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BEHIND THE EMERGING CHINA-ISRAELI AXIS

by Eric D. Butler

C.H. Douglas predicted that eventually the centre of the world drama would move to Asia. Economic developments in Asia, with feverish activities taking place right throughout the Asian nations, highlight the growing importance of Asia. They also bring into sharp focus the role of Australia and New Zealand in future developments, the only two European nations in the Asian theatre. If Australian Prime Minister Paul Keating has his way, an Australian Republic will be progressively integrated into Asia. But first it must be torn from its cultural and spiritual roots. It is claimed that developments in a European Economic Community, and the dynamics of economic developments throughout Asia, particularly China, leave Australia with no other alternative than to accept an "Asian destiny".

No serious student of world affairs would deny that there has during this century, without going back any further, been an emerging strategy designed to create some type of a World Order. The attempt to establish a European Community is a major feature of this strategy. But the Asian theatre has not been ignored by the strategists, as witnessed by the fact that the big Japanese banks are members of David Rockefeller's Trilateral Commission, which makes no secret of its support for the One World concept.

Now while Japan, because of its history, has led the upsurge of economic activity throughout the Asian region, other Asian nations are quickly catching up in the same way. While Great Britain pioneered the industrial revolution, it was not long before other European nations, including the United States, were following the British lead, and in many cases greatly benefiting from the pioneering examples of the British, Japan, for example, has played a major role in assisting with the economic development of South Korea. Today the South Korean economy is a virtual dynamo, and now competing with the Japanese. Not without significance, South Korea's dramatic economic development has been liberally financed by the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund. The same type of financing has been provided for Vietnam and other Asian nations.

THE CHINA FACTOR

But the China factor is now emerging with growing momentum, this momentum being directly assisted by the internationalists. It is not without significance that Zionist leaders like Mr. Isi Square massacre of Chinese students every effort has been made to whitewash the Chinese Communists. Some American Congressmen tried early this year to prevent President George Bush from meeting in private in New York, on January 28, with Chinese leader Li Peng. But Bush went ahead. Bush had had a long association with China, going back to 1974 and 1975 when he served as the United States liaison officer in Beijing. The Bush

OUR POLICY

To promote loyalty to the Christian concept of God, and to a society in which every individual enjoys inalienable rights, derived from God, not from the State.

To defend the Free Society and its institutions private property, consumer control of production through genuine competitive enterprise, and limited decentralised government.

To promote financial policies, which will reduce taxation, eliminate debt, and make possible material security for all with greater leisure time for cultural activities.

To oppose all forms of monopoly, whether described as public or private.

Leibler of Australia have in recent times been devoting considerable attention to the Asian nations, with particular interest in China. Generally overlooked has been the progressive development of a China-Israeli axis which first emerged into the open in the Nixon era, when Dr. Henry Kissinger was President Nixon's Secretary of State. Kissinger was the man responsible for the American recognition of Communist China and its eventual seating at the United Nations. Zionist Israel had secret contacts with Communist China before this.

The Kissinger initiative concerning Communist China was applauded by the major American media, dominated by Zionist Jews, papers like the New York Times and The Washington Post. The policy of these papers has been consistently pro-Communist China, as witnessed by the fact that even after the Tienanmen

To encourage electors always to record a responsible vote in all elections.

To support all policies genuinely concerned with conserving and protecting natural resources, including the soil, and an environment reflecting Natural (God's) Laws, against policies of rape and waste.

To oppose all policies eroding national sovereignty, and to promote a closer relationship between the peoples of the Crown Commonwealth and those of the United States of America, who share a common heritage.

administration has consistently attempted to provide Communist China with every opportunity to build up its economic strength. It is estimated that the U.S.A's trade deficit with China has now reached \$15 billion annually, and is still soaring. As Chinese production, much of it created by near-slave labour, is pouring into the U.S.A., the American economy is in serious decline. This development is part of the Kissinger programme for building a New International Economic Order.

At the same time ties between Zionist Israel and China are being strengthened, with growing reports of closer economic and technological links, particularly in the field of armaments. It is against this background of a long-term international programme to build up China, with the Zionists playing a major role, that Paul Keating's open attempt to make Australia part of Asia, must be assessed. But the very threat to Australia provides it with a challenge to remain true to itself and to present to the whole of an Asia, which is going to become increasingly turbulent, a Christian answer to the economic problem. Initially it is possible to operate a debt-financial policy while there is adequate scope for development. But eventually the expanding economies of Asia must, under debt finance, result in growing friction as they attempt to solve their problems by the conventional method of exporting. Attempts to reduce the friction by creating the equivalent of the European Community must create still more problems.

WHAT AUSTRALIA SHOULD DO

So far from expressing interest in becoming part of Asia, Australia should use its situation to demonstrate that it is possible for a nation to solve its own problems without generating friction with its neighbours. In order to achieve this Australia must return to the value system upon which it was established. It is essential that it be stressed that all systems, economic, financial and political, exist to serve the individual. If Australia fails to do this, and follows the path of the internationalists, it will finish as a relatively small European enclave in an Asia into which it will eventually be drawn by the forces of centralism. It will die as a nation, swamped with a different culture. Paul Keating is offering a programme of slow suicide for the nation.

".... To thine own self be true... thou canst not then be false to any man," said Shakespeare. The time of decision has come for Australians: either to remain true to their own heritage, or to be absorbed into a culture completely alien to their own. It is not a criticism of Asians to say that they are different from Europeans, but a fact. C.H. Douglas commented on the fundamental cultural cleavages between the Asiatic and the European. European culture has its roots deep in the Christian concept of the unique value of each individual, of justice, decency and compassion. Until corrupted, the European approach originally to economy and finance was that there was a just price for production, as distinct from the haggling of the oriental bazaar.

European global expansion was, at times, too aggressive, but undergirded by the Christian value system it was, by the turn of the century, starting to have an effect on the value system of Asians and others. But at the very moment it appeared to be destined to continue modifying the world's value systems, and the standards of behaviour of the whole world, it started to retreat. That retreat is still taking place. But as a European nation Australia is uniquely placed to stop the retreat by letting the Christian light shine in that part of the world, which is now becoming so important in the human drama.

POLITICS OF TERROR IN SOUTH AFRICA

With it now certain that South Africa is faced with growing violence, possibly leading to a call for the United Nations to intervene should open civil war erupt, it is essential that as many people as possible throughout the world fully understand the realities of the South African situation. No one is better qualified to provide that background than South African journalist and writer, Mr. Ivor Benson. The following article is from the May issue of Ivor Benson's *"Behind the News"*, a monthly publication which may be obtained from P.O. Box 29, Sudbury, Suffolk, C010 5EF, England, United Kingdom.

A budget of information we have received from sources close to the centre of things indicates that South Africa will soon be moving into a situation much like that which prevails in Lebanon, Yugoslavia, Azerbaijan, Afghanistan, etc.

So there are shocks in store for those who have allowed themselves to be persuaded that the '*yes*' vote in the snap referendum in March means that the whole problem of South Africa's political future has been solved — a false impression enhanced by the partial lifting of international sanctions and the much publicised return of South Africa to international sport.

In other words, the 'yes' vote in the referendum does not mean what it seems to mean; all that can be learned from it is what happens when modern high-tech psychological warfare The result of the referendum will now have to be compared with the result of a by-election in the Orange Free State mining town of Welkom due to take place on June 17. The Conservative Party with its public meetings, door-to-door canvassing, etc, will be very much less at a disadvantage in presenting their case to the voters.

Already there are signs that F.W. de Klerk is not having it all his own way. The reception that awaited him when he opened his nationwide campaign was summed up in a poster put out by the Sunday paper, *Rapport:* 'Chaos at Mitchell's Plain During FW Visit'. This was quickly withdrawn and replaced with another, which sought to link the 'chaos' with De Klerk's supposed 'triumph'.

costing millions of pounds, reinforced with tactics of terror, are brought to bear on an unprotected population.

One of our correspondents writes: 'during the fortnight before polling day something happened which had never happened before. Banks, insurance companies, huge industrial corporations like SASOL, (the oil-from-coal monopoly), the great mining houses etc., warned their employees that if a "no" verdict was returned full sanctions would be imposed and they would lose their jobs.

There was no way in which the opposition groups could reach the electorate with a response to this threat in the short time before polling day. Writes another correspondent who is closely associated with the opposition: 'we are under no illusion. Order is rapidly disintegrating and a re-alignment of political forces is rapidly taking place. De Klerk's own National Party is in a ferment, giving rise to the possibility of defections and more by-elections, and even of another general election before De Klerk can finalise a deal with the ANC/Communist Party alliance.'

He adds: 'the general mood in the Conservative Party after the referendum is one of absolute determination as we face the great troubles that lie ahead. You may be sure that the Conservative Party leaders *are well aware of the arcane international forces which lie behind this onslaught against South Africa.*'

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A correspondent in Cape Town, who had it from a source inside the British Embassy, reports that more than 500,000 South Africans have a legal right to British passports, not to mention the scores of thousands of other post-war immigrants who never gave up British citizenship.

The implications of this are twofold: 1 -If the country falls into serious disorder, Britain might have to receive anything up to one million people from South Africa, and 2 -With so many persons of British ancestry involved, happenings in South Africa can be expected to produce in Britain repercussions, both public and private, of a kind not produced by troubles in places like Lebanon, Yugoslavia, Afghanistan, etc.

A MAVERICK EXPELLED

The summary dismissal by the Conservative Party of one of its senior and most outspoken members, Koos van der Merwe, 'for articulating policy contrary to that of the leadership' confirms other reports to the effect that the CP is bent on achieving a high degree of inner unity and discipline. Van der Merwe had been getting a great deal of media publicity, arguing that the party should participate in the CODESA negotiations. This may happen, but it will be on the CP's own terms.

Andrew Smith, chairman of the Western Goals Institute, London, an organisation representing so-called 'extreme Rightwing' groups in the European Parliament, including Jean-Marie Le Pen's National Front, said in an interview in Cape Town that the Conservative Party in South Africa had the full support of all the national conservative parties in Europe. It was their view, too, that regardless of the results of the referendum, the CP should continue to fight for white political self-determination. He remarked of the propaganda for a 'yes' vote in the referendum that media manipulation and intimidation on such a scale had never been seen before anywhere in the world.

APPEARANCE AND REALITY

Analysis and History: As a preliminary to any discussion of the undeclared war against South Africa, which now seems to be heading towards a grim climacteric, one all-embracing generalisation needs to be stated:

The *reality* of what has been happening is something quite different from what most people have been made to believe it is.

There are many other ways in which such a generalisation can be worded. For example, we can say that what we have to contend with in trying to understand what is happening in South Africa, and will continue to happen at an accelerating pace, is a structure of falsehood so vast, so complex, and by so many innocently believed, that it is virtually impregnable. In short, it is a world of lies from which few who are caught up in it can escape.

But how could such a world of lies have come into existence? For an answer to that question we need some knowledge of history down the ages, one of the main lessons of which is that the emergence of some new way of waging war, some change in weaponry and tactics which has conferred on one nation an insuperable advantage over its opponents.

So, too, in our age, the nations of the world have been taken by surprise, caught wholly unprepared, by the employment of forms of warfare, conducted under the appearance of politics, in which the weapon of major importance is *the lie*.

The reasoning goes like this: If physical violence can be used as an instrument of conquest, why not also moral violence? Would not aggression be so much harder to resist if conducted secretly under the cloak of amity?

A NEW KIND OF WARFARE

What all this amounts to, of course, is the transference of struggle to a new battleground of the mind.

Indeed, the expression of 'moral violence' more accurately describes the new kind of warfare, which has given the world an age of conflict and suffering without any precedent in recorded history.

There seem to be only three lines of action available to those who seek to fight back against a campaign of psycho-political fraud such as that now being brought to bear on the people of South Africa:

1. They can contend with the world of lies piecemeal, disputing or exclaiming against this or that component of it. For example, it can be shown quite easily that Nelson Mandela has no genuine claim to the leadership of South Africa's Blacks; first to dispute that claim are the Zulus who are the country's biggest ethnic group.

2. They can introduce new facts into the dispute, or 'recover and bring again to public attention information about which there can be no doubt, but which is never mentioned again by the politicians and the media, information which could throw more light on the entire South African drama. An example of this would be the retelling of the story of the police swoop in 1963 on a mansion at Rivonia, near Johannesburg, when the entire Communist underground headquarters, and the leadership were captured intact — including Mandela. All the Whites arrested at Rivonia were Jews.

Volumes could be filled with information and argument challenging the thesis that the revolution in South Africa is being run by and for the Black population, but there could never be enough of it, supplied fast enough, to keep pace with the Great Lie which, like some legendary monster, sprouts new limbs as fast as they are cut off.

FIGHTING BACK WITH TRUTH

Then there is Option No 3, which is to disregard the 'world of lies' and concentrate rather on boldly stating the truth as we see it, like this:

* There is incontrovertible proof that the revolutionary movement in South Africa is essentially a Jewish nationalist enterprise wearing the disguise of a Black liberation movement; or, as we have put it before in this service, a 'White hand in a Black glove'. The South African drama is thus *a replica* of the Bolshevik Revolution in which a Jewish nationalist imperialism passed itself off, with the support and connivance of highly influential elements in Western capitalism, as an uprising of the oppressed Russian masses. Anyone wishing to test the authenticity of statements like the one above could hardly do better than begin with Dr. Gideon Shimoni's book 'Jews and Zionism: the South African Experience, 1910-1967', published by Oxford University Press in 1980 in which the story of Jewish involvement in the revolution is told with remarkable frankness.

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great changes in the disposition of great power are all linked with

BUTLER TESTIMONIAL ISSUE

As we go to press, the nation-wide series of Testimonial Dinners for Eric and Elma Butler is not yet completed. Those already held have been an outstanding success, with a wide variety of contributions, rich in history and observations about the Social Credit Movement. It is proposed that the June issue of *"The New Times"* should be an enlarged special issue, covering as far as possible reports on the Dinners, extracts from speeches, some photos and messages.

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The main struggle, he writes, began in 1950 when the government introduced the Suppression of Communism Act. He goes on:

* Apart from the effect of these dramatic events upon the lives of Jews as White citizens of South Africa, they had significant consequences for South African Jewry as a community. The reason was the extraordinary salience of Jewish individuals in the White opposition to the regime.... Throughout this period Jewish names keep appearing in every facet of the struggle.... in the radical Communist opposition; in the courts, whether as defendants or as counsel for the defence; in the lists of bannings and among those who fled the country to evade arrest. Their presence was particularly marked in the course of the Treason Trial, which occupied an important place in the news throughout the second half of the 1950s.... Twenty-three of those arrested were Whites, more than half of them Jews.

To top it all, adds Shimoni, at one stage of the trial the defence counsel was led by Israel Maisels, the prominent Jewish communal leader.

In Shimoni's book we find Zionism defined as 'a progressive nationalism compatible with socialism according to the formula: socialist in content and national in form' — i.e., 'national socialism' for Jews, but *not* for others.

There are many other books, which could be consulted on the subject of the Jewish role in South Africa. One of the most comprehensive and most detailed is Henry R. Pike's 'A History of Communism in South Africa', published by the Christian Mission International. (Available from Thinkers' Library, Box 23397 Joubertpark, Johannesburg).

The bigger subject of the Jewish role in Western history is discussed in Douglas Reed's 'The Controversy of Zion' and this writer's 'The Zionist Factor', a new and enlarged edition of which is available from Noontide Press, Costa Mess, California.

Postscript: All hell broke loose in Los Angeles on April 29 when four policemen were acquitted on a charge of beating up a Black motorist. President Bush made a nationwide appeal for calm.... According to an official report 42 percent of all Black men in Washington DC between the ages of 18 and 35 are in prison or in trouble. The problem of a 12 percent Negro minority in America is a monstrous political time bomb with a rapidly shortening fuse. But such are the wonders of modern highpressure propaganda, that millions of people all over the world could be made to regard South Africa's Whites as pariahs for not wishing to submit to Black majority rule.

STARVATION IN ZIMBABWE

Those responsible for the coming to power in Zimbabwe, formerly Rhodesia, of Comrade Mugabe, assured the world that the destruction of European control would bring peace and prosperity to the former Central African nation. Operating on behalf of his international banking friends, Dr. Henry Kissinger played a decisive role in issuing a death sentence to the Rhodesians. British politician Margaret Thatcher reluctantly, along with people like Australian Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser, presided over the final execution, assuring the whites in Rhodesia that minority rights would be assured.

But, as predicted by those familiar with the realities of Africa, the end result has been a growing disaster. The latest Occasional Newsletter issued by The Rhodesia Christian Group, directed by Mr. Denis Walker, paints a grim picture of what is happening. The President of the Rhodesian Christian Group is the Rev. Fr. Arthur R. Lewis. The Newsletter reads as follows:

Zimbabwe's economy is on the verge of collapse. Inflation is soaring; government expenditure still appears to be out of control, food shortages are commonplace.

Although the government cannot be blamed for the drought, the worst in Southern Africa for many decades, the lack of food reserves, in particular the bureaucratic bungling which allowed Zimbabwe's last grain surplus to be sold off, is something for which President Mugabe's government must be held responsible.

Yet while ordinary people are suffering, senior politicians seem to be thriving. For the first time in over a hundred years, there are reports of people starving in Zimbabwe.

The reasons for the collapse of the economy are clear. From 1980 Zimbabwe has followed Marxist policies with strict controls on prices, especially on foods. Farmers have complained for many years that they have been unable to get a realistic return for the allimportant maize crop.

Uncertainty over the future, especially with proposals of land grabbing by the Government for wholesale land re-distribution, has also discouraged farmers.

such as Z\$3 million for the construction of a house for a Vice-President, a Z\$400,000 tax-free gift for the former President, Canaan Banana, and Z\$40 million to refurbish the state house in Bulawayo.

Large numbers of civil servants are due to be sacked while many working in the notoriously inefficient state-owned industries also face unemployment. At the moment the government consumes 50 percent of Zimbabwe's national wealth. From 40,000 civil servants in 1980 the government now employs 90,000 people.

COLLAPSING ECONOMY

As well as the internal hardships, the collapsing Zimbabwean economy has also resulted in the rapid decline of the foreign exchange rate. This has had disastrous consequences for many former Rhodesians now living abroad, many trying to survive on pensions paid in Zimbabwean dollars.

It is hard to be optimistic about the future. President Mugabe should study the fate of Dr. Kaunda in Zambia who, after failing

It is a sad fact that although Rhodesia was able to feed itself throughout the Bush War, and even generate a surplus for export, the new Zimbabwe cannot achieve this.

Ironically, Zimbabwe must now turn to South Africa to import maize if it is to avoid wholesale starvation. If the South Africans are unable to help, rationing will have to be introduced.

While government ministers, including the President Robert Mugabe, call for ordinary people to tighten their belts, it is worrying to note that the government is not practising what it preaches.

The budget in July 1991 revealed that millions of Zimbabwean dollars were being spent on projects for senior politicians

to oversee radical economic reforms, found himself voted out of office.

Zimbabwean Ministers should also be worried by the continuing developments in South Africa. For many years Zimbabwe has benefited from foreign firms moving out of South Africa and investing in the frontline states.

If the internal violence in South Africa can be controlled and a market economy firmly entrenched, it will become a far more attractive place for investment, much to the detriment of Zimbabwe.

We can but hope and pray that reason will prevail in Zimbabwe. Perhaps the current crisis, along with the demise of

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socialism in the rest of the world will be enough to bring the ruling ZANU party to its senses. If not, the consequences for Zimbabwe and its people will be dire.

THE PLIGHT OF PENSIONERS

As the economic condition inside Zimbabwe deteriorates, it becomes even more necessary for us to raise the plight of pensioners. There has been a shocking drop in the value of the Zimbabwean dollar over the last twelve years, which has meant, in real terms, any capital sum is now worth less than ten percent of its 1980 value.

This continuing devaluation is crippling pensioners, many of whom have their funds locked in twelve-year bonds in Zimbabwe. Although one sixth of the bond was refunded after seven years, the devaluation has meant that those now living outside the country receive only a fraction of the amount to which they are entitled. Some have been left with a pittance, and have literally been reduced to abject poverty and desperation.

Pensioners who rely on Zimbabwean medical insurance are also hard hit. The payments they receive are at the Zimbabwean rate while the actual cost of their treatment is very much higher. Zimbabwean railway pensioners were only paid the increase awarded to them this year after a Court ruling against the government by Judge Fergus Blackie.

Those who have worked all their lives are now facing debt and uncertainty at a time when they are least able to cope with these traumatic experiences — and when their chance of finding work is practically nil.

WHAT CAN BE DONE?

This problem is far beyond the resources of a small organisation such as the Rhodesia Christian Group. Nevertheless, we have repeatedly attempted to bring it to the attention of British government ministers — for it was Britain, which devised the political settlement, which led to the Mugabe government.

As a result of intense and continued lobbying the British government is at last beginning to take the problem seriously, though it will only approach the Zimbabwe government on behalf of specific individuals.

A further gleam of hope is provided by a report that the Zimbabwean Minister of Finance, Dr. Chidzero, has agreed to allow the release of funds in cases of real hardship — although Zimbabwe's shortage of foreign exchange is likely to be a major hindrance.

Those with any British links should adopt the following method. Firstly write a statement of your income and expenditure and have it notarised as correct by a solicitor. Secondly, send this together with details of your bank and account numbers in Zimbabwe (and the numbers of any bonds you may hold) to Mr. Jim Ivins of the Central and Southern Africa Department at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office. The address is King Charles Street, London SW1A 2AH.

We have a letter from the Foreign Office, assuring us that, once they have this information, they will take the matter up with the Zimbabwean authorities. Please inform us of your approach so that we may follow it up if necessary. Unhappily the success rate so far has not been high, and it is imperative that we increase the pressure. Once the scale of the problem becomes known we are hopeful of a more enthusiastic response from the Foreign Office. We also hope to lobby as many MPs as possible.

year we have sent grants to 119 people. The fund is a drop in the ocean of need, so we must continue to lobby for help.

We are only at the beginning of what must be a growing campaign. We need all the support we can get. Please inform us of anybody who is in need. And please circulate this newsletter as widely as possible. We are looking for many, many more friends and helpers.

I am sorry we could not get this letter to you in time to wish you a happy Easter. But Eastertide is still with us to remind you that Christ is risen and answers prayers. Do we pray enough?

(signed) W. Denis Walker.

ZIMBABWE NEWS UPDATE

The former Prime Minister Ian Smith has said to the Financial Gazette that he handed over to the Mugabe government an economy once considered the best run in the world only to see it being gradually destroyed.

"During the pre-independence era, nobody stood in a queue to buy basic commodities, or woke up as early as 4 am to catch a bus to work, despite international sanctions imposed because of UDI," he added.

Miss Mugabe, a Member of Parliament and President Mugabe's sister, has had to admit that she could no longer hold meetings in her constituency because she had no answers to give when the people demanded mealy meal, only now trickling in on South African transport.

"The problem is," she said, "that we started off lying, saying there was a lot of maize coming and the trucks would soon bring it." Now she admitted she had run out of ideas.

A University of Zimbabwe political science lecturer, Dr. Jonathan Moyo, said that Zimbabwe today presents "a chaotic and discouraging picture."

In criticising President Mugabe for not having done enough, he said, "Nobody here seems to be in charge of the situation as chaos reigns supreme while things everywhere fall apart.

"Increasingly one hears bitter comments on allegations of corruption at high levels and criticism of the way leading members of the government have enriched themselves.

"There is deep unease at revelations in court cases of backstabbing and political interference in the senior ranks of the police force whose acting commissioner is himself on trial for corruption, while the Attorney-General is under police investigation concerning a fraud case and in turn claims that he is being harassed by some senior police officers.

"To cap it all the deputy director-general of the state security body, the Central Intelligence Organisation, is on bail on a murder charge following the disappearance of a former girl friend."

"He who despises a hungry man does wrong." Proverbs 14:21. "The gains of the wicked bring trouble." Proverbs 15:6.

A SMALL FUND

As a practical response to the crisis we have built up a small fund with the help of our friends and supporters. In the past

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'REBUILDING RUSSIA

by Alexander Solzhenitsyn

When invited to return from exile to his homeland, Solzhenitsyn replied that he was ready to return "to live and to die", but would not return until his books were permitted free circulation.

Instead of returning himself, he sent a message to his countrymen a penetrating vision of the way forward for Russia. To the intense discomfort of Russia's political masters, his message swept throughout his nation, contributing to the rising demands for genuine freedom. Solzhenitsyn's 16,000-word essay, "Rebuilding Russia" is not simply to his Russian brothers. It has application to all peoples who struggle for freedom — including Australians. His chapter on political parties alone is essential reading.

The League has secured a small supply of this startling work. Available from all League book services. \$12.95, or \$14.95 posted.

CORRESPONDENCE WITH BISHOPS AND POLITICIANS

The following letter is from Edward Rock of The Christian Alternative Movement

To Mr. Paul Keating, M.P., Prime Minister of Australia, Dr. John Hewson, M.P., Leader of the Opposition, Parliament House, Canberra, A.C.T.

Dear Sirs,

I write to you jointly in reference to correspondence I have had with Christian Bishops, the Primate of Australia, Rev. Keith Raynor, and his Assistant Bishop, Rev. Oliver Heyward, regarding the immorality of a practice subscribed to by all political parties, the creation of all money as a debt.

I wrote to the Bishops concerning the need for a Christian Economic Policy (C.E.P.) complemented by a Christian Financial Policy (C.F.P.) as the only alternative to present disasters. Simply put, unless our leadership returns to Christian policies, and rejects secular humanist policies that have plagued us for so long we must continue along the road that brings continuous disaster.

In reply the Bishops said regarding a C.E.P. and a C.F.P., "They are ideals we all ascribe to.... however our present system is based upon greed and selfishness It is only faith in Christ that can...."— in effect, change men and the policies they pursue. " . . . and we must all strive to bring others to that faith." It is in pursuit of that objective I write to you.

My reply to the Bishops observed that greed and selfishness constituted a misuse of power, and that while we were all guilty in this regard, that small minority which exercised the power of creating all money as a debt depart from the realm of forgivable sin to unforgivable sin. Those who elevate means into ends destroy the purpose of God, and set up barriers between God and man, forcing man to bow down and worship, in this case a symbol which under God is merely a servant of His love in giving people access to His gifts. The worship of the monetary symbol has supplanted the first commandment, "Thou shalt have no other Gods before me." The whole of society without exception is forced to concede to Satan in this false worship. The sad and unfortunate reality is that Christian representatives whether pastors or politicians are accessories after the fact. However, I am confident that Christ is now challenging this situation.

I am indebted to Mr. Keating as my authority that all money is created as a debt. I hope he will now come to an understanding of the consequences of that policy and move to replace it with a C.F.P. Creation of all money as a debt has the following consequences: —

(1) It turns money into a source of speculation consuming the hearts and minds of the people, making the 'money market' the dominant factor (God) in the life of the nation, and the lives of the people.

through monopoly debt finance. Debt finance is the chief weapon of those whose objective is the form of world power rejected by Jesus Christ when tempted by Satan on the mountain.

- (5) It corrupts those who sanction and administer the policy on behalf of the creators of debt finance; chiefly politicians, economists and powerful bureaucrats.
- (6) Finally those who love the power obtained through monopoly debt finance epitomises fully the stricture contained in the words of Paul, the apostle of Christ, when he said, "The love of money is the root of all evil." While we all may fall into that category, the minor and forgivable sin of the many innocent victims are a matter of concern, they are nothing compared to the unforgivable sin perpetrated by those whose objective in creating all money as a debt is to estrange man from God and set up world government based upon the power of man.

A Christian Financial Policy (C.F.P.) would incorporate the following:

- (1) Creation of all money free of debt in accordance with the love of God whose gifts are given freely without strings attached.
- (2) Distribution would be democratic, without discrimination, again in accordance with the love of God who does not discriminate between individuals as to who may have access to His love. Judgment is reserved to Jesus Christ as to what use we put those gifts to and on the basis of that judgment we either obtain, or do not obtain, access to God. "No man cometh unto the Father but by me."
- (3) The democratic distribution of debt free credit would ensure the sovereignty of both individuals and nations.
- (4) It would allow Australia to co-operate with other nations from a basis of self-respect; built on unbreachable sovereignty.
- (5) It would eliminate trade wars.
- (6) It would eliminate the welfare state and the exercise of power without responsibility now inherent in the bureaucracy. It would usher in the distribution of plenty instead of the distribution of poverty under the welfare state.

TURNING THE TAXATION SCREW

"We have seen in a few years that the human, in social temperament, has a much wider range of tolerance than we had supposed.... Direct taxation 30 years ago.... seemed to reach breaking point, and was regarded as psychologically unbearable at levels which today are merely amusing.... There can be little doubt that, with the right application of experimental psychology and adjusted education, the mind of man would be still more adaptable."

- (2) It makes the function of production subservient to the supply of money symbols, another aspect of the elevation of means into ends and rebellion against God's authority, and in so doing destroys the God ordained function between consumer and producer.
- (3) It is automatically inflationary. Inflation is then used as a means to extend the power of government over the people when the government pleads it must have increased power to 'fight inflation'.
- (4) It destroys individual and national sovereignty, making the nation subservient to external forces exercising power

— Sir Josiah Stamp, a director of the Bank of England, addressing the British Association in 1936.

If alive today, perhaps even Sir Josiah Stamp would be astonished at the total level of taxation being imposed in modern nations like Australia. He would almost certainly applaud the General Services Tax (GST) as a means of ensuring that as few as possible escaped the taxation net.

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- (7) It would result in a drastic depletion of the populace in prisons and psychiatric institutions.
- (7) Finally, it creates a basis on which man is no longer the servant of mammon, and could if he so chose become a servant of God and a disciple of Jesus Christ.

At the moment of writing you are both engaged in a slanging match promoting your particular obeisance to monopoly debt finance policy, the non-choice of either 'One Australia' of G.S.T. Both incorporate destruction of individual and national sovereignty. Being in complete opposition to the will of God, both must exacerbate present disasters. Australians almost to a man are aware they are not being offered any genuine alternative, and all of us realise we have lost control of the democratic processes by which we can control and discipline our representatives. Therefore more and more Australians are turning to the Swiss system of Citizen Initiated Referendum and Voters Veto, by which they can restore their rightful authority. I would strongly urge you both if you have any real desire to serve the Australian people that you jointly announce acceptance of these progressive measures.

The Christian church itself is in the process of awakening from a long sleep in which it has vacated the world of reality for one in which the word' was confused with words, and are now beginning to realise they must become "doers of the word, and not hearers only."

In recent months the Pope has spoken clearly on the evilness of debt finance. He said, "One must state firmly, so that the whole world can hear it, that a country's foreign debt can never be paid at the expense of the hunger and poverty of the people." The Pope was speaking of Brazil. He could have easily been speaking of any nation languishing under such policies, including Australia. His voice will be joined by others, for the light of Christ is now being concentrated on this heinous crime. Hitherto the reality has been obfuscated with false teaching and the gobble de gook of economists and politicians. That phase is passing and truth will emerge. As Christ said when speaking about Beelzebub and those who serve him, "Fear not therefore: for there is nothing covered, that shall not be revealed; and hid, that shall not be known." (Matthew 1:26).

I do not underestimate the importance or gravity of the matters I have presented to you. I must now ask whether you intend to take appropriate action to institute a Christian Economic Policy and a Christian Financial Policy. I will convey your answers to the Bishops and many other Christian pastors and laymen. This letter will be widely circulated. I believe, given the chance, you both would do your best for Australia. However you must choose. Christ put the position quite simply. "No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and Mammon." Matthew 6:24. "If I had not come and spoken unto them, they had not had sin: but now they have no cloke for their sin". John 15:22.

Your servant in Christ, (signed) Edward Rock, Chairman, Christian Alternative Movement.

MEDIA MANIPULATED GULF WAR

As more evidence becomes available, it is increasingly clear that the Gulf War against Iraq, presided over by President George Bush, was promoted and manipulated for purposes other than the alleged prevention of aggression against Kuwait. Kuwait is no closer to any type of democracy than it was before the war. Kuwait continues to be a totalitarian state with the ruling family still firmly in control.

U.S. Secretary of State James Baker said on April 21, 1992, "Many said That the fourth largest army in the world could not be beaten, except at enormous cost, yet the United States, leading an unprecedented international coalition, did it." But shortly after Mr. Baker gave what has been described as a landmark speech in Chicago, in which he claimed that by answering "the summons to leadership", in a world "made new for everyone", a report by the House of Representatives Armed Services Committee revealed that the shell-shocked and demoralised remnants of Saddam Hussein's army were outnumbered by four to one when the allied forces launched their assault on February 23 of last year. The military contest was, in reality, completely onesided.

But even more disturbing is the manner in which the massive Iraqi civilian casualties have been covered up. The Pentagon Report on the Gulf War makes no reference whatever to Iraqi casualties. However, a demographer of the U.S. Census Bureau, Beth Osborne Daponte, issued a report showing that an estimated 158,000 Iraqis, half of them women and children, had been killed by bombing, or had died as a result of the war and its aftermath. 70,000 had died from disease. 30,000 had died in the failed Shia and Kurdish uprisings, which the Bush administration had encouraged and then failed to support. Osborne estimated that 40,000 Iraqi soldiers had been killed in combat and that another 5000 died after the war. how many women and children had died."

While Saddam Hussein must be condemned for his troops' rape of Kuwait and atrocities committed against the Shias and Kurds, President George Bush can claim no moral victory in what was a one-sided Gulf War. And his Middle East peace initiative was doomed from the start, as Israel's Shamir knew.

BASIC FUND SURGES PAST TARGET

In spite of the depressed economic conditions, a last minute surge of support for the League of Rights' Basic 1991—92 Fund carried it past the minimum objective of \$70,000. The success of the Fund was warmly welcomed by the League's new National Director, Mr. David Thompson, who can take it as a major contribution to a vote of confidence in his election to lead the League through what are going to be days of deepening national crisis.

As usual, not all subscribers to League journals contributed to the Basic Fund, with many of the late contributors saying, "We have been meaning to contribute but just did not get around to doing it." As we go to press late contributions are still coming in, and these will be

Osborne was sacked after releasing her research and only reinstated when she threatened legal action. The American Civil Liberties Union told the London *Independent* "They wanted to suppress the figures because it had broken them down to show NEW TIMES - MAY 1992 allocated to the League's expanding heritage campaign.

A major feature of the Basic Fund appeal was the continuing loyal support of dedicated League supporters, some rural supporters apologising for their limited or belated contributions because of the depressed state of the rural economy, this compounded in some cases by fires and floods. Some of the most moving contributions came from pensioners, deeply concerned by the possibility that the Australia they had helped to develop was being threatened by an alien philosophy and an alien programme.

The League of Rights expresses its thanks and gratitude to all those who have helped to ensure that the League's work continues into the future.

LEAGUE IN FOREFRONT OF BATTLE

The Australian Prime Minister's attack on the Australian flag containing the Union Jack, and his insistence that Australia is part of Asia, has resulted in a number of significant developments. In the absence of any real defence of traditional Australia by the Opposition parties, it has been left to the League of Rights to launch a major national offensive, the first "shot" being fired with a front page advertisement in the nation's only national newspaper, *The Australian*. The response has been enormous.

But the National Director, David Thompson, warns that major support for the present flag does not mean majority support for the monarchy. In fact, recent polls indicate that a majority of Australians would now either support a Republican form of government, or have no strong objections. David Thompson says, "This means that the League has the responsibility of promoting an in-depth educational programme, directed mainly towards young Australians who have been the victims of a subverted educational system which has cut them off from their cultural and spiritual roots."

As a result of the current campaign on the flag issue, with League supporters throughout Australia raising sufficient finance to insert advertisements in local papers, there has been a big upsurge of support for the specialist division of the League, The Australian Heritage Society. Subscriptions to the Society's quarterly *Heritage* have come in at a growing rate.

THE WILL-TO-POWER

"The danger which at the moment threatens individual liberty far more than any extension of individual enterprise is the Servile State; the erection of an irreversible and impersonal organisation which the ambition of able men, animated consciously or unconsciously by the lust for domination, may operate to the enslavement of their fellows

"In attacking capitalism, collective Socialism has largely failed to recognise that the real enemy is the will-to-power, the positive complement to servility, of which Prussianism, with its theories of the supreme state and the unimportance of the individual (both of which are the absolute negation of private enterprise) is only the fine flower; and that nationalisation of all the means of livelihood, without the provision of much more effective safeguards than have so far been publicly evolved, leaves the individual without any appeal from its only possible employer and so substitutes a worse, because more powerful tyranny for that which it would destroy

"Because the control of capital has given power, the effect of the operation of the will-to-power has been to accumulate capital in a few groups, possibly composed of large numbers of shareholders, but frequently directed by one man; and this process is quite clearly a stage in the transition from decentralisation to centralised power. This centralisation of the power of capital and credit is going on before our eyes, both directly in the form of money trusts and bank amalgamations, and indirectly in the confederation of the producing industries representing the capital power of machinery. It has its counterpart in every sphere of activity: the coalescing of small businesses into larger, of shops into huge stores, of villages into towns, of nations into leagues, and in every case is recommended to the reason by the plea of economic necessity and efficiency. But behind this lies always the will-to-power, which operates equally through politics, finance or industry, and always towards centralisation. If this point of view be admitted, it seems perfectly clear that to the individual it will make very little difference what name is given to centralisation."

MONEY CREATION AND LIBERTY

"They took infinite pains to inculcate, as a fundamental principle, that, in all monarchies, the people must themselves mediately or immediately possess the power of granting their own money, or no shadow of liberty would exist". — Edmund Burke, in "Speech on Conciliation with America."

"It is not work, or even the proceeds of work with which the planners of the Servile State are concerned. It is that everyone shall work *under direction*. "

— C.H. Douglas.

POWER

"Power never vanishes. If you do not wish to retain or wield it, somebody else will. You may feel the effects of power as a passive recipient; you may deal with it as an active agent. There is no escape, no immunity — none so far above the battle that by it he, too, is untouched." — Lionel Gerber in *Peace and Power*.

"The story of human development does not take the form of a single line of inevitable progress. Every new step is not of necessity onward and upward; it may as readily be the herald of many slips backward and down. Indeed the very rapidity of any apparent advance may be but the effect of rushing down a steep place into the sea. Speed can be a deceptive standard by which to judge of human advance, and we may all go far along a path before discovering that we have long since lost our way."

CANADIAN WRITER FOR ANNUAL NEW TIMES DINNER

Well-known British born Canadian journalist and writer Mr. Doug Collins, accompanied by his wife, will be the guest of honour at this year's Annual "New Times" Dinner, to be held in Melbourne on Friday, October 2. Doug Collins' book, *"The Destruction of English Canada"*, caused a major stir when it appeared several years ago. A most talented journalist and powerful speaker, Doug Collins is an outstanding authority on the subject of multiculturalism and will be visiting Australia at a time of mounting concern in Australia about immigration, both legal and illegal, and the impact of multiculturalism on Australia's future.

Thoroughly familiar with the whole of the North American scene, Doug Collins will be presenting a vivid picture of what is now openly erupting in the U.S.A.

— C.H. Douglas in *Economic Democracy*. 1920.

This year's League National Seminar, to be held on Saturday, October 3, followed by the National Action Seminar on Sunday, October 4, will be the last before the next Federal Elections, and will be laying some of the groundwork for the League's involvement in pre-election campaigning.

Early bookings for the 1992 National Weekend will be accepted, particularly from those requiring private accommodation. The charge for the "New Times" Dinner will be \$30 inclusive.

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