

Bosnian, Croatian patriots set up a Nuremberg for the British Empire

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The package that we present below illustrates in a unique way the situation on the "Bosnian front." The moral and strategic question is: Will the world be able to escape the plunge into World War III? Or rather: Are the geopoliticians who gave us Hitler, Nazism, the Jewish Holocaust, and World War II, now going to give us a triumphant Slobodan Milosevic, a hegemonic Greater Serbia, a final holocaust for Bosnia, and a third world war?

Insiders in former Yugoslavia noted in conversations with *EIR* the sickening similarity between the attitude of Great Britain during the Nazi period—when the British oligarchy and its secret services did everything to prevent and repress an effective resistance against Nazism, to the point of exposing its leaders to Hitler—and the attitude of the same oligarchists toward the Greater Serbians. Had anyone in the 1930s stood up and succeeded in pushing nations and institutions not only to stop the Nazis but especially their British puppet masters, history might have been different.

Something comparable to such missed interventions against the "puppet masters" took place on Nov. 15, when the government of Bosnia announced that it had decided to sue Great Britain for complicity in genocide! This courageous and honorable decision, taken by the Bosnians while their decimated population has been attacked ferociously by "General Winter," must be supported by any decent country or institution. Bosnia is not just fighting for itself. By resisting partition and by pointing its dying finger at the British oligarchs, it is giving the world a chance to resist the otherwise inevitable.

As if to underline how right the Bosnians are, that same day the British psychiatrist and "mediator," David Owen, in a speech in the city of Harrogate, announced that his divide and conquer strategy had almost reached the desired point and thus it was time to abandon the victims of that huge concentration camp called Bosnia to their fate. "Let us not forget we are feeding the warriors, *we are interfering with the dynamics of war* . . . becoming more and more unjustified as it becomes a battle for smaller and smaller elements of territory, smaller elements of principles.

"There will come a moment when the world community will have to decide how long we can sustain intervention. You have to realize that they [the peoples of former Yugoslavia] are still intent on fighting each other."

The fact that Owen was formally called to go to former Yugoslavia to end the aggression of the Greater Serbians against Croats and Bosnians has been arrogantly forgotten. His false guarantees to the victims were thrown in the garbage long ago. Owen has managed to push Croats to fight Bosnians and Bosnians to fight Croats. The regime of Franjo Tudjman in Croatia has gone along with the British desires, only to find itself all set for the chopping block prepared by the same oligarchists he tried to please. Even more tragic, by accepting the partition of Bosnia, Croatia risks "losing its soul," as detailed by a "Call to the Croats" that is circulating in America and Europe (p. 43).

It was British intelligence, the infamous MI-6, as denounced by the Croatian press before the latter was gagged by a brutal intervention of the British embassy in Zagreb, that started the war among the Bosnian and Croatian victims. A Croatian Bosnian leader, Zeliko Milicevic, explained recently to an audience of diplomats from Muslim countries how the *divide et impera* of the British Empire works (p. 45). Mr. Milicevic, a Croatian and a Catholic, explained the need for the Muslim countries to be united against the new world order. That speech is quite a blow to the "religious war" scenario sponsored by the Greater British.

The role of the British and their intelligence services in Bosnia was denounced in an interview to the Croatian daily *Vjesnik* on Nov. 8, by a leader of the European Parliament, the German Doris Pack (p. 42).

The Archbishop of Zagreb, Cardinal Franjo Kuharic, wrote a dramatic letter to the secretary general of the United Nations, Boutros Boutros-Ghali, "You are a key to stop killing of innocent civilians" (p. 44). It illustrates the results of the Owen strategy in Bosnia. The situation, especially in central Bosnia, is out of control. This is the area where the British Cheshire Brigade is deployed, the special troops trained in psychological warfare and normally deployed in Northern Ireland as "anti-terrorist" forces. They are trained in local control, provocations, gang-countergang operations, and the whole Pandora's box of bestial tricks contrived by the Tavistock Institute of London, the British Empire's psywar center.

What will the future bring: the victory of the Tavistock's Nazi Doctors; or a Nuremberg trial where the instigators will be finally unmasked and punished?

Bosnia to sue U.K. for genocide

Text of a "Statement of Intention by the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina to issue legal proceedings against the United Kingdom before the International Court of Justice."

Nov. 15—Today, the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina hereby states our solemn intention to institute legal proceedings against the United Kingdom before the International Court of Justice for violating the terms of the 1948 Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide; of the 1965 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination; and of the other sources of general international law set forth in Article 28 of the World Court's Statute. We have already issued formal instructions to that effect to our Attorneys-of-Record before the World Court. They are currently drafting an Application and a Request for Provisional Measures against the United Kingdom. We have instructed our lawyers to file these papers with the World Court as soon as physically possible. In the meantime, we hereby reserve all of our international legal rights against the United Kingdom.

I

Both the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina and the United Kingdom are contracting parties to the 1948 Genocide Convention. Article IX of the Genocide Convention provides as follows: "Disputes between the Contracting Parties relating to the interpretation, application or fulfillment of the present Convention, including those relating to the responsibility of State for genocide or for any of the other acts enumerated in Article III, shall be submitted to the International Court of Justice at the request of any of the parties to the dispute."

We will sue the United Kingdom for violating the following provisions of the Genocide Convention, *inter alia*:

First, in our Application and Request to the World Court, we will charge that the United Kingdom has failed in their affirmative obligation and refused "to prevent" genocide against the People and State of Bosnia and Hercegovina in violation of Article I of the Genocide Convention, which provides as follows: "The Contracting Parties confirm that genocide, whether committed in the time of peace or in time

of war, is a crime under international law which they undertake to prevent and to punish."

Second, in our Application and Request to the World Court, we will charge that the United Kingdom has illegally imposed and maintained an arms embargo upon the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina in violation of U.N. Charter Article 51 while acting in its capacity as a Permanent Member of the United Nations Security Council. The United Kingdom has also aided and abetted the ongoing genocide against the People and State of Bosnia and Hercegovina by actively opposing all of the efforts by other States to "lift" this illegal arms embargo.

For these reasons, we will charge that the United Kingdom has violated Article III, paragraph (e) of the Genocide Convention that expressly prohibits "complicity in genocide." The legal basis for this charge has been developed at length by Judge *ad hoc* Elihu Lauterpacht in his Separate Opinion attached to the World Court's Order of 13 September 1993 in the Case Concerning Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide (*Bosnia and Hercegovina v. Yugoslavia* [Serbia and Montenegro]), which is currently pending.

Finally, in our Application and Request to the World Court, we will charge that the United Kingdom is both jointly and severally liable for all of the harm that has been inflicted upon the People and State of Bosnia and Hercegovina because the United Kingdom is an aider and abettor to genocide under the Genocide Convention and international criminal law.

In drafting these legal pleadings for the World Court, and during the course of the subsequent proceedings, our lawyers will also name and implicate other Member States of the U.N. Security Council that have supported this illegal arms embargo in violation of U.N. Charter Article 51, as aiders and abettors to genocide against the People and State of Bosnia and Hercegovina. We will not sue these other States at this time.

We also serve notice upon all of the more than 100 Contracting Parties to the Genocide Convention that each and every one of them has a solemn legal and moral obligation "to prevent" the commission of genocide in and against the People and State of the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina as required by Article I.

II

Both the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina and the United Kingdom are also contracting parties to the 1965 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination. Article 22 thereof provides as follows: "Any dispute between two or more States Parties over the interpretation or application of this Convention, which is not settled by negotiation or by the procedures expressly provided for in this Convention, shall at the request of any of the parties to the dispute be referred to the International Court

of Justice for decision, unless the disputants agree to another mode of settlement.”

The United Kingdom has promoted options, ostensibly as solutions to the aggression against the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina, that are inconsistent with the terms of this treaty.

This Statement will be circulated to all Members of the United Nations Organization, and will also be filed with the International Court of Justice.

Europarlamentarian Doris Pack

‘British politicians desire a strong Serbia’

Doris Pack, the vice president of the European Parliament Commission for Relations with Republics of Former Yugoslavia, is a member of a group of parliamentarians from Christian Democratic parties, and president of the Frankfurt Institute for Southeastern Europe which carries out research and studies on legal reforms.

The following interchange is translated from an interview she granted to the Zagreb newspaper Vjesnik on Nov. 8. Just before the portion excerpted here, she implied in the interview that other members of the commission were not truly neutral.

Q: Does it mean that British politicians think like this: When Croatia liberates its occupied territories and becomes completely free and safe, then Germany is the one capable of investing money, and thus it would be able through its invested capital to create a political influence in the South of Europe, cut Europe in two parts, and achieve a control and a domination of Europe?

Pack: I cannot confirm to you what British politicians think, but I think they want to have great power in the Balkans. This means they want a strong Serbia, to provide a preventive bulwark against any possible German policies. All that they had done—for example, they provided EC negotiators like Lord Carrington—was not for the EC, since Carrington was not an EC negotiator, since the EC cannot decide anything on its own, he was a negotiator appointed by the third party (the United Nations), but he was really a British negotiator. I have said many times that such a negotiator is not a good representative, because he was on the Serbian side. It was the same thing with the Vance-Owen plan; that was not a

plan that could have been achieved. We lost a lot of time listening to the British, but even the French are not far from London. We Germans also made a mistake, because we had been forcing the recognition of these states and then we left you alone. I asked my government, why? Why aren't we trying to help you become a democratic state as soon as possible? Why don't we help Tudjman to play the game better? Do you know that many politicians compare Tudjman to Milosevic. They say he is a Ustashi without being aware that he was in jail, and that he was fighting against the Ustashi. That's how much misunderstanding and confusion there is!

Q: How does Britain create that influence, that way of thinking, not only here in the European Parliament but also more broadly in Europe?

Pack: I'd like to ask you where do you think the secret services of former Yugoslavia, KOS (Military Counter-Intelligence) and UDB-a (State Secret Police) are right now? These were very powerful and capable organizations. They are operating, but you don't see them; for a long time nothing could be heard about them, and you would think they do not exist any more, but I am certain they exist and operate in Croatia, even in your system. I think they have very good cooperation with other secret services.

Q: Does that mean that Yugoslav secret services work with British intelligence?

Pack: I think it is quite possible. I have no proofs of that, but it is very probable. I think there are contacts, and that they are capable of doing what they are told. . . .

Q: It appears that Croatia fell into a British negotiating trap. First they advised Tudjman to try and negotiate with Milosevic about the termination of the war. When Tudjman started negotiating with him they planted the information that he should reach an agreement on the division of Bosnia and Hercegovina. Are these not dirty tricks?

Pack: Yes, these are dirty tricks. But in my opinion Tudjman made a mistake by accepting the division of Bosnia and Hercegovina. This was and remains Milosevic's goal.

For this mistake Croatia has already paid an enormous price by losing the victim status and the sympathy of the world media, which had been up to then on the side of Croatia. The sympathy of the world media is a very effective weapon. There is a danger that Croatia will pay a much bigger price. Now they say: If this has been accepted in Bosnia and Hercegovina, why should it not be acceptable for Croatian territories under Serbian occupation? To accept a Serbian occupation of a part of Bosnia and Hercegovina and support that by the partitioning of Bosnia and Hercegovina is just a small step from accepting the occupation of Croatian territories by the Serbs. . . .

'Final call to Croats to reclaim their heritage'

The following quotes are from a document circulating among Croatian circles both in Europe and America. The appeal calls for resisting the destruction of the newly liberated country in the only way possible: going back to the principles that created Croatia as a nation.

This time as almost never before, we Croats must realize that the sacrifice has not stopped, that whether we want it or not we will be sacrificed further. We have only two choices: to smash the history of Croats to pieces and sell out our heritage or return to our ancestral ways of justice and preserve her eternal beauty and stand unashamed under her eternal gaze.

British or (Anglo-American) geopolitics, that have permeated influential circles of western governments, are playing an extremely important role with respect to Croatia and the Balkans. Britain herself has not been able to eradicate historical documents that expose her geopolitical games; there are documents in existence proving how Serbia was chosen in the 19th century to be the U.K.'s watchdog in the Balkans. In the same vein, Croatia, with its tendency towards economic and cultural ties with central Europe is an opponent to these geopolitical plans; thus Croatia must stay subordinated to the British watchdog.

Current Croatian leaders, starting with President Tudjman, have chosen to play games of their own, thinking that as long as they go along with the geopolitical line, they are "safe." The results of this choice can already be seen in Croatia: the isolation, nihilism, cynicism, impotence, loss of identity, moral self-destruction, and, as a consequence, the physical destruction of Croatia.

Tudjman has participated in the destruction of Croatia by accepting the diktats of Owen, the British, and the Hercegovinian lobby.

The Hercegovinian lobby, as exemplified by its main exponents—Gojko Susak, Ante Beljo, Mate Boban and co.—have nothing in common with the interests and the defense of the Croats of Hercegovina, or especially central Bosnia. Quite the contrary, that lobby precipitated the main goals of the British geopoliticians, by alienating Croatia from its most natural allies and friends—Bosnians, Austrians, Germans, and others.

The true strength of Croatia is its adherence to principles of natural law, to our Christian roots. The secret of why the

Croatian culture resisted for so long among so many powerful enemies is its ability to draw strength from taking such a moral stand. This was exemplified by our Croatian youth, who, practically unarmed—thanks to Tudjman's politics and the Hercegovinian lobby—successfully defended their homeland against a terrifying force of the Greater Serbians. But the imitation of the behavior of our enemies always leads to terrible consequences. Cardinal Stepinac had recognized this, when warning the Pavelic government (and its Hercegovinian wing) against using the extremist methods against the people, regardless of their religious beliefs. Cardinal Kuharic recognized this when he warned Mate Boban and the Hercegovinian lobby against imitating the crimes of their enemies. When we forget these warnings, we are destroyed from the inside, and Croatia becomes weakened even before being physically attacked.

Following the policies of the Hercegovinian lobby, Bosnia will be partitioned. If Bosnia is partitioned, what will save Croatia from the same destiny? . . .

It is imperative to proceed with exposés post haste; it could already be too late! However, the truth—if it is the whole truth—has a force of its own, the truth is the basis to mobilize the moral, and thus, the physical energies of a nation that follows natural law. On the opposite side, in a country—or empire—dominated by a dictatorship, in which the people have already been broken, the way to mobilize them is through lies, chauvinism, demagoguery, and hate. This historically has been the difference between Croatian patriots and Greater Serbians.

As the recent case of the peace accord between Israel and the Palestine Liberation Organization shows, the salvation of Croatia lies in the necessity for a global economic development plan which must reestablish a principle of reality in the relations among countries in central Europe. . . . We must support the economic development plans for central Europe and for the world that have been, in the recent period, formulated by the American economic scientist and (geo) political prisoner Lyndon LaRouche. LaRouche improved upon the so-called American System of Economy, which in turn is based on Leibniz's principles of physical economy, as well as the teachings of the French École Polytechnique during the times of Carnot and Monge. It is essential for us Croats to assimilate these economic principles and develop our own experts and expertise in them. The economic development standpoint is the true measure of establishing who the friends of Croatia actually are.

We must foster the agreement among the three great religions and establish a common search for truth. We cannot condone ethnic partition and Muslim apartheid in Bosnia. We Croats, Christian and Catholic, not only cannot descend to the level of the pagan beast but have a historical responsibility to help other peoples and countries. If we fail to do this, we will lose the most precious part of ourselves: our soul.

Cardinal Kuharic: U.N. must act on side of life

Cardinal Dr. Franjo Kuharic, the Archbishop of Zagreb, wrote a detailed message to U.N. Secretary General Boutros Boutros-Ghali on Nov. 11, in which he detailed the plight of the Croats in Central Bosnia, and urged the secretary general "to use all your strength on the side of life."

Cardinal Kuharic particularly pleaded for help for a hospital in Nova Bila that was set up a year ago by physicians and Franciscan friars:

"Today this is the only hospital for 70,000 people with 10 physicians doing the work which should in normal circumstances be accomplished by 170 physicians. They have no supply of food, drugs medical equipment, transport for patients or medical personnel. . . . Large organizations like UNHCR and ICRC have not been backed up by Unprofor to perform their very basic duty of ensuring the right of hospitals to help people in need."

Cardinal Kuharic's letter was released by the Christian Information Service, Zagreb. Excerpts follow:

Dear Secretary General,

In these tragic times for peoples of Croatia and Bosnia and Hercegovina, permit me to call your attention to our suffering and our needs. You are a key to stop killing and suffering of innocent civilians. I beg you to use all your strength on the side of life.

Since the existence of the Croatian people as a nation and from the very beginning of Christianity in Europe, Central Bosnia has been one of its cultural centers. At the same time, it is a historical and existing region of Croatian life. It is impossible to say when Croats arrived here, because they have been there since the beginning of their known existence.

The central question today is whether they will be allowed to live there with their nation and faith respected and preserved, or will the winter of 1993 be remembered as a year of genocide of Croats in Central Bosnia?

Before the present war, about a third of all Croats of Bosnia and Hercegovina had lived in Central Bosnia. Since the beginning of the war, 153 Croatian towns and villages in Central Bosnia have been destroyed, occupied and ethnically transformed. At least 120,000 Croats have had to leave their homes, 40,000 becoming refugees and 80,000 displaced. More than 1,000 civilians have been killed, more than 200 brutally massacred. More than 50 children have been killed.

All of this happened during the conflict which begun with aggression on Bosnia and Hercegovina in 1992, ethnic cleansing, destruction of villages, concentration camps, and rapes.

The international community did not find the strength to stop the destruction of human dignity and genocide in the heart of Europe. The tragedy continued through the conflict between Muslims and Croats: a conflict of victims, with the victims of yesterday creating new victims of today.

The Croatian population in central Bosnia presently live in four enclaves: Kicoljak-Kresovo, Vitez-Busovaoa-Novi Travnik, Zepoe, and Usora. There are 150,000 people in these small, besieged enclaves. Half of them are displaced Croats from other parts of Central Bosnia; 40% are women and 20% children; 10,000 (5.6%) are the sick and 1,500 (1%) are the wounded.

Up until the beginning of November, there was also the enclave of Vares, with 25,000 Croats. Among them were 11,000 displaced, 8,000 women, 5,000 children and 3,000 sick. Their fate is presently unknown, because the enclave yielded to Muslim attacks. The people wander between life and death in improvised camps and mountain roads of Central Bosnia.

People in the other three enclaves are surrounded by armies trying to displace them from their homes, destroy their right of life in the region, to perform "ethnic cleansing," or in the language of human beings, to perform genocide. The enclaves have no contact between each other or the other parts of Bosnia and Hercegovina. People live under daily military attacks, in such small geographic areas where it is possible to shoot people from the siege line with a simple rifle.

The international community is unable to provide them with regular supply of basic requirements. Food, water, medical and other help is insufficient. The entire area is completely unprepared for the coming winter. Religious services cannot be held, schools do not work, regular hospital or medical services are not available.

Thousands of Croats live under occupation or in prison camps. There is no consensus of their number and their condition is not monitored. . . .

Bosnia is not a place of ethnic or religious conflict but of conflict between evil and good. It is not a reservation for the world to watch the death, but a test of humanity for all mankind, especially the United Nations and, above anybody else, you, Mr. Secretary General. There is no way we can give up on Bosnia. Bosnia is in every room of every family of the western world.

The world did not know much about the concentration camps of the '30s and '40s; yet it knew enough to bear the responsibility. Today everybody knows about the enclaves of Bosnia and Hercegovina and, finally, the death of innocent civilians and children cannot be hidden. There can be no lifting of responsibility.

A step in the ecumenical dialogue to save Bosnia

On Oct. 27, Zeliko Milicevic was invited to address the monthly meeting of the ambassadors of the Organization of the Islamic Countries (OIC) in Ottawa. His topic was the crisis in Bosnia-Herzegovina, entitled "The Big Picture." He was invited by the Malaysian representative. Mr. Milicevic is a Canadian citizen, an ethnic Croatian, and a Catholic born in Bosnia. Thus his intervention before this important Islamic group marks a unique moment in the ecumenical dialogue to save Bosnia. As a leader of the Bosnian and Croatian community in Canada, he has played an active role in efforts to stop the aggression, first against Croatia, and then against Bosnia. Excerpts of his account of the speech follow:

A friend of mine recently said that World War III was in progress. My first reaction was to dismiss the remarks as lunacy, but I have come to realize that my friend may not have been far from the mark. The real question however is whether World War III is in progress or whether the Second World War has ever really ended. That is to be determined.

Going back to the Roman Empire, "*divide et impera*" was the way of the Roman Empire. The British Empire took that and converted it into "divide and conquer." We know that wherever the British Empire went, blood was shed. The British Empire needed to preclude Germany from getting oil through a pipeline from what today is called Iraq. By around 1912-13, the Germans signed treaties to exploit and pipe oil from what today is the Middle East. It was very obvious that it would be a strategic advantage to the German empire. The British Empire found a little tiny country on the map through which part of that pipeline was going to go, and that was Serbia. And I tell you that the British created World War I and that the Serbs, through assassinating Archduke Ferdinand in Sarajevo, were an agent of British intelligence. And the British were those that drew the first map of Yugoslavia and presented it at the 1918 peace treaty in Versailles. And they recreated Yugoslavia in 1945 at Yalta, when we saw the borders of Serbia become much greater. And they are recreating it yet today. They are now creating Yugoslavia number three.

This is not a civil war; this is a first-degree murder of massive proportions. Bosnia and Herzegovina is the one place that I know where not only Serbs and Croats and Muslims could live together in peace and harmony, but Muslims and Jews were friends.

This is my opinion; the British Empire has gone underground; it is going down the drain and it is trying to drag the

rest of the world with it. It operates through media. It operates under such *modus operandi* as the Tavistock Institute of psychological warfare in London, which is the institute which literally created Hitler. Today people forget but the theory of "pure race" was developed by British think-tanks and sold to Hitler who bought it hook, line, and sinker. I charge that the empire still exists, that the Second World War has not ended, and that the crusades against Islam have not ended either. What you must do in Bosnia—what we must help you do—is but a first step toward saving Islam. And it must be done not because of Islam per se but because of principles.

What we are seeing in the Balkans is going to spread. The first big one was done in the Middle East with the war against Iraq. The Iraq war was to split the Muslim countries; I'm sure you know this by now. The same kind of divide and conquer is being repeated now in Bosnia and Herzegovina; if this also works, God help us!

There is only one God. You call Him Allah; we call Him God. You go to the mosque; we go to the church; but we pray to the same deity. Bosnia needs to be saved as a matter of principle. Right now you have a historic opportunity to shame the rest of the so-called western democracies. It was the western democracies who first reacted negatively to the will of the electoral majority in Slovenia and Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina. But you have the opportunity now to be champions of democracy; to save Bosnia, not because there are Muslims that live there; you have the chance to save the whole of Bosnia and Herzegovina on the basis of principle. In the referendum of February 1992, the large majority of the population of Bosnia and Herzegovina voted for the creation of an independent, sovereign democratic state.

One of the ambassadors at the OIC meeting then asked me about one of the massacres of Muslims by Croats in Central Bosnia. I explained that the real reason that the Vance-Owen plan was introduced to begin with, was to accelerate a process of driving a wedge between Croats and Muslims in Bosnia. It was essential not only to divide Muslims and Croats but to divide Croats among themselves, and Muslims among themselves.

I then explained to the questioner what the role had been of the Cheshire Brigade, the special British unit deployed in central Bosnia that has now been accused by both Croats and Bosnians as having literally started the fighting between the two communities. Normally the Cheshires are deployed in Northern Ireland and are trained in psychological warfare and "anti-terrorism."

I fielded questions about the Tavistock Institute, explaining that it is here that they specialize not only into individuals and groups, but in nationalities and ethnic groups. I charge that it is these specialists in research into nationality groups that are capable of literally walking into a country and destroying it from within without firing a single bullet, by manipulating the media, the issues, the people.