doctor. A specialist of venereal disease having mostly as customers Jews from the German entertainment industry. He knew him through Hoffman the photographer of those stars who was his personal friend. Then there are stories of Jewesses cooking meals at the Berghof for those of his inner circle who were not vegetarian like him. His personal meals were cooked in Berchtesgaden clinic by Dr Zabel, another Jewish name.

Correction and addendum

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [19:03]

...as well as acting as an unpaid spin doctor for the first years of the existence of the Nazi party. He definitively left Germany for the US a few years before the war begun but after the burning of the Reichstag (blamed on a communist). He was the first to phone the Nazi dignitaries to announce them the fire as he was not celebrating with them the victory in the elections, claiming to be sick in his home opposite the burning building.

___"if"___ US financial interests were secretly backing the Nazis?

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [19:08]

Speculation indeed. I prefer the facts:

"A clique of U.S. industrialists is hell-bent to bring a fascist state to supplant our democratic government and is working closely with the fascist regime in Germany and Italy. I have had plenty of opportunity in my post in Berlin to witness how close some of our American ruling families are to the Nazi regime. On [the ship] a fellow passenger, who is a prominent executive of one of the largest financial corporations, told me point blank that he would be ready to take definite action to bring fascism into America if President Roosevelt continued his progressive policies. (NOTE: a military putsch against FDR, backed by J.P. Morgan, Irene DuPont, was attempted in 1933) . . . Certain American industrialists had a great deal to do with bringing fascist regimes into being in both Germany and Italy. They extended aid to help Fascism occupy the seat of power, and they are helping to keep it there." - William E. Dodd, U.S. Ambassador to Germany, 1937

"Nazis came through the back door?"

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [19:17]

John Foster Dulles became secretary of State, Allen Dulles became director of the CIA, and Averell Harriman became Secretary of Commerce. Rockefeller became Vice-President and ran for president. Not exactly "back door".

Thank you, Agitpapa...

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [19:22]

I can tell by your tone that you have known this for years. To me, and probably most on this forum, this is news. Most known that George Bush snr's grandfather was involved in bankrolling the Nazis, but many would say that they were just entrepreneurs, and would take anyone's money.

What is being said here is by William Dodd is altogether more sinister. How did they manage to distance themselves at Nuremberg, I wonder?

Sorry, EidenK...

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [19:25]

who was this person to which you refer in your last message? The one who called "fire" at the Reichstag?

Hanfstaengel

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [19:30]

as you've read. Enjoy.

But, EidenK

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [19:35]

according to your post, he is a Swiss/American financier. Why would such a person not come under suspicion of being involved himself?

I'm getting shades of Donnie Darko burning the paedophile's mansion here, and he didn't get caught... but you see what I mean?

to: stopwar

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [19:49]

The reason I keep writing about "US nazis" in Iraq isn't hyperbole or rhetoric. It's a plain historical fact. Nuremberg was a show trial and people like Goering who could have given very embarrassing testimonies were killed before they could testify. The IG Farben trial that could have revealed all the connections with Wall Street (and Prescott Bush, among others) was a total cover-up. The US military governor Gen. Lucius Clay was pro-Nazi, Allen Dulles was scurrying around all over Europe bribing and threatening Allied officials, eliminating evidence, organizing KLM flights of Nazis to South America, and carting off Nazi gold. It was just like Iraq.

Lucius Clay...

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [19:53]

wasn't he implicated in the Kennedy assassination - at least according to the interpretation of Oliver Stone?

Maybe I forgot to point out

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [20:00]

that Hanfstaengel met Hitler for the first time on a mission for the American military. It's all in John Toland anyway. Very good read. A much lauded classic.

JFK?

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [20:17]

I've got nothing on Lucius Clay but the JFK job had Allen Dulles written all over it. JFK had just fired Dulles for the Bay of Pigs fiasco. JFK was also totally pro-Israel, which made the Rockefellers and their agents very nervous. The civil rights movement was the last straw, not because of the blacks (nothing much changed for them to this day) but because of the Jews who were piggy-backing the blacks to end anti-semitic discrimination in the US - and they sure as hell succeeded. Remember most of the white civil rights marchers in Alabama were Jews and all the financing for civil rights and MLK came from Jews. It was a nightmare for the WASP capitalists who had been trying to keep the Jews out of big business and politics for decades. The hit job was carried out by a CIA team comprising mostly the same thugs as the Watergate break-in. It was a last desperate attempt by US Nazis to hold off Jewish power in the US.

Today, we see that both sides have come to an agreement so that we have a descendant of Ukrainian nazis (Kathy Yushchenko) who is coaching an alcoholic CIA stooge (Yushchenko), whose campaign is financed by Zionist oligarchs and backed by US ziocons, and whose grass

roots support comes from the UNO-UNSO nazis.

Maybe I also forgot to point out

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [20:29]

that the main subject of the book, not Hitler, the other one is the Trading With The Enemy Act of 1941 with which Roosevelt allows scores of US companies to have all sorts of trades with Nazi Germany ranging from oil supplies to ball bearings and telecommunications.

But what is not in this book is the 1941 the Lend-Lease agreement between the US and the USSR signed in Moscow before Pearl Harbour and the massive arctic convoys that follow supplying the USSR with an astronomical quantity of various goods for their war effort and that's the part agitpapa fails to see and incorporate in his analysis.

Roosevelt...

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [20:43]

fought an election at the end of 1940. At this time, Germany had conquered Holland, Belgium, France and most of Scandinavia!

Roosevelt wanted to assist Churchill but he had to win that election and get the USAns on his side re Europe. No doubt, the "Trading With The Enemy Act" of 1941 was his deal with the non-Nazi part of US corporatism. Pearl Harbour was for the people. Yes, it may look bad, but in retrospect it makes good sense - courageous decisions which both had quite an element of risk.

I don't think Agitpapa is having a go at Roosevelt here - it is clear that he did more than most to keep fascism in check. Problem is that Truman could probably (I'm speculating here) have used Roosevelt's position to get checkmate, but let them off the hook.

I'm light years ahead of you neonazi

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [20:47]

The arctic convoys were a way of wearing the Nazis down just enough so that when they were done with the USSR, they could be easily pushed back into their western borders. The Rockefellers had no special love for the German people so it was just a case of who could screw who, as it always is with nazis. The ultimate Rockefeller goal was - and still is - a global empire. Whether it's based in New York or Berlin or Tokyo is immaterial. That's why David Rockefeller founded the Trilateral Commission.

what's that about Truman?

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [20:48]

checkmate against whom?

re: the arctic convoys

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [20:53]

Anyway a lot of the stuff the US sent was crap. The trucks were OK (the same Ford trucks that the Wehrmacht was driving around in) but the Soviets used the Sherman tanks for target practice. Remember the Soviets had to fight a real war, not the crapped-out underequipped units full of old men and POW's of the western front.

@stopwar

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [21:02]

The "Trading With The Enemy Act" of 1941 is the tool with which all those agitpapa speaks about are dealing with Germany. Rockefeller's Standard Oil and Chase Manhattan Bank, General Motors and many others such as Texaco and ITT for example.

Read the book. It is marvellously documented and quite easy to find in second hand provided you live in a big enough town as I am not sure it is still in print.

The arctic convoys

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [21:08]

were full of canned food as well and clothes plus railway equipment and half a million willises jeeps.

agitpapa

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [21:16]

I know there is the Trilateral Commission. There is the Bilderberger Group as well which is sort of a Trilateral commission without the Japanese and less americans. There is the exclusively anglo-saxon RIIA as well.

Curious that you are giving in such far out conspiracies. LOL LOL

Re: Agitpapa [21:48]

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [21:25]

The Nazis. As I said, I was speculating. I'm sure you are aware of Operation Paperclip, which allowed "valuable" Nazis to be taken across Europe on a train convoy and then shipped out to South America, or in some cases direct to the US.

Truman allowed that to happen, which of course made sure the Nazi movement didn't die at Nuremberg. Of course Truman was bad almost beyond redemption through giving the order to drop atom bombs on innocent civilians at Hiroshima and Nagasaki. I wonder if Operation Paperclip had anything to do with that - or even if it was in the same timeline.

But to crown the whole,

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [21:27]

Harry Dexter White, one of the founding fathers of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank and Secretary of Treasury of Roosevelt during the whole war is a jew.

So what, EidenK

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [21:48]

I'm sure there are good Jews and bad Jews, just as there are good Christians and bad Christians. Many UK Jews were against the Iraq war. Shouldn't hold his religion against him.

Truman-Nazis

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [22:09]

Truman started the Cold War based on fake reports about Soviet intentions by Reinhardt Gehlen to General Lucius Clay, to which Rockefeller's State Department plants in the US embassy in Moscow added their touch of Harvard class. I'm referring to Rockefeller flunky George Kennan's famous "Telegraphic Message from Moscow" published in Foreign Affairs, the publication of Rockefeller's Council of Foreign Relations.

Rockefeller's CFR had provided the bulk of the staff of FDR's post-Pearl Harbor-State Department. That's why the Secretary of State Stimson was so often at loggerheads with Treasury Secretary Morgenthau about the Jews & the Nazis: Stimson hated Jews.

After the Soviet victory FDR drew up a peaceful coexistence agreement with Stalin at Yalta. This was not good enough for Rockefeller. FDR suddenly died just before Potsdam and Truman strutted in to tell Molotov that the deal was off, the US expected to "get 85% in all important matters," and that he'd just set off an A-bomb at Alamogordo to help the Russkies think better.

Then he bombed Hiroshima & Nagasaki to make sure they got the message.

Well, one of my best friends

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [22:17]

was a jew with which I shared the same house for some month with other specimens like us, mushroom trippers and would be gods or shamans. He had a column in The Independent some years back and was somehow a legend in the London underground techno scene for the parties he organised. He died early this year in a motorbike accident in Anjuna Beach, Goa, India. A great loss even though I hadn't seen him for years. I miss him a lot.

One thing I am sure about him is that he was not into Judaism.

Sorry about your friend...

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [22:33]

but it sounded like he lived a little. Wasn't mentally restricted by the belief system that a religious upbringing can engender.

But even taking the belief system, Zionists are usually NOT jews, in the orthodox sense.

Glad we agree Agitpapa...

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [22:41]

the postwar world could have been so much more optimistic if Truman had followed in Roosevelt's footsteps. Apparently, instead, Truman's supporters and the opposition unkindly called Roosevelt "the red in White House". A bit ungrateful, after he had brought in the "Trading With The Enemy Act" in 1941 that had probably lined all their pockets.

Truman was also apparently involved in some other dodgy stuff involving the setting up of an organisation called Majestic. I know this is associated with UFOs (media sidetracking?), but it could have easily applied to other "dark ops". If he was prepared to drop atom bombs on citizens, what else was he capable of?

don't know about UFO's

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [23:03]

Truman's big scam was actually much more out in the open: It's what Eisenhower called the military-industrial complex. Reinhardt Gehlen's bogus reports became the pretext for increasing military spending 300% just after the end of the war.

The National Security Council was formed and started taking secret decisions without consulting or reporting to an elected body. The NSC essentially declared war on the Soviet Union in 1947, although this was a covert war, since there was still that annoying detail in the constitution that said only Congress could declare war. So the door was opened for trillions of federal dollars to flow into corporate coffers and hundreds of US bases to ring the world. The CIA was set up to get rid of any "nationalist" troublemakers or communists who opposed the US's imperial expansion.

So that's why Gore Vidal says that US democracy ended with Truman and was replaced by the National Security State. But of course Vidal is nostalgic for something that never existed in the first place.

It gets really interesting after that because of nuclear weapons and the role that Jews played in US nuke research and strategy. The Nazis were hopeless at nuke technology - which they called "Jewish science" - so US imperialism was dependent on Jewish physicists for its main terror weapons. Nazi rocket scientists and chemwar doctors were easily outclassed by the Oppenheimers, Fermis, and Edward Tellers. Soon, nuclear strategy became as important as the weaponry itself. The greatest US nuclear strategist of them all was a mathematician called Albert Wohlstetter. He was so respected by the military-industrial complex that anyone he recommended immediately got a post in Washington. He was the guy who "recommended" Richard Perle, Paul Wolfowitz, Ahmed Chalabi, Zalmay Khalilzad, and Don Rumsfeld. Perle married his daughter and all of them except Rummy were his students at Rockefeller's Chicago University. Wohlstetter was also the guy who told Wolfowitz, when he was Cheney's number 2 in 1991, to start a war against Saddam.

That's brought things up to date!

by stopwar on 06.02.2005 [23:17]

I remember the first (and best) of the three TV programmes "The Power of Nightmares" introduced many UK citizens to this guy Wohlstetter, but of course the BBC never revealed his pedigree!

I don't think you are completely right about the Nazi scientists - timeline doesn't seem quite right (e.g. Manhattan Project would have started 18 months before Operation Paperclip, so Nazi scientists couldn't have had much input anyway). Also, Von Braun was the best in his field. Lots of technology was apparently covertly released through Bell Labs (eg the transistor) and Nazi scientists could well have been involved.

@stopwar - zionism

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [23:31]

I cannot manage to see the root of evil elsewhere than in the core concepts of Judaism.

I understand and entirely respect zionism as the desire of the Jews to have a nation of their own like other people on earth but this is now done since some time so that all those obviously Jewish moves cannot be called in my view Zionists. What I believe now is that they should learn to respect others and ditch the most insane of their belief systems I believe. Israel has an alarmingly high suicide rate of youngsters. Who kills them? Palestinian? Nazis? No the insanity of Judaism that considers Arabs as subhuman pests for example and treats them accordingly according to me.

Nazi scientists

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [23:35]

This is what I mean: All the Nazis could do was design the delivery system, i.e. the missiles. And even there, the Soviets were ahead. Putting Sputnik into orbit wasn't about driving the Yanks nuts with the beeping of the satellite. It was about being the first to make an ICBM. That's why it was such a big deal that Iran was about to launch its own satellite. If you can put something in orbit you can deliver a nuke payload anywhere on earth.

The actual nukes and the strategy were way out of the Nazis' league. In fact the US & UK knew that there was no danger of Hitler making nukes already in September 1941 when the head of the Nazi nuke project Werner Heisenberg showed his former - Jewish - professor Niels Bohr his plans for a nuclear reactor at a secret meeting in Copenhagen. Bohr reported back that the Nazis didn't have a clue, but the Los Alamos rproject continued at full speed anyway. And it wasn't at all about Japan because Japan was taken care of by fire-bombing its cities and millions of its civilians into black sludge and cinders. The Soviets did the rest by sweeping up 30 Japanese divisions in a week while the US had taken years to clobber just 10 or so.

Well if we carry on

by eidenk on 06.02.2005 [23:42]

we'll soon reach the pink building of Montauk from where the legend says an other-dimensional beast has been accidentally unleashed in our world when a careless experiments into manipulating time turned wrong. Lots of Nazi connection to this story as well.

A Nazi time machine? No way

by agitpapa on 06.02.2005 [23:53]

Quantum physics, relativity, all that stuff they called "Jewish science." Nazis can't understand anything you can't screw or nail down.

As agitpapa says...

by stopwar on 07.02.2005 [00:00]

let's stick to the facts.

I think it highly unlikely that Heisenberg (presumably of uncertainty principle fame) would have been a Nazi scientist. Those actually working on it would be doing it secret, as there was a war going on! Hate to debunk the theory, but show me the evidence, and then I'll take it seriously.

Not all German scientists wanted to have anything to do with the Nazis. Einstein is a case in point, but there are others. What do you know, for example, of the experiments of Wilhelm Reich?

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Feb 27-Apr 20: 58-60
bodies found near
Suwayrah

Nov 14: two by rockets
in central Baghdad

Nov 10: two truck drivers
in Ishaqi, nr. Baiji

Nov 16: one by rocket in
Kirkuk

Nov 18: Iraqi contractor
found beheaded, Balad

Nov 18: Four by
roadside bomb near
Samarra

Nov 25-26: 32 bodies
found in Mosul

Nov 20: bodies of 9 Iraqi
soldiers found Mosul

Oct 16: four in mortar
attack in Qaim

Oct 19/20: building
contractor in Baquba

Oct 17: 4-5 by car bomb
in Mosul

Oct 19: two by car
bombs in Mosul

Oct 25: city council
leader in Mahmoudiya

Oct 26: provincial
council official in Baquba

Oct 08: policeman near
Kirkuk

Oct 05: two by car bomb
in Ramadi

Oct 05: four by roadside
bomb in Ramadi

Oct 06: Policeman by
roadside bomb in Hit

Oct 15/16: Eleven
fleeing in car in Fallujah

Aug 08: two police in
police station attack,
Amara

Aug 10-11: four killed in
fighting in Amara

Apr 22: 9-11 by car
bomb at mosque, New
Baghdad