

Jewish Congress—Edgar Bronfman and Israel Singer—and of Sen. Al D’Amato.”

During August, Eizenstat gave an interview to Swiss TV, in which he stated, that the readiness by Swiss banks and the government to provide SF 700 million in funds in the context of the “Nazi gold” controversy, was insufficient. Eizenstat suggested that the volume of the funds should be increased. Not surprisingly, his statement was sparked with disbelief and outrage in Switzerland.

### Not a neutral judge

Eizenstat is no neutral judge in this explosive political factional brawl, between the financial power of the City of London, with a supporting role from New York financial families, and Swiss financial and banking power globally. Eizenstat is deeply enmeshed in the very political-financial networks which have, in effect, been extorting the Swiss authorities, to pay up or face a political hate campaign. Eizenstat is a member of the Jerusalem Foundation, the American Jewish Committee, and the United Jewish Appeal. He has also served as a member of the board of directors of the Israel Discount Bank of New York, and has been “Man of the Year” of B’nai B’rith, the international masonic group which includes the ADL.

Eizenstat was born in Chicago in 1943, and received his law degree from Harvard University in 1967. In 1968, he served as research director for then-Vice President Hubert Humphrey’s Presidential campaign. Eizenstat moved to Atlanta, Georgia, where he worked as a law clerk for the U.S. District Court, and later, as an attorney, at the Powell, Goldstein, Fraser, and Murphy law firm.

But his career really took off with his role in the 1976 campaign staff of Jimmy Carter. From 1977-81, Eizenstat served as Carter’s Assistant for Domestic Affairs and Policy, and Executive Director of the White House Domestic Policy Staff. After leaving the Carter White House, Eizenstat headed the Washington office of Powell, Goldstein, Fraser, and Murphy. During this period, he also became a member of the New York Council on Foreign Relations.

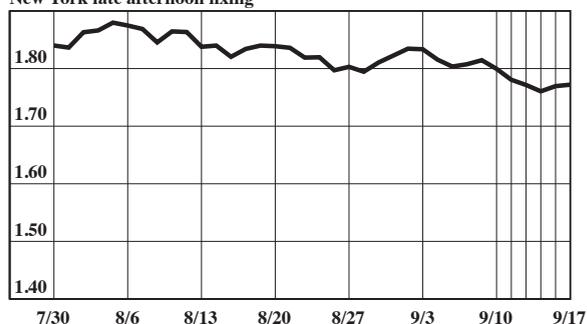
At present, it is Eizenstat, who is attempting to play a crucial role, in the creation of political frictions between the United States and Switzerland. Even though President Clinton has demonstrably tried in recent weeks to distance his administration from the Eizenstat offensive, as the administration’s discreet playing down of the Eizenstat report illustrates, that is not enough to prevent lasting damage of U.S.-Swiss relations.

In view of the coming financial explosion, concerted action is required internationally by governments, not the least between Switzerland and the United States. In its core, the so-called “Swiss Nazi gold” affair has almost nothing to do with wartime history, but has very much to do with financial warfare, as the world financial system edges inevitably toward collapse.

## Currency Rates

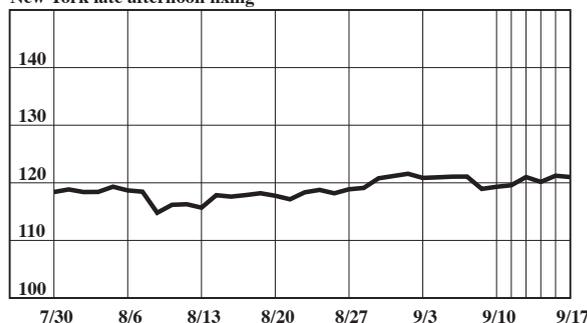
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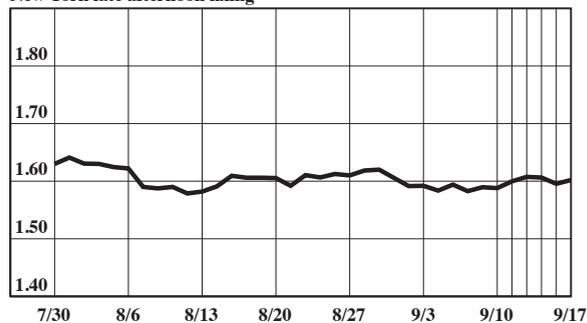
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### The dollar in Swiss francs

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