Feedback

Crowbar (Squatter’s paper) benefit on Friday 25th November at Loughboro Hotel, Loughboro Rd. 8.00-11.00 £1.50/£1.00

Meanwhile a new squatter has been taken in Southwark, it’s on the Old Kent Road at the corner of Shornciffe Road. It’s a former Fire/Ambulance station and is big! A Southwark Anarchist Collective has been formed and can be contacted through the new centre at 306 Old Kent Road. London-wide Squatters meetings have decided to co-operate and set up more local squat groups, do big squats, resist evictions, try to make a London wide newspaper and squatters contact network. Finally to underline theotentism and make all landlords obsolete. Support your local squatters. (Especially the nice folks here in scenic Briton at Effra Park where there is a nasty plan to demolish their homes details from 131 Raillon Road, Herne Hill SE24).

Correspondence for Glasgow Direct Action Movement should now be sent to:
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Glasgow, SCOTLAND

Letters

Trying to work against someone else’s oppression is always a bit tricky (anti-racism is similar) because the other hand the distortion of men by sexism would be sufficient in itself to demand a response. You can never be free while you’re part of the oppressive system – Nick Sheffield.

It seemed to us at first we would open up a large debate by discussing the role of sexism and how to fight it, instead it has been quietly ignored. Is this because our readers are beyond it or at a loss to start? The Anarchist-Feminist Magazine attacked the role of separatism which we would also apply to black & other separatism. Is there a case for autonomy and if so, clearly! The difference is one obliges centralism the other federalism and mutual aid. Using guilt to force people’s hands is beyond religion to us; better to show by example of direct action, that no section of society be pushed around and accepted in the way of societies like such as the current wave of AIDS victims being insulted by the various churches, Solidarity with prisoners, finally the role the State has allocated them does not imply liberalism, it goes further; the smashing of the State.

Treason

Issue 11 out now, featuring articles on the Melbourne Anarchist Centre, News from Queensland, Practical Anarchist & more: P.O. Box 37, E. Brunswick Vic. 3057 Aust.

A new anarchist group in the Leamington area is being organised, contact:
Box 7, c/o The Other Branch Bookshop, 12 Gloucester Street, Leamington Spa, Warwickshire

Publications

Liberation Workers Bulletin Vol. 6 No. 2, 20th Nov ’83 20pp 50s Aus. Letters, Poetry, Anarchism in Japan & Canada, the death of Sam Pardo (who was active as an anarchist in the 1956 uprising in Hungary) and more.


Internment

The government is making its own preparations for any forthcoming major action by the cruise control. Any rank and file rebellion by the CND members, disillusioned with their leadership, using direct action like draconian measures. We can reveal that the government have already implemented plans to introduce internment as a means of pacifying the pacifists.

Various prison camps have been examined as to their suitability. In the main "open" prisons will be used. The first such camp to be allocated is Rolleston, Salisbury Plain. It is an ex-army camp (not the irony) and has already been used as an internment camp when hundreds of youths were held there in the aftermath of the ’81 riots. Currently Rolleston is in line for use as an emergency ward by a custody centre until new and purpose-built centres have been built (by YTS and MSC recruits – see News Bulletin 4B). In the meantime the government is conducting a “wait and see” policy and if it judges that the mood of the “country” is against the “extremists” then they will take the necessary action. It is not clear who exactly will guard the camps (Beckingham, Wiltts. in another possible site); prison officers (of which currently there is a shortage) or army personnel. Rolleston is only a couple of miles away from two important military establishments: Tidworth Camp, where two battalions of paratroopers are based as part of the UK contribution to the Rapid Deployment Force and Wilton – HQ of UK Land Forces. Despite being classified as an “open” prison, any attempt to abscond would be easily nipped in the bud; maximum security, no visitors allowed and the road from the Aldermaston – Greenham Burghfield nuclear triangle and in an emergency case, such as a mass occupation and an attempt to destroy sensitive military equipment, army vehicles combined with police vans can be easily called upon to transport those involved in the attack to the militarised area on the Plain.

It is expected that the government will attempt to justify the measures by explaining, quite correctly, that the country’s prisons are in no position to accommodate a large influx of detainees and that there is also insufficient facilities to guarantee proper judicial hearings without blocking the courts. This government will argue that the measures are purely temporary and that they will be dropped as soon as “normality” returns. For those unfamiliar with the “rules” of internment, its extreme form measures include the following: extraordinary powers of arrest, without evidence, for acts violating public order; the suspension of habeas corpus and jury trials. If things really got out of hand tighter powers would include the banning of all industrial solidarity actions (already illegal under the ’82 Act), in future to be re-classified as “reprehensible” behaviour. Many of these measures are currently in force in the north of Ireland.

N.G. UK Land Forces, Wilton, is the operational centre for all potential anti-insurgency activity in the UK. Major-General Sir Frank Kitson, only just returned from an observational tour in Ireland and Far East, is in charge of Low Intensity Operations, is the UK Land Forces commander-in-Chief and director of operations. Between 1972 and 1974 Kitson was commander of the UK forces in Northern Ireland, partly responsible for the supervision of internment.

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There are now around 40 anarchists/CNT members imprisoned they attempted, through the expropriation of banks, to retrieve compensation for the huge losses (now estimated at £2 million) suffered by the CNT at the hands of Franco at the end of the Spanish Civil War (1936-1939). He made the CNT an illegal organisation and stole everything it owned. Since Franco's death in 1975, each successive government (including the latest socialist one) has consistently refused to pay any compensation back to the CNT, even though compensation has already been paid to the UGT (Spain's socialist union), who have also made illegal by 1939. These comrades must be freed immediately.

A Solidarity Committee has recently been formed inside Spain in order to pressurise the 'socialist' government into releasing all, or at least some, anarchists immediately but it is desperately short of funds (as is the CNT) and needs donations in order to survive.

ALL BLACK FLAG READERS ARE ASKED TO DONATE WHAT THEY CAN.

If we don't support these comrades now, who else will?

Please send donations/assistance via Black Flag to Box ABC, Black Flies, 121 Railton Road, London SE24, England.

L.I. DISPUTE

Around 1500 London Transport workers marched to LT's HQ at Victoria only to be prevented from occupying the building by union leaders and police. Tom Holland, convenor of one of the LT works due for closure, pleaded with the marchers to disperse. The police, having failed in their attempt to prevent the workers from forcibly occupying the premises, forcibly disrupting the city traffic (a human barricade of police was forced to give way by the sheer force of one of the numbers), then succeeded, but only after lengthy argument and with the aid of the union bureaucrats — in getting them to return to Westminster Central Hall. The LT workers were clearly in no mood to be messed about: pissed off by the disruptive action of the police they blocked the police HQ at Scotland Yard, before they managed to break the police cordon in Victoria Street.

US CHEM

1982 saw British managers salaries rise at twice the rate of inflation. In duo, a management consultant firm reports (£100 a copy) that the average executive salary is £17,305, an increase of 9.5%. This annual gain is the biggest in 22 years of the survey. Directors pull in £30,000 plus. Fringe benefits include free medical insurance (Private Health care is expanding), five or more weeks holiday, company cars and bonuses averaging £1,969 or 11% of basic salary.

According to the Economic Bulletin for Europe unemployment British workers (with three children) receive less than half of their previous take home income. In the US such a worker would receive only a third less, in West Germany a quarter, in France only a tenth. This applies for a year though only and drops afterwards. Single workers get only a quarter of their old income when on the dole (by far the lowest in a survey of 14 countries looked at). Loss of revenue from income tax and national insurance contributions means that for a single worker the Exchequer loses £3 in taxes for every £1 paid out in benefits, the equivalent to between 11 and 17 per cent of State spending.

Half of under 18's are out of work, a quarter of under 25s, more than 350,000 have been unemployed for more than a year. More than 5,000,000 children (including 3 of 10 who are a year or under) are growing up in households with less than half of the national average income. One in three families (excluding those on social welfare benefits) receive less than half of their previous income. In the US two-thirds of families with children receive less than half of their previous income. In West Germany a quarter, in France only a tenth. This applies for a year though only and drops afterwards. Single workers get only a quarter of their old income when on the dole (by far the lowest in a survey of 14 countries looked at). Loss of revenue from income tax and national insurance contributions means that for a single worker the Exchequer loses £3 in taxes for every £1 paid out in benefits, the equivalent to between 11 and 17 per cent of State spending.

NEW ZEALAND

1984 is election year in New Zealand. The National Government hangs on with only a few seats majority. The Hollo's last gimmick was the Springbok Rugby Team from South Africa's tour of 1981. Not long after the tour ended the Queen arrived and the elections were held shortly after that. The present Government crawled in — only just!

Confident the Union Movement is always a "right wing" vote catcher and with proper calculation before but not too close to the election should bring back the voters. They hope... The NZ union movement has a phobia about the 1951 lockout.[Five months of a near general strike by the Trades Union Congress composed Wateraders, Miners, Freezing workers, Drivers, Carpenters and other smaller unions.] The opposing Labour Government was worked with the National Government in smashing the "strike". Many of the militant from that time now occupy the leadership of the Federation of Labour. The IUC was completely destroyed and its affiliates deregistered. The union movement remained passive for 20 years. The late 60's and early 70's saw a re-emergence of the movement centred mainly in Auckland and Wellington - the large cities.

NEW SHOWDOWN

Legislation to allow de-recognition of the Public Service Association and confiscation of its assets is being introduced. Strikes will be illegal in public sector industries — in protest PSA (which has a Power Workers affiliate) threatened go-slow. Private sector unions the Federation of Labour have called it "Fascist Government action", some power plants will strike if the law is passed. In February 1986 the current wage-price freeze fixed by the New Zealand Government ends.
**warning to heseltine**

Defence Minister Heseltine blundered when he declared in parliament that he would be obliged to shoot peace protesters who threaten the security of the Greenham silo. In doing so he has made clear that the law of the land can be refuted and isn’t worth the paper it is written on. There is no law that allows any member of the armed forces - during peacetime - to use lethal means to protect any military installation. But the law, like all UK laws, are defined not by statute but by legal interpretation and by precedent. The precedents for the use of indiscriminate violence against the civilian population by the forces within areas of the to say that the north of Ireland is the latest example (officially, there is no war on!). For the average British citizen, unaccustomed to having their life threatened by UK troops, it must all come as a bit of a shock. Conveniently the north of Ireland comparison has all too often been brought in to one side.

In Britain the anti-nuclear issue has already divided the population and the point where those who wish to escalate protest into direct resistance has finally arrived and, inevitably, the peace movement will, in turn, divide as the CND rank and file decide whether or not to go along with their leadership. Heseltine’s blunder has a double edge to it. By allowing any member of HM Forces to use lethal means to protect any military installation. But the law, like all UK laws, are defined not by statute but by legal interpretation and by precedent. The precedents for the use of indiscriminate violence against the civilian population by the forces within areas of the to say that the north of Ireland is the latest example (officially, there is no war on!). For the average British citizen, unaccustomed to having their life threatened by UK troops, it must all come as a bit of a shock. Conveniently the north of Ireland comparison has all too often been brought in to one side.

It is open season on anti-militarists: protection to a certain sector of the population against murder is no longer available. Not that we seek the state’s protection or its laws to define what is right and what is not. But in stating that peace protesters who manage to get within the proximity of a sensitive area are thus deemed to be out-laws, then the state cannot, in turn, expect its laws - any of them - to be respected by those who it has defined as ‘beyond the pale’. If it is open season on anti-militarists, then Heseltine must realise that as a matter of defence, it is also open-season on soldiers. They cannot expect to shoot at defenceless citizens at will! If the troops can take preemptive mercy measures, then the balance needs to be evened out. If one protester is harmed in the manner suggested by Heseltine, then the state will have to face the inevitable consequences: no state property will be safe from attack, every government official will become an object for retaliation. To Heseltine we say: if because of your declaration just one unarmed peace protestor is shot at by a member of the armed forces (UK or US) or by a cop, then you should realise that you will be held personally responsible and will be dealt with accordingly. This is no empty threat: do you not realise that there is anger abroad and that you have every reason to fear the consequences of your inflammatory measures?

**Anarchist Black Cross.**

S.B. According to one report, US troops are immune from legal proceedings if they attack or kill a citizen whilst protecting ‘US’ owned installations. If they are protected by law, ratified by an agreement - the Visiting Forces Act 1956.

**Theatricals**

At the CND march on October 22, fascists commandeered two buildings in Whitehall so as to unfurl a banner (saying ‘Nuclear Bomb Election Option’) in the road and position a massive P.A. to blare out anti-commie music, so as to antagonise the ‘red lads’. Anti-Cruise graffiti was left behind. The office, in Brixton, had its frontage smashed up and the cars in its car-park were immobilised.

**Action update**

The class basis of militarism is revealing itself more and more, with one of the latest manifestations being an hysterical, partly Media orchestrated, campaign to deride the women at Greenham. It's been reported that in some of the wealthiest areas of the country, November 5 was celebrated somewhat 'up ln any Consplracy to Commit grievens

**N.B. In Germany it is reported that the Revolutionary Cells (KZ) have brought an ammunition lorry from a missile transporter plant at Kiel. This report, as we go to press, is unconfirmed and we hope to bring you more news on this action in our next issue.**

**We heard of an anti-militarist action on the night of November 5 where a local Conservative Party office was attacked by a mob of 20 or so youths. The office, in Brixton, had its frontage smashed up and the cars in its car-park were immobilised. Anti-Cruise graffiti was left behind. We hope to report on similar actions from around the country over the next few weeks. Watch this space! Meanwhile we hear that Eldon Griffiths, MP, has offered to become the first member of Parliament to be butchered to death by an angry mob of extremists: he intends that this noble sacrifice be used as an excuse for the government to introduce 'mercy killings' for Christian CND-ers. Mr Griffiths is the Commons representative of that august body, the Police Federation.**
Greenham

Action at the cruise missile base... A very efficient word of mouth communications system had resulted in a hundred- and women converging on the base on the 29th-30th October weekend. At 4pm on Saturday afternoon small groups of women had used bolt-cutters on the fence cutting as fast as they could. Every few hundred yards a group was working – the decentralised approach baffled the soldiers inside the fence and the cops outside. They had expected an attack on one section and a group of women entering, not systematic sabotage all around the nine miles of fencing. There were approximately two hundred arrests, unfortunately, once the police had got into gear, most of the women being charged with criminal damage. The state's finest hardware was in operation during the night. Helicopters with searchlights and soldiers with dogs, radios and night-vision cameras. There was definite tension between the soldiers and cops. The soldiers did not have the power to make arrests so had to call the cops by radio. Rumours of a US soldier who planned to hand in his papers "we're making a mess of this country", and another British soldier who planned to leave were encouraging. The fact that Greenham women have been in constant contact with the soldiers has meant that some of them have said they would not fire at the women. The women there say that the state might fly the missiles motorists'."n1jiSttNDStewardsta" , speakers were local people, Jim Slater from the Seamen's Union (the only Union whose members have refused to dump Nuclear Waste); Dublin Clean Seas Campaign; Greenpeace; and the producer of the TV Documentary which brought many of the issues to light. It publicised the huge number of cancer victims, babies born dead or with Downs Syndrome, in the area. The incidents of cancer in Cumbria is 10 times the national average.

Dioxin

In 1976 the ICMEGA chemical plant in Venice Italy blew up showering the town with dioxin, possibly the most poisonous substance known to humanity. In the last couple of weeks the trial has opened up in Monza with five officials accused of being responsible. A week after the trial began scientists were again sampling soil samples in the area, there has been no official explanation for this, but it seems that the 'decontaminated zone' still contains dangerous quantities of dioxin. The 'decontaminated' farms were declared safe and people had been allowed to return to their homes. For example, Giulia Columbus, a five year old girl has lived all her life there. She has chronic liver disease which was probably caused by the dioxin in the soil. An official report by six Italian scientists presented to the trial seems certain to absolve the officials charged, and could add to their being found not guilty. The judge has repeatedly muddied the process of the manufacture of trichlorophen which resulted in the explosion and spread of dioxin. It seems that state 'justice' will mean the guilty will go unpunished. This despite evidence that a lack of simple safety requirements, loose plant sections, the lack of trained staff were responsible (see New Scientist No 363, February 1984) However, one of the officials responsible for the criminal negligence, Paolo Pasticci, the director of ICMEGA has been brought to justice. He was executed by members of Prima linea.

Windscale

On Saturday 12th November a train load of Cumbrians, local people from the area near the Windscale Newkirk Power Plant, marched from Buxton North Railway Station to 10 Downing Street in London. There they presented a petition to the door. Meanwhile some of the group dumped piles of sand, sheep's livers and fish (ALL RADIOACTIVE) in Downing Street. Minutes after, two people were arrested and traffic was completely disrupted in Whitehall as the bureaucrats panicked due to the nearness of what had up to now been just a statistic.

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Square Dancing

Besides the Greenham fence cutting and solidarity action at Faslane, Scotland, there was an anti-cruise sitdown outside the Theatre of War in Whitehall. The march had intended to go to Parliament where cruise was being debated, but was stopped by a row of police buses and cops. People were barred by the sitdown, and the singing and bleating of "Jobs Not Bombs", started blocking the entrances to Trafalgar Square. As the troops formed rows of people, some in wheelchairs or otherwise disabled, arguments developed with motorists, whilst CND stewards ran around trying to keep up. A large fire got going in the middle of the Strand, helped along by litter and discarded candles. As cops moved in to extinguish it some people were saved from arrest whilst others jeered the cops (Smokey Bacon). Meanwhile, about 300 people blocked Westminster Bridge, and later insulted politicians coming out of Parliament. The next evening in Manchester two hundred and fifty people brought traffic to a standstill in the centre of the city.

Stop The City

Nov 4th: 20 people were due in Court. Over half failed to turn up, 8 cases were then heard but as the defendants pleaded not guilty were adjourned till later in the year. The same bail restrictions were in force ie people cannot return to the City (business district of Mayor's Guild Hall, Stock Exchange and Bankers) and legal representatives tried to oppose this without success. Various loud comments led the judge to clear the court and threaten all those in the public gallery with contempt. One woman was arrested for criminal damage (£10 worth to a police vehicle) and her bail was set at £50 which was not at hand so she was remanded to Holloway women's prison.

Nov 11th Trials

More people didn't turn up. Those that did and pleaded guilty in their cases heard & received conditional discharges. Not guilty pleas got 200 fines plus costs, leafleting outside major banks in the City took place the same day.

The Greater London Council's Police Monitoring Committee is to take up the case of a youth whose photograph appeared in the Evening Standard following the Stop the City protest where a police officer has a strange hold upon his throat. Throughout the City on Nov 3rd and the following evening various banks locks were found to be glued up.

Jericho

On December 11th the Greenham base is to be surrounded and people with musical instruments will bring down the fences (wot?). In the following days a mixed action will take place, details as they come to hand.

STOP PRESS: the woman detained for "criminal damage" spent a week inside Holloway and is now released.

STOP THE CITY MARCH 29th 1984

1-6pm at the Peace Centre, 99 Roseberry Avenue, EC1 on the 3rd of December will be a meeting of the London Region Planning Group. People outside London are encouraged to hold their own local meetings but are welcome to attend.
Western Canada faces a general strike, in effective industrial action. In October a series of one day stoppages by the High trade union officials tried to call off the protest but a file of community groups turned out anyway. Anarchists had a good presence and are advocating a general strike through their literature and by graffiti & posters in the city.

On the 8/11/83 some 35,000 teachers struck for the first time in local history. Although unionised the strike was 90% solid. Civil Service, transport (bus) and other workers are taking a day off in a build up to Nov 18th when the hospital employees will call off the protest but a file of community groups turned out anyway. Anarchists had a good presence and are advocating a general strike through their literature and by graffiti & posters in the city.

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**FINLAND**

Finland's leading political party is the Social Democratic Party (SDP) which got 36.7% in the last Parliamentary election. The two Christian Democratic parties, the Peerhood and the Prime Minister, are both Social Democrats. Some months ago Pirkko Taljärvi, the vice-chairwoman of the Social Democratic Party, and a Time magazine writer, spoke in an interview about the media's role in concealing the facts of the anti-communist war. She said, "The state's role is to maintain peace and order. The media's role is to secure the public's confidence in the government."

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The women's section of the Revolutionary Cells, Red Zora, has been under police pressure since the last 3 months. The bureau advertised "wives" from Latin America, Africa and Asia. Anarchists say that hundreds of young Thai girls sold themselves and their husbands. In 1980, 1,000 such arrangements in a year. They go to further results - the cells' outlay because money is saved due to the women not smoking or drinking. "A pair of gloves and boots, and a coat will get them through winter." According to the Federal Interior Ministry, the bureaux are legal. Red Zora also attacked the Philipps University for complicity in the selling of women's lives.

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Among Lorrenzo's customers was Tony
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Left Nationalists interested in reading
up more on the subject should look
out for a new magazine on sale in
Britain called 'The Scorpion' and
distributed by WH Smiths. 'The Scorpion'
is edited by Michael Walker, associate
of Nick Griffin of the National Front.

This may really seem rather farcical,
but unfortunately the conclusion to
the story was not later that night
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A hospital security guard seeing a
man fall down outside Casualty decided
on the spot that he must be drunk
and called the police to take him
away. The police held him in a cell
in Southall nick and later he was
examined and appeared to be 'very ill'.

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and decided he needed hospital

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Policing

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WITH CHEMICALS.

I JUST TYPE
SPECIFICATIONS.

I JUST RUN THE
ACCESS LINE.

AND I JUST DELIVER
FRIGHT.

AND I JUST PULL A
SWITCH WHICH KILLS ME.

AND I JUST CONTRADICT
ORDERS.

AND I JUST FLY A PLANE.

Yitzhak Gerstein, now living in Tel Aviv,
told his experiences in a Russian
prison to an Israeli newspaper: in one
interesting phrase he referred to "the
great round-up of Anarchists in 1961,
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D.P.P.

The government intends to introduce
an 'independent' prosecution system
for England and Wales, to be controlled
by the DPP. But only recently the
DPP was criticized in Court for pro-
ceeding with a case where there should
have been no arrest in the first place,
and for using his position to gain
an unfair advantage to the detriment
of a defendant - Hartley Hanley, a
black youth worker at the 'Hideaway'
club in Manchester. Hanley was accused
of assaulting a cop when he intervened
in a potentially dangerous situation
outside the club as the cop and several
other officers were attempting to
arrest a man on suspicion of possession
of drugs. At the trial of Hanley and
2 others the DPP - who took over the
prosecution personally - would not
give adequate reasons why he had con-
sistently refused to allow the defend-
ants 'brief' to learn the full details
of the allegations made, nor why the
brief' was barred from proper access
to a vital piece of evidence (a video
tape of the whole incident that took
place via a fixed video camera in
the nearby shopping mall). Normally
a 'brief' is entitled to see such
independent evidence; also the sight
of the allegation details is vital
if the brief is to have the chance
to prepare an adequate defence. As
it was although Hanley was convicted,
he was completely exonerated at the
appeal. Costs were awarded against
the DPP.