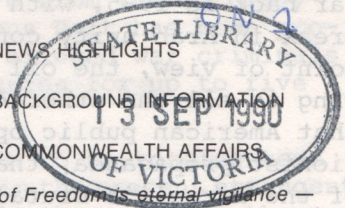




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The price of Freedom is eternal vigilance —

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: "As no government can carry on for a month without money, it is not necessary to labour the point that the visible government of a country is obliged to take its orders and to shape its policy, and particularly its financial policy, in accordance with the instructions of the dealers in this indispensable implement, so long as they hold a practical monopoly of it."

— C.H. Douglas in Social Credit

IS THERE A HIDDEN AGENDA BEHIND MIDDLE EAST CRISIS? Not all American political observers accept uncritically the Bush version of why there has been a massive American military build-up in the Middle East. Neither do they have any confidence in the alleged motives of Soviet leader Gorbachev in offering to join with the U.S.A. in establishing an international military force under the United Nations. Gorbachev has never denounced Marxism-Leninism, insisting that he was updating it. Gorbachev has made it clear that he is taking the longer view of history. Back in the Reagan years, Gorbachev, the man allegedly seeking peace, insisted upon the right to modernise its rocket force, the SS18. But while agreeing to cut the SS18 force by half, it was secretly developing the SS18 Mod 5, whose 10 warheads are so accurate that 154 of these have the same killing power as the older rockets. All the available evidence indicates that Gorbachev and those supporting him in the Soviet are determined to maintain a strategic superiority over the U.S.A. As he demonstrated on the Lithuanian issue, Gorbachev is determined to try to hold the Lenin Empire together with force, if necessary. The Bush administration is making every effort to ensure that Gorbachev survives against those who want to break up the Empire. For his part, Gorbachev is doing everything he can to support the Bush Middle East policy. But what is the real Bush policy, as distinct from the stated policy?

One of the U.S.A.'s most astute political observers, Mr. Lawrence Patterson, publisher of Criminal Politics, claims that a secret agreement was reached between Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Washington as

far back as 1985, with respect to an exchange for cheap oil, and a break in Arab unity concerning Zionist Israel. From Saddam Hussein's point of view, the oil policies of Saudi Arabia and Kuwait were damaging to all the other Arab oil producers. It had also become obvious that American public opinion had been so conditioned by years of pro-Zionist propaganda, that in spite of the sudden showing on television of the Israeli's brutal treatment of the Palestinians, there was little protest by the American people against Washington policies. As revealed by the well-known American writer, Grace Halsell, in her Prophecy and Politics, at least 60 million American Christians have been victims of the myth about the modern Israelis being God's Chosen People, that Zionist Israel can do virtually as it likes in the Middle East without any real fear of losing American support.

King Hussein of Jordan has lined up with Saddam Hussein for several reasons, one being that he also believes that Saudi Arabia and Kuwait have agreed to try to appease a Washington under Zionist pressure, and have started to desert the Palestinian cause. King Hussein is threatened by any threatened uprising of the desperate Palestinians. Apart from the long territorial claim to Kuwait by Iraq, this claim preceding Saddam Hussein, Saddam Hussein has moved because of his own financial difficulties and because he believes that the Americans should be paying more for their Middle East oil. Lawrence Patterson asks does it make sense to risk tens of thousands of American lives in an attempt to continue obtaining cheap oil, a policy which ironically, makes the U.S.A. even more dependent upon Middle East oil because such a policy makes it increasingly unprofitable for American oil producers to operate. And the way has been cleared for the U.S.A. to import oil from the Soviet Union.

One of the keys to understanding the Middle East crisis has been provided by the Washington Jewish Week, which in its issue of September 9th, describes the Iraqi invasion of Kuwait as a "divine blessing", arguing that the pressures concerning the plight of the Palestinians had been removed. Reports from Israel state that former terrorist Shamir and his colleagues believe that if a military showdown with Iraq can be precipitated, this will provide Israel with the opportunity to enlarge Israel's borders and to expel all Palestinians. Zionist policy ignores the long term danger of the whole Moslem world becoming united against the West, with problems extending far beyond the Middle East. The rising tide of Islam is now one of the most explosive of international forces.

WAR CRIMES INVESTIGATING UNIT: "The federal government unit investigating war criminals living in Australia must finish operations by the middle of 1992..." - The Australian, September 4th.

The above decision is made because of a directive from the Attorney-General's Department. This Special Investigations Unit has been provided with funds to investigate a maximum of 12 alleged war criminals before June, 1992, with limited additional resources for up to five other cases.

It seems plain that the Government cannot be seen to be tossing tens of millions of dollars away on War Crimes Trials in the present stringent economic climate, which will deteriorate still further. Also, there is a growing sympathy for Ivan Polyukhovich, who is now seen by many as being victimised for events which occurred in the heat of open warfare during World War 2, almost 50 years ago. Very many electors are saying, "let the matter rest: the past is the past: give over". "Perpetual vengeance" is anathema to our Christian tradition. It's not our way..

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The National Director reports that his final meeting of the recent New Zealand tour was marred by a demonstration of young Jews against himself.

A swastika was prominent, but was admitted to be "inappropriate" by a leader of the demonstration. In a discussion which followed the leaders stated that they did not know of the Leuchter Report (which proves that the "gassings" and "gas chambers" at Auschwitz-Maidenau-Birkenau were impossible...O.T.). The Leuchter Report is available from League bookshops. Price: \$6.00 posted.

Two of the young Jews accepted Mr. Butler's invitation to a discussion of "Christianity and the Talmud", which was highly instructive to many of the audience.

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"News and Views" (Queensland), the Journal of the Queensland Immigration Control Association, makes comment on the present position of the Commonwealth Bank:-

"Undoubtedly one of the most distressing bits of news was the sale of 30% of Commonwealth Bank shares to Superannuation funds and Insurance offices so as to be able to 'takeover' the Victorian State Bank. All that is now necessary is for the financial affairs of the country to deteriorate further and for another two State Banks to fail and then more shares in the Commonwealth can be sold. The Bank was previously a people's bank, but became a bankers' bank in 1925. It now appears that it is being quietly privatised in the well known Fabian Socialist way". ("gradualness"...O.T.)

Read "The Story of the Commonwealth Bank"; price: \$4.50 posted from League bookshops.

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THE STAGE IS SET FOR LEAGUE NATIONAL WEEKEND

The stage has been set for the League of Rights' 1990 National Weekend, starting with "The New Times" Dinner on Friday, October 5th. The central theme of the weekend will be the outlining of an on-going strategy to defeat the most deadly threat of the nation's future - Multiculturalism. A panel of outstanding speakers is ready. Most appropriately, the weekend will start with an address by R.S.L. leader Bruce Ruxton, O.B.E., at "The New Times" Dinner. He will be followed on the Saturday by Mr. Nigel Jackson, man-of-letters, English master at well-known Melbourne public school, and well-known contributor to the letter columns of the Australian media. Dr. Fred Tobin, of non-British background, with an international background of outstanding scholarship, will present the case for all migrants to Australia, irrespective of background, being genuinely assimilated into mainstream Australia. Outstanding educational authority and Christian lay-preacher, Mr. Barry Tattersall, will present the final Paper, "A Christian Perspective of Australia's Traditional Immigration Policy".

What a tremendous feast these four outstanding speakers will present. There will be a presentation to Bruce Ruxton at "The New Times" Dinner. It is confidently anticipated that "The New Times" Dinner will be another great historic event. Those wishing to attend should make their bookings immediately. \$25.00 per person.

The Action Seminar on Sunday, October 7th, will be in keeping with the gravity of the national and international situation. It will be rich in many highlights, one of the most important being a preview of one of the most ambitious projects in the history of the League - a series of professionally produced video presentations under the direction of Queensland League State Director, Mr. Chas Pinwill. The Douglas Memorial Hall will be officially opened. And much more.

It is the duty of every supporter who can attend to be present for a National Weekend which will be an exciting manifestation of the growth and vitality of the League.