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A Sham Struggle

Centralisation Goes On

Recent discussions with rank and file Members of the Federal Government Parties have convinced us that, in the absence of any strong electoral pressure, they are having no effect whatever in stemming the policy of centralism. Many of these Members admit privately that they are not happy about the general direction in which the Government is progressing, but that they feel that they must merely make the best of the situation. The permanent economic planners are now firmly entrenched and the mere murmuring of the private Members of the Government Parties does not worry them so long as the Ministers are under their influence.

The most dangerous aspect of the present situation is the fact that many electors have their attention so narrowly focussed upon the wordy battles between the politicians, and their tactical skirmishes, that they tend to overlook the fact that the major policies of all the parties are practically the same. Now that the Labor Party, for political reasons, has permitted the Anti-Communist Bill to become law, there is considerable speculation as to whether another General Election will be forced on the Government's Banking Bill. Mr. Chifley is reported to be staking his political future on Labor's complete opposition to this Bill. This creates the impression amongst electors that there is some vital difference between the banking policy of the Government and that of the Labor Opposition. Nothing could be further from the truth.

The Planned State

What the planners are striving to create is the centrally planned State. Using "the threat of War" as a suitable pretext, the planners have had little difficulty in convincing even "anti-Socialists" that central planning is essential. Now, central planning requires centralised control of the financial system. It requires the destruction of effective and sovereign local Governments. A major step in the strategy of centralising power was taken in 1945 under the Labor Government's Banking Legislation. The central feature of this legislation was the power of the controllers of the central or Commonwealth Bank to decide the detailed credit policy, which every other bank should pursue. By issuing or refusing to issue credit, centralised control of production was thus made possible.

Central Control of Credit

It is true that the present Federal Government's Banking Legislation repeals the Bank Nationalisation proposals of the Chifley Government, but it endorses the dangerous control powers of the 1945 Legislation. The Labor Party has expressed its pleasure that the Government has thus

become "converted" to its policy of centralised control of credit issue, but it disagrees that this control should be exercised by a Board. We believe that all this controversy about the question of whether centralised control should be exercised by a Board or by some other body is a red herring, which diverts attention from the real issue. Whether totalitarian planner Dr. Coombs is Chairman of an Advisory Council or Chairman of a Bank Board does not alter the fact that he has powers, which no individual, certainly no bureaucrat, should possess. These powers permit the establishment of complete totalitarianism in Australia. They should be renounced by any genuine anti-Socialist Government.

The Crux of the Matter

But how is the present Government to be forced to renounce power and to give it back to the individual and his local Governments? This is the crux of the problem confronting those people concerned with the increasing momentum towards centralised power and a bureaucratic despotism. Although the Ministers of the Government and their "advisers" take little or no notice of private Members of the Government Parties, or of electors (Ministers are usually chosen from safe seats), they cannot carry on without the active or passive support of the private Members. These Members are in most cases more vulnerable to electoral pressure and should therefore be given special attention. The pressure

An Essential Condition

"If life in a region were to be devoted to the task of utilising all natural resources for the benefit of the regional community in accordance with ecological laws, then not only would both land and people prosper, but the vexed question of control of the machine would cease to exist . . . by observing natural laws man becomes the master instead of the slave of his tools."
—L. T. C. Rolt in *The Small Farmer*, edited by H. J. Massingham.

from the woolgrowers on the proposed Copland export tax, which was transmitted by the private Members, many of them in borderline electorates, to Cabinet Ministers was effective as far as it went. Further similar action is required.

If constant and unrelenting electoral pressure can be mobilised against private Members, there is a possibility that some thing effective will be done. And, apart from electoral pressure upon private Federal Members, increasing efforts must be made to persuade the State Governments to use their remaining sanction against the centralisers while they are still able to do so. We suggest to all actionists who support us, to lose no opportunity of pressing ahead against the totalitarians along the two lines of approach suggested.

OUR POLICY

1. The preservation of Australia's sovereignty as a part of the British Empire, and the exposure of all internal and external groups which attack that sovereignty.
2. The preservation and extension of genuine local government.
3. The preservation and strengthening of all Constitutional safeguards for the purpose of protecting fundamental individual rights.
4. The encouragement of all activities designed to bring Governments under more effective control by the electors.
5. The preservation and extension of genuine free, competitive enterprise and private ownership, and opposition to all Monopoly, whether it be "private" or State.
6. The support of a financial policy which will (a) permit free enterprise to make available to all individuals an increasing standard of living and greater leisure for cultural pursuits; (b) result in no further increase in the community's indebtedness and the sound business practice of gradually reducing existing debt.
7. Recognising that the basis of any sound economy is agriculture, the encouragement of agricultural policies which will ensure the preservation and building up of soil fertility by organic farming and gardening; and the prevention of soil erosion and the protection of forests and watersheds.

Now, when our land to ruin's brink is verging,
In God's name, let us speak while there
is time!
Now, when the padlocks for our lip
are forging,
Silence is crime. WHITTIER

TO THE POINT

Legalised Communism

A Tasmanian correspondent aptly describes Socialism as legalised Communism. All modern "democratic" Governments are merely camouflaged dictatorships pursuing policies, which progressively degrade the individual and condition him to accept stealing by Governments without protest. There is no hope for Western Civilization unless legalised robbery of the individual can be stopped. What is urgently required is the enforcement of constitutional safeguards, which will protect individuals from the power-lusting tendencies of Governments. Unless these safeguards can be enforced, electors will continue to vote themselves into more and more Socialism — into "legalised Communism."

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Modern Slavery

"Liberty will always be the first victim in every plan to concentrate vast powers in a central State run by men and not by angels. That is why there are more slaves in the world today than there were before the war to end slavery."

— John T. Flynn in *The Road Ahead*.

The modern slave-owners claim that everything they are doing is "legal" because the slaves are permitted to put a mark on a piece of paper and place it in a ballot box every few years.

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Commonwealth "Education"

Centralised control of "education" is listed as an important objective by the planners working to create the Welfare State. This journal has previously drawn attention to the dangerous activities of the Commonwealth Education Department, controlled by Professor Mills, London School of Economics, and of the National University at Canberra, controlled by Sir Douglas Copland. As predicted, the Canberra University is being staffed by the "right" people. Professor H. W. Arndt, Senior Lecturer in Economics at the Sydney University, and another product of the London School of Economics, has been appointed Professor of Economics at the Canberra University. Professor Arndt is a Socialist planner. Members of the Federal Government Parties should be making it their business to discover why this man is given so much time on the A.B.C.'s radio stations to put forward his alien ideas.

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An "Anti-Socialist"

"All power tends to corrupt . . ." How true this is in the case of Party politicians, who increasingly express their contempt for the humble citizen. Mr. Anthony, Post-Master General in the Menzies "anti-Socialist" Government, provides a classic example of this contempt with his recent statement that in future people are not going to be allowed to "hog" telephones by having lines for their own exclusive use. Apparently any individual who believes that the P.M.G.'s Department exists to provide him with a service, which he requires and he has to pay for, is taking too much upon himself. He must not be a "hog," but be prepared to have his standards degraded. He must learn to share,

just like the Communists advocate. If this process of lowering standards of service continues, no doubt the time will arrive when individuals will be told that they must not "hog" private homes — that they must share because there is a shortage.

It would be instructive to learn how many exclusive telephone lines Mr. Anthony has for his own use!

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Dollar Domination

British tractor manufacturers, who have expanded output ten times since the war and built up a valuable export trade, are worried at the terms of the 100,000,000-dollar American loan to Australia,

It has been announced that a substantial part of this sum will be used to buy agricultural machinery, and British concern is not entirely relieved by the statement that only equipment not available from the sterling area will be bought from America.

One of the biggest British exporters, Harry Ferguson Ltd., of Coventry, points out that nearly all Australian needs for agricultural machinery can be supplied from the U.K.

The firm has sent 10,000 tractors to Australia, together with implements, since the war.

Anxieties of the British firms arise from the practical interpretation of the loan agreement.

As there is very little specialised machinery that Britain cannot supply, it is feared that the allocation of dollars for American equipment may be extended to items, which Britain is fully capable of providing.

— *Canberra Letter*, October 20.

The above item provides further evidence of the Dollar Diplomat's long-range policy of disrupting the unity of the British Empire in every possible way. Australia is to come under further Dollar domination, which means Zionist-Communist domination. The anti-British conspirators in Washington and New York had no trouble in assessing Mr. Menzies' potentialities as an advocate. No doubt the conditions of the Dollar Loan were more easily "sold" because of the advice given to Mr. Menzies by Mr. Trevor Swan, a protégé of Dr. Coombs, and other "advisers" who accompanied the Prime Minister to America.

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An Admission

"The essential point in the theory of effective demand is that investment activity results in the disbursement of income, most of which will be spent on consumers' goods, without bringing on to the market any current consumers' goods to be sold. The expenditure of income derived from investment activity fills the gap between income received and the expenditure made out of that income for consumption goods."

— Professor Dudley Dillard, Professor of Economics at the University of Maryland, U.S.A., in September-October issue of the *Victorian Institute of Public Affairs "Review."*

The august business and financial magnates controlling the I.P.A., would no doubt be surprised to be informed that the statement by Professor Dillard is a confirmation of Major Douglas's analysis demonstrating that under present financial rules industry cannot, and does not, over any given period distribute sufficient purchasing power to consumers to enable them to buy the goods

produced. The Social Credit viewpoint, which should surely appeal to any genuine supporter of free enterprise and the profit and dividend system, is that the deficiency in purchasing power should be overcome by issuing to individuals, as a right, consumer credits.

The Socialist solution is, however, to rob the individual of what can be described as the community's dividends, by insisting that the deficiency of purchasing power be overcome by only issuing credits on terms, which bring the individual under centralised control. If shareholders in any company were told that before they could get access to any profits their company made, they first had to submit themselves to some unnecessary work — Full Employment — they would probably revolt. It is about time shareholders in Australia revolted against the policy of robbing them of their community profit.

'Science'

"During the nineteenth century, the prevailing optimism encouraged the scientist to follow his calling, happy in the conviction that he was serving the advance of mankind, both in enlightenment and in material benefits. Today, this assurance has gone. The material benefits of science are undermined by the new destructiveness of war, and the hope of enlightenment has been followed by disillusion. The glory of individual research is fading into drab teamwork, undertaken for a living, the freedom of science is threatened by State control, the greater the achievements of science the more serious is their abuse, and over all hangs the horror of scientific war.

"The conviction that science would lead towards general enlightenment assumed that lucid principles would be discovered, bringing to man the sense of understanding nature. But, during the last hundred years, science has become so vast, so specialised, and so obscure, that the different scientific specialists do not understand one another, and none of them really understands even his own limited aspect of nature."

— L. L. Whyte in *The Sunday Times*.

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ASSOCIATE EXAMINATION

The next examination for the Diploma of Associate will be held in March 1951. Entries for this will close January 31st, 1951.

The books set for special study this year are: —

- (a) Realistic Constitutionalism.
- (b) The Realistic Position of the Church of England.
- (c) States, Real, Actual and Potential.

Students wishing to take the examination can obtain fuller particulars from: —

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A Policy for Eliminating Bolshevism

We have pleasure in giving publicity to this memorandum from "The Social Creditor" by Mr. Arthur Rogers, a close student of Foreign Affairs.

The conspiracy for extending throughout the world the ruthless power of the Soviet dictators still meets with success after success. There is no indication that the initiative is passing or even likely to pass, to the Western Powers. Judging from their public utterances, it is doubtful whether the political leaders of the British Empire and Atlantic Pact countries yet understand what must prove the decisive factor in the present struggle. Where their actions are concerned, (Collective actions is here understood—Editor, T.S.C.) it is evident that as yet nothing is being done to meet one of the most important requirements of the situation.

No Coherent Plan

On the Soviet side there is a definite plan of advance, directed methodically and with great technical ability. In the west there is no general acceptance of a well-defined faith no formulated strategy, political or military, for defending what is left of Christian civilization. Against organised "fifth columns" and hundreds of army divisions—all under utterly unscrupulous but skilful control—wishful and boastful speeches proceed interminably, but there is no comprehensive counter-plan. There are signs that it is becoming increasingly recognised that Communism, as a political doctrine for the poorer masses, can and must be countered by propagation of the Christian faith and the establishment of a Christian social order. For this we may be thankful, but the actual efforts being made to that end are lacking in the energy needed while they do not, and cannot, dispose of the immediate and pressing danger due to the fact that the violently anti-Christian organisers of Communist revolution who are by no means poor people have now at their disposal all the material resources of Russia and other countries of eastern Europe besides a half of Asia.

The main strength of the Red dictators, which certainly is not in the truth of their doctrines, does not lie in their political technique, their terrorism or their physical power but in the failure of their opponents to appreciate the facts.

In a political struggle of this nature, as in war, it is essential to search for the antagonist's weaknesses and to oppose, or attack, him where he is weakest. It is equally important not to help him to overcome his weaknesses. The Soviet State suffers from one great weakness. If attacked with knowledge of the facts and in the right way, the whole Soviet structure can be brought down like a house of cards.

Soviet Rule Detested

It is now abundantly clear that Soviet rule has been detested, especially during the last twenty-one years, by at least ninety per cent, of the Russian people, including a majority of those who are in the administrative machine and even the personnel of the secret police. This weakness of the Soviets was well known to the German General Staff before the German invasion in June 1941. They quite realised that if they played the role of liberators from Communism, even only as a pretence, then the Soviet administration would collapse within a few weeks.

But Hitler intended to be a conqueror and said so, rejecting the advice of the General Staff. There was thus aroused the fervent patriotism that is always present with the Russian people, so Hitler shared the fate of other would-be conquerors of Russia. All information, from varied and independent sources, including Russian, German and other eyewitnesses, is in agreement as to what happened. When the Germans crossed the Russian frontier, they were met by enthusiastic people greeting their imagined liberators. The armed forces did not fire a shot: the Germans were able to advance along the roads without troubling to open a tactical front. But as soon as it was seen that the Germans were the enemies of Russia the Russian people offered resistance, and it became possible to bring the army into action to play a leading part in Germany's defeat. It is not yet possible to support this statement of fact by quotations from authoritative documents, but any reader of this memorandum who cares to make the effort can procure corroboration by means of separate inquiries.

As is now generally realised, the Soviet dictators were compelled to give orders that wartime propaganda must be nationalist and not Communist. The Russian soldiers were told the glories of Russian history. They were shown films depicting the triumphs of former Emperors and the great thanksgiving services, which followed. New military decorations were named after Russian heroes of old. It was necessary to stage an elaborate pretence of restoring the Orthodox Church to its former status.

Western Propaganda Failure

Their experience of the Germans was a bitter disappointment to the Russian people, who had hoped and believed that if the West made war on the Soviet Union it would be only as the enemies of Communism. To add to this, Great Britain and the United States, signed the Yalta agreement, in accordance with which the British and American authorities in occupied Germany handed over many thousands of Russians to the Soviet authorities, by whom they were butchered. These factors and the still prevailing confusion in political utterances between "Russia" and the Politbureau, as between the "Russians" and the Bolsheviks, are all leading to a situation in which, if a clash comes soon, there may be no spontaneous non-belligerency in Russia but a nation actually believing the Red propaganda that the western Powers are the enemies of Russia but not of Communism.

British propagandists and publicists — official and unofficial, lay and clerical — seem to be doing their utmost to bring about a further involuntary union between the Russians and their rulers. The Communist menace, now backed and organised by those rulers, is the greatest moral and political danger the world has known. As though this were not enough, no effort is being spared to make it a national issue too and, by that means, to help the Soviet dictators

to overcome their one great weakness. Russians, as such, are perpetually abused for the actions of the Politbureau. The self-righteous boasting about the perfection of social conditions in the West, as compared to the horrors within the Soviet Union, which are well-known to the Russians, make them believe they are being mocked in their miseries. They are told about ideas for a partition of Russia, for example by creating a separate Ukraine, which arouses the patriotic resentment that Englishmen would feel if they were reviled by foreigners because England has no right to be in occupation of Wessex. Russians are sneered at as Orientals although Russia, as a great Christian nation, was for centuries Europe's first line of defence against the inroads of marauding Asiatic hordes. In these and innumerable other ways immense harm is being done. So great is the blundering ineptitude of nearly all those who believe themselves engaged in anti-Communist propaganda that their words are often reproduced in full and without comment in the official publications of the Soviet Union.

One of the most urgent needs of the whole world is to prepare the means by which the Russian people can be persuaded, before it is too late, that the West is not anti-Russian but only anti-Communist. That is what most Russians would like to believe. If told that it is true by their compatriots now abroad, they would believe it and join the enemies of Communism at the first opportunity. Propaganda for this purpose, however, might be discounted as the enemy's wartime lies if it began only after hostilities were in full swing. But it is by no means impossible that, by the means suggested here, the desired collapse of Red rule could be brought about without the development of a full-scale war. In any case, it is, as matters now stand, the only means of avoiding the terrible slaughter and destruction that would leave nothing but a shambles, whoever the nominal victor might be.

Use Russian Exiles

It may be supposed that the Russians are so sealed off from the rest of the world that there are no means of influencing their views. This is not true. Difficulties there are, but they can be overcome. The Russians now outside the Soviet sphere now fall into two categories: the relatively small number who became exiles at the time of the revolution; and the very much greater number who have left their country since 1941. Of the latter, who may be counted in tens of thousands, most are former soldiers who succeeded in evading the consequences of the Yalta Agreement. These young men are the best judges of the way in which information or inducements ought to be presented to their former comrades. Among the exiles generally there are some who have for years been able to maintain contacts with compatriots in the Soviet Union.

All these Russians have a burning desire to return to their families and homes but know that they would be killed if they attempted it now. They have therefore every inducement to do their utmost to help to bring about the fall of Red rule. They are active in sending information to Russia by the means at their disposal but only on

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The Virus of Internationalism

The disappearance of the Hydrogen Bomb expert, Professor Bruno Pontecorvo, who has apparently, at the time of writing, gone to Russia, again focusses attention upon the manner in which a number of scientists and other individuals have demonstrated that once individuals have become indoctrinated with the doctrine of internationalism, genuine patriotism is destroyed. And once an individual's loyalty to his own country and its sovereignty is undermined, he becomes a potential traitor, one who is susceptible to evil doctrines of the Communist and other conspirators. Anyone who, at the present critical time in our history, supports the various subtle attacks upon national sovereignties is guilty of a crime against that heritage of freedom, which his forefathers fought to build up and pass on.

Now, as never before, the peoples of this and other parts of the British Empire should be seeking to strengthen themselves by re-creating a widespread belief in those principles, which have made the British peoples great and respected. Before the alien cult of a spurious internationalism— a "front" for the operations of international gangsters — became prevalent, the peoples of every country held strong views about disloyalty and treachery. In the so-called Bad Old Days, there were comparatively few traitors because there were clear-cut standards of loyalty which all understood. But today the individual is told that he must give over his local loyalties to some international organisation, which he can never possibly control.

Although this should be obvious to every right thinking individual, last week we had the terrifying experience of the educational system of Australia being used to further the corrupting doctrine of internationalism. School children were given special lessons on the virtues of the "United" Nations. The Director of Education in Victoria, strangely enough a man with a gallant war record, said that the ideal of a World Government "to prevent wars" could best come through "education" in the schools. In other words, our young generation is to have instilled into them, not loyalty to their own country and to their own traditions, but to some international government. This dangerous policy must be challenged by all genuine patriots.

The "United" Nations Organisation has, right from its inception, been dominated by Communist, Socialists and other totalitarians. They are using the various agencies of this Organisation to penetrate this and other countries with their deadly propaganda. They are breaking down the first line of defence of this and other British countries: a virile patriotism and belief in self-defence being the only genuine defence. This patriotism and local sovereignty does not prevent voluntary co-operation with other sovereign peoples. But it does prevent international gangsters from reducing people everywhere to the low level they have been reduced to in Soviet Russia. That is why it is under such heavy attack.

The Purge

"The firing of Secretary of Defence Johnson, and his replacement by General Marshall, constitutes a big victory for the Fair Dealers in the Democratic Party. As we pointed out at the time, the Fair Deal intrigue — with backing of the usual collaborationists in the press — began immediately, with the triple objective of ousting a Cabinet member who did not take their orders, of replacing him with one of their own, and of thereby protecting their highly vulnerable puppet, Acheson. The first and third targets have been brilliantly achieved.

"But is Marshall one of the Fair Deal's 'own'? If Congress provides the proper legislation and Marshall becomes Secretary of Defence, his appointments will be scrutinised to provide the answer. At present, all evidence available suggests that the triumphant Leftist camarilla has obtained a pliable figure. Marshall was probably the most important agent in destroying the Nationalist regime in China, and this Marshall achievement prepared the way for the Soviet onslaught on Korea. In his Asiatic policy, Marshall slavishly followed the advice of the Far Eastern Division of the State Department, whose pro-Communist proclivities led the Scripps-Howard press to describe it as the 'Red Cell.' As for the General's famous plan for containing Communism in Europe, see Edna Lonigan's piece, *Re-Examination of the Marshall Plan* (*Human Events*, August 30). If the Fair Deal camarilla finds Marshall a disappointment, we shall be very surprised.

It remains to be seen whether the Opposition in Congress fulfills its role as an opposition to the legislation to permit Marshall to fill the post. The G.O.P. record is not promising. Many of its members fell right in with the maneuver of Fair Deal to oust Johnson and preserve Acheson. Since the G.O.P. has chosen to fight its Congressional campaign on the record of the Administration in the Far East, it is decidedly 'on the spot.' How can it accept Marshall and carry on its campaign against Administration policy in the Far East?"— Frank C. Hanighen, in *Human Events*.

Race

"No man will treat with indifference the principle of race. It is the key of history, and why history is so often confused is that it has been written by men who were ignorant of this. In Europe, I find three great races with distinct qualities: the Teutons, the Slavs and the Celts . . . the Semites now exercise a vast influence over affairs by their smallest though most peculiar family, the Jews. There is no race gifted with such tenacity, and such skill in organisation. These qualities have gained them an unprecedented hold over property and illimitable credit. As you advance in life, and get experience in affairs, the Jews will cross you everywhere. They have long been stealing into our secret diplomacy, which they have almost appropriated; in another quarter of a century they will claim their share of open government . . ."

— Benjamin Disraeli, in *Endymion*, 1880.

The Force Behind the World's Ills

By HOWARD ANDREWS

Why is it that in matters affecting the very life and death of the people of the British Empire there is so much dissembling and distortion in the regular channels of publicity and propaganda? This query forced itself upon me as I read in the Melbourne "Herald" on 21/10/50 that a leading "British" atomic scientist had disappeared and gone to Russia.

Genuine British people do not do that sort of thing.

After getting past the arresting headlines, however, I came upon this significant admission, "Before the war Professor Pontecorvo fled from Italy to France when Mussolini began his ruthless campaign against Jews, and later went to America. He worked on the American atomic bomb and with the Chalk River atomic project in Canada before coming to Britain."

How these persecuted fellows get around!

It was also stated that the Rome newspaper "Memento-Sera" had declared that the Professor "was a close personal associate of Klaus Fuchs, the British scientist who was imprisoned recently for revealing atomic secrets to Russia." This fellow too was described as "British", whereas in truth he also was Jewish.

This latest incident is apparently connected with the many similar incidents in the United States. Several persons described in the press as "American" have been involved in espionage, for which they are serving long terms of imprisonment. They also were engaged in getting atomic information to Russia. The truth is that in all but one or two such cases the persons concerned were not "American" at all — they were Jewish!

Evidence abounds to show that this activity is not accidental. The Jewish people are a nation spread through all nations, and there is full justification for the statement that their leaders aim to be the lawgivers for all nations.

This aim has a religious basis and comes from the belief that they have been specially chosen by the Almighty for that purpose. Zionists are the spearhead of the Jewish campaign to secure world domination, and it will be profitable for Britishers everywhere to give intelligent attention to what is going on.

Disregarding the generations, which have gone by, attention is invited to the following list of some of the vital happenings in our own lifetime, namely: —

1. In the year 1917 there was a revolution in Russia, which is always misleadingly described as the "Russian"

revolution, whereas in truth it was a Jewish revolution.

- 2 One of the main purposes of the 1917 revolution in Russia was to bring the world under the control of those who controlled Communism.
- 3 In 1919 there was an International Conference at Versailles in France, always misleadingly described as the "Peace" Conference, whereas in truth it was a Jewish conference to secure the perpetuation of the Jewish financial system and the weakening of the British Empire.
- 4 In 1922 the Naval Treaty between Great Britain and Japan was abrogated and this abrogation had Jewish inspiration.
- 5 In 1925 the British Empire was forced back on to the gold standard. Mr. Churchill was the instrument through which this was done in the British parliament, but the action had Jewish origin.
- 6 In 1928 it was decided by the Jewish international financiers that conditions of depression were to be imposed in all countries, and the effect of this decision showed itself very forcibly in 1929-1930. This affair was misleadingly described at the time as an "economic blizzard" or some other equally absurd thing.
- 7 In 1933 Herr Hitler hit the headlines and was assisted into power in Germany by the aid of Jewish international financiers, and he immediately began preparing for war.
- 8 In 1938 came Munich when Mr. Chamberlain succeeded in deferring the war, which was scheduled to commence in that year, for a further twelve months. Mr. Chamberlain's success at Munich received a very poor reception from Jewish interests in the United States, and round about that time the Political and Economic Planning (P.E.P.) group in Great Britain, with a prominent Jew as its Chairman, issued the statement that "Only in war or under threat of war would any British Government em-

bark on large-scale planning." It had been decreed that the people of Great Britain were to be put under large-scale planning, for which purpose there was to be a war and a continuing threat of war.

9. In 1941 it was publicly stated by a Jewish member of the international financial oligarchy that they were applying such economic sanctions against Japan as to force that country to change its policy in China without forcing upon it the necessity of invading the Dutch East Indies!
- 10 This same gentleman (one of the Sassoon family) also publicly declared that Great Britain should not be permitted to continue as a sovereign power but must be absorbed into the United States as the 49th State!
11. In 1945, almost immediately upon the surrender of our enemies, the Lend-Lease system, which had been operating so successfully during the actual currency of the fighting, was suddenly terminated. This was done under the direction of the Jewish controllers of "American" policy, and put the people of the United Kingdom into serious difficulties.
- 12 The host of international agreements that have caused "selected" people to be running around the world at frequent intervals, have all had Jewish origin, and are designed to ensure that no change shall be permitted in their system of finance which makes wars inevitable.
- 13 Destruction by atomic bombs was not a "British" or "American" idea. It was of Jewish origin.

In view of the foregoing, it is clear that Communism is not a "Russian" idea, but is an instrument for securing Jewish control on a world basis (it has been openly admitted that Zionism will succeed to the extent to which Communism succeeds!). No wonder that efforts are being made in several countries to have laws enacted to render any open criticism of these people a criminal offence. That has already been done in Russia! And have you noticed that the barristers now appearing for the Communists in their appeal to the High Court are mostly Jews — Julius, Lazarus, Rich, Isaacs, Ashkanasy! These, of course, would be described as "Australians."

The Big Idea is that if they can be described to the people of the world as "British," "American," "Canadian," "French," "German," "Russian," "Italian," "Austrian," and so on, few would ever suspect that they are in fact a solid world group of the same blood with the same objective and having the same loyalty; that they are of the people who destroyed Christ and would destroy all Christians if permitted; and that they are in all governments, in key positions, and particularly in the Military Intelligence of all countries. This explains the reason for the dissembling and the distortion.

It is high time that we woke up, rubbed our eyes, and looked around to identify and stop the stabbers in the back. It is one thing to attack the Communists, but it is a more important thing to deal with the force behind the Communists.

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What Is a Good Farmer?

By PHILIP T. OYLER in "The Farmer" (England)

Our present civilisation, like all former ones, is committing suicide by flouting all principles, spiritual and natural. Not all the inventions of modern science, not all the provisions of modern education and health services can save it. Indeed, they are but hastening its inevitable destruction. If war or famine or disease or a combination of these does not accomplish it, it will take place just as surely by sterility. Indeed, this is already a matter of serious concern to those who value population in terms of number, regardless of quality. It is estimated that about 38 percent, of the people of Britain are unable to breed, and God alone knows how many are unwilling.

Killing Bacteria — and Food

What else could be expected, when people are supplied on tap with water that has been chlorinated, in bottle with milk that has been pasteurised, with salads and tomatoes that have been produced on soil sterilized by chemicals or steam, with food that has been processed to death in one way or another, and with fruit that has absorbed a number of chemical sprays. The object is, of course, to kill bacteria that may be harmful. There is little doubt that that is effected, but the beneficial bacteria are killed too, so the supposed benefit is cancelled out. Worse than that, natural power of resistance disappears, for it has nothing to resist. As, however, people cannot live in hermetically sealed glass cases, they are still exposed to all the germs that live in the air and enter the body with that. So modern scientists (to be logical) should continue along similar lines, sterilise the air and make that safe, too. That should keep them busy for quite a long time! Of course scientists are compelled to invent new "cures" for human, animal and plant ills, because their very livelihood depends on it and because it is only a matter of time before any scientific theory, applied to living things, has to be discarded or modified. The reason for this, of course, is that anything that is contrary to natural laws and principles is certain to fall sooner or later. Human eyes may be slow to recognize the approaching failure, but plain commonsense would avoid the failure, for it would not put the new theory to the test. It could not predict what evil effect would accrue, but it would know well enough that there would be one and that should be sufficient.

Compulsory Destruction

The process of compulsory instruction, misnamed education, has, however, preceded along analogous lines and has done its killing. Not of bacteria but of things even more precious to mankind. It has extinguished to a large extent the divine gift of

common sense, the natural heritage of curiosity and powers of observation and the love of the land. Three things that are desirable for all and absolutely essential for anyone who wishes to become a good husbandman.

Farming is like a foreign language. Both can be learned, unconsciously from infancy upwards. Both can be taught to adults to a certain extent, but there will never be the same proficiency. Indeed it takes more than a lifetime to make a good farmer. Those of us who have been born and passed our whole lives on the land know that we are still learners. As evidence of that, consider the vast deserts created in the U.S.A., and all the Dominions through ignorance of the rules of good husbandry, which are known to few in Britain and practised by still fewer, for the farming tradition was broken here with the repeal of the Corn Laws, and it will be a slow process to build it up again.

We seem to show a strong tendency to copy the ways of the U.S.A. and the Dominions, where there is practically nothing to learn except what *not* to do. Whereas, if we just cross the English Channel, we shall find ourselves amongst peoples who have fed themselves for generations, exported their surplus to us and have yet maintained the fertility of their soil.

Mechanisation the Measure

We seem also to be in danger of judging a farmer by the amount of mechanisation that he has introduced, for the comments of many men in our invading forces were to the effect that European farmers appeared to be 50 years behind the times, as though there was some merit in substituting tractors for horses and oxen. The good farmer of any land knows, however, that horses and cattle provide dung, which means fertility, and he will use tractors only when compelled to do so through shortage of helpers. It is interesting (and a hopeful sign) to notice that on our rich fenlands which lend themselves to the use of tractors better than anywhere in Britain, more and more farmers are going back to horses, having learned a severe lesson by seeing their top soil blown away (to-

gether with young sugar beet plants) through lack of humus. No doubt in time we shall recognise the wisdom of our ancestors in using horses on the heavier soils and oxen on the light, for by this means each type of land gets its appropriate kind of dung. We should recognize this in Europe today, if we were not blinded by prejudice, and we should see without difficulty that there is more land wasted in a 10-acre English field, tractor-ploughed, than there is in a whole parish in France, for example.

Farming or Land Mining

There is a vast difference between being a good farmer and making money from the land. Anyone can sell the fertility of land in the form of trees or humus or milk or minerals (which are all real wealth) and have money in the bank in exchange for them. That is not good husbandry, it is rape, and far too much of it has been done in all the English-speaking countries of the world, Britain included. Indeed, it is only the amount of rainfall and the equable temperature of these islands that has prevented them from becoming deserts during this century of alternate neglect in peace and over-cropping in wartime.

The man whose primary object in farming is to make money will always damage the land sooner or later, for he will ignore proper rotations and grow crops that are profitable in terms of money, just as he will concentrate on certain paying live-stock instead of variety.

The eye of the good farmer is ever turned not merely to keeping his fields in good heart but to improving them gradually and continuously, so that they will carry ever more stock. In short, his aim is to leave to posterity a piece of land (of no matter what size) that is richer than when he took it over. He may or may not leave behind a substantial balance in the bank, but he will have left true wealth and will have had a happy life, having done his duty to the land.

Best Farmers French and Italian

The best farmers that the writer has ever seen are in France and Italy. They follow not only the rules of good husbandry, but they waste not one single square yard of land. They think in terms of crops and stock, not money. They set out to produce all that they like to eat and drink and all that their stock need—and the surplus is their annual profit. The value of this, in terms of money, may and does vary, of course, from year to year, but it is of little consequence, for what is the good of exchanging this for money, which is only paper nowadays?

Seduced by Science

In the last analysis the difference between a good and a bad farmer is their respective outlooks on life itself. The materialist will never make a really good husbandman, for he is not one in the Biblical sense. He will

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Individualism versus Collectivism

On a broad view, the issue today is individualism versus collectivism; the individualist thinks of millions of single human souls, each with a spark of Divine genius, and visualises that genius applied to the solution of their own problems. His conception is infinitely higher than that of the politician or planner, who at best regards these millions as material for social or political experiment, or, at worst, as mere cannon fodder, observes Sir Ernest Bevin, in an address before the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

He then said the individualist believes self-help to be twice blest, for not only does it provide the help required, but it also gives a self-respecting satisfaction in accomplishment, a satisfaction which can never be true of help that is received from others.

When a man is on his own, an individual responsible for himself, his first necessity is to earn a character, a personal character; others must be made by experience of him to learn of his qualities, capabilities, and his defects and limitations. In a planned society, he has no need of a character. No national or universal plan can afford to take the least notice of personal character. As an individualist, he must also acquire credit; others must be made to know that he is credit-worthy, and can be trusted, that what he undertakes he will perform to the limits of his ability. When man is planned, nothing so troublesome is in the least necessary.

The individual responsible for himself must avoid loss, but if he is planned and loss comes out of the bottomless, mythical

public purse, he is relieved of that necessity and can waste and lose just as much as his inherent laziness may indicate.

The individual who is responsible for himself must strive to do better, better than his previous performance and better than others; he must apply to the practical things of life the rules learned on the playground at school. In a planned society, if the urge to move upward has not disappeared altogether, then the only move available to him is into the ranks of the planners, where he can arrange the affairs of others and force them down deeper into the passivity of a planned existence. The individual responsible for himself does his best to keep out of the doctor's hands. In a planned society, he can indulge in the luxury of invalidism to his heart's content.

Against all this the Socialist professes to believe that the individual can be so trained as to cause his every act to be performed in the interest of society as a whole. His idea is to substitute for the enormous constructive natural power of the self-interest of each of us a manufactured force composed of the theoretical interests of the State. To the individualist, this is nonsense — a view much strengthened by the losses and disasters of the last five years in England alone.

Perhaps, above all, I am an individualist, he went on to say, because it makes for honesty. In a society of free men, each acting on his own responsibility, honesty, to put it on the lowest basis, is the best policy. As we move further from the individualistic position into unions, districts, countries, nations, and States, we tend to lose touch with that essentially personal quality. Honesty may be described as a force governing dealings between individuals. When the transaction are between masses, they tend to become less honest; when between nations, there is, indeed, little pretence of honesty about them. That simple circumstance arises not from evil intent, but from the very nature of things.

— *The Canberra Letter.*

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flout natural laws because he flouts spiritual ones. He will be seduced by one scientific theory after another. The good farmer and anyone who wishes to become one will assent to the following:

"The sky is His and all that is therein,

The sun, the moon, the planets and the stars.

None would dispute His ownership of these Or claim possession of the Milky Way. But this— this earth on which we live and die

We buy and sell and barter, deem it ours To use or e'en abuse in any way Our pleasure prompts without the simple thought

That it is His as surely as the sky.

But let us pause a moment where we stand—

Upon His footstool -- ponder whence we came,

Whither we go and what our duty is. Do we not see that, while we sojourn here (No matter if we claim to own or rent) We are but tenants, tenants of His earth, In honour bound to treat its precious soil The best we can and for the common good? He is our landlord, Let us not forget:

We plough the fields but cannot make it rain,

We sow the seed but cannot make it grow And (but for Him) would lead no harvest home."

Property or Slavery

"If we do not restore the Institution of Property, we cannot escape restoring the Institution of Slavery! There is no third course."

— Hilaire Belloc in *The Servile State.*

"Progress"

As modern cities become bigger and more highly centralised, the basic requirements of life in these human cesspools become harder to obtain and more costly in price. Mr. L. W. Ley, Secretary of the Victorian Chamber of Fruit and Vegetable Industries, recently said: "As the area of market garden land close to the city shrinks you must have shortages and high prices."

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Good Work

Following the article, "Seeking Independence on Five Acres," in our issue of September 29, Mr. W. J. Carruthers, whose experiences we reviewed, has received the following interesting letter from Mr. and Mrs. Middleton of A squith, N.S.W.:

"Dear Mr. Carruthers, — We were in the throes of making a decision to purchase a property of 20 acres at Kellyville, N.S.W., just as we received a copy of the *New Times*, containing the article regarding your experiences. We have since settled the deal and hope to make a start on it soon. There is a cottage of sorts on it, which is let at the moment. However, as we have a family of seven sons and three daughters we are hoping with their help to put up the nucleus of a future home, which will enable us to spend our weekends there.

"Your procedure on your lot was very interesting to us and we hope that you record more of them in the *New Times* at a later date. In the meantime the best of luck in your venture."

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Balance

"If we wish to survive, spiritually and physically, we must alter our relationship to the land. It is far more difficult to stop erosion and rebuild the soil than to conserve the soil's stability. But the Australian continent is not yet desert and its challenge to us still exists, though we have ignored it during over a century and a half of exploitation.

"We must seek an understanding of the balance that was here before the colonists came; learn what contribution to the soil structure the native grasses, shrubs and trees make; study the functions of insects and parasitical growths and discover what animals and birds keep these in check.

"We already know only too well the effects of some imported animals and plants, but that knowledge needs to go farther. It is obvious that what is indigenous to a country is part of its ecological balance. Introduced trees may take too much water from the soil, allowing it to be lost by evaporation, or may leach it of a necessary chemical, and we must take this into account when replanting forests—apart from the aesthetic rightness of planting native trees. I do not suggest that we should have no imported trees; but the necessary blocks of reforested land should certainly be of native woods.

"The only creative way of fighting erosion is by natural means—by discovering what vegetation best protects each type of soil and feeds it as well as feeding stock, what crops can be grown, when and where and at what intervals of time; by seeking with honesty the correct carrying capacity of our land and, as a nation, resolutely refusing to sanction any economic considerations, or rapacity, that may lead to overstocking. The criterion of judgment in this matter should be the good of the soil—for the soil, in large measure, is the people and their future."

— Elyne Mitchell in *Soil and Civilization*.

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A Policy for Eliminating Bolshevism

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the scale possible for private persons, with the slenderest resources, who are entirely without backing from those states which are said to be anti-Communist—even to an indirect nature. They are not even recognised, or consulted. They ought to be helped, but nothing is done.

Inside the Soviet Union the radio and all printed journals including their advertisements, are under Communist control. A consequence is that the people have ceased to react, as planned, to what they are intended to hear and read and are correspondingly eager to receive and discuss news and views from other sources. A little propaganda goes an abnormally long way. Now, however, the Russian exiles cannot tell their compatriots that the Western Powers, if opposed to the Soviet dictators, are the friends of Russia and the long-suffering Russian people. There is no assurance that this is so. In the place of a definite policy in this vitally important matter, there is muddled-thinking, influenced by crypto-Communists, by those who profit from war and the threat of war and by those who, it seems, would be disappointed if there were not soon a vigorous exchange of atom and hydrogen bombs to demonstrate the merits of those "latest advances in scientific progress."

The Time Has Come

The Western Powers have the means of uprooting the evil growth of Communism from the ground whence it draws its sustenance. The political requirements of the situation are in harmony with the moral law. *The time has come for the opponents of Communism to declare whether their attitude to the oppressed but patriotic people of Russia is one of hatred or whether it is just. Upon this the future of the world may depend.*

A number of countries are now ranging themselves openly against the Soviet Union and its satellites. Even so, the Communist dictators, as matters now stand, have great strategic advantages, which would not be overcome even if western Germany were rearmed and mobilized. It is therefore time for the nations antagonistic to the Soviets to decide whether they desire as an ally or as an enemy the nation, which has infinitely greater cause than any other to dislike Communism. That nation, Russia, possesses an immense reserve of manpower notwithstanding the terrible fact that seventy millions of her people have perished since 1917.

If it is the help, and not the hostility, of these anti-Communists that is desired, it must be remembered that they are, as they have always been, an intensely patriotic people. Their friendship can be gained neither by atom bombs nor by new-fangled, man-made "ideologies" which seek to supplant patriotism in its natural and virtuous form.

If the only sensible decision is reached as to the attitude to be adopted towards Russia and the Russians, there will be no overwhelming difficulty in procuring at least their non-belligerency and probably their active support. No decision seems to have been reached. It lies therefore will all men and women of good will to exert themselves—to ensure that their representatives press insistently for adoption of the right course. *It will soon be too late.*

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