

Council of the Gods - Part III

"My name is Legion, for we are many"



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So far in this series, we have learned that a powerful executive committee named “*Legion*” served an invisible group known only as the “*council of the gods*”, who were now operating within the US National Association of Manufacturers (NAM).

In service to the gods:

Let's go right back to the beginning:

The other members of the "twenty" who organized the Legion were also at home in the salons of capitalist magnates. It is characteristic that even the heads of the Legion were, from year to year, capitalist big shots, Wall Street manufacturers and bankers: Abel Davis, John Henry Sherbourne, Henry Fairfield Osborne, Jr., Devereaux Milburn, Lawrence Harly Whiting, etc.

The capitalist monopolies caused the Legion to be born. They paid for it. It faithfully serves their interests.

The aims and tasks of the American Legion were already determined three years before the legendary "meeting in the hospital." These tasks were determined, of course, not by such simple fellows as Sergeant Patterson, but by the brilliant big-business friends of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr. And these tasks did not consist at all of putting an end to such a thing as war; on the contrary, they were directed toward preparing millions of simple Americans for war.

The organizers of Legion were known as “*the twenty*”, and the CIA suggests that Legion “*faithfully serves their interests*”. Let’s look at a few of the founding members:

The people making up the “big twenty” who created the Legion in 1919 were as remote from the obscure Sergeant Patterson as heaven is from earth. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., himself was vice-president of Doubleday, Doran Publishers and director of the American Express Company, which was affiliated with the Rockefeller interests through the Chase National Bank. And here, as an example, is some brief information on five of Teddy's friends who joined him in recreating the Legion.

Franklin D'Olier, the First National Commander of the Legion, was president and director of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, connected with the Morgan group, director of the Rockefeller Chase National Bank, director of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the National Biscuit Company, the American Bank Company, etc.

David Marvin Goodrich was chairman of the board of the B. F. Goodrich Company, one of the largest concerns in the US rubber industry.

DeLacy Kountz was chairman of the board of the DeVoe and Reynolds Company, director of the Metropolitan Opera and of the Real Estate Company.

Edward Buxton was chairman of the board of the Five Textile Mills and director of the Theodore Foster and Brothers Textile Company.

Francis Appleton was director of the Waltham Watch Company, the Mount Morris Bank, and the National Park Bank, and co-owner of the firm of Appleton, Rice and Perrin.

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The founders of Legion were monopolists and significant business leaders. Roosevelt Jnr (specifically, Theodore Roosevelt III) and the Rockefeller dynasty appear to be significant early contributors. Legion was founded by “active military” personnel, with the [inception meeting taking place in Paris](#).

This first Paris meeting aimed to represent all armed forces, including the American Expeditionary Forces (A.E.F.) and Survivor Outreach Services (S.O.S.), which are

referenced in the article below. “*The twenty*” were ordered to Paris by the British General Headquarters (G.H.Q.) for meetings with the “Intelligence Sections of the **General Staff**”³. Was this meeting a pivotal point when national intelligence networks prepared to establish global alliances?

Then kind Fate in the shape of G. H. Q. came to the rescue with what proved to be the solution.
 G. H. Q. didn't mean to find the solution. ¶ There had been a deal of dissatisfaction with the way certain things were going in the A. E. F. and on February 15, 1919, twenty National Guard and Reserve officers serving in the A. E. F., representing the S. O. S., ten infantry divisions, and several other organizations, were ordered to report in Paris. The purpose of this gathering was to have these officers confer with certain others of the Regular Army, including the heads of train supply and Intelligence Sections of the General Staff of G. H. Q., in regard to the betterment of conditions and development of contentment in the army in France. ¶

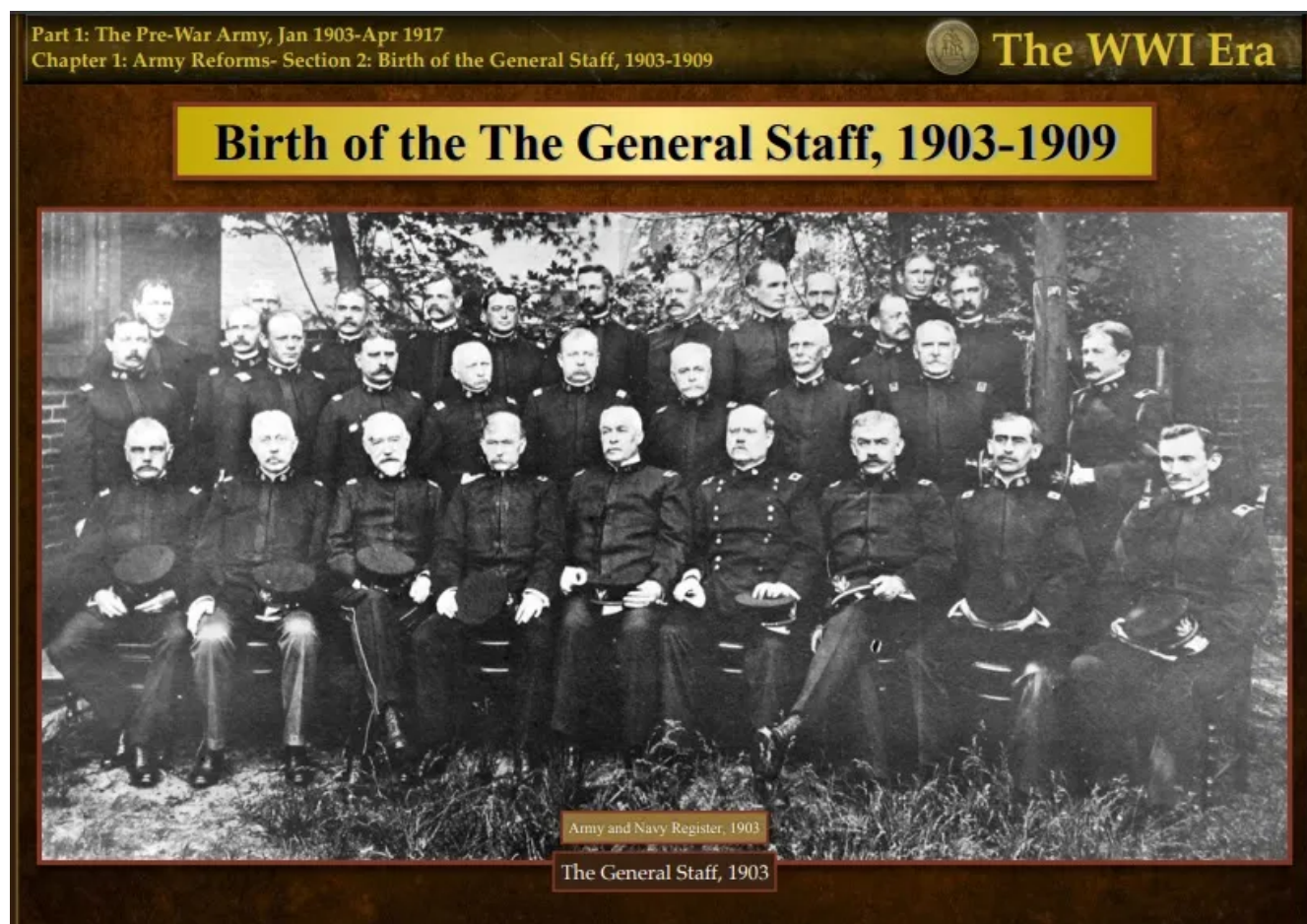
Included in this number were Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., of the First Division, Lieutenant Colonel Franklin D'Olier of the S. O. S., and Lieutenant Colonel Eric Fisher Wood of the 88th Division. ¶ All of these officers have since told me that when they left their divisions they were distinctively permeated with the desire to form a veterans' organization of some comprehensive kind.

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To understand the scale of connections at this time, we observe that Lt. Col. D'Olier represented the Survivor Outreach Services (S.O.S.), but the CIA notes that he was a Rockefeller banker, with wider links to the Morgan Group and Prudential Insurance.

His directorships were with companies involved in banking and railroads. This general pattern of monopolistic directorships was common among Legion founders.

The **General Staff of a standing army** ⁵ originated in Prussia. It was a full-time body at the head of the Prussian Army. General Staff were responsible for the continuous study of all aspects of war, and for drawing up and reviewing plans for mobilization. This regime had long been installed in Britain, and more-recently, Germany. Were the US now being invited to embrace the same model of an internal standing army?



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Regarding the founding of Legion, it is worth noting that Theodore Roosevelt Jr's father was the Harvard-educated 26th **President of the US**. While he left office in 1909, President Roosevelt was the leader of the Progressive Movement which was introducing left-wing ideology in the US; an initiative that was also making some very positive changes to the manufacturing sector. Roosevelt was the **Progressive Party nominee in**

[1912](#), essentially fracturing the Republican vote. Whatever his intention, it paved the way for Democratic Woodrow Wilson to become President, at a time that would see the establishment of the Federal Reserve Bank, and the US entry into WW1.

Was it just a coincidence that former President Roosevelt was reforming the manufacturing sector with progressive new laws, while his son, Lt. Col. Roosevelt Jr., was forming Legion and the “*council of the gods*” inside the National Association of Manufacturers (NAM)?

With monopolistic powers operating in the shadows, it is noteworthy that the aims and objectives of Legion, were prepared in 1916, “*three years before the legendary meeting in the hospital*”. We mention this detail because this was *before* the US entered WW1, AND because one of the stated aims of Legion was to prepare “*millions of simple Americans for war*”.

Could it be that Legion’s commitment to veteran care was just a ‘public front’? With a stated vision to ensure that wars continued indefinitely, was Legion’s *real* objective in relation to veterans simply to ensure there was an endless supply of them?

The CIA report goes on to note that the American Storm Troopers ([Sturmabteilung](#)) were already operational inside the US:

The Du Ponts finance the American Legion, out of whose ranks the monopolies of Wall Street prepare American storm troopers to make short shrift of progressive workers organizations and trade unions. The kings of the dynamite and atom business do not stint their dollars -- it is evident that in these detachments of American reaction they see one of the chief means of suppressing the democratic forces of the American people.

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The oppression of the personal rights of the US people was staggering. However, the US continued to stand as a Republic, not a democracy. “*Suppressing the democratic forces of the American people*” did nothing to remove the people’s freedom; but it did identify the tyrants.

In [The Evolution of Slavery – Part 3](#), we showed that Henry Kissinger commenced the infiltration of China in 1971:



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Was the purpose of this visit to create China as a global manufacturing superpower, and slowly collapse the manufacturing sector within western world countries? The Prussian way has always been to infiltrate that which you eventually intend to destroy. However, this only happens once the infiltration of the *next* host has been completed. Could this be why the “*council of the gods*” located itself inside the NAM?

With fascists embedded within the US manufacturing community, the rapid growth in the manufacturing industry around WW2 effectively created a huge working army. After the war, any destruction of the US spirit would have to be done at an undetectable pace, and with surgical procedure, as that pesky US Constitution would be a real problem if the US people ever woke-up to the objectives of Legion, which were to keep the country on a constant war footing.

At the end of this final 46-year Prussian aperture of 1971 – 2017, something unpredictable happened: President Donald J. Trump entered the scene, like a wrecking ball. He exposed the fake news, prevented illegal migration, sanctioned Chinese imports, stimulated US manufacturers and farmers, and he began to remove the US

forces from all global wars. He also started a conversation about Marxist, communists and terrorists who were located within the US.

By the end of Trump's four years, the entire world was questioning the main stream media narrative.

The US Founding Fathers were all about self-government; not an elitist, top-down form of government. A government "by the people, and for the people" is a bottom-up form of government. Accordingly, the US Constitution provides incredible power to the people, allowing them to establish a government of their choice. The monopolists knew that any infiltration of the US government must occur by stealth in order to remain hidden to the people. To remain undetected, the embedded enemy must continually create the illusion of freedom, while covertly exerting their control.

It is almost impossible to provide highlights from this CIA report which we are spotlighting, as every paragraph is so compelling. The following screen shots summarize how this corporate enemy sought to control the United States people:

The intertwining of American and German monopoly capital can clearly be seen from the example of the I. G. Farben company. The company owned forty per cent of the shares of the Ford Motor Company in Germany. Its management included the chairman of the board of I. G. Farben, Carl Bosch. The son of the founder of the automobile empire, Henry Ford, became a member of the board of directors of the American branch of I. G. F. Edsel Ford, which was given the name American I. G.

About a year before Munich, on 23 November 1937 -- that is, soon after the meeting at which Hitler acquainted his military chiefs with the plans for aggression against Austria and Czechoslovakia (the genuine record of this meeting was furnished to the Nuremberg tribunal which tried the chief Nazi criminals) -- there took place in the USA a secret meeting of representatives of American "big business" and German fascism. "Big business" was represented by several eminent leaders of the NAM, including Lamot Du Port, former president of General Motors and one of the chief executives of the Association. At this meeting, which was described in detail in the 30 August 1942 reports of Congress, representatives of the American monopolists and the German fascists -- Von Killinger, German Consul General in San Francisco, and Toppelkirch, Consul General in Boston, discussed the question of joint activity directed against the USSR, the question of the division of spheres of influence in the world, and of the possibility of applying German-fascist methods in the internal affairs of the USA.

Through its Swiss branch -- the I. G. Chemie -- the German chemical octopus owned the large chemical company General Aniline and Film Corporation in America. The Rockefeller oil company, Standard Oil of New Jersey, which at one time supplied about half the German oil market, had a cartel agreement with I. G. Farben. The management of this company's branch in the United States -- American I. G. -- included Walter Teagle, Chairman of the Board of Standard Oil and the New York banker P. Warburg. In addition, two special companies -- Standard I. G. and Jasco -- were established in the United States on the basis of an agreement between Standard Oil and I. G. F. In October, 1939, after the war in Europe had begun, a representative of Standard Oil, a certain Howard, came to a special conference in Europe to find means of carrying out the cartel agreement between I. G. Farben and Standard Oil under wartime conditions. The conference, which took place in Holland, ended in full agreement. As Howard stated later, the representatives of the American trust came to an agreement with the representatives of the German chemical concern on the division of the profits after the war.

I. G. Farben had close cartel ties ever since 1932 with the largest British monopoly, the Imperial Chemical Industries.

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Let's take a moment to summarize what we've learned so far in this series, along with the information from the above screen shots:

- IG Farben had its own spy network, AND it could seize foreign corporations;
- IG Farben had an advisory council known as "*the council of gods*";

- The CIA knew that the US National Association of Manufacturing (NAM) was operating as “*the council of the gods*” of capitalist America”;
- “*Big Business*” in the US had a secret meeting with the NAM in 1937, and planned to apply “*German-fascist methods in the internal affairs of the USA*”;
- The CIA knew there was a shadowy entity in the US called “*Legion*”, which was controlled by “*the council of the gods*”;
- IG Farben operations had close cartel ties inside the UK in 1932, and a direct connection into Switzerland at around the same time;
- Rockefeller’s Standard Oil company had a “*cartel agreement*” with IG Farben;
- US energy and chemical corporations were making wartime business agreements with the premier Nazi chemical company *during* the war, with respect to the “*division of the profits after the war*”; and
- Some shadowy figure known only as “*Howard*” seemed to be pulling many of these deals together.

Finding someone with just the name “*Howard*” was a challenge. Rather than search directly, we decided to start with some key players within the Nazi scientific network who were significant to IG Farben, as this was the cartel “*Howard*” was negotiating with:

The Ministry of Economics immediately summoned Fritz ter Meer and Otto Ambros to a top secret, high priority conference. At the meeting, the I.G. officials were informed that there must be “an increase in Buna production with the greatest possible speed.”⁷

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The German government’s relationship with the ‘Buna rubber experts’ was noteworthy. The character of these men was further exposed after Nuremberg:

Ter Meer, the highest ranking scientist on the I.G. managing board and chairman of the technical committee, was also held guilty on the charge of slavery and mass murder. Two visits to Auschwitz and the fact that Ambros reported to him were the factors compromising Ter Meer.

The captured documents . . . established beyond question that the availability of concentration-camp labor figured in the planning of the Auschwitz construction. Ambros played a major role in this planning. His immediate superior with whom he had frequent contact and to whom he made detailed reports was Ter Meer.

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Before we resume our search for “Howard”, there is a bit to learn from Fritz ter Meer’s journey during the Nuremberg trials, and what happened to him afterwards.

Firstly, his Nuremberg testimony revealed the true nature of this monster:

Dr. Fritz ter Meer, a member of the management of I. G. F., was later asked whether it was possible to defend performing these experiments upon living people. Ter Meer explained in cold blood that it made no difference to the prisoners what they died from -- from beating or from gas.

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Secondly, despite his unremorseful testimony at Nuremberg, Fritz was able to slip away, almost like a two-tiered justice system had conveniently been established beforehand:

Responsibility and Reparations



The courtroom during the IG Farben Trial

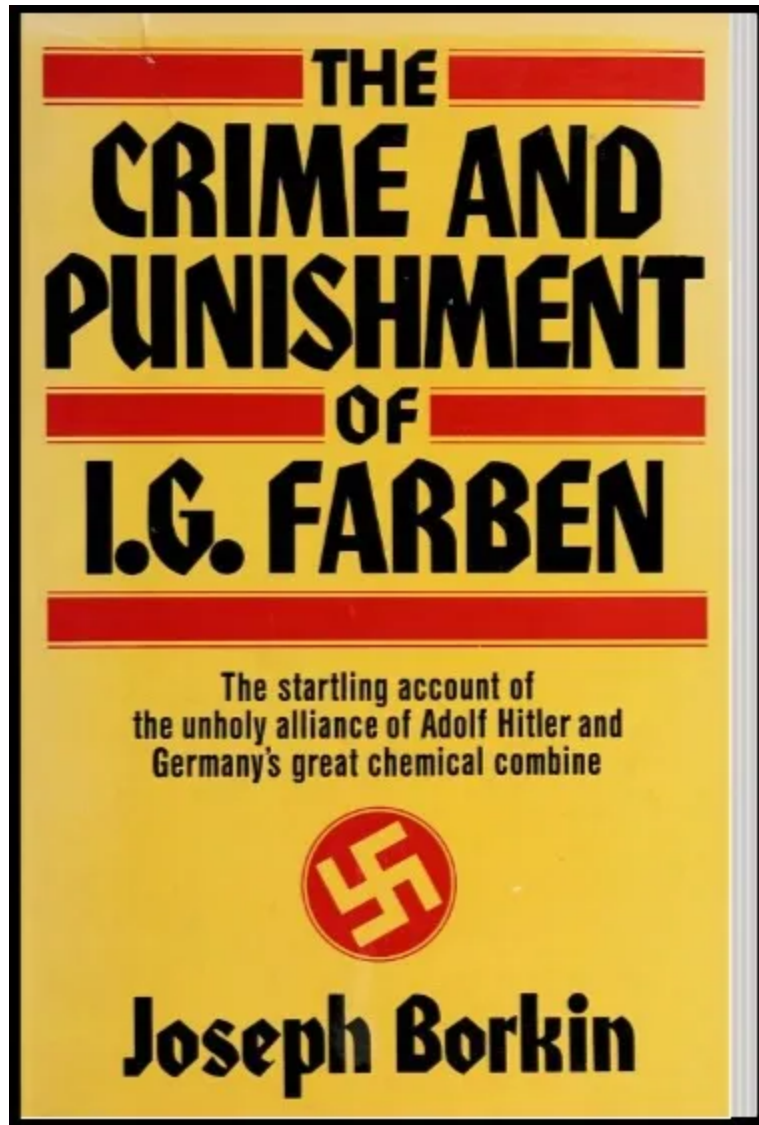
After the war, some employees of Bayer appeared in the [IG Farben Trial](#), one of the Nuremberg Subsequent Tribunals under US jurisdiction. Among them was [Fritz ter Meer](#), who helped to plan the Monowitz camp (Auschwitz III) and IG Farben's [Buna Werke factory](#) at Auschwitz, where medical experimentation had been conducted and where 25,000 forced laborers were deployed. Ter Meer was sentenced to seven years, [but was released in 1950](#) for good behavior.

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Fritz ter Meer was instrumental in developing rubber products (Buna), and putting the chemical and rubber industry into overdrive, using “*forced*” labor.

Fritz’s role within IG Farben allowed us to find the trail that would lead us to this elusive figure known as “*Howard*”. This disclosure further exposed the secret partnership between Rockefeller’s Standard Oil and IG Farben. Fritz may have been one of those corporate “*emissaries*” that the CIA suggested were operating during this period.

Joseph Borkin’s – “*The Crime and Punishment of I.G. Farben*” (Chapter 4) records it beautifully, and shows how the ‘cover of war’ was essential for all these shadowy business deals:



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In March 1938, immediately after Hitler's troops invaded Austria and war was a step closer, Frank Howard was in Berlin to talk to Ter Meer about Buna. He pleaded for the Buna know-how. Ter Meer explained that until his government gave permission, he could not honor Standard's request, but he convinced Howard that it would be to their mutual advantage for Standard to turn over to I.G. all know-how on Butyl. In return, Ter Meer promised, I.G. would continue to try to secure Nazi government "consent" to make available the know-how on Buna. Howard, sympathetic to I.G.'s problem, explained Ter Meer's difficulties in a letter to Standard officials in New York.

Certain difficulties still exist which prevent our I.G. friends from giving us full technical information and proceeding in the normal manner with the commercial development [of Buna] in the United States.

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On September 25, Ringer and Howard finished their business and departed for home, each carrying a copy of the "Hague memorandum," a draft agreement for the consideration and approval of their respective companies. I.G.'s problem now was to get the approval of the German government. Ter Meer and BueteFisch paid a visit to General Thomas of the High Command and Ministerial Director Muelert of the Ministry of Economics to present I.G.'s application for government permission to sign the Jasco readjustment agreement. Ter Meer again stressed the compelling need to get the foreign Buna patents out of I.G.'s name as quickly as possible in order to avoid possible enemy seizure. With the assignment to Jasco, they would be under the control of Standard, a concern that I.G. could trust to resume friendly relations after the war.

Thomas and Muelert were agreeable but made it plain that they would grant permission to I.G. to make the transfer only on the condition that there would be no transmission of Buna know-how. Ter Meer and BueteFisch assured them that this prohibition would be respected absolutely.³³

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Could it be that Frank Howard and Fritz ter Meer were secret agents? Whatever was taking place, Borkin noted that Frank Howard was Head of the 'Standard Oil Development Company' (p.47). The CIA report we are referencing corroborated everything that Borkin was saying:

The management of this company's branch in the United States -- American I. G. -- included Walter Teagle, Chairman of the Board of Standard Oil and the New York banker P. Warburg. In addition, two special companies -- Standard I. G. and Jasco -- were established in the United States on the basis of an agreement between Standard Oil and I. G. F.

(Source: CIA CREST Database) 17

History records that the flow of critical "know how" was not smooth during the war. This was largely thanks to a tricky condition that IG Farben placed on Standard Oil, which we highlighted in the Borkin article. Transferring the patent to Standard/ Jasco without the 'know how' was a brutal betrayal, and disastrous to the America war effort, who went on to experience a major rubber crisis. However, we've been able to demonstrate that the assignment of patents to Jasco, and the other emerging business partnerships, were pre-planned to blossom *after* the war.

Whether this conflict between the two “*cartel partners*” was real or contrived, we may never know. Could a higher power have been coordinating things, despite the constant push-and-shove at the lower levels?

With such powerful spy networks and corporate partnerships being established, this story must eventually turn to [Allen Dulles](#), who became the CIA’s first *civilian* director. Prior to this role, Dulles was recruited into the Office of Strategic Services by William J. Donovan in October 1941. He was then assigned to the Office of Strategic Services (OSS) in Bern, Switzerland. Here, he developed significant European contacts and was integrated into the European spy network. In 1952, after the election of President Eisenhower, Dulles took his post as Director of the CIA:

Dulles career was not without controversy. He had a fondness for an extravagant lifestyle, women other than his wife, and risky covert operations. During his tenure as Director, the CIA was involved in coups in Iraq (1953) and Guatemala (1954). A final attempted coup, the Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba in April 1961, turned into a fiasco that ultimately led to President Kennedy dismissing Dulles on November 29, 1961, after the consolation prize of awarding him the National Security Medal the day before. Dulles was the longest serving CIA director so far.



Dulles Receives the National Security Medal, November 1961. Courtesy of the CIA Archives.

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Given that the head of the CIA is one of the most important roles occupied by the embedded enemy, Dulles was almost-certainly known to IG Farben's "*council of the gods*". We support this assertion by pointing out that Dulles' early business connections were in oil and chemicals, and his business clients were extremely notable:

This adventure in the international diplomacy of oil, revealing in its way, was actually little more than a minor vignette in the ascending careers of Allen Dulles and his older brother, John Foster. The interests and outlook of the two were intertwined almost inseparably. They were partners in the firm of Sullivan and Cromwell; they represented the same clients and the same interests; their two careers moved together in measured cadence, almost like the steps of trained dancers. Most important among their varied interests, and claiming a major share of their attention, were some of Germany's greatest international cartels.

Three of their clients represented the very top drawer of German industry. These were the Vereinigte Stahlwerke (The Thyssen and Flick trust), IG Farbenindustrie (the great chemical trust) and the Robert Bosch concern. The legal wits of the Dulles brothers aided all three.

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The Dulles brothers were partners in [Oliver and Cromwell LLP](#), who advised JP Morgan on Edison General Electric Company in 1882, helped establish US Steel, and did the legal work for [Ford Motor Company](#). Known as a leader in the world of financial structuring, Dulles was providing advice in relation to Trusts owned by the Thyssen family, [Robert Bosch](#) and IG Farben. It is fair to assume that Dulles' appointment to the CIA was vetted, or at least known, by the powers that be.

The above screen shot is from Fred Cook's book, "[The CIA](#)". For those interested, he provides a compelling history of the early days of the CIA.

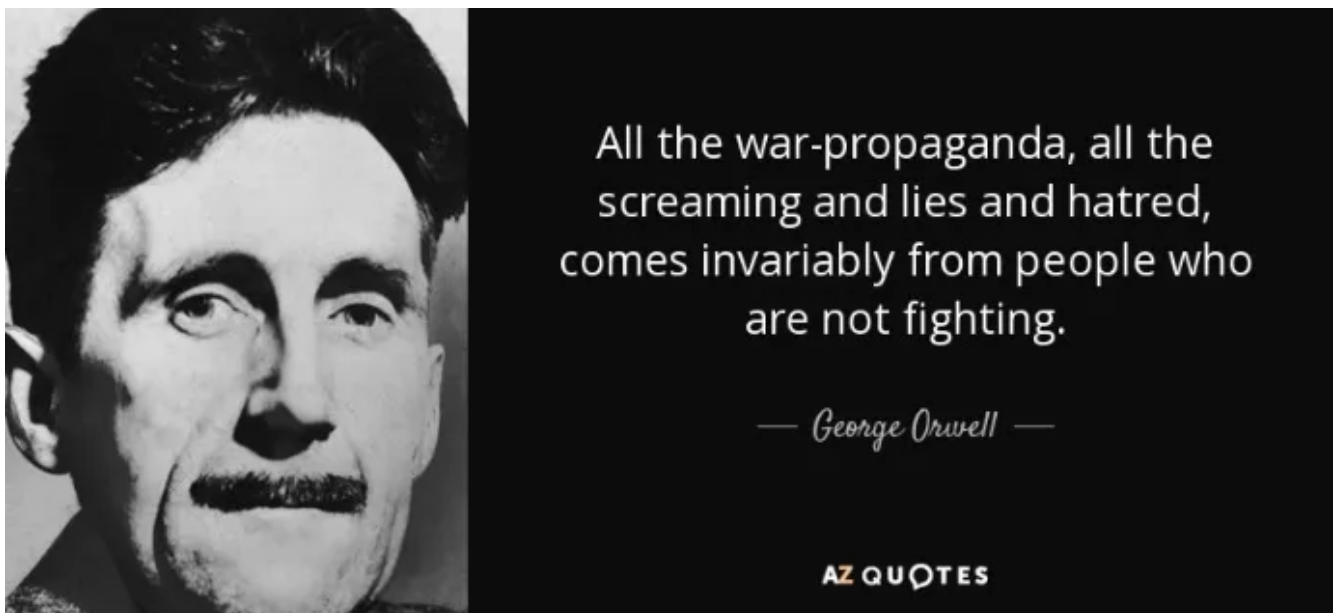
Recall, we showed in Parts 1-2, that Allen Dulles' brother, John Foster Dulles, was a key player in this infiltration that was taking place; even rising to Chairman of the "*council*

of trustees” of Rockefeller’s oil fund, serving with John McCloy, the man who had offered clemency to the Nazi war criminals:

The money in the fund is managed by a "council of trustees" consisting of representatives of the largest monopolies -- mainly Rockefeller's. Among them are John McCloy, former American High Commissioner in West Germany, Robert Lovett, former Secretary of Defense, and others. In 1950 John Foster Dulles, who had been a member of this council since 1935, became chairman of the "council of trustees". Now heading the fund is the oldest son of the "oil king" of America.

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We concluded Part 2 with the enquiry that the prophets of war, profit from war. We will conclude Part 3 with a similar enquiry:



To be continued...

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Here's some more interesting bits of info on how Hitler came into power; helped internationally of course: [From Lawful Path Forums]

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Royal Dutch Shell (Queen Wilhelmina, Rothschild, Henri Deterding), Mendelsohn, Rotterdamsche Bankvereniging, Carl Duisberg, Werkspoor.

Europe:

Rothschild, Warburg, Schiff, Kuhn Loeb, J.H. Schröder Bank.

USA:

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