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"UNFIT FOR PUBLICATION IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST".

On Sunday April 14th. 1963, the headlines of the newspapers were dramatic. "Home Office to report to Premier on Defence leak", said the "Sunday Times" "The Observer" stated that :

"The information undoubtedly came from classified documents. Much of it is correct, and its publication is causing the Home Office and Defence Department grave concern...."

"Much of the information was listed by the Services Press and Broadcasting Committee in February 1962, as unfit for publication in the national interest."

"The Police have been told to collect as many pamphlets as possible in order to restrict the spread of information..."

SECRECY : IN WHOSE INTEREST ?

On the following Monday, "The Guardian" said :

"Communist Secret Police agents yesterday expelled five British ban-the-bomb demonstrators from East Berlin, where they had been distributing leaflets."

HERE IS ANOTHER OFFICIAL SECRET!

The Russians have bases in Oranienburg, Naumberg, and in Eisenbach in East Germany.

These bases are a threat to all people East and West, they only serve the interests of those committed to the machinery of nuclear war, and the lie that they protect anybody must be exposed.

EAST AND WEST ALIKE, THOSE IN POWER KEEP SECRETS, NOT TO HIDE INFORMATION FROM THE ENEMY, BUT TO HIDE FACTS FROM THE PEOPLE.

THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS OFFICIAL SECRETS.

"Secrets are kept from you because you may be a spy, not for Russia, but for all people everywhere. Because you may believe you have the right to know what is being done about your future, in your name, at your expense but without your consent." This is what the Spies for Peace wrote, and said "All we have is a voice. We have done what we can."

YOU have a voice too. If you spread this story you will stop the authorities ever hiding it again.

READ ON. THIS IS WHAT THE SPIES FOR PEACE WROTE

This pamphlet is about a small group of people who have accepted thermonuclear war as a probability, and are consciously and carefully planning for it.

They are above the Army, the Police, the Ministries, or Civil Defence. They are based in fourteen secret headquarters, each ruled by a Regional Commissioner with absolute power over millions of people. In the whole of Britain only about 5000 men and women are involved: these chosen few are our shadow military government.

Their headquarters are called Regional Seats of Government. Our story mainly concerns RSG 6., which will rule much of Southern England. The people in RSG 6. are professors, top civil servants, air-marshals and policemen. They are quietly waiting for the day the bomb drops, for that will be the day they take over.....

REGIONAL SEATS OF GOVERNMENT.

The Government has secretly established a network of Regional Seats of Government covering the whole country. RSG 12. lies far behind the World War 2 gun placements in the cliffs of Dover. RSG 2 is in a converted fort on the outskirts of York. RSG 4 is in a concrete bunker underneath Government offices in Brooklands Avenue Cambridge.

The locations of the RSG's are as follows:

RSG 1	Catterick.	RSG 7	Dartmouth.
RSG 2	York.	RSG 8	Brecon.
RSG 3	Nottingham.	RSG 9	Kidderminster.
RSG 4	Cambridge.	RSG 10	Preston.
RSG 6	Reading.	RSG 12	Dover.
RSG Scotland	Edinburgh.	RSG N1	Armagh.

The RSG system corresponds roughly to the Civil Defence areas, and its HQ., called CHAPLIN, is in London. The RSG's are also linked to a military HQ. at Aldershot.

(The original document gave the telephone numbers of all these places, but they have since been changed and are therefore omitted.)

WHERE IS RSG 6 ?

The post-nuclear government at Reading (RSG 6) has some offices at the Regional Civil Defence Centre, among the Civil Service buildings at WHITE KNIGHTS PARK. But the real site of RSG 6 is in a sub-terrean bunker 8 miles out of Reading, in the aptly-named village of WARREN ROW, less than a mile off the main road from Reading to London, A4.

RSG 6 is disguised as the Home office Underground Factory Warren Row. Under this name it is kept up without too much suspicion, and maintained from a Ministry of Works office in Buckingham Avenue, Slough. It has in fact no manufacturing facilities whatsoever, except for duplicators and photostats (red tape), and lavatories (bad smells).

The entrance to RSG 6 is a few yards across the road from the Red House pub, at the East End of Warren Row. It is surrounded and masked by thick woods and low hills. All that can be seen from the road is a pad-locked wooden gate and a game keepers hut. There is no name outside, and no indication that it is a Government establishment. It has been crudely but effectively disguised.

The surface buildings inside the gate consist of a couple of wooden storage sheds and a brick boiler house. But there is a concrete ramp wide enough for motor vehicles, which runs down into the hillside as far as a pair of locked wooden doors (for keeping out H-blasts presumably!). At some distance away there is an array of wireless airials whose cables disappear down a verticle shaft into the hilltop.

RSG 6 lies inside the hill, below the visible buildings and the wire-less airials; a comfortable war-grave for the Southern Region military Government.

WHAT IS RSG 6.?

RSG 6 is a stand-by headquarters with an operational staff of several hundred. In the event of war, it will take over the Government of the Southern Region, which covers the counties of Oxfordshire, Berks., Hants., Dorset and the Isle of Wight, and the county boroughs of Oxford, Reading, Portsmouth, Southampton and Bournemouth. It lies conveniently in the centre of a region with a population of three megadeaths. (3 million dead).

RSG 6 is near the USAF Strategic Air Command and the RAF Bomber Command HQ. at High Wycombe, the Army Tactical Command HQ. at Aldershot, and the Army Strategic Reserves concrete bunker HQ. near Salisbury. It is also just outside the blast area of a bomb up to 60 megaton size dropped on London.

Warren Row is a wholly self-contained community. It has its own facilities for generating electricity, pumping water, and disposing of sewerage. It has several months supply of fresh water, fuel-oil, & red

tape. It has a canteen which can operate on a 24 hour basis. It has even got a bar in which the lucky inhabitants can drink the world above them good-bye - open only during licensing hours of course! There is a dormitory accommodating 400 people, segregated by sex.

RSG 6, is the centre of a complicated communications network. It is connected to the ordinary telephone system, and by red telephone direct line to the underground switching centre at White Knights Park. It has a dozen teleprinters and a radio signals department with UHF. and VHF. wire less equipment, for use in the highly likely event of the telephone system being destroyed. Even the clocks in RSG 6 are labeled "Zulu-Time" - the international NATO system based on the US. Strategic Air Command.

It is interesting to note that the GPO. is now building 36 giant Radio towers, in a network that will cover the whole country. One is London Museum Tower, already a 300 foot concrete beanstalk off Tottenham Court Rd. But a less publicised one lies just across the Thames from Warren Row, among the Beech woods of Stokenchurch, less than five miles from RSG 6. Most of these radio towers are close to one of the RSG's, and the system will be an integral part of military communications.

COST TO THE GPO. SUBSCRIBER : TENS OF MILLIONS OF POUNDS!

WHAT IS THE FUNCTION OF RSG 6 ?

RSG 6 is not a centre for Civil Defence. It is a centre for military government. It is the headquarters of the Regional Commissioner, who will have supreme power over the three million bodies in his region. In this HQ. the Civil Defence plays a minor and subordinate role. RSG 6 is staffed by civil servants in the middle echelons, and by Service officers in the middle ranks. THEY HAVE ALL BEEN APPOINTED.

Virtually every important Government department (except the Church of England) is represented and has been given its staff and offices. There are rooms for the Army, Navy, Air Force, Police, Fire Brigade and Civil Defence. Each of these is centralised under a supremo, who has already been named in each case. There are offices for the Treasury, the Central Office of Information, the GPO, the BBC. (but not ITV), the Board of Trade, and the Ministries of Health, Food, Supply, Transport and power. Other departments which will undoubtedly be important after the bomb drops, and which also have offices in RSG 6, are the Ministry of Labour, the National Assistance Board, and the WVS.

The functions of the various depts. are enlightening. The COI. will be responsible for censorship, as well as public announcements (to whom?) The Ministry of Labour will be responsible for conscription of special workers, as well as labour relations (between whom?). The Ministry of Housing will deal with the disposal of the dead as well as the homeless. There are offices for depts. without analogous peacetime functions. Thus the Scientific Unit will deal with bomb data and radiation risks. HMSO. will print proclamations against rioting.

THE WHOLE THING IS A PERFECT EXAMPLE OF MILITARY GOVERNMENT.

WHO IS IN RSG 6 ?

If there were any doubt about the function of the Home Office Underground Factory Warren Row, the names of the people there would soon dispel it. It is the Colonels and Principal Officers who will rule after the bomb drops, not MP's or Councillors.

(Here the Spies for Peace document lists the proposed occupants of RSG 6. There is not space to list them here, but suffice it to note that there is not a single elected person among them. They include among their number such names as Major-General J.F. Metcalfe (General Officer commanding Aldershot district), Rear-Admiral F.E. Clemitson (the Admiralty Regional Officer), Air-Commador J.D. Coward, D. Osmond (the Chief Constable of Hants.), and a large staff of captains, lieutenants, etc, etc.).

THE OLD BOY NET IN RSG 6.

The largest civilian department in RSG 6 is the Scientific Section which is run almost entirely by Oxford dons. Other universities are well represented, just to keep things fair, by such figures as Professor A.N. Black, M.A., M.I.Mech. E., late of Exeter Collage, Oxford, (Professor of Engineering, and Administrative Head of the Engineering Department at Southhampton University), and William Davey, BSc., PhD., FRIC, A.M. Inst. Pet., MBIM., (Principal of the Portsmouth Collage of Technology).

In the Scientific Section at RSG 6 there are also a number of Scientific Officers of the War Office, Air Ministry, Ministry of Aviation, and Dept. of Scientific and Industrial Research. This section is clearly one of the most important in RSG 6.

It is comforting to know that the Scientific Section at RSG 4 (EAST ANGLIA) is similarly run by Cambridge dons! Incidentally, the Civil Defence section in RSG 4 is run by someone of the London Region - J.P. Miller, the Assiatant Regional Director, a lucky man who won't be in London when the bomb drops.

RSG 6 IN ACTION.

RSG 6 has been activated severasl times. One of them was for excercise "PARAPLUIE", which took place in April, May and June 1962. This exercise was based on the assumption that SEVEN bombs were dropped on England as follows :

- 100-kiloton bombs near Oxford and Chetwode,
- 5-Megaton bomb on Birmingham,
- 10-Megaton bombs on NW. and E. London and Byfleet, & a teeny-weeny
- 50-Kiloton bomb on Aldershot.

NOTE : THE RUSSIANS HAD EXPLODED A 60-MEGATON BOMB THE PREVIOUS AUTUMN.

EXERCISE "PARAPLUIE" 1962.

In the Southern Region troops were needed to help police "keep order". But soon after the Birmingham bomb, the radiation levels rose so high that all military personnel in the region except for Dorset, were ordered to go to ground for 48 hours. WHAT HAPPENED TO THE CIVILIAN POPULATION DOES NOT BEAR THINKING ABOUT. As for RSG 6, its communications fell into such a state of chaos that messages were transmitted up to two hours late, and there was total confusion about who the messages had come from, and where they were going.

THIS HAPPENED DURING AN IMAGINARY EXERCISE WHICH ASSUMED NUCLEAR DESTRUCTION ON AN ABSURDLY SMALL SCALE.

Things were even worse during Exercise FALLEX last September (1962). "Der Spiegel" revealed the chaos in Germany. The British press wept crocodile tears about censorship over there, but has so far not said a word about the same exercise in Britain. We wonder if Fleet Street will ever report this pamphlet? FALLEX 62 was played under the observation of Sir Charles Cunningham, KCB., KBE., CB., CVO., Permanent Under-Secretary of State at the Home Office, who reported direct to the Cabinet on what he saw in RSG 6. Sir Charles' salary is the maximum a civil servant can get; £6950. He is one of the most powerful men in the country.

FALLEX 62.

FALLEX 62 was a full-scale rehearsal of the build-up to a nuclear war. After an imaginary increase in world tension, general mobilisation was ordered on 15th. September 1962. Thousands of Reservists actually received practice call-up papers. The RSG's, RSG 6 among them, were manned on the same day.

On the 17th. Sept. the hospitals were evacuated.

On the 18th. Sept. the Regional Commissioner assumed full Governmental powers, and became dictator of his region.

On the 19th. Sept. the official evacuation of heavily populated areas began.

On the 20th. Sept. the ports were evacuated.

Official evacuees included half the population of Southampton and Portsmouth, and with unofficial evacuees they effectively choked the roads.

During this imaginary build-up, the Civil Defence Corps pretended to distribute the then unpublished HOUSEHOLDERS HANDBOOK which must have been very useful. We were told to get 14 days supply of food and water (from where?), and stay under cover for 7 days. Then what? Large heavily populated areas like London, were called Z-Zones and abandoned to their fate. (Further revelations about this later)

The imaginary nuclear war began on 21 Sept., which, by an extraordinary coincidence was the day when all preparations were complete.

It started with an H-bomb attack on a German NATO base, followed by a similar attack on Turkey, Italy, Britain, and the USA.

FALLEX 62 was meant to test the Military preparedness of NATO, but above all to examine in action the efficiency of the emergency plans for the civilian population (who of course, were never told anything about it). IT DID THAT ALL RIGHT !

Within a few days Britain suffered widespread devastation, including 15 Megadeaths (15,000,000-). The West German Minister for the Interior said afterwards that:

"under the present circumstances nobody has a chance."

The 1963 White Paper tells another story; "in general" the plans were "basically sound and practicable."

What are the facts ? It was assumed that this country had been allowed six days of preparation, and that the dispersion and mobilisation plans were COMPLETE before war started. This is rather unlikely when nuclear war begins in earnest. It was assumed that the Civil Defence Corps was at wartime duty establishment. In fact the Southern Region had barely half this figure. It was assumed that no major breakdown of communications between the RSG's and other centres would take place. They had LEARNED THE LESSONS OF PARAPLUIE IN THE SPRING, AND CHANGED THE RULES!

The Medical Services broke down completely. Every hospital in the S. Region was destroyed or put out of action by fallout, the death of doctors, or lack of supplies. Communications broke down and roads were choked. Gloucester, Oxford and Plymouth were eliminated by small bombs. London was paralysed: to go above ground was death. A lethal belt of radiation extended as far out as Windsor. We hope the heir to the throne was not mutated. (It has since been learned the Royal Family has its own hideout). Threequarters of the Police in the Southern Region were killed, injured, or irradiated. Losses among the civilian population were proportionally even higher.

WHOEVER WON THE WAR, WE LOST IT !

In this nightmare world, the authorities still pursued their childish dreams. The RSG's still got in touch with their London HQ. by dialling ABBey 1255 and asking for CHAPLIN. In the RSG's the heads of Departments were known officially as "players" (people like them), and unofficially as "Gauleiters". (The games theory of war).

But Fallex 62 was not a complete waste of time, it proved once & for all the truth of the 1957 Defence White Paper that ;

THERE IS NO DEFENCE AGAINST NUCLEAR WAR!

and it convinced at least one occupant of at least one RSG the DETERRENT IS QUITE FUTILE.

CONCLUSIONS

The strongest argument against the RSG network is that the Government does not take it seriously. During the Cuba crisis in October 1962, RSG 6 was empty. At a time when we came nearer to nuclear war than ever before, no reservists were called up, no evacuation was planned, no instructions were given to the population, no hospitals were prepared, not even a Regional Commissioner was appointed.

IN THE FACE OF A REAL EMERGENCY FUCK ALL WAS DONE.

But the RSG's are there. The secret Seats of Government, and the privileged occupants are an ominous indication of the attitude of the British Government toward the British People. You can be sure the Russian Government knows all about it. You can be sure the US. Government knows all about it.

THE BRITISH PEOPLE ARE MEANT TO KNOW NOTHING AT ALL.

The whole process of establishing and staffing and equipping the RSGs has gone on without a scrap of democratic control or consent. The GPO. must have spent millions of our money on secret exchanges and switching centres. The Home Office and the Ministry of Works do not tell Parliament they propose to build RSGs. There is not one single person connected with RSG 6 who has been democratically elected. And have MP's, let alone local councillors in the Southern Region, ever voted to establish military government ?

The Civil Defence poster says . " You want to help - but how ? " Now you know. The smokescreen around these places is meant to blind the citizens of this country, not enemies abroad.

YOU ARE NOT THOUGHT FIT TO JUDGE WHAT YOUR RULERS DO
BUT NOW YOU KNOW. NOW YOU CAN JUDGE. NOW YOU CAN ACT.

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A SECRET HAS ESCAPED. Give it a good run before they catch it, Read it, discuss it, hand it round, reprint it.

THERE ARE THOUSANDS MORE SECRETS in captivity. This is not the only one we shall release !

DO YOU KNOW AN OFFICIAL SECRET ?

Text of broadcast made by Spies for Peace Radio 9PM. Sunday 10th. April 65

The Spies for Peace are responsible people, we feel it is our responsibility to inform you, our fellow citizens, about these secrets, because they concern your life or death. The Spies for Peace exposed the RSG's. - these are the underground shelters which are responsible for the survival of certain top people. These very selected few are also supposed to govern those of us on the surface who are unfortunate enough to survive the radioactive hell of a full-scale nuclear attack. Now, as far as London is concerned, all this has been changed.

OUR RULERS HAVE WRITTEN LONDON OFF.

This secret decision was too much for the conscience of a small number of high-ranking civil servants. You are about to hear a report from one of them. This man holds an influential position at the top of the hierarchy in a certain Government department. He was so shocked by this decision that he considered it, in his own words, "his duty to expose it." His action is motivated by no consideration of personal gain, apart from the satisfaction of his conscience (fade)..... You will appreciate his reasons for wanting to remain anonymous. A tape recording of his statement, which was made some months ago, has been adapted so as to disguise his voice.

But first, we would like to make a brief comment. This civil servant in order to obtain his high rank, at times had to subordinate his conscience to the dictates of inhuman bureaucracy. The effort that this man has made (fade).... It shows too, that the spark of humanity isn't extinguished even when you least expect it to be there, and although the voice you will hear is disguised, the message is clear.

TEXT OF STATEMENT.

"It is my public duty to tell you about it. I started work on the RSG's, the Regional Seats of Government, some years ago, but ... (fade). ... I decided there would be an RSG for London as a whole. This was RSG 5. RSG 5 had an operating base in South Kensington. It was supposed to rule an area similar to that of the Metropolitan Police District. A few months ago we issued an official directive to close down the London RSG, and the London Region was subsequently divided into three sectors. Each of these sectors now comes under the control of an RSG headquarters situated many miles outside London. The (fade).... East London HQ. is in Cambridge. West London is covered by the RSG 6 Headquarters at Warren Row in Reading, and South London is Covered by RSG 12 headquarters at Dover.

"You realise what this means, it means that London is a complete write off Whitehall have had grave doubts about Civil Defence in a nuclear war anyway, and at least it is now clear that in a (gap)... the directive also says that in an emergency, the London Civil Defence Corps people are to be evacuated immediately, together with members of the Government, senior civil servants, and other specially

selected people. 100 FEET BELOW THE STREETS OF LONDON THERE IS A TEN MILE LONG TUNNEL, a system of tunnels, these connect up with various centres, Telephone Exchanges, offices, food and water stores, generating plant, operations rooms, radar and and telephone links with all the other RSG's, and with British NATO military headquarters - the lot!

Well, as far as defence is concerned, they've all been written off too. However, these are still being used, as there are quite a number of civil servants working down there on things like telephone exchanges, repeater stations. You can see some of the entrances to the tunnels at (gap) ... Westminster, on the Horseferry Road and Great Peter Street, and between nos 31 and 33 High Holborn. There are entrances to the same place that can be seen on the platform of Chancery Lane tube station, and there are two entrances in nearby Furnival Street, and there is a similar installation near Goodge Street underground station. There are other entrances in Faraday Buildings, Inns of Court, and in the Ministry of Defence in Whitehall.

BUT ALL THIS HAS BEEN ABANDONED AS USELESS IN A NUCLEAR ATTACK

There is now a much larger and deeper system cut in the West country where we are reaching the final stages of the organisation. I am very much concerned that London in particular should understand what this means. If the authorities, that is my superiors, which is true of course, if THESE people don't think WE can survive in London 100 feet underground, what state do you think you'll be in on the surface? It is clear that these people have concluded that in a nuclear attack, London and for miles around will be a (fade) ... sort of hole in the ground, and it is all kept secret. Yet they continue to spend large public funds on Civil Defence and everything (fade).... It is their decree that in an emergency the roads out of London shall be free for people like me and my superiors to get out, and for the Government ministers and their staff and all their families to get out. But not you! You are fully redundant. To facilitate OUR move out, Home Counties Territorial Units have been (fade).... orders to seal off all the roads out of London. It is terrible (fade).... radiation, the lot! However, once it is all over, (fade).... reading documents, drafting directives, one sits on committees..... (fade).... how many millions will die, and so on. but all of us sitting there talking are decided.... (fade).... because THEY'RE safe to get out and be tucked underground as soon as the emergency has started. It's terrible! It's awful! The people must be told! The people must realize!

WE CHALLENGE THE OFFICIAL MILITARY SPOKESMAN TO DENY ONE WORD OF THIS!

(More recently, further documents have come to light regarding the nature of the post-nuclear "land fit for heroes" planned for us by our rulers. We are grateful to the Scots Against War for the following information).

IF THERE WERE A NUCLEAR ATTACK TONIGHT ?

What would happen to the people? Government propaganda claims that "millions would survive", and that Civil Defence is common sense". But the facts have been kept from us! We must act to destroy the lies that make nuclear policies look "Decent".

THE ROLE OF THE POLICE AND CIVIL DEFENCE.

Their role is not, as some people think, to defend the civil population, but to protect and defend the Regional Seats of Government. In nuclear war, the military will be in command from the word go. Martial law will be the order of the day. 303 rifles are at present kept in store all over the country for use by the Police and the Territorial Army Units

FOR THOSE WHO DO NOT BELIEVE THIS, WE WILL QUOTE A FEW PARAGRAPHS FROM SECRET DOCUMENTS IN OUR POSSESSION:

REGIONAL COMMISSIONER, POWERS TO MAKE LAWS. (Defence Regulations 84a)

"The Crown may not issue commissions in time of peace to try civil-ians by martial law (Petition of Rights 1627) but when a state of actual war, or rebellion amounting to war exists, the Crown and its officers may use such force as necessary in the circumstances to restore order.

WHEN ONCE THIS STATE OF WAR EXISTS, THE CIVIL COURTS HAVE NO AUTHORITY TO CALL IN QUESTION THE ACTIONS OF THE MILITARY AUTHORITIES.

(our capitals)

The Regional Commissioner may also make a detention order against any persons he considers necessary to control because of his or her recent conduct in an area where Regulation 18b 1B giving this power is in force, or any words recently spoken or written that might assist the enemy."

APART FROM A FEW MINOR RESTRICTIONS, THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER HAS COMPLETE DICTATORIAL POWERS.

COMPULSORY EVACUATION OF AREA.

"If any person, or animal, or thing, is in any area contrary to such an order, the authority making the order may, while the order is in force, have any or all those persons, animals, or things, destroyed or made useless".

PROTECTED PLACES.

For example, the Minister of Home Security has already declared

Scotland as an evacuation area, and the "priority classes" deep shelter at Barnton Quarry, Corstorphine, Edinburgh, as a protected place. This RSG. is surrounded by a seven foot wire fence, patrolled inside by war dogs, floodlit at night, and has electronic eyes scanning its perimeters constantly, anyone entering this area would find themselves interrogated by a mysterious booming voice. Of course, anyone trying to enter one of these places looking for food or shelter for his or her children after an attack would be SHOT ON SIGHT.

LOOTING OR ASSAULTING MILITARY POSTS (Regulation 38a)

"Any person who steals any article from premises damaged or vacant from enemy attack, or any article exposed or unprotected because of war preparations, or enters any premises, damages any property, can be SENTENCED TO DEATH."

This regulation can be applied by the Regional Commissioner where he thinks there is likely to be a special difficulty in keeping order. It must be noted that the offence covers more than what is commonly regarded as "looting".

REGULATION 1B MAKES IT AN OFFENCE PUNISHABLE BY DEATH "FOR ANY PERSON TO FORCE HIS WAY PAST A SENTRY OR POLICE CORDON POSTED TO PROTECT OR PREVENT ACCESS TO ANY PREMISE OR PLACE, OR FOR CONTROLLING TRAFFIC".

WAR ZONE COURTS

"Proceedings against people in a war zone will be begun before Magistrates in the usual way; unless a military officer of rank not lower than Lieut.-Commander, Major, or Squadron-Leader, or officer of police of rank not lower than Superintendent, considers it expedient because of the nature of the offence or the military situation. In this case, he may direct that proceedings shall be started!"

EXECUTION OF SENTENCES , INCLUDING DEATH

"Where a person has been sentenced to death by a war zone court, and can without undue difficulty be taken to a prison equipped for hanging people, THEY WILL BE HANGED. In the absence of these facilities, a sentence of death will be carried out by shooting, in the same manner as in the case of a person on whom sentence of death has been passed under the Army Acts by a Court Martial."

THE NIGHTMARE WORLD WE HAVE DESCRIBED COULD START TOMORROW.

CONCLUSIONS.

Governments and officials have committed themselves, and us, to policies which inevitably, through accident or design, will lead to nuclear war. Blindly and senselessly, they pursue these policies, not for the safety of the people, but for the sake of their own pride. To defend them they are prepared to deceive the people who elected them, & themselves

In England they have spent millions of the taxpayers money, without the taxpayers knowledge or consent, to dig Regional Seats of Government, yet they know, and now WE know, that this has been proved futile.

The officials know that nuclear war cannot be "won", that even government officialdom is likely to be embalmed in bunkers. But they have not the honesty to admit failure, or the courage to look for an alternative to war between states. They are determined to follow their insane policies even if it means cynically deceiving the people, suppressing the freedom of the press; even if it means cheating the people of their lives, the taxpayer of his money, the elector of his right to discuss policies, and humanity of its future.

VOTE, WHAT FOR ?

The same policies have been carried out under both the Conservative and the Labour Governments. There is no appreciable difference. Between them, they have drawn up the blue-prints of a fascist state.

THEY DIDN'T ASK YOU TO VOTE ON THAT !

They won't ask us when they order the bombs to be dropped. They won't ask you to vote whether to go to war. Even Parliament, that romantic relic of democracy, was not consulted when the (Labour) government decided to make the atom bomb. Nor the H-bomb. Nor when they signed the treaty allowing the US. nuclear bases over here.

EVEN PARLIAMENT WAS NOT CONSULTED, LET ALONE THE PEOPLE.

THE FREE WORLD !

We are told that all this is necessary for the defence of the "Free world", yet daily our rulers are becoming all those things they accuse their enemies of. We find the Americans (with the backing of our Labour Government) supporting Ky in Vietnam (he says Hitler is his hero). There is the same hypocrisy in Moscow and Peking.

THEY NEVER LET ORDINARY PEOPLE HAVE A SAY.



GOVERNMENT IS THE ENEMY.

It is no use pleading with the men in power to work for peace. Power has corrupted them. They have set themselves apart from us. It is even to be doubted if any Government really desires peace - it would put so many politicians, brass-hats, civil servants, bureaucrats, and arms manufactures out of work. If we want peace, we are the only people who can bring it about - us and ordinary men and women the world over.

WE MUST TAKE POWER INTO OUR OWN HANDS !

We propose to make a start. We don't pretend to know all the answers, but we will make public some facts and arguments that the press will not mention. We shan't come up with any final solutions - neither have years of Disarmament Conferences. The fight against the bomb is not an easy or simple one. But we are the people who make the bombs, who pay the taxes to buy the bombers, who load the ships, and supply the bases with food and electricity. If we made up our minds to resist in all possible ways, government war plans could be obstructed, and peace brought one step nearer.

One day we shall realise our power, and wonder why we allowed our stupid rulers to keep us on the brink of death for so many years.

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