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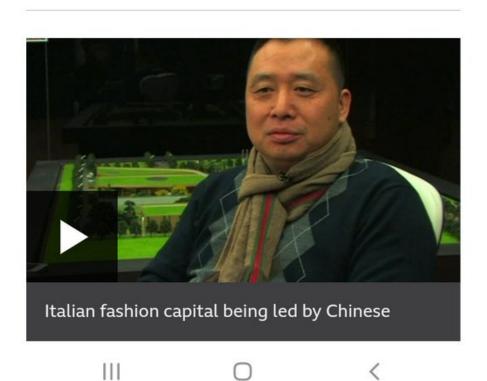
The Italian fashion capital being led by the Chinese

By Sylvia Smith

Business reporter, BBC News, Tuscany

(1) 12 February 2013





Did you know that Chinese Communist Party owns THE Panama Canal?

Did you know that CCP built its own Suez Canal next to one built by America?

Do you know how much land CCP has purchased in Africa, South America & United States?

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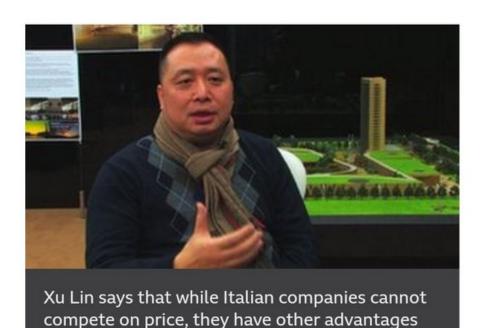
— Lin Wood (@LLinWood) December 13, 2020

China slowly buying everything

"Italian textile companies have long outsourced the early stages of tissue production. But they have the traditional skills needed for the unique finishes and state-of-the art features that come at the end of the fabric production chain. The same is true of clothes."

'World leaders'

Prato still remains the world's fabric development leader - a sort of laboratory where future fabric trends are tested out.



Italian companies invest heavily in technological research producing innovative textiles for the couture end of the market.

Mr Xu believes that there is a burgeoning













Marini, a textile company in Prato, Italy, is one of the few that has survived Chinese competition. Gianni Cipriano for The New York Times

The Chinese Roots of Italy's Far-Right Rage

The country's new politics are often attributed to anger over migrants. But the story begins decades ago, when China first targeted small textile towns.







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By Peter S. Goodman and Emma Bubola

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Or in the case of Pirelli, purchased with a majority share by the Chinese colossus of ChemChina chemical industry, passed from the fourteenth place to the fourth place as a worldwide player in the Industrial field.

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Besides, there are many direct investments of Chinese groups opening branches in Italy

For example the Bank of China is in Milan since 1998, and since 2007 has opened the consultancy company China Milan Equity Exchange. In 2011 the electronic colossus Huawei has launched is first research centre out of China in Segrate, about the study of microwaves, allowing to a lot of highly qualified engineer to work in their own country, rather than emigrate looking for fortune.

Recently Haier, Cosco, Baosteel, China Ocean Shippping Compan, Nanjing Corporation and the Jihua clothes group.

Italy has become a country Chinese investors desire so much mainly for three reasons:

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CDP said it will issue bonds worth 5 billion renminbi (\$744.5 million). CDP and Bank of China will also co-finance Italian companies for 4 billion renminbi. A CDP official told Reuters on Friday that the first tranche of Panda bonds will be issued in the coming weeks.

CDP, SNAM

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CDP and Italian gas company Snam have signed a memorandum of understanding with the Chinese Silk Road fund (SRF) for cooperation on international investments in China and in the about 120 countries that have already signed up for the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI).

Snam and SRF said they will consider possible cooperation in the natural gas sector — pipelines, storage facilities, LNG — structure and biomethane plants.



FERROVIE DELLO STATO, AEROPORTI DI ROMA

Italy's railways group Ferrovie dello Stato,
Atlantia's airport operator Aeroporti di Roma
and the museums of sports car maker Ferrari
have signed a commercial deal with China's
biggest online travel agency Ctrip to develop
Chinese tourism in Italy.

(This story fixes spelling error for the Chinese city of Qingdao for item on Intesa Sanpaolo.)

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Beijing-based Industrial & Commercial Bank of China holds the top spot with assets valued at \$3.5 trillion. That means the bank is worth more than the entire value of the British economy.

The only non-Chinese bank remaining in the top five is HSBC, which is headquartered in London. It fell several spots to position No. 4 this year.

The top U.S. bank is JPMorgan Chase (JPM), which ranks sixth with \$2.6 trillion in assets. SNL notes that American banks calculate the value of their assets a bit differently from international banks because of U.S. regulations, so it's likely that JPMorgan would rank higher in a true apples to apples comparison.

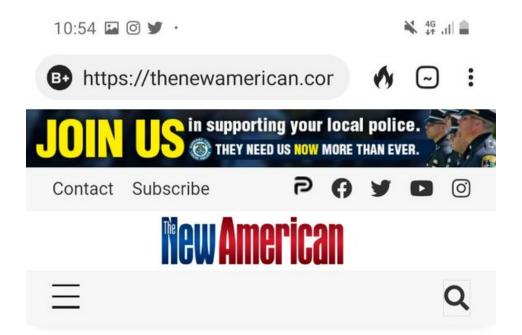
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Is that swiss bank connected with china?

This article of 2012 is a good reading to try to expand thinking and try to look at what they were trying to do HRC sold the Fed?



The New American » Sectors »

Fed Approves First Communist Chinese Takeover of U.S. Bank

L by **Alex Newman M** May 10, 2012





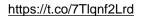
The increasingly controversial Federal Reserve offered a green light on Wednesday for banks controlled by the Communist Chinese

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The controversial decision still took more than a year to reach — far longer than the standard two months usually required to issue a ruling on similar matters. It was approved by the Fed board unanimously. But despite U.S. efforts to downplay the significance of the approval, the implications, according to experts, are actually enormous.

In a footnote on its order approving the deals, the U.S. central bank also noted that national security objections about the scheme had been raised. It was not immediately clear what the concerns were or how they were addressed — if at all — but the Fed said reviewing such issues was the responsibility of government agencies, not the privately owned central bank. The Communist Chinese government has long been criticized for its massive international espionage apparatus aimed primarily at the West.

"This unprecedented acquisition of a controlling stake in a U.S. commercial bank by a mainland bank is strategically significant," Chinese staterun media quoted ICBC chairman Jiang Jianqing as saying. Other financial executives with the regime's firms — three of China's top four biggest

Coming back to Dominion System China and swiss bank

denominated in American dollars. And now, those funds are being put to use, gobbling up assets around the world ranging from strategic U.S. companies to huge tracts of land in Africa and Latin America. It is even making moves to set up Chinese "zones" within America. For critics of the brutal regime in Beijing, the trend is troubling.

Meanwhile, even as the Fed draws fire for granting the controversial approvals, it is under serious pressure on other fronts as well. This week, for example, U.S. lawmakers held hearings to discuss reforming or abolishing the central bank altogether — especially because of its unprecedented multi-trillion dollar bank bailouts during the economic crisis including showering funds on Chinese banks.

Legislative measures from both sides of the aisle were considered, with virtually everyone at the monetary policy subcommittee hearing agreeing that the privately owned institution was out of control. Whether the Fed's recent decision to allow the Chinese regime to take over a U.S. bank will add to the outcry, however, remains to be seen.

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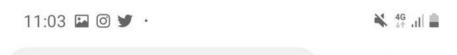
Attorney Lin Wood tweeted on Tuesday: "PATRIOT ALERT: Information being received NOW that Communist China purchased Dominion Voting in October 8 for \$400M. Efforts underway to verify. If true, this confirms other evidence that Communists intend to overthrow our government to get our precious land. NOT ON OUR WATCH."

Austin Security and Investigation Solutions reportedly investigated the SEC filings of Staple Street Capital, which acquired Dominion Voting Systems in 2018, the Gateway Pundit noted on Tuesday.

"On Oct 8, 2020, Staple Street Capital filed SEC Form D offerings and sales amount of \$400,000,000 with the Sales Compensation Recipient identified as UBS Securities," states the investigation.

"UBS Securities is a Swiss investment bank which

Encrypted spying devices?
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Foreign affairs

Second Swiss firm allegedly sold encrypted spying devices



▲ Omnisec is the second Swiss company that allegedly sold manipulated encryption devices to US intelligence services. Keystone / Walter Bieri

Swiss public television, SRF, has found a second company besides Crypto AG was involved in manufacturing manipulated devices allegedly used for

Also this article about IRS

@doqholliday I remember you made a Question

If you have got time, I guess this could help

Just a feeling







Some politicians have called for further investigations into these latest allegations that may reveal who, if anyone, in the federal government knew of Omnisec's business affairs with foreign intelligence.

Crypto affair

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Earlier this month, a nine-month or investigation by the Swiss parliamentary audit committee (GPDel), found that the Swiss intelligence service knew that the US Central Intelligence Agency was behind the Swiss-based Crypto AG as far back as 1993. The report says that Swiss intelligence later collaborated with them to gather information from foreign sources.

More than 100 countries bought encryption devices from the Zug-based company, which did business under the guise of Swiss neutrality. In reality,

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UBS gets approval to shift 32 billion euros of assets from **Britain**

By Brenna Hughes Neghaiwi







The logo of Swiss bank UBS is seen at a branch office in Zurich, Switzerland January 22, 2018. REUTERS/Arnd Wiegmann







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UBS to lead European crossborder business from **Switzerland**

By Brenna Hughes Neghaiwi, Angelika Gruber







The logo of Swiss bank UBS is seen at a branch office in Zurich, Switzerland January 22, 2018. REUTERS/Arnd Wiegmann



















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THE SINISTER FACE OF 'NEUTRALITY'

The Role of Swiss Financial Institutions in the Plunder of European Jewry

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Switzerland's reputation as a neutral safehaven during World War 11 has been badly tarnished by recent revelations about its wartime transactions with Germany. What began as an examination of the dormant bank accounts of Holocaust victims has gained momentum to include the whole gamut of Swiss financial dealings with the Nazis. In recent months a vast amount of incriminating documentation has been unearthed that reveals the sinister side of Swiss "neutrality".

Switzerland served as a repository for Jewish capital smuggled out of Nazi Germany and the states threatened by it, and also for vast quantities of gold and other valuables plundered from Jews and

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After the war, when the survivors attempted to reclaim their assets, they were ensnared in a web of bureaucracy that refused to recognize the fact that death camp survivors, or the heirs of those who perished, could not possibly furnish customary documentation such as death certificates. Swiss banks strictly adhered to the rigid restrictions of Swiss banking law in total disregard of the special situation which had arisen out of the mass murder of the Jews of Europe. But the Swiss enriched themselves not just from the victime of the Sheek but

But the Swiss enriched themselves not just from the victims of the Shoah, but also from the perpetrators. Switzerland was the favorite haven for Nazi bank accounts and safe deposit boxes, which often contained property plundered from Jews. Swiss banks did a lucrative business with the German Reichsbank and with individual Nazi officials. Symbolically, even the royalties from Hitler's Mein Kampf were deposited in a Swiss bank account.

Toward the end of the war, when other neutral states refused to purchase gold directly from Germany, Switzerland continued to carry on this highly profitable trade. That gold generally came from two sources - the gold reserves of the central banks of the occupied countries and gold taken from individuals - including gold dental fillings extracted from corpses.

Documents recently uncovered in former East German archives suggest that in 1944, SS Chief and German Interior

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persecution) were disqualified. The banks were only compelled to handle submitted claims - immediately eliminating cases in which beneficiaries or heirs did not themselves have knowledge of the existence of accounts, or were so intimidated by the bureaucracy that they never submitted claims. A total of SF 7.5 million in 961 accounts was turned over to claimants, and an additional SF 2 million was given to the Swiss Jewish communities and a Swiss refugee organization. However, only a tiny fraction of the 7,000 cases received in response to a Swiss appeal for submission of claims were affected by this action. Safe deposit boxes were not affected by the law, nor were any of the other assets enumerated above.

Some nine years ago, in an effort to assuage critics, Union Bank of Switzerland donated US \$40 million to the International Red Cross (IRC) as token payment to compensate for unclaimed accounts belonging to victims of the Shoah. It is difficult to ignore the irony in the fact that the recipient of the Swiss banks' charity was an organization particularly indifferent to the plight of European Jewry during the war - as its present President, Cornelio Sommaruga, admitted publicly. Addressing the WJCsponsored Israel Council on Foreign Relations in Jerusalem in June 1995, Sommaruga expressed his "compassion" for the millions of victims of the Shoah... Our failure to speak out at that time was a moral defeat." WJC Secretary General

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WJC. It was never made clear whether the alleged US \$32 million included interest on the dormant accounts. Conservative estimates placed the figure at several hundred million dollars. "This amount defies credibility" stated Mr. Bronfman. "In any case I told them that we weren't interested in the money but the process. Swiss banks cannot be allowed to profit from the Holocaust."

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In late April 1996, New York Senator
Alfonse D'Amato chaired a hearing on the
Swiss banks issue before the US Senate
Committee on Banking, Housing and
Urban Affairs. Meantime, President Bill
Clinton expressed his support for WJC
efforts in a personal letter to Mr.
Bronfman. In fact, the US Government
has been particularly supportive of
efforts to force the Swiss to conduct a
thorough, transparent investigation. Its
special envoy for restitution matters,
Undersecretary of Commerce Stuart
Eizenstat, was charged with representing
the United States.

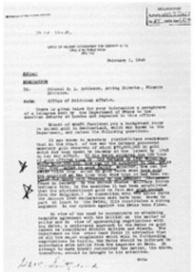
Under increasing pressure and eager to avert a public relations disaster (there was even talk of a boycott of Swiss financial institutions along the lines of that used against companies which did business with South Africa in the days of apartheid was contemplated), the Swiss capitulated.

On 2 May 1996, Swiss banking officials signed an agreement with the World Jewish Congress and the World Jewish Restitution Organization to investigate



Of late there have been calls, by Senator D'Amato and others, for the Allies to renegotiate the Washington Agreement which was signed in part because the Swiss had withheld information on the true magnitude of their transactions with the Germans.

estions Questions remain concerning the ultimate disposition of gold sequestered by Germany's foreign minister, Joachim von Ribbentrop, who smuggled 15 tons of gold out of Berlin before the city's fall to the Red Army. Recently



In good faith? A 1946 US Department of State assessment of Swiss prevarication on transactions in looted gold.

declassified documents suggest that 6.5 tons of that gold was surrendered to US forces and some 2 tons wound up in the hands of the British army in the German province of Schleswig-Holstein. The balance was smuggled out to various neutral countries including Sweden, Portugal, Spain, Turkey and Switzerland. A part of these assets, including some which fell into the hands of Allied forces, has disappeared - at least for the time being - without a trace. SS Chief Heinrich Himmler also succeeded in smuggling plundered property to Switzerland and the whereabouts of this trove have never been established.



The Bank for International Settlement (BIS) has also not emerged from this affair unscathed. Historians have revealed that the BIS was an important cog in the Reichsbank's moneylaundering operations. The BIS bought gold from the Swiss fully cognizant of the fact that it had had been looted by the Germans and sold to the Swiss.

Moreover, the BIS had acted to facilitate Reichsbank gold transactions with third countries, directly aiding the German war effort.

There seems to be almost no end to the damning revelations of Switzerland's wartime and immediate post-war financial activity - and the extent to which the Swiss are willing to try to cover their tracks. For example, attention has been focused on the fact that after the war Switzerland concluded bilateral

agreements with the Communist regimes in Poland and several other countries in East Europe. Under the terms of these arrangements Switzerland transferred the proceeds of dormant bank accounts of Polish citizens to Swiss businessmen in order to satisfy their claims for property nationalized in Poland. This handy deal considerably simplified the clearance of Swiss claims to Swiss-owned property seized by the Communists. Although this agreement was not covert, and was debated in the Swiss Parliament, until recently the Swiss Foreign Ministry vigorously denied the existence of any such accords. That denial rang hollow, however, when detailed documentation

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Switzerland after all is not so neutral? Which are the pourposes beyond? All for money?

elsewhere was not always restituted. Countries which served as repositories for plundered property must be pressed to open their archives for investigation. Just as other nations in Europe have been forced to confront the seamy side of their history, so too must the Swiss, no matter how embarrassing or costly. Some in Switzerland have recognized this and said as much. Swiss MP Verena n gold n cache. Grendelmeier has spearheaded domestic efforts to open a serious investigation. Lili Nabholz, president of the lower house's Legal Affairs Commission, told her colleagues in parliament: "What we are doing we are doing late, but it is never too late." Another MP, Paul Rechtsteiner, said that an investigation offered "a unique chance for Switzerland to draw up a picture of itself that is close to reality"

Fifty years have elapsed since the catastrophe that claimed the lives of two thirds of the Jews of Europe, a third of world Jewry. In the face of increasing evidence of the widespread Swiss collaboration, through omission and commission, justice dictates that at least the assets of the victims be restored to their heirs - and where there are none, to Israel and the Jewish people.

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