

Editorial

Paganomics under attack

It is becoming more and more clear that the 1992 "Earth Summit" planned to be held in Brazil next year, is by no means a guaranteed success in its design to impose eco-fascist policies globally. Opposition is growing throughout the developing sector to Anglo-American plans to reintroduce colonialism through an international agency mandated to "protect the environment."

In Brazil itself, the situation is particularly hot. The highest ranking officer, Chief of Staff of the Armed Forces Gen. Antonio Luíz Rocha Veneu, issued a statement complaining, "There are increasing signs of the First World wanting to interfere in the way Amazonia is being administered."

This was reported in the Sept. 15 London *Sunday Telegraph*, along with a statement by Brigadier Socrates Monteiro, chief of the Air Force, who was even more explicit. Monteiro called upon the Brazilian Congress to boost the military budget in order to defend the sovereignty of Amazonia at any expense.

This followed an outburst by Brazil's Environmental Secretary José Lutzenberger, who called his nation's military leaders "jerks" for opposing the planned supranational violation of Brazil's sovereignty.

Then, on Sept. 19, Brazilian congressmen intervened to call for the resignation of Secretary Lutzenberger. They cited evidence presented by *EIR's* journalist on the scene, Lorenzo Carrasco. This was immediately picked up by Brazil's leading national daily, *Folha de São Paulo*, which ran a six-column article headlined: "Congressional Investigation Commission Wants Lutzenberger's Resignation." They cited evidence given by Carrasco to the effect that Lutzenberger receives money from the pagan Gaia Foundation, a charge which the secretary denies.

Undaunted by the growing demand that he resign from office, Lutzenberger has escalated his attack upon nationalist forces by asserting that Brazil has no right to the Amazon. "Everything that is good on the planet," he said, "belongs to the whole world." Thus, he is on record admitting that he is willing to turn over a major

region of Brazil to foreign interests.

Of course, it has not escaped Brazilian nationalists that the bleeding-heart concern for the environment being expressed by Prince Phillip and the ecology crowd, is the perfect cover for a resource grab by multinationals that would come into the area under the protection of the supranational police force. This is precisely the model followed by the British Empire, for example, which exploited India while pretending to offer the Indians a higher civilization.

Ironically, one major feature of the Earth Summit is a violent attempt to defame the evangelization of the New World and the discovery of the Americas by Christopher Columbus.

Should the Earth Summit succeed, should patriotic Brazilians be forced to back down, there will be a cultural reversal of far more momentous consequences than a mere land grab. The Gaia Foundation and its backers, such as Britain's pagan Prince Phillip, intend to extirpate Christianity—not only from Brazil, not only from the developing sector, but from the face of the Earth.

This is an attack upon five hundred years of Western Christian civilization. This is the truth of George Bush's "new world order," which has already shown a more callous disregard for human life than even Hitler's evil regime. This is the kind of immorality which will admit to the burying alive of thousands of Iraqi soldiers, without apology, and is willing to starve Iraqi men, women, and children, condemning millions to death from hunger-related disease and the lack of adequate medical supplies.

The Earth Summit should not be allowed to occur, in Brazil or anywhere else. But that is not sufficient. The forces who planned this pagan monstrosity must be exposed and prevented from gaining success in imposing their imperial designs upon this globe. The exposure, and hopefully the forced resignation, of Secretary Lutzenberger will be a good first step in that direction.