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The price of Freedom is eternal vigilance—

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Thought for the Week: "The forces of the entire Soviet economy are concentrated on war, where you won't be helping them. But everything which is lacking, everything which is needed to fill the gaps, everything which is necessary to feed the people, or for other types of industry, they get from you. So indirectly you are helping them to rearm. You're helping the Soviet police state."

- Alexander Solzhenitsyn in "A Legacy of Terror".

HUMBUG ABOUT THE OLYMPICS: Ever since it was established in 1946, the League of Rights has consistently warned that the Soviet Union was engaged in war against the free world everywhere, and that a major feature of that war was psycho-political.

"Cultural exchanges", sporting activities, propaganda and much else have all been part of that psycho-political warfare. "Trade" has always been rated highly by the Soviet strategists. Over the years non-Labor Governments have generally been just as guilty as the Labor Government of Whitlam in accepting passively Soviet psycho-political warfare. We cannot recall, for example, Mr. Malcolm Fraser protesting against the Moscow Circus or the Bolshoi Ballet visiting Australia. The Soviet has always attempted to use the Olympic Games for propaganda purposes. Soviet propagandists have been planning for years to use the Moscow Games for a gigantic international public relations exercise. If Mr. Malcolm Fraser and his colleagues knew all this, then why did they originally support the sending of an Australian Olympic team to Moscow, even providing substantial financial support? Afghanistan has changed nothing, except to confirm the long-term programme of the Soviet strategists. As Solzhenitsyn put it, the only surprising thing about the Afghanistan affair is that anyone should have been surprised it happened.

Irrespective of what Prime Minister Fraser claims, the decision by the Australian Olympic Federation to send an Australian team to the Moscow Games was a serious rebuff to him personally. Enormous pressure had been applied to Australian athletes to decide against

going to Moscow. But after years of being influenced by the propo-
ganda concerning "detente", it is not surprising that young athletes,
dedicated to becoming as excellent as possible in their chosen sport,
found it hard to understand why their appearance in Moscow would aid
the Soviet while continued Australian exports to the Soviet apparent-
ly did not aid the Soviet. Reported comments by many of the athletes
showed clearly that they felt the Fraser Government was hypocritical.
If the Fraser Government had applied complete economic sanctions
against the Soviet over the Afghanistan affair, it would then have
been in a much better position to have urged Australian athletes not
to attend the Moscow Games.

One of the most disturbing manifestations of the Prime Minister's hum-
bug came in his reaction to the Olympic Federation vote to attend
the Moscow Games. His suggestion that sportsmen contributed to the
starting of the Second World War by attending the Berlin Games in
1936, is an absurd comment on history. It was the failure of Western
Governments to deal realistically with the problem of Nazi Germany
which resulted in the Second World War, In the absence of a realistic
Western strategy, it is as certain as the sunrise that the Soviet
Union will continue to take every opportunity to continue expanding
its international war against the free society. But the inference
of Mr. Fraser's comment on the Olympic Games decision is that Aus-
tralian athletes going to Moscow will in some way be responsible for
this.

Continuing Soviet advances will only be possible because of the past,
present and future economic bloodtransfusions provided by the West.
If members of the Australian Olympic Federation needed any one final
reason to decide in favour of Australians going to Moscow, it was the
announcement on the eve of the crucial Federation meeting that the
Federal Government had authorised another massive wheat export to
the Soviet Union. Mr. Fraser said after the Olympic decision that
he hoped that the Soviet did not interpret the decision not to go to
Moscow, as a weakening of Western will. What will?

Mr. Fraser and his colleagues should be told to cease the double-talk
and humbug immediately, and use whatever influence they have to
persuade the Americans to adopt a realistic policy concerning the
critical Middle East situation. There is a very real fear that the
inane President Carter, desperately searching for a foreign policy
issue which he can use as an election issue, may take the West into
a Middle East conflict under the worst possible conditions.

RHODESIAN REFUGEES: Mr. David Thompson, National Director of The
New Zealand League of Rights, reports that there is a deteriorating
situation in Rhodesia. Mr. Thompson has recently been in South Africa

following a Canadian and British tour. The blatant proposal by the Minister for Justice that the Constitution would have to be changed to prevent the whites from continuing to have their present parliamentary representation, is not surprising. Kenneth Kaunda blatantly tore up the Constitution once the British had retreated. Now comes the news that President Mugabe has increased tension still further amongst the whites by cancelling a British Lions rugby match in Salisbury. Mr. Mugabe ruled that the match be cancelled because of the alleged threat to Rhodesia's participation in the Olympic Games. Mugabe also suggests that all sport between Rhodesia and South Africa will be halted. It is not surprising that the exodus of whites is growing.

As the ominous reports from Rhodesia grow, an all-party report has recommended to the Federal Government that Australia prepare for a massive flood. The report makes the statement that "The majority of white Zimbabweans who have migrated to Australia have integrated into the Australian community without any major problems involving racism". It would be instructive to learn what the World Council of Churches, which is bitterly opposed to white Rhodesians being allowed into Australia, has to say to this report!

However, the report, prepared by a sub-committee of the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs, was careful to suggest that "Charges of racism could arise if most of the migrants from Zimbabwe continued to be whites and could result in divisions in Australian society." We are not told how there could be any division in Australian society if Rhodesian whites continue to arrive and integrate as they have in the past. Now that Rhodesia is "independent" with a black government, why should blacks want to leave the country? The sub-committee even suggests that the present restrictions on migrants should be waived to permit polygamously married blacks to come to Australia. Which indicates how far the moral rot has spread amongst some Federal politicians.

Our information is that the great majority of whites wishing to leave Rhodesia have indicated that Australia is their first preference for a new home. 100,000 white Rhodesians would be the finest group of migrants and new citizens Australia could wish for at present. They would remind Prime Minister Fraser of his treacherous policy in betraying Rhodesia to the Marxist Mugabe.

BRIEF COMMENTS: We like the suggestion by one person that the Federal Government should send Mr. Al Grassby to Miami, U.S.A., to lecture the locals on the advantages of the multi-racial society! The massive destruction, looting and loss of life in Miami is certain to be repeated in other parts of the U.S.A. as the economic depression deepens. Wherever there is a break down of a homogeneous society there is friction and violence. This truth has been demonstrated in

all parts of the world, including Canada. Australians still have time to learn from the bitter experiences of others. Immigration must be made a major issue at the coming Federal Elections.

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Senator Edward Kennedy's continuing campaign for the American Presidency is of interest in more ways than one. It is a serious reflection upon American society that Kennedy can even be considered as a serious contender for the Presidency. In what is described as a last all-out final campaign effort, Kennedy now promises support for the right of homosexuals. Homosexuality became a major cult during the final stages of the collapse of the Roman Civilisation. In view of the manner in which the American Presidential contest is conducted, it is perhaps not surprising that public opinion polls indicate that Australian support for the Monarchy is growing.

THE LEAGUE PRESSES FORWARD: With late contributions still coming in the League's 1979-80 Basic Fund is approaching nearly \$1000 in excess of the objective of \$45,000. From its inception the Annual Basic Fund has been set in accordance with a planned programme in depth. The moderate salaries of the small full-time staff, and running costs, most of these in the field of increased travelling costs, must be guaranteed, plus sufficient for specific objectives such as further technical equipment, and adequate capital to finance the ever-increasing sale of books. New records in book selling are being reached as an increasing flood of books flows into the community. This is a major feature of the League's work now, and it is planned to expand this aspect dramatically in the near future. The investment in more fast-recording equipment for cassette tapes was necessary to meet what we predict will expand into a League service equal to, if not surpassing that of the book service.

Thousands of dollars were invested in the subsidising of the tens of thousands of League brochures and leaflets distributed. A big expansion of this type of work is planned. League full-time speakers maintained another heavy programme of lectures. Increasing numbers are coming to the League for advice and guidance. In spite of rapidly increasing costs, and a further programme of expansion, it is confidently estimated that the League has now developed to the stage where it will not be necessary to increase the Basic Fund next year. It is now generating a flow of support which ensures that all projects can be entered in to with confidence. More on this later.

All of this is, of course, bad news for the "expert" League watchers, who have been confidently predicting in recent years that the League was in decline, unable to obtain sufficient financial support to continue.

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