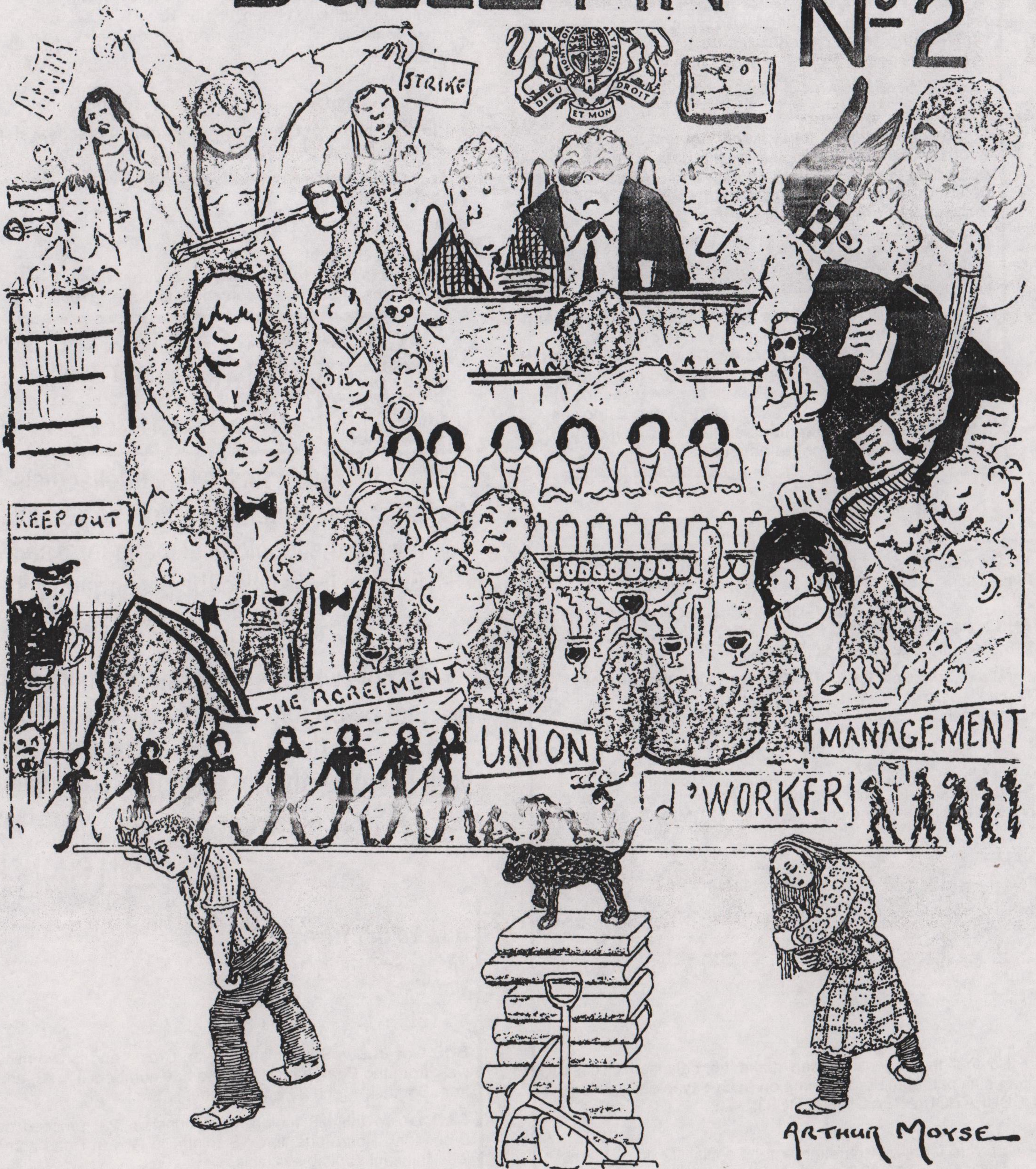


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SELF-DETERMINATION AND POWER EVENT

10 and 11 January, 1990

Pearce Institute, 840 Govan Road, Govan, Glasgow

Noam Chomsky, Professor of Linguistics and Philosophy at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and America's foremost radical thinker, will lead off the proceedings with a keynote address on Wed 10th January on the theme –

Self-Determination – a life task and a political task

Self-determination is a key issue, not just in modern Scotland, but for all peoples at all points in history. How we determine our lives as individuals, and how power is determined between groups and interests in a society, is the stuff, not only of 'politics', but of life itself.

Common sense and Freedom is the title of a day long seminar on Thursday 11th January. Led off by Noam Chomsky, the day will explore the Common Sense tradition of knowing the world. Strongly supported in Scottish philosophical traditions, 'common sense' takes the view that we innately 'know'. Consequently imperial power interests attack the common sense tradition, if only to preserve their own right to govern.

Other contributors on both days include:

Kathy Acker, George Davie, Alasdair Gray, Hamish Henderson, James Kelman, Jackie Kay, Tom Leonard, Sorley Maclean, Tom Raworth, Mandlenkosi Langa and Mongone Serote.

ALSO Other guests, members of groups who have taken part in self-determined activity, writers and musicians.

PLUS Books, workshops, stalls, exhibits, creche, catering and bar.

AND following on from each day, two evenings of music, readings and ceilidh.

COME TO ONE DAY OR BOTH

BUT BOOK EARLY!

This event is likely to be heavily oversubscribed. Applications should be received by October 31st

Organised and Supported by:

**Scottish
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"What you often find is that intellectuals are the most indoctrinated part of the population – they are the ideological managers, so they have to internalise the propaganda. They have to believe it.

People who are independent-minded and cannot be trusted to be obedient don't make it (in journalism and the academic professions) – they're often filtered out along the way."

NOAM CHOMSKY

YES, I want to attend the Self-Determination and Power event. Please send me full details and event programme.

Send me ... tickets for **SELF-DETERMINATION – A LIFE TASK AND A POLITICAL TASK** for Wednesday 10th January, 1990 at £10 each (unwaged £6) including snack lunch.

Send me ... tickets for **COMMON SENSE AND FREEDOM** for Thursday 11th January 1990 at £10 each (unwaged £6) including snack lunch.

I need ... place(s) for children aged ... in the creche on (dates).

Send Cheques (or banker's draft in pounds sterling) for total amount and make payable to: **SELF-DETERMINATION EVENT**

NAME

ADDRESS

TEL

So that the organisers can make up balanced discussion groups as part of the programme on each day, please state your **OCCUPATION/AREA OF INTEREST**

Return this form with remittance to: Scottish Child, 4 Garrioch Drive, Glasgow G20 8RP

Accommodation can be offered by the organisers. State your needs on this return, and give a day and evening telephone number.

HOW TO GET THERE

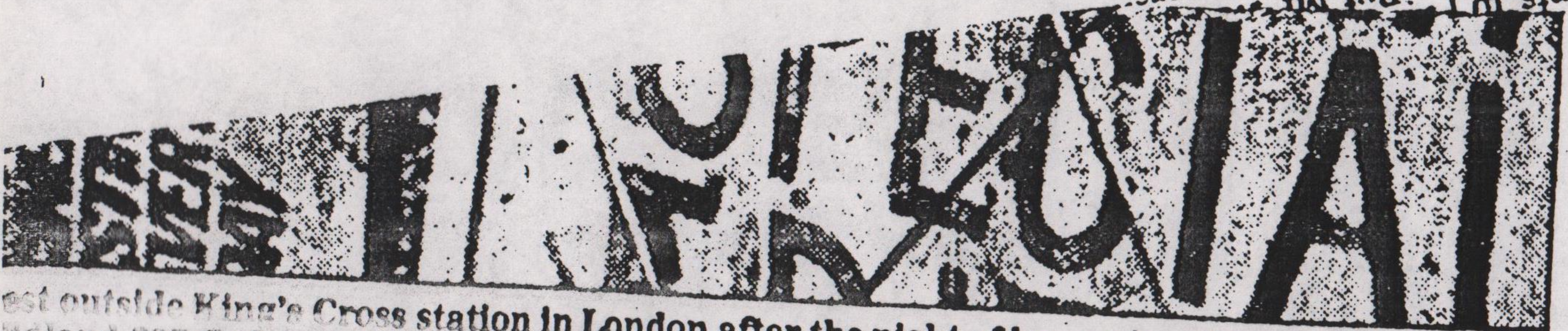
The Pearce Institute is sited adjacent to Govan Cross Shopping Centre on Govan Road. TRAVELLERS arriving in Glasgow by train at either Queen Street or Central Station, use the Underground Station at Buchanan Street, and alight at Govan Station.

BUS Govan Bus Station is at Govan Cross, and is two minutes walk from the Pearce Institute. Use bus numbers 17, 23, and 34 from Southside, and 23 & 24 (red bus) from town.

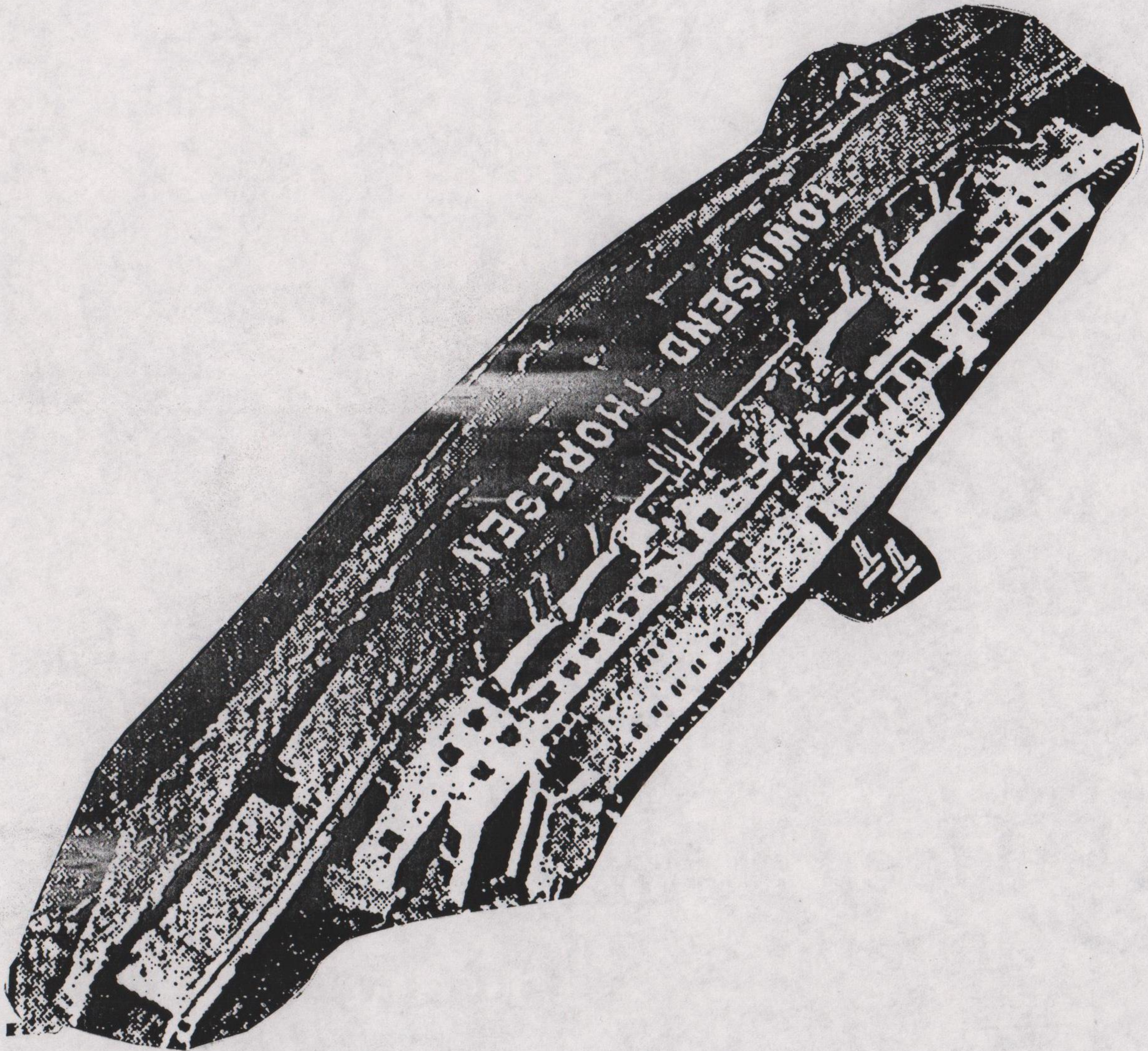
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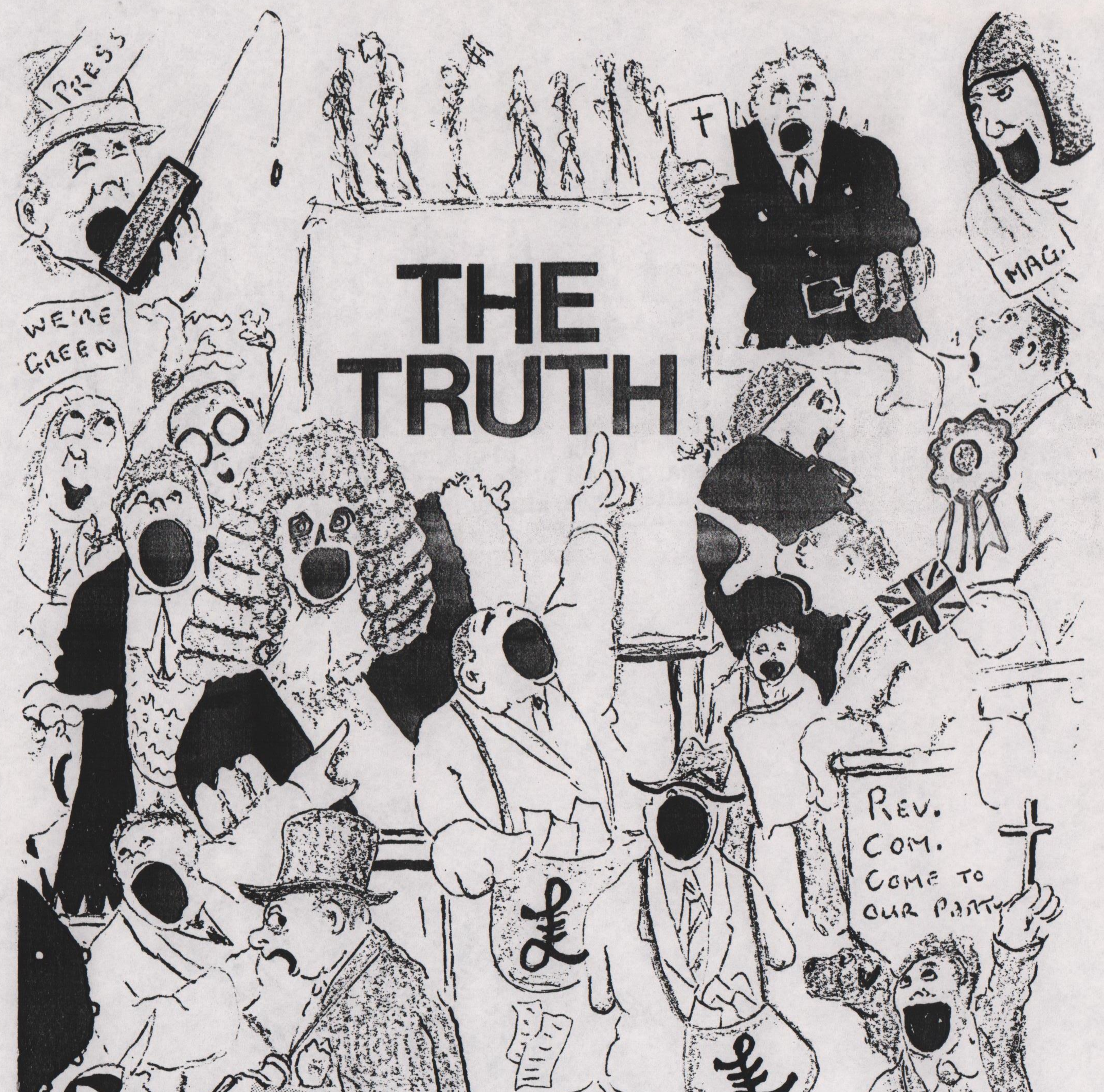


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k at Zeebrugge with the loss of 188 lives after embarking with its bow left doors open



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THE TRUTH



Revealed: the richest 200 people in Britain

by Philip Barford and Maurice Chittenden

BRITAIN'S 100 richest people are nearly 10 years of Thatcherism, according to the most complete study of the country's richest people yet published.

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INSIGHT

British company helping to destroy the Amazon spends millions at home to promote a conservation-minded image

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Queen dismayed by 'uncaring' Thatcher

by Simon Freeman and Michael Jones

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