

Editorial

Stop the Cairo conference!

The 1994 International Conference on Population and Development, scheduled to be held Sept. 5-13 in Cairo, Egypt, if allowed to occur, will by its very nature be a crime against humanity. It is intended to codify into international law restrictions on the rights of families to procreate, and to legislate the level of "sustainable development" required to enforce these restrictions. It is, of course, the so-called colored peoples of this globe, and the poor, who are the intended subjects of this legislation. Policing powers will be given to the United Nations "peace-keeping" forces.

Lest it seem that the characterization of the conference is exaggerated, note the following, quoted from the principles of the United Nations "Draft Program of Action": "To achieve sustainable development . . . states should reduce and eliminate unsustainable patterns of production and consumption and promote appropriate demographic policies. . . . The right to bear children implies responsibility to care for children and to consider their interests *and the interest of the larger community*" (emphasis added).

Not only is reproduction to be monitored, but medical services are to be restricted, as the following passage from the same document makes clear: "All countries should reexamine [health] training curricula and the assignment of responsibilities within the health care delivery system in order to reduce reliance on physicians and on secondary and tertiary care facilities. They also should seek to make basic health services more sustainable financially by making greater use of social marketing and fee-based services." Thus, the U.N. is not only advocating that less top professional medical assistance be available for populations whose level of disease is already rising at an alarming rate (such as Africa, but also such areas as Los Angeles, where even chicken pox is becoming a threat); they wish to restrict paramedical clinical facilities as well.

The policies practiced at the Nazi concentration camp at Auschwitz are thus going to be visited on the entire world's population, on a scale that might have

made even Hitler blanch. Africa is already a dying continent; the nations which formerly comprised the Soviet Union are dangerously impoverished; Ibero-America is only somewhat less worse off; and in the so-called advanced sectors, destruction of the real economy is mirrored by the increasing numbers of poor.

Today, under the guise of "internationalism," the U.N. is the agency of a new imperialism intent upon re-colonializing the world. Under the rubric of "globalism," a world federalist dictatorship is being put into place before our very eyes. The International Monetary Fund and World Bank are agencies of this new dictatorship, which has already set conditionalities upon economic development in those countries forced to depend upon their financial assistance.

In no nation today is there a political leadership adequate to deal with the enormous crisis before us; however, the present moves to destroy the nation-state as an institution and replace it by a dictatorial world government is a crucial part of an attack upon the larger foundations of moral social order. Attacks on the sacredness of human life go hand in hand with attacks on the most fundamental precepts of natural law.

The first such population conference held by the United Nations took place 20 years ago in Bucharest, Romania. During the two decades since then, we have seen a decline in the world economy, paralleled by an increasing acceptance of fascist ideology. While the fascism of today hides under the cover of environmentalist ideology, and even outright endorsement of pagan Earth worship, it is increasingly barefaced, as the quotes cited from the program of the planned Cairo conference indicate. The seeds of the present economic and social collapse were planted then, in anticipation of their harvest now.

If the United Nations is not stripped of its power soon, it will soon become the center of a fascist world government. A first step in preventing that, is to mobilize all decent people to demand of their governments that the Cairo conference be cancelled.