## What is the role of the Swiss in the global spread of the AIDS pandemic

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The Swiss-based World Health Organization (WHO) is currently, and has been all along, running a global coverup of the real magnitude and story of AIDS, especially of the millions of cases in Africa and elsewhere in the Third World. The Swiss-based Red Cross not only grossly mishandled the protection of the world's blood supply from AIDS contamination. According to reliable sources the Swiss-based Red Cross also has direct knowledge of a grisly black market in "low-cost" blood supplies for budget-minded hospitals; the "low-cost" blood supplies have been taken from people in the AIDS Belt nations in Africa and then made available at "cut rate" prices to countries, especially in South America.

Furthermore, the Swiss-based pharmaceutical corporations have notoriously refused to put any significant resources into basic AIDS research—a fact which has been publicly alluded to by leading American AIDS scientists. Finally, the Swiss-based Bank for International Settlements (BIS) is the premier institution in the world coordinating the imposition of the massive austerity conditions which are the breeding grounds for disease propagation.

In late September, the WHO announced that it would deploy the resources to prepare a program to coordinate research and information-gathering on AIDS on a world-wide basis, and expects to have the outlines of the program ready by the end of the year. WHO is not considering any effort on public health measures, but only coordination of the research program. WHO intends to "look at the problem from a purely epidemiological point of view," said Dr. Fakhry Assaad, chief of the Communicable Disease division.

WHO's accountant's "trick" is to only report disease statistics released from the governments in question. Therefore, if a government refuses to announce statistics for political reasons (such as Ethiopia did on cholera early in 1985), or because it does not know, WHO will report to the world with cherubic expression that such and such a nation does not gravely suffer from the disease in question.

Dr. Assaad claims that AIDS should not be compared to a plague. "This is a disease a man or woman has to try to get; it doesn't come from casual exposure." The agency will seek to move into regions like Asia, Central Africa, and Latin America where no facilities yet work with the WHO. As

Assaad bragged to EIR, their intention will be to deliberately divert attention from any hypotheses and actions which are based on the view that it is necessary to raise the nutritional levels and reverse the IMF-caused economic collapse conditions in those areas in order to reverse the spread of AIDS.

The last week of September, WHO convened a special meeting on AIDS in Geneva, the principal intent of which was to try to stuff the breaking story on the magnitude of the African pandemic back under the lid:

- The Geneva WHO meeting chairman stressed that AIDS bore no comparison with the great plagues of the Middle Ages, and that there was no evidence it could be spread through casual contact.
- According to an account of the meeting appearing in Italy's La Repubblica newspaper Sept. 26, WHO General-Director Haldfar von Mahler reported that he had been in Lusaka, Zambia, two weeks earlier, and had advised Africans, at the time, "not to pay excessive attention to AIDS.... Even though it is terrible and dangerous, it does not spread like wildfire." He also insisted that Africans were, by and large, immune to AIDS.

## The Swiss health cartel

The lives of billions of people worldwide are in the hands of a tiny network of organizations centered in Geneva, Zurich, Basel, and Lausanne, Switzerland, the host nation for the Bank for International Settlements (BIS). In addition to their notorious narcotics and other "hot cash" black-market activities, the Swiss also control the world health cartel, the world food cartel, and the world's blood supply.

Merely within the global public health domain these organizations include: 1) the International Red Cross; 2) the World Health Organization; 3) the world's pharmaceuticals-industry cartel.

The pharmaceutical cartel includes the megafirms a) **Merck**; b) **Hoffmann-LaRoche**; c) **Ciba-Geigy**; d) **Sandoz**.

In 1943, the Swiss pharmaceutical corporation Sandoz A.G. was the first laboratory in the world to synthesize lycergic acid diethylamide—the notorious LSD which destroyed a significant portion of a generation of Western youth. During World War II, the Swiss pharmaceutical magnate

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Felix Iselin's front company I.G. Chemie, in partnership with I. G. Farben, developed and produced Zyklon-B, the deadly gas which was used to kill millions of people in Hitler's concentration camps.

In addition to the pharmaceutical cartel, the Swiss coordinate the world food cartel. Since the basis of all resistance to disease is the nutritional market-basket people consume, the Swiss control of the world grain cartel is by no means irrelevant. The Swiss-based grain megafirms include: a) Cargill (Tradex) of Geneva; b) Continental of Geneva; c) Louis Dreyfus of Zurich; d) Bunge of Zurich; e) André of Lausanne.

The Swiss health and food cartels are the major instruments through which the *megabankers* of international finance and the Bank for International Settlements enforce their avowed policy commitment to drastically reduce the world's population. Their view is that the world economy is in crisis because the Earth is "overpopulated" and resources are "scarce and limited." They operate on the Swiss low-population-density model, and seek to impose brutal population reduction programs in Africa, Asia, and South America, especially. By reducing the number of mouths to feed, various nations could reckon their debt service accounts to the international financial institutions such as the IMF and World Bank.

## The Red Cross

The Red Cross has emerged into prominent focus on two accounts:

- 1) As controllers of the Food and Relief Station camps in Africa which were administered as "disease propagation" extermination camps; the notorious case of the death march from the Red Cross controlled *Ibnet* camp in Ethiopia is only one such instance;
- 2) The malfeasance in allowing AIDS-contaminated blood to poison the blood supplies of various nations.

Switzerland has a long history of administering so-called Hospitaler Orders for suspect purposes.

The Venetian and Genoese noble families in the 15th and 16th centuries began to use Switzerland as a "fortress state" for the global operations of their family funds (fondi). Their networks began in Venice and Trieste—centered on the Island of St. George Major in Venice—and prominently included the Venetian-Genoese "Lombard" family funds which were run through Geneva and Lausanne. Geneva emerged as a major banking and trading center for the Italian oligarchical families. Later, it became the germinating center of John Calvin's operations.

Switzerland evolved into one of the principal nexus points for opposition to the Augustinian concept of the *filioque*, the bedrock of Western civilization. The *filioque* is the notion emphasizing that man contains the "living divine spark" of his Creator—that each man, as the son of God, is both divine and human. The opposition to this conception historically

has been centered in an alliance between the cults of *Gnosticism* and the Eastern Orthodox Church, now centered in Russia.

One of the principal instruments which the Gnostic oligarchical families utilized as a battering ram against republicanism and the *filioque* movement was the so-called "hospitaler orders." The most notorious such order is the Sovereign Military Order of Malta. The Knights Hospitalers were members of the military-religious Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, which grew out of a hospital established in the 11th century as part of the Crusades. Reconstituted as an explicitly military order, it emerged as a bastion of oligarchical wealth and power with subsumed preceptories all over Europe. Its knights abused the name of Christianity to, in fact, promote anti-Christian cultism and Gnosticism.

The anti-Christian island center for Gnosticism, the Roman Emperor Tiberius's island of Capri, provides a continuity of violent anti-Christian operations since the time of Christ. The Knights of Rhodes dominated the Mediterranean, and, in 1530, Emperor Charles V gave them the island of Malta against the Turks. The Knights of the White Cross (so named because of their white cross on their black robes) carried on their intensive operations in the guise of charitable work.

Thus, it is by no means coincidental that today, Bishop Paul Moore of St. John the Divine in New York is one of the leading American officials fighting to prevent the implementation of emergency public health measures to stop the spread of AIDS. Under the cover of so-called good and charitable works, these orders carry out such evil.

In fact, this was the explicit model for the establishment of the Red Cross in 1863 in Geneva—as it became clear to the European oligarchy that Abraham Lincoln was resolute in militarily wiping out the feudal slavocracy in America. The Swiss banker Henri Dunant traveled through Europe under the auspices of Prince Charles, Grand Master of the Order of St. John. In October of 1863, sixteen states sent delegates to the founding convention in Geneva. They agreed to establish on their own territories private societies, linked with each other and capable of working as auxilliaries to the medical services. They agreed to provide diplomatic immunity and guarantee of safety at the sign of the Red Cross. The conference stated its own real purpose: to conduct intelligence operations without being "suspected of espionage or intention other than the purely charitable and Christian object of their work."

The nefarious history of the Red Cross, including their intimate collaboration with the Soviets against U.S. interests in this century, has been documented in a feature report entitled, "Pandemics and Oligarchism: The Case of the Swiss Health Cartel" published in *New Solidarity*, June 14, 1985.

At minimum, the individuals and institutions of the Swiss health cartel are strictly guilty of the crime of genocide, since they knew or should-have-known that mass murder of populations has been the direct result of policies they promoted.