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Northstar Compass acts as a unifying force to consolidate and help co-ordinate the Anti-Imperialist forces of the world with the ongoing movement to restore the Soviet Union. We act as a united front, but we are not a forum for ideological debates. Soviet people themselves will choose the path towards socialism.

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Our Eight Anniversary is a milestone for the journal Northstar Compass. It was in August of 1992 that the first issue was published and it stated our aims very forthrightly:

"Our purpose is to provide a monthly news digest of events in the successor republics of former USSR and of related events on a world-wide scale... it is our aim to exchange publications wherever possible...

We have undertaken this because we are deeply aware that there simply does not exit ANY coverage of world shattering events arising from the dissolution of the USSR that is not almost universally hostile, rampantly confusing and widely pro status of the so-called "New World Order" of the Group of 7 and the Gorbachev-Yeltsin betrayal.

It is with growing alarm, therefore, that we seek to establish this one "tiny gleam of light" in the foreboding darkness of corporate domination and unaccountability, to anything but their profit line..."

Have we succeeded?

In all due modesty, we have! At that time (August '92) we were practically the ONLY voice in Canada to raise the alarm as friends of Soviet people who since 1918 supported the first Socialist State!

Now that Northstar Compass is read in 62 countries of the world, now that we receive newspapers, magazines and journals, plus fax and e-mail contacts and our own Web Page on Internet...our constant flow in information is making us relevant and influential far beyond our meager financial and volunteer status. Our articles and statements, plus graphics are being reproduced in many publications of the world!

With this success, we have made many friends and unfortunately some enemies who feel that it is only they that have the answers and the truth in analyzing the events in the Soviet Union and that such "upstart as NSC" should not step on "their turf"!

All humanity is in danger of being engulfed in the predatory schemes of imperialism as practiced by the US/NATO New World Order.Therefore it is the duty and the right of all of us to do whatever can to present this danger to the people and organize events that shall try to stop these modern fascists in their tracks!

That is why at the 8th Conference on NSC and Canadian Friends of Soviet People in 1998 there was established an Organizing Committee for Friendship and Solidarity with Soviet People with a mandate to organize an International Conference in year 2000 to establish a world-wide organization and an International Council to guide the work of peoples who want to see the Soviet Union resurrected and socialism establish. thus guaranteeing the world peace and stability against the Transnational Corporations ands the World Bank, who are the tools used by U.S. through NATO and United Nations Organization to do what Hitler started but could not finish, due to the USSR and its Red Army.

We cannot hide the bitter truth that even though the West had its hands dirty with overt and covert actions to undermine the USSR since October 1917 Revolution, and after Stalin's death, they managed to find traitors inside the CPSU and USSR who ultimately sold out the mighty Soviet Union, under slogans such as "market economy", "perestroika", "glasnost", plus

"better and more socialism"!

Because of the dissolution of the CPSU, because of the lack of vigilance by millions of Soviet Communists and the Komsomols, the Soviet Union was sold by the internal Fifth Column in the pay of Imperialism.

The present weakness in the patriotic movements and communist parties in the Soviet Union is their lack of UNITY!

This Editorial shall not go into the details of Social Democratic influence that permeated many Communist parties of the world, including those that are now in the Soviet Union. This was covered in a Newsletter sent to our readers last month which ties in the tragedy of the genocide by US/NATO in Yugoslavia and the present occupation by these forces and the sell out role of the present Russian regime plus the tactics of China, which abstained from voting in the UN Security Council on occupation forces in Yugoslavia. With USA. Britain, France and Russia voting for the occupation armies in Yugoslavia, China abstained, thus giving the US/NATO powers the right to be the occupation armies.

On this occasion we want to wish our readers success in our common struggles for the resurrection of the Soviet Union and the success of the upcoming First International Friendship and Solidarity with Soviet People Conference in year 2000!

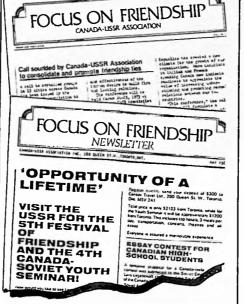
Dear readers:

In order for this important International Conference to be a success and thus establish a world-wide United Front, we appeal to you to help us out financially in order to cover the costs of lo-



gistics such as premises, room and translators, meals, plus internal transpiration. We need at least \$40,000 in order to help us make certain that this International Conference is a success!

Michael Lucas Editor



P.S. We show here our first issue of "Northstar Compass" plus the first and last issue of our previous publication called "Focus on Friendship" that was published by the Canada-USSR Association from 1972-1989.

Questions asked by NSC readers

Over a period of time we receive many questions from readers, either by fax, letter, e-mail or telephone. In this issue we would like to answer some of the mainn questions.

WHAT'S WITH THE RUSSIAN DUMA?

*Why did not the Russian Duma, with its Communist majority, demand immediate UNITY of All Communist parties and movements, calling for an immediate General Strike in symphaty with the people of Yugoslavia and also demand of the Yeltsin regime that it use its Veto in the UN?

As NSC has over years stated that the CPRF is not the party that is eager to have Yeltsin disband the Duma...which Yeltsin has that right and this law was adopted by the consensus of the leadership of the CPRF. There was NO united call by the Communist parties in harmony for this aggression. Each party did its own demands and overall they were ignored of course.

Why did not the CPRF members of the Duma walk out in protest at least and issue an ultimatum to the present regime? The Soviet people would have understood this correctly and that could have been the spark for the beginning of this unity.

The anti-Yeltsin forces should know by now, that the Yugoslav genocide is just a rehearsal what is going to take place in Russia, Ukraine and other former Soviet Republics...as was the case in Spain where Germany, Italy tested

their new weapons as a prelude to the Second World War.

WHAT IS CHINA UP TOP

*The genocide against Yugoslavia will go down in history as one of the most barbaric in modern history. China, as a member of the UN Security Council has an important Veto power.Why did it not use it and why did it not threaten to break off either trade or diplomatic relations with the USA or the other partners of NATO? Where is their professed "Communist Internationalism?"

It's not easy to answer this complicated question, but it must be answered. China plays a game of straddling the fence and trying to put into practice her own hegemony plans for its future. China has transnational corporations heavily involved in its economy. The government of China is the supplier of cheap labor and goods for American corporations.Just look into any department store all over the world...there are goods from China which are cheap to manufacture and thus take away jobs from other workers of the world. The most glaring example is the manufacturing of war toys, glorifying USA's military, guns, lasers, every toy which promotes US superiority...all geared towards the young children.

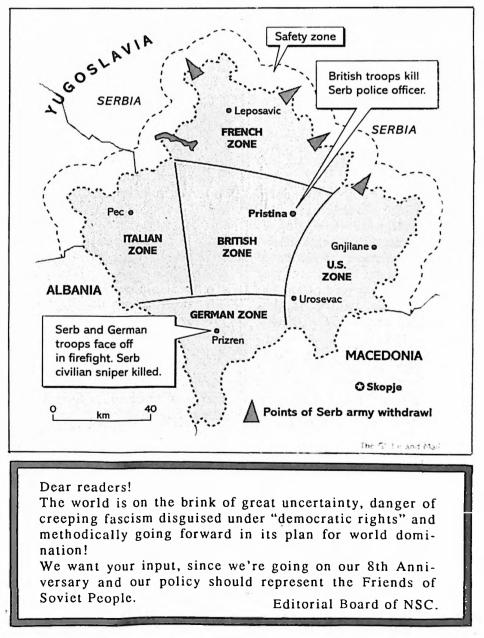
China has very close political and economic relations with Israel, whose investment China is astronomiin cal, including the "secrets" that the USA is accusing China of stealing, now it is in evidence, as reported by the U.S.Defense Intelligence Agency that China through Israel is getting the latest laser technology, with U.S. publicly condemning China while business between Israel and China has over the last 20 years grown by \$524 million US. On April 27,1999 China's President Jiang Zemin, while at a reception for large group of Israeli businessmen in Beijing said:"We have complimentary economic systems and tradition of coopcration and this cooperation shall be ongoing for our two countries". The Palestine Liberation Organization has now to take a back seat.

China has her own agenda which does not now include standing in the way of US Imperialism.

China just had to threaten to break off economic ties, if not political with USA, which would have maybe stopped this mass murder or destruction. Yugoslavia's Kosovo province is now occupied and divided into military zones of USA, Britain, Germany, Italy and France. Whether Russia will get a "zone" remains to be seen. If it does, it certainly is as guilty of occupation as the other NATO countries!

The vote in the Security Council of UN went this way: US,England,France and Russia voted for occupation troops into Kosovo, while China abstained!?

We can understand Russia voting with NATO.The one that pays the piper, calls the tune! Yeltsin is dancing already. But why should China have abstained/!



STATEMENT BY THE NEW COMMUNIST PARTY OF YUGOSLAVIA

Statement of the Secretariat of the New Communist Party of Yugoslavia. This was taken from e-mail as the page by the New Communist Party of Britain and their newspaper "The New Worker, June 9,1999

AGGRESSORS CAN'T BE PEACEKEEPERS

New Communist Party of Yugoslavia does not accept the imposed "agreement" which was signed in Belgrade by the Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, Victor Chernomidrin and the President of Finland Marti Ahtissari.

The "agreement" represents insignificant modification of NATO's ultimatum to Yugoslavia. It demands legislation of the occupation of Kosovo and Metohija by NATO troops. It is to be carried out by United Nations, which is the tool of USA and NATO. United Nations still didn't condemn NATO aggression on sovereign Yugoslavia. In spite of that, they took part, both directly and indirectly in a criminal conspiracy and aggression against our country.

Yeltsin's envoy, Victor Chernomidrin prolonged the negotiations on purpose for two months (in a deal with USA) until NATO destroyed most of the Yugoslavian infrastructure, until NATO devastated our cities and villages, murdered thousands of our people. And then, he brought the ultimatum knowing that our governments lacked ammunition and other resources necessary for our defense. It is a well known fact that Yugoslavia didn't import any weaponry in the last eight years due to the blockade imposed on us by US/NATO bloc.

Ahtissari is nothing but the .nvoy of the Western military block, while Chernomidrin and his sponsors betrayed not only Yugoslavia, but Russia as well. Occupation of Kosovo and Metohija is a step towards dismembering of Yugoslavia and preparations for aggression against Russia, However, in military apects, US/NATO didn't succeed to defeat Yugoslavia. NATO's air force sustained great losses in aggression against our country.

New Communist Party of Yugoslavia will treat NATO's occupation troops as enemies and criminals. NKPY will soon publish a declaration about this matter. The declaration will consider goals and the character of aggression against Yugoslavia. and on the NATO's plans to dismember our country, and on the struggle for expelling NATO troops from Yugoslavia and the Balkans.

High treason which was carried out by Chernomidrin and his sponsors, the NKPY does not link this with the Russian people or Russian Communists, who did everything possible to defend Yugoslavia and Russia from attacks by the New World Order.

NKPY calls upon all communists, all progressive forces in Yugoslavia and abroad to stand up against the aggressive and criminal politics of the New World Order led by the USA, to stand up in protection

of Yugoslavia and the Balkans, to help our country in protecting its sovereignty and independence till the final expulsion of the blood-hungry hordes of NATO from Kosovo and Metohija.

There is no freedom, independence and integrity under occupation of NATO criminals. The leaders of NATO countries have to be put on trial by the International Tribunal for war crimes against the Yugoslav peoples.

On behalf of the Secretariat of the New Communist Party of Yugoslavia

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Branko Kitanavic Secretary General

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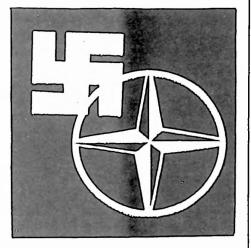
NORTHSTAR COMPASS STATEMENT

DOES THE HUMAN SPECIES NOW CONFRONT THE NEW "DARK AGES" IMPOSED BY U.S.-NATO AGGRESSION AND CONTROLP

BY RAY STEVENSON Associate Editor

It is possible now to itemize the results of the more blatant and horrendous results of the U.S.-NATO-TNC illegal and undeclared war of aggression of more than eleven weeks nonstop, high-tech bomb runs on the sovereign state and people of the Republic of Yugoslavia. The U.S.-NATO prosecuted blood letting and destruction was carried out by the most sophisticated air armada in history, utilizing the resources of nineteen NATO states with a total population in excess of 750 million people against a tiny Republic of less than 14 million citizens who were virtually defenceless in the face of the cowardly onslaught. We make no claim to a complete itemization of these results but list those we consider the most important and devastating for not only the Yugoslav people, but for Europe, Asia and in fact the entire world citizenry. These are as follows:

* The death and destruction of an unknown and uncounted number of humans...Serbian, Kosovars, Albanian, Romanies (Gypsies) and others unfortunate enough to have bean hit by the more than 30,000 barbarous bombing sorties between March 24, and the final bomb hits more than 11 weeks later. Included must be the destruction of homes, hospitals, schools, bridges and infrastructure, power and manufacturing facilities of the entire Yugoslav nation and state so monstrous it will not be tabulated for a very long time. Also included must be the deliberate destruction of the Embassy of the Republic of China and severe damage to seven other



diplomatic holdings of foreign states in Belgrade.

* The placing on Yugoslav territory of a war-ready NATO force of up to 100,000 as an army of occupation in the province of Kosovo. This international occupation force entered Yugoslav territory only after the bombing runs had softened up and rendered the Yugoslav-Serbian forces incapable of effective counteroffensive action.

* Preceding those NATO forces and fighting in close liaison with them throughout the ten weeks of bombing, the so-called Kosovo Liberation-Army (KLA) had been established by CIA-German-British and other NATO Intelligence forces to conduct destabilization activities against the Yugoslav and Kosovar authority; to foment civil war and to create what is now heralded as an armed para-military **Police Force** to control the area in alliance with NATO military.

This mainly undisciplined and mercenary grouping of extreme Albanian nationalists has been repeatedly linked to Mafia-drug and gangster interests but there is every reason to believe were armed by the NATO Intelligence forces mentioned above. The socalled "peace accord" which the Milosevic Government was compelled to accede to, called not for the "disarming", but for the de-militarization of this group of deadly anti-Yugoslav bandits. It does not require a degree in high academia to know precisely what that meant.

* What that means is that the incipient and ongoing civil war the KLA had carried on and that was endessly said by U.S.-NATO as "ethnic cleansing" of Albanians by the Serbians, is now reversed, now the KLA is driving Serbians from their ancestral land by murder, terror of all kinds, including pillage, rape, burning or whatever is required to create a new "Sovereign State" of Kosovo, separate from Yugoslavia. The notion of a "Greater Albania, held in the grip of NATO-U.S. forces fits well the "Geo-political and Geo-strategic" aims of that gentry on the TNC backed forces in the new unholy alliance.

The fifty year lying mask of NATO as a "defensive counter-force" to the USSR and the Socialist camp until nine years ago is torn to shreds. The people of the entire world now can see the true character of that noxious MILITARY PACT as an offensive and war-making alliance and an "international " Police Force on behalf of the TNC corporate power and their kept Governments. We give warning... much more will be heard on that score.

* The United Nations Organization and its hallowed Charter have been reduced to "afterthe-fact" lackeys of U.S.-TNC-NATO Military attack on whatever front the TNC bosses should decide. The bloodbath death of fifty millions who died in the 1939-45 conflagration has been desecrated, vilified and trampled under the dirty boots of this new breed of Jack-Booters. For any and every people and Government, anywhere in the world, the question must now be: "who will be next...how can human rights, economic growth, or political freedom be exercised in the shadow of what has occurred in Yugoslavia?" The world has regressed to a state of "jungle law".World security is now in dire danger!

* During the entire 11 weeks of the aerial aggression hardly

a single reference appeared in the mainline press or media to indicate that apart from lying and sanctimonious utterances of "humanitarianism" (a la Commander William Jefferson Clinton of highly publicized sexual and lying proclivities) something more substantial might be involved in the wholesale rape of Kosovo. A single column story in the Toronto Daily Star of June 14th lifted that dirty carpet of lies ever so slightly: "KLA seizes Key Mine" said the headline. In fact, mineral and energy resources, both developed and undeveloped have been variously estimated at a value in of excess FIVE BILLION DOLLARS. Who will now reap the profits and benefits of exploitation of this truly massive resource "Seized by the KLA" we will not conjecture... except to say we are certain it will not be the peoples of Kosovo or of Yugoslavia. Our "educated guess" would be that the recipients of the proceeds of this truly massive resource will be found in New York, London, Berlin, Paris, perhaps even in Toronto wherever are found the TNC head offices of the TNC mineral buccaneers.

* As this is written (June 25) the U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation, our own Canadian barn-burning and oil-well explosive experts, the RCMP, the French Surete, German Polizei, etc. etc. are grubbing through the grounds of Kosovo, where ever they find a "fresh " mound of earth, and presumably equally fresh dung hills in "from search of reliable sources-unconfirmed" (as every media tells us) for "reliable" evidence to convict the President of Yugoslavia, Slobodan Milosevic, of alleged "War Crimes." Bombing obviously is no crime! The aforementioned "Boudoir Bill" has even posted \$5,000,000 reward to encourage his unspeakable "baggage" boys of "ill-repute" to convict totally demonized and already publicly convicted Milosevic. How touching, coming from the President of the "Greatest Nation on Earth"... but also the nation with the "Mostest" bombs and the premier record (on a world scale) of killed, sovereign numbers territories invaded and destabilized. This infamous record adds up to an estimated 3 million casualties in thirty different countries since the WW II ended. (For a listing see elsewhere in this edition.) Unfor-Hiroshimaare gettable Nagasaki where hundreds of thousands died under the first nuclear weapons ever dropped on innocent civilians. This was done by U.S. President Truman who could not nave been unaware that Japanese emissaries were meeting in Geneva to seek finalization of WW II through Allan Dulles, an official of the U.S. Office of Strategic Services. (See pages 772-775, "The Last Hero" Anthony Cave Brown, Vintage Books of Random House-1982.)

SOCIAL REFORMISM AND "DEMOGRACY'S" TREACHEROUS ROLE IN WAR...AND PEACE...

In the formation and execution of the new "World Policeman" role the political forces of social reformism and social democracy have played a particularly odious and treacherous part. To those with a grasp of history in the 20th century that will be no surprise. In 1912 the Socialist and Communist parties of Europe met in Basle, Switzerland to formulate a common approach to the Imperialist War impending which they unanimously agreed was imminent. The famed "Basle Resolution called upon the movement everywhere to not only oppose the outbreak of what became WW I, but to mobilize the working class to prevent it.

That solemn pledge was broken by every Social Democratic Party in Europe with the sole exception of the Leninist Bolshevik Party in Russia. Instead of calling upon the working class to act to stop the carnage, in every instance, German, British, French and even in Canada the Social Reformist forces and Social Democrats swung to "defense of the Fatherland", "For King and Country" and support to the war makers. A few notable exceptions were found in the Spartacus League of Germany,

The Tsar and the Dictator who waits for his cue!

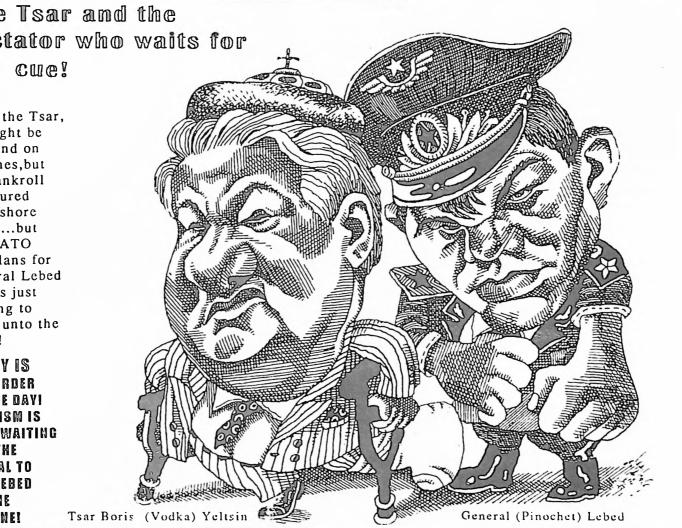
Boris the Tsar, he might be sick and on crutches.but his bankroll is secured in offshore banks...but **US-NATO** has plans for General Lebed who is just waiting to come unto the stage!

UNITY IS THE ORDER OF THE DAY! FASCISM IS JUST WAITING FOR THE SIGNAL TO PUT LEBED ON THE THRONEL

led by the Liebnechts and Rosa Luxemburg and in various Syndicalist Trade Union centers, including the Industrial Workers of the World in the USA. But it was the Lenin party of Bolsheviks and the working class of Russia that broke the Imperial war chain, going on to create the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics as masters and owners of onesixth of the world surface and its resources. The smashing of that Marxist-Leninist society and the reclaiming of its vast treasure-trove of natural and human resources was to be the priority of Western Corporate Power for the next 75 years...including the so-called "Cold War".

When Hitler's Nazi assault came against the Soviets, he

screamed: "We will now have 1,000 years of the Third Reich"...based on his war aim of the total destruction of the Socialist USSR and the enslavement of its people. Nazism "demonized" as "subhuman the Slavic race." To get to the military position where he could throw 280 divisions against the Soviets is history's most devastating and bloodiest war, the political road for him had been well paved by the same socialreformist- and social democrat forces throughout Europe. To identify a few: Schiedeman, Noske, Ebert in Germany; Ramsay MacDonald of Britain: Laval of France and the Liberal-Social Democrats of Spain. Hitler's MILITARY FORCES, STRUNG



ALONG THE WESTERN BOUNDARIES OF THE USSR from the Baltic to Greece, were buttressed by Fascist troops from Slovakia, the Baltic States and Finland, Romania; Hungary, Italy, Croatia, Bulgaria, Slovenia and by certain orientated religious paramilitary forces throughout these countries. All came under the Nazi war slogan "Drang Nach Ousten" (March to the East). We know that Hitler's war aims, while bringing unheard of death tolls and destruction to the Soviets failed and the Soviet onesixth of the world remained intact and Socialist.

But still to come was the most hideous treachery, the greatest, most devastating undermining in all history by the same Social-Reformist forces. It was, eventually to cripple the Marxist-Leninist USSR and to create under the banners of a phony anti-Marxist policy. heavily interlaced with Social Reformism, the alienation of the working class of the USSR from their own revolutionary past and future. Finalized under Gorbachev, Yakovley and Shevernadze and an "upperstrata" of ideologues, academics and sycophants, the Socialist Soviet USSR was disbanded into 14 separate countries and Russia handed over to the and vodka blood soaked "kulak", Yeltsin and the IMF, World Bank, and his Western "pals". The counterrevolutionary capitalist forces who lived and succored undercover in the Socialist state...never ceased to plot its downfall and to live in a state of REFORMED capitalism and individual competition and exploitation. The abstract and ideological forces of Social reformism and Social Democracy had (and have) earned the

accolades and approval of the monopoly capitalist (read: TNC) bosses. Only that can explain the ferocity and incredible duplicity of Blair, Schroeder and the rest of the Social Democratic cabal who rejoiced in the destruction and pain of the Yugoslav people. Truly, betrayal and treachery of the working class and people has gained very "high" currency in the Board rooms of the TNC corporate masters. who live faceless and unseen. dangling their puppets to their bidding and at will. Included in that travesty must be the Chretiens, Axworthys, Eggletons of the current lick spittle Canadian "baggage boy" group of Clinton lovers. It has even been suggested that they make Monica Lewinsky appear as pure as the winter driven snow of the prairies of Canada...

MOBILIZATION OF THE WORKING CLASS AND PEOPLE...OR BEWARE THE 21ST CENTURY AND THE THIRD MILLENNIUM...

Without question the murderous and continuing assault on Yugoslavia is rooted precisely in identical Geopolitical and Geo-Strategic war aims held by Nazi-Imperialism more than half century ago. The Western TNC design cannot be other than the total extinguishing of every vestage of Marxist-Leninist thought and practice, all designed to re-open, in total, the vast land mass of Eurasia and the unmeasureable treasures of natural resources to a TNC "thousand years of control and exploitation". Included are aims that reach far beyond the former borders of the Soviet Republics and extend eastward and south deep into the Asian continent. The fate of the vast populations to be found there and in the USSR will not be appreciably different from those visualized and projected by the Nazis... despite Clinton-CNN TV Media et al professions of Western, and very, very particularly U.S."humanitarianism and enlightenment". If they lie about Monica, can this lie be far behind????

The Millennium and 21st Century will usher in an epoch of the gravest danger of the human species and unless they are mobilized in resistance to the mindless predatory assaults of the corporate and military, we may well be heralding a"new Dark Ages".Confronted with the information and news held in the nauseating grip of TNC practitioners of the "Big Lie" at unheard of levels, even the development of a socially scientific program of survival will be difficult in the extreme. The 75 day bombing spree of the TNC military monsters attests to that. What is there now that can be accepted without an acid test of verification?..not exactly a high priority of current affairs.

But mobilization of the world working class and people there must be...sooner rather than later. At North Compass we accept this as our #1 priority despite the most difficult conditions under which we operate...including brush-offs, silencers and other forms of isolating activity by those of limited vision.

But we state unequivocally that the beginning point, the tiny area where creative understanding and growth will flash to life... is found simply by "calling the shots" as they are. We are of course aware that across the world the insidious theories of being "just a little conformist" and seeking to appease the TNC monster have brought all people of the world to our current dangerous hiatus in political, economic, social and cultural life.

We reject the notion, attractive as it may seem, that peace with the ravening beast of the TNC world is possible. At best, there can only be a temporary truce in the struggles here on Mother Earth.

It is now time to mobilize the people world wide for survival of the species!

A GLOSSARY OF TERMS

*TNC - Transnational Corporations-International Monopoly Capitalism operating in more than one country.

***NATO** - North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Cold War, anti-Soviet military pact (1949) .Followed by Warsaw Pact (1954).

*KLA -Kosovo Liberation Army - mercenary military force organized by the CIA and European Intelligence services to create civil war in Kosovo in Spring of 1998. It is linked to drugs and Mafia forces.

To confirm our Statement above, we publish excerpts from an article that appeared in the Globe & Mail in Toronto, Canada on June 26,1999,written by Frederic Bonnart, editorial director of the independent military journal NATO's Nations. He wrote this piece for the International Herald Tribune.

Balkan stability? Doubtful at best

NATO intervened militarily to prevent the mounting crisis in Kosovo from escalating into a humanitarian catastrophe. Increasingly, however, evidence is accumulating that it is NATO action that unleashed the major ejection of the refugees and most of the massacres. The shattering eyewitness account of events inside Kosovo by Paul Watson of The Los Angeles Times is the most recent confirmation and shows clearly how war dehumanizes individuals...

The crisis was triggered in the Spring of 1998 when armed ethnic Albanian Kosovo raided Serbian police stations, killing and kidnapping policemen and civilians. The unrest spread to other villages into which weapons found their way from Albania Army depots, Within a few weeks, inside Yugoslavia territory of Kosovo, these KLA unites were setting up checkpoints on main roads near Pristina.

The subsequent reaction by Yugoslav Security forces was directed at areas where such attacks were taking place. The Yugoslavs tried to stop the supplies coming from Albania. The KLA cleared villages with unspeakable brutality and included cold-blooded killings.

Yet right from the start NATO's leaders called it "a just war". In the so-called Serbian Province of Kosovo that NATO and KLA are setting up, to be administered by Albanians...no Serbian officials, policemen or politicians will have any say... or even dare to set foot into Kosovo."

Need we say anymore?



WHAT DID SIR NELSON MANDELA SAYP

On May 8 of this year when the people were paying respects to the millions of people that perished during the Second World War – "The Day of Victory", President N. Mandela told The Times of London that "South Africa condemns Milosevic's actions".

In the same newspaper (Globe and Mail, Canada, May 8,1999) a report stated that South Africa is considering granting amnesty to Neo-Nazis who committed acts of political assassinations, kindnapping and murder on behalf of the apharteid regime. The Truth and Reconciliation Commission of South Africa, set up by Nelson Mandela's government is compelled to grant amnesty to perpetrators of crimes, provided that these people make full disclosures and show a political motive."

It would have been expected that Nelson Mandela would have condemned the genocide bombing of Yugoslavia as demonstrations all over the world are' doing against US-NATO criminal activity that will be tried by an International Crime Commission that shall be set up by the people.

If Nelson Mandela has a short memory, the activity of Yugoslavia in fighting apartheid in South Africa was one of the most active participants, having held many International Conferences on the question of fighting the racist regime of South Africa at that time.!

YOU HAVE AN OPINION ABOUT NSC? WRITE!

NEWS FROM THE SOVIET UNION

FROM THE MEETING "CHOICE OF PEOPLE-USSR" MOSCOW

Below we publish a segment of a speech by Tamara Khabarova of the Congress of Citizens of USSR on March 17,1999 on the anniversary of the socalled referendum of March 17,1991.

Today we hear much about the consent of the people about the present state of affairs. We could overlook this if it was not for the fact that in this "consent" there are taking part communists, or those that call themselves communist.

That referendum was falsified in that the people never voted to disband the USSR or liquidate socialism.Now, no matter what we do, we cannot add to or take away even by a referendum any point or add any point into this ill-fated referendum.

What future has the present Capitalist, and "democratic" regime in Russia?

There is absolutely no future for it, and everyone here knows it.

Today's budget of Russia is \$22 billion U.S. and on these billions we have to pay \$17.5 billion in interest only, while we owe already \$4 billions. Simple example is that if you have in your pocket 22 rubles and you have to pay off 17 rubles plus the other 4 rubles you owe, how would you live?

Figures do not lie, and in these 8 years of capitalism the standard of living has plummeted down 10 times, which is genocide by the present regime on their own people. All this is being promoted as a new, higher and more "democratic" system for the people. How can this Yeltsin and his present regime pretend that they are playing a role in world events and equal to the USA when Russia's budget is less that 1 1/2%? Only the Soviet Union could have talked to USA as equal.

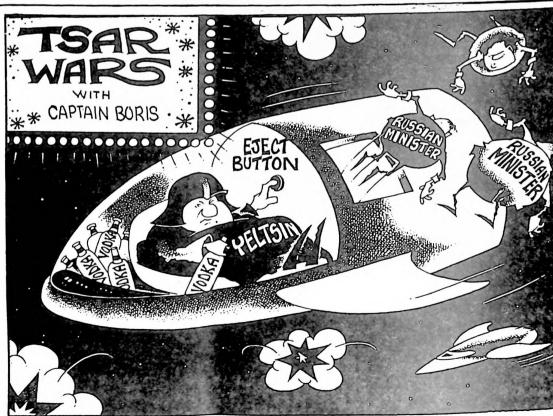
But unfortunately there are people who say: Yes, this capitalism that we have is bad, but we shall build good national-state, all forms of ownership a much better system than was under socialism.

These people, amongst them even some leading of the leading "communists" have got on this band wagon and are trying to present this "formula" as innovative and a new Mecca for the people.

We are bombarded with promotions that we the Soviet people should return to the "civilized world". In order to do this, there must be a "civilized world" out there! Only by the resurrection of the Soviet Union and Socialism can the Soviet Union stand up and be noticed and taken into account by the imperialist powers, headed by

CARTOON IS DEDICATED TO THOSE IN THE RUSSIAN DUMA WHO SUPPORT DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY BORIS (VODKA) YELTSINI

YOU MIGHT BE NEXT!



US/NATO forces.

The people made their choice in 1991 at the Referendum. But the referendum results were sabotaged by the present regime. The will of the people shall be realized sooner than later. We, dear comrades must do everything possible for this day to come soon.

President LUKASHENKO Stated...



To our enemies and opponents the most scary event can only be Slavic unity - which is the kernel towards the unity of all former Soviet Republics. I'll say more: if we, the people demand this and really want it, Eastern part of the Soviet Union will come and join us again. Towards this Slavic kernel will come the Muslims and other people. They know now through bitter experience, to where this one polar power (USA Imperialism) is leading to, they found out on their own skin."

President A.G.Lukashenko Byelorussian Republic

From newspaper "MOLNIYA" Moscow, Russia MOTA STEP BACK!

In time for the forthcoming elections a new party is gaining momentum it's called "CPSU,LENIN-STALIN". The leader of this party is Victor Anpilov of "Trudovaya Rossia" movement and below we publish excerpts from their "MARCH FOR USSR" which took place this spring across Russia.

The people from the Tula, Voronezh, Rostov region and Krasnodon region warmly welcomed the marchers and their column which included groups from Trudovaya Rossia. Union of Officers and the Statin Bloc. And all the cities and towns visited by the marching columns adopted statements against Yeltsin's regime, which in nine months managed to bring the country into crisis 3 times, and also criticized members of The Duma who voted for the diktat of Yeltsin and also criticized those that abstained from voting against the policies of the present regime.

Meetings took place in each locality under red flags, portraits of Lenin and Stalin and demanded climination of all post of presidents and governors and for the resurrection of the Soviet Union. At each Anpilov, Victor meeting. Grandson of Stalin and representatives of the Union of Soviet Officers, presented a of the detailed program CPSU, LENIN-STALIN bloc to the people.

On May 16, after going through the Krasnodon region, the marchers were stopped by the militia at the border of the Stavropol region. The columns under Anpilov, Dzhugashvili and Terekhov staged a sitdown strike on the main highway. People from the surrounding villages joined this demonstration of solidarity, which forced the authorities to let the marching columns pass through. They were held up for many hours until the authorities had orders to let them through.Victor Anpilov told the people that this was another attempt by Yeltsin and Stepashin to block the march and to see if the people will support the Lenin-Stalin bloc.

At many crossing points from one region to another the marchers were joined by people.Even border guards and army garrisons joined in and welcomed the whole group of marchers to sit down and have lunch from the army canteens.

The March for USSR is an attempt to bring the message to all the Soviet people that now is the time to state in unison... NOT A STEP BACK!

We publish a few photographs to illustrate the success of the march "For the Motherland! For Stalin!"

FROM VOICE OF A COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER

BARRICADE THE ROAD TO FASCISM!

STATEMENT

We, the editors of the left press of Russia vehemently protest against the allowance of profascist ideology and organizations such as RNE.

The fascist scum is allowed to organize and promote its ideology with the backing of covert and overt help by cer-

tain sections of the present regime.Not finding any significant opposition, these fascist organizers are aiming their hateful propaganda to the young generation, which do not know and have not experienced fascism. The present regime is closing its eyes to this movement led by Bashkarov. The appearance of quantity in literature and newspapers all over the country is a dangerous omen for the left forces. The complete silence of the Ministry of Justice is very dangerous since it gave permission and registered in over 40 regions of Russia alone.

The state television always shows the meetings of these fascists, where nazi flags and literature are promoted and shown.

The present Yeltsin regime, under pressure and demands of the people have incited some laws to curtail these movements, but, in order to get the people confused even more, they equate the danger of this Nazi movement and the Communist movement and the idea now is to enact the laws to ban the Communist movement, portraying it as more dangerous.

The present regime overlooks the fact that it was the Communists of the XX century that were the bitter enemies of fascism. It was the Soviet Union that defeated the scourge of fascism and thus saved the world.

It is precisely under Soviet Union that any emergence of fascist thought was dealt with very harshly.

It is precisely the present "democratic" regime who promote and support the right extremist groups.

*We recognize the appearance of these groups as a danger sign for Russia.

*We appeal to the Russian Duma members to enact laws that will ban these pro-fascist groups from organizing and from being registered as bonified organizations.

* Wedemand from the present government to take every step possible to put into effect the laws that shall see the banning of hate literature and symbols of fascism that the USSR lost over 27,000,000 people to defeat.

*We appeal to all veterans. You saved our Motherland from fascism, and you feel the anguish of seeing your grandsons and great grandsons strutting the streets with swastika symbols and mouthing fascist slogans.

*We appeal to the media.Dear colleagues-no matter what kind of political persuasion you might be, we all should feel abhorrence towards fascism. You also must know that there are no red fascists. There are reds and there are black shirts. They're opposed to each other.

*We appeal to the parents and teachers. Teach the young people about the Second World War, about the tragedy of genocide perpetrated by fascism.

*We appeal to the young generation. You are being misled by the swastika propagandists. You are being manipulated by the most reactionary ideology on earth.Try to remember how many of your family perished at the hands of these butchers who professed the same ideology? You are the future of our Motherland. Learn from the past, its dedication, heroism and its path to the future.

*We appeal to all communists and all progressive forces.Our disagreements on many aspects of socialism or the road to socialism with all of its curves and problems of theory and practice,must not disunite us to fight against a common enemy.We cannot allow nationalism to infiltrate the Communist movement. If we do not fight the scourge of fascism and nationalism we lose all right to call ourselves Com-

munists. Internationalism was and shall be our slogan. *We appeal to all people and. We state emphatically:

THEY SHALL NOT PASS!

Signed by these Editors:

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ADDRESSING THE YOUTH

By the All Union Communist Party off Bolsheviks and All Union Young Guard of Bolsheviks

Dear boys and girls!

In USSR the youth had all doors of opportunity open to them, you could pick any profession you liked, and if you work diligently your future was assured.

In USSR all sports palaces, clubs, Pioneer palaces and every year millions of young people enjoyed their holidays in Pioneer Camps all over the Soviet Union. Today all these things are unavailable to you. In our former palaces you have bandits, robbers of the people,they are all privatized. The Houses of Culture are all closed now.

Instead of what we have, the present rulers have instituted beauty contests, and these beauty contests are the vehicles with which these gangsters take the young girls, with promises of becoming struggles give birth to revolution.

The revolutionary youth shall not join partied, who just think about their cushy seats in parliament, signing up names on endless petitions. Young people want to struggle for something more tangible.

AUCPB promises young people only marching forward, maybe even death in the liberation struggles ahead.



models and they ship them off to all countries to houses of prostitution, from which these girls cannot run away from. Unfortunately lots of young people are lured into this whirlpool.

Before, everyone who finished school was guaranteed a job. Today, you'll receive your diploma and are sent into all four corners to find work.

If you have no work, you cannot feed yourself or your family.You cannot even have children because of the hardship of bringing them up.

There is no future for you now! You cannot be lured by the constant propaganda on radio, TV and press that the golden future is just around the corner.Do not believe this!

Therefore we are appealing to you.

You cannot afford not to care about your Motherland or your future.

You must fight and struggle for a better future.Unite and form young organizations, join the ranks of Young Bolsheviks!

Capitalism gives birth to class struggles, the class

AUCPB appeals to those who are dedicated to uncompromising struggle against Capitalism, who is willing to dedicate himself or herself to the future of mankind - Communism!

AUCPB unites all revolutionary youth, standing on the Bolshevik positions and who shall develop their understanding of the science of Marxism-Leninism.Togetrher we shall attain pour goal...the dictatorship of the Proletariat in the form of a Soviet State, the resurrection of our Great Motherland - the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

The new socialist revolution shall see the end of capitalism in our country, and this shall be the beginning of rebuilding a society based on the workers, farmers and progressive intelligencia, with no exploitation of man by man.

Only through the struggle for Communism can the young people gain the right to a happy future!

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YELTSIN AND HIS **'FAMILY'**

Below are excerpts from an article by Geoffrey York, Moscow Bureau of The Globe and Mail newspaper of Canada, June 15,1999

"When Yeltsin went looking for a new chief to run his lucrative \$12 billion a year Russian customs service, he chose an unlikely candidate: a customs official who had been suspended from his a job for one year on suspicion of corruption. He is Mikhail Vanin and according to Moscow media, he is extremely loyal to the "Family", the small circle of cronies surrounding Boris Yeltsin. And he is eager to funnel money to the Family's interests.

The Russian customs service supplies an astounding 40 per cent of all Russian budget revenue, is one of the biggest cash cows in the Russian government. It was a ripe target for Yeltsin's Family's grasping hands.

With the elections approaching, Yeltsin entourage needs to control every "profit center" in the government. The money is crucial in the coming power struggles.



Among the Family's members are the President's daughter, Tatyana, two senior Kremlin aides, and two shadowy businessmen: Boris Berezovsky and Roman Abramovich.

The goals of this "mini-Politburo" are clear: either to keep Mr. Yeltsin in power, beyond the expiry of his legal two-term limit next year, or to engineer the selection of a hand-picked successor who would well serve his interests. (Here we might add the interests of NATO & IMF-Editors).

According to sources in Moscow, this "Family" seized control of \$125 billion in annual financial flow from ministries and state agencies. 'Never before have the intrigues surrounding the elderly and unbealthy President been so scandalous and humiliating for the country'.

Analysts say they expect the Family to grab soon for the last remaining jewels in the state's crown: the huge gas monopoly Gazprom, the electricity monopoly UES, and the Central Bank."

COMMENT

It is appropriate to ask this question after such an exposé by a right-wing correspondent of the bourgeois press, the mouthpiece of big business:

If a toreign anti-Soviet and anti-Socialist correspondent, only temporarily in Moscow, is able to find this truth, how is it that the communist majority in the Duma and their leaders and press are in the dark? In any other country, such a scandal, outright robbery by a Family Mafiosi Clique, even the capitalist bourgeoisie would make certain that the President resigns or be overthrown.

As Geoff York finished his article with these words: "Yeltsin's buddies keep cash, power, all in the 'Family'."

If the CPRF leadership thinks that they shall win the elections for the Duma in December of this year and the presidency in year 2000 and have the regime now in power in Russia hand over the reigns without a fight and without NATO intervening...well, they are either dreaming or are being used for prolonging the present rule of capitalism.

This kind of wishful, unscientific policy is not Marxist-Leninist but social democratic!

LENIN BLOCK CREATED IN UKRAINE

On May 15,1999 in Kiev there was created a "Leninist Block" which encompasses the following:

*All Ukrainian Committee of the AUCPB

*Movement for USSR-Ukraine *People's Movement - "The Union"

*Revolutionary Communist Youth Movement of Ukraine

The goal of the Leninist Block is the unity of struggle of the revolutionary Marxist-Leninist forces of Kiev against the present regime and to point out the weaknesses of the present Communist Party and the Socialist Party of Ukraine who are cooperating and having a social partnership with the present government.

Since its inception, our first Leninist Block has held pickets in front of the US Embassy

plus p&p.

5-6 per week. We demand a stop to the Imperialist war on Yugoslavia!

COMMENT

We welcome coordination and cooperation of all left forces. In our view it needs the cooperation and unity of ALL left forces if any meaningful success will be achieved against the internal and external enemies.

Imperialism is very clever in exploiting, by dividing and then ruling!

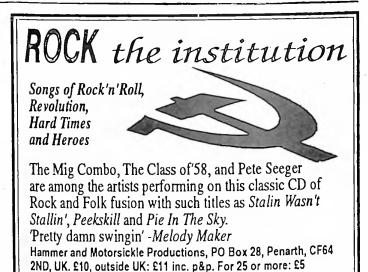
FROM PROLETARSKAYA GAZETA RUSSIA

What is the situation in Russia today?

he massive discontent of the population about the standard of living and the present bourgeois regime today is overwhelming. The quality of the struggle is definitely growing: the masses are passing from harmless expressions of protest and rallies towards the formation of class organizations at the regional and occupational

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level and towards forms of protest that include radical resistance against exploitation.

However, unfortunately this struggle is still at the economic level. It is still weak in terms of organization and has some elements of anarchism. It is still under control of the bourgeoisie through different types of peoples "patriotic", and Zyuganovite, anarchosyndicalist and other opportunistic political organizations.

As the result of the above, you cannot consider the situation in Russia as revolutionary one, although this revolutionary situation may arise at any time in the near future. The workers movement needs a dedicated political vanguard to lead it.

Because of this, we feel that the workers participation in the forthcoming elections are needed as a tactic, but nothing else.Leaders that are nominated and might be successful, should look at what they should not do, if they get elected. The most obvious and practical lesson in this respect is the example of the deceptive and outrageous position of the so-called "opposition fraction" of the CPRF in the Russian Duma. These people, having achieved their electoral goals, are doing their best to discredit the communist movement, making communists appear to be corrupt and agents of the bourgeois regime in the eyes of the working class.

They play a corrupt role as the "opposition", something so convenient and necessary to the bourgeoisie, promoting false illusions and hopes for a better political future.

The Zyuganovite revisionists were never communist and will not ever become such since they are one of the sections of the bourgeoisie and politically are heirs and followers of Krushchevite-Brezhnevite opportunism. The working class have for the moment have accepted these illusions. These opportunists try to convince the working class that the proletarian revolution is not feasible against the bourgeoisie at the present, thus trying to surrender the unarmed working class into the arms of the present regime.

There is a need for a vanguard party and unity of the left forces!

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Stalin's grandson Dyugashvili signing autographs on the march route with Victor Anpilov behind him.

In the village of Krasnoye in the Krasnodar region, the whole population of the village (500 people) came to listen to the Stalin Bloc. The meeting started at 7 in the morning.





ZOMBIE MACHINE

For all of us that agonize on the temporary demise of the Soviet Union, there are things that some of us just cannot understand: the Soviet people are left without all those things that they fought for, and yet they just seem to persevere and take this tragedy, and in their majority they vote for those. who robbed them and who devastated the country. The new Communist parties in Russia and Ukraine just manage to get 25-30% of the votes. What is the cause of this paradox? To my way of thinking there are two causes.

FIRST: the working class up to now are not able to get over the shock: "This is all done by the Communists! In power are the same Communists that were before!" It's the truth, that it's practically impossible to explain, that the top nomenclature are the ones that produced this counterrevolution - all these followers of Gorbachev, Yakovlev, Yeltsin and Krawchuk, Shevernadze, Aliev and many others...they were all careerists, but not dedicated communists. Terrible treachery undermined belief in communist parties in total - and to those who today are leading the struggles against the regimes. These present party leaders or members always hear: "We do not trust you. You'll come to power and you shall do the same. You need the statepower as your "trough".

SECOND- this is the work of the mammoth machine to make zombies out of the people.

"Zombie" - this is the state when a person has not his or her own mind capable only to listen to someone else, with no historical recollection. In order for the workers to be made over into slaves, to just persevere their lot, to work without pay, no laws to defend them you need first of all from the beginning to erase from their minds all that transpired during Soviet times: the feeling of friendship of peoples, Soviet patriotism, dedication, belief in communist ideals, collectivisem, unity of work, defending the Soviet State, international outlook, and high ideals.

The Zombie machine worked in different channels. First channel - this is the radio propaganda, organ of the psychological warfare, such as radio "Freedom", "Voice of America","BBC","German free Radio". The first two are broadcasting 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.On their upkeep there were spent already billions of dollars. "Freedom and Voice of America" are the top schools of anticommunism. They are masterful propagandists of capitalism in methods which manipulate its listeners to hate their own country, their own people,to hate its historical and heroic past, to believe and imitate and fawn at all of the Western way of life which is glorified beyond recognition. To accomplish all this they took all possible arsenal of lies, innuendoes, falsification, support and paying of "dissidents", popmusic and sport. If during Soviet times the State had to take measures to block these broadcasts, when Gorbachev came to power all these laws and measures to block these anti-Soviet broadcasts were lifted, he gave the go-ahead signal for Western agencies to proceed to zombify the Soviet people. Now these forces have occupied our land and were given permission to reproduce these broadcasts into all the languages spoken in the Soviet Union. It would be interesting to know: if the USA government would give permission to Soviet Government to rebroadcast in English, Spanish and Native languages in the USA through radio stations situated in each main city in the US? Such permission can only be given by a marionette government.

In these psychological war weapon radio stations work the traitors of the Soviet people. They broadcast in all the languages spoken in the USSR, and to add "legitimacy" to these programs, they always invite the present rulers of former Republics to appear in person to be interviewed. And, since we have no opportunity with ourselves defend to counter-propaganda, unfortunately the masses accept these broadcasts as truth, hoping to hear answers to the daily pressing problems, even listening for weather broadcasts! The aims of these programs are: and antianticommunism, nationalwild Sovietism. and ism,relgious fanatism promotion of individualism as opposed to collectivism.

On the managed recipes in the last years of "perestroika" all the Western organ of psywere warfare chological working day and night and were under the direction of Alexander Yakovlev - the top disciple of Gorbachev. After the temporary victory of the counterrevolution in August of 1991, the road and foundations for its success were already prepared by the zombirized people inside the USSR and this zombirized process became the official political policy.

All available tools of mass information: television, radio, press, schools, turned from the organs of enlightenment of the people, into the organs of peoples controlled perversion and darkness of real information. The church, "mass arts" through films, "popculture" is totally geared to promote anticommunism, anti-Sovietism and religious obscurantism, individualism, amorality, preferring basic instincts like animals.

Even during the "Czar Gorbachev" times all the newspapers, journals that were popular were given into the private hands of the "democrats". After the counterrevolution of August 1991, after the banning of the CPSU, into their hands came the rest of the mass media that were already not taken. Dedicated communists had absolutely no opportunity to get their hands on the mass media in any way or form and thus in a very crucial time were isolated from the people. For more than 10 years this poison permeated millions of people.

Day by day, according to the recipe of Goebbels; that the bigger a lie the more people tend believe it - the to "democratic" propaganda repeats the same recipe day in and day out. The present regime has turned the whole of Soviet history from the October Revolution of 1917 in the Goebbels tradition of lies. USSR was turned by Reagan as an "Evil Empire". Instead of presenting the "Great October Revolution of 1917" to the present school children and youth, it was turned by the present traitors, who before were the ideological teachers of the CPSU, into a "coup, staged by a group of Bolsheviks, headed by Lenin", in order to grab the state!

The historians who are interested and dedicated to their work, they call them "Sovkas" which means Soviet bastards. In order to blacken the name of Communists and Communist parties, these present so-called "democrats" starting with the

Judas Yakovley, state that their is no difference between communists and fascists, and they call the real and dedicated communists "communalfascists" or "Brown Reds". This is strictly the Goebbels practice with a modern twist. It is no wonder that these modern Judas's copy Goebbels, after all, as Ideological Chiefs of their respective CPSU parties, they studied Goebbels theory and now use it against what they were "teaching" future Soviet Communists...like Yakovley, Krawchuk and that traitor Volgogonov who was the Ideological Political Commissar of the Soviet Army and turned traitor, with his books lavishly funded by the West.

We all know, that fascism is the highest phase of monopoly capitalism. Of course Hitler hated Communism because they were against capitalism and private monopolistic capital. While our "democrats" are the slaves of capital, it is a cardinal fact that anti-Sovietism antiand Communism serves monopoly capital. These present "democrats" (former CPSU members) are proposing that the Communist parties be banned and also that Communist ideology be officially banned. These same party-card carrying "Communists" were the "teachers" for socialism? Are there any differences with the Brown Shirt Fascists? The only difference is that instead of the symbol swastika, there is the symbol of the American "dollar"!

Did you ever look at a crooked mirror? You can see one way and another, completely in reverse.That is how the present "democrats" see the



Soviet past. They tell us that before there was no light, progressive, heroic, greatness, no successes-only "Gulag" and "Starvation", and scaring people that if Communists return again, we are all going to be put into "Gulags"! This is repeated over and over each day by TV, radio and the press.

The deep danger is that this propaganda is daily taught in schools. The poison of anticommunism is taught each day to school children and youth who as yet are not able to have a mind of their own and must therefore follow the teachers and exams. Here is just a sample of the text book for Grade One students. "Story about Ukraine". The chapters carry such titles as "Genocide","War", "Bells of Chernobyl" etc. There is not one word about the workers and farmers who built up the country, who started from scratch to build heavy industry, who fought and won over fascism – over Germany, this Fascism which was supported practically bv all of Europe, nothing about the liquidation of illiteracy, the blossoming of Ukrainian culture, of heroes of the working class. Therefore the children shall only dream about "people in black", who "burned and killed our people" And besides this, these textbooks state that under Soviet rule."because the children's homes were not able to accept so many children, these "orphans" the Soviets drown them together in the Dnieper River on barges." and those that were dying they threw off the trains unto the railway tracks"!

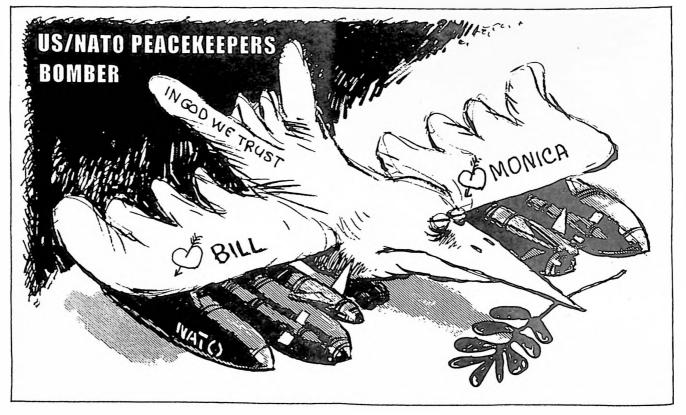
Then these textbooks glorify the Ukrainian nationalistsbandits who were helping Hitler, and that these bandits were "liberating Ukraine from the Moskali". The fact is that these nationalist were shooting into the backs of Soviet Red Army soldiers. The older classes are taught that Petlura and other Ukrainian bandits were the real heroes. The texts are filled with former and present Ukrainian nationalist writers, all pushing the poison of nationalism and fascism into the young minds of youth.

Besides all this, the religious factor now is immensely being propagated. Thousands of new churches, monasteries, religious chapels are being built.Besides this, hundreds of small religious sects are being promoted, supported internally and by foreign missions. They all preach to be subservient, await with patience and your problems shall be over when you reach heaven. Again the Church is acting as Karl Marx stated, the "Opium of the people".

The main front of Zombirization of the new generation is the "sexual revolution". As was admitted by one "democrat": "Without the sexual revolution there would not have been a democratic revolution"! Newspapers, magazines imported and even published here with explicit sexuality and erotic photos etc. now is causing growth of prostitution, sexual depravity, sexual diseases,aids. The main aim of the present regime was achieved: the young people were torn away from political life.Youth, unfortunately in their majority are going into robbery, drunkenness and narcotics.

But why was it possible for these "democrats" to be able to Zonmberize the people? The question is not only about taking over the State by a counterrevolution and the mass media into their hands. Besides the subjective factors there are objective factors also. The enemies were able to take advantage of the problems which were here in the 1970-80's in our society. We were at the beginning of building Socialism, and not the "developed socialism", as the then leaders of USSR tried to convince the people.USSR at that time was somewhat behind in the standard of living of some capitalist countries like USA, Germany and Japan. This is historically correct.We must realize, and the present generation must realize that the victory of the October Revolution in 1917 happened in a backward country, the major industry was not even heard of, not alone built or producing goods. The building of the beginning of Socialism was at a time of external enemies surrounding the young Soviet State, we were blockaded by Imperialism, civil war, sabotage, trying to defeat the young state.

Then we had to catch up and equal the defense of the USSR in order to keep USA war machine at bay. With the appearance of NATO our country had to assign resources for our defense and away from the economic production of goods that otherwise would have benefited the country. People forget that were found ourselves surrounded in our armed bastion, but at the same time we had to help the other peoples democracies who embarked on a socialist path. The present generation forgets and the enemies do want to point



these facts out, that the USSR is in zone where there come drought and no rain in many regions of the country which is in most cases insurmountable to defeat natural disasters, thus even this factor went towards problems in agriculture, but never was there famine or people going to starve.,

We had line ups for some goods, yes, that was a fact, especially not enough meat products that was available,even though in milk, sugar and other fruits and vegetables the USSR was in the first place of the developed countries.We did not have the hard currency to import the necessary food stuffs as other countries. Germany imported food 4 times more than we per person, while Japan was importing 6 times more per head than the Soviet Union.

We had to, due to our forced rearming to spend 6 times less on agriculture than other countries, who were not devastated by German fascism as our country was. These shortages were only temporary, that could have been overcome very quickly in our economic growth, if it wasn't for the cold war which threatened us. and other countries and thus we had to make certain that we kept up with the necessary defense, even though we knew that this is exactly what Western Imperialism counted upon. The Imperialists did not give us that time and opportunity, because they knew that our system would be successful!

Thus the enemies took adutilized our vantage and "deficit", took all measures in order to make us spend more and more on arms, and then open up the psychological war, blaming all this on socialism that can never work for betterment of mankind, and that only private enterprise has the Unfortunately the answer. people started to believe this propaganda and in this the internal enemies started their

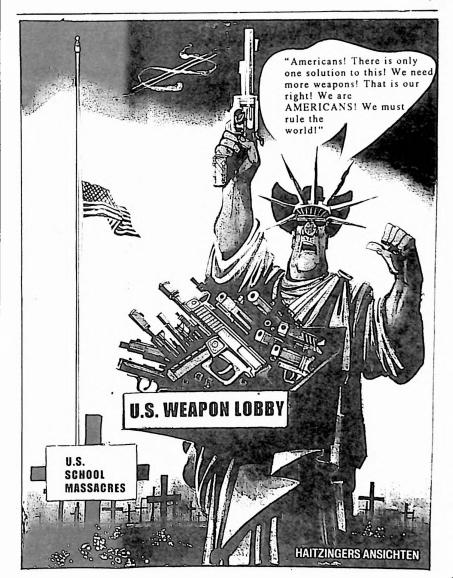
campaign to discredit socialism.

The enemies of socialism utilized one more tactic: the weak contacts that developed between the CPSU and the people. During 1960-80's, after the death of Stalin, the party nomenclature became divorced from the working class in many respects. This was done on purpose by those leaders who are now the newly baked "democrats". It was being filled more and more by careerists from top to bottom. Bureaucrats grew and this brought on dissatisfaction amongst the working class since they felt that they were not in the decision making of running the country.

There is still understanding and picture of the Soviet state where there was no unemployment, free medical care, free education, when millions of Soviet people received free apartments and could during the summer go on holidays to the Black Sea resorts, when WORK was the highest form of authority, and not Capital!

As Fidel Castro stated: "You cannot obliterate the Sun!" Slowly the sunshine is again shining over us, lighting the way ahead.

"We lived under Communism, but we did not realize it or appreciate this fact" - now many workers say this. And this - is the beginning of a process of the end for these masters of Zomnbirization.



THIS IS UKRAINE TODAY!

You have read in NSC articles by writer I.Knyshov, the leader of coal miners who was fired, jailed, repressed: You have read articles about and by our reader and his Bolshevik activities. Here he writes about the present events around his trial, sentence and terrible conditions now in the present "Independent Ukraine".

Dear comrades, readers of Northstar Compass!

The regional court of Izyuma city, Kharkov district now has completely disregarded its own statutes and falsified the records regarding the article in the newspaper "Bolshevik" of Odessa called "Attempt on the life of a Miner". After this article appeared they sentenced me to 3 years in jail. because I gave an interview to our newspaper about the situation that is surrounding me and the overall terrible situation in the country.

Besides, I was fined 800 Hriven for giving an interview, exposing the corruption of the system, including the judiciary. Why me? I as a Bolshevik know that one hand washes the other in the present judicial system and thus I'm forced to go from one district to another with my appeals. The falsification proceeds and this shows the nationalist fascist police regime of President Kuchma in this so-called "Free" Ukraine. If these "democrats" want to rob me of these 800 Hriven (which I do not even have or get) let us do a little arithmetic ourselves regarding this regime.

*What price do they put on the death of my father who had a heart attack forced upon him by interrogation and ransacking of our home?Why must my father, veteran of the Great Patriotic War and Internal Security,invalid Victor P. Knyshov have to die prematurely?



*What price do they put on my two years unemployment after being fired for trade union activity and as a safety inspector, trying to save lives of the miners?

*What price do they put on the time and expenses, reaching the Supreme Court of Ukraine and my reinstatement and firing 4 times from the Krasnoluch mine?

*What price do they put on my lost wages for 2 years and 8 months?

*What price do they put on the ravaged health of my mother whom I support and whom I try to feed?

*What about my wrecked life...all these years?

The Prosecutor Zakharchenko, in sentencing me held a long speech against me, condeming me that I be fined every penny that was imposed on me, attacking my membership in the AUCPB and denouncing in his sentencing with vile words against J.V.Stalin, finding all sorts of calumny. Together with the Judge V.G.Zelinsky who called Bolshevik Daper "a the rag".Even though letters of protests, telegrams came from all over, demanding justice for myself, this Judge took political pleasure in sentencing me. After nearly 3 years without a job.Knyshov is forced to collect scrap on a wheelbarrow in order to live and feed his ill mother.

The lessons are clear for all Bolsheviks. This is nothing but a Guilty Verdict with political overtones as a warning to other patriots.

The great Lenin taught us Bolsheviks, to not seek praise in insignificant events, but feel praise in the attacks of the enemies!

The main thing is that the workers are behind me. The miners whom I defended as the Safety Officer of the trade union and they are striking again and again for their rights in their hard life.

Long live the struggle for the noble cause of the resurrection of our Soviet Union!

I.V.Knyshov

All translations from Russian, Byelorussian, Ukrainian, Czech and Slovak by Michael Lucas.

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CHILDREN OF UKRAINE -FOR THE USSR!



Natasha and Valya Pogrebny and Lena Bigun were born and grew up after the dismemberment of the USSR. But they know from their parents: in order that there should be no wars, in order to live as humans should, the Soviet Union must be resurrected.

These brave children in their caps that have signs "For USSR", together with some members of the movement "For USSR" in Ukraine, were part of the May Day Parade in Kiev. After the parade was over, these brave girls paraded with their signs in front of over 1000 OMON police, so they too would see the signs which read: "Pro-NATO Growlers, Kuchma, Gorbulin, Kuzymik, Tarasiuk, Udovenko- the blood of Serbs is on your hands!

Elderly people came up to the youngsters and kissed them, gave them flowers and red kerchiefs. This May Day will be remembered by these girls all their life!

Galina Savchenko

In front of the Embassy of USA in Kiev there are held constantly pickets. Show here are two members of the ACP(B) and "Movement for USSR" in Ukraine -Galina Savchenko and Nikolai Blinov.



FROM NEWSPAPER MYSL UKRAINE

KIEV-MURDER CAPITAL OF UKRAINE

In a shocking article where it describes the fate of women who are forced into prostitution in order to feed their families since work cannot be found, the newspaper reported about seven young women who were found killed, strangled and mutilated near a cemetery in a Kiev suburb. These young women were beaten and murdered, and this is a daily occurrence.

The police have an excuse, saying that since "no one claims the bodies, they are not from Kiev."

One women who was lucky to be alive, after being beaten by assailants:" I must bring in money, otherwise my two children shall not eat and I cannot get any help from the present regime !"

This is just a segment of the disintegration of Ukraine under the present regime of President Kuchma. This is capitalism and only the resurrection of the Soviet Union and socialism shall eliminate this tragedy!

Vladislav Smirnov



NEWS * DIGEST * COMMENT

YELTSIN 'MILLIONS' IN AUSTRALIA

From "The Australian" with thanks to Australian International Studies Association

MOSCOW: A senior Communist member of the DUMA accused President Yeltsin and his family of siphoning hundreds of millions of dollars in foreign aid into his personal bank accounts in Australia.

The Australian Department of Foreign Affairs reacted cautiously to this and said that they are not prepared to comment at this time.

Member of the DUMA Mr. Ilyukhin told a press briefing that:"President Boris Yeltsin and a narrow circle of bureaucrats, as well as people who are close to him, distribute this IMF money in other ways."

Member of the Russian Duma said that the Kremlin sent \$US 3.6 billion of the IMF money to a bank in Sydney, last August 14,1998.

He said that 10 per cent of that total was then reinvested into a private firm partially controlled by Yeltsin's daughter, Tatyana Dyachenko

NSC published even a photograph of the \$6 million castle in Germany that was bought by his daughter...of course for a rainy day.

COMMENT

Western capitalist newspapers, Government officials and Banks know of this robbery. An amazing fact that with this rape of the country going on that the Communist deputies in the Duma are sitting on their hands. In any other country, be its capitalist or otherwise, a leader would not be able to hang on to power!

There is a saying that if you're hiding a criminal, you are also guilty by association!

THIS IS WORTH Repeating and Remembering!

COUNTRIES BOMBED BY U.S. SINCE END OF WORLD WAR II

Compiled by Historian William Blum

*CHINA	1945-46
*KOREA	1950-53
*CHINA	1950-53
*GUATEMALA	1954
*INDONESIA	1958
*CUBA	1959-60
*GUATEMALA	1960
*CONGO	1964
*PERU	1965
*LAOS	1964-73
*VIETNAM	1961-73
*CAMBODIA	1969-70
* GUATEMALA	1967-69
*GRENADA	1983
*LIBYA	1986
*EL SALVADOR	1980s
*NICARAGUA	1980s
*PANAMA	1989
*IRAQ	1991-99
*SUDAN	1998
*AFGHANISTAN	1998
*YUGOSLAVIA	1999

If you will add to the above the invasions of other countries since before the First World War, you shall see a history of murder, genocide and grabbing of territory and natural resources. unparalleled in history, with their slogan of "In God we Trust!" CIA MASTERMIND BEHIND PFRVFRSE TESTS

From "The Australian" as

published by the Australian International Studies Association

Everyone knows (or should know) about revolting experiments conducted on human beings by Nazi doctors in the concentration camps during the Second World War. But only now, when Sidney Gottlieb died on March 7,1999 in Washington is the truth coming out.

The CIA was doing exactly what the Nazis were doing. Sidney Gottlieb, a scientist used LSD and other mindcontrolling drugs on a host of unwitting subjects in a quest for a formula for winning the Cold War.

Gottlieb was the son of Jewish immigrants from Hungary, who flirted with all religions and born in New York with a club foot, nevertheless he headed the CIA's MKUltra activities.

For 20 years, from 1950s to 70s mental patients, prisoners, drug addicts, prostitutes, the clients of prostitutes and even the CIA Agency employees, unwittingly were experimented on with drugs as directed by Gottlieb. Many participants of these tests died and this was hushed up by the CIA.Other suffered irreversible psycological damage. What Gottlieb and the CIA did was no different Fascists what than the did.these Nazi scientists who were sent to the gallows in Nuremberg in 1946.

Gottlieb in actual fact introduced the lysergic acid into the USA society, experimentaly that now is LSD and drug infested nightmare...was this also an experiment by the CIA and Gottlieb that went berserk?



Ghastly experiments: Sidney Gottlieb

The mind-altering drugs, which included marijuana and mescal were meant to be used against important Soviet leaders and their friends.

Gottlieb was not only involved in mind-bending drugs - he was also involved in the assassination attempts for the CIA.

There was to be a poisoned handkerchief to kill Iraqi leader. Toxic gifts were to be offered to Fidel Castro.An assassination kit, complete with mask, gloves, needles,toxins to do away with Congo's Prime Minister Lumumba.

Another imaginative idea of Gottlieb as head of the secret CIA MKUltra division was the establishment of brothels, run by CIA in San Francisco during 1960s and to get a cross section of American people to be lured into these brothels, where prostitutes, working for CIA would slip them drugs, after which, through a two-way mirror the CIA agents could observe their behavior.

He could not get into the US Army because of a club foot, but in two years he became the head of the CIA's technical services division.

After his retirement from CIA agency he was awarded the Distinguished Intelligence Medal for his patriotic services, but after that, the CIA destroyed all records of the workings of MKUltra. After this, in his retirement, he devoted his life tending the terminally ill.

We wonder whether he wanted to atone for the deadly sins he committed, for the deaths he caused or for the destruction of human minds that this zealous CIA scientist did against humanity?



THE EUROPEAN ELECTIONS

Since this article is very important to our readers, the Editorial Board decided to publish it even in August (since we had a combined June-July issue) because Ernie Trory analyzes the situation correctly, and lessons should be drawn by the readers.

On June 10th, Britain went to the polls to elect its European Members of Parliament, The votes were not counted until the following Sunday night (from Thursday, June 10th) after the rest of the countries comprising the European Union had also voted.

From the very start of its campaign it had been clear that the Labour Party could not hope to retain the support it had mustered during the General Election. This had already been partially eroded in May when the local elections resulted in a number of lost

IN MEMORIAMS

Northstar Compass had many requests to have a section in NSC where ads in memory of loved ones and friends can be expressed. Donations will be accepted in this column.

seats. Further losses were expected. The majority of the 10 million pensioners felt they had been let down, with little if any improvements in their conditions after fighting for the removal of the restrictions imposed upon them by the previous Conservative governments; the unemployed who had managed to obtain parttime employment were still searching for full-time jobs; and the disabled were disgusted with the treatment they had received. But above all, large sections of the community had been horrified by the hawkish attitude of the Labour particularly Tony leaders, Blair, Robin Cook and George Robertson, over the callous bombing of civilians, not only in Belgrade but also in Kosovo. A poll taken before the European elections had revealed that 30 per cent of the population was against the bombing and, as Tony Benn had pointed out on more than one occasion, that meant 20 million people.

As early as the 2nd of June, an article in the London Guardian by Lucy Ward, headlined "Labour set for Big Losses in Elections", forecast that Labour, with 62 seats in the old European Parliament, would lose 28 of them, bringing the number down to 34. When the results were announced, however, the situation proved to be much worse. Labour lost 33 seats, bringing its total down from 62 to 29, as against the 36 won by the Conservatives

Similar results were recorded throughout the European Union. In a report from Brussels published in the London *Guardian* on the 14th of June, Martin Walker reminded readers that 11 of the European Union's 15 national governments were socialist-led and then went on to say:

"This was an election fought during the war in Kosovo, in which the 11 countries that are NATO members were directly involved. Socialists were losing seats in Italy and Greece because of anti-war votes but were doing rather better in Austria after fighting on a pledge not to join NATO and erode the country's neutral status."

In Germany, according to an article in the New Worker on the 14th of June, Chancellor Schroader's Social Democratic Party was the biggest loser in the Europoll, losing three million votes. "It paid the price for ignoring the unions, doing little to stave off mass unemployment, and for becoming the party of war." Schroeder was dubbed "Chancellor for War" and "Germany's Blair" by the peace movement. His Green allies fared even worse. "The Green leadership steamrolled a pro-war position at an emergency conference which led to widespread resignations. Their vote was halved and their seats reduced from 12 to seven."

The result in Britain was the biggest setback for Labour for seven years. Labour leaders blamed the low turnout, which had averaged only 23 per cent. That meant that 77 eligible voters out of every hundred had not bothered to vote. But why was the turnout so low? The people had not voted Conservative; they had just not voted at all. It was a silent protest against the Thatcherite policies, both in war and peace, pursued by the Labour Party ever since it had come to nower.

In a by-election held on the same day as the European elections, Labour was defending a seat held during the last General Election with a majority of 20,689. It was contested by Hilary Benn, son of the popular left-wing Labour MP, Tony Benn. The seat was held, but only with a majority reduced to a mere 2,293, a swing away from Labour of 20.49 per cent on a turnout of 19.6 per cent, the lowest turnout in any parliamentary election since the end of the Second World War.

In a leading article on the European elections in the New Worker on June 18th, the Editor said: "The electorate treated the European Parliament with contempt it deserves, since it's no secret that the European Parliament has no power to legislate and is a parliament in name only." The New Worker, thought that Tony Blair would not change his policy in the light of the disastrous election results by the "Labour's right-wing leaders are now more likely to seek comfort from their pro-European friends in the Liberal-Democrat Party,"

The media sees the refusal of people to vote as being the result of their reluctance to embrace the single European currency. The evidence shows that the real reason is that large numbers of erstwhile Labour voters did not agree with the bombing of civilian targets in Belgrade and in Kosovo, and that many believed they had not yet been given the real reason for the war.

But Ewen MacAskill may have misjudged the situation. Some of Tony Blair's support in Parliament has become doubtful to say the least, and



much of his support in the electorate has drifted away though there is no doubt of the support afforded by companies that are set to make a quick buck out of the war. These, so we are informed in an article appearing in the 11th June issue of the Editor, a weekly supplement to the Guardian, include London Rolls Royce, makers of military aircraft engines for Tornados and Harriers; Cobham, a company that provides training for RAF and Navy pilots; that Hunting, a company makes BL 755 cluster bombs; Alvia, producing spare parts for light-armored vehicles like the CV90; Vickers, makers of Challenger tanks; and British Aerospace, a company that recently acquired Marconi, makers of cruise missile guidance systems.

War is a terrible thing; it is also a terribly profitably thing. But victory in Kosovo and the way it was achieved may have cost the Labour Party victory in the next General Election.

June 19,1999

LETTERS

FROM SLOVANSKA VZAJEMNOST PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC

Dear comrades and friends:

Enclosed is a copy of our "Open Letter to Clinton" plus the latest issue of our newspaper.

The next Slav Congress shall be held in Minsk, Byelorussia in July of year 2000.

Regarding the letter from your Organizing Committee for the "International Council for Friendship and Solidarity with Soviet People"- We fully support this activity (myself and Professor B.Chvala on behalf of the Czech Slav Committee). We find this attempt very necessary. The idea of a "United Front" against the attempts of the USA and NATO to rule the world must be achieved by humanity.

I would be very pleased to write articles for Northstar Compass, especially about the activities of the Slav Committee. I shall write in Czech, but seeing Mr. Lukach that you read Czech, this shall do until I can brush up on my English!

Comradely yours

Doc.JUDr. Mirko Svoboda,CSc

We hope that our cooperation shall culminate in our gatherings in Minsk, Byelorussia in year 2000. We shall await your articles Mirko!

We publish just an excerpt of the letter to President Clinton of USA:

"The adventurist aggression against Yugoslavia has multiplied the Kosovo tragedy. This fact cannot be papered over. The bombing of Yugoslavia has claimed hundreds of innocent victims. Aggression of this kind should be condemned as a war crime and its instigators brought before an International Tribunal, as they were at Nuremberg after the Second World War! International violence can celebrate only this temporary success, but in the final reckoning it is already being put into the pillory of history today!

FROM DAKAR SENEGAL

Dear comrades:

We received the publication Northstar Compass and we are informing you that our organization agrees with the "Call" and is willing to support the Conference to set up the International Council for Friendship and Solidarity with Sovict People.

We are in favor of the resurrection of the USSR and Socialism in the traditions of Lenin and Stalin.

Facing the danger of imperialist world war, all the revolutionary peoples need to struggle against imperialism and NATO. Therefore we do support the Call and are ready to be with you at the upcoming Conference in Europe.

National Organizer Rassemblement Des Travailleurs Africains-Senegal West Africa

FROM LOCHRISTI BELGIUM

Dear comrades:

Having received the NSC of April,I wish to thank you for it and I did not react quicker due to the elections that were held in Belgium on June 13.

We hope that our revolutionary left has good success.

I'm very happy to hear about the forethcoming Congress in Europe in 2000. Before I was an active member of the Belgian-Soviet Friendship organization. I certainly would like to help in the preparations of this Congress.

With kind regards, Van Acker Wilfried

FROM STORNOWAY, SASK CANADA

Enclosed please find \$100 towards NSC which is very interesting. I send reprints of articles to the local newspapers and they print it in almost all cases!

Oscar Gellert

We hope that others follow your example!

FROM HANNOVER GERMANY

We found out about your publication of NSC today, and it is regrettable that we did not know about it sooner, because this is a very interesting journal.

Can we arrange an agreement to exchange publications, our "Offensiv" for your "NSC"?

Frank Flogel Soziaalistisches Monatsblatt der PDS

Welcome to our growing world-wide list of readers!

FROM WORKERS-PEASANTS RUSSIAN PARTY LENINGRAD

Dear comrades:

We received your letter together with the "Call" regarding the International Council for Friendship and Solidarity with Soviet People.

We share your ideas of the need for such an International Council. We consider this initiative to be urgent and helpful in the struggle for the resurrection of Soviet Power. We need international support and we remember that the movement "Hands Off Russia Committees" helped to stop the capitalist intervention.

We also support the process of uniting of all the communist and progressive forces.

Comradely yours

Michael Popov

Chairman of Ideological Commission

Welcome to the growing list of signatories to the "Call" and we hope that our task shall be fulfilled with your help.

OPEN FORUM

THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENTS IN RUSSIA NOW

BY RAFAEL MARTINEZ Germany

just recently returned from where I attended the conference of workersunionists. The conference was great with over 150 delegates from all across Europe.I represent the Russian trade union "Zashchita Truda" since their delegate from Vologda, the head of the regional committee was turned down by the German authorities by not being granted a visa.I was asked to go and represent this important trade union movement in Russia.

As a member of the Organizing Committee for an International Council of Friendship and Solidarity with Soviet People, I am writing this article in order to give you my interpretation and analyses of the situation in the present communist movement in Russia.Maybe I should have put forward my point of view before, but the situation was notdeveloped yet and I might have sounded like a critique.

The workers movement in Russia is growing, not only in numbers but perhaps more important, in quality. This is perhaps in a long time when the workers movement in the country is taking its first steps towards organizing as a class and opposing the government of the bourgeoisie in a more or less organized manner. By this I mean in the time after the collapse of the Soviet Union in 1991. We all know that the collapse of the Soviet Union brought to the political scene many groups and parties that called themselves Communist. Letting alone for now the question whether all of these parties are communist, one thing was obvious from the start: their program in practice had almost a complete lack of work amongst the working class. The practical work had been reduced too to rallying and, eventually holding pickets and strikes at government buildings, basically what we know that the CPRF was doing. There were exceptions, mainly in the work of the Russian Communist Workers Party. This party has done work amongst the workers in cooperation with the communist trade union "Zashchita" is remarkable, in a sense that certain sectors of the party realized how " impractical" for the struggle is to decide ones work only to come out on demonstrations, etc...

Already some years ago, many communists started to realize that the point is to have influence in the working class, to be in every strike, to be part of the social life of a country that is advancing towards an uncontrolled social explosion. There have been many communists, some who never joined any partied, some who had been members of these parties but left them on the grounds that their policies were wrong. Unfortunately it is hard to reconcile to the fact that the demonstrations are getting smaller, that the socalled opposition movement in the country is shrinking, when at the same time the workers movement in the country is growing as shown by those plants where the working class is taking over factories and where practically in each factory there exists a strike committee, where now there exists an All Russia Striking Committee, the working class is organizing and feeling itself as a class. There exist even Soviet of Workers Committees.

It is a fact that many parties in Russia are only a fraction of what they were in early 90's. It is no secret that a large percentage of demonstrators are mostly pensioners, even though more and more young people are joining against the present regime. This is due to a serious lack of work by these parties amongst the working class. Let us be truthful in the fact that a communist is not only the one that waves a red flag, but he must be together and with the working class, who organizes them and prepares them for serious struggles ahead. We do not need people who just wait for the working class to get fed up with the regime and to come out unto the streets and spontaneously joined a communist party. That is not what the Bolsheviks have taught us, and for some strange reasons this truth is somewhat not taken into account, who call themselves communists or Marxists-Leninists.

WHAT ABOUT UNITY?

Unification is something that every communist wishes for. There is one working class and there should be only one Communist Party. This is the whole point of the matyears ter,almost 10 have passed and these parties are still not united. The main reason is that these parties do not organize the working class, because in reality they are engaged in the class struggles. It is no coincidence that in many districts across Russia where the different parties have links with the working class and the general labour movement, members of all the different parties (left) have found ways and means to overcome this fragmentation.

Unification is absolutely necessary. However, this unification will occur only on the basis of struggles, on the basis of working among the workers in a systematic and consistent way. Northstar Compass is correctly calling for unification of the communist parties, since there is no point in fragmentation. The fragmentation is mostly due that most of these parties are not engaged in working amongst the working class. The unification of these parties shall never happen unless the basic principles of Marxism-Leninism is really understood and taken into effect in a systematic and consistent manner. The NSC is completely correct when calling for the unification, since in fact there are amongst these communist parties no serious ideological or tactical differences...sometimes unfortunately it is just a question of personalities.

The Editorial Board of NSC did receive the newspaper "Proletarskaya Gazata" which is the result of joint efforts of different forces that are united on the basis of understanding the basic principles of Marxism-Leninism. Its aim is to work in the working class and to be the organizer of all of the working class of Russia for the moment.

NSC and the Organizing Committee for an International Council, as a broad front has the right to ask each one of the parties existing in Russia as to their involvement with the working class, who participates in the social life, who exposes the contradictions of a capitalist society or the weaknesses of the bourgeoisie and constantly pushes the working class towards higher forms of organization.

This is the essence as drawn by Proletarskaya Gazeta and it calls for unity and unification of the communists into a party of the working class, something that does not yet exist in todays Ruusia, but something that is absolutely necessary today more than ever.

Therefore I hope that the Editorial Board and the Organizing Committee understands my silence, because in order to put forward a point it has to be based on solid ground.



As for the conference to be organized in year 2000, the Editorial Board of Proletarskaya Gazeta support the Call and will participate in this Conference. It would be preferable that this Conference be held somewhere on the territory of Soviet Union, since the Russian delegates at least cannot afford traveling to other parts of Europe. It would be great if the Conference would be able to be organized together with the Russian trade unions and all the Communist parties that are existing at the moment.

The Conference must not be an abstract event, but an organized, specific agenda which will help to promote the necessity of unity.We shall help in achieving active involvement of trade union activists in this Conference.

Hoping that these few lines shall find a positive understanding and bring forth discussions prior to the Conference next year.

We ask our readers to comment to our pre-Conference discussions before year 2000.

FROM DOWN UNDERI MY THOUGHTS ABOUT THE SITUATION IN RUSSIA

I feel that your plan to hold the International Conference in Minsk, Byelorussia is excellent. I am very impressed with President Lukashenko. Just the other day I saw on TV program (Russian) "Sehodnya" of substantial civil defense activities in Minsk, in anticipation of a possible NATO attack.

By comparison the Russian government engages in the most despicable gyrations regarding their presence in Kosovo - excuses, backtracking, etc. etc. Fortunately at least there are 1-2 generals that took the initiative and, at time of this writing (June 17) still hold the Pristina airport in anticipation of the 7,000 contingent said to be on their way. At present they cannot get permission to fly over either Hungary or Bulgaria, so they cannot get to Yugoslavia. A fine situation !The Russians did not wait for the TV cameras being ready to film their advance, and I am sure that quie: a few of the European Generals involved in the NATO campaign have a silent admiration for the Russian action (and probably glee for their loud-mouthed transatlantic allies plus 'Teflon Blair). NATO now Толу' openly admits that there was never any intention to disarm the KLA, and the KLA leaders say that they are going to 'deal with" the Russians in Pristina.

As to your question of leftwing disunity is not new, of course, and I wonder whether the good people in Russia actually realize that they simply destroy all chances of gaining popular in the forthcoming

elections. The Left in various countries around the world suffers from the same propensity to engage in endless ideological debates and then proceed to accuse each other of all sorts of heresies. What this indicates to me is that people are unsure of themselves and therefore have to have to cling to some stereotype. They debase ideology to dogma, because they are afraid to apply the basic principles to everchanging practical situations. Therefore they are becoming irrelevant. This is an absolute disaster. Unless we apply theory creatively to analyses new conditions, we flog the proverbial 'dead horse', and numbers dwindle until only a handful of 'old faithful' remain. This is the death knell of any political movement. Therefore I keep stressing the importance of a continued systematic critique, first and foremost in one's own country. This is the beat: how much popular support does a party, a platform, have at home?

In Russia the situation is more complex, as I see it. They have no understanding of the sophistication and mendacity of Western propaganda, which now controls the Russian media. They cling to static ideological positions, which expose them to constant attack by the opinion-makers and the media. They are losing the contest for public consciousness, not just because they have no access to the media (they all seem to publish their own newspapers), but because the lack of precise goal-setting. It is not enough to churn out old stereotypes (no matter how correct objectively) or simply to argue that the past 8 years have not happened. The test is. ultimately, membership - numbers - and votes.

Unless the Left forces learn how to cooperate, they and their followers are "sitting ducks" for the powers of the state and can be easily picked off any time they get to troublesome. They have not yet understood how the capitalist system works: - the principle is to let the "people have their say", to demonstrate of course (peacefully), to protest until they get blue in the face - and then not to take the slightest notice of it all. People are free to protest and the system is free to disregard the protests: checkmate! In Russia they have now tried demonstrations and protests and have learned that they lead to nowhere. The experience is the basis to build on. Nostalgia will not bring back the past. Wrong tactics mean defeat!

If they cannot get off the ground in the face of systematic inability to provide people with the necessities of life, there is little chance for any of these left groups to ever becoming a serious threat to the system. This must be the starting point of all political action - not great congresses and declarations or program's, but straight-forward demands: -jobs-wage payments-reconstitution of educational and medical services, etc. People want a practical, forward-looking platform to vote for. Maybe this is why Zyuganov gets a big share of the vote. Are they in touch with you ? It would be interesting to find out what their platform is. I wonder what relationship has Lukashenko with Zyuganov?

There isn't much time in Russia to organize for the presidential election, and failure to agree on a common platform to unite the left forces will simply condemn them to irrelevance. If they waste time in debates they are obviously not fit to lead. All that does is split the left vote. Maybe they would be better in uniting behind Zyuganov? I don't know, but it seems worth a try. Of course they would have to accept a certain discipline, and I fear that this is what they don't like. As I said earlier, I am not a Zyuganov fan. However, he seems to have a larger following among voters in Russia, therefore merits attention - certainly more than all those little splinter groups fighting with each other.

We here in Australia recently had news from someone who traveled to Central Asia and who reported how people, who only 2-3 years ago were still prepared to accept temporary hardships as the price of betterment, have now lost hope and realize that there will be no change for the better and that they have lost what they had previously. This is the general mood elsewhere, too.

Surely, here is a sound basis for an effective Opposition, but a politically mature electorate will not vote for splinter parties, and demagogues of either the right or the left.

Many good wishes to all the good, devoted people in Northstar Compass. Yours truly

Dr. Vera Butler

We ask our readers to write their comments on these two important articles.

NSC BOARD MEMBER ARRESTED IN QUEBEC!

Dr.William Bunge was arrested while picketing during the Quebec Nurses Strike in July. His sign asked the question :" How many suicides of young people do you know?"

Growth of suicides of young people in Quebec is growing.What is the cause? Who is to blame?

Read in the September issue of NSC an article by Dr. Bunge,titled: "The Capitalist Paradise of Canada".

SPECIAL FOR Northstar Compass

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE OF THE ALL-SLAVONIC CONGRESS

By Mirko Svoboda, C Sc Associate Professor, Doctor of Law and Doctor of Science Prague

The All-Slavonic Congress that took place just one vear ago, June 1998, was of major significance. The significance of the congress was not the fact that some 500 delegates from eleven Slav countries attended, bur rather in the subject matters that were dealt with. The documents agreed on at the congress confirm that the Slav movement today professes the development of cooperation in the best tradition of Slavonic mutuality amongst all the Slav nations. The congress criticized super power hegemony, all forms of racism and fascism, all unfair economic relations and the degradation of international relations.

The congress agreed on the establishment of an International Slav Committee and the reactivating of several national Slavic movements. There are many activities now in the planning stages. This summer a Festival of Slavonic Songs and Dances is to be held in the town of Vitebsk, Byelorussia. Α Conference to discuss antifascist struggle of Slav nations is to be held in Warsaw this year and in Moscow next year. There will be a gathering of Slav journalists in Moscow this fall. A Slavonic Youth Festival is to be held in Belgrade next year, if the conditions are favorable.

It is important to note that the present Slavic movement,



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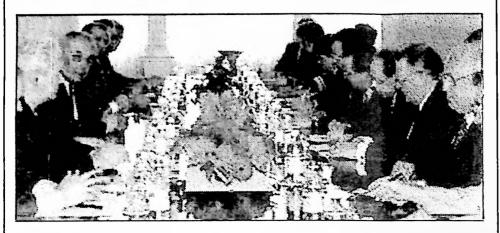
mutuality and solidarity has nothing in common with the Pan-Slavism of the past. This movement in its essence represented an idea for the realization which would have resulted in the unification of all Slavonic nations under the tutorship of Czarist Russia. The term "Pan-Slavism" has been used by the German, Austrian and Hungarian nationalists during the forties of the last century to accuse the Slavs of trying to build a Russian Empire. In the Czars Russia, the ideology of Pan-Slavism and expansionism gave voice to the bourgeoisie and the nobility in Russia at that time. Nevertheless this ideology was espoused only in certain periods during the nineteenth century during which time the struggle for Slav unity without creation of a definite center from which this struggle would be directed, was conceived in many Slav nations. The struggle to have a center for the direction of Slav Mutuality was at one time, for example, undertaken by Poland. Pan-Slavism has never enjoyed popular support. Pan-Slavism was also rejected in Soviet Union. It is a known fact that for example, J.V.Stalin, during a reception in 1944 for the visiting delegation from Czechoslovakia, headed by then President Eduard Benes, talked about new inter Slav relations. Stalin rejected out of hand any reference to Pan-Slavism. He described it as a Czarist policy of aggression which was responsible for a rise in mistrust amongst other nations as to its' intent. J.V.Stalin at that time stated that no such policy was part of the then inter Slav relations,

which originated as a defense German against aggression which was responsible for the unleashing of the Second World War. The Czarist policy of Pasn-Slavism was instrumental. according to Stalin, in the oppression of other Slavic nations, since its' purpose was to serve the great power politics of Czarist Russia. However, the policy of Soviet Union does not threaten the sovereignty and independence of other Slav nations. It must be understood that our Slav policy is that of a commonwealth of Slav nations in which all countries enjoy equal rights. No one nation's interests shall be made subordinate to the interest of another. asserted Stalin, in the book entitled: "Ceskoslovensko muj osud" written by Prokop Drtina and published in 1982 by Sixty-Eight Publishers Corp., Canada.

Pan-Slavism is a historically spent force and was therefore rejected by the All-Slavonic Congress that met last year in Prague. Today, Pan-Slavism is deliberately being utilized as an ideological tool to discredit Slavic unity and to sow mistrust.

The International Slav Committee and all national Slav organizations do not fit in very well with imperialist ambitions of power as enunciated by the United States of America and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. They assert the right to commit aggression in contravention of the United Nation's Charter and international law. In response to the criminal bombing of Yugoslavia by the NATO alliance, the Slav organizations have organized a series of public demonstrations and protests. These protests against this lawlessness will continue. Slav mutuality, solidarity, and Slavism is in this way gaining a more broader international significance. The destruction of Slav unity by the induction of NATO of Poland and the Czech Republic must also be opposed. \square

INTERNATIONAL NEWS



IF YOU DON'T SIGN...

According to the information received from Belgrade via Tanjung News Agency, the meeting that took place between Government of Milosevic and representatives of NATO -Chernomydrin of Russia and Marti Ahtisari of Finland, the meeting was not as Western press made it out to. It was not a meeting but an ultimatum!

As they were sitting around the table (as you can see by the photo) Chernomydrin and Ahtisari presented the ultimatum to Milosevic and the Yugoslav Government. Mr. Milosevic, after reading the ultimatum and it being conveyed to the Yugoslav side, asked: "What if we do not accept this ultimatum?" As if in concert, Chernomydrin and Ahtisari pushed the flower pot that was on the Conference table aside ands said:"Then Belgrade shall flattened inside a week as this table! There shall be over 500,000 Belgrade citizens dead!"

If this information is true (and knowing Chernomydrin and NATO stooges, we tend to believe it is true) then these two personages are nothing more than war criminals who shall eventually meet their deserved fate!

Photo from The Canadian Srbobran newspaper

IS MILOSEVIC ANOTHER HITLER?

BY GEORGE SHENKAR DETROIT, USA

For most Americans it is very difficult to believe that our "free press" and the "free TV and radio" would not be telling the truth to us. Experience has shown that this is indeed so, especially in times of war. In such a situation the media becomes a propaganda tool of the government, and all dissenting opinions are suppressed or buried under the avalanche of misinformation. "Repeat a lie often enough, and people will come to believe it."

The lies that were told during the Viet Nam war, and more recently during the Iraq war, are examples enough, yet people tend to forget. The present US-NATO war against Yugoslavia follows the same pattern: one-sided news reports, as well as the destruction of Belgrade TV and news facilities. And now the US information and intelligence services are moving to jam Yugoslav transmission on the Internet, the only medium that can still transmit news from Belgrade.

And so we are bombarded day-after-day with "ethnic cleansing" and "Milosevic is a Hitler". Nobody bothers to mention that was the first "ethnic cleansing" was used by Nazi-controlled Croatia in 1942-1945, during which some 700,000 Serbs were massacred.Nor do they mention that in 1955, 300,000 Serbs were driven out of Croatia with the approval of the USA. And nobody calculates how many Kosovo refugees are being "ethnically cleansed" and how many are desperately fleeing the destruction and death of US and NATO rockets and bombs.

Over 350 targets were hit in one 24 hour period!Could they be hitting Serb tanks and soldiers around Kosovo villages, forcing the Kosovo inhabitants to flee for their lives from the "collateral damage" into warfree areas like Albania and Macedonia, and yes, even into Montenegro and Serbia, where the bombs still often catch up with them?

Is Milosevic another Hitler?

Let's look at history. Modern Germany was only united in 1870, Yugoslavia in 1918. Hitler's Germany suffered defeat 75 years after union, in 1945. Yugoslavia was attacked 81 years after the union, in 1999. So there is a parallel.

Let us now rewrite the history of Germany to compare it to Yugoslavia. We must assume that Germany was not our enemy in W.W.I, but our ally, fighting against the vicious Austrian and Ottoman Empires. And then we must assume that in the economic crisis of the 1930's, Germany was being torn apart by nationalist opportunists with the assistance of the profit-seeking vultures from Germany's former allies. Hitler was elected president and desperately tried to keep the country from fallin all apart. First, Rhineland declared its independence, then Catholic Bavaria seperated from Protestant Germany. When Hanover and Westphalia threatened independence, war broke out. Protestants did not wish to secede from their German Motherland.Issue was settled when the U.S. and France threatened to bomb Germany, and a Treaty of Dayton was signed granting independence to Hanover-Westphalia-Hesse.

But it was not over. For years, the Czechs had been infiltrating Saxony. and pushing the Germans out, until that province had a Czech majority. They demanded independence with the ultimate aim of joining - The Greater Czechoslovakia.A Saxon Libcration Army (SLA) was formed with weapons and mercenaries from the US, Britain and Czechoslovakia. The SLA began provoking violence by shooting German policemen, and when the German army tried to restore order the violence exploded. The USA proposed a "peace plan". The German Army would leave Saxony, and US, British and French troops would occupy Saxony, violating the sovereignty of the then German Republic. In three years the "independence" in "free elections would be granted.

President Hitler could not agree to this liquidation and destruction of Germany. As a result, US planes began a merciless bombing of Berlin and all other German cities, their factories, bridges, water supplies. They also bombed the German armed forces in Saxony, and supplied the SLA units in Czechoslovakia with arms for incursions into Saxony. The bombing and fighting was so intense that hundreds of thousands of Saxons and Germans fled Saxony, for refuge in Czechoslovakia, Poland, Bavaria, and even Germany itself.

The US used this exodus to prove that the Germans were engaged in "killing, rape, and ethnic cleansing". They accused President Hitler of being another Lincoln, a US president who was responsible for 500,000 deaths in its stubborn attempt to keep the Southern Confederacy from seceding from the US, and for allowing his murderous army to burn Atlanta and to take part in Sherman's devastating March to the Sea.

But this is a historical fantasy, isn't it? This not the real history of Germany. If it was, Hitler would have been a great German hero in the cyes of the whole world. Yes, indeed, the equivalent of Abraham Lincoln, even though Lincoln is still not a hero in the South of USA.

But Germany was not falling disintegrating.. nor apart Germany, under Hitler was conquering all its neighbors, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Poland,, Yugoslavia, Greece, and the US, Britain, France allowed Hitler to do this. And refugees were not fleeing conquered lands. They had no place to go and Hitler collected Jews, Serbs and Poles and Russians and burned them, men, women and babies, in his crematoriums. And the US refused to open its doors to Jewish refugees, and sent them back to the ovens.

So, is Milosevic another Hitler or another Lincoln?

Let us think about it. Let's not "allow "repeated lies" to obstruct historical truth!!

NEWS FROM THE CZECH REPUBLIC

By George Hess

Postmark Praha (PP) reports that while the economy of this remnant of what used to be Socialist Czechoslovakia continues to decline, it's leaders continue to pay homage to their capitalist mentors without regard for the concerns of their electorate.

The paper points out that in May of this year the Czech Government adopted a National Employment plan to deal with the ever-increasing unemployment in the country. The plan will provide incentives to new investors, improvements in education to make graduates more employable policy with that of the European Union. However PP points out - unemployment which was virtually unknown before 1989 Velvet Revolution has as of March of this year reached 8.4% or 433,000 registered job seekers which does not include the 20 to 30 thousand people looking for work outside the labor office system. PP further points out that in Bohemia and Northern Moravia which are the worst hit sections of the Czech Republic, the unemployment has hit 16% and is expected to increase even further.

The administration of President Havel dubbed "the bloodstained humanist and the White House's parrot" continuos on its' policy of economic stagnation and pro-fascist posturing. Havels' police, reports the paper, used truncheons to break up a peaceful demonstration last May in central Prague, which was organized to stop neo-Nazi skinheads from crossing the Vltava river. The police then proceeded to escort Nazis to Peace Square with their Czech and German Imperial flags, this despite the fact that the Nazis had not obtained authorization for their march.

PP also reports that Czech Communist leaders intend to bring war crimes charges at the International Court in the Hague against U.S. President Clinton, British Prime Minister Blair, NATO secretarygeneral Solana and other instigators of the air strikes against Yugoslavia. PP points out that an ever-increasing number of Czechs oppose NATO's war of aggression against this small Balkan Republic. More than half of the delegates to the ruling Social Democratic Party's congress signed a letter to the Yugoslav Ambassador against the wishes of the party leadership that states, we quote: "Aggression is aggression and not a humanitarian effort"

It is little wonder that the lead story in the May issue of PP is headlined "Government by Scoundrels".



THE NEW RUSSIAN SOUL By BERNARD LIVINGSTON

Suddenly it's fashionable, To say naught of cash-inable, For U.S. to love things Russian.

Before, we claimed that now they had no Czar Russians lived in age of the trolley car. No one would touch things Russian. French, British, even Prussian-

Those were the cultures we sought;

Theirs were the things we bought.

Today, when there are no Soviet Unions And the land is now free of crime, We love their churches whose domes look like onions, And it's good to hear their bells chime.

Even blinces, or blinchiki,as Russians say, Are now stylish. Sure, in Soviet times, vodka Was always OK: not a bottle of Stolichnaya Failed to fetch a buyer.

But what if they go back to Stalin, As polls show that they might? Think we'd let that be without a fight, We who so love Democracy We let Yeltsin sell out to plutocracy?

No way! Democracy, to U.S.,means a few may have Mercedes, While millions sleep out under the pleides In stacks of dirty hay.

We'd sooner give up blinchiki, vodka and churches With domes that look like onions, Than see Stalin back to trample folks' bunions. And that goes, too, for Shostakovich. Rather than Dmitri, we'd go for Henderson, Skitch.

ARISE, YOU MIGHTY LAND!



"PEACEKEEPERS" WITH BOMBS

By FELIX GORELIK

With its beastly jaws wide open

NATO's forging its attack. Serbia's now to hell a threshold, Thanks to Clinton, Blair,

Cherac.

Bombs and rockets are exploding,

Uncontrolled, fall where they may,

Irrespective of the target; Convert to darkness a bright day.

In its jaws it wields great powers, But peoples' will it could not

break. It's destroyed much with war's progress Their goals people won't forsake.

Pity, there's no Soviet soldier To Put NATO in its place, To stop it from getting bolder, Wipe the smirk right off

its face.

To put an end to confrontation, To stop exile of refugees, To let the sun the world emblazon. There is no one to appease.

People, arise! Create an echo! Let it "peacekeepers" confuse! Let it block the road for NATO! So others is shall not abuse!

Translated by Alex Sturgeoff



We apologize for overlooked typos in the last issue of NSC. We'll try harder next time! Editorial Board



REVOLUTIONARY Demogracy

Half-yearly theoretical and political journal which is published in April and September in India. It contains materials on the problems facing the Communist movement particularly relating to Russia, China and India, the origins of modern revisionism, the restoration of capitalism in the USSR, developments in the international Communist movement.

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FIGURES AND FACTS

In the year 1998 the CIA spent \$26.7 billion dollars while in 1997 the figure was about the same.In the current fiscal year (1999) there obviously is a dramatic increase.The CIA is refusing to release its budget and is vigorously opposing a lawsuit which is seeking the information.

The figures quoted above were released under the "Freedom of Information Act Lawsuit" by the Federation of American Scientists.This refusal suggests an alarmingly huge increase in the CIA budget.,

Washington argues that revealing this information might cause damage to the national security, and would reveal intelligence sources and methods.

USA has at least 100,000 secret agents around the world plus "collaborators", plus more than 100 intelligence satellites peeping at our globe day and night, plus hundreds of information gathering stations in at least 120 countries.

To operate all of this the figure of \$26.7 billion is modest.Obviously there are other channels of funding this huge spy network.

*Estimated persons killed in Iraq due to American-led sanctions: OVER 1,000,000

*Estimated persons killed in Sudan over the past 15 years: OVER 1,500,000

*Estimated persons killed in Rwanda over the past five years: OVER 500,000

*Estimated people in the world who go to bed hungry: OVER 800,000,000 Compare what the expenses below would do to remedy the situation stated above:

*Cost of America's 21 B-2 bombers: \$42 BILLION *The whole of United Nations Organization budget is only 5% of the total budget of the US.

From magazine "Forward" Damascus, Syria 🛛

WHERE IS THE MONEY?

Yeltsin and his immediate family plus his closest friends are being accused of stealing over \$4.8 billion dollars which they received from the International Monetary Fund on August 14,1998.

According to the ongoing investigation by the Duma, \$2.5 billion was sent directly to the Bank of Sidney-Australia. The daughter of Yeltsin, Tatiana Diachenko owns 25% of this huge sum, \$1 billion 400 millions (U.S.) which was transferred to the National Westminster Bank in London. On August 17,1998 the Bank of New York received from the Yeltsin family \$780 million dollars as a deposit.

In the meantime the Swiss Bank received from the Yeltsin family \$270 million (Credit Swiss").

This is how the former member of the Politburo and Central Committee of CPSU performs his "democratic" duties in Russia, while being supported and abetted by the West.

Vladlen Rozenblum Ottawa, Canada

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80TH ANNIVERSARY Of RUSSIAN BOLSHEVIK RREVOLUTION

Celebration of event sponsored by the U.S.Friends of Soviet \$15.00 People(1999)

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RUSSIA SECRETS (160 min. \$25.00)

This award-winning video is based on actual footage done by cameramen, plus secret cameras that filmed the carnage of cannon and tank fire against the Supreme Soviet building (White House) and thousands of deaths in 1993. Film is in Russian only, but the graphics and story is so compelling that language is not a barrier. It is chilling, gruesome and this film will be used when the present traitors are brought to justice.

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