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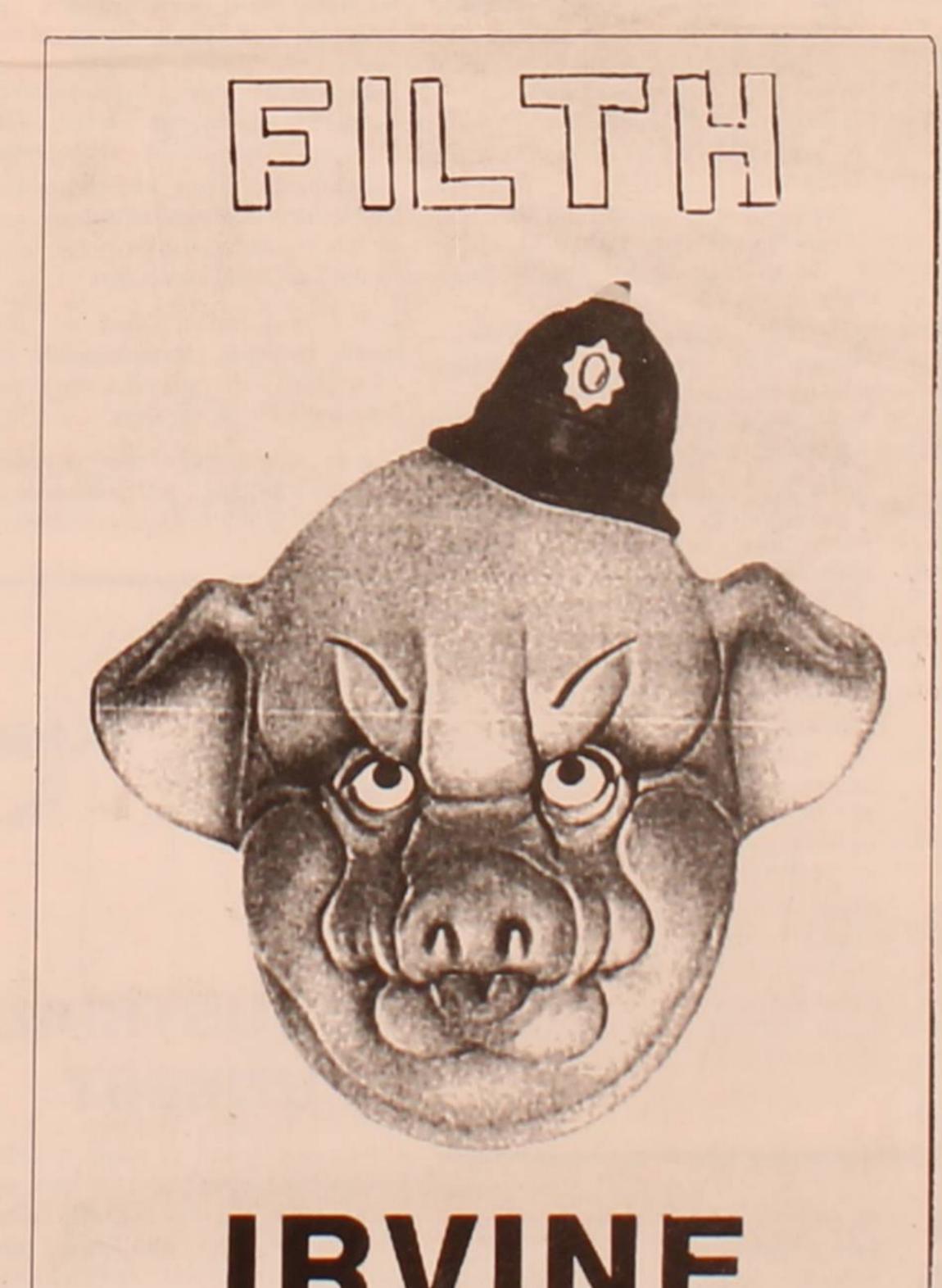


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# For the destruction of Civilisation

THE ANARCHY & EDUCATION ISSUE. VACCINATION EXPOSED. FULL GENETIX TEST FIELD LIST. LEIGH STARCROSS ON THE UNABOMBER. BOB BLACK ON PRIMITIVE AFFLUENCE.

# Anarchists win



IRVINE WELSH

TYPICAL HAMPSHIRE: Seeing this ad for prize-winning writer Irvine Welsh's when officiating over the 1988 Cardiff Standard journoes staking out a local sab reported from the rear van of the sab latest book in the window of October Books, Southampton, two of Hampshire trial and considered it old hat. Constabulary's finest seized it as a threat to public order, though they were the only ones

THE GANDALF-2 TRIAL stock, the poster was returned.

Is this example of arrogance and stupidity not a Gandalf prosecution in miniature? (And those moaning the book cover is speciesist really ought to get a life)

## GANDALF THREE'S **CONVICTIONS QUASHED**

Gandalf Three's convictions. The three judges presiding, Lord Justice Henry, Sir Patrick Russell and judge Beaumont had reserved judgement from an appeal hearing two days previously which featured porcine prosecutor Dick Onslow blundering around the court and knocking over his own arguments. The grounds given were R v Roberts, that in failing to distinguish between different sorts of criminal damage supposedly incited, the indictment was misworded and the trial judge misdirected the jury, hardly surprising as Russell oversaw the original Roberts appeal too and had his precedent

to protect. Given £2m was spent on the 1997 Gandalf trial, the judges refused a retrial. They felt the defendants had learned their lesson. Steve Booth certainly has, telling the local press he was carrying on editing GA as usual and had already published another issue of the Lancaster Bomber! Though outside Portsmouth Crown Court then to insistent that the Three were being kill the prosecution off at this stage. Ring acquitted on more than just a technicality, 0836 223646 for pre-demo transport and they've no option to sue and those accommodation. responsible for this outrageous attack on all their promotions, pats on the back &c. and Pompey jurors' minds narrow enough Still, as a technicality, R v Roberts is no to press on regardless, the Gandalf-2 trial's more ridiculous than the conspiracy laws themselves and that this 'justification' had to be plucked from thin air shows how

effective political pressure has been. The media's eco-terrorist hype has hardly in court, only the Times carried a report, only 1" in the corner of an obscure inside page (we've blown up their 'headline' 600% for this article, by way of taking the Dodgy features of this prosecution: piss). Ironically, the judges are evidently

Adjourned after three days in May because of the Three's appeal, ALF press officer The police bust, Operation Order, was pre-Portsmouth Three Defence Campaign, PO Robin Webb's trial has gone back and planned provocation. The hunt knew days 1Box 1117, Dorchester, Dorset. back since.

Last 23rd July, the Gandalf prosecution before the May trial but had carried on in time, it's unlikely he'll be allowed to suffered its most devastating set-back yet ignorance (the Bar were too stingy to send preside over another Gandalf trial - and we when the Court of Appeal quashed the him notification 1st class). It soon turned hear he's in declining health anyway (no, out Peter Hall's disbarment was blatantly don't cheer - poor ol' sod). We still need political: the grounds for it were trivial (ie. witnesses who can tell the court how their not answering letters!), proceedings started freedoms of expression, association and within a fortnight of him taking the conscience are threatened by an adverse Gandalf brief, and it was supposed to fall judgement (Murphys, 29 Kensington just as he was to go to trial. Unlike gutless Gardens, Brighton BN1) and local support Ken McDonald, who nominally groups prepared to get people along to represented Paul at the 1997 trial, Peter national: demos and put out weekly had to qualms about running a political updates in their home towns. trial and calling witnesses acutely ----embarrassing to the State. They anted to Offers of support to: get rid of him and impose more easily

Gandalf Defendants Campaign, PO Box intimidated counsel on Paul, an attempt that has failed now Peter's successfully

> appealed his disbarment The next pre-trial hearing is on 14th c/o 38 Mt. Pleasant, London WC1X 0AP. September - given the prosecution can't use evidence about the acquitted defendants and 'associations' between Robin and Paul are laughably incredible, they'd be mad to move for trial, which could cost another £1m and five months of court time. Urgent people demonstrate

66, Stevenage SG1 2TR.

London Gandalf Defendants Campaign



# PORTSMOUTH THREE

journalists from the nationals were present. The Portsmouth Three face trial for presence was restricted to one unmarked violent disorder following the Hunt car and a high-flying aircraft. They wanted

& Hambledon hunt last 13th December.

bored with this hype - Justice Henry noting It came only days after a vitriolic press supporter descriptions are totally he'd seen Into the 1990s with the ALF campaign against sabs, including Evening contradictory and whilst the HRS were for days. The Standard is owned by Lord convoy and got away, the Pompey sabs Rothermere, chum of local hunt bigwig were in the lead vehicle. Lord Cowdray. Hence prejudicial press -----

hype around the HRS action.. ahead sabs were coming but the police

Retribution Squad's trashing the Hursley trouble and arrests, even if that meant provoking it.

Of 44 arrested, only three sabs known from Portsmouth were charged. Hunt

Letters of support to:

-iow cocks up

# DIARY OF COMMUNITY RESISTANCE

We think that prior to general revolution, resentment increases, expressing itself in aimless and apparen random acts of destruction. Because of this, acts of community breakdown are also listed as well as clear acts of community resistance; both are harbingers of the coming collapse of authority and civilisation.

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## MAY

30: SPAIN - Air traffic controllers strike during search of recess. strands 1,000 tourists at Glasgow airport. 18: NIGERIA = Nine jailed dissidents 4: LONDON - Gay Pride march. 30: BRAZIL - 22 die in prison riot over released.

30: LONDON - Dockers / RTS march for ance workers start three day strike. social justice. 30: GENEVA, SWITZERLAND - Global Barrett, a Brixham coastguard.

march against child labour. 31: HONG KONG - Tianamen Square Black balloon proterst against papal visit 7: IRIAN JAYA, INDONESIA - Demo. commemoration.

1: FRANCE - Airline pilots' strike. 2: NARITA AIRPORT, JAPAN - Three seriously injured. buses torched

2: SADDLEWORTH - School torched. 4: LONDON - Technicians strike at BBC chemical plant. 4: HONG KONG - Commemoration of 24: SHROPSHIRE - Council sues 8: HONG KONG - Newly opened airport worker investigators shot. One dead, one 30%. Tianamen Squae massacre, nine years on. disabled people for non-payment of Tory- hits trouble as computers repeatedly crash injured. 6: NORTH LONDON - RTS proest gets a induced mental health daycare charges. - Millenium Bug come early?! bit lively.

6: HIGH WYCOMBE - Street fight on bomb. Terry's Esatate hospitalises six.

25: RENTARIA, SPAIN - ETA bomb 9: KIRBY STEPHEN, 6: GLASGOW - 1,500 social workers in losses (6th). Vimto, Manchesrter, will 8: ESSEX - Firefighters strike.

8: WESTMINSTER - 31 Labour MPs moronic chat show Laura In Amerika. 10: IBADAN, NIGERIA - Riots over state 8: BAGHDAD, IRAQ - Small bomb, slumped. ICI lost £14m (23rd). vote against tuition fees and student loans. 27: ETHICAL INVESTMENTS - Double murder of Abiola. 9: BALI, INDONESIA - After a week of to £2b. council resigns.

10: PARIS, FRANCE - World Cup riot closures.

10: SOUTHAMPTON - 2nd chemical relatives sue cops for neglect and lying. relatives execute murderer. leak in a week at Hedge End Sainsburys. 31 staff hospitalised. 1: LONDON - Clamping van clamped in

Soho Square proest. 11: INDONESIA - Student protests. 12-13: LAGOS, NIGERIA - Pro-

democracy demo. 13: EIRE - Cops strike, but life goes on genocide forces. without them...

12: OREGON, USA - Bomb found a airport, just before presidential visit. 14: MARSEILLES, FRANCE - Riot.

14: RAMSGATE HARBOUR - Ice House 1: GLASTONBURY - Three questioned 24: RAILWAYS - RMT three day strike. protest Euro-imports.

14: LONDON - Undeground strike. 15: FISHGUARD - Port blockaded by 2: TEXAS - Three arresed for conspiracy killing two cops, injuring four. anti-Euroshite farmers.

GORTON, MANCHESTER - bio-weapons raid. Negotiatiooniost wheelie bin road safety 3: BUDAPEST, HUNGARY - Car bomb. arson campaign. protest blocvks Ryder Brow Road.

19: RAILTRACK - RMT track mainten- - Pieces of rotting corpse posted to 19: CJD - 25th admitted death was Tony 5: THAILAND - Eight prisoners break

20: SANKT-POELZEN, AUSTRIA - on TV. over appointment of sex abuser bishop. Pigs kill seven, wound 100.

21: NANTES, FRANCE - German 7: LONDON - Gulf War veterans call for protest propsed hi-tech busway. football hoolies riot (yawn). Three cops negotiationistic public enquiry.

25: PARIS, FRANCE - Bastille area 9: LIVERPOOL - 2nd fire in two weeks at plant evacuated. One admitted optimism,. Some companies on a 3 day

7: CARDIFF - UCH and other hospitals kills councillor Manuel Zamarreno. WESTMORELAND - Residents go it week-long 'illegal' strike against cuts. close to save southern jobs. Rover's off to hit with strike by 54 medical workers. 26: NHS - 25% drop in MMR alone to buld own bypass on key cross- 7: ESSEX-Fire fighters strike.

fucks up motorway traffic in London, 26: LIMA PERU - One dead, 60 injured cops faces, incapacitating them for twelve embassies sum acousty car bombed.. tourist slump (17th) due to bad ads. 1,500 Coventry, Wolves and Northampton. in stampede to watch live filming of hours.

Hundreds dead, thousands injured. car plant jobs gone after trade figures

11: EDINBURGH - Fetties College public 9: WORLDWIDE - Pro-democracy demos

rioting, every member of 46 member 28: MANCHESTER - Town Hall school (ex-pupil T. Blair) torched. against 10th anniversary of Burmese pound. In Japan, unemployment now negotiationist parents protest scholl 11: DONCASTER - Gulf War Syndrome military take-over.

istic maintenance strike by 9,000 workers. techno festie.

Stephen Lawrence PIG FARCE enquiry. USA - Hack attack. Protestors sprayed with CS gas by Met SS. 13: LONDON - Tube strike.

'justify' further benefit harassment. turn-over.

audience punch-up. 15: HA HA HA! - Richard McDonald, co- 11: NEVIS ISLAND - 4% defear for

SHIRE AND ESSEX - Trouble hits 16: ESSEX - Firefighters strike. 14: CARDIFF - Protests against Euroshite estates after Engerland out of World Cup 23: HIGH COURT, LONDON - Gandalf Road office blag.

convictions quashed. after Robert Christie of Exeter dies at festie.

24: WASHINGTON, USA - Irrational 12: BLANTYRE - CS in Asda injured 11. gunman opens fire in Capitol building, 12: CROMARTY - Armed cop siege. to use weapons of mass destruction in FBI 25: NOTTINGHAM - Chief Superintend-

Four dead. 18: HMP FULL SUTTON - Bullets found 4: STALEYBRIDGE - March and rally French scientists discover muscle wasting for 200 sacked Tamerside care workers. Macropragic myofasciitis spreading

> 5: BUCKINGHAM PALACE, LONDON Elizabeth Windsor.

21: STONEHENGE - Tokenistic 100 7: CAMELFORD, CORNWALL - 10th druids alloweed in for solstice. 12 non- anniversary of pollution incident. Negotiationistic public enquiry called for.

8: LAGOS, NIGERIA - Two dead, 27+ Milau Rai and Andrea Nedham announce Liberty stores made a loss of £11m. 22: CHORLEY - Residents' grudge injured after opposition leader Abiola intention of breaking UN sanctions by meeting against leak from Stanhill rumoured murdered by Nigerian military exporting children's medicene to Iraq.

Notre Dame High School.

vaccinations after exposure of links to Penine truck route.

7: NAIROBI, KENYA & DAR ES Ellesniere Port footie shirt factory, 8: TRANSACTION - Lorry blockade autism.

10: YORKSHIRE - CS gas blows back in SALAAM, ! ANIA - Two US Vauxhalls also losing jobs (9th). Welsh

victims / survivors meeting. 9: SCOTLAND YARD, LONDON - DI 28: LIVERPOOL - Hillsborouigh 11: KABUL, AFGHANISTAN - Victims John Watt shoots himself inside police Siemens silicon chip factory, Newcastle,

armoury. 29: RAILTRACK - Four day negotiation- 11: BERLIN, GERMANY - Love parade 9: MOSCOW, RUSSIA - Massive 14 months. The Recession is Permanent, security alert / bomb scare after unsigned Suckers! 29: LONDON - Nation of Islam protest at 12: EGLIN USAF BASE, FLORIDA, extortion threat letter found in airliner. 10: NORTH JAPAN - 10 injured by green

tea cyanide poisoning. 30: EAST TIMOR - EU ambassadiors 13: CARRY ON FIDDLING - Labour 10: CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY - 1,200 visit. Riots, demos. Man shot dead by claims DHSS benefit frauid now £7bn to auromatons leave troubled agency. 15%

15: READING - Boxing match turns into 10: BURMA - Pro-democracy demonstrators arrested.

founder of US Earth raper carcinogenic secessionists in independence referendum. World Cup moronism. Tear gas fired. 1: PETERBOROL 3H HERTFORD- exploiter turd-burger chain croaks... 11: NORTHWICH - 'have a go hero' -attack on armed robbers, foiling Castle

11: IMMINGHAM DOCK - Pig farmers

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ant Anth ony Barker has car wheels stolen

26: WAKAYAMA, JAPAN - Four dead,

27: HSINCHU, TAIWAN - Two die in

27: MIDLANDS - Transaction (see 8th

289: BERNE, SWITZERLAND - Four

28: LIVERPOOL - Councillor George

Smith resigns over Labour council house

28: FAL MOUTH, CORNWALL -

Fisherman holds lost Navy midget sub

29: MICHIGAN, USA - General Motors

29: BURMA - Democracy campaigner

Aung San Suu Kyi in ill health at six day

roadside protest against travel restrictions.

29: BRISTOL - Arnoss Vale cemetary

31: FRANKENSTEIN'S PHARM

deasd I government sector cafe shooting.

during top cop job intervierw.

60 injured by cyanide curry.

June) blockade M6 - M69 - M1.

hostage for salvage payment.

lose £1.3bn to car plant strike.

protests after closures.

out against pay offer.

throughout Europe.

Andrews council tax dispute.

contaminated.

privatisations.

# GLOBAL CRASH

Things are getting so much worse for 30: NORTH WEST - Norweb staff walk crapitalism, with the so-called 'Tiger' economies becoming extinct. Even Japan's 30: SCHOOLS - 1,400 school firtes / year in recession. The Yen took a big plunge admitted at start of school holiday anti- (9th June) to an eight year low. The IMF has run out of dosh.

> This downward trend has been reflected in the UK with m unufacturing and service sectors in deep shit, and interest rates shooting up to 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% (4th June) and even 8.95% (16th). Inflation went up to 4.2% (6th) and people are talking about

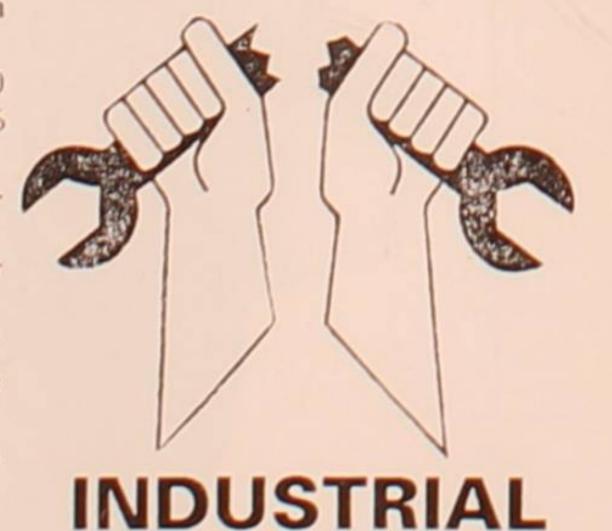
out of jail while warders watchWorld Cup 1: BUTTON OAK, WORCESTER- 1,000 jobs went at Hollis Textiles, SHIRE - Albert Dryden-style bungalow Altrincham (29th May), 500 went at a police siege involving OAP George Dumbarton bottling plant (19th June), 230 in Essex. 475 jobs axed in Liverpool parks : MANCHESTER - Anti-nuke protest, (26th), Huyundai electronics 2,500 jobs went in Dumfermline, 500 jobs went at 2: LEIGH - Cyclists and pedestrianms Compaq, Stirling (29th), MFUI axed 1,500 (30th) after profits plunged 40%. 3: DOWNING STREET, LONDON - 720 jobs went at Horton knitwear group.

> Meanwhile Camelot directors gave themselves yet another 14% rise and 3: ELLESMERE, SHROPSHIRE - Postal
> Yorkshire Water directors an outrageous

3: SELLAFIELD, CUMBRIA - Nuke July saw a further slump in business week (2nd July). Liberty announced £11m Europe - asset-stripping. 120 jobs lost at

> CBI blamed export slump on strong 2.8m (31st) - if capitalism can't work there, it can't work anywhere.

closing. £1.8bn and 1,100 jobs lost in just



ere's been a wave of transport strikes,

are smashing TVs to cut Western This was a council 'perk' and other local assassination but admitting 500,000 organised a lorry blockade on 8th June. These highlighted a Euro-anomaly where British diesel is more expensive than abroad. Contintenal truckers fill up in France, and so have a competitive advantage over British. The blockades hot motorways in London, Wolves, Coventry and Northampton. Of coyurse, the truckers 50 died in Strathclyde when pure herion know all the vulnerable choke points in hit suppliers. When news broke, demand the system and so maybe fifty pissed-off drivers could easily bring UK's roads to a

# SMASHERS

# DIANA THEME

ozens of visitors looking for Diana-Northamptonshire.

influence. Missiles to KO satellite TV councillors and VIPs were lucky not to die people filed, 'only' 20,000 'active'. with him. Andrews may well have been one of the masgistrates who signed warrants for Operation Washington. He undoubtedly associated with others that did. Let's hope they die as unpleasantly.

Government agencies in Canada iallenged 'Yahoo' anonymous internet

MAYOR DROWNS worldwide (13th July). On 25th July, UK capitalised on the World Cup (6th June). Mayor Mike Andrews died when a vintage Shayler's website and released a booklet arrival of Transaction, a long distance seaplane crashed in Southampton Sater. and their own website (29th) denying lorry drivers'; pressure group who

## NATURAL SELECTION

complete standstill.

# DIARY OF

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## MAY

decontaminated.

weheat at Institute of Arable Crop Research (IACR) trashed by Lincolnshire

through it. 13: BRENNER PASS, ITALY / arrested, though Monsanto refuse to press eleven shelved. AUSTRIA - Eco-protestors blockade charges to escape adverse publicity. They border post demanding sane traffic resort to injunctions instead. policies. Traffic chaos spreads through 9: KENILWORTH, UK - Kenilworth

genetic oilseed rape. 17: ESSEX - 'Aliens' form crop circle in 10: HIGH COURT - Approves gentic environmentalists unknown.

test site trashed.

OREGON, USA - ELF / ALF torch controversy. Oil companies gutted.

solidartity with Zapatistas. Animal Damage Control building.

oilseed rape trashed by having 'x' hacked Genetic crops destroyed in first UK 31: PROTEST PAYS - Seventy road genetix Snowball action. Five women schemes axed, six scrapped in Wales,

Croppers trash 75% of GE wheat crop 13: EDINBURGH - Fife EF! Uproot displayed by IACR at Royal Agricultural 4: BEAGLEHOLE, EDMONTON, Show. Warnings but no arrests.

18: BELSAY, PERRYFIELDS - Genetix 17: OFFSHORE OIL RIGS - 70 rigs x damaged... £150m to be bought ashore and 21: OLYMPIC, THURSTON COUNTY, dismantled as a result of the Brent Spar 12: BELSAY, PONTELAND - GE oil seed rape crop trashed.

Department of Agriculture's Plant Health Inspection Service (PHIS) facility: \$1.5m damage.

Department of Agriculture's Plant Health 'Wardens of Wiltshire' openly trash GE crop. No arrests.

21: BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, 24: WEST COTES, PONTELAND -USA - ELF trash Mexican consulate in 100' 'x' hacked in GE oil seed rape by 4: UK - Seven mutant oilseed rape sites 21: OREGON, USA - ELF / ALF torch blackbirds.

24: MANCHESTER - Surfers Against The Hedge End Sainsburys superstore ICI Runcorn was fined £80,000 (27th),

29: HIGH COURT - Birmingham relief hospitalised, road contracts must be open to public

CANADA - Sweet oil well bombed by contamination of organic farmer Guy 4: TOTNES, DEVON - 12 arrests as 17: STEBBINGS, ESSEX - Genetix site Watson's crops. Direct action is so much people try to decontaminate GE maize next to organic farm (see July 10).

## Sewage protest at Northwest Water's near Southampton had two incidents where chemicals leaked, 31 staff being

worth an hour's profits... On the 11th, the Royal Mint poured acid

CLIMATE NEWS

We've had a bit of contradictory On 3rd July, 70,00 evacuated from

phenomena just lately, more heat and Florida forest fires. Nine dies from Italian

more rain. Fires in Florida caused 70,000 heatwave. National parks destroyed by

people to be evacuated (3rd July) but fires ion Kenya. On 5th July, eight died in

unfortunately don't seem to be treatening Albanian heatwave. Hundreds of forest

Disneyland Forest fires in Mexico killed fires in Greece too. Global warming

at least 40 people. A new kind of El Nino "accelerating", say experts (7th July),

has been discovered called La Ninja temperatures up a mean 1/2°C. Salmon

(watch this space...). Yet after all this, it stocks in England and Wales 40% all

was said to be the wettest June on record. previous. Four kids died in parents car

A tornado smashed up a street in Lower boot duiring US heatwave (15th). Floods

Barley, Berkshire (14th June). There were in Huntley, New Zealand (17th). Five

flash floods in Fort Rose, Scotland and a dead in Romania. 22nd day of 38°

hurricane in Moscow (21st) - five died, temperatires in Texas. 1,200 died in

and the Kremlin and Bolshoi ballet were Yangtze floods, China (28th). Flash floods

into a Welsh river, the sixth admitted leak in five years, but they can't be prosecuted die to Crown immunity. Yet anothert good reason for abolishing the monarchy! 80 litres of the pesticide Atrzine were tipped into the Cuckmere near Hailsham (13th)

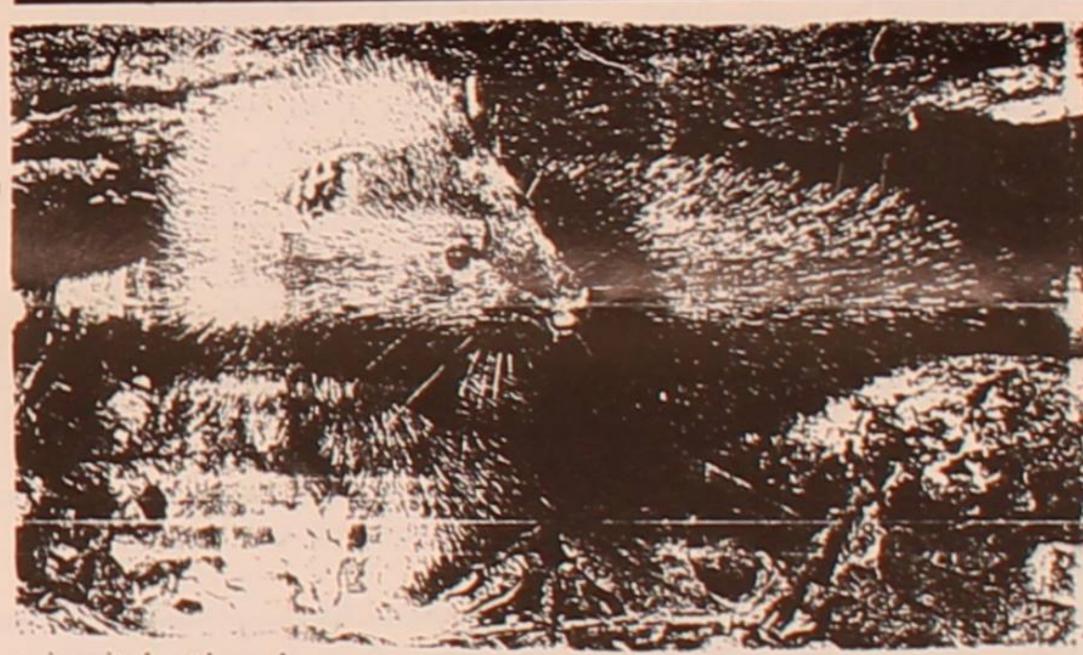
concerned citizens dessed as endangered MoD/BNFL were fined £10m for a 60% of coral reefs are said to be under nuclear leak at Aldermaston (10th June). threat from pollution.

in Scotland, Newark, disrupt railways.

perhaps one of the worst polluters in Britain, but the fine probably wasn't even

## VEHICLES 'TO DOUBLE' BY 2010

and residents were warned to keep clear of There could be 50m cars on the road by the water. Israel was criticised for 2010. This will gridlock motorways and allowing fertiliser toxic waste to be other main roads, and profoundly affect dumped into the Med. On 20th, the Hayes the environment, health and air quality. factory, St Helens, released sulphuric acid. More cars is not the answer.



university hunt kennels. Wild MInks raid fur farm.

19: LINZ, HOLLAND - 20,000 turkey zone. 14 arrests as north Oxford blockaded chicks freed at airport anti-live exports instead.

21: TOBERMORY, ONTARIO, spectator Paul Haggar of London injured CANADA - Rabbit freed from garage. in bull run.

government animal abuse properties. 27: KONNAVERIN, SWEDEN - 50 18: PARAMI, NEW JERSEY, USA voles and 14 other animals freed.

targets sprayed &c. store bricked in retaliation for jailing of USA - ALF paint-bomb fur billboard. Hockleys leafleteer.

fur stores trashed. foxes from fur farm. UMEA, SWDEN - Meat truck and two fur three fur stores.

stores trashed. KARTUILA, SWEDEN - Beagle breeder freed. posted bullets.

100 brickings. VIENNA, AUSTRIA - Six hunting towers and stealing his camera. felled + dozens of fur stores trashed. SWEDEN - Butyric acid stink bombs used storm lobster-boilers shop.

against circus owners.

2: OUTSKUNYEN, SWEDEN animals freed.

- Chipperfields receive letter bomb after Foster's anti-hunt bill withdrawn. Voting changes nothing - direct action now! 3: MIDDLETON, WISCONSIN, USA - freed. 310 animals freed from university by 8: RINGWOOD, HAMPSHIRE - 6,000

> 4: DRYDEN, NEW YORK, USA - 150 all mink in UK. woodchucks freed from fur research

19: BJORSKY, MALMO, SWEDEN - 11: WITNEY, OXFORDSHIRE - Hill-

ALF torch fur trucks.

Defence League also torch fur truck. 24: LONDON - Kangeroo meat protest at

28: ATLANTA, GEORGIA, USA - Three Sainsburys HQ. Exotic meat trashed in south coast stores. 30: Nr. GOTHENBURG, SWERDEN - 16: NEW JERSEY, USA - ALF trash 26: VARBERG, SWEDEN - ALF trash

29: KOUJRI, SWEDEN - 31 lab rats

months for assaulting LACS' Chris Owen DEAL, KENT - £500 damage done as 50

## LONDON - ALF brick three butchers and an exotic Chinese resturant.

## AUGUST

1: VIKTI, SWEDEN - 500 mink freed. 3: WESTMINSTER, LONDON - Mike 1: WILMSLOW - One arrest at protest against Huntingdon Death Sciences lab. 2: ESKILSTOME, SWEDEN - 800 mink

mink freed from fur farm by ALF, 10% of



# TALIBAN TV

Taliban fighters in Kabul, Afghanistan,

# PARK 'MISSING'

world at Althorpe, Linconshire, were 'gobsmackered' to find it was at Althorpe,

London Underground on 15th June, plus sie provider in a legal move which could othes. There were several railway have implications for Net privacy maintenance strikes. The French pilots government blocked ex-MI5 op David An interesting development has been the

# ECODEFENCE

For more information: Earth First! Action Update, PO Box 9656, London N4 4JY; and Da Or Die

9: LINCOLNSHIRE - Test plot of GE

11: PENICUIK, SCOTLAND - GE 4: WATLINGTON, OXFORDSHIRE - scrutiny, opening the way to protests.

Italy and Ausria.

GE crop.

more - well - direct ....

DIARY OF

LIBERATION

For further information: ALF Supporters Group, BM Box 1160, London WC1N 3XX and Arkangel, BM Box 9240, London WC1N 3XX.

25: TALJESTAD, SWEDEN - 22 hens 30: SURREY - ALF free animals from

# 1: SAN CESAREO, ITALY - ALF free

3: SOLNA, SWEDEN - £5,000 damage house firebombed. to home of viv. 5: STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN . Four fur stores bricked and daubed. 6: ENSKEDALEN, SWEDEN - ALF

1,600 mink. Offices torched.

torch meat truck.

6: ROME, ITALY - Four mollies thrown at McDonalds. 13: UDINE, ITALY - Two punx arrested after smashing McDonalds windows. 14: PISA, ITALY - Leaflets with vivs' spraying powder extinguisher through 11: AMAL, SWEDEN - DBF free two lab addresses and phone numbers handed out.

beagle from vet school. 19: PALM BEACH, FLORIDA, USA -ALF trash circus vehicles. 24: STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN - Lock-on 29: ROVEREDO IN PIANO - Bird freed. circus thug hit elephant. Letter bombs to

stores. 25: STEWKLEY MEADOWS, CAM-BRIDGESHIRE - ALF smash windows Harlan Olac breeder bricked. and cages at Inferfauna breeders. 26: STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN - Chief für - Abusive farmer Colin French beaten and ALF free four beagle puppies from

at uni followed by ALf trashing 12 fur

two animal abuse establishments: £3,000

29: STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN - Home and car of Karolinska Institute viv trashed.

vet's home bricked by ALF.

Butcher bricked. 6: HOLLAND - 12 butchers bricked. 10: FLORENCE, ITALY - Nestle ware-

14: NORTHAMPTONSHIRE - ALF free 9: COPENHAGEN, DENMARK 150 battery hens. 15: FIRENZE, ITALY - ALF torch four trashed. Nestle trucks. 19: MINSTER LOVELL, OXFORD- bricked.

three Hillgrove staff. SWEDEN - ALF close fur shop after McDonalds bricked.

22: VIENNA, AUSTRIA - 16 für shops 17: HRYTHROP, CHIPPING NORTON bricked and glued.

31: WINSLOW, BUCKINGHAMSHIRE 18: BARTON, CAMBRIDGESHIRE -

bricked by ALF.

home damaged. 30: STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN - ALF hit

two milk lorries.

1: BRUTON, SOMERSET - Livestock hauliers' incenduary bomb attack. 1: STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN - ALF torch

6: UDINE, ITALY - 1,500 rabbits freed 1: WALTHAMSTOW, EAST LONDON from farm. 8: KARLSTAD, SWEDEN - DBF attack seven dairy lorries. 8: GUELPH, CANADA - University

> Slaugherhouse sloganised and trucks 9: VIENNA, AUSTRIA - 16 für shops

sloganised and cars trashed.

SHIRE - ALF trash homes and cars of 10: PARK FARM, OXFORDSHIRE Mink freed from uni breeders. 20: MOLNDAL, GOTHENBURG, 10: ARSTA, STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN -

18: UPPSALA, SWEDEN - DBF free 20: HACKNEY, LONDON - ALF torch 17: HACKNEY, LONDON - ALF torch meat truck.

> 30: LONDON - Hocklley's fur shop Blakemore, Hillgrove staff all previously 31: BICESTER, OXFORDSHIRE - 17: ARESTA, SWEDEN - Wold Mink free 100s of chinchillas from fur farm.

grove protest thwarted by police exclusion

13: PAMPLONA, SPAIN - Animal abuse

21: THURSTON, USA - ALF / ELF torch 16: NEW JERSEY, USA - ALF trash Woodbridge fur store.

28: VIENNA, AUSTRIA? - Three fur 19: NEW JERSEY, USA - Animal 28: KNIGHTSBRIDGE, LONDON - Fur 22: BRANCHKERRY, NEW JERSEY,

Wild MInk free 250 mink and 20 arctic Woodbridge fur store again (see 16th).

31: TARPORLEY - Hunt scum Tony NORTH CAROLINA, USA - ALF claim Kirkham of Rodley Farm jailed for 15

# PRISONERS OF WAR

We list revolutionaries have been jailed for their beliefs so you can write them letters of support (nothing compromising!). Those not listed shouldn't take it as a sleight they've been excluded - just send us your details and we'll put you on our free mailing list Prisoner details change rapidly and may be out of date by the time you read GA.

## EARTH LIBERATION

TED KACZYNSKI (04475-046), US Penitentiary - Administrative Maximum Facility, PO Box 8500, Florence, CO 81226, USA (convicted as the Unabomber BARRY HORNE [VC2141], HMP Full DAN POUSTI [BV5621], HMP difference would one more book on MI5

jailed for symbolic bank robbery whilst KEITH MANN [EE3588], HMP KEVIN HICKEY [AP7904], HMP As an asylum-seeker, Shayler shouldn't be David Shayler [269151F], 42 rue de Road, Oxford OX4 1RQ (US Ploughshare paroled for nuke-smashing action)

DANIEL UNZITYI, Iruneako Gartzela, San Roque Kalea z/g, Irunea-Pamplona, Spain (jailed for three years in 1997 or offences) speaking out against a dam under BARBARA TRENHOLM [RL 1292], FRANK ALLEN [CDC 189699], 550 N construction in the Basque country that HMP Bullwood Hall, High Road, was later sabotaged)

## MOVE

MUMIA ABU JAMAL c/o MOVE, PO (MOVE supporter and radical journalist jailed and sentenced to death in 1983 after being framed for shooting a cop)

CHARLES SIMMS AFRICA DEBBIE SIMMS AFRICA DELBERT ORR AFRICA EDWARD GOODMAN AFRICA JANET HOLLOWAY AFRICA JANINE PHILLIPS AFRICA MICHAEL DAVIS AFRICA WILLIAM PHILLIPS AFRICA

circumstances-are radical, mainly Black, stealing Custer's diary) environmentalists all serving life after

ing framed for the death of a cop during CLINTON ELLERMAN the 1982 Powelton Avenue siege)

## ANIMAL LIBERATION

unwarranted 18 years)

Hockley, Essex.

JUSTIN WRIGHT [GE3046] HMYOI year) Easton, Portland, Dorset DT5 1DL. Sentenced for arson on a pub used by live

exporters, Barb to 10 years, Justin to 5. GEOFF SHEPPARD [MD1030], HMP DARREN COLE [OX4137], HMP Parkhurst, Newport, Isle of Wight PO30 Elmley, Church Road, Eastchurch, Box 19709, Philadelphia 19143, USA 5NX (nearing the end of his 7 year Sheerness, Kent ME12 4AY (remanded for the second s

> Road, Winchester SO22 5HY (soon to allegedly liberating mink from fur farm) finish a 6 year, 9 month sentence for PHIL DE SOUSA [AW6116], HMP possessing an incendiary)

especially welcomed

Philadelphia 19143, USA (The MOVE AZ 85706, USA (sentenced to 57 months London SE28 0EB. Nine-the ninth prisoner, Merle Africa, for various animal liberations and-in recently died in custody under suspicious solidarity with other native Americans-

DOUG ELLERMAN

300 East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111-3207, USA (Clinton is serving two years for mink liberation and torching a Tandy Leather store; Doug faces trial for 16 federal violations, inc. \$1m damage to the tah Fur Breeder's Co-op)

Support Group, Box X, 111 Magdalen targets in Bristol &c - serving a totally to 15 months for liberation raid on Oxford deny all Shaylers' disclosures, any trial

Parkhurst, Newport, Isle of Wight PO30 Springhaill, Grendon Underwood, extradited of held in prison. Demand the Sante, 75014 Paris, France. 5NX (nearing the end of an 11 year Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire HP1 8OT sentence for over half a dozen consecutive (recently sentenced to 12 months for handling a liberated Hillgrove cat)

> Flower, Santa Ana, CA 92703, USA (tried to torch high school slaughterhouse - one After months on the run, Joshua Ellerman Facing sentencing for 16 federal counts of

ANNETTE TIBBLES [ME3519], HMP Eastwood Park, Falfield, Wooton-under-Edge, Gloucester GL12 8DB (three months for police assault at Hillgrove)

sentence for possession of a shotgun and for an anti-live exports bomb hoax at incendiary devices. London letters Dover docks and criminal damage to a West Bromwich meat plant)

JACOB KENNISON [06329-081], Yuma GILLY PEACHEY [RL3415], HMP Unit, 37900 N 45th Avenue, Dept. 1700, Winchester, Women's Annexe, Romsey Phoenix, AZ 85027-7004 (remanded for

Lewes, Brighton Road, Lewes, East Sussex BN17 1EA) ROD CORONADO [3895-000], FCI COLIN RICHARDS [CN5368], HMP All c/o MOVE, PO Box 19709, Unit SW, 8901 S. Wilmot Road, Tucson, Belmarsh, Western Way, Thamesmead,

> Both jailed for sabbing, though we currently have no further details.

## FREE DAVID SHAYLER

officer David Shayler was siezed by French police last 3rd August.

It seems the prospect of Shayler publishing on the Net got Millbank going. Within days of imprison-ment, Shayler threatened to "bring down the government" should he be bought to trial with disclosures about a 1993 plot to assassinate Libyan ruler Momar Kadafi using hardline Islamicists Both at Salt Lake County Jail, 450 South as proxies. As MI5's liason with MI6's Libyan desk, he was in a position to know.

Jack Straw was pathetic to cave in to MI5 hawks and they equally stupid to push this into court. Shayler's no wild-eyed radical his complaint was not that the Security Service worked, but that it didn't. What Sutton, Moor Lane, York YO4 1PS Bullingdon, PO Box 50, Bicester, have made anyway - as if it won't be (incendiary campaign against vivisection Oxfordshire OX6 0PR (recently sentenced written for sure now? As MI5 are forced to French conform to the UN Charter! will be a farce, his acquittal guaranteed. Letters of support to:



## JOSH HANDS HIMSELF IN

has handed himself in, saying he couldn't firebombing trucks and buildings at Utah's take the strain of being underground, biggest fur facility, Josh could face life. In never knowing when he'd be arrested.

Amerika, an 'in practice' 20-40 year sentence is not impossible. No, seriously.



## KEITH MANN

Keith Mann should have been freed by now. Instead, in HMP Long Lartin, he was denied his privileges, job and visits from his partner. On 25th June, he was moved to the prison's punishment block without even being given the opportunity to dress, and then to the block in HMP Parkhurst.

This may be because of a series of articles exposing prison routine absurdities in The Law, something Jack Straw's attempts to keep prisoners incommunicardo prohibits. This suggestion is yet to be confirmed.

Assistance needed via:

Justice For Keith Mann, PO Box 3690, Bracknell, Berkshire RG12 8NW

RUN ! THEY'RE

# GANDALF FEATURE

# SPOOK RECYCLED

# Tim Hepple's re-emergence and new wave Holocaust revisionism

Out there, it's a battle for the minds... A long time back, we had historical revisionism, David Irving. We had holocaust denial. Then a new age - the CASSELLS state started hyping occultism, New Age shite. To classify them as extremists and millenarian sects gave Millbank something to do now the Blandfords. We understand this is going tothreat of Communism has ended. Enter Nexus and David Icke regurgitating show how WW2 Nazi scientists invented the long-forgotten Protocols of the Elders of Zion that Hitler used as a flying saucers. Some of this will postbasis for genocidal anti-semitism. The same game plan is now being humously rehabilitate Nazi death scientists recycled with UFO spotters...

Long-term readers of GA know all about collecting antics, pushing the thesis that all the Harz mountains, perhaps 150 people a Tim Hepple, the Searchlight / MI5 UFOs are stealth technology aircraft. infiltrator and agent provocateur who tried to destroy GA back in 1992. Hepple SCAM infiltrated the BNP and also helped set up a fascist pseudo-gang called the Church of Partly it's a scam to 'incite' people into murderers were then supposedly transthe Creator (CoTC) editing their news- invading Wartion (Britain's "Area 51" planted to the US to continue their work. letter White Resistance for a time until he according to Hepple). Does this tie up with came out as an infiltrator on World In the Janet Lovelace Ploughshares infiltrat-Action (The Terror Squad, 19th April ion? UFO spotters are also being directed 1993).

## SOUTHPORT UFO CONFERENCE MAYHEM

whole Searchlight scam wide open (see programme but it's all designed to make directors: GA33) Hepple vanished. Later he people think there is... Partly, it's a scam JF Roney (company secretary), 88 reappeared in Southport having changed to monitor sightings of covert technology going round setting up UFO spotter clubs partly it's a scam testing for leaks in the 8LS. and newsletters, up to his old address list MoD itself. You decide which.

by glorifying Nazi technologies. Built with slave labour in underground factories in week--probably many more than this--died in the Nordhausen / SS camp Dora complex producing Hitler's secret weapons. These same scientists / mass

We say it's wrong to try to rehabilitate fascism in this way. Obviously, Hepple's towards long deactivated Cold War book serves a wider, secret state agenda. bunkerrs like Hawthorne near Bath. Still It's not clear just how far Blandford working for his secret state masters, publishers (owned by Cassells) are Hepple obligingly distracts attentioon from Hepple's dupes. If you feel this is wrong, other, perhaps more significant sites. Or you may want to write polite lertters After A Lie Too Far (ALTF) blew the maybe there's no stealth technology explaining your point of view to Cassells'

Woodford Crescent, Pinner HA5 3TY his name to Tim Matthews. He's been planes-"ring our UFO hotline"-and SJ Butcher, 10 Grove Park, London SE5



Alan D Smith, 110 Barnsbury Road, London N1 0ES.

Road, St Albans, Hertfordshire AL1

Much more information on Heppler's past Philip J Sturrock, Flat 14, 11 Avenue career and infiltration of the UFO scene is availiable from Larry O' Hara, BM Box 4769, London WCIN 3XX

society. We have to challenge and change this.... pay, higher salaries in the city. Prestige

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when the one philosophy capable of

try to engage with the education system.

are saying about us (if anything).

this situation changed.

I feel so angry about it. So long as they go

on falsifying the true conditions of

### Education is supposedly about broadening people out. Children are taught about the CLASS world and shown different aspects; music,

and respect were lost.

begun to contest...

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and other things.

by government 'experts'.

Think about disempowerment. It starts when children are told they are

is, that they must always follow orders. Some aspects of society are

society. The school is a model or microcosm of the wider, conformist

There are structural problems with sport, art, science, engineering, literature, education because British education is mathematics, computers, biology, history and so on. Latent capacities are supposed organised on class lines. The kids learn to be drawn out, people are given skills for their places in life and don't stray outside later life, and an orientation towards the the parameters. Until we tackle the public world they live in. Kids also interact with school / Oxbridge problem, we will always other children, learn about society, ethics be in difficulty. This is the opposite side of the coin to the Ridings school in Halifax, the sink comprehensive, and then on to the Education is a positive thing. There are local tech college, YTS, compulsory several problems though, which follow going-nowhere government training from the fact that the education system is scheme, prison etc.

### controlled by the state. Teachers' salaries, school buildings, books, materials, heating INDOCTRINATION

and lighting are paid for out of taxation. We can contrast the idea of education This money is controlled by the govern-(drawing people out) with the opposite ment. The school curriculum is determined indoctrination; keeping people pressed down, stamping society's pattern on them. During the Thatcher years, the education The idea of a national curriculum is a case system was shat on. Teachers' salaries in point. The abolition of philosophy went down, morale collapsed. The departments at universities is another 'National curriculum' was imposed by example of the same indoctrination Kenneth Baker. Some core topics like approach. 'We' (ie. the system) determine Physics and maths suffered because of what is to be taught. The idea of miles and

ent thought is anathema. Hence the lack of break this trend. creative thinking in society at large.

## useless, that they can change nothing, that they must accept the world as it CONDITIONING

changing, and these attitudes are being hammered. One area where they parameters. Working class lads on the sink responsibility of people from the local centres of anarchism. If kids learn about are still being imposed is in school. This is not always the fault of teachers estates sheer at the university. Some of this community; ie. pupils, teachers, parents... direct democracy, and their own physical - apathy and despair are ingrained, a continuously repeated theme in is understandable though - if the best If committees are elected, the main capacity to change things in this open, university can offer is accountancy, law or meeting has to have the power to revoke practical way, these lessons filter through indoctrination is to narrow down choice.

Education is a battleground for the mind of the future - but it is

## LOCAL COMMUNITY

Enough whinging about the problem. Westminster bureaucrats and the rest in its own abolition. Here is a door we What are the solutions? The first part of it is about democracy and local control. We teach people about radical politics by turning our schools themselves into models of the radical society. The local community (if it is to exist at all) has to break free from the County Hall, Westminster and Brussels stranglehold. The obvious way to do this is with taxation. Instead of losing 30-40% or more of the local economy top the toxic centre, that cash should be kept in the area, and used to the benefit of people here.

## DIRECT DEMOCRACY

People only get what they are prepared to fight for. The job of educating my kids is my responsibility. Nobody else ought to be lumbered with this. Nobody else should have to pay for it. It is basically laziness that has allowed the state to get away with this for so long. Laziness and apathy. The community that is incapable of asserting its capacities against the centre will d and communities are dy

one area of society anarchists and radicals have hardy even

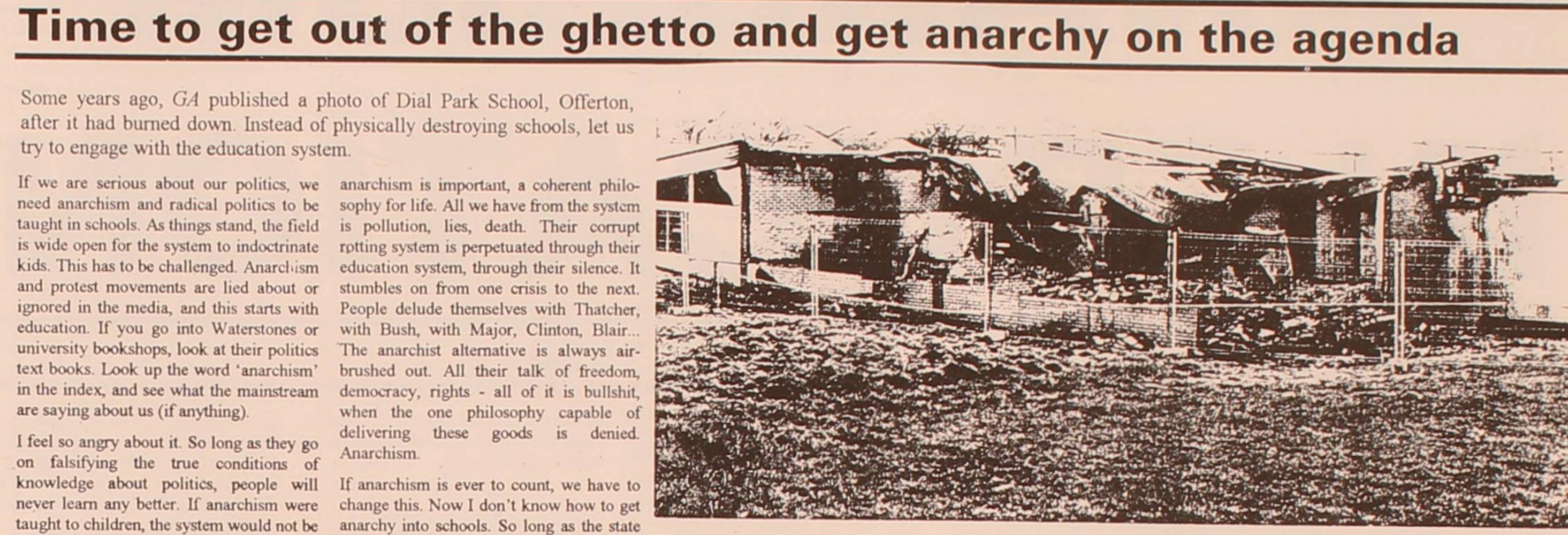
should be booted right out of it.

Each school should hold regular open Education is treated as a community meetings, where policy and curriculum function, and direct democracy the method questions are decided. The day to day by which the community asserts itself. We People are conditioned into accepting the running of the school should be the turn the schools themselves into teaching the yuppie thing, forget it. What are your aspirations? Part of the function of local community itself benefits from the political implications. It all starts with the school, the local community itself pays for Green Anarchist demand that anarchism the school. The community decides what is be taught in schools. The state can never done with their facilities. Outsiders, allow this, for this would be to acquiesce have to push against...

# LUNCH OUTS?

When we decided to do the education theme, we mailed out to the groups listed indemeath, inviting them to contribute to this issue of Green Anarchist. Not one of them bothered to reply. Perhaps these people are good groups, doing positive work to advance radical education. OR it could be that they are smug, arrogant tossers who don't want outsiders trespassing on their territory. Perhaps they are elitist. Perhaps they just hate GA, or don't want the Hampshire Thought Police kicking their doors in. Who can tell? It may be that our experience here is typical. Anyway, here is the list at publication day:

Lib Ed, Phoenix House, 170 Wells Road, Bristol BS4 2AG Summerhill School, Leiston, Suffolk IP16 4HY Education Otherwise, PO Box 7420, London N9 9SG Green Academics Network, 120a Marlborough Road, Oxford OX1 4LS Green Teacher, Swyn Y Mor, Pen Yr Angor, Aberystwyth SY23 1BJ Students for Environmental Action c/o Grassroots office, Students Union, Manchester University, Oxford Road, Manchester M13 9PR



able to get away with its lies. Friedman, keeps its stranglehold, it will never permit Their cover-up about anarchism is anti- bureaucrats is wrong. It might mirror the Somehow we need to air the proposal, to Hayek are on the reading list. Kropotkin, this. We have to start somewhere. So let's democratic and anti-freedom.

ANARCHY IN SCHOOL

William Morris, Zerzan are not. It is time put the proposal on the table. We want The whole idea of their nationally anarchism to be taught in schools. We determined curriculum; their educational It makes me so angry because I know that need to all get together and argue for this. model of indoctrination, control by

lobby the Department of Education. and it starts with education.

outside society, but it is totalitarian, and it get it on the record, put it on the agenda. needs to change. As a first step, I think we We desperately need to get anarchy in need to approach educators, we need to schools. Anarchy has a brilliant future.

## A symposium in Lancaster, 24th April 1998

.The state indoctrinates children against radical politics through its conservative and dictatorial. It remains of Education, LEA's etc were mooted, but education system. This colours their perceptions against us for life. They are made receptive to the negative messages of the media. We see the fruits of all this in the GAndALF case, and many other places. How can

anarchists challenge his situation? **RUN BY THE SYSTEM** 

he overall mood of the meeting was tat schools are set up by the system, run for the benefit of the system, and exist o preserve the political and economic status quo. The whole ideology of anarchism runs counter to this and so would never be allowed into schools.

One person pointed out how the school cirrocumuli is determined by the CBI, IBM, McDonalds etc etc to educate the kids into the whole 'buy. Consume, obey, reproduce...' ethos. This all depends on the system eliminating their capacity to think for themselves.

Another pointed out that schools can be run by religious nutters, evangelical Christians pushing corporal punishment, the Jesuit Brethren and so on. It would be seen as 'indoctrination; an ideological that, if anarchism were to be taught in schools. The double standard.

Almost everyone present expressed concern that if anarchism was taught in schools, the system would water it down, present a hostile version of it, or it would otherwise be recuperated in some way.

Mega-corporations are allowed to bribe school sold copies of the Class War paper, THE AIRBRUSH their way into schools via 'teaching' (= which got to be very popular with pupils. made about preparing alternative history of bounds. leaflets, for example about the Chartists, Luddites or about Lancaster's involvement Summerhill school was discussed, but in the slave trade. Various types of thought to be implicitly elitist, because it 'community resistance' type history was charged fees. Lib Ed was also mentioned.

## CLASS WAR IN THE PLAYGROUND

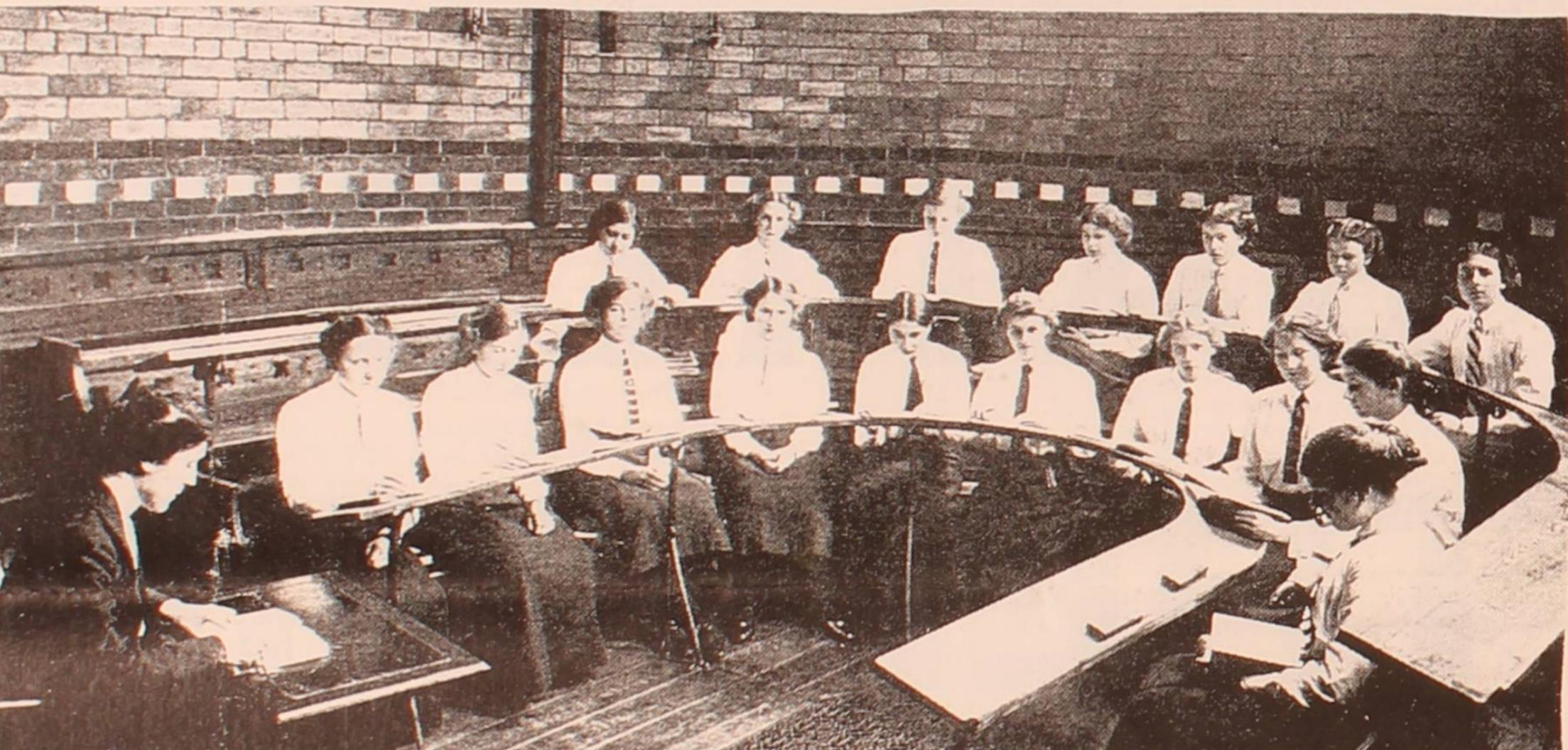
It was suggested kids could produce their own anarchist magazine, various antischool initiatives were also discussed.

One person told of how a newsagent near a

Yorkshire was mentioned, and how the ought to respond to this. education establishment persistently marginalised him, and 'pissed on his fire'.

progressive lecturer at a college in difficult to see how the radical movement

seen as problematic. Anarchism and radical politics were acknowledged to have no influence here, with no base for lobbying, and such moves were thought of as implicitly reformist by most present.



indoctrination) packs, pre-prepared aids, The headmaster found out, and stopped brochures, videos etc. One suggestion was this, threatening to put the paper shop out

being airbrushed out, for obvious reasons. THE TRAINING TREADMILL The idea of approaching Teacher Training

Colleges and Teachers Unions was

suggested. Most agreed that many

individual teachers were sympathetic, but

TT colleges were seen as structurally

Everyone agreed that the state could never be trusted to teach about anarchism in publicity, that the proposal that anarchism schools; what it would move heaven and be taught in schools could freak out the in the door?

The idea of a 'National Cirriculum' was seen by everybody as implicitly non- and initiatives for lobbying the department schools, colleges, university...

## MICRO-LIGHTS DROPPING LEAFLETS

Reference was made to the threat of bac media. The Daily Mail hysterically THINKING LONG TERM The idea of producing yet more boring sensationalism factor 'Anarchist Threat to

Sexism and racism are not permitted in schools, but prejudice about anarchism and radical politics is not even a topic. We are at the first hurdle, where hey don't even admit we exist. How do we get a foot

textbooks was seen as counterproductive. Schools'. It was suggested that the shock The meeting acknowledged that most Yet out there are whole swathes of horror factor might be used to spread anarchist movements are drifting from day revolutionary history, 1848, the Paris awareness of the proposal. Publicity stunts to day. Most @ groups do not think long Commune (not mentioned though the like the proverbial microlight dropping term or strategically. We don't have an Franco-Prussian war at the same tome anarchist leaflets into school playgrounds agenda. We haven't even started to think was), 1926 General Strike, Spanish Civil might be useful for this. At this stage, we about education. So how do we get War, all of which are not generally taught. mainly need o thump the table and get the anarchism in schools? Perhaps the only proposal aired. Anarchism in education way we can have influence in this area is isn't even on the agenda. Various ideas to develop our own separate anarchist

# DECK CHAIR AUDIT

# Blair is introducing politics into citizenship lessons in schools. Radical politics is not on the agenda - but watch this space...

Concern at the democratic deficit has driven a government quango to 43%. Consent to the state is dead in the wonder people think they're shit. produce a 24 page booklet Education for Citizenship and the Teaching of Democracy in Schools (Qualifications and Curriculum Authority, voting made no difference, 10% did not Newcombe House, 45 Notting Hill Gate, London W11 3JB). For the trust any politicians. Official figures yes, What alternatives are there? Marxism is political mainstream to be concerned about teaching democracy in schools but even these show increasing realism dead. Socialism is dead. Consensus is a little like counting deck chairs on the Titanic, but the report does have buckets, whole tankers of whitewash are collapsed. Global capitalism is triumphant. some positive aspects and provides some small opportunity for us to called for. spread knowledge of anarchism and radical politics.

## YOUTH ALIENATION

The media often whine about it. The 1997

worried. The alienation of young people parliament doubled 1991-1995. Even this Hillgrove, Newbury, RTS or whatever.

News gets better. Disrespect for groups. There are always protests like from mainstream politics is particularly official state report describes this Radical politics is fun, relevant, going dangerous. People turn to direct action, not alienation as "potentially explosive". "An places. A decade ago, Margaret Thatcher CITIZENSHIP general election had the lowest post-WW2 the ballot box, when the state gives them entire generation has opted out of party proclaimed that "there is no such thing as turnout. The whole idea of consent is grief. 25% of the 18-24 age group politics" a DEMOS think tank report says. society". There are no limits. Mainstream threatened, the social contract ripped to declined to vote in 1992 (State's own Digging tunnels is so much more effective politicians, both in Britain and the USA

about mainstream politics. Not just politics is dead. Communism has Yet in every town there are alternative

up to 32% (state figure) - MORI said years. New Deal, student tuition fees, no is too late to put that genie back in the bottle. There is this talk about 'communitarianism' which is best defined as 'Thatcherism with a facade of fake compassion'. Hilary Clinton pushed this slogan "It takes a village..." and Tony Blair went on about the stakeholder society. Blair also waffles about 'right and responsibilities' - this idea that the stakeholder society is a reciprocal sort of set up, you have to give something in

So we come to the Blairite notion of 'active citizenship'. This report is heavily shreds. Despite all the whitewash, they are statistics). In 1997 the official figure was

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'Citizenship education must be education curriculum here, and advocates the setting for citizenship' (p.5, para 1:7) was my up of a quango - the Standing Committee particular favourite. If anybody can tell on Citizenship Education, which will have The authors have a slight problem here, they don't have a clear definition of see any anarchists or members of radical ing to define it, but somehow the definition SUBJECTS slips from their grasp. The basic idea is for people to get involved in public affairs,

pay their taxes. Schools already teach 'citizenship' or PSI (Personal and Social Education). This Will pupils be given videos of Swampy comprises sex education, drugs, social issues like wealth and poverty. It tries to approach topics from a neutral, factual saying "Radical politics? - Just say no, standpoint, with case studies, asking questions, trying to get pupils to form opinions. It is pitched at a basic level, and However, it is a good initiative and ought to be encouraged and supported.

This report noted the vagueness problem. Windsor - they are locked inside a expect you to see it. Out of a survey of resentment of this fact more people join A second, follow-up report is to be issued monarchical, feudal system. So here is one 8,000 responses to the government white pressure groups than political parties (p. in July, which (so it is said) will set out obvious falsehood already. It assumes all paper Excellence in Schools only 2.7% 16, para 5:4): clearer objectives to be written into the the mainstream elements - the Parlia- expressed views on citizenship training (so curriculum - the setting out of rigid or mentary paradigm, the political party much for their own 'participatory demotight 'learning outcomes' as they put it. system, voting, taxation, law, deference to cracy'!). Mostly the responses were on This committee, chaired by one time authority; all those bankrupt mainstream practical questions: teaching time, money, George Orwell biographer Professor shibboleths are assumed as given, are not staff, resources. Some were concerned Bernard Crick, is bidding for 5% of the open to questioning or rejection.

nation state, while stressing the importance of Europe. Independence of thought is

over the fact that participants in the always had problems with logical Even in the section on mainstream

mainstream are subjects of Elizabeth coherence. Not that they'd notice, or political alienation they acknowledge their

contradictions here. See them push the JUST SAY NO!

paradigm (vote, pay tax, etc) has a down modelled on a drug aversion programme, side. The cat is inadvertently let out of the will pupils be given videos of Swampy bag on p. 18, para 5:12, where an inner saying "Radical politics? - Just say no, London drugs education programme kids"? Skinner rides again. This seems to be the

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### Ah, so the kids aren't apathetic, right? The real aim of these 'behaviour modifiers' is to assimilate this living concern into the sterile, bankrupt mainstream paradigm.

Don't get me wrong, its not all bad. At the end of this booklet, the British Youth Council has a section advocating empowerment, people thinking for themselves, being catalysts for change, and calls for schools councils. It is the 'crack of light in the door' syndrome. Once the state admits political education into schools, anarchism and radical politics

Let the mainstream demonstrate its bankruptcy. It's quite funny that this 24 page booklet ends with a lecture about law, justice etc from the Lord Chancellor, the man with the £40,000 roll of wall paper. Check out their teaching materials for bias and errors. Expose, laugh at them. How about DHSS 'New Deal' type spoof pamphlets to parody their stuff? We may yet get anarchy into schools.

# AGAINST EDUCATION

## A dissenting view on Green Anarchist's education project

Suggesting 'if only anarchy was taught in schools, we'd all be anarchists' -child-centred learning-are supposed to stuck with the system long enough to get always been something abstract and or, more subtly, 'there would be more toleration of anarchists' reminds put power in the hands of pupils, so they teaching degrees, and routine external imposed to homogenise and control me of calls for a continental anarchist federation in the US in 1989, which included the suggestion that if only people could read the truth abnout anarchism in libraries, we'd all be anarchists. Bob Black took this on in this acceptable if experiments like insistence on conventionally-understood LITERARY his Anti-Anarchiost Conspiracy: An Empirical Test (Beneath the Underground, pp. 3840) where he demonstrated there were generally more qualification-wise than orthodox educated parents can take it onboard anarchist classics in any library than most street anarchists are likely to education, and what with the National (though we appreciate there are Since Aries' Centuries of Childhood, read in a lifetime. This call to educate the plebs about anarchism says Cirriculum now and the Blairites adopting exceptions here) and, as Su Negrin makes there have been other studies of much for the zeal of those making it, but little about the perennia unpopularity of anarchism.

## KIDS RESISTANCE

anarchism or anything else-with disorder obligatory - none of which turns pupils OUTSIDE THE SYSTEM? in schools, wholesale absenteeism from into socialists or Bolsheviks or even make them and endless attempts to burn them them particularly tolerant of or interested Of course, every heresy has its Geneva, rejection of schooling is so consistent that jump through. some sociologists suggest the education systyem is actually set up to work that KNOWLEDGE way! There's a clarity and militancy of IS NOT ENOUGH resistance here that beggars that in the workplace when kids move on to that. As said previously, fundamentally schools There's a clear recognition that here's an are about getting people to accept institution they don't like and don't need boredom and discipline and the content of and so they do all they can to refuse it.

It can be argued that the skills and knowledge taught in schools is something worth having--it equips us to survive in a labour--but the classroom authoritarianism and tedium kids have to go through to get to make revolution.

## ANARCHISM ON THE CIRRICULUM

From this perspective, asking for anarchism to become part of the school cirriculum puts you on the wrong side. In a way, anarchism--in the crude sense of CHILD-CENTRED 'stuff about anarchists'-is on the cirriculum already - you can read the

Certainly, 19th century socialism is the It's pretty obvious that nowadays kids democracy'-type history teaching and stuff good. It's reformist and negotiationistic, initiatives with adults-I've run evening don't want to be educated-about on the Russian Revolution is pretty much

amongst working class kids - their more boring crap to learn and hoops to anathematised private sector. As with or consumers (parents) figuring things

what's taught is pretty incidental to this. We're indebted to Foucault's Discipline & Punish for pointing out moderm schooling came from the same organisational principles as modern prisons, factories and military organisation, so we should hardly expect them to produce anything other

them suggests the cost acquiring them is The image of some stern-but, nowadays, too high and, of course, we know that they no doubt (job-) insecure--schoolmaster just prefigure the authoritarianism and blindly drumming anarchism into kids' tedium of the workplace too. No doubt a heads and punishing them for not doing was vital to the workings of the apartheid nothing could more effectively illustrate system in South Africa - precisely why the kids of Soweto rejected Bantu schools and ideology and anarchy as instinctive learned stuff amongst themselves that resistance to dehumanisation. Calls to genuinely did make a difference - like how impose anarchism in schools represent the start of an institutionalisation of this ideology - and Perlman's Against History, would work better and so better-fund the

poetry of Blake and Shelley (maybe even Where anarchism has had a bigger impact Godwin's Caleb Williams, but that's more on society and a big impact on education a university thing) and any paucity of is from libertarian educationalists anarchist reference in History is just down recognising this paradox of authoritarian to its Anglocentrism and failure of means to anti-authoritarian ends and anarchism to make much impact in UK. turning it about. The methods of learning-

decide what they want to know and what regulation.

We doubt the State would have ever found Summerhill hadn't got better results the '3 R's rhetoric of educational traditionalists, we see this educational relationship between parent and child heresy being driven furher from the that's destructive of self-determination. classroom every day. Lobbying the State for more of this is likely to lead nowhere It's easier to set up alternative education

down. This tendency is more notable in these traditions. All that's 'just lessons'- and in education that's in the muchalternative medicene, non-State funded experiments exist but these are constantly on the edge - either of reactionary staffers

Green concerns and environmental

issues generally attract attention and

support. More young people stand up

for animal rights than for civil or

human rights.

Even with Eduation Otherwise-type one-(exam) results and that implies only better-

leaving the power to decide in their hands. classes on anarchism for the Workers Education Association myself with no real hassles-but by then, the damage hasd been done, what's taught really isn't going to make an appreciable difference to people's worldviews, their gut assumptions, because they've already been ideologised element. and trying to displace one ideology with Reading makes it posssible for people to

# effectively illustrate the go even further with computerisation. disjunction between an- AS BULLSHIT good working knowledge of Afrikaans their lessons properly is disturbing, but their lessons properly is disturbing, but socialisation to anything like the same

Against Leviathan's full of examples of project if only things were a little more EDUCATION: THE liberation ideologies (eg. Zoroastrianism, conventional, or alternately State regulat-Christian-ity) being turned around to ory bodies moving in, using 'welfare' as a should be independent critique.

> We hear Summerhill--whose limitations are explored in Su Negrin's article (pp.8-9)--is having real trouble keping going in

# NON-SCHOOL OPTION

resistance, I want to return to the non- and it's about us all, regardless of age. school, non-education alternative, which An incidental of this article is that whilst involve these compromises and paradoxes.

climate and as someone once involved in taught in schools have been discussed fine despite this - they can self-organise. an attempt to establish an alternative above, but that still leaves the question of school / farm, I can say that you're still dependant on finding outside sources of have big problems with the idea of culture funding, educational radicals that have in all respects--Culture (big 'c') has Continued on p. 9

people ideologically-but I have particular problems with the idea of schools as a means of culturating kids.

## AND 'CHILDHOOD'

only too clear, there's still a power 'childhood' as a social construct, as weak, dependant and excluded from the responsibilities (power) of adult life. It's been suggested the rise of the printing press and mass literacy was a big deal in excluding children from ordinary social life. Before all that, we lived in an oral culture where pretty much all topics were discussed between all, regardless of age. If there were tabooed (heretical!) topics, then these taboos didn't have a generational

another which formally appears more hear without speech, making compartliberatory is just playing the same old mentalisation of information easier, defering adult knowledge until the nitiation rite of education's been gone through (illiterates who don't successfully hide it are patronised just like children in more this society). No doubt this process of atomisation and social stratification will

values taught are usually competitive and Instinctive individualistic, the opposite of what they were in Medieval times. A lot of kids on degree are a lot less bratty and more selforganised than most straight adults!

## KIDS AUTONOMY

Begin At Start is ambiguous about whether kids are only powerless because adults take that onto themselves - if so, they don't need to be taught some ideology of kids liberation, that's just a codification become their opposite using just such method of imposing conformity on what As one more interested in anarchism-as- / formalisation of spontaneous resistance,

> appears to be the only one that doesn't the author clearly loves her kids, harsher critics would say the 'hands off' bit looks the current conservative educational The worthwhileness or otherwise of what's like negligence. It seems the kids got on

# THE CHIPKO MOVEMENT

# Brian Morris on indigenous ecological resistance

Early in 1973 a group of villagers near Gopeshwar in the Garhwal region of Uttar Pradesh asked the Forest Department for permission to cut some ash trees in order to make some agricultural implements. To their astonishment they were refused permission. This decision incensed the local people. The Department had already alloted ash trees in the Mandal forest to a business corporation in far-off Allahabad, one that manufactured sporting goods.

commercial interests, and timber, forest hit iponm the idea of embracing the trees. movement, is surely justified. Stressing the noting that of the 359 people killed in this their traditional forest rights and their products like rssin, and ra

w materials had long been extracted from thr forest regions. Since independence, essential continuity between the colonial and post-colonial forest policies. These policies had already undermined the autonomy and relative prosperity of the holl people, and had led to the loss and degradation of large tracts of forest, as well as giving rise to serious flooding and landslides in the Himalayan region. Only three years earliuer - in 1970 - an devastsating flood in the Alakananda valley. The village of Belakuchi, only 45 km from Gopeshwar, had been swept term, loosely translated, being Hindi for (which was the subtitle of her early This of course took plasce some three away, six bridges, 10 km of roads, and "hug". The movement soon spread to booklet on the Chipko movement) cannot centuries before Gandhi. over 600 houses destroyed, with other areas, alweays adopting as a strategy therefore be dismissed as considerable loss of livestock and human the Gandhian philosophy of nonviolent "romanticization". Women played - and life. Over 500 acres of standing paddy crop had also been devaststed. The Satyagraha, the force of truth (Sat; truth, role in the movement, and the reason for villagers, who had born the brunt of the agraha; firmness). In . 4 massive this is self-evident. For women are the hardship, were not slow to percieve the demonstrations were organised to protect "backbone" of hill society, based as rthis obvious links between the floods and the Reni forests from the timber was on organic agriculture. landslides that were becoming increasingly contractors. As local men and the region through commercial logging.

grant the local people permissionm to cut contractors' axemen could move there was an absence of sharp inequalities the ash trees was the last straw. Villagers unchallenged into the forests - it was in land ownership. The village community decided to act against this blatant injustice. largely lerft to the women to defend the has a sense of social solidarity, and Their cause was taken up by a local co- trees. This they did under the leadership of agriculture was largely focussed around operative society, the Dashauli Gram Gaura Devi. Swarajya Sangh, which was based on Throughout the next five years in different weeding, and harvesting of the crips, as Gandhian principles. One of its leading parts of Uttar Pradesh, village well as looking after the domestic animals. activists was Chandi Prasad Bhatt. This communities protected and occupied local They were also responsible for the "self-help" society was established in forests - defending them from commercial household tasks, and for the collection of 1964, and like other Sarvodaya societies exploitation. They faced harassment from fuel, fodder and water. Both fuel and in the Himilayan region haad been inspired local police who were moved in to protect fodder were gathered from the forest. by two European devotees of Gandhi, the contyractors' interests. Many Chipko There was thus an intimate and intrinsic Mirabehn (Madeleine Slade) and supporters were imprisoned. Women were link between the forest, agriculture and Saraslabehn (Catherine Heilman). After centrally involved in these struggles, while animsal husbandry. In a sense, the forest independence, both these women had Sunderlal Bahuguna went on his famous augmented the nutritive value of the settled and established ashramms in the treks through the Himalayas spreading the agricultural fields, via the medium of hills of Uttar Pradesh. In 1961 Saralabehn Chipko message. Eventually, after a livestock. Thus the destruction, and the (behn means "sister"), who had long been meeting with Bahuguna, the Indian prime restrictions on the use of the forest directly writing articlers and books on ecological minister, Indira Gandhi, recommended a affected women. As Thomas Weber puts problems of the region, created the 15 year ban on commercial forestry in the it: "sheer survival made women support Uttarkha nd Sarvodaya Mandal. It was to Uttar Pradesh forests. work for the "upliff" of the local communities and to project the Himalayan The Chipko movement has usually been Equally, the Chipko movement cannot be

For many generations the forest resources Sangh were, at first, unsure of a possible plea, namely, the recognition that women communities in India had resisted the Woods, is only the last in a long line of of the Himalayas had been open to course of sction. Then Chandi Prasad Batt are the "real pillars" of the Chipko intrusions of the state, and it is worth peasant movements who have defended

women's contribution to the Chipko resisted the onslaught of the wood-cutters, thus, to fully understand the Chipko

movement has been neglected or remained one young woman Amrita Devi hugging movement one needs to put it in the same invisible. Shiva sometimes goes to the one of the trees that was marked for historical context as peasant movements other extreme and ignores men completely. felling. She was killed, and her shrine is throughout history, who habve long In her important study Staying Alive she now an important placed for religious defended - on all continents - their not only associates men with capiutalism, pilgrimages. Shiva suggests that with this traditional rights to the forest, as against colonial forestry, and modern Cartesian event begins the recorded history of the commercial and state interests. The science, she virtually equates them - Chipko movement. But this was no means Chipko movement, as Ramachandra Guha which is highly misleading. But her central the first time that peasants and tribal cogently outlines in his study The Unquiet subsistance economy against state encroachment. It was fundamentally a protest against state restrictions on peasant access to forest produce, and reflected two very different attitudes to land - the one concerned with suibsistence, and ecological and social wellbeing, the other with the utilization of land for the generation of profits.

# The Chipko movement is .... only the however, this exploitation of the hill forests had intensified, for thee was an last in a long line of peasant movedefended unusually heavy monsoon had caused a encroachments.

# The Chipko movement statement sense of history.

major concerns - the organization of local of course embrace all these three under the jurisdiction of some local ruler women, the struggle against the movements, but it is highly misleading to or state. widespread distillation and sale of liquor, see the Chipko movement solely in terms This is illustrated by an early incident, the fight for the forest righyts of the local of current conditions. people, and the setting up of local, forestbased small industries on Gandhian Some have seen the Chipko movement as Jodhpur in Rajasthan, a group of peasant 1446. principles. An important figure in the early being primarily a women's movement. villagers resisted a detachment of men sent Sarvodaya cvampaigns was Sunderlal This has been especially stressed by by the local maharaja, or state ruler. The Bahuguna, who was a disciple of both Vandana Shiva. What seems to have men came to cut down some Khejeri trees, Mirabehn a nd Sarlabehn.

With respexct to the dispute in the Mandal largely on such leading male activists as drought resistant, were also important forest, the villagers and the Swarajya Bahuguna and Bhatt. Consequently, the fodder trees for the local peasants. So they

common, and the deforestation of the Swarajva Sangh activists had been Unlike the social system of India's plains, deviously lured away elsewhere by most of the agrain population of the The refusal of the Forest Department to government officials - so that the Hjimilayas were owner-cultivators, and women. Although men ploughed the land,

the women did most of the cultivating, the movement" (p.97).

interpreted in terms of contemporary seen simply as an expression of Gandhian philosophy. Bandypadhyay and Shiva (1987) write that: "The Chipko movement is historically, philosophically, and organizationally, an extension of traditional Gandhian satyagraha". Such a ststement lacks any sense of history. Indeed, Shiva misleadingly tends to think that deforestation and the exploitation of forests in India begins only with the arrival of the British raj. But as I tried to show in my book Forest Traders, the exploitation and marketing of forest products in India -- teak, bamboo, medicinal herbs, sandalwood, spices such as ginger,

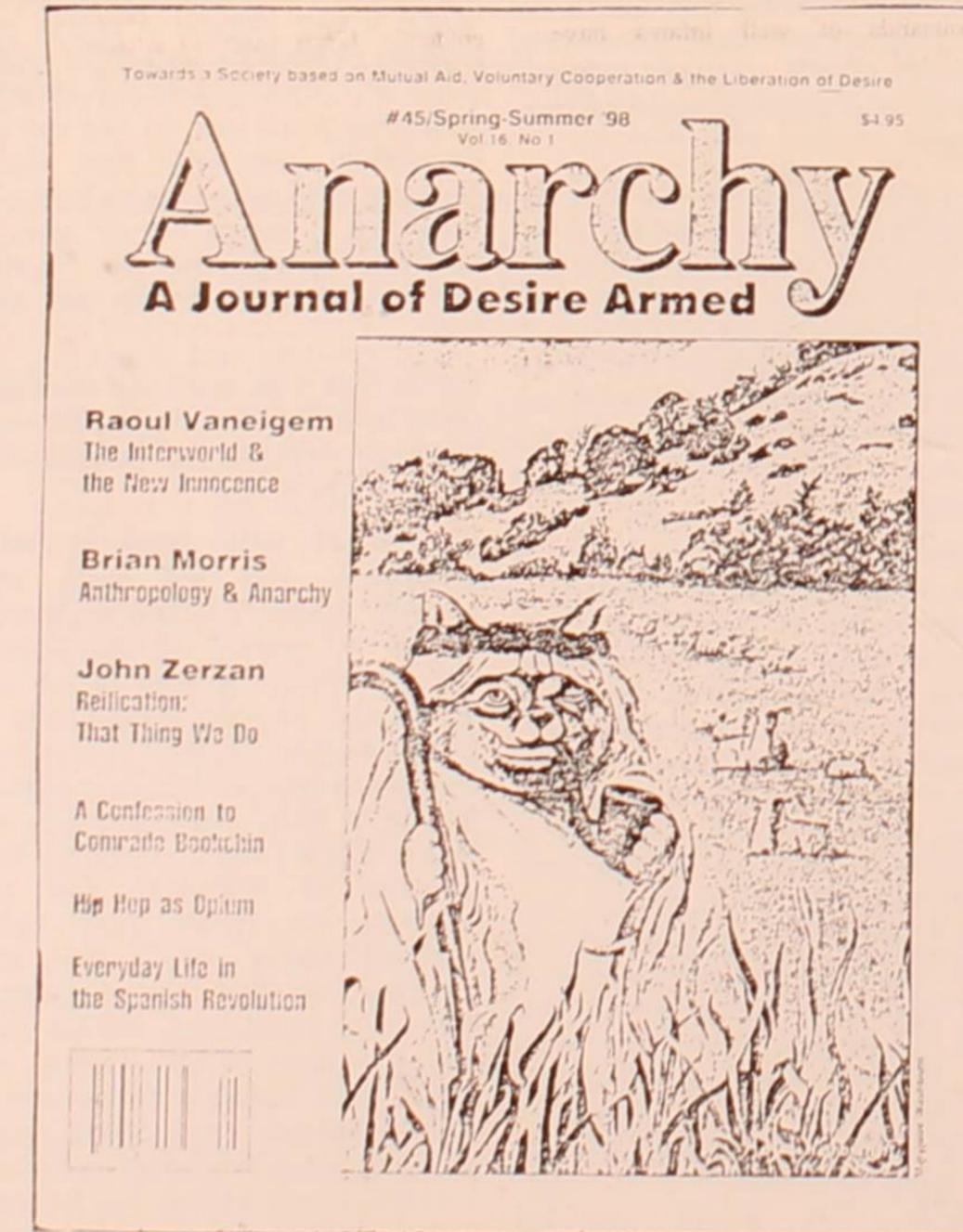
briefly mentioned by Shiva. In 1731 near troub.led Shiva - rightly - is that all the as the king had decided to build a new media coverage on Chipko was focussed palace. But these shade trees, which were

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# URGENT APPEAL



# Anarchy is broke!

cardamon and turmeric, and ivory being Due to the collapse of a US-wide many centuries, and forest resoyurces were distributor, Amerika's premiere anarcho-During the 1960s the Sarvodaya debates relating to feminism, Gandhian the early states. Although there was no movement focussed its activities on four philosophy and environmentalism. It did private property, the forests always camne needs your dosh to survive.

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Disarm Authority! Arm Your Desires!

# VACCIMA A report by Plan 2000

Despite the fact that vaccines are worse than useless, increasing susceptibility to desease1; despite the side effecs, including asthma, autism, arthritis (11% of children vaccinated with NMR-DH statistics), anti-social behaviour, cancer, cot death, learbning difficulties, ME, MS2, despite the genetic damage caused by ingredients including foreign proteins from monkey kidneys, calves, and mashed chick embryos3; despite the brain damage caused to one child in every five4; despite the countless number of lives destroyed5; despite the fact that childhood illnesses offer no danger to a healthy child, but serve as a natural means of strengthening the immune system; despite all these things, the Department of Health continues to sanction vaccination, and refuses to take part in public debate with its critics.

between 1923 and 1953 had already

dropped by 55%, before the introduction

of the polio vaccine. Within a year of mass

polio vaccinations in Britain and the USA

in the 1950s, the number of polio cases

greatly increased, in compulsorily

In 1994 the Department of Health

instigated a mass vaccination campaign

first time this combination of vaccines had

been used in a mass campaign anywhere

When Dr Richard Nicholsen, the editor of

the Bulletin of Medical Ethics, asked the

Department of Health why they deemed a

mass campaign necessary he was told a

mathematical model had predicted an

made odd assumptions with no evidence to

back it up. Needless to say, there never

for a Measles Rubella vaccine. It was the

vaccinated American states by 300%<sup>19</sup>.

vaccination:

I am very sorry to hear that the Department of Health, which after all irganises the entire programme throughout the United Kingdom, has not seen fit to send a representitive, indeed as far as I know has never seen fit to send a representitive to this kind of meerting. It is very important, vaccination is a public matter, the Department of Hwalth are public servants and should be answerable to the public if they think that te procedures which they are recommending are so necessary and

Professor Steward is an expert on, and a outside the Third World. And it the time it keen opponent of the whooping cough seemed illogical because and one child vaccibe (which is made from the mucus of had died of measles in the six year period infected children<sup>6</sup>) and has gone on record before this campaign. as saying "... no protection by vaccination is demonstrable in infants". And in 1980 he stated8:

There is no doubt in my mind that, in the UK alone, some hundreds if not epidemic. Upon studying what data the suffered irreparable brain damage Department of Health allowed to be needlessly, and that their lives and published from this mathematical model, those of their parents have been Dr Richard Nicholsen discovered that it

Infectious diseases change in pattern, severity and frequency through time, and the incidence and severity of whooping But why, you may ask, were there just two cough (pertussis) had declined long before vaccines in this mass campaign instead of the pertussis vaccine was introduced in the the usual three: measles, mumps and 1940s, and the death rate in England by rubella. Perhaps it was because in 1992, natural immunity, unlike vaccination.

Dr Morris spoke of a compensation system

Death Syndrome (American Academy of 1935 (before vaccination) had dropped by two of three companies producing a Which can give immunity for only a few brought on by the American government Neurology, 34th Annual Meeting, 25 82%<sup>10</sup>. The side-effects can include high MMR vaccine had to withdraw due to the years, thereby increasing the risks of birth in the 1980s in response to a drop in April 1982, in Neurology 32 (4), pt 2) 'glue-ear', brain damage and cot death11. leaving these two companies (Merieux UK vaccines (in the DP shot), and these are which in 1994 were about to go out of child in every million might develop compensation system, the Federal 136 (1992), pp. 121-135 "stabilised" using formaldehyde--a cancer- date. causing agent--the mercury derivative thimerosal, plus aluminium phosphate both highly poisonous to humans<sup>12</sup>.

Dr Viera Scheibnerova PhD, arguably the pharmaceutical; companies (one of which juvenile diabetes<sup>26</sup>. Furthermore, a stidy become so large and so expensive that a Overell, p cit, p.67 the world, has established that the whooping-cough vaccine is the single most prevalent and preventable cause of infant deaths13. In another study of 103 cot deaths, Dr W Torch found that more than two thirds of the infants had been vaccinated with DPT only hours, days or weeks before their sudden deaths14. Still I give my consent for my child to be vaccinated with the vaccine(s) subject to the following conditions: another study has shown that children die at a rate 8 times greater than normal within three days of receiving the DPT shot15. The whooping cough vaccine (as all other vaccines) is tested on animals if it confers seeming immunity on mice, it is consideredf safe for children and if the mice do not lose weight, the vaccine is presumed non-toxic 10.

Naturopath Patrick Rattigan, who has widely studied the subject, denounes all | DATE: innoculations as17

a dangerous, frequently lethal, colossally expensive but highly lucrative fraud with no rational basis in theory or practice.

Anyone who studies the subject of vaccination, I have absolutely no doubt, will come to the same conclusion.

of parents by grossly overplaying the danger of measles, and stating that sideeffects were "uncommon, usually very mild and disappear quickly". When in fact it had recently been discoverec that sideeffects were five times the number previously thought and one of these sideeffects was a deadly blood disorder. The Department of Health also said very firmly that the epidemic would happen<sup>22</sup>.

Two years after this mass vaccination, the

number of cases of rubella (German

DON'T RUN THE RISK -

measles) in Scotland was standing at a 13 year high<sup>23</sup>. Vaccinating against rubella is a pintless exercise anmyway, one study Professor Gordon Steward, former adviser keep this fact secret and give the vaccine showing that 73% of those who have the to WHO and to the Department of Health, to millions of children. The cancer-causing jab show no signs of immunity within five stated at a recent WDDTY conference on substance in the vaccine was later years of having the shots. Rubella is a contagious disease which is usually so identified as the monkey virus SV40, mild that it escapes detection. When which is now, 40 years later, being found contracted by childrwen, it is completely in the brain tumours of those vaccinated18. non-threatening. However, if contracted The dearth rate from polio in England

had been vaccinated against measles<sup>28</sup>.

A recent study has shown that measlesvaccinated persons appear to be three tiomes more likely to develop Crohn's disease and 21/2 times more likely to develop ulcerative colitis. In fact, since 1968, when measles vaccination was introduced, Crohn's disease in children has increased rapidly, with a 300% increase in

Another speaker at the WDDTY conference was Dr ! Anthoney Morris, a formeer research scientist with the American Food & Drugs Administration, Lynne McTaggart, £7.35 from Wallace who was dismissed for trying to prevent the mass vaccination of the American which will come in useful if faced by a public against the swine flu 'epidemic' of stubborn GP (doctors are paid a £2,235 1976. He too studied data from a bonus if they achieve a 90% vaccination mathematical model which supposedly rate in their practise<sup>32</sup>). This form can also predicted this epidemic and found it to be be used as a means of preventing the nonsense. Dr Morris' warning was ignored health authorities from pestering you if

VACCINES ARE BLOOD POISON

during the first three months of pregnancy, and the mass vaccination went ahead, the

with birth defects. If the disease is of course, the epidemic failed to

contracted in childhood it gives a lifelong materialise.

VACCINE CONSENT FORM

That in the event of any such injury being causedf, my chuild will receieve fuill compensation, assessed in

damaged. Thus there are now severely brain-damaged children who are no longer eligible for compensation 30.

Surely the greatest danger facing children today is vaccination. With some degree of brain damage being inflicted upon one child in every five innoculated, is it any wonder we now have thousands of uncontrollable children, with 12,500 in the UK so badly behaved that no school will have them<sup>31</sup>?

Accompanying this article is a copy of a consent form prepared by a lawyer for WDDTY's The Vaccination Bible (by Press, 4 Wallace Road, London N1 2PG) you have decided against vaccination.

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Institute project. Strawberry (95/R23/2). Scottish Crop Research Institute project.

## DUNDEE

(95/R13/4). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Research Institute project. Systyems project.

GOURDIE FARM - Potato (96/R23/4). Scottish Crop Research Institute project. GOURDIE FARM - Potato (96/R23/3). Scottish Crop Research Institute project. ALSO - Potato (95/R23/1). Scottish Crop CHESHIRE Research Institute project. REASEHEATH COLLEGE, NANT

## EAST LOTHIAN

TARENT - Oil seed rape (95/R15/13). Monsanto project.

## EDINBURGH

seed rape (94 R19/2) EDINBURGH - Oil seed rape DRIFFIELD - Winter oil seed rape MOWTHORPE - Oil seed rape Syst ems project.

WEST CRAIGIE FARM, SOUTH TERRYLUG FARM, BRAHMAN, HORNCASTLE - Oil seed rape QUEENSBURY - Winter oil seed rape WETHERBY - Winter oil seed rape (96/R2811)

CUPAR - Winter oil seed rape (95/R15/11)

## MIDLOTHIAN

PENICUIK, EDINBURGH - Oil seed rape (96/R14/6). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic

biodiversity and further extend the

NAMING AND SHAMING

EDINBURGH - Oil seed rape (96/R13/7). LINCOLNSHIRE

commodification of life.

stop it ourselves.

Systyems project.

MORAY

Institute project.

raper (94/R19/2)

Research Institute project.

SCOTTISH BORDERS

THE NORTH

WICH - Maize (96/R13/6). AgroEvo

BEWHOLME - Oil seed rape (96/R28/1)

Plant Geneic Systyems project.

YORKSHIRE

WEST CRAIGIE FARM, SOUTH TERRYLUG FARM, BRAHMAN, HOLTON LE M.

QUEENSBURY - Winter oil seed rape (96/R5/10)

(96/R22/6) WETHERBY - Winter oil seed rape (96/R5/10)

(96/R22/6) A Monsanto project. (96/R27/1). A Monsanto project. BILBOROUGH - Spring oil seed rape (95/R15/12) '

(95/R15/12) BILBOROUGH - Spring oil seed rape (95/R15/11)

"The dreams of Reason

breed monsters"

The bioengineering industry admit Following Friends Of the Earth, we've occupied, fields trashed. Now there

they've conducted no experiments on published all the test fields officially aren't two genetic experiments to rub

(96/R19/9) DUGGLESBY, MALTON - Spring oil seed rape (96/R15/16)

## LANCASHIRE

HEYSHAM, LANCASTER - Virus

HORNGASTIE - Spring oil seed rape NORTHUMBERLAND HORNCASTLE - Spring oil seed rape

HORNCASTLE - Winter oil seed rape (95/R22/3) AUBQURN, LINCOLN - Sugarbeet (96?R19/9)

LINCOLN - Spring oil seed rape MONMOUTHSHIRE (96/R15/16) LINCOLN - Sugarbeet (96/R22/5) ELKINGTON, LOUTH - Spring oil seed (96/R28/1) rape (94/R15/5)

EDGE HOUSE FARM, BELSAY, HOLTON LE MOOR - Spring oil seed PONTELAND - Winter oil seed rape (96/R22/1). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic MAREHAM ON THE HILL, Systyems project.

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SHIDLAW, CORNHILL ON TWEED -Oil seed rape (96/R28/1)

## WALES

NEWCASTLE - Oil seed rape WHITEHOUSE FARM, NEWCASTLE -ELKINGTON, LOUTH - Spring oil seed Oil seed rape (97/R28/3)

## MIDLANDS

MORLEY, ILKESTON - Apple (95/R25/1). University of Derby project. LODGE FARM, KINGS NEWTON - Oil seed rape (98/R22/13). Monsanto. LODGE FARM, KINGS NEWTON -Spring oil seed rape (97/R22/9). AGRISEARCH, WILSON - Sugasrbeet (98/R22/10). Monsanto?

## LEICESTERSHIRE

IBSTOCK GRANGE FARM, IBSTOCK - Spring oil seed rape (97/R22/9). Monsanto.

KEGWORH - Winter oil seed rape (95/R19/8). Monsanto. GARENDON PARK FARM, LOUGH-BOROUGH - Sugarbeet (98/R22/4). Monsanto.

GARENDON PARK FARM, LOUGH-BOROUGH - Sugarbeet (98/R22/10).

### long-term health effects of the mutants. Fisted to name and shame those together in that country. they're releasing into the environment, responsible. This isn't Holy Writ: new but whether this is a new BSE or not, crops may now be planted, some sites USEFUL GROUPS what they're doing will destroy already decontaminated.

9656, London N4 4JY.

T. Fulano, 5th Estate

it's being killed and those responsible have names and addresses" Genetics Concern, Room 13a Dame

this-Monsanto own Clinton and the UK Germany a decade ago, it took more Genetix News, FREEPOST (LON to the US's-so we're gonna have to than this to stop them. Labs were 6013), PO Box 6313, London N16.

# Genetic Engineering Network, PO Box

GM-Free Prisoner Support c/o Manchester EF!, Department 29, 1 Newton Street, Manchester M1.

# "The Earth isn't dying,

The government aren't going to stop government 's shown it won't stand up When the corporations tried this on in House, 24-26 Dame Street, Dublin.

AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Systyems project. ASHFORD - Winter oil seed rape

(95/R22/3)

BRIDGE OF EARN - Winter soil seed TOMNAVOULIN - Oil seed rape (96/R22/8). A Monsanto project. . MARKET RASEN - Oil seed rape Systems project. INTERNATIONAL, (95/R15/13)

(95/R13/4) INTERNATIONAL, seed rape (97/R13/7) BOOTHBY GRAFFOE - Sugarbeet NAVENBY - Winter oil seed rape MAPLETHORPE FARM, BILS-(97/R13/9)

BLYTHBANK FARM, WEST LINTON (95/R123/5) Potato (96/R23/4). Scottish Crop SHARPES INTERNATIONAL, DAWSMERE, SPALDING - Sugarbeet SHORPSHIRE BOOTHBY GRAFFOE - Sugarbeet (96/R19/9)

BLYTHBANK FARM, WEST LINTON (97/R13/8) BOOTHBY GRAFFOE - Sugarbeet project.

- Sugarbeet (96/R19/9) MERE HALL FARM, BRACEBRIDGE MARTIN FEN, WOODHALL SPAS -HEATH - Sugarbeet (96/R22/4) WORSLEY, BROCKLESBY - Spring of

seed rape (97/R22/9) CANWICK - Sugarbeety (93/R10/1) GRANTHAM - Winter oil seed rape ESTON, MIDDLESBROUGH - Oil seed (95/R24/1) GRIMSBY - Winter oil seed rape .

(95/R5/11) A.D.A.S., KIRKBY GRREN, HIGH NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE TRYSULL - Oil seede rape (96/R28/1) MOWTHORPE - Oil seed rape EDGE HOUSE FARM, BELSAY, SOUTHBURN, DRIFFIELD - Winter oil (97/R15/22)

(97/R27/1). Scottish Agricultural College PENICUIK, EDINBURGH - Oil seed (94/R16/1). University of Lancaster rape (94/R15/4)

rape (96/R14/5). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic project. LOUTH - Oil seed rape (97/R15/18) . LOUTH - Oil seed rape (96/R5/17) - (95/R19/8). Monsanto? " LOUTH - Oil seed rape (95/R2/6) LOUTH - Winter oil seed rape - Potato (93/R4/2). AgrEvo / Plant

COTEHILL FARM, OSGODBY, BILSTHORPE, NEWARK ON TRENT ASLACKBY - Winter oil seed rape MARKET RASEN - Winter oil seed rape - Potato (93/R4/1). AgrEvo / Plant (96/R22/6) AL, CONTRANNIE, BANKFOOT - PITGAVENY ESTATE, ELGIN - Potato BOOTHBY GRAFFOE - Sugarbeet COTEHILL FARM, OSGODBY, CRIFTON FARM, BILSTHORPE,

MARKET RASEN - Winter oil seed rape NEWARK ON TRENT - Potato BOOTHBY GRAFFOE - Fodderbeet (96/R27/1) (93/R4/3). AgrEvo / Plant Genetic

EAST PILMORE HOLDING - COCKBURNSPATH - Winter oil seed SHARPES INTERNATIONAL, HAVERHOLME, SLEAFORD - Spring Potato (93/R4/5). AgrEvo / Plant Genetic BOOTHBY GRAFFOE - Sugarbeet wheat (97/R8/3). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Systems project. Systyems project.

PINCHBECK MARSH, SPALDING - SHREWSBURY - Winter oil sdeed rape INVERGOWRIE - Oil seed rape - Potato (96/R23/3). Scottish Crop SHARPES INTERNATIONAL, Chicory (94/R12/1). Bejo Zaden BV (95/R22/3)

ELSOMS SEEDS, PINCHBECK LILLESHALL, TELFORD - Fodderbeet EAST MERE, BRACEBRIDGE HEATH MARSH, SPALDING - Chicory (96/R22/8). A Monsanto project. (94/R12/2). Beja Zaden BV project. Winter oil seed rape (95/R22/3)

## MIDDLESBROUGH

rape (96/R28/1)

PONTELAND - Winter oil seed rape WORCESTERSHIRE A.D.A.S., KIRKBY GRREN, HIGH (96/R22/6). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic EVESHAM - Winter oil seed rape

## NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

KNEETON - Winter oil seed rape BILSTHORPE, NEWARK ON TRENT

Genetic Systems project: Genetic Systems project.

HEXGREAVE FARM, BILSTHORPE. - OSGODBY, MARKET RASEN - Oil (93/R4/4). AgrEvo / Plant Genetic Systems project.

THORPE, NEWARK ON TRENT -

CHESWELL GRANGE FARM.

## STAFFORDSHIRE

TIB HALL FARM, KINGSBURY, TAMWORTH - Spring oil seed rape (97/R22/9) TAMWORTH - Winter oil seed rape

### (95/R19/8) TAMWORTH - Winter oil seed rape (95/R19/8)

THORN FARM, INKBERROW - Oil LITTLE SHELFORD -THORN FARM, INKBERROW - Oil LITTLE SHELFORD - Winter wheart MORLEY RESEARCH FARM, ATTLE- CHURCH FARM HARDLEY STREET, BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet seed rape (97/R15/13) (94/R19/3). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic BOROUGH - Sugarbet (95/R22/2) WICK, PERSHORE - Oil seed rape Systyems project. MELBOURN - Oil seed rape (97/R15/18)

MELBOURN - Winter oil seed rape (95/R15/14) SUMMERHOUSE FARM, MELBOURN FIRTREE FARM, FILLONGEY, - Oil seed rape (97/R15/22) COVENTRY - Spring oil seed rape SACREWELL FARM, THORNHAUGH,

are contaminating the British countyside

(95/R15/13)

(95/R19/5)

- Oil seed rape LITTLE SHELFORD - Oil seed rape

PETERBOROUGH - Spring oil seed rape EAST ANGLIA SACREWELL FARM, THORNHAUGH, PETERBOROUGH - Spring oil seed rape

SACREWELL FARM, THORNHAUGH, PETERBOROUGH - Spring oil seed rape SHUTTLEWORTH FARM, ICKWELL (96/R15/126)

rape (95/R15/10) - Potato (96/R2/7). Advanced Techno-

logies (Cambridge) project. (97/R19/14) A.D.A.S., BOXWORTH - Winter oil seed MARIS LANE FAR RUMPINGTON EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, Sugarbeet (95/R22/1) - Potato (94/R2/2). Advanced Technol-A.D.A.S., BOXWORTH - Winter oil seed ogies (Cambridge) Ltd project. (96/R19/11) MARIS LANE FARM, TRUMPINGTON EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, TERRINGTON ST CLEMENT - Spring HEXGRAVE FARM, SWAFFHAM - Potato (93/R2/1). Advanced Techno-

PRIOR, BURWELL - Potato (96/R4/6) logies (Cambridge) Ltd project. CAMBRIDGE - Oil seed rape (97/R13/7) MARIS LANE FARM, TRUMPINGTON CAMBRIDGE - Oil seed rape (R5/R19/7) - Potato (95/R2/5). Advanced Techno-CAMBRIDGE - Winter oil seed rape logies (Cambridge) Ltd project.

N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Maize ESSEX N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Oil seed rape DUNMOW - Spring oil seed rape

(95/R15/8) N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Oil seed rape THROWS FARM, STEBBING, GREAT DUNMOW - Oil seed rape (97/R13/7) N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Oil seed rape THROWS FARM, STEBBING, GREAT

DUNMOW - Spring oil seed rape N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Oil seed rape (97/R22/9) GREAT DUNMOW - Oil seed rape N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Oil seed rape (95/R15/13)

GREAT DUNMOW - Spring oil seed rape N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Spring oil seed (95/R15/15) GREAT DUNMOW - Spring oil seed rape

N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Spring oil seed (94/R15/2) LAWFORD, MANNINGTREE - Winter N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Spring oil seed oil seed rape (93/R7/1) MANNINGTREE - Winter oil seed rape

N.A.I.B., CAMPRIDGE - Spring oil seed (95/R24/1) BOLLINGTON HALL FARM, UGLEY -N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Sugarbeet Winter oil seed rape (96/R22/6) BOLLINGTON HALL FARM, UGLEY -Winter oil seed rape (96/R27/1)

## HERTFORDSHIRE

N.A.I.B., CAMBRIDGE - Tobacco (97/R4/7). Advanced Technologies I.A.C.R., ROTHAMSTED, HARPEN-DEN - Spring wheat (97/R8/3). AgroEvo N.I.A.B., CAMBRIDGE - Winter oil seed / Plant Geneic Systyems project. HARPENDEN - Bacteria (94/R8/2) MANOR FARM, CAXTON - Winter oil HARPENDEN - Bacteria (93/R8/1) HARPENDEN - Potato (95/R17/2). MANOR FARM, CAXTON - Winter oil Advanced Technologies (Cambridge) Ltd COTTENHAM - Oil seed rape HARPENDEN - Potato (94/R17/1). Advanced Technologies (Cambridge) Ltd

MEPAL, ELY - Potato (95/R2/5). HARPENDEN - Tobacco (95/R18/2). Advanced Technologies (Cambridge) Ltd Advanced Technologies (Cambridge) Ltd EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, oil seed rape (94/R5/2) GREAT ABINGDON - Spring wheat HARPENDEN - Tobacco (94/R18/1). EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, Tobacco (94/R5/4) (95/R11/2). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Advanced Technologies (Cambridge) Ltd KING'S LYNN - Winter oil seed rape WALTON HIGHWAY, WISBECH - Oil

CHISHIL, ROYSTON - Winter oil seed KING'S LYNN - Winter oil seed rape MORLEY St. BOTOLPH, WYMONDrape (97/R19/16) CAMPS FIELD FARM, NEWTON, THE GRANGE, WEST RUDHAM, WOOD FARM, RUNHAM, WYMOND-ROYSTON - Oil seed rape (97/R30/2) PERINS FIELD FARM, THRIPLOW, LITTLE SHELFORD - Maize ROYSTON - Oil seed rape (97/R30/1) ALSO: Tobacco (96/R18/3). Advanced Technologies (Cambridge) Ltd project?

## NORFOLK

Sugarbeet MORLEY RESEARCH FARM, ATTLE- NORWICH - Spring wheat (97/R29/1). (98/R22/10) BOROUGH - Sugarbet (98/R22/12) MORLEY RESEARCH FARM, ATTLE- HILL FARM, KIRBY BEDON, NOR- BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM, BOROUGH - Sugarbet (95/R22/1) MELBOURN - Oil seed rape (96/R15/17) MORLEY RESEARCH FARM, ATTLE- HILL FARM, KIRBY BEDON, NOR- (96/R22/7) BOROUGH - Sugarbet (98/R22/11) DOCKING, KING'S LYNN - Sugasbeet HILL FARM, KIRBY BEDON, NOR-

EAST WINCH, KING'S LYNN -Sugerbeet (94/R19/1)

oil seed rape (94/R19/2) oil seed rape (93/R9/1)

KING'S LYNN - Maize (97/R19/25). WICH - Sugarbet (96/R21/3) AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Systyems project. WOOD FARM, RUNHALL, NORWICH (94/R13/1) EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, - Winter oil seed rape (96/R27/1) GREEN - Oil seed rape (94/R15/6). A STEEPLE MORDEN - Spring oil seed KING'S LYNN - Maize (96/R19/12). WOOD FARM, RUNHALL, NORWICH AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Systyems project. - Winter oil seed rape (96/R22/6) MARIS LANE FARM, TRUMPINGTON EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, BUNSTEAD HALL, STALHAM KING'S LYNN - Oil seed rape Sugarbeet (98/R22/12)

KING'S LYNN - Oil seed rape BUNSTEAD HALL, STALHAM

KING'S LYNN - Winter oil seed rape (98/R22/12)

A John Innes Centre project. NORWICH - Sugarbeet (98/R22/12) WICH - Sugarbet (98/R22/12)

WICH - Sugarbet (95/R22/2) WICH - Sugarbet (94/R21/1) HILL FARM, KIRBY BEDON, NOR-

WICH - Sugarbet (95/R22/1) EAST WINCH, KING'S LYNN - Winter HILL FARM, KIRBY BEDON, NOR- (95/R22/2) WICH - Sugarbet (95/R21/2) EAST WINCH, KING'S LYNN - Winter HILL FARM, KIRBY BEDON, NOR-WICH - Sugarbet (97/R21/5) EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, HILL FARM, KIRBY BEDON, NOR-

Sugarbeet (95/R21/2) KING'S LYNN - Potato (96/R19/10). oil seed rape (94/R15/1)

JOHN INNES' FARM, COLNEY. BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM,

BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM,

BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM, BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet

(95/R13/5) BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM,

BUNSTEAD HALL, STALHAM Tomato (95/R1/3)

## BUCKINGHAMSHIRE

CLAXBY GRANGE FARM, HOLTON AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Syst ems project. TERRINGTON ST CLEMENT - Spring LE MOOR, HIGH WYCOMBE - Oil seed rape (96/R28/1)

## HAMPSHIRE

ANDOVER - Oil seed rape (95/R2/3) Geneic Systyems project. (96/R27/1)

(96/R22/^0

BANK FARM, ALDINGTON, ASHFORD - Winter oil seed rape (96/R27/1). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic

WYE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Geneic Systyems project.

(97/R15/22). A MOnsanto project. EAST MALLING - Eucaliptus (95/R6/2). SITTINGBOURNE - Eucaliptus

WOOLPIT, BURY St. EDMUNDS opring wheat (94/R5/5) NICKERSON SEEDS, WOOLPIT,

(95/R19/8)

EXENING ESTATE, EXNING, NEW-MARKET - Fodderbeet (96/R22/8) GRAVEL PIT FARM, EXENING, CHISHILL ORCHARD FARM, GREAT EAST WINCH HALL, EAST WINCH, MORLEY RESEARCH STATION, NEWMARKET - Sugarbeet (97/R19/13)

> (96/R21/4) · KING'S LYNN - Sugarbeet (95/R22/2) HAM - Winter oil seed rape (96/R22/6) WOODBRIDGE - Winter oil seed rape THE GRANGE, WEST RUDHAM, KING'S LYNN - Oil seed rape (96/R22/6)

# KING'S LYNN - Oil seed rape SUFFOLK

(95/R19/5)

seed rape (96/R19/11)

WHAT IS DESTROYING YOU!" ["

(97/R19/16)

KING'S LYNN - Sugarbeet (95/R22/1)

KING'S LYNN - Maize (95/R19/6).

AgroEvo / Plant Geneic Syst 'ems project.

(95/R15/13)

KING'S LYNN - Sugarbeet (96/R19/9) TERRINGTON ST CLEMENT

KING'S LYNN - Oil seed rape BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM. Continues on p. 14 BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet

HAM - Sping oil seed rape (95/R5/6)

KING'S LYNN - Sugarbeet (95/R19/4)

BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM, BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet (95/R22/1) BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM, BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet BROOMS BARN FARM, HIGHAM, BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet (94/R13/2) HONEYHILL FARM, SAXHAM, BURY St. EDMUNDS - Sugarbeet (96/R22/4) JEALOT'S HILL, BRACKNELL -

LOWER BURGATE, RINGWOOD -Maize (96/R13/6). AgroEvo / Plant A.D.A.S., MARTYR WORTHY. WINCHESTER - Winter ol seed rape N.I.A.B., MARTYR WORTHY. WINCHESTER - Winter oiol seed rape

KENT Systyems project.

ALDINGTON, ASHFORD - Winter oil seed rape (96/R22/6). AgroEvo / Plant St. MARGARETS FARM, SOUTH DARENTH, DARTFORD - Oil seed rape

Shell International project. (95/R6/1). Shell International project. RIDINGS FARM, WALSHAM LE WILLOWS, BURY St. EDMUNDS -Fodderbeet (96/R22/8)

BURY St. EDMUNDS - Oil seed rape (96/R5/8) HOXNE - Winter oil seed rape

EXENING, NEWMARKET - Sugarbeet (96/R19/9)

EXENING, NEWMARKET - Sugarbeet

HIGHFIELD FARM, FRAMLINGTON,

## FRANKENSTEIN'S FARMS

this is inevitable.

realm of merely human concerns

entirely the use of violence for political

ends is to simultaneously reject significant

involvement in the Russian revolution and

the Spanish civil war. Even Emma

Goldman refused to denounce propaganda

Goldman didn't undertake such deeds

In doing so, Goldman also resisted

intellectualize about resistance but who do

struggle, and then criticize those who do

not involve themselves in physical

for giving nice, fluffy, peaceful anarchists

a bad name. Whatever failings one can

accuse FC of, and there are many,

hypocrisy is not one of them. They/she/he

were not content merely to theorize and

defer action, waiting-how long?--for some

revolutionary moment to arrive. Many

anarchists approve of insurrection as long

as it is comfortably elsewhere in the

Perhaps they had more courage in

deciding to live what we were only

If FC's acts were not those you

contemplate, then realize some of your

courage than it takes to engage in knee-

methods appeals to a kind of residual

Christian morality dressed up as a

and unique status of human life. This

position is a highly suspect one which

needs careful examination. As Galleani, an

anarchist commentator contemporaneous

with the Bonnot Gang stated (Parry, p.

Too often, especially in the more

responsible circles, we rush to belittle

the act of rebellion ... we become

disturbed by problems of conscience,

made uneasy about the threat of

reaction, distressed by residual

evangelism, tormented by the

burning need if not of confusing

ourselves in the limbo of common

morality, certainly of lessening the

True, in cases both of political attentats or

contrasts

the Bonnot gang (Parry, p.174):

content to contemplate.

jerk disapproval.

resisted denying those who did.

herself. However, it is significant that she innocent.

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'evil' facing us, and locates power there in its entirety, the conclusions it

actions and targets have been ill-chosen. Lacking a total critique of power

It is for this reason that FC cannot be is to say that in such cases, it is more

on the grounds that they involve violent jerk conservative viewpoints.

means is problematic at best and suspect at We here in Britain have been provided

It is problematic, most importantly, in examples of this as a result of the

terms of anarchist history itself. To reject increasingly reactionary political climate.

becoming the kind of hypocrite present in human or unique--he is said to have

anarchist circles then and now: those who forfeited his humanity in committing such

country of the past or the countries on the In both these cases, an ideological

peripheries of the dominant west, but are discourse is at work distinguishing

quick to disapprove when it rears its head between "good" and "evil", and thus legal

uncomfortably on their own doorsteps. As and illegal respectively. The victims must

Emile Bachelet commented with respect to be seen to be as good and innocent as

recently with some particularly fine

Thomas Hamilton, their killer, on the

other hand, is represented as no longer

an inhuman act, and to have reverted to

the status of a type: the anti-social spree-

killer and paedophile. Likewise, a similar

process has been at work in the case of the

murder of Philip Lawrence, a school

headmaster knifed to death by a teenage

boy. Lawrence is represented in the

popular media as a fine example to his

pupils, a devoted Catholic and family

man, whereas his murderer becomes

merely a ne'er do well immigrant and

possible in contrast to the perceived evil

and guilt of the killer. Of course, both

categories are false and constructed. No-

one in this culture is totally innocent, in

authoritarian, guilt-inducing and punitive

religion and was himself a smug example

out of hand

even so-called "stranger murder", the Alright, you may say, but how do these The greatest of all follies in the world

victim is perceived by his or her attacker instances of "apolitical" murder compare is the belief that it is possible to

say a political figure or a prostitute. That FC, and simply by virtue of the victim's their accomplices.

as primarily representing a type, whether with the politically motivated "crimes" of

of a bourgeois patriarch. Of course, these century illegalists, who sought to draw

are only the crimes of which we can be attention to the way that states often

absolutely sure, but others can be inferred: conflate political with criminal activity, by

the destruction of the earth, for example. Heinzen declared (Prolegomena, p. 33)

the cruelty and suffering of animals and willfully problematizing this tactic. Karl

media's mystifications.

### FRANKENSTEIN'S FARMS

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HIGHFIELD FARM, FRAMLINGTON,

(96/R27/1)

## SOUTH EAST

## SURREY

JEALOT'S HILL, BRACKNELL - Maize (94/R1/2)

BANBURY - Winter oil seed rape JEALOT'S HILL, BRACKNELL (96/R22/6) Poplar (96/R1/6) MANOR FARM, TWYFO JEALOT'S HILL, BRACKNELL BANBURY - Winter oil seed rape

Poplar (95/R1/4) JEALOT'S HILL, BRACKNELL Spring oil seed rape (93/R1/1)

WEST MALLING - Eucaliptus (95/R6/2 Shell International project.

### BERKSHIRE

NEWBURY - Maize MANOR FARM. ( NEWBURY - Winter oil seed rape Institute of Virology & Environmmental NEWTON ST. CYRES. EXETER NEWBURY - Winter oil seed rape UNIVESITY FARM, WYTHAM - Virus (95/R19/8)

APPLETON, ABINGDON - Maize

SHIRBURN, WATLINGTON - Oil seed

WYTHAM - Bacteria (94/R3/3). NERC

rape (96/R14/6)

Microbiology project.

(94/R3/4). NERC Institute of Virology & vironmmental Microbiology project.

## WEST SUSSEX

crobiology project.

Microbiology project.

(96/R19/12). AgroEvo / Plant Geneic CHILGROVE, CHICHESTER - Oil seed rape (96/R28/1) MANOR FARM, TWYFORD, LITTLEHAMPTON - Bacteria (93/R3/1)

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## GLOUCESTERSHIRE

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SUTTON VENY, WARMINSTER -SIDDINGTON, Winter oil seed rape (94/R19/2).

BELFAST - Potato (96/R1/NI/1)

Mystified why socially committed people remain in New Labour after a A: whole year of Blair's blatant bullshit, we interviewed thirty member. On his insistence, we've preserved his anonymity here - to the to spare him the embarrassment of his predilections becoming public knowledge and to

whole jingoism thing churned a lot of

election. What happened?

A: We really thought we had a chance of our way through there.

GA: The 'long march through the

A: But the national scene was not the

GA: What about the miners' strike in 1984??

A: It was all part of the same struggle-the CND, Greenham Common, Orgreaveall the same thing. One thing I noticed, all the back room arm twisting and stuff to stop the Labour constituency parties coming out in support. From friends in A: Not even that much. I remember we GA: Adopting Thatcherite policies like the unions I heard something similar

GA: So even in public, Labour was went through over that... brought down to whispering ineffective GA: A sort of 'cronvism' thing? slogans of support from the sidelines?

parliament-ary part is run by an twelve times that. It's a scandal... Oxbridge elite. No different from the GA: A nice little earner for somebody.

There is a lot of that. Labour (the by their friends. Waisail council, just party) has nothing to do with working near where I live in the Midlands sold class people. At the local level it's just a council houses for £3,000 each at a middle class freemasonry. The time when their market value was

A: Then you mentioned the poll tax. Our

That was back in 1986. The lost. Serves them right...

A: Why do you think they chose Tony

miles away is Sparkbrook, Woy call Woy "Hammy the Hamster". There push one racial group into conflict with another-it's quite deliberate-Sikhs against Muslims, Asians against Afroworking class and middle class...

GA: Divide and rule...

good at it. You should have seen the horse trading going on against Black

1997? Has anything really changed?

the way it's going...

GA: As an insider, what do you make of

A: Blair is a vampire sucking dry the

GA: So why do you stay? A good way to do this is from within...

### WILTSHIRE

MANOR FARM, WILTON, MARL-BOROUGH - Spring oil seed rape (97/R22/9). Monsanto.

MINSTER - Oil seed rape (96/R14/5).

## An interview with a Labour Party activist

keep him one step ahead of the bleep of the pager ....

GREEN ANARCHIST: When did you join Labour? Why did you join it?

ACTIVIST: Back in the early-1980s. I'd been in the peace movement. We really thought we could change things through the party. Tony Benn was on a roll, and Michael Foot was the party leader. Labour was the only credible electoral alternative to Thatcherism. Militant councillors were in the town halls. Socialism was on the agenda. 'Gotcha' (the Sun headline about the Belgrano sinking in the Falklands War) and that

peoples' stomachs... GA: But the Tories still won the 1983

winning that election. 161/4 million voted against the Tories. We all thought we just had to join Labour and work

same as the local. There were a lot of good people working at the grass roots. Two things happened: Thatcher attacked the militant left, and the party hierarchy fell into a witch-hunt mindset and purged leftists.

GA: The 'Looney Left' ... A: Then the SDP, with Roy Jenkins and Shirley Williams got going electorally, which destroyed Labour in the ballots. GA: The first past the post voting system.

## THERE IS NO ELECTORAL ROAD TO CHANGE....

A: So we got dragged down in these purges, and the left was following Thatcher's agenda...

was going on there with the TUC...

were organising a bring and buy sale, with the poll tax?

and all the arm twisting the hierarchy A: The council house sell off was our privatisation. They took houses off the councils and sold them to a 'trust' run GA: What was this about parliamentary A: Something this evil has to be destroyed.

Labour council was the first to begin jailings in the Midlands. The left wing councillors wanted a vote of censure but is all... it was stopped at the top.

candidates being vetted?

constituency chose a left-winger, a trade union guy. It was OK until the local paper picked up this story about him having had a free trip to Moscow, then it got in the nationals. Lady Olga Maitland, Peace Through NATO and all that lot. Walworth Road got on the case and he was out. They got an accountant or lawyer instead but still

GA: Labour always run scared of the

GA: Did you experience any Labour

A: The party is riddled with it. Just a few Hattersely's old constituency - people were accusations of ballot rigging. They Caribbeans, just like they do with

A: They've always done that. They're

## LABOUR AND TORIES ARE **EXACTLY THE SAME**

GA: What do you think about Labour losing the 1992 election and winning in

A: Labour deserved to lose in 1992 because of the poll tax. Total hypocrisy of Kinnock. People protested outside councillors' homes, and that really scared them. Nothing has changed since '92 and '97; except they chose Blair and got rid of Clause 4, the whole sycophantic way they did all this shows

Tony Blair?

blood of the workers. It is all propaganda. 'On Message' and all that shit. The only use the working class is to the party is for pushing leaflets through letter boxes at elections. The real activists are leaving. The unions are there just to give money. Minimum wage, union recognition. The agenda is set by the CBI, not TUC. Blair believes in nothing. Loyalty tests, purges. Power

aside, its main thesis and specific arguments are, sadly, ill-reasoned and taking of human life? In order to answer on trial in 1893 for attempting to kill a misguided. Because it identifies the industrial complex as the fundamental these questions, one must be aware of the diplomat he met on the street, could assert, extent to which, in the discourse of the "I kill no innocent if I kill the first draws are erroneous ones. Likewise, and not surprisingly, FC's type of hegemontc ideology, the categories of bourgeois I meet!" (Prolegomena, p.22). ongoing in a determined way since the bourgeoisie or capitalism rather than the considered anarchist. Having only a very important what the victim stands for than and one which has culminated in Britain in Whose crime is greater? Perhaps in limited and inadequate notion of the who they are in and of themselves, i.e. its the CJA. control complex and its operations, not personal. Now, you may criticize such

EXPLODING MYTHS

Leigh Starcross on crime, violence and the Unabomber

useful attack against power in toto. The human beings shouldn't be treated on such Conway, a 19 year old homeless Londoner which FC would be in agreement. Perhaps partial critique of power evident in the an impersonal and alienated basis, the and an anarchist, who in 1893 undertook a FC would contend that the crimes of those text, results for example in its residual basis upon which power itself in fact treats snatch and grab robbery on a jeweller's that they/she/he bombed were greater than authoritarianism, its instances of sexism, them. But it is important at the same time shop, throwing much of the proceeds to their/her/his own. and its inability to free itself from the to note that in reporting instances of passersby. His declaration in court that his In defence of the revolutionary violence, whether overtly political or not, appropriation sprang from anarchist However, whereas FC's manifesto may be the media itself makes appeals to the principles received nothing but scorn. The Outrage of 1909, in which several people dismissed as inherently non-anarchist, the popularly supposed notion of the sanctity judge remarked that Conway's (Oliver, p. actions undertaken by FC cannot rejected and uniqueness of human life as a means out of hand for the same reason. To do so of manipulating sentiment toward knee-

talk of sympathy and concern for the unemployed was 'impudent hypocrisy' and that demagogues who went about inciting to violence and robbery were the worst enemies of

The propaganda machine would have us believe, for example, that the 16 murdered afterward sentencing him to eight months who pursued them could only have episodes in the history of anarchist children of Dunblane (and their teacher, of hard labour. In other words, Conway's been 'honest' citizens, believers in insurrection: not only the acts, for course, but she's not quite as unique and political motivations for his act were the state and authority; oppressed example, of Ravachol, Henry, and the precious because of her age) should not usefully ignored and he was treated as a perhaps, but oppressed people who. Bonnot Gang, but also anarchist have died resource they were total common thief, who, instead of aspiring to by their criminal inertia, perpetuate innocents, guilty of no crime, each worthy labour like other respectable oppression: Enemies! For us the representing a special and inviolable citizens of his class, provided them instead enemy is whoever impedes us from instance-special because they were with the threatening example of living. We are the ones under attack,

criminal / murderer and political activist / Such a stance attempted to reveal the lie attentateur are intermingled for reasons of that the artificially constructed nature of social control. This is part of a process criminality conceals: e.g., it is the early nineteenth century in western states, thief who commits the crime of property. they/she/he are incapable of launching a reasoning plausibly on the basis that Take for example the case of Henry above, we would have an assertion with

(Parry, pp. 34-35):

may, would they be thought less worthy if supposed "guilt" does this justify the Similarly, the French anarchist, Leauthier, they had killed him in the course of rightly defending themselves? substituting the term "technocrat" for " be those of a system which requires that bourgeois" in Leauthier's statement children must be forcibly herded en masse

> perpetrators of the so-called Tottenham were shot dead, Victor Kibalchich (later Victor Serge) wrote to fellow anarchists

Reader, I detect on your lips a sentimental objection: But those poor twenty-two people shot by your comrades were innocent. Haven't you any remorse? No! Because those of the deed. Of course, it must be said that distinct human beings and distinctly criminalized insurrection and lack of and we defend ourselves!

Write to:

Mr Ted Kaczynski [Anarchist political prisoner #04475- said, some are definitely more guilty than Administrative Florence, CO 81226, USA.

respect for authority. Likewise, the Lionel, a contemporary, agreed (Parry, p surviving members of the Bonnot gang 169): were sentenced as bank robbers and murderers, although their political beliefs were not officially on trial. In much the same way, FC, in the form of Ted Kaczynski, has become a kind of crazed 'serial killer in the media, rather than a bombardier with a political agenda.

that we are all, once we have achieved a Political acts which are often necessarily certain age, complicit to some degree or or inevitably illegal ones are treated as other with the machinations of the control merely criminal ones by the state, ignoring own---but for anarchy's sake have more complex. It is this "guilt" which is conveniently their political intention. Such obscured and therefore denied in the a tactic has great propagandistic worth for the control complex. The way in which such acts draw attention to aspects of a Often such fervent disapproval of FC's Of what was Philip Lawrence "guilty" of hierarchical culture which are unsavoury then? Of all the things which are used to to the dominant taste is intentionally establish his supposed innocence: he obscured by viewing them simply as yet humanist regard for the supposed sanctity willfully and eagerly acted in a position of authority over children who have very further threats to social order--and, worryingly, as justifications for greater little autonomy, furthering their repressive conditioning, he supported a patriarchal,

Such was the dilemma of the late nineteenth century and early twentieth

commit a crime against despots and

legitimate defense against society ... attitudes: to be a slave or be a rebel; operations. and when, after reflection, he chooses rebellion ... do you dare repudiate

other political acts were not to be seen as anyone getting too rich?" "We cut his criminal attacks on innocent people, in throat", was the brief reply (Prolegomena, that anarchists were only rightly defending p. 3). In an anarchist world the reply themselves from the truly criminal acts of would be: "But no-one wants to be rich". the state and its agencies. Anyone Lack of desire for power is better impeding anarchists in this undertaking insurance than a knife, gun or bomb in were deemed to have placed themselves in achieving the total overthrow of power the camp of the enemy, and therefore relations. But, we don't live in a world likely targets themselves, no matter what like that-yet-and until we do I will oppressed sector they came from neither eschew violence myself nor Contemporary anarchists who disapprove condemn its use by others in the struggle of FC's violence associate violent struggle against Leviathan. I want a world with with death and legitimate revolution with increasingly more on the side of anarchy, life, whereas they would do better to and correspondingly fewer on the side of remember Libertad's dictum (Parry, p. the control complex, and killing off the 25): "Resignation is death. Revolt is life". latter is not the way to achieve this aim. In other words, it is rather the lack of However, until these transformations come resistance that represents morbidity, about after much struggle, I will remember whereas that which furthers revolt, Libertad's dictum and reserve the including violence, is vital.

innocence and sentiment should have BIBLIOGRAPHY nothing to do with it. Is one's cause blameless because one eschews violence in the course of pursuing it, and by the same token, is one's cause blameworthy because Hermia Oliver's The International by the state, make assurances that they

Whether one agrees with this position or

not, the point remains that matters of

Purveyors of the dominant narratives want us to believe that the real and only crimes were committed by figures such as

Thomas Hamilton, a juvenile delinquent, or the Unabomber, insuring that blame will not be worryingly sited elsewhere. In the instance of Dunblane, for example, some of the real "crimes" could be said to daily into indoctrination factories, or of a culture which could cause an individual to become so alienated and ostracized that he could come to believe that his only recourse was mass murder and suicide. Even further, the perceived shock that individuals in the civilized west should commit such atrocities distracts from the fact that states historically and globally have been guilty of mass murder on much larger scales. In the case of the Unabomber scenario, it is the crimes of the technocratic agencies of power which are never up for discussion as far as the dominant discourses are concerned.

But, to come back to a question I posed earlier, does the guilt of the members of the technophile elite that FC attacked justify their deaths? Actually, I would prefer to phrase the question not in terms of sentimentalism, humanism or morality, but rather in terms of utility: how useful an exercise in the struggle against Leviathan is it? The answer has to be not very. Destroying individual representations or instances of power has a negligible and extremely limited effect in general terms. A technophile (and one which can be replaced) is destroyed, not technophilia itself, much less the whole infrastructure which produces, supports and furthers it. I made the point earlier that no-one in this culture is entirely innocent of collusion with power, but neither is anyone entirely guilty, as power is not centered in any one person. However, that

Maximum More importantly, because FC's actions result from a partial critique of power, they are ultimately worthless. In fact, the worst indictment of FC's tactics is not that they were bad or good but rather that they were indifferent. They weren't evil, immoral, inhumane, criminal or despicable, but neither were they The anarchist is in a state of glamorous and thrilling. They were useless for anarchy, but useful ultimately for Capital imposes on him two power in increasing and extending its

A British colonial general once asked an inhabitant of the Swat Valley in India, where a rudimentary form of communism Accordingly, Attentats, appropriations and was practised, "How do you prevent possibility for myself and others of defence .. just in case.

Prolegomena (London: Rebel Press,

of the use of violence? MOVE members, Anarchist Movement In Late Victorian oppressed, attacked, killed, as they were London, (Kent: Croom Helm, 1983)

were not responsible for a policeman's Richard Parry's The Bonnot Gang death, that they were framed. Be that as it (London: Rebel Press, 1987)

# BOOK FILLED WITH LIES

# Bob Black's review of Land Filled with Flies by Edwin N. Wilmsen<sup>1</sup>

In Social Anarchism or Lifestyle Anarchism: An Unbridgeable Chasm,2 Murray Bookchin devoted more space and more ferocity to denouncing the anarcho-primitivists than to any other of his designated demons. The irrationalism which they share with other "lifestyle anarchists"-technophobes, mystics, nihilists, feminists, individualists, etc--the primitivists bring down to its subhuman nadir, "animality." Not only do they betray anarchism's glorious rationalist heritage from the Enlightenment-what Bookehin used to call "the bourgeois Enlightenment" - they repudiate the very humanity of humanity!

century, while the remoteness

was not indigenous but was created

by the collapse of mercantile capital.'

Bookehin continues to quote Wilmsen 14:

Their appearance as foragers is a

underclass in the playing out of

historical processes which began

before the current millennium and

culminated in the early decades of

Since Wilmsen's book seems to serve, or

is made to seem to serve, Bookehin's

polemie purposes, "Bookehin whoops [it]

up with uncritical abandon."13 The Great

function of their relegation to an

imagined by outside observers

In his recent essay Whither Anarchism? A changes in the late nineteenth Bookehin repeats, sometimes word for word, his previous denunciations, as if his critics are hard of hearing. In my book Anarehy after Leftism, I presumed to contest the empirical and theoretical bases of Bookchin's assault on primitivism'. Sadly, so odious did Bookehin find my "vilification" that = alone among his erities (wretches all) = I was not "digniffied]" with a reply. (Why do I have this feeling that his reply would not have dignified me at all? It sure doesn't dignify David Watson, John Zerzan, John P. Clark or any of his other erities.) As usual, I overstepped the bounds of reasoned discourse as well as decency.

Murray Bookehin, as I once let slip, One has blundered yet again. Wilmsen "thinks big." whereas I am small-minded and Bookehin are both shysters, but their and mean-spirited, even by the debased agendas have nothing in common except standards of Lifestyle Anarchism. If I am self-promotion. It is own lights at least, ever to redeem myself as an anarchist Bookchin is sleer is with the enemy. In eritie, I should begin by sealing down my SALA, Bookehin asserted an affinity efforts to something modest and thus between anarcho-primitivism and postcommensurate with the limited level of my modernism, with sublime indifference to mind and my merals. What follows is my the fact that post-modernism has no first, fumbling try to rehabilitate myself: a harsher critic than arch-primitivist John the sedentarizing, nationalizing policies of review of the book which, more than any Zerzan. 16 To any reader of Wilmsen not newly and nominally independent other. Bookchin relies upon to discredit the primitivists.

sequel-accurately, for a changemodel of hunter-gatherer (forager) life which anthrepologists such as Marshall Bahlins and Richard B. Lee formulated the 1960's. The earliest humans, and those few human groups still living as they did, were anarchists = nobody denies this But it was long assumed that their lives even Hobbes himself misteek his evietree Bookchin does. According to Bookchin. toil and scarcity "shackled the human subsistence." Fieldwork among San that, despite their harsh environment, they only worked for several hours a day." aborigines, 18 also supported the primitiveaffluence thesis = but the San scrutinized

In 1989, Edwin N. Wilmsen created a read, have noticed Wilmsen's postridiculed and repudiated every anthropologist before him who had ever studied the San. Here is what Bookchin got out of the

The San people of the Kalahari are now known to have been gardeners before they were driven into the desert. Several hundred years ago, according to Edwin Wilmsen, Sanspeaking peoples were herding and farming, not to speak of trading with neighboring agricultural chiefdoms in a network that extended to the Indian Ocean. By the year 1000, excavations have shown, their area, Dobe [sie12]: was populated by Beeple who made ceramics, worked with iron, and herded cattle, exporting them to Europe by the 1840s [sie18] together with massive amounts of ivery . . . The marginal foraging lifeways of the San that so entranced observers in the 1960s were actually the result of economic

tools of neo-colonialism. Rebuttals were other places. Wilmsen berates his soon forthcoming, and the controversy still predecessors for ignoring history (they rages. But Wilmsen enjoyed a strategic didn't). But he's the one who has trouble advantage: his quadruple-barreled shotgun accepting the possibility that, just as the attack. His linguistic, archeological, people he studied were living differently in historical and ethnographic researches all 1980 than they were in 1975, the people converged on the same or on congruent that Richard B. Lee, Ervin DeVore, Jiri

circumstances. By temperament they prefer to be the big fish in a pond however small. The phrase "a school of fish" says Among Wilmsen's most controversia as much about school as it does about fish. claims is for longstanding social Specialization is the source and the limit stratification among the San and between of the academic's authority. The expert in the San and Bantu-speaking peoples. one subfield, such as ethnography, cannot Since his ethnographic evidence is paltry, One does not have to be an expert to notice help but lose self-confidence-something he relies mainly on evidence of inequality he probably never had very much of-when embedded in the languages of the San and his certitudes are impeached by researches their Bantu neighbors, such as the Herero in three other subfields. He begins to wonder if he can be sure of even the evidence of his own senses (or what he remembers to be such). Wilmsen, by that a word the Herero apply to the San purporting to possess expertise in so many areas, intimidates the experts in all of them that the San are their property. However at first, anyway. But scholars have

70's San are strikingly unlike the puns: observations of all his dozen-odd anthropologists had already reported how abruptly the San foraging lifestyle was succumbing to pressures ranging from protracted drought to entanglement in counterinsurgency in Southwest Africa to

Bookehin, and with similar consequences.

Tanaka and others studied before 1975 Academics are the timid type in the best of might have in a rather short time come to live differently. The historian himself

reviewers, Henry Harpending, actually knows these languages. Wilmsen claims they also apply to their eattle, implying the Herero apply the same word to the started checking up on Wilmsen, just as Afrikaaners, and nobody would say that anarchists have started checking up on the Afrikaaners are the Herero's property. According to Harpending, Wilmsen Most of Edwin Wilmsen's observations of derives sociological conclusions from bad

> This all, and much more, is fanciful drivel. It is like saying that the people of Deutschland are called people, from the word tgerm meaning a microorganism that causes illness. Almost every foray into linguistics appears to be entirely

says that his model is based on over 400 surveyed sites anxeavations at 22 localities. The 400 or more surveyed sites, however, provide no relevant evidence. The model is really based on a dozen of the excavated sites, and of these only

One alternative is as speculative as

The main evidence cited to show han "encapsulation" by Iron Age Bantu speakers from the sixth to eleventh centuries is cattle and sheep remains found at San sites. The proportions, however, are extremely small, like those found in the Cape area where there were no Iron Age chiefdoms to encapsulate foragers. The evidence of all kinds is scanty and encapsulated at certain times and places, dominant at others. Nothing rules out the

that they may very well have retained their autonomous hunting and gathering way of life until historic

Wilmsen claims that when Europeans perceived hunter-gatherers (in 19th century parlance, "savages"), they were constructing them as such in accordance with ideological preconceptions. But when Herero pastoralists, refugees from a vicious German military campaign in Southwest Africa, passed through the Kalahari in 1904 and 1905, they, too, saw only San who lived entirely by foraging. 28 It is unlikely that these Bantus were readers of Jean-Jacques Rousseau, Lewis Henry Morgan of Friedrich Engels. It is almost as if the San would have been foragers even if there had been no Europeans to construct them.

Which brings us to the strictly historical content of Wilmsen's case. He made more, and more systematic use, of archival evidence than any previous ethnographer of the Kalahari. Identifying these sources and emphasizing their importance may well be his only lasting accomplishment Wilmsen claims that archeology demon: What he made of them is something else strates - well, once again, let's let Book- again. Travelers reported seeing "Bushmen with cattle somewhere in the Kalahari in the nineteenth century," but since nebedy ever doubted that Bushmen have long been in contact with cattle-raising Bantu, this does not prove anything about the Bushman way of life.38 Wilmsen denounces the classical social evolutionists and also those he derides, with question: able cause, as their latter-day inheritors. But he shares with them the assumption that upon contact with the higher, more complex systems of society, the lower, simpler systems are subsumed or else will and wither away. To Wilmsen, as to Bookehin, it is unthinkable that foragers might hold their own against herders or farmers. They are, by definition, inferior! Exposure to a higher level of social organization is like exposure to pathogens

## Revisionism in the extreme form espoused by Wilmsen is untennable, but nothing less extreme debunks Bookchin's caricature of the primitive affluence thesis.

the beginning of the book, which the development of the productive forces:

an alarming discussion of people and things being interpellated in the introduction and in the first chapter, but my best efforts with a dictionary left me utterly ignorant about what it

ideologically driven

When it was published in 1989, Land other households did some hunting, but Filled with Flies created a sensation, as it subsisted mainly by other means. Now was meant to. Not only did it debunk the even if Wilmsen's findings are accurate, conventional wisdom, it did so as they derive from a ridiculously small insultingly as possible. Not only did it sample, 2-5 households at the most, of furnish startling new data drawn from people who were obviously caught up in a language, archeology and history in process of proletarianization so accelerated addition to fieldwork, it placed them in a that it would have made Karl Marx's head pretentious theoretical apparatus. And it spin. seethed with self-righteousness. By not their subjugation. Since all anthropolog- ethnographic database. Nothing Wilmsen as indisputable facts. That they are not

Henry Hamending, is a world-order at its very bottom level-and anything. He doesn't care what happens to people so

> long as he can turn it to polemical Most of Wilmsen's fieldwork was done at a waterhole he calls CacCae, whose

inhabitants he labels, according to how he classifies their "Brincipal production

on a combination of relief and casual revisionism is not just testing and wage-labor. As for the "independents," rejecting hypotheses. Partially fueled who owned some livestock but derived by postmodernism, it seems to be over half their subsistence from foraging. there were three households in the earlier period, two in the later.21 Those in the

recognizing the San for what they are an I read a bunch of reviews of Wilmsen's underclass, the poorest of the poor under book, pro and con, before I read the book comprador capitalism=all other anthropo- itself: Nothing prepared me for the sheer, logists were ideologically complicit in shocking near-nothingness of its These conclusions the Director serves up ists who have lived with the San are says he found in the field, even if true, strongly committed to some notion of their refutes or even calls into question what Karim Sadr has recently taken up Richard to which the savages have no immunity. rights and autonomy, naturally they were previous researchers discovered about far Lee's exasperated proposal for Trade or any other interaction necessarily

It is as if I were to claim that the

English word grandmother refers to a custom whereby old people stay at home and grind wheat for the family bread and that grandmother is really a corruption of grindmother. Of course, if I were to write such nonsense it would never be published. Editors and referees would laugh me out the door because they would be familiar with English. But hardly anyone in Europe and North America is familiar with !Kung and

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infuriated to be eastigated as the dupes of larger groups of San at earlier times and in independent review of all of Wilmsen's subordinates them to their superiors.

controversial claims.24 Sadr addresses only the archeological claims, and concludes that they are unsupported by what little evidence is available so far. Wilmsen's ally Denbow, as Sadr has

how forced and foolish some of the Wilmsenist arguments are. Rock paintings of uncertain age depicting stick figures supposed to be San alongside eattle are claimed to be evidence that the San at some indefinite past time herded eattle. From this premise even if true is drawn the illogical conclusion that the San were working for Bantu bosses who owned the eattle (why the San were incapable of owning and herding their own eattle is not disclosed). As Sadr says 28,

the stick figures may be herding or stealing the eattle, or the Bushmen may have received the eattle in fair trade. To stretch the point, maybe the paintings represent wishful thinking.

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The only thing wrong with this assumption is everything. It begs the question. For all anybody knows, foragers might have dealt with their neighbors from a position of strength. If you look at the situation from a nurely military perspective for instance

the foragers had definite advantages over the Bantus. The Bantus permanently occupied villages whose locations were easy for an enemy to ascertain. The San often moved their campsites, taking their scanty personal property with them. The Bantus mainly lived off their cattle, whose whereabouts were known, and which could be stolen or killed. The San lived off of wild game and gathered plant food which no enemy could destroy or despoil them of. The Bantus could probably mobilize more manpower for war than the San, but to do what? There's no reason to think that Bushmen and Bantus have, or Wilmsen's own argument holds otherwise. They had some incentive to interact, perhaps some incentive to avoid each other otherwise, but no known incentive to wage permanent war on each other.

It is above all with history that Wilmsen seeks to overawe the anthropologists. His book is very much part of the historica turn the discipline has taken in the las twenty years: "People without history" nowhere exist. Berating other anthropolog ists as ahistorical possesses a strategie advantage for someone like Wilmsen in addition to its trendiness. When he contradicts the ethnography of a dozen predecessors, they are inclined to retort

returning to the ethnographic 1960's, but area as a big blank spot - its commercial the archival 1860's are available for potential was limited, and its inhabitants, others to visit. Wilmsen's critics did who were mostly the then-numerous San, his sources, as I researched were known to be hostile to intruders. The

Richard B. Lee and Mathias Guenther sought out the traders' and travelers' Afrikaans), the maps, the letters and the anthropologists found foraging San a century later was a major trade crossroads in the mid-nineteenth century. The Dobe area "pulsed" with commercial activity in Wilmsen inserts words which clearly have which Europeans, Bantus and San were all no counterparts in the German originals, heavily involved. The San, however, were herders, not hunters-the serfs of the of ethnic stratification. nineteenth century, the San lost their by Wilmsen is untenable, but nothing less livelihoods and were forced into the desert extreme debunks Bookehin's caricature of 10 Marshall Sahlins, Stone Age Economics 21 Wilmsen, Land Filled with Flies, pp. to forage ("literally devolved, probably the primitive affluence thesis. The reader (New York: Aldine de Gruyter, 1972), 225-226. very much against their will," in will by now be weary of !Kung ealorie= Bookehin's learned words). Even a priori counting and kindred esoterica: Bookehin

There is more trade through Xai Xai than anywhere in South Africa! Yet Xai Xai is perhaps the most remote isolated place I have ever visited. am ready to believe that the occasional trader showed up at Xai Xai, but I am not ready to believe that it was ever a hub of major trade

discovery. As Harpending writes32

that either conditions changed or Wilmsen According to Wilmsen, the records left by NOTES is wrong. It wouldn't be the first time an European traders confirm their activity in anthropologist with an ideological agenda the Dobe area. But not according to Lee Lewin N. Wilmsen, Land Filled with went into the field and saw what he and Guenther:33 Repeatedly, the diaries Flies: A Political Economy of the wanted to see: But if Wilmsen was a and maps cited by Wilmsen to place these Kalahari (Chicago, IL & London: 14 Bookshin, &ALA, pp. 44-45, quoting 31 Harpending, review, pp. 314-315. latecomer, perhaps a too-latecomer to the Europeans in or near the Dobe area University of Chicago Press, 1989). field, he was almost a pioneer in the actually place them hundreds of kilo- 2 Murray Bookehin, Social Anarchism or archives where time is on his side. If the meters away: In fact, the Europeans say others point to the 1960's, he can point to that they went well out of their way to the 1860's. Take that! But there is a avoid the area. It was unmapped = all the erucial disadvantage too: There is no maps Wilmsen refers to display the Dobe

Bookchin's, and with the same devastating chicanery doesn't end there. Wilmsen's linguistic flimflammery, previously noted, isn't confined to obscure African languages where he might hope to get away a German-language source which, he scanty, found fishy. In self-serving ways

there was reason to doubt this remarkable is counting on it. He deploys an argument almost as persuasive as the argument from force, namely, the argument from beredom. Anything you say, Murray, Just don't say it to me! Anyone ever involved with a leftist group knows the school where Bookehin learned "process." Bookchin's perverse paradise is precisely this pathology generalized.34 The winner every argument is the guy who won't shut up, the Last Man Grandstanding.

Chasm (Edinburgh, Scotland & San pp. 44-45:

Murray Bookchin, Toward an Ecological Society (Montreal, Canada: Black Rose Books, 1980), p. 195

[emphasis added] & passim. <sup>4</sup> Posted electronically, unpaginated, with Anarchy Archives, and forthcoming in another Bookchin book from AK Press. My rejoinder, Withered Anarchism from which this review is adapted, will shortly also appear on the Internet. Bob Black, Anarchy after Leftism (Columbia, MO: C.A.L. Press, 1997)

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ancestors] was actually quite harsh, generally short, and materially very demanding." Bookehin, SALA, p. 46. Richard Borshay Lee, The |Kung San: 19 Thomas N. Headland, Reply, Ibid., p. Men, Women and Work in a Foraging 624.

Thomas N. Headland, Paradise 13 Bookchin, SALA, p. 44.

small part of the territory now inhabited pology 32 (1991): pp. 298-305.

by the San, and it was not even the area 23 Karim Sadr, Kalahari Archeology and where Wilmsen did his own fieldwork. A Kalahari eattle industry experting to thropology 38(1) (Feb. 1997), p. 105. Europe in the 1840's? San cowboys? 26 Ibid. That's not only ridiculous, it's 27 Ibid., p. 111. impossible. Wilmsen says no such 28 Harpending, review, p. 315. thing. Even in the United States, until Harpending, review, p. 315.

was no way to transport beef long distances unless the cattle did the walking, and they couldn't walk on water. Wilmsen, Land Filled with Flies, 197,

Lifestyle Anarchism: An Unbridgeable 15 Black, AAL, 112; ef. Bookehin, SALA,

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and Other Essays (Brooklyn, NY: Autonomedia & Columbia, MO: Anarchy: A Journal of Desire Armed, 1994), pp. 101-134.

Henry Harpending, review of Land Filled with Flies, Anthropos 86 (1991), p. 314. He continues: "When I deduced that 'interposing instruments of production between themselves and subjects of labor' (p.48) meant spearing animals I gave up on the rich language of the theoretical arguments and decided to concentrate on the substance of the

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LEAVING THE 20TH CENTURY EDITED BY CHRISTOPHER GRAY. £9.90 FROM REBEL PRESS, 84B WHITECHAPEL HIGH STREET, LONDON E1 7QX.

This book is a Situationist anthology, originally published in 1974. It contains of Bethlehem'. Or how about this (p. a selection of translated articles from IS, 56)? sections from Debord and Vaneigem's books, Situationist leaflets, cartoons, graphics and photographs of slogans like "Sous les paves, la plage" ('beneath the pavement, the beach'). Rebel Press are a non-profit making group and this shows, the quality of this large-format coffee table book is easily worth double the for generating meaninglessness by the ties to present Situationism as it was, PROPULSIVE UTOPIA. BY tendency see their resort to armed asking price of a tenner.

What about the texts themselves? You find familiar slogans and ideas everyone accepts as given today, but which were ground-breaking in the 1950s and 60s. The idea about the Spectacle, recuperation, reformist betrayals etc. You find this syncretic mash of Marxism, existentialism, the Frankfurt School, Lewis Mumford-type critique of technics, a critique of urban planning, Beat Generation stuff, urban angst, psychoanalysis, Reich, Dada, Surrealism, The tendency away from art towards Breton, Nietzsche... You find the conflict revolutionary politics finds its moment

Some parts of it have not worn well, and are dated now. This continual deference towards Marx and Hegelian dialectics is clunky. Vaneigem has not worn well, and comes across as ponderous, megalomaniacal. Nietzsche in his final madness (p. 108) proclaiming himself "Dionysus the Crucified" (wasn't it Dionysus against the crucified?) is not allowed his escape, but in true dialectical fashion must defer to the "Witch Doctor

By revealing its fragmentary character, praxis reveals at the same time the real totality (reality): It is the totality being realized through its opposite, the fragment.

Dialectics always was just a technique the 20th Century is a kind of snapshot. It text-hectacre. Another dated trait is this warts 'n' all. One to add to your ALFREDO BONANNO. PRICE struggle as a significant break with the

constant referencing to workers'

As this book makes its progress through the 1960s, the political side rises to the top. The section on the Watts riot (13-18th August 1965) is probably the best part of this, the defence of the Black rioters against the condemnations of white politicians, cops, bishops and other reformists and recuperators. This idea of Spectacular society being turned over because the air conditioning failed is funny but makes a serious point./ Their defence of Watts is a high point, but it does not stop some patronising radical chic posturing in a later chapter: 'Nothing is too good for the blacks of

between art and politics. Situationism (its zenith / nadir to speak dialectically, scream of alienation. uni funds to publish On the Poverty of WILTSHIRE. Student Life. Eighteen months later, the whole of France kicked off with strikes, occupations, sit-ins. Situationist thinking, Situationist slogans--"All power to the Imagination!", "It is forbidden to academic disdain against the SI, their influence on May '68 was still present, and hasn't even been completely blue pencilled out of the history even now. the SI, with inactivity, schisms,

> tendency which sees the Situationists as stereotypical woman in big boots! nothing more than a fringe art

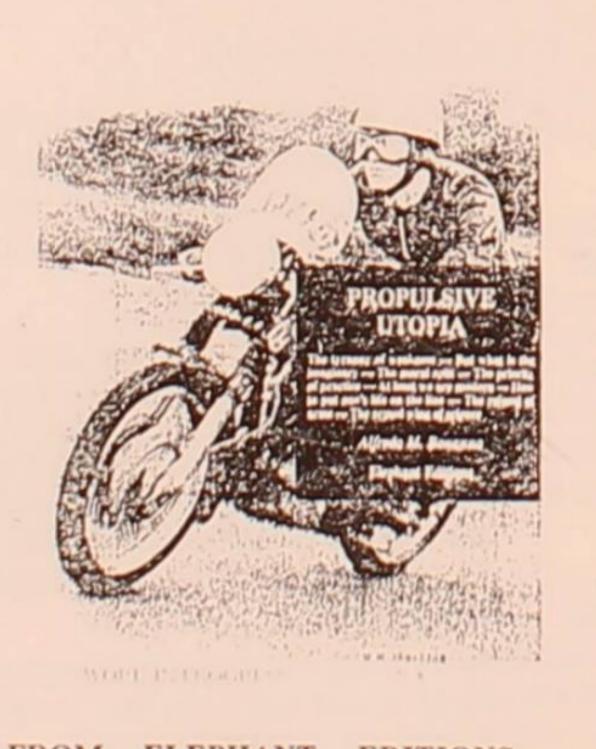
expulsions and dissolution.



the underlying optimism of the 1950s 1968. We find a foreshock to this in the FROM ORANGE DOG PRODUCT- 3XX. (this emphasis on play as a motivating Strasbourg university students union IONS, 7 THE GREEN, BIDDLE- This latest pamphlet from Alfredo force behind revolution) set against the affair, where Situationist enrages used STONE, NR. CHIPPENHAM, Bonanno-currently imprisoned and

The 200+ mega-pages memoir of one of bullshit 'ORIA conspiracy'-is a the eco movement's best-known collection of essays from his journal, cartoonists, with accounts of campaigns Provocazione. Given the gutless lack of from Solsbury Hill to Fairmile - solidarity he's been shown by Italian Greenham even. This isn't just one Despite all the official neglect and person's story, though. It includes his first essay in Propulsive Utopia accounts v from a whole host of people should express the rage felt by all true involved in these campaigns and there revolutionaries at the pseudo-revolutioncertainly seems to be a maturing of ary milieu: political perspective, particularly After '68 though, it was all downhill for regarding the media's attempts to spectacularise the movement a al Swampymania &c. Amusing and useful practical guide to close - "ecofeminism is This book is a valuable corrective to the about being practical", including a toon mainstream recuperationist, revisionist of Barby being trampled by a non-

# movement, as something innocuous, something to be spectacularised. Leaving PAMPHLETS



FROM ELEPHANT EDITIONS, was very much a product of its time, all or its orgasm to be Reichian) in May COPSE BY KATE EVANS. £9 B.M. IGNITION, LONDON WC1N

> supposed heart of the Italian state's anarcho-orthodoxy, it's understandable

Out with all the schemers, in with freedom. Right. It is when this freedom does not have a bodily content, when it becomes a skin over well (or badly) construed words, then it is nothing more than a new way of closing ideas hermetically off in ideology.

Seeing revolution as spontaneous and utopian and therefore themselves as

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pseudo-revolutionaries. Taking up arms to fulfil there desires creates a 'no turning back' level of confrontation that prevents accommodation with the system or even the 'revolutionary mass' (ie. leaving it to someone else). One reason Bonanno is so vociferously condemned by Italian anarcho-orthodoxy is because, by provoking such responses, he ends their excuses and exposes their objectively counter-revolutionary status.

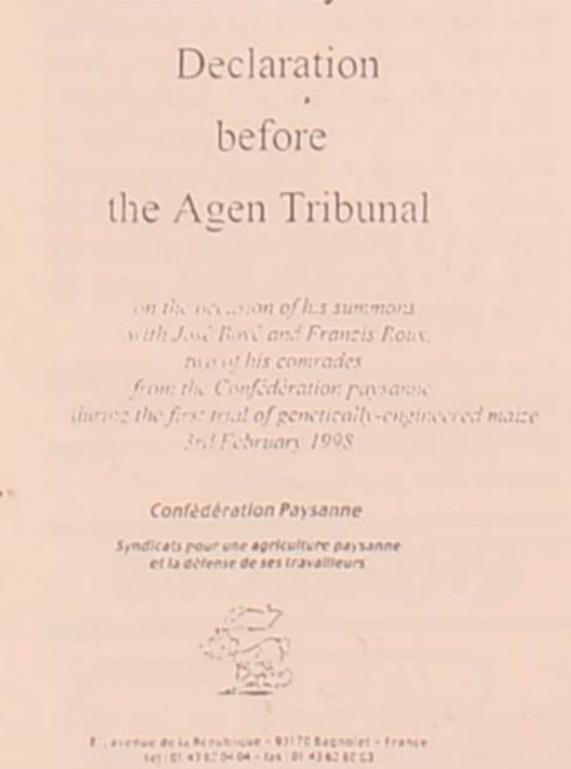
In The Refusal of Arms, Bonanno distinguishes between the weapon-asobject and the weapon-as-means, thereby justifying his own liberatory resort to arms against the State's reactionary usages. This goes beyond pacifist antimilitarism, for sure, but the treatment of issues of technology in the following section, The Armed Wing of Science, suggests the problem is technology's domination by a technocratic class rather the inevitability of such a class in technological society.

There's much to be applauded in Propulsive Utopia-the rejection of ideology, the mass, delegated power (a real shock to Italy's syndies, that!), work and (to a certain extent) technocracy-but Bonanno's discussion of 'progress' in At Least We Are Modern shows he's a long way to go to anarcho-primitivism. Prepared to accept the past has lessons to offer to, the lessons itemised are strange, to say the least:

constancy, courage, respect for one's fellow (human or animal), being harsh with oneself, a correct consideration of the environment. But others that are only apparently in contrast: play, love, fantasy, joy, tenderness, dreams.

Following Sorel, Bonanno rejects the syndicalist myth of the mass but by suggesting the finer human qualities last listed were absent in our unalienated. pre-Civilised past is to accept other Victorian myths, those of social Darwinism. He still needs to take issues of primitive affluence and authenticity onboard, not least to critique work that much more effectively, from the perspective of its coercive origins.

There is a lot more in this short much of the Left-trailing their pamphlet, raising useful, practical economistic baggage and the 19th questions for revolutionaries from the century rationalist mythology of Progress poverty of their practice through to and scientific orthodoxy-just aren't Apocalyptic myths (eg. of Greens) taking ideologically equipped to catch up with. away from any sense of authenticity derived from our own experience. We think Propulsive Utopia could go a lot further, but we recognise our affinities with it and that Bonanno has gone a lot further than most already.



RENE RIESEL'S DECLARATION BEFORE THE AGEN TRIBUNAL PRICE FROM B.M. CHRONOS, LONDON WC1N 3XX.

Although this translation only runs to eight pages of large type, ex-Situationist Riesel's Declaration is a powerful, moving document everyone concerned about the encroachment of genetic engineering technique on our lives should read.

Arrested alongside agricultural workers Jose Bove and Francis Roux for trashing £700,000-worth of genetically-engineered maize the Novartis corporation were importing into France, Riesel meets his accusers head on, broadcasting his revolutionary politics from the dock and mobilising thousands to continue his struggle.

His statement opens by citing a scientifically 'heretical' text about the 1981 Spanish toxic oil tragedy--caused

by a Bayer OP sprayed on tomatoesboth to illustrate how the GE maize might have the same effect, and how the corporations are seeking to control every aspect of our lives, including our knowledge of the past:

In other times such a book would have no doubt had to have been printed in Geneva or Amsterdam.

It turns out the maize was totally untested regarding public safety, at least as far as the French authorities were concerned; that claims that it would autonomy of small-holders worldwide, as Blakemore and Anita Roddick. they would have to buy new seed from Novartis each harvest, rather than taking it from their own crop.

1831 Lyons), although he qualifies this by insisting:

our deed ... helps to give the silk workers the reasons that they could not then totally conceive of.

On Progress, he quotes a solidarity

statement from the General Assembly in the suicidal version of capitalism

each step taken in the name

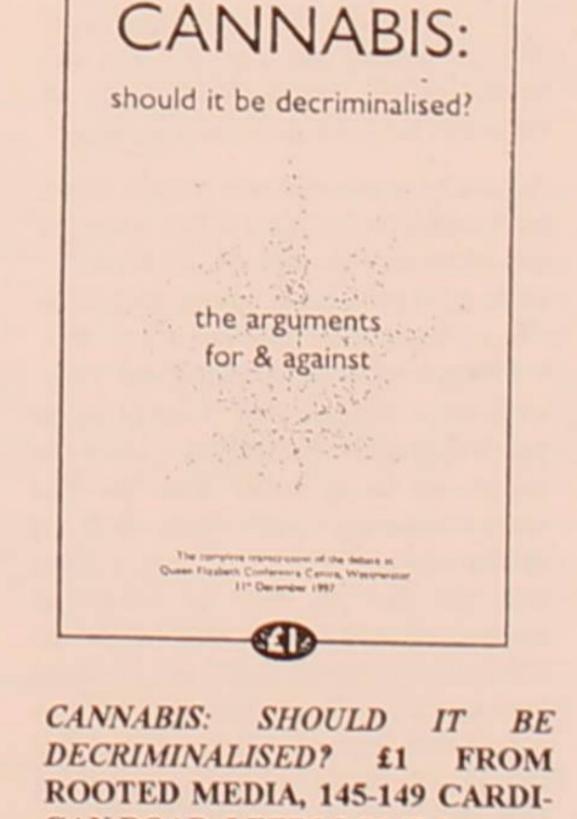
step towards catastrophe. and doesn't hesitate to call on those he identifies as the "dangerous classes" t

make revolution:

'Progress' is nothing more than a

In coming to attend the first public trial of a genetically-engineered plant with you, what else did it say except that it institutes at the same time a trial of a social order which does not fear to announce that it shoulders the risk of poisoning men and their planet in the name of balancing finances and the free circulation of commodities?

Again, we see the ground has shifted, the arenas of contestation with Capital and



DECRIMINALISED? £1 FROM ROOTED MEDIA, 145-149 CARDI-GAN ROAD, LEEDS LS6 1LJ.

This remarkably cheap 58-page transcript of the Independent On Sunday's debate about cannabis decriminalisation at the QEII Centre, Westminster, on 11 December 1997 presents itself as a straight debate and condemns the Home Office and its ludicruously styled 'Drugs Czar' for refusing to participate.

Anti-dope advocates certainly looked

outgunned and Peter Stoker, National Drug Prevention Alliance director, also betrayed by his projector! Some anti comment-from Nigel Evans MP, for example--is too low key to matter, whilst others such as evangelical David Partington came across as hilariously over the top, the full 'reefer madness' bit. Particularly unpleasant was his technique of problematising perfectly normal and pleasurable behaviour-the same was 5UO. evangelical scumbags treat gays disturbed enough to want to continue in their faith--but Partington did much to put his

finger on why dope is illegal:

a society can basically write its own death warrant ... when pleasure or instant gratification become the predominating feature of its citizens

By "the vulnerable" he, of course, means those choosing to be instantly gratified. but the main point is that the struggle around dope is a subset of that against work and all the coercion and distortion of human nature that built Civilisation at the expense of those repressed by it.

On the pro-decriminalisation side were increase yield were unproven; but that it the usual underground luminaries, but would most certainly destroy the also such anathematised figures as Colin

> that it does knock occasionally still advanced claims that its actively harmful on the head.

Pro-decriminalisation partisans were bisexuality was seen as a 'half-way perfectly open and honest about the house' more socially acceptable than freely available info about the effects drug use is surely a better way few decades.

We were very surprised to see environ- needing to kick the whole system over to ENGINEERING OF CONSENT BY those contesting it have shifted in a way mental arguments about the utility of achieve social justice, we can see in all JUDITH RICHTER. PRICE FROM hemp for purposes other than smoking- this the seeds of gay liberation's THE CORNER HOUSE, P O BOX not least balancing carbon debts-got very short shrift. Beyond Roddick plugging her hemp soap and someone in gay cops, soldiers &c without proper the audience sensibly pointing out she should support growers in UK rather than China, argument ends with Stoker quoting some Amerikan dork claiming:

> most of us guys tend to keep away from that. Frankly, this whole environmental hemp thing is total

We thought Free Rob Cannabis's point most sensible - a good number of police forces turn a blind eye to dope use anyway, regardless of Jack Straw's claptrap, and this is from defiance and refusal to accept State constraints by ordinary tokers, not any sort of policy or lobbying. All that's about is the Beast rolling over and admitting it's dead orworse, and more likely from the type of argument this pamphlet reproducesusing the promise of its official 'stamp of approval' as a way of voiding dope use of broader revolutionary significance.



A GAY MANIFESTO the housing statement of Hee total blockations innerconceil CARL WITTMAN

A GAY MANIFESTO BY CARI WITTMAN. PRICE FROM Dave c/o PO BOX 14672, LONDON E9

and organisation explain why it quickly watched rather underline this point. became a gay liberation classic.

at the expense of the vulnerable.

freedom as liberatory, something a lot of thin though - the things people do to advance science...).

Roddick, particularly, argued powerfully for the medical provision of cannabis to MS sufferers &c, something uncontrover- patriarchy itself goes.... Anthropology had the same prejudices against sexual Faced with such a prospect, Riesel sial until the mid-1970s and which even shows that in the most basic passivity as the Western cultures that doesn't hesitate to proclaim himself a the BMA have argued a return to. Stoker communities, roles and taboos around followed it. Their notorious misogyny is Luddite ("canut" in France, after the was right to say this is an incidental to insurgent, frame-breaking silk workers of arguments about the provision cannabis for pleasure, although we'd say

> problems heavy cannabis use can cause open homosexuality, and Wittman is (eg. driving while stoned) but also primarily pushing for such openness here convincingly argue that the damage done to break down isolation and prejudice by criminalising a significant portion of (outing gets a good mention here too). Britain's population is even more He doesn't come across as being anti-biharmful. Depressingly, most of this is indeed he seems remarkably tolerant expressed in terms of social integration generally-just saying that the and 'why don't the cops chase the real polarisation imposed by patriarchy needs criminals?' &c, all good reasons not to to be resolved first. legalise dope in our view. Making it available cheaper and fresher are better reasons, surely? There was also endless fuss about 'age of consent', which effectively continues prohibition and a black market re. the under-18s. Proper, tackling this question. We guess a lot of all this is a product of the arguments coming to be framed in reformist-rather than revolutionary-terms over the last

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this shows that some of the militancy of smashing these people rather than the original 1970s movement remained - offering to talk with them, using in fact the impact of homophobia around 'negative' tactics like boycotts &c which AIDS has accentuated anger in some they really fear and identifying those survival and how many in the gay and the collaborators they are. lesbian community are holding their lives too cheap. The focus is on Reaganite WHOSE VOICE IS SPEAKING? BY attacks (eg. Jessie Helms' attempts to LARRY LOHMAN, PRICE FROM ban gay art) but examples cited of queer- THE CORNER HOUSE, P O BOX bashers battering drag queens at a rally 3137, STATION ROAD, STUR-Originally published in 1969, its clarity as thousands of fellow gays stood by and MINSTER NEWTON, DORSET

It draws heavily on the feminist critique separatism. The author says she doesn't points raised in Cornerstone's Engineer-

have to justify herself to straights and her of hierarchy, gives a detailed analysis of power and identity come from queer how the personal is political, and thus difference. Such a stance can be used to provides a consciousness-raising framebreak down social unity and thus make work. Wittmann recognises differences way for a freer, post-Civilised society, too, however. Arguing that gayness is but we've got problems with it. Defining chosen rather than innate, he sees sexual yourself primarily by sexuality leads to a 'herd mentality' irreconcilable with feminists were refusing, even at this early individual freedom - its about learning stage (the bit about the dolphins was a bit roles, not superseding them. As an intermediate stage, it can degenerate into a jumping off point back into the existing Wittman seems to think patriarchy power structure, and therefore stemmed from a primal need to breed as recuperation. And there's a loss of many kids as possible so that some could perspective - we doubt "the arts is the survive into adulthood. This is doubtful only place where queers can exist". The given 'primitive affluence' and shows author needs to get out more! We also patriarchy and its prohibitions on non- think hailing Greek art and politics is procreative sex have never been a distinctly naff. We can thank Foucault

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necessity - except as far as preserving for pointing out that the ancient Greeks

a matter of record.

sexuality are largely absent.

Some might find some of Wittman's

criticism of role-playing and of

bisexuality contentious but we must

make some concessions to the time in

which this pamphlet was written. Then

The section on alliances is pretty

interesting, if dated. Though de rigour to

seek support from Black and Chicano

liberationists (despite "supermachismo"),

the broad mass of working class people

have been written off already. Lefties

like the SDS get a mention, though their

alienated politics (always other peoples

liberation) and surprising homophobia

are qualifiers here. Those profiting from

the 'gay ghetto' and old-fashioned gay

reformists are also criticised but beyond

the details and despite rhetoric about

consideration of these institutions).

An appendix by Red Butterfly takes

Marcuse ("Today the fight for Eros, the

fight for life, is the political fight") as its

guide and pushes the social-as opposed

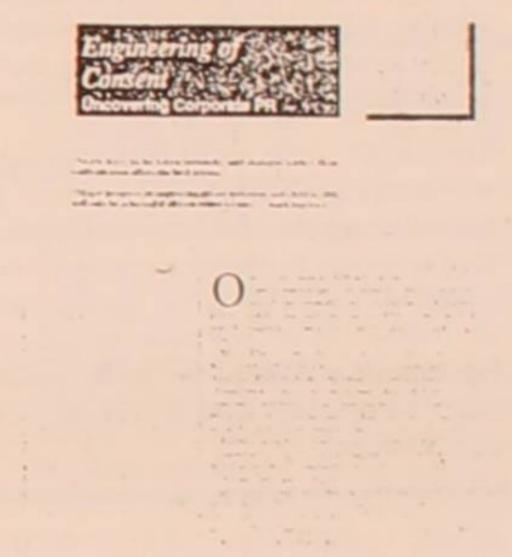
to personal-angle and ends by calling for

"socialism". Whilst fine in principle, this

reformist campaigning (Harvey Milk

&c) that recuperated feminism.

We thought the 'Rules of Conduct for Straight People' were pretty funny as a way of getting them to see the world from the perspective of the queer oppressed, though denying liberty to others-especially when they're more powerful than you-is a pretty unlikely way to secure your own.



recuperation - at bottom, its being cast as 3137, STATION ROAD, STURa struggle for inclusion (ie. Demands for MINSTER NEWTON, DORSET DT10 1YJ.

> This is a short and useful examination of the techniques the multinationals use to neutralise opposition by pressure groups, written by Judith Richter, who was on the receiving end as a Baby Milk Action Coalition activist.

led the movement straight into the sort of The four neutralisation tactics she outlines are delay, depoliticisation, diversion and fudge - all of which involve supposed concessions to activists' demands, just as long as the multi-national continues to get its way. Delay is agreeing to look into the demands - indefinitely. Depoliticisation is leaving it to the government - which draws flak off the corporation but has pretty much the same effect. Diversion is drawing campaigning attention away from the issue onto something of secondary importance, and fudge is granting the demands that don't really

> The purpose of all this is to create divisions between those that can be bullshitted or bought off and the 'extremists' that actually see through all that. Part of corporate PR strategy is constant intelligence-gathering and manipulation of issues based on this to stop themselves being challenged andwhen challenged-using 'dialogue' as a means to divide those they're 'negotiating' with.

Written in 1990 by a radical feminist, The moral, surely, is that we should be quarters. The author writes about being bought off with warm words &c as

One reason this militancy has survived is To a certain extent, this is continues the

Looking at the techniques bolstering PR, opinion polling and cost-benefit analysis is singled out as the modern way to codify and manipulate public opinion. By making it a specialist activity, interpreted at one remove, popular opinion is objectified and pacified. Lohman shows how anti-democratic this is (without challenging representative democracy though, even though similar principles apply...) with reference to Peter Mandelson's latest dodginess:

A figure like Mandelson sees responsiveness to polls as a more legitimate engine of political change than parliamentary leadership not because he holds the people closer to his heart than do more old-fashioned politicians, but because he imagines he can control poll results--and align his party to traditional political games.

Polls impose their designer's meanings on society and contrary results can always be weeded out if the public still doesn't get the hint. Similarly, costbenefit analyses are intrinsically absurd, imposing hard cash values on social natural relationships where they have no place being, and then supplying experts a means of mystifying decisions they're already made by elevating them to a rarefied expert sphere where they can't The Paranoia article by Jane Bond be challenged

managing to bring in Freemasonic The danger is that social change groups conspiracies &c (there's a whole article will accept this instrumental mystique if on the Illuminati elsewhere in Mind The the results agree with them-the Namada Gap...sheesh!). A good quarter of it on dam campaign is cited as a case in pointabout honeytrap operations MI5 official--when we should do as the corporations ly repudiated before the Profumo affair do, realise they are just weapons without and using a Soviet nomenclature the substance claimed for them, which throughout! Gues what the ANA are our enemies will always use to our really interested in ...? disadvantage.

BOOK DISEASE BY ANDI GARWOOD AND ANTHONY WEIR. £2 FROM DISSIDENT EDITIONS, 71 BALLYCULTER ROAD, LOUGHKEELAN, DOWN-PATRICK, Co. DOWN. NORTHERN IRELAND BT30 7BD.

A professionally presented showcase of poetry from Northern Ireland. Now, I am not a great fan of poetry and I found many of these poems to have deep and obscure meanings. The poets have obviously an excellent command of English and the titles often (seem to) have no bearing to the content of the poem. I think some of the names are excellent and are designed top be thought provoking. Here are a few examples for you to ponder: Bloody Teeth Along Life's Dinner; There is a Biscuit on the Grass: Panoramic Psychodrama of Woodlice; People Who Would Not Squash a Slug Eat Gelded Bulls; Slumberland Vortex She Said Dying Between Your Toes; Several Speeds of Glass. My favourite poem is entitled Names and Numbers Games:

A man who kills five people is called a psychopath, a serial killer. A man who kills ten people is called a terrorist. A man who has a hundred people killed is called a politician. A man who has 10,000 people killed

is called a Minister of Justice. A man who kills ten thousand animals is unremarkedly doing his job.

"Poetry is a way of bringing ourself into publication well worth supporting. alignment with reality" (Seamus Heaney). "The true poet shows us a different reality" (Anthony Weir).

## NEW ZINES

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Journal of the Anarchist Nihilist Accords, this focuses mainly on rejection of dogmatic ideology and taboos, and the celebration of decadence &c. The language of some of the communiqués therein can get pretty pretentious, though some are amusing, occasionally unintentionally. ANA insist nihilism is the future of anarchism and draw up a long genealogical tree with themselves its ultimate culmination. Well - there's a tradition alright but it's a bit more

MELLAD

The ANA's defence of post-modernism

was good enough to attack academic

his is rather confirmed by the "contro-

versial" Wild Fuck supplement, though

bourgeois morality seemed pretty

illustrate sexual practices that go against

conventional moral assumptions but they

have rigid conventions of their own, so

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This short anarcho-newsletter includes an

account of a minuscule demo in what

was once called the Square of Victims of

Fascism. An embarrassed Croatian

despite Croatia's genocidal pogroms

ZAGREB, CROATIA,

during that conflict.

all this doesn't get us that far either ...

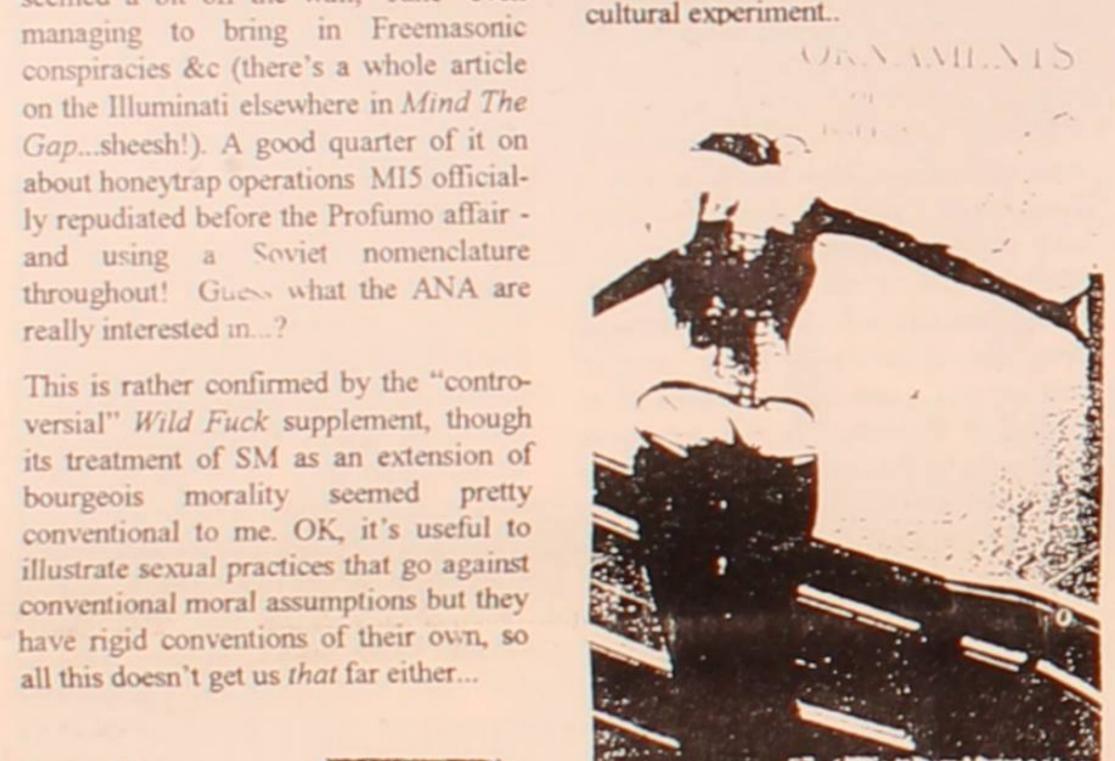
conventional to me. OK, it's useful to



complicated than that. The Sits because their team, Dimano, had been consciously said that revolutionaries renamed 'Croatia' by government needed to go "beyond nihilism", that nationalists. Although most footie fans revolution had to be rooted in something. aren't involved, they form a reservoir of fascist skinheads in Croatia and these

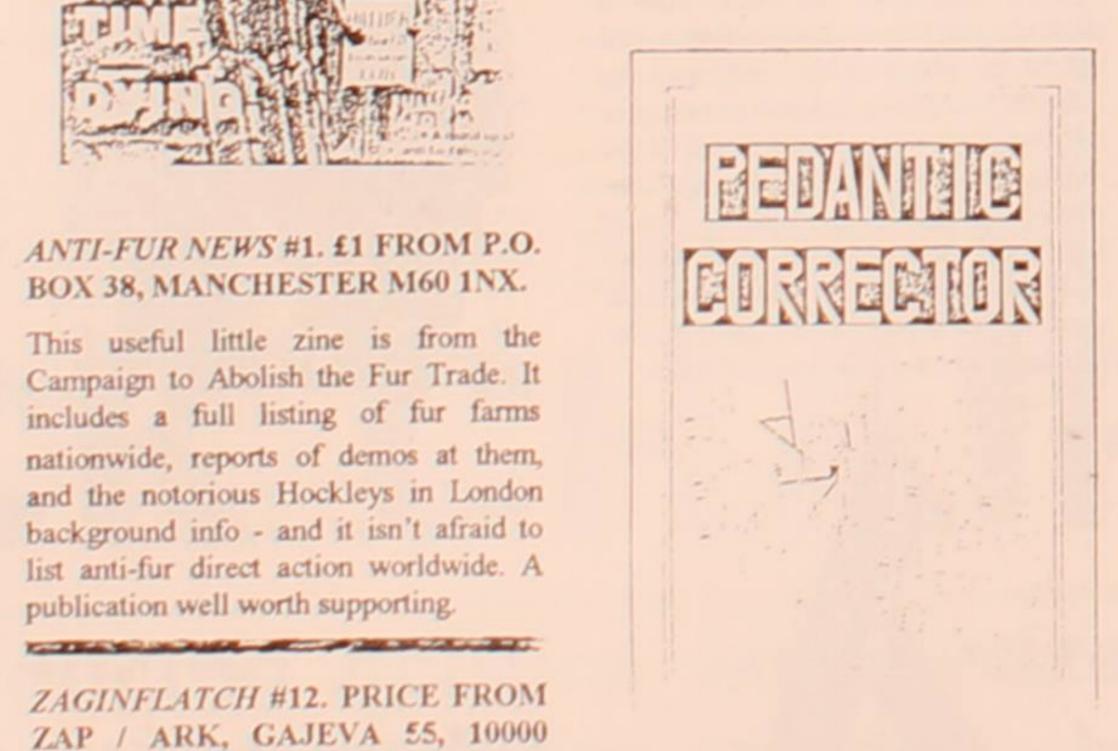
pomo as a recuperation by careerists that are fundamentally liberals, but gets in a The irony of skinhead numbskulls bit of a fix as to whether the Holocaust parroting anti-foreigner sentiments while really happened or not. The answer aping foreign (quasi-political) fashion is, seems to be that 'it did if it happened to of course, lost on them. Conversely, you' - that real experiences are those that Croatian anarchos seem determinedly change lives, but that doesn't seem to get internationalist, importing eco-action either post-modernism or reality including critical masses and RTS and appealing to anarchists across the borders of former Yugoslavia against the psychosis that destroyed that multiseemed a bit off the wall, 'Jane' even

have been a bother for the country's



SHREWSBURY ROAD, BOUNDS GREEN, LONDON.

With the author in a corset on the front cover, this is a fanzine to grab the attention. Its feminism is forthright but not in the dull, hectoring manner of a Bea Campbell, and its coming from a strong countercultural perspective (GuilFin's festlist included). Much worthwhile poetry and observations on life.



PC MAGAZINE #1 (THE PEDANTIC WHITECHAPEL HIGH STREET,

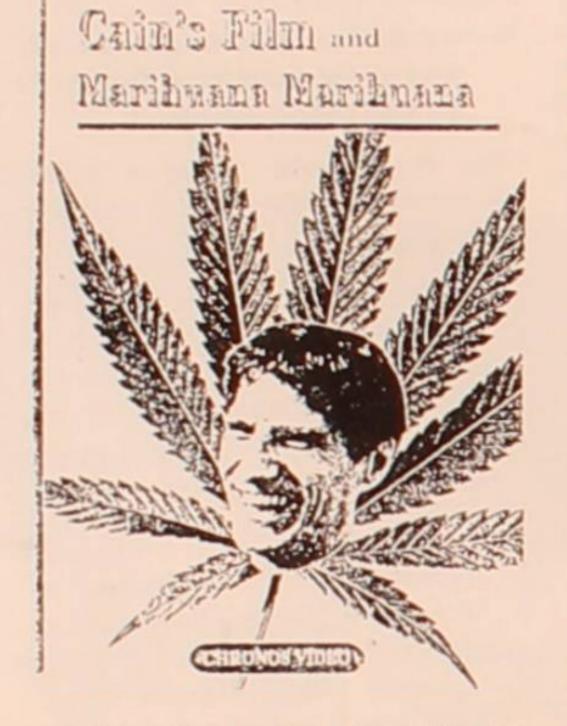
LONDON E1 7QX. government had renamed it, fascists New from Angel Alley, the Pedantic turned up outnumbering demonstrators Corrector is a zine devoted to putting four-to-one chanting "go to Serbia", and wrong information right. Rather than when this was reported on government explaining the issues, PC zine TV, the only 'fascists' mentioned-then concentrated on correcting the minutiae. and during World War 2-were Serbs, It's not so much not being able to see the wood for the trees as not being able to see the branches for the dead twigs.

The Croatian government seems keen on PC zine is the authentic voice of the 'white plans' have evidently fled his head such revisionism. An account of a mass anally-retentive anarcho-gerontocracy, by this time, replaced by endless dope Our correspondent El Nino writes: We (20-40,000-strong) demo in Zagreb crossing and recrossing its favourite growing talk, hash recipes and schemes hear a lot about the Millennium Bug, mentions how footie crews got involved territory - the factually correct high to steal elephant shit from the zoo and and how it's going to fuck up computers,

with footnotes attempting to prove that city" (my mate tells me this was a well-Freedom is an anarchist publication. practised con of the era). Old revolution-Another article demands that train aries never die, they just.... spotting reports be more correct. There is a feature about metal detectors, and a third over the precise location of a house (now demolished) in Barnstaple where Kropotkin stayed in the 1880s. In another issue we have seen, PC corrected the spelling of 'sensorship' on an Internet site, and complained for three pages about the proof-reading of GA. A regular feature promotes the correct pronunciation of words like 'controversy' and

This zine will appeal to the motionless end of the 'movement'. A waste of stationery from the stationary. If you wondered why mainstream anarchism isn't going anywhere, read this and

## VIDEO



CAIN'S FILM & MARIJUANA MARIJUANA BY JAMIE WAD-HAWAN. PRICE FROM B.M. CHRONOS, LONDON WC1N 3XX.

These are two 40-ish minute films featuring Alexander Trocchi retrieved from the cusp 1960s/70s underground and transferred to video by the latter-day Situ outfit, Chronos.

tect of Project Sigma, but he mainly clearing of Trafalgar Square. features in Cain's Film as author of Cain's Book, his 'diary of a drug fiend' that led him to flee Amerika and was banned as 'obscene' in Sheffield for all the worst, anti-countercultural reasons.

time said Cain's Film (1969) reminded membership card just isn't good enough.. him of an early Everyman, all black 'n' Similarly, we thought the demolition of white with post-Beats sitting around in English Nature's claims of 'open access' roll neck jumpers talking heavy shit. during the consultation period over Very much a Burroughs rip-off-ol' Billy turning the South Downs into a national even gets a walk-on part-Trocchi insists park were hilariously blown away by he voluntarily became a junky to some amateur on speed. experience being rather than all that The backing music is pretty annoying nasty becoming (with their cult of spontaneity and critique of time, I guess but an amusing memento of direct this has situ as well as existential resonances) and figures that below the level of language all that's not confused by mere facts. Twice married, he also pontificates against marriage for the cameras, endlessly selling his supposed amorality. It all made me think of Trainspotting - nowadays this stuff just happens without all the intellectualised twaddle. Maybe that's what evaded Trocchi the harder he thought about it. Yet, ironically, Trocchi became more known in the 1960/70s underground for what he was rather than what he'd done art-wise, so maybe he got what he wanted after all. "Sitar: Ravi Shankar".

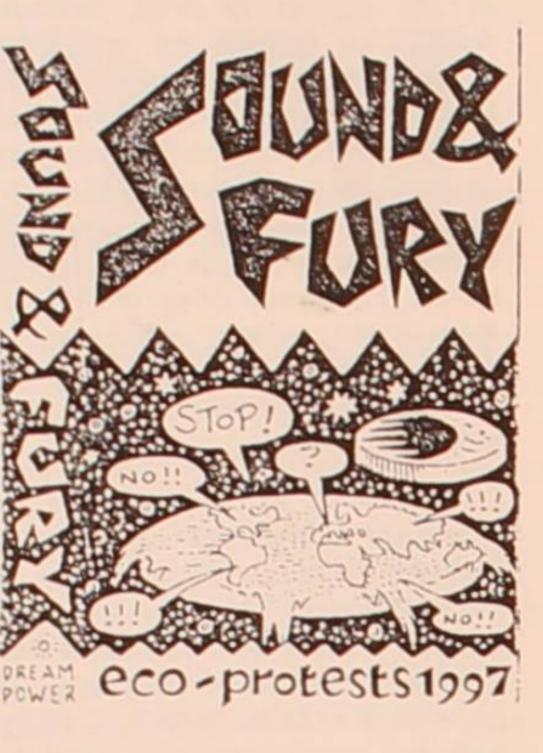
CORRECTOR). £1 FROM 84B Marihuana Marihuana (1972) is certainly a funnier, less pseudy-artsy affair, about Trocchi's visit to the Lowlands Weed Company's barge in Amsterdam and their vigorous dissemination of dope seeds around the city, including on the verge opposite the local cop shop. A lot of the laughs are on the 'schoolboy dare' level tokers find most amusing, but we noted with interest the involvement of ex-Dutch Provo Robert Jasper Kronfeldt. All the pro-situ's

ground. #1 has a long article complete sell it to "the Amerikan hippies in the

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This is good period stuff and we imagine pretty much unobtainable elsewhere. Most worth having, situ fans, for sound track and atmosphere, at very least.

## AUDIO



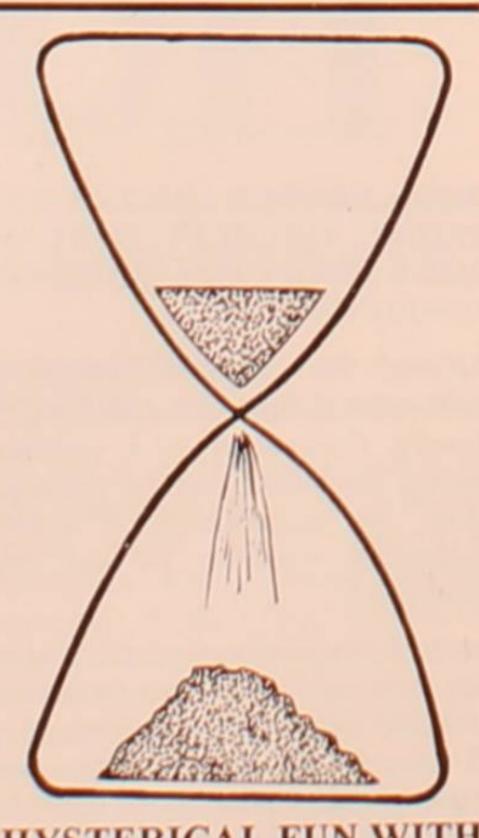
SOUND & FURY 1997. PRICE DREAM POWER PICTURES, P.O. BOX 521, HOVE, SUSSEX BN3 6HY.

This is a compilation of commentaries from someone attending direct actions throughout last year, mainly in the Brighton area.

Whoever titled this tape was taking a big risk taking the Bard's quotes in vain though there is a heath in all this-Offham--unlike in Lear, the reporter isn't totally an idiot and his tales don't exactly mean nothing. The reports tend to be a bit impressionistic, of the 'wow, look at that' school, and it'd have helped if the reporter was more familiar with his material. At the pre-election March For Social Justice street party, he can't even identify the McLibel website address when it's waved under his nose on a yards-long banner! We weren't too happy about the fluffying-up of that As editor of the avante garde zine report either. The reporter sees the smoke Merlin, Trocchi discovered Beckett, bomb that started all the fun 'n' games at Genet and Ionesco. He was a member of Downing Street go up but has nothing to the Situationist International and archi- say about ensuing events there or the

The election coverage was pretty good though. When Blair comes to Brighton, he fluffs questions about the Offham farmageddon camp and the reporter's told that he needs an NUJ card to see the A mate of mine who was around at the Labour leader - a Labour Party

> and this could be a lot more hardcore actions that year nonetheless.



HYSTERICAL FUN WITH THE MILLENNIUM DOOM

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for the year 2000?", "the Millennium wilderness; utopia; wild sex." only comes once..". Each ad would be in bright colours, reds, greens, and all of them have the same logo, some sand running out, almost finished in an hour

out during March / April 1997 (why not projects since 1987 from a "different do anti-government stickers all the point of view" (ANDERE KNK). time?), the posters and stickers promote the idea that the threat is everywhere.

As the Millennium approaches, the style of the ads stays the same, but the non-members can participate in our messages become more menacing. "You projects. Conditions are set in each can run but you can't hide", "Time is separate occasion. running out". The whole point of the Another principle is the ecologist's: in billboards and stickers is to whip up the choice of materials we hold as much hysteria about the Millennium, to rub it as possible to the rule of sustainability; in that the system can't cope and is basic materials are either recycled or selfcollapsing. We need to create that sense produced, or durable when necessary, we of threat and menace about it, playing on operate outside or avoid the economic the Toddmass's existing fear. What an system. Produced elements in projects excellent idea for a night out, sticking up are re-usable for a different concept, not posters and stickers, psychological or slightly adapted; or recyclable for warfare against the systemites...

FERAL, 530 DIVISADERO, SUITE principle. 321, SAN FRANCISCO, CA94117,

the banking system, and just about every anarchist, anti-ideological perspective is other aspect of Civilisation. We need appealing for copy for their first issue, reproductions of our object stickers, A3 posters, and huge guerrilla due out in December 1998. What does it installations. In the projects there is billboard advertisements. At the start, mean to be feral? How do we relate to always more or less a question of takin.

> ANDORRA, HOOFDSTRAAT 51, 9968 A B PI\*T\*RBUREN,

June 1998. The Cooperative Association Similar to the anti-election stickers put of Plastic Artists ANDORRA do art May I to June 2, 1998.

> A starting point is cooperation on a collective and an individual level (institutions, groups and persons) and

other components,

We don't offer any original work from

our manifestations for sale; for sale are A new zine coming from a biocentric, only the articles in the ANDORRA-shop,

that accompany our manifestations, and they should be neutral: "Are you ready the wild? Future issues will deal with a stand. Our last project (1997/1998)

Our plans now are to extend the line of the 10 paintings (called: ANDORRA's AAL? ANIMATION; AAL mean ANDORRAS

LIGHT-NAVIGATION-VOYAGE: those to be designed and executed interest the Platform LA21, the acilities and accommodation, the population of the region, artists, eco- and

was called Crossing The Desert: a hike on Indating about "waste" follows through the agricultural monocultures when contact is made and when in order. (unauthorised), a registration of the marked out route, later used in a line of 10 paintings/ assemblages, exhibited on the fence of the parking lot of Pieterburen, also unauthorised, from

LANDWALK) with 8 panels more; squirming choreography of a number of canoes, lighted with Venetian lanterns; different arrtiasts (the skeletons of t lanterns are made by us); a poster show, with for a subject: "waste": we try to

cuts of materials bought from the market. You need a black cape, orange hands, bright red face, the whole head has to be very round. White collar, grey wool for the wig, plenty of stuffing for the belly. Why not make the whole set and then sociocritical groups and organisations, as well asolindividuals are invited to

you can stage your own Punch 'n' Judy-

SLOW GLOVE PUPPET.

MAKE YOUR OWN DICK ON-

Persons Unknown taking the Piss out of

the Judiciary write: Stitch up the shape

of your On-slow pupper from rags or off-

collecting wild mushrooms, it is important to shake them to ensure a good release of spores so there'll be some for someone else. Many toadstools are toxic and Fly Agaric (the classic red and white ones) is even said to invoke visions. It can also make you sick so boiling in milk first can work. Another point is that one particular fungus is illegal within as description.

Its cap is sharply pointed and cone-like, hazel to cream in colour when dry. It of colour at ground level, about 17 or less in height, grows in groups meadows, moorlands, parks, lawns, path verges in fact, almost anywhere with grass but prefers acid soils.

Don't let this dissuade anyone f hobby and the threat caused by the illegal is so obviously ridiculous to something so common that I call on all @narchists >

to wear their liberty caps with pride.

## MUSIC

deserves £5 of anyone's money. Jakw 54 Minute Manifesto/Grover 7" ep screeching vocals, manie drumming and

THIS IS THE ALL FL

accompanying the music which includes and the quote from Proudhon on the - MTV song. Flat 2, 48 Westridge scene for countless years. Did I say were Zounds! The highlight of their set a statement from Robin Webb, ALF cover were a bit of a give away. The Road, Portswood, Southampton SO17 band? Actually it's only 2 people. The must have been when Phil (PAIN) & from : ALF Press Office, BCM 1160, they bring to mind Toxic Waste, the old 6 songs about cars, tramps and, of no political thrash, the whole room was London WC1N 3XX.

DOOM/CRESS split 10" Yours for Example of Flat Earth AG. 1800 & same and this. 20 Pinnons Road, High Wycombe, clambered onto the stage the place was Records POVBER 169 Bradford BD7 Bradford BD7 Bradford BD7

Cress are drum machine powered with noisy guitars and chanted vocals but this isn't industrial music - it's more akin to Crass at times. Lyrics cover meat eating 12 376 and people's attitudes to beggars but the outstanding track is "Manslaughter". with keyboards used to boost the sound

of this attack on white man destroying gulture and waging war across (and on) the planet Doom (to those who don't know) are fast, furious, noisy & angry. Angry about conformity - and not wanting to fit in. The excellent "Charity\_ Case" contains the classic line "Huck" you English Rose" - no prizes for

only real surprise is a version believed. This release is a benefit for the 4PN.

Hawkwind's "Death Trap" complete In the Shit - "Can't Take Anymore" 90s. Council sponsored (after last years with guitar breaks but speeded up to 7" e.p. £2 from LT.S. Records 35 "illegal" gathering it had the market warp-factor Doom. Must be heard to be Bryntaf, Aberfan, Merthyr, Tydfil, CF48 stall mentality that is so much a part of

[McLibel Support Campaign & that is I doubt there's a welcome in the hillside weren't the everpresent security guards

vinyl sounds like. Included in the and not afraid to swear either. CCTV presence but it was negligible and did Their brand of political punk fused with package is an informative fold-out and fascists get a slating along with nothing to affect everyone's fun (mind ska and dub reggae went down a storm booklet of info about the Campaign somemore personal songs but the songs downloaded from the Net, with links to that really gets me is "A Cross to lean to last Torpedo Town at Otterbourne in on's with lines like "Burn down your in '92/93). As far as entertainment went churches" vou can't go wrong to Theyor there were 8 sound systems banging out sound very similar to old Westcountry varying forms of techno and 2 stages hardcore punk stalwarts Ripeord or One stage was dedicated to punk bands Grover do 2 songs of speedy bubblegum maybe Spite. It's not just the awesome featuring Inner Terrestrials (ska-punkpunk-pop with very personal lyrics about sound or great artwork that makes this be dub) Hatred, Rectify, Haywire & the air had Minute Manifesto, release worthwhile but the fact that hilarious Ramones cover band 53rd & cleared but in the meantime the summer however, offer up 6 short, fast bursts of again, it's a DIY releases above as I single 8 3rd. The other hosted a variety of other heat mixed with the tension had made

lyric sheet included with a write up to pa arrow was benegged tartw and arrow had arro make up for the songs' brevity. Topics Unsure of prices for these as generally a lili dealt with include colonisation of the scruffy urchin scurried up, thrust the tape Americas, Zapatistas, Corporations in my hand and then disappeared

We think both initatives are doorned- it but no-one appears to be acting on it.

bullfighting. This a totally DIY product Portiswood "Too Punk for Lennons" Brixton 7 August. and you even get a free used train ticket. 5 tracks of straight forward mid-80som First on were Ciderfex, who played by the Subhumans before they go on a (?!!) L2 from Boy Useless Records 56 style punk music with semi-sung, semi-sung guitar amp (presumably cash-in-pocket) tour of the A benefit release from Mortorhate Sutherland Rd, Lordshill, Southampton spoken vocals. The first track deals with de banjo. USid Due to meeting up with some Meaturing 23 Sonflict, SO16 8GE a rape, a subject some in this genre treat They still got a reaction and set the familiar faces beforehand I got into the Chumbawamba, Crass, Flux of Pink with little regard. In fact it stands out as Then came gig late, missing the System who I'd Indians, Subhumans, Dirt, Citizen Fish Lardarse - "Armchair Apathy" 78 epige the best track, with the lyrics hitting de Active Minds a band who have been so wanted to see However, fami informed & more is a 24 page booklet Anarchists, I believe! The circle A flags in home well. There's also an amusing anti-involved with the underground punk itself that they were awful. To be honest so

Press Officer and GAndALF defendant. lyrics further reveal their political slant. 2HZ It stands as a testament to the feeling with songs about the new police baton. held within the anarchist-punk scene as anti-work messages and observations on Ciderfex "The greatest apes with the lack of bass. He also sings, whilst in the regards animal liberation and will also the destruction caused by alcohol, acest grapes" background the successor to Animal raise money to further that cause. Vocals are shared by a shouting female. This is a journey into the weird world from the Muppets goes wild. By the Available on CD for £11.00 post-paid and a gruff-voiced male and musically lived in by these cider obsessed loonies, time they had finished their set of

Belfast @ist band, although there are surprise whatsoever, cider. No lyrics shades of Mad Are Sane too (if anyone included but there is an explanation of remembers them..). Good to see a decent what each song is about!! Most of the list of contact addresses too!! songs are at a speed that makes them £2 from Weird Records, [61 Dondon Weigherable and if you like what seems their set of fiddle & whistle fronted folk-Road, Balderton, Newark, Notts NG24 to be called "80s street punk" you'll like rock. By the time Inner Terrestrials

> REVIEWS OF PUNK RECORDS? SEND US SOMETHING ELSE TO REVIEW. MUSICK c/o G.A. adress

> > LIVE Q

Festival for Global Rights On Sunday 19 July, a free festival took place on Hackney Marshes. Bar a few events at Le Minge and some site

eviction parties (one should be kicking) off at Crystal Palace as I type) this was the closest thing (for quite some time) to the tree festivals of the 80s and early Wales, the big Glasto-style festivals but there

sounds such as the crusty folk-punk of me feel certain there would be trouble. In almost discordant guitars. You can't quite understand the lyrics but there is a of PAIN. This event will probably seen in a long time and raised a

> ground as it should e a corker!! Inner Terrestrials, Active Minds, Blakelock, Ciderfex. Brady's, July, University of London Union

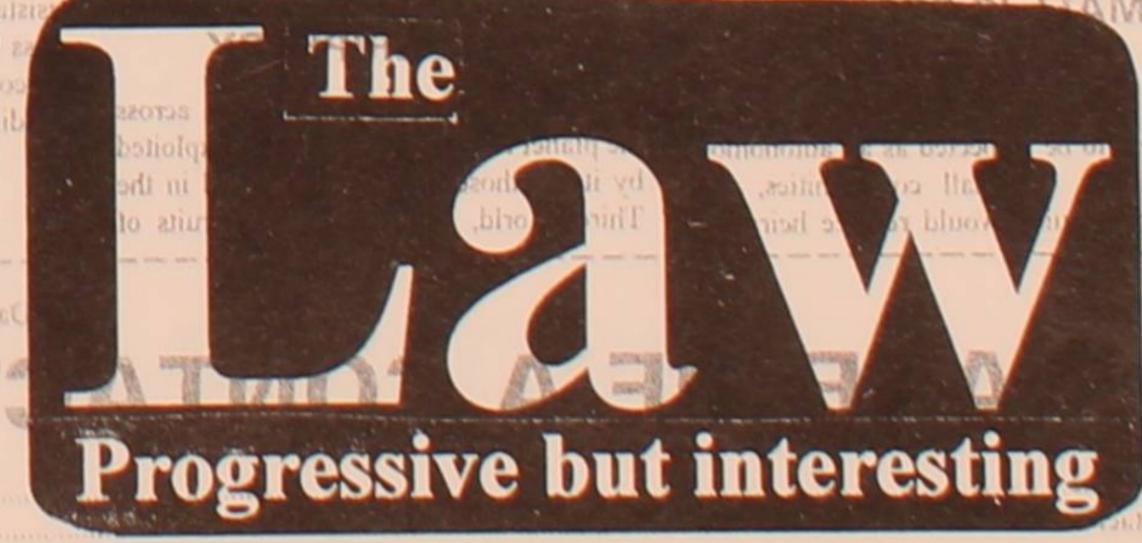
moving and the temperature had risen to about Gas Mark 7 in the venue Blakelock took to the stage and, starting with "Blakelock's lament" went through most definitely a furnace, and as soon as TYS. UKIV ham liw square balloo lie by the started things really hotted up

flailing bodies, As time pressed on w though, the landlord of the pub took to the stage informing everyone that the gig had to end there and then as the cops had started assembling outside and were

Subhumans, Zounds, the System, 16. One date of a UK benefit re-union tour

Mark (Astronauts) did guest vocals on the anthemic "Durty Squatters" -though it looked as if Mark didn't actually know the words....They did come into their

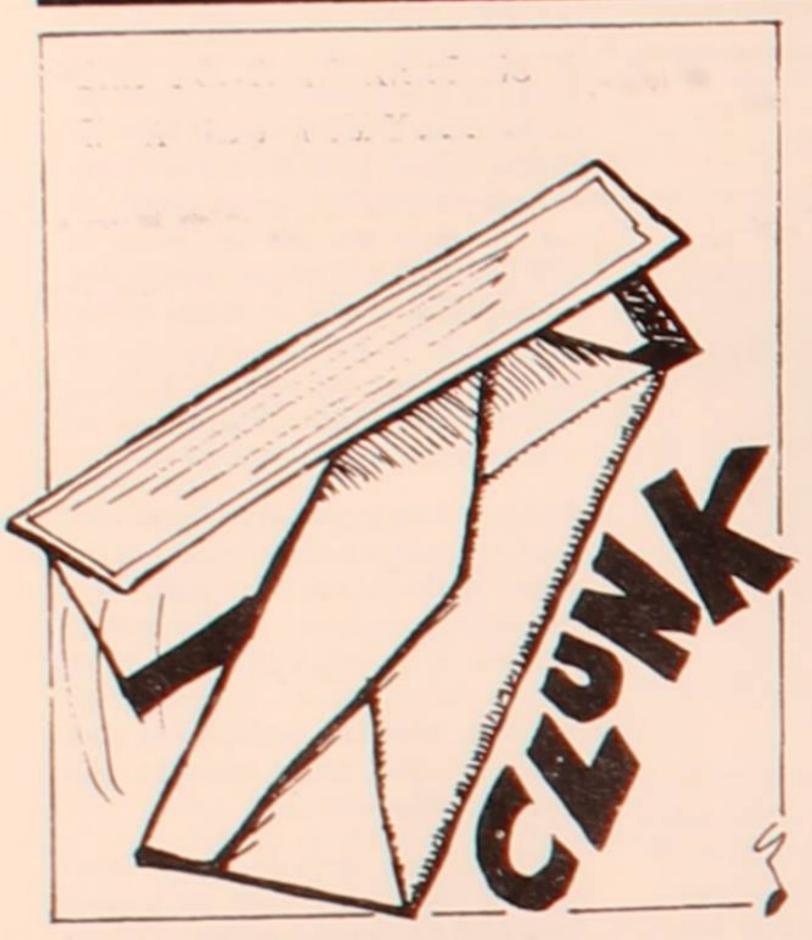
"Subvert" but generally were disappointing | Finally on came the Subhumans - would they be good badfor just sad? A mix of all 3 I suppose. They went through material from throughout their nearly 180s Career Unand evenuor attempted the 20 minute epic of Cradle toodal to the Grave" but then managed to fuck up halfway through soh well at least they played it like in the old days this lubrawog sill powerless are treated as objects to be



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perhaps more important than what the for this mob - spikey in yer face noise was a police Free ad: thank for your exemplary Gandalf coverage last issue to those was a police

# GREEN ANARCHIST SAYS...









As we heard the old bods at Freedom are still griping about the 'Sidney 'n' Vernon' cartoons published in the Lancaster Bomber over four years ago, we thought we'd best publishing a new one now, just in case they'd altogether forgotten what the first lot looked like....

# WE TOLD YOU SO

a Searchlight asset, we were accused of Searchlight's pocket. trying to "split AFA" and being "the class That the majority of those around this DIY politics to revitalise their own. enemy" &c. People who's loyalty--and group either don't care or wer. fobbed off stupidity-had been exploited thus far with a few transparent lies (never, o wouldn't hear the truth, even from course, written down so they can be chall-Bowman's own mouth.

Two years on, the same people throwing the smear are the ones that split AFA and the latest Red Action has exposed that not just Bowman but four other Leeds AFA Once, we'd have just let them sink in their ed Searchlight (April 1998, p. 23)-and

When GA40/41 exposed Paul Bowman as organisers before and after him were in

enged - the same old technique) suggests they don't really care about anti-fascism or anti-State politics - it's just a vehicle for

We think both initatives are doomed- it but no-one appears to be acting on it. people's ideas of community have changed in the last decade--but aren't happy with the ol' racketeers attempts to appropriate

They have a record of crass duplicity and of exercising power through an implicit, 'softly, softly' line. Chumba dosh goes to DIY projects 'no strings attached' - until it comes to challenging their cronies' State collaboration. When Boff openly promot-

own shit, but RA raising this issue now as it's not as if he was doing it naively-new and Camatte killed that sort of politics in much because the Leeds / Bradford mafia wave publications plugged it too and '72. There's no proper basis for unity with are drawing together a network to rival didn't retract when put straight on it. The an exhausted and de facto countertheir IWCA as because they split AFA. RA stuff's out in the open, everyone's seen revolutionary tradition - particularly one

in corners as the rackeeters do, but Colli They need you - you don't need them!

ical police and MI5 assets too, just as long We can beat the unity drum and whisper as they can shout down anyone noticing.

# REFORMATING

We want to do a bunch of things GA-wise: •

- A full article for people to react to, get debate going an issue early, instead of a 'Next GA' slot.
- 'Projects' and 'Survival' columns offers? Practical copy appreciated!
- A 'Lifestyles' feature showcasing lifeways relevant to modern primitives though not just slots people needing to 'get a life' drop into.

Observations on how anarchoprimitivist ideas about community, property &c are happening now preferably submitted with humour.

# OPEN DEBATE

At the last Green Gathering, an EF!er ran An unquestioning movement quickly goes a workship on the ideas behind direct to hell, as events in sections of the antiaction. Anarchy, of course, nothing contro- fascist movement demonstrate. 'Deeds not versial. Well, I hoped it would be - better words' goes too far when activists don't than the damn silence when debate was know what they're doing beyond 'the next supposedly opened. All people contri- thing'. A lot of it's pack mentality - not buted were announcements about coming wanting to lose status by saying something actions. The workshop audience was a bit others disagree with, the shit side of self-selecting, but someone there must consensus. If you need bodies for actions, have disagreed about something. There don't piss off any of our people.... were a lot of Green Party people there, yet Recently ARCNews tried to debate the debate should be less constricted by the technology. What about this? Are we just GA54 DEADLINE: Pre-Xmas '98 no defence of electoralism.

CIVILISATION IS

EXPLOITATION

Mass society is too complex to work

without specialisation. Specialised division

of labour alienates us from each other and

creates a heirarchy needed to co-ordinate

production. Heirarchy divides society into

the powerful and the powerless. The

powerless are treated as objects to be

exploitated. Exploitation on grounds of

class, gender, ethnicity and sexual

preference is intrinsic to mass society.

Mass society cannot be reformed. It must

SMALL IS BEAUTIFUL

Mass society must be replaced with

be replaced.

You can't fight mass with mass. If our their labour exported to profit the rich.

must organise in networks of autonomous the land at the exopense of mass society.

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small groups to replace mass society.

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