

## EIR Special Report

# West Germany's Green Party: brownshirts seated in parliament

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It was with understandable outrage that the civilized world reacted to the news that West Germany had come within a hair's breadth of having a Nazi criminal become the "elder president" of its parliament. The 75-year-old Werner Vogel, elder statesman of the Green Party, was one of those who managed to escape from the docks at Nuremberg through the curious exit route of a Soviet prisoner of war camp. His ultimate boss during the Nazi period, Interior Minister Wilhelm Frick, was hanged for crimes against humanity; his immediate boss, Interior State Secretary Stuckart, with whom Vogel was wont to dine in intimacy, was involved in drafting the Nuremberg racial laws that became the basis for the policy decided at Wahnsee in 1942 for exterminating the Jews. Were it not for the enterprising journalists who exposed the story, at this moment Vogel would be ceremonially presiding over the Bundestag.

Vogel has been forced to resign, but from their Freemasonic redoubts in Switzerland, Sweden, and Scotland, the same families who installed Adolf Hitler are still feeling their triumph. Fifty years after Hitler's *Machtergreifung* (seizure of power), Nazis have again entered the parliament, minus their uniforms, but carrying the same core belief-structures as the SS and SA commandos. "The leaves are green, but the trunks are brown," one newspaper in Israel recently commented. "You want to understand the greenies! Read *Mein Kampf*, it's all there," stated another.

It is not only a matter of ideological likeness, but a question of unbroken continuity: the same institutions that created the Nazi phenomenon run the "greens" today, top-down. Similarly, whatever mattered in the SS (the "state within a state" of Heinrich Himmler), the SD (Sicherheitsdienst—the security apparatus of the Nazi Party), the Abwehr (army intelligence), and so on, including those organizations' financial assets, were taken over lock, stock and barrel after the war variously by the Swiss, by Anglo-American intelligence, and by the Soviet Cominternists. As typified by Lausanne banker François Genoud, whose case we document below, those agencies, separately or in combination, created what is now popularly known as the "ecology" movement and in Germany as "the greenies."

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*The Nazis burn down the Reichstag on Feb. 27, 1933: the price of accepting them as respectable participants in republican governments.*

Helga Zepp-LaRouche, whose European Labor Party (Europäische Arbeiter Partei—EAP) is the only institution of importance inside West Germany combating the Green Nazi threat, issued on March 22 an “Appeal to World Public Opinion” for a Resistance movement to rally to defeat the onslaught of the “new Nazism” in Germany.

Mrs. Zepp-LaRouche stated: “In a totally justified way, the civilized world was deeply shocked by the crimes of the Nazis, not only against the six million Jews but against the tens of millions who died during the Second World War. Up to the present day, these crimes have understandably colored attitudes toward Germany, in the United States and elsewhere. While the crimes were real, it is imperative to recall certain historical facts, which are also real, but which go against prevailing popular opinion.

“Not only Germans were involved in bringing the Nazis to power. The cults and mystical superstitions that became the Nazi ideology were those developed by the Thule Society, the Order of the Golden Dawn, the Theosophists, and other groups congregated under the umbrella of Scottish Rite Freemasonry. Hitler himself was brought into power on the insistence of Finance Minister Hjalmar Schacht, an asset of the Bank of England, the Morgan interests, Schroeder’s Bank, and other banking concerns congregated under the policy hegemony of the Bank for International Settlements in Basel, Switzerland, whose policies are devised by the Alpine Lodge of Freemasonry in Lausanne.

“These were the people who developed ‘eugenics,’ or ‘race science.’ Research into this field, which provided the basis for the Nuremberg racial laws and the ensuing exter-

mination policies against the Jews and other groups, was enthusiastically supported by the Churchill-linked Harriman family in the United States and by Col. William Draper, architect of the postwar ‘population control’ policies of the Club of Rome. Draper and his friends in British intelligence and in Switzerland ran the postwar occupation of Germany, and ran the brainwashing projects at Wilton Park and elsewhere that produced the foundations for the “green” ideology. It is a continuity; the same people have entered the parliament; the new Nazis are in the parliament. Honest anti-fascist fighters will see in this the same danger as the 1930s.

“History is not so simple as the clichés make us think. Similar projects are being planned now as were planned in the 1930s, but with far greater potential consequences. History will not only repeat itself if this is not stopped, but what remains of civilization in the world is threatened. We must look beyond the clichés, to defeat the threat at its source.”

Mrs. Zepp-LaRouche has organized demonstrations outside West German embassies and consulates around the world on March 24 to rally resistance against the Green-Nazi threat.

### **The Swiss Nazi Genoud**

Who are the Masonic creators of the Nazi movement? The threads of the Green-Nazi fabric always lead to back to Lausanne, Switzerland, to the headquarters of Swiss financier François Genoud. Who is Genoud?

This is how Genoud explains his world view: “I reject the categories of right and left, they were crude inventions made during the French Revolution. Unlike most, I am honest. I proclaim myself to be a National Socialist.” Genoud is the

unofficial coordinator of the Nazi International.

Genoud was only 18 when he was brought into the Swiss Nazi party (the Swiss National Union) in 1935. The party's head was Georges Oltramare, a scion of the ancient Swiss Calvinist Oltramare family which has substantial control over the policy of Geneva's Lombard, Odier private bank. Lombard, Odier was used by the Swiss-linked Allen Dulles of the Office of Strategic Services (OSS) for arranging the transfer of assets from the Nazis into Allied accounts in Switzerland, as part of negotiations with SS generals Wolff and Ramke. Genoud, according to reliable French accounts, was "the accountant" for such financial transfers.

The assets, which included the gold teeth and precious jewels torn from death-camp victims, ended up, one way or another, in the ambit of the Bank for International Settlements. Today's BIS head, Fritz Leutwiler, is of the same Leutwiler clan of mystics who run the Alpine Lodge of Freemasonry in Lausanne. Genoud, by all indications, is integral to the Alpine Lodge's cult activities.

Genoud's role in the Dulles-Wolff nexus in the 1940s was part of the British intelligence "separate peace" game-plan for prolonging World War II into a mutually bleeding war between Germany and Russia. The intelligence side of the "assets transfer" process included bringing into Anglo-American intelligence and the Swiss orbit the special "Division II" (Foreign, or Minorities, Division) of the Abwehr, which had been taken over by SD head Walter Schellenberg following the murder of Rudolf Heydrich in 1943.

Schellenberg and his collaborators handed over what in the postwar period became movements for "separatism," "autonomy," "local control," and "environmentalism," under variously "left" and "right" banners. By 1954, the old Abwehr and SD assets were placed under the policy coordination of the Amsterdam-based European Cultural Foundation of Swiss oligarch Denis de Rougemont and former Allgemeine SS officer Prince Bernhard of The Netherlands, today director of the World Wildlife Fund. Out of the ECF evolved the Club of Rome, as well as the Ecoropa group, the umbrella organization bringing together separatist and "greenie" movements. Ecoropa overlaps Nazi-front "anthropological" organizations in defense of "minority rights," such as the Göttingen, West Germany-based "Society for Threatened Peoples," whose directors include "leftist futurologist" Robert Jungk, a guru of the environmentalist movement, and Birgitte von Rosens, the Swedish-born niece of Hermann Goering and scion of the Swedish von Rosens family which popularized the use of the swastika symbol in this century.

The most important trends in this configuration lead back to François Genoud, who made the odd confession to the Lausanne journal *L'Hebdo* in 1982 that his penchant was for arranging financing for "soft energy technologies for the Third World." Genoud is the effective controller of former Algerian President Ahmed Ben Bella, since the early 1950s period when Genoud, in league with Hitler's former economics chief, Hjalmar Schacht and SS Commander Otto Skorzeny,

established funding conduits for the Algerian National Liberation Front (FLN) from Cairo.

Ben Bella, having established himself as the would-be "Khomeini of North Africa" in league with Libya's Colonel Qaddafi, serves as a conduit for placing Qaddafi's money in the Greens' treasury. Ben Bella was recruited into Abwehr circles during World War II by his cousin, and is integral to a Genoud-sponsored program for translating Hitler's works into Arabic for fiftieth-anniversary celebrations, in locations throughout the Arab world, of Hitler's rise to power. In interviews with the French press, Qaddafi has publicly lauded Hitler's extermination policy against the Jews.

Genoud has exclusive publishing rights to the works of Hitler, Goebbels, and Martin Bormann in Switzerland. Today, he wants to put his National Socialism into a religious-fundamentalist guise, and thus views the Muslim Brotherhood of Ben Bella, Qaddafi, and Khomeini as an essential instrument. Genoud's friend Ahmed Huber, a Swiss convert to Islamic extremism, recently returned from Iran and told a journalist that Germany must "restore its greatness" of the Hitler period by allying globally with the Muslim Brotherhood; Huber foresaw a key role for the Greens in this, since "in the next two to three years, you will see them turn more and more toward religion."

Genoud's publisher is Lausanne's Gaston Amaudruz of the Center for the Study of Fascism. Amaudruz has recently advised intimates that "environmentalism" is the one issue that could group together "left" and "right" into one coherent front for the Nazi International. Amaudruz's beliefs encompass enormous sympathy for the American Indian: he believes devoutly that the major problems of civilization today are traceable to the fact that "the white race decided to inhabit North America and not to stay in Europe."

Amaudruz's bible is the work of one Gunther Schwab, whose book *Dance with the Devil* is revered by scores of unreconstructed Nazi SS officers posing under a "green" cover in the so-called "Weltbund zum Schutz des Lebens" (World Federation for the Protection of Life) group. Rainer Apel's accompanying article takes us directly from Schwab into both Club of Rome founder Aurelio Peccei and into the hard core of the international networks of anti-Semites centered around Hamburg's Society for Biological Anthropology.

As Mrs. Zepp-LaRouche has warned, history indeed comes full circle. Today, a newly congregated "Thule Society" has been formed, operating out of the North Hesse city of Kassel. Its head, Pierre Kreps, indicates that the society is preparing many adventurous projects. He boasts that the Thule Society will be sponsoring in the next months seminars and writings on the importance of "nature" and the "environment."

One might only wait for Frau von Rosens, a Green Party voter of the Swedish clan that first made the swastika popular in this century, to announce in coming days the formation of a Werner Vogel Defense Committee. Then world public opinion may no longer have trouble seeing "brown" when Petra Kelly says "green."