

Kissinger Watch by M.T. Upharsin

A well-deserved 'pound of flesh'

April 23, is the day traditionally celebrated as the birth-date of William Shakespeare. The great bard, whose *Merchant of Venice* is perhaps the most poignant comment on usury in the English language, would undoubtedly regard his birthday as having been appropriately recognized during a certain incident in New York this year, involving one of the more insidious representatives of the "Shylock Syndrome" alive today: Dr. Henry A. Kissinger.

In the first days of April, an apparently disloyal member of the Kissinger Associates inner circle had leaked the information, that Kissinger Associates would be having its private biannual international board of directors meeting, in New York City, on April 23.

The meeting therefore drew unaccustomed—and from Henry Kissinger's standpoint, unexpected and unwanted—interest and attention.

Chroniclers will one day detail the full array of events on that day, at the River Club on New York's East Side. Suffice it to say, that we have learned, that the following episode occurred during the late morning of April 23:

Henry Kissinger and approximately a dozen intimates were engrossed in discussion. It was all hush-hush; the public would only learn one day later, in a "Page Six" gossip item in the April 24 *New York Post*, that Kissinger Associates had been awarded a \$100,000 "consulting" contract with Shearson AmEx, on top of the \$200,000 the firm was already receiving from Shearson AmEx's Shearson

Lehman subsidiary. Perhaps discussions were centering around how Henry could shield himself from Shearson AmEx/Shearson Lehman's recent woes in Philadelphia, where the investment house's office was raided by federal authorities on the track of drug-related dirty money.

In any case, the gathering was shocked when two individuals representing Helga Zepp-LaRouche's Schiller Institute marched into the room.

Total silence prevailed in the room for 30 seconds. At that point, a nervous Fat Henry shot out, "What are you doing here?" "What are *you* doing here?" a Schiller rep shot back. She then displayed a pound of very red meat to the dismayed group, informing Dr. K that this "pound of flesh" was his deserved gift, in recognition of his role in bleeding debt-ridden countries to death.

She itemized Dr. K's crimes, in having created conditions for plague and mass death in Africa, and generalized economic collapse around the world. The Kissinger circle reacted slowly, before the Schiller rep was escorted out of the room.

Target: Bellagio

Charges that the Kissinger Mafia is involved in genocide in Africa are amply proven by the recent creation of a so-called "Committee on African Development Strategies," co-chaired by KissAss President Lawrence Eagleburger and former U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations Donald McHenry; funded by the Rockefeller Foundation, and directed out of the offices of the New York Council on Foreign Relations, and the Washington, D.C. Overseas Development Council. All of these organizations have been involved in projects for genocide in Africa before, such as the

"Africa Group" of the CFR's "Project 1980s" under the direction of Cyrus Vance.

One example of the genocidal views of the prospective Bellagio participants is that of Carol Lancaster, director of the African Studies Program at the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service and former trainee at the London School of Economics. Speaking before the Congressional Banking Committee on April 18, Lancaster said, "Painful economic adjustments have to be made in Africa, and if the IMF does it, we will have to bear the burden of blame. . . . To put it bluntly, let them take the rap."

This "Committee" will be having its first international gathering at the private Rockefeller family estate in Bellagio, Italy, from May 10 to 12. Other scheduled pro-IMF participants include:

Winston Lord, former Kissinger aide, National Security Council, expected next U.S. Ambassador to China; Nicholas deB Katzenbach, IBM Corporation, former U.S. Attorney-General; Katharine Graham, the madam of the *Washington Post*; Robert S. Browne, African Studies Professor, Howard University; U.S. Association for the Club of Rome member; former U.S. State Department representative to the African Development Bank; Congressman Mickey Leland, Texas; Mayor Thomas Bradley, Los Angeles; Randall Robinson, director, TransAfrica Corporation; Chester Crocker, State Department Undersecretary for African Affairs; Peter McPherson, director of the U.S. Agency for International Development; Paul Fribourg, Continental Grain; William Raspberry, pro-drug-legalization columnist, *Washington Post*; Senator John Danforth, Missouri; Bruce Llewellyn, Philadelphia office, Coca-Cola Corporation; Jesse Hill, Jr., Atlanta Life Insurance Co.