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The price of Freedom is eternal vigilance –

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: "The economists of the 19th century...conceived society in the image of two men cast upon an otherwise uninhabited island. And individualists and socialists continue to think of politics in terms of a supposed conflict between the individual and the State. The family unit is eliminated. The child becomes by Statute and almost of necessity the child of the State."

– Richard O'Sullivan KC in *"Christian Philosophy in the Common Law"*, 1947.

HOWARD 'DIDN'T KNOW'

(with apologies to Banjo Patterson)

I had written him a letter which I had, for want of better knowledge, sent to where I met him at the wheat board, years ago

He was chairman when I knew him, so I sent the letter to him, just on spec, to make the point that "Howard doesn't want to know".

And an email came directed, not entirely unexpected
(And I think the same was written in some Middle Eastern bar.)

'Twas his CEO who wrote it, and verbatim I will quote it,
Trevor Flugge's gone to Baghdad and we don't know where he are.

But when he left Australia, he was going to meet with Alia,

A trucking mob in Jordan, who were keen to grease the wheels
For 10 per cent commission, they could swing Saddam's permission

To get our wheat accepted: it's the mother of all deals.

But I guarantee, Prime Minister, that there's nothing at all sinister:

The chaps at DFAT told us that the sums looked quite okay.

When you're selling wheat in billions, what's a quick 300 millions?

If it keeps the Nationals happy it's a tiny price to pay."

Sitting here at Kirribilli, I've been thinking, willy nilly

That it's somehow reminiscent of the children overboard:

But I can handle Rudd and Beazley as I always do, quite easily,

By endlessly protesting that there's nothing untoward.

I'll tell Bush next time I meet him at the White House, when I greet him,

That I'm sure he'll understand about the wheat board's *quid pro quo*:

He'll forgive this minor error in the global war on terror

When I look him in the eye and tell him – Howard didn't know.

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SIGNS OF HOPE by James Reed: Over the months a number of media articles (such as *The Australian*, 28/9/05, "Students Shaded by Those Overseas") have highlighted concern about "dumbing down" effects of "new age" curriculum in Australian schools that are leaving students behind Asian nations such as Japan and Singapore. Over a thirty year period, literary standards for 14-year-olds have declined according to the Australian Council for Education Research.

Even at present, primary school principals have launched a national campaign to stop the grading of reports in As, Bs, and Cs. Such principals are the 1960s generation, who, infected by the commo-cultural virus of reform of the times, have imposed, along with a generation of school teachers a flawed and racially suicidal world view of White guilt, multiculturalism, feminism and other ideologies upon students.

Thus children learn to speak a few scattered words of Japanese, but do not know how to divide 32 into 256. Or even how to do division at all without a calculator.

Cardinal George Pell in a speech given in Canberra on 21 September 2005 summed it up aptly by saying that students are studying texts which "normalise moral and social disorder" so as to make children "agents of change".

As Eric Butler warned many times in these pages, that is a Marxist strategy straight out of the *Communist Manifesto*. Today they call it postmodernism instead.

It is fortunate that the media for once is actively engaged in an attack on this pernicious phenomenon.

ALL YOU NEED ... IS A PUNCH IN THE HEAD!? by James Reed: "Imagine all the people sharing all the world... no possessions... and no religion too". "Give peace a chance". "All you need is love". My generation grew up to the sound of such communistic nonsense from pop guru John Lennon and the Beatles. But as my dear old Dad put it: "some of their love songs [Yesterday] were alright, but they went silly because of that Lennon idiot long before that Jap woman [Yoko Ono] came along."

So I didn't grow up to the sounds of Lennon but had a healthy scepticism as a lad about the whole '60s "freedom" movement. At the time I believed that Lennon was not as he portrayed himself, a man of "love and peace" "like Jesus" [in fact as he said in egoistical fashion "bigger than Jesus"] but another manipulating money grabbing mind messer.

After Lennon's assassination in 1980 he was elevated to the status of a sage, a Jesus-Socrates figure. Killed by a deranged "right-wing fundamentalist Christian" he, much like Princess Diana, was taken as a shining symbol of the new politically correct order.

Lennon, however, was not a man of peace according to his first wife Cynthia Lennon and his first son Julian Lennon. Cynthia Lennon has challenged the "love and peace" image of John in a book about him. Such was the political usefulness of Lennon's image that her story could not be published until now.

Lennon, she says, was a violent bully, who hit her when they were going out merely because she danced with a friend. He himself though was afraid of physical confrontations with other males. When Cynthia married him she found that his temper did not improve, but got worse. "John's temper could be frightening... All sense of reason disappeared and his tantrums could be awesome."

Lennon married Cynthia in 1962 and left her in 1968 for Yoko Ono. During the Beatle touring days, as Lennon himself later said to *Rolling Stone* magazine, the Beatles engaged in promiscuous sexual orgies with innumerable teenage girls. There is a strong suggestion from the small hints in the meagre reports about this, that most of these girls were under the age of consent. One disgusting story that did get into print has it that one young girl lost her virginity with one of the Beatles and they let her take home the bloodied sheet.

That image is an apt representation of the evil of the music industry.

Pop or rock music has since the late 1950s been the Pied Piper of the young. It has been used by the power elites to brainwash the young about the 'ideals' of sex and interracial sex. Today 'rap' music advocates open race war against whites and celebrates black gang and drug culture. Rap music by black rappers frequently advocates the raping of white women and the murder of white police – all done between the mind-numbing use of the "f-word". But the establishment does not call this "racist". In fact such "artists" get music awards and millions of dollars.

It is important for a movement such as ours to begin to investigate some of the not so subtle techniques used by our master enslavers to keep their oppressive regime in order. Popular music is one such mechanism. Thus in resisting their tyranny it is important that their ideology be discredited. Hence nationalist writers in America have in recent years attempted to debunk politically correct "heroes" of the new world order such as Martin Luther King. These individuals are symbols of the ideologies they have pushed. That is why it is important that people like John Lennon get exposed for what they are – or were.

WATCH THIS SPACE? The 48-hour media blitz for war with Iran: In the last 48 hours all the major players in the Bush administration have issued statements warning of the impending danger of Iran. Cheney blasted the Islamic regime saying there would be "meaningful consequences" if it refuses to comply with international demands to stop its nuclear program. Condoleezza Rice said, "We face no greater challenge from a single country than Iran... This is a country that seems determined, it seems, to develop a nuclear weapon in defiance of the international community that is determined that they should not get one." Bush, Cheney, Bolton, Rice, Rumsfeld, Burns, Congress, and Israel. Whoa! That's quite a line-up. All in the last 48 hours!

<http://www.uruknet.info/?p=21402> <http://www.countercurrents.org/whitney110306.htm>

ISRAEL NUKES TO BE DEALT WITH AFTER IRAN? The headlines read: Israel nukes will be dealt with after Iran, says British Minister:

British Foreign Minister Jack Straw said Thursday that Britain wants to see a "nuclear-free Middle East," saying now that action has been taken against Iraq and Libya, Iran and Israel remain the only two nations posing "potential threat."

Speaking to Channel 4 Straw said: "If you want to see a nuclear-free Middle East, you've got to remove that threat from Iran, including the rhetorical threat to wipe Israel off the face of the map. Once you've done that, then we can get on to work in respect of Israel."

Ynet (Israel) and Reuters <http://www.ynetnews.com/articles/0,7340,L-3226278,00.html>

At the same time : Britain develops secret nuclear warhead, *The Sunday Times* (London): Britain has been secretly designing a new nuclear warhead in conjunction with the Americans, provoking a legal row over the proliferation of nuclear weapons.

The government has been pushing ahead with the programme while claiming that no decision has been made on a successor to Britain's Trident nuclear deterrent. Work on a new weapon by scientists at the Atomic Weapons Establishment at Aldermaston in Berkshire has been under way since Tony Blair was re-elected last May, and is now said to be ahead of similar U.S. research.

<http://www.timesonline.co.uk/article/0,,2087-2081800,00.html>

BUT HOLD ON – IN THE 1960s BRITAIN SECRETLY GAVE ISRAEL PLUTONIUM – Richard Norton-Taylor of the *Guardian*, 10/3/06, reported: Britain secretly supplied Israel with plutonium during the 1960s despite a warning from military intelligence that it could help the Israelis to develop

a nuclear bomb, it was disclosed last night. The deal, made during Harold Wilson's Labour government, is revealed in classified documents released under the Freedom of Information Act and obtained by BBC2's *Newsnight* programme.

The documents also show how Britain made hundreds of shipments to Israel of material which could have helped in its nuclear weapons programme, including compounds of uranium, lithium, beryllium and tritium, as well as heavy water.

Israel asked Britain in 1966 to supply 10mg of plutonium. Israel would have required almost 5kg of plutonium to build an atomic bomb, but British defence intelligence officials warned that 10mg had "significant military value" and could enable the Jewish state to carry out important experimental work to speed up its nuclear weapons programme.

Documents show that the decision to sell plutonium to Israel in 1966 was blocked by officials in both the Ministry of Defence and the Foreign Office, who said: "It is HMG's policy not to do anything which would assist Israel in the production of nuclear weapons."

But the deal was forced through by a Jewish civil servant, Michael Michaels, in Tony Benn's Ministry of Technology, which was responsible for trade in nuclear material, according to *Newsnight*.

Peter Kelly, who was British defence intelligence's expert on the Israeli nuclear weapons programme, knew Mr Michaels. He told *Newsnight* he believed Mr. Michaels knew that Israel was trying to build an atomic bomb, but that he had dual loyalties to Britain and Israel.

Mr Benn told the programme that civil servants in his department kept the deals secret from him and his predecessor, Frank Cousins.

He had always suspected that civil servants were doing deals behind his back, but he never thought they would sell plutonium to Israel. He told *Newsnight*: "I'm not only surprised, I'm shocked. It never occurred to me they would authorise something so totally against the policy of the government.

"Michaels lied to me, I learned by bitter experience that the nuclear industry lied to me again and again." He thought Wilson may not have known that Britain was helping Israel to get the bomb.

Last year *Newsnight* showed that in the late 1950s Harold Macmillan's Conservative Government provided Israel with 20 tonnes of heavy water to start up its Dimona reactor. *Newsnight* said it learned that Jack Straw had admitted to the Liberal Democrat leader, Sir Menzies Campbell, that Britain knew the heavy water was destined for Israel!

Is this the same Jack Straw who now wants to see a 'nuclear free' Middle East? Huh?

DING DONG THE WITCH IS DEAD by Mrs. Ian Wilson: My husband gave me an old news cutting about the death of the Jewish "mother of feminism" Betty Friedan. I would like to remind your readers Friedan wrote the book *The Feminine Mystique*, which began the attack upon the family and motherhood. She was founder and president of the National Organization for Women in the U.S., which lobbied for liberal abortion policies. Friedan in her photographs – even those in the 1960s – unlike other feminists such as Germaine Greer – was a physically ugly person. However, the poisonous philosophy which she spun was even more ugly and destructive. I weep at the misery that the feminists have caused women and their degradation of mothers and housewives like myself. I think feminists are women's real oppressors.

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