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NO FIGS FROM THISTLES

By Eric D. Butler

Early in the history of the Social Credit Movement, shortly after the First World War, C. H. Douglas warned that if a policy of centralising power over individual initiative were persisted with, the inevitable result would be the break up of civilisation. All policies are rooted in philosophies. The underlying philosophy of Christian Civilisation stressed the uniqueness of each individual, and insisted that the group and institutions exist to serve the individual. The result was the flowering of the human personality and a way of life, which was the incarnation of metaphysical values. The high water mark of Western, Christian Civilisation was reached before the First World War. Since that catastrophic event there has been a progressive and accelerating retreat from Civilisation, until a situation has been reached where clearly little more than the shell of it remains. What then, should be the attitude of the Social Creditor in 1977?

As stressed time and time again by Douglas, Social Credit is much more than a "money reform scheme"; it is the policy of a philosophy. I examined this relationship between policy and philosophy in *Social Credit and Christian Philosophy*, quoting Douglas's statement that ". . . the crisis through which we are passing is a war against practical Christianity."

"Practical Christianity" might be defined as the successful incarnation of Christian Truth. Truth of itself makes nothing happen in human affairs; individuals must act appropriately to apply these Truths. But if insufficient people no longer believe in these Truths, or lack sufficient Faith to strive to apply them, then those striving to centralise all power over the individual will continue to smash their way through the wreck of a disintegrating Civilisation. Are there sufficient people with enough Faith and knowledge of the Truth to halt the disintegration?

Writing in *Social Credit* (1924), Douglas predicted that there would come within the lifetime of those living a crisis in Civilisation similar to those which had destroyed previous Civilisations, and that there would be a short time during which only the activities of a small body of individuals who knew what to do and how to do it could avert a complete collapse and the onset of a New Dark Age.

The imposition of the Great Depression in the 'thirties created the conditions in which the Social Credit seeds planted in the 'twenties flowered in profusion, particularly throughout the United Kingdom, Canada, New Zealand and Australia. While the growing revolt against the tyranny of centralised financial policy did not always reflect a clear understanding of the basic nature of the problem, knowledge was spreading and, under the in-

fluence of Douglas's sure grasp of political as well as finance-economic realities, more effective assaults on the policy of credit monopoly were being developed.

WORSE THAN THE GREAT DEPRESSION

At a recent meeting I addressed, a member of the audience made the observation that the present finance-economic crisis was worse than that of the Great Depression. "We did not have much money during this period", he observed, "but we did have one another. Now we have relatively large amounts of money, which depreciates while we look at it, but our faith in one another has been badly eroded. During the Great Depression there was still respect for the basic institutions of our society, including private property." This is a profound observation. When Douglas first wrote it was implicit in this writings that the underlying philosophy of the English-speaking people was still Christian. It can be seen in retrospect that the moral capital of the West was starting to run down without being adequately replenished. But in spite of the trauma of the First World War and its aftermath, there was still sufficient Christian influence left

"THE ROLE OF THE MEDIA"

We apologise for the failure to mention that the major article in last month's "New Times", "The Role of the Media in Contemporary History", was a paper presented by Mr. Ivor Benson, the distinguished South African journalist and news analyst, at the 1977 World Anti-Communist League Conference in Taiwan. This in-depth article caused much interest at the Taiwan Conference and sheds light on the role of the media, and its controllers, in advancing International Communism.

upon which to unite people as the Great Depression deepened. The Christian Church was yet to be subverted and many Christian clergy openly supported Social Credit as a Christian answer to the tragedy of poverty amidst actual or potential plenty.

But the Second World War, a continuation of the First World War and the Great Depression, ended the possibility of any major nation leading mankind away from even greater disasters than those already suffered. One of the major purposes of the Second World War was to break up the British world as an essential step towards creating a One World State. It prepared the ground for the progressive expansion of International Communism. Following the surrender of millions of Christians of Eastern Europe to the barbarism of Communism, there has been one long retreat by the West, that in Vietnam resulting in the Communist butchery of the peoples of South Vietnam. Laos and Cambodia in hundreds of thousands. While international campaigns are organised against killing seals or whales, so such campaigns are organised to protest against the sickening mass killing in Indo-China. We are witnessing the hypnotic influence by the media on millions of people brainwashed by schools and universities which have for many years been little better than indoctrination factories. Elementary common sense is at a serious discount. Apparently quite sensible people believe the most fantastic nonsense. Monetary inflation is presented as some type of natural disaster, which must be "fought", "cured", or "wrestled".

THE WEAKENING OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The break down of both private and public morality reflects the weakening of the influence and authority of the Christian Church. But this should not be regarded as surprising at a time when even clergymen can pronounce that God is dead, that Christianity and Marxism are compatible, and that Christians can show their love by sending aid to Communist-trained African terrorists who are "liberating" Rhodesia and South Africa by murdering and torturing their fellow Africans. The betrayal of civilised Government in Rhodesia and South Africa could be the final betrayal of the West, not only being a conscious policy of promoting the destruction of civilised men and women, and of making certain the death by murder and famine of large numbers of Africans, but also of surrendering to International Communism the final great strategic target necessary for complete world domination.

When the Second World War started, Douglas assured Social Crediters that their work would not be lost. Their responsibility was to keep the Social Credit revelation intact and to ensure that a realistic approach was evolved to meet the post-war situation. During and immediately after the Second World War, up until the time of his death in 1952, Douglas's writings reflected his view that if Social Credit the policy was to be successful, it was essential that there be a deeper understanding of the philosophy of freedom. Douglas warned that the very foundations of Civilisation, Christianity, the Common Law, constitutional

limited government, and British culture, were being eroded. Social Credit was impossible unless this erosion could be halted. The truth must be faced that this erosion has not been halted. The post-Christian era is here. While a flow of first-class literature has effectively documented the reality of the conspiracy against Civilisation, the conspiracy continues to press forward. Does this mean that the position of Social Credit is now hopeless?

In answering this question it is vital to grasp that Social Crediters have, as Douglas put it, obtained a "glimpse of reality." This glimpse enables the individual to look at life much more realistically. It must deepen his faith in the importance of freedom as a spiritual necessity. The history of the Social Credit Movement is one of large numbers who, never grasping what Social Credit really was, believing that it was some type of monetary reform system to make all men rich, or something which could be achieved through the power system of modern party politics, have eventually dropped away in despair. But those who grasped what Douglas revealed, and have built upon it, have never wavered in their faith and, using the knowledge they have gained, have enriched their own lives. In the face of a darkening situation, the number of people with a real grasp of Social Credit has in fact progressively increased. This has been an outstanding achievement during a period of progressive disintegration.

It is now too late to halt the momentum of disintegration. Major policies of centralisation cannot be defeated by direct attack. No highly centralised State can possibly introduce the policy of Social Credit. We cannot expect figs from thistles. Christian policies are impossible in non-Christian societies. The basic duty of the Social Creditor always has been to bear witness to the Truth, and work to make Truth a reality. But today he must face the fact that much greater disintegration must be expected and

LADY CILENTO FOR LEAGUE NATIONAL SEMINAR

The League of Rights is pleased to announce that Lady Cilento will be presenting the first Paper at the League's Annual National Seminar, to be held in Melbourne on Saturday, September 24. The theme of this year's Seminar will be "Freedom And Your Health". Three outstanding speakers will examine bureaucratic and monopolistic attempts to prevent the individual from making free choices concerning the type of medical care preferred.

Lady Cilento will also be guest of honour at "The New Times" Annual Dinner on Friday, September 23.

Interstate League supporters desirous of attending the 1977 National Weekend and requiring private hospitality should contact National Headquarters immediately.

that he must gear his personal life to this reality, protecting himself and his family to the maximum, Social Crediters are increasingly learning to help one another. But they should also be working to equip themselves in depth to take effective advantage of the progressive disintegration, ensuring that irrespective of what the future brings, the truth of Social Credit shall be carried intact through the storms ahead. Through the League of Rights "family" around the old British world, a unique movement of the greatest history significance has developed. It is not only engaged in activities of short-term importance, but is laying the foundations for long-term regeneration.

THE ETERNAL VALUES

The present situation in human history is analogous to that of the disintegration of the Roman Civilisation. It

is important to recall that not even during the succeeding Dark Age was civilisation completely obliterated. Small-decentralised communities kept alive the flame of Civilisation, and those flames were progressively fanned by the influence of Christianity. Social Credit is essential for the next phase of a regenerated Christianity. Douglas was a product of a Civilisation reaching a new peak. In one sense it could be described as Providence that, unlike the hundreds of thousands of his kind who died in the slaughter of the First World War, he survived that first major assault on Western Civilisation and gave to mankind those Truths essential for the regeneration of a new and richer Civilisation. How to carry those Truths forward to the future must now be a major consideration of all Social Crediters. Immediate and short-term problems must be dealt with, but eternal values must always be kept clearly in mind.

UNITED STATES RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL

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By FRANK A. CAPELL, Editor

C H. Douglas said that the "Jewish Question" would become the most important of the twentieth century. As shown by Eric D. Butler in "Censored History", Israel is but a pawn in the overall strategy of Political Zionism. The following article by one of the U.S.A.'s most reputable research authorities demonstrates the extent to which Israel is a pawn. It is essential background reading at the present time:

AT THE TIME the creation of the State of Israel was in its initial stages, the military organizations operating in Palestine, the Haganah, Irgun Zvai Leumi and the Stem Gang were receiving weapons from Communist Czechoslovakia, the Soviet Union and illegal sources in the United States.

After the creation of the State of Israel, through the help of the United States — which help has not been interrupted to the present day — the economy and defense costs have been borne to a great extent by the United States Government, by Jewish communities in the U.S.A., in South Africa, England and France and to a smaller extent in other countries; and by the sale of Israeli bonds.

The majority of the Israeli government leaders past and present originated in Eastern Europe; and Israel, while being publicized as a democratic state, is actually a socialist country. Both former Prime Minister Golda Meir and present Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin are officers of the Socialist International.

As is the case with so many other socialist countries whether they consider themselves Socialist or Socialist-Marxist, their economic policies have caused them to be dependent upon outside assistance or to become totalitarian regimes where the government owns all or most of the country's industry.

The Israeli Government has received billions of dollars of military and economic aid from the United States, much of it in outright grants and, as a result of the so-called shuttle diplomacy of Henry Kissinger, the U.S. Government has been committed to supply Israel with billions of dollars more over a period of years and

even to guarantee its oil supply.

ANALYSIS OF ISRAELI ECONOMY

An excellent analysis of the Israeli economy, prepared by journalist Uri Oren, appeared in the Israeli publication *HaOlam Haze* late last year. Because of the important information and facts contained in the article, we are quoting the report in its entirety:

IN NO other state is the national debt, divided by the number of its inhabitants, so high as in the case of Israel. In no other state is the rate of growth of its debts so high as in Israel; this is linked to the galloping inflation. Although inflation may liberate people from their debts, it also binds a state in golden chains, from which there is almost no escape.

The national debt of Israel consists of more than one hundred billion Israeli pounds, owed to the inhabitants of the state, in addition to ten billion dollars, owed outside the state, (one Israeli pound = 0.12 U.S. dollars.)

The total amount is about two hundred billion Israeli pounds, linked partly to the dollar rate and partly to the index of the cost of living; these constitute two heavy weights in the belt of an exhausted swimmer.

Numbers expressed in billions cannot be easily visualized and, therefore, do not frighten. In the same manner the possibilities of a state are often viewed anonymously and are thus unlimited. The best way to express the amount of the Israeli national debt is to translate it into amounts that every

economic unit will have to bear.

The population of Israel numbers about one million families; an average family numbers somewhat more than three individuals. The Israeli national debt, therefore, averages about two hundred thousand Israeli pounds per family. This astonishing sum, which in the next year will reach one quarter million Israeli pounds per family, is growing more quickly than the rate of inflation; it is not merely linked to it, but it bears interest, as well.

Very few Israeli families are capable, or will ever be capable, of paying such a huge mortgage, given such draconian conditions. The yearly interest on this mortgage is seventy thousand Israeli pounds next year; it will be ninety-five thousand in 1979, one hundred twenty-five thousand in 1980 and so on. The amount of the interest alone is even now greater than the earning rate of an average Israeli family. Because of a lack of ability to pay, the avalanche continues. A mountain that can swallow all of us has been created.

If we are cruel with ourselves and take a cool, detached look at our economic situation, we shall see that we cannot escape the conclusion that we are in the midst of bankruptcy. We simply do not have even the smallest chance to pay our debts; those debts — in the galloping rate of inflation that has prevailed since the end of 1973 — double every two and one-half years. The Israeli nation debt will be four hundred billion Israeli pounds at the end of 1979, eight hundred billion in the middle of 1982, and sixteen hundred billion by the end of 1984. In the year in which Orwell predicted a worldwide dictatorial regime, every Israeli family will owe one and six-tenths million Israeli pounds in the name of the state of Israel.

These facts are clearly expressed in the Israeli budget. The part devoted to debt-service is twenty percent in the current budget (April 1, 1976 to April 1, 1977). In the next budget this part will be twenty-five percent; the year after that it will grow to about thirty percent. Just as the budget grows, the percentage devoted to debt service grows. That percentage tends to go, or rather gallops, toward one hundred percent; this will be the theoretical point at which the total, enormous budget of thousands of billions of Israeli pounds will be wholly devoted to debt-service. The situation is so despairing that attempts to escape from it only make it worse. The recent abolition of subsidies (on staple foods, public transportation, and other basic items) is an example.

In its last step the state will save four hundred million Israeli pounds from its budget; this will cause, according to the state's own calculation, a four percent jump in the index of the cost of living. Because the internal debt of the state is linked to the index, that debt will automatically increase by four billion Israeli pounds. This means that the expense will be ten times greater than the income.

How can a state allow for such a complication? Did the state, perhaps, not ascertain the simple calculation made above? We cannot suspect that the state of Israel is blind or that the state disregards the consequences of what constitutes monetary

obligations. If the state knows what it does, it seemingly does not intend to pay its debts.

At least, the state does not intend to pay all its debts. It will have to pay the part owed in dollars; it has no other choice.

If the state of Israel can point to economic recovery, it may be able to convince creditors outside the state to prolong the payment time for certain debts. The state, however, will surely not be able to pay fully the internal debt, owed to its own citizens. This was hinted when the text of a private talk between the Minister of Finance and his alignment colleagues was published some time ago. The Minister therein explained that the weight of the index-linked debt was too much for the government. The Minister can decide to liberate the new issues of debt-notes from the linkage of the index, but he cannot escape from the consequences of those debt-notes, already issued.

The Minister will, therefore, have to put his hand into our pockets. Whatever he returns to us for the debt-notes, which he will have to pay in the next year or after, he will have to take back directly. This is the real meaning of the proposal for a "net-capital tax," which, as we have heard for a long time, is filed in the archives of the Treasury. The government will simply take a portion, perhaps a big portion, from all free capital belonging to us: a second apartment, real property, a car, ready money, debt notes, everything. This is robbery at noontime. This step will come. The only question is: When will it come? It may be delayed until after the elections; the alignment, then, will not receive its deathblow in the ballot box. Perhaps, the need to bring this about quickly will be a pretext for holding the elections sooner. The operations, however, will be deeper and more painful in proportion to the extent of the delay.

Just as no escape from this step exists, so no escape from its pain exists. Everyone, exchanging money into real property, will have to pay for the property; the one who sells the property will lose his

ANOTHER MAJOR LEAGUE PUBLISHING VENTURE

Our March issue carried a review of Dr. Antony Sutton's book, "Wall Street and the Rise of Hitler", described as a work which makes all other books on the Second World War obsolete. Members of The Crown Commonwealth League of Rights have, following their success with a paper-back edition of "National Suicide", made arrangements for a Crown Commonwealth paper-back edition of "Wall Street and the Rise of Hitler". It is felt that this work will have an immediate widespread appeal, and will introduce many more people to Dr. Sutton's "National Suicide". It will sell for \$3, Australian, plus postage, and will be available in Australia, New Zealand, Canada, the United Kingdom and South Africa. Supplies will be available shortly.

or her bank account. People may seek illegal ways to save their capital. If so, we should hear about that shortly from black market circles and sources. (End of Quote)

ACCUSED OF ANTI-SEMITISM

The Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, Zionist organizations and other groups accuse those who are critical of Israel of being anti-Semitic, but there are a number of Jewish organizations, particularly religious ones, which are anti-Zionist and which could hardly be called anti-Semitic. The fact that all Zionists are not Jews and all Jews are not Zionists has been well established. The rabbi of the Choral Synagogue, considered the leader of Moscow's Jewish community, was quoted in a Moscow radio broadcast on December 11, 1976 as follows:

"The propaganda of Zionism is venomous. It may cause and does cause much suffering," said Yakov Fishman, the leader of Moscow's Jewish community and Rabbi of the Moscow Choral Synagogue. He was interviewed by the newspaper *Vechemyaya Moskva* in connection with his recent trip to the United States.

"Our inter-religious delegation went there at the invitation of the 'appeal to conscience' society. One of the purposes of this trip was to hold talks on the preparation of a world conference of religious leaders, which is to be held in Moscow next year," the rabbi said.

"During my trip I met many Americans including well known rabbis and leaders of Jewish communities. Most of them are people who sincerely wish to learn about our country. I also saw the fruits of Zionist propaganda."

Yakov Fishman said: "I saw people who had taken the bait of Zionist propaganda and who had cried their eyes out. When staying at a New York hotel I was visited by a person I had met at the Moscow synagogue. I would not name him because I do not want to bring the revenge of the Kahane men on him. He left for the United States and he has been cursing to this day the hour he left his homeland." "While professing its concern for Jews, my compatriots, the league has slid down to banditism," Fishman said. "American Rabbi Schneer told me once that Kahane men had smashed all windows in his synagogue, and these hoodlums want to take the Soviet Jews under their protection! Whom are they going to defend us against? My compatriots do not need anyone's protection. This is clear to any sober-minded person." (End of Quote)

'AGAINST BEST INTERESTS OF JEWS'

On January 4, 1977 the Neturei Karta of U.S.A. (Guardians of the Holy City). GPOB 2143, Brooklyn, NY 11202, an orthodox Jewish religious organization, placed an advertisement in the *Washington Evening Star* entitled "An Appeal to the World's Conscience." It clearly states the Zionist policies, which are against the best interests of Jews, particularly those wanting to leave the Soviet Union.

Thousands of Jewish refugees from Eastern Europe are now stranded in many countries because Israel will not allow Jewish welfare organizations to help resettle them anywhere but in Israel.

Additional thousands of Russian immigrants to Israel who left after a brief stay are also stranded in Europe with no place to go, because they have lost their refugee status according to the interpretation of the 'humanitarian' Jewish relief agencies and some countries at the instigation of the Israeli authorities.

This is not the first time that Zionist immigration policy places Jewish lives in jeopardy:

1938 President Roosevelt convened the Evian conference July 6—15, 1938, to deal with the Jewish refugee problem. The Jewish Agency delegation headed by Golda Meir (Meirson) ignored a German offer to allow Jews to emigrate to other countries for \$250.00 a head, and the Zionists made no effort to influence the United States and the 32 other countries attending the conference to allow immigration of German and Austrian Jews.

1940 On Feb. 1, 1940, Henry Montor, executive vice-Chairman of the United Jewish Appeal, refused to intervene for a shipload of Jewish refugees stranded on the Danube River, stating that "Palestine cannot be flooded with...old people or with undesirables."

On Nov. 25, 1940 by order of the Haganah general staff, the S.S. Patria was blown up in Haifa harbor. This protest to England's decision, transferring Jewish refugees to Mauritius instead of to Palestine, resulted in 252 Jewish refugees losing their lives.

1942 On December 17, 1942, both houses of the British parliament declared its readiness to find temporary refuge for endangered persons. This motion achieved within two weeks a total of 277 Parliamentary signatures. On Jan. 27, when the next steps were being pursued by over 100 M.P.'s and Lords, a spokesman for the Zionists announced that the Jews would oppose the motion because Palestine was omitted.

1943 On Feb. 16, 1943, Roumania offered 70,000 Jewish refugees of the Trans-Dniestria to leave at the cost of fifty dollars each. This was publicized in the New York papers.

On Feb. 24, 1943, Stephen Wise, president of the American Jewish Congress and leader of the American Zionists, issued a public denial of this offer and declared no collection of funds would seem justified.

Itzhack Greenbaum, chairman of the Rescue Committee of the Jewish Agency, addressing the Zionist Executive Council in Tel-Aviv Feb. 18, 1943, said, "when they asked me, couldn't you give money out of the United Jewish Appeal funds for the rescue of Jews in Europe, I said, NO! And I say again, NO!...one should resist this wave which pushes the Zionist activities to secondary importance."

1944 In 1944, the Emergency Committee to Save the Jewish People called upon the American government to establish a War Refugee Board. Stephen Wise, testifying before a special committee of

Congress, objected to this proposal.

1945 President Roosevelt planned to open the door of the United States to about 150,000 displaced persons. Great Britain agreed to do likewise. To attorney Morris L. Ernst, who had gone to England on Roosevelt's behalf, the Zionists said: "This is treason. You are undermining the Zionist movement." Roosevelt had to tell Great Britain. "Nothing doing on the program. We can't put it over because the dominant vocal Jewish leadership won't stand for it."

1947 In 1947, Congressman William Stratton sponsored a bill to immediately grant entry to the United States of 400,000 displaced persons. The bill was not passed after it was publicly denounced by the Zionist leadership.

1956 On Feb. 23, 1956, the Hon. J.W. Pickersgill, minister of immigration, was asked in the Canadian House of Commons "would he open the doors of Canada to Jewish refugees." He replied "the government has made no progress in that direction, because the government of Israel...does not wish us to do so."

1971 On July 15 1971, the Zionist leadership, through Herman Weissman, president of the Zionist Organization of America, successfully opposed an effort in the United States Congress to allow 30,000 Russian refugees to enter the United States...(End of Quote)

SERIOUS ALLEGATIONS

A report from Tel Aviv, Israel on January 7, 1977, disclosed that controversy is building both in Israel and Washington over serious allegations that Israel has sold military equipment manufactured with U.S. supplied technology to nations that the United States has refused to supply with arms. Recent reports have claimed that Israel has used U.S. aid and technology to develop its own arms industry, enabling it to compete with U.S. manufacturers in foreign markets and to supply other nations with military equipment that the United States does not want them to have.

The Israeli Defense Ministry denied that Israel has sold what a spokesman called "military items" to Greece and Turkey. However, on Jan. 6th the *Christian Science Monitor* reported that Israel sold sophisticated electronic warfare equipment to Greece and Turkey and other nations with much of the equipment being made in Israel under license from U.S. companies.

Israel uses its arms exports to help sustain Israel's own huge defense burden. Last year, military equipment exports exceeded \$320 million and the target for this year is \$400 million. The article that caused the most concern in Israel appeared in a recent issue of the U.S. magazine, *Aviation Week*. The report listed cases in which it said that the interests of U.S. industry and of U.S. government policy were not served by arms deals with Israel. The article said that Israel demands technology transfers and the right to produce parts of weapons systems before it gives orders to U.S. firms. This technology is sometimes used in systems exported by Israel as well as in production of arms for Israel's military forces.

The Israeli-manufactured Shafir heat-seeking

missile is cited as an example of a weapons system copied from the United States and sold to a nation the United States does not want to sell to. *Aviation Week* said that Israel competes with U.S. industry in "traditional" American markets and has attempted to sell to NATO forces military communications equipment modeled after American equipment.

LOSS TO AMERICAN FIRMS

On January 10, 1977, Senator Harrison A. Williams (D-NJ) introduced legislation to make it unlawful for American businessmen to participate in the Arab boycott of Israel. The Williams bill, known as the Export Administration and Foreign Boycott Amendments Act of 1977 is being co-introduced by Sen. William Proxmire (D-Wis) who is chairman of the Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee.

The bill would make it illegal for American firms to engage in boycotts against Israel and it has been estimated that many billions of dollars in contracts, which are pending or will be awarded to American firms would be lost as a result of this legislation. The Arab countries prefer dealing with America, but they can place orders elsewhere. Washington sources state that the Williams bill is expected to be an early test of cooperation in foreign affairs between President-elect Jimmy Carter and the Democratic Congress. A companion bill was introduced into the House by Rep. Benjamin Rosenthal (D-NY).

It should be noted that at the time of the Arab oil boycott, during 1973, the United States was importing only 6% of our petroleum from the Arabs. Now the percentage has risen to 25% and is expected to increase. Observers have noted that if proposed laws are passed making it a crime for a country to choose to do business with the Arab world, the Arabs might just decide to restrict their sales to countries that force them to contribute to the economic well-being of Israel. One source disclosed that there are existing contracts between Arab and American companies for goods and services totaling \$30 billion with a potential of many billions more, all of which may be lost if the boycott law is passed.

CORRUPTION AND EMBEZZLEMENT

The Israeli press and radio are more honest than the liberal-controlled media of the United States. They often publish information disclosing that Israeli government officials call on Jewish executives and wealthy contributors in the United States to influence legislation and policy in favor of Israel.

There has been talk of peace in the Middle East for ten years but there is no peace.

We have poured billions of dollars into a Socialist economy and there are numerous cases of political corruption and embezzlement (as the Israeli press truthfully reported). Furthermore, although there is a group of millionaires and an elite political group, most Israeli citizens are taxed beyond endurance.

The chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, General George S. Brown, stated a true fact when he said that Israel is a burden to the United States.

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TO THE POINT

There is not the slightest doubt that the worldwide publicity concerning the "energy crisis" is designed to mould psychologically as many people as possible to accept as "inevitable" the necessity for more centralised controls and regimentation. But even most of those who suspect the motives of those clamouring about the alleged threat of energy sources running out, overlook the important question of how much energy now being used is devoted to useless, destructive forms of activity. This activity, and the waste of vast quantities of materials, is the result of the philosophy underlying the policy of "full employment". The most deadly threat to mankind is not a possible shortage of energy or food, but a philosophy, which seeks to bring all aspects of the individual's life under centralised control and direction.

When C. H. Douglas warned that Social Crediters were not going to advance Social Credit by party political activities, he did so because he had a firm understanding of the corrupting nature of power. Party politics are almost exclusively concerned with the struggle for power. Very few escape the corrupting influence of power. The more centralised it becomes, the greater the corruption. For many years no Canadian politician had more scathing comments to make about Pierre Elliott Trudeau than Albertan Conservative Mr. Jack Horner. Mr. Horner described the Liberal-Socialist Prime Minister in language, which indicated clearly that he would find it nauseating to be associated with Mr. Trudeau in any way. But after Mr. Horner was unsuccessful in his bid for the leadership of the Federal Conservative Party, and began to be gently wooed by the Liberals, a change started to develop. Eventually, a few months back, Mr. Horner left the Conservative Party to become a Minister in Mr. Trudeau's Cabinet. He followed the path of an Albertan "Social Credit" member, Mr. Olson, who also accepted, some years back, the temptations of the Liberal Party. It is an old story. Christ warned about the temptation of the view from the top of high mountains, and the inevitable end result. Some Australian readers will recall the appearance at a *New Times* Dinner some years ago, by Mr. D. J. Killen, who was greeted with thunderous applause when he said he would stand or fall politically on the Rhodesian issue. Today Mr. Killen is Minister for Defence in a Government, which has joined enthusiastically with Rhodesia's enemies. Clearly he has fallen. The regeneration of a sick world is not going to take place through intensified party political power struggles, but through organic growth and service to Truth.

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Although some of the representatives at the London Commonwealth Prime Ministers' Conference were only there because they had murdered their opponents and operate one party police states, they were quite acceptable to Prime Ministers Trudeau, Fraser, Callaghan and others who insisted that they were all men of principle standing firmly for "majority rule" in Rhodesia. Idi Amin seized control of Uganda during a Prime Ministers' Conference at which his President, Dr. Obote, was attending. Idi Amin was accepted as the new President. No one raised any difficulties about "majority rule". At this year's Commonwealth Conference Mr. James Manchem, the representative of the newest member, the Seychelles, had just arrived in London when a coup was staged by

Marxist Albert Rene. The men of principle demonstrated once again their great flexibility by accepting the new Government of the Seychelles as the legitimate authority. The Seychelles has been used for some time by the Soviet Navy for some time for stores and recreation. Now the Soviet can, under Albert Rene, develop yet another base as they thrust towards their ultimate objective of South Africa. But first Rhodesia must be collapsed.

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Comrade Machel of Mozambique is one of the strongest critics of South Africa. But he has been pressuring South Africa for economic aid running into millions of dollars. He has been requesting increased financial returns on the Mozambique workers necessary to work South African gold mines. The South African Government has aided Mozambique by permitting the South African railways to continue to use Mozambique's ports. South Africa exports to a number of African States whose leaders publicly support the mounting anti-South African campaign. If Rhodesia and South Africa are collapsed under the imposition of "majority rule", millions of Africans through-

THE LEAGUE LAUNCHES NEW OFFENSIVE

Even at the height of the referendum campaign, in which it played a vital, perhaps decisive role, in defeating the attack on the Federal Constitution, the League of Rights was preparing to launch a new nation-wide offensive: a campaign to help defend Rhodesia. The League's brochure on Australia's relationship to the Southern African situation has already had a tremendous impact. Tens of thousands of brochures have already gone out and the League's printing presses are hard pressed to supply the mounting orders. The League aims to have at least two million of these brochures distributed as one part of a comprehensive campaign to force a change of Government attitude towards Rhodesia and South Africa. The Australian League of Rights' campaign is part of an international campaign designed to hold the West's major front line. The basic cost of the Rhodesian brochure is \$5 per thousand, but where necessary the League will subsidise supplies out of general funds. Even small contributions to help defray expenses will be welcomed. Supplies available from League headquarters in all States.

out Africa will suffer. Many will die. Such a tragedy would provide the opportunity for the internationalists to a massive "foreign aid" programme — at the expense of the taxpayers of Australia, Canada, the United States and other countries.

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Although the Queen had expressed a desire, as was quite natural, for an extensive Canadian tour as part of the programme for her Jubilee Year, Pierre Elliott Trudeau's invitation to Canada was for four days only, these to be spent only in Ottawa-Hull. The people of the Provinces of Canada have been denied the opportunity to show the same type of loyalty displayed by the Australian and New Zealand people. No doubt the Canadian Prime Minister, whose long record has revealed no feeling for the Monarchical type of Government, did not want the Canadian people to have an opportunity to show what they felt about the Crown. Trudeau will, however, pass, but the values symbolised by the Crown will remain. They must be defended.

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At a recent statement issued by the British Columbia Branch of the Canadian League of Rights, it is pointed out that the "anti-Socialist" Government of Mr. Bill Bennett is going to carry out a promise made by the previous Socialist NDP Government, to provide \$2.5 million (Canadian) for aid to Communist Vietnam. The old "humanitarian" note is struck. But the BC League of Rights statement recalls the warning of Solzhenitsyn in his New York address, who said to people in the West, born free, "why do you help our slave owners?". The answers to that question hold the keys to the future of Civilisation.

THE AFRICAN MYTH

IT IS CURIOUS that the only white men who have ever been in close contact with Negroes — that is to say the Colonials of Africa and the inhabitants of the southern states — are never believed.

The western world has been brainwashed into believing a myth. The opinion of scientists, anthropologists, doctors and police are all discounted, if they disagree with the thesis of complete equality among all the five sub-species of the human race.

Yet equality is nonsense. The income tax returns alone prove it. There is a pecking order even among chickens. But this is the day of the black man who has come to his present position by a curious mixture of humanitarian sentimentality, political expedience and luck, a series of factors combining to give him a completely fictitious position in world affairs.

There are no African nations, if by a nation we mean a country that is viable, capable of running its own affairs without outside help. A flag does not make a country. But America woos these newly emergent nations in order to flatter her own Negroes, and pushes desegregation to flatter the newly emergent nations, hoping to control their vote in the U.N. by soft words and

immense subsidies.

England hopes to hold her tottering Commonwealth together by the same means. And the Blacks of Africa play both ends against the middle, like the children of divorced parents saying, "Well, Mom, if you won't give me a car Pop will."

Mom and Pop are, of course, not on speaking terms but they want to be loved. So the black children get their toys — Cadillacs to ride through the great cities the white man built, dams and schools and hospitals. The works in fact. But love? Who loves a sucker?

— Stuart Cloete

.. "The real objectives of the 1914-1918 war were the Bolshevik revolution in Russia, the League of Nations, and the financial subjugation of Great Britain." We think that a further objective, the extraction of the Balfour Declaration from the British Government by the Money-Power in New York should be added. It was following this Declaration that the U.S. entered the war. The Declaration is not much remembered these days, but of Lord Balfour the *Encyclopedia Britannica: Micropaedia* Vol. 1 says: "His most important action occurred on Nov. 2, 1917, when, prompted by the Zionist émigrés Chaim Weizmann and Sakan Nokolow, he wrote a letter to the 2nd Baron Rothschild, head of the English branch of the famous Jewish banking family. The Balfour Declaration, pledging British aid for Zionist efforts to establish a home for world Jewry in Palestine, gave great impetus to the movement that eventually resulted in the establishment of the state of Israel".

----C.H. Douglas: "Whose Service Is Perfect Freedom"

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