

National News

Teller caught 'peace movement' off guard

A spokesman for the Harriman-dominated Congressional "peace" group, Congress for Peace Through Law (CPTL) admitted Oct. 29 that the Washington-based "peace movement" had been caught off-guard by the recent offensive on behalf of beam-weapon development led by scientist Edward Teller.

"We miscalculated badly," said the CPTL spokesman. "We didn't realize that Teller had the ear of the President or that it would get that far.

"We were counting on [Defense Secretary] Weinberger to foul things up like he always does. He is our number-one asset—every time he speaks for something, he convinces people that the administration is crazy and gets the freeze movement more support.

"Teller is another story. He speaks from the authority of a scientist and a patriot."

The CPTL is thinking about a campaign to portray Teller as a "Dr. Strangelove" figure.

Philip and terrorist funder to be honored

The Congressional Awards Foundation will honor Britain's Prince Philip and W. Clement Stone, the Chicago insurance executive who created the Black P. Stone Rangers youth gang, at a dinner in Washington, D.C. on Nov. 6. The Foundation was set up in 1979 to recognize "achievement with youth."

The Prince, who had established a similar foundation in Britain, initiated the Awards Foundation in the United States. Capitol Hill operations for the U.S. foundation are run from the office of Wyoming's Sen. Malcolm Wallop—himself a blood relative of Queen Elizabeth and New York Episcopalian Bishop Paul Moore. Wallop's office told a reporter that the Prince was "very

helpful" in setting up the foundation.

Philip's fellow honoree, Clement Stone, is most noted for his long-term funding and sponsorship, with Saul Alinsky, of the P. StoneNation gang, currently named El Rukn. The gang receives Libyan funding through Chicago's National Black Lawyers Guild, Dr. Charles Knox of National Community College of Law, and Ibn Sharrif of the Tri-City Journal. During the 1970s, leaders of El Rukn were deployed to other cities and currently control the "Say Yes" gang in Los Angeles, the House of Umoja in Philadelphia and the 20,000-member Inner City Roundtable of Youth (ICRY) in New York. ICRY was founded by Ramsey Clark and former Ranger president Carl Chinn, a.k.a. Nizam Fatah, an ex-con, self-avowed Black Liberation Army member and associate of fugitive Joanne Chesimard. Most of the Stone-spinoff gangs are now seeking association with the president's Task Force on Volunteerism.

Stone is also on the board of the New York Theological Seminary's Institute of Religion and Psychiatry and its "pastoral counseling" satellite, the Wainwright House Guild for Spiritual Guidance in Rye, New York. Wainwright House, also an affiliate of the UN's Temple of Understanding, is a religious-kook factory which has been linked to the Son of Sam cult murders of 1976 and 1977.

Shultz lies that Ibero America debts bleed U.S.

Dropping in on Sol Linowitz's Inter-American Dialogue meeting Oct. 15, Secretary of State Shultz provoked even the most servile Ibero-Americans in attendance by charging that Ibero America's over-extension of debts drained U.S. domestic savings—causing the U.S. economic crisis, *Latin American Weekly* reported this week. His underling Thomas Enders delivered the same message during a speech before the Inter-American Press Association Oct. 1, where he "chastised" the Latin Americans for overborrow-

ing some \$28 billion in loans in 1982, mostly from the U.S., while net U.S. savings totaled only \$147 billion dollars.

Shultz and Enders, told the Latin Americans as well that Ibero-America is a low priority for the administration, and their economic problems the lowest concern of all. Enders announced that arms supplies to Ibero America are much more important—as a "solution to the danger of territorial wars, the strategy argued by the RAND Corporation in its 1975 report on the War of the Pacific, authored by Luigi Einaudi. The United States will provide "additional arms transfers" in order to avoid "sub-regional imbalances of power," Enders said. On Oct. 28, he elaborated the policy in a speech in Canada.

Times insert fit to print?

New York City political and media insiders are speculating that the media reaction and the D.A.'s investigation of a bogus section of the Sunday, Oct. 24 *New York Times* may well be a publicity stunt designed by the *Times* to prop up its flagging circulation. This is one of several theories regarding the appearance of a section entitled "Profiles of the Times," which the newspaper claims were fraudulently inserted in its weekend edition.

The insert, which bore a striking resemblance to its Book Review section, contained what the newspaper called "scurrilous attacks" on organized-crime attorney Roy M. Cohn, on New York Republican gubernatorial candidate and Cohn crony, Lewis Lehrman, and on New York Mayor Edward Koch.

A copy of the insert examined by *EIR* contains a highly credible series of exposés substantially founded on fact. The supplement alleges that: if elected, Lehrman plans to open the Catskill region to casino gambling; Cohn is attempting to duck a \$1.2 million lawsuit by getting a "bought and paid for" judge to hear the case, but that New York State Supreme Court Judge Conway is

resisting Cohn's ploy; and that Cohn used his business partnership with Paul Dano, his occasional bodyguard and alleged homosexual lover, to swindle a client, Eugene Skowron, out of the Universal Money Order, concern, among other charges.

A New York media expert commented that the *Times* is the most likely suspect in the operation. Asked why the material in the insert contained such devastating revelations, the commentator stated, "If the information is accurate it is because the *Times* wanted to avoid a libel suit."

U.S. ban on DDT takes further toll

"Two hundred million people are suffering from malaria as a result of the anti-pesticide campaign by the environmentalist groups in the United States." This is the estimate of entomologist Gordon Edwards, a professor at San José college in California and a world-renowned expert on DDT. Edwards made his statements in an interview with the newspaper *New Solidarity*.

Edwards described how, in 1954-55, the World Health Organization embarked on a malaria-eradication program using DDT. But within a few years, the anti-DDT movement, boosted by the 1962 publication of Rachel Carson's book *Silent Spring*, led to a U.S. export ban of this safe and vital pesticide. After that, malaria cases worldwide shot up dramatically. In Ceylon, for example, the DDT campaign had brought the number of malaria cases down from 2 million cases to 17 cases in 10 years, and the number of deaths from malaria down from 12,000 a year to zero; after the ban on DDT, malaria rose again from 17 to 3,000 cases, to 1 million and then to 2.5 million by 1969.

Two years ago, the World Health Organization certified this situation as acceptable by dropping its concept of eradication and settling for a program of "controlling" malaria. The current number of worldwide cases is 210 million, 160 million in sub-Saharan Africa alone.

Files subpoenaed on Iranian terrorism

Attorneys for *EIR*'s publisher, Campaigner Publications, and related organizations served subpoenas at the end of October to five U.S. government intelligence agencies seeking files related to Iranian-Muslim Brotherhood terrorism in the United States. Subpoenas were served on the U.S. National Security Council, State Department, Central Intelligence Agency, Federal Bureau of Investigation, and National Security Agency, requiring those agencies to produce all documents concerning Khomeini agents Cyrus Hashemi and Bahram Nahidian.

Hashemi, an Iranian national living in the United States, sued *EIR* and related organizations after he was identified as the financial conduit for funds from the Khomeini regime to Iranian terrorist groups in the United States. One of the people alleged to have been funded by Hashemi was Bahram Nahidian, widely reported to be one of the top controllers of Muslim Brotherhood terrorist groups inside the United States. Nahidian's personal bodyguard was one of the individuals indicted for the 1980 assassination of Ali Tabatabai, a prominent anti-Khomeini spokesman who was gunned down in a Washington, D.C. suburb in July 1980.

The government files which are now under subpoena are expected to show that Hashemi and Nahidian were being protected by the Carter administration as part of the deal involving the hostage crisis and entire British-intelligence orchestrated "fundamentalist" destabilization of Iran. A subpoena has also been issued by the federal court in Washington, D.C. requiring Nahidian to appear for a deposition in that city on Nov. 16.

Hashemi himself has failed to respond to interrogatories submitted over two months ago. Attorneys are now filing a motion seeking severe sanctions against Hashemi for his defiance of an Oct. 16 court order which required him to hand in his answers the court by Oct. 25.

Briefly

● **EDWARD TELLER**, appearing on ABC's "Nightline" program Oct. 28, forced the *New York Times* to report for the first time official confirmation of the feasibility of advanced defensive strategic weapons.

● **GEORGE SHULTZ** invited Averell Harriman and his wife, Pamela Churchill Harriman, to present awards to the U.S. foreign service October 19. Mr. Harriman presented the "W. Averell Harriman award for distinguished writing" to one Hugo Gettinger, "junior political officer in beleaguered El Salvador." Mrs. Harriman presented her award to Mrs. Murphy, wife of the U.S. ambassador to Syria.

● **MEL KLENETSKY**, the National Democratic Policy Committee-backed candidate who received 200,000 votes in New York's Democratic Senatorial primary, spent the last week before Nov. 2 campaigning against GOP candidate for Governor Lew Lehrman. Klenetsky has concentrated in his radio and TV appearances on identifying Lehrman's ties to organized-crime groupings around Roy Cohn, Max Rabb, and William F. Buckley.

● **CASPAR WEINBERGER** will travel in mid-November to Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, Thailand, and Indonesia. With the exception of Indonesia, each of these countries is currently allied to the United States in some military pact, and that pressure is building on Indonesia to formally affiliate.

● **RUPERT MURDOCH**, New York's leading British political pornography magnate, has endorsed organized crime candidate Lew Lehrman for Governor of New York. Murdoch also endorsed for Congress Jack Kemp and Guy Molinari, a pro Volcker republican who was installed in his seat when the press used Abscam to frame and unseat incumbent Democrat John Murphy.