

Italian economic situation means that NATO is to be deployed to administer austerity among member nations?" Initially Luns sought to avoid the issue by appealing to the backward attitudes of other reporters. But when pressed in particular on Eurotraitor Schmidt's role in sabotaging the Italian economy, Luns became serious. He conceded that Atlanticism does not mean that deep differences do not exist among the Europeans and added that economic disaster would have serious consequences for NATO. Luns concluded by remarking knowingly in regard to Schmidt, "I think you will find that the Germans and the Italians are getting on better now."

NATO Software: Social Control

While Luns acknowledged the hard cop role that NATO will be playing in stepping up economic disaster, Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau revealed the alliance's soft cop role. In his opening speech to the assembled ministers he called for the **non-military**

expansion of NATO — expansion of its social and psychological control mechanisms.

Although downplayed during the two days of meetings, NATO's low-intensity preparations have always been a priority for the Tavistock-conditioned Canadians. The Committee on the Challenges of Modern Society (CCMS), a standing committee of NATO, coordinates NATO's operations in social conditioning, pollution control, psychological warfare, and related areas. The day following the conference, the U.S. and Canada announced a joint treaty on pollution control of inland waterways. Canada has recently served as the test nation in a just-completed pilot project study of this very problem conducted by CCMS. In NATO's terms pollution control means the effective use of oil slicks and other disasters in low-intensity population control operations. And July 1 NATO is convening a conference of 60 or so carefully selected pro-Rockefeller psychiatrists at Carleton University in Ottawa.

Nato Social Controllers to Confer in Ottawa

OTTAWA, June 29 (IPS)— Under the auspices of NATO, a small select group of social psychologists from Western Europe, the United States, and Canada will converge on Carleton University here next week to hatch plans for creating the psychological conditions necessary to complement the fascist military and economic programs which NATO representatives thrashed out at their conference here June 19. As the deliberately vague literature of the psychologists group puts their mission: "It is now time to go beyond general criticisms and to contribute, in theory and method, to new developments in specified substantive areas."

The conference, sponsored by the Human Factors panel of NATO, the Ford and Rockefeller-funded Canada Council, and Carleton University, is being

organized by Lloyd Strickland of Carleton, a member of the Kurt Lewin-founded SPSSI (Society of Psychological Study of Social Issues). A second organizer is H. Taffel of England's Tavistock-linked Bristol University Psychology Department.

Other infamous brainwashers scheduled to attend the conference included French autogestion theoretician Claude Fauchox; John Lanzetta of Dartmouth, whose specialty is modifying the behavior of U.S. Air Force personnel; and Harry Triandis, an SPSSI officer who specializes in psychological profiles of his fellow Greeks.

Organizers from the North American Labor Party will be there to expose the criminal nature of this gathering of NATO social-control experts.