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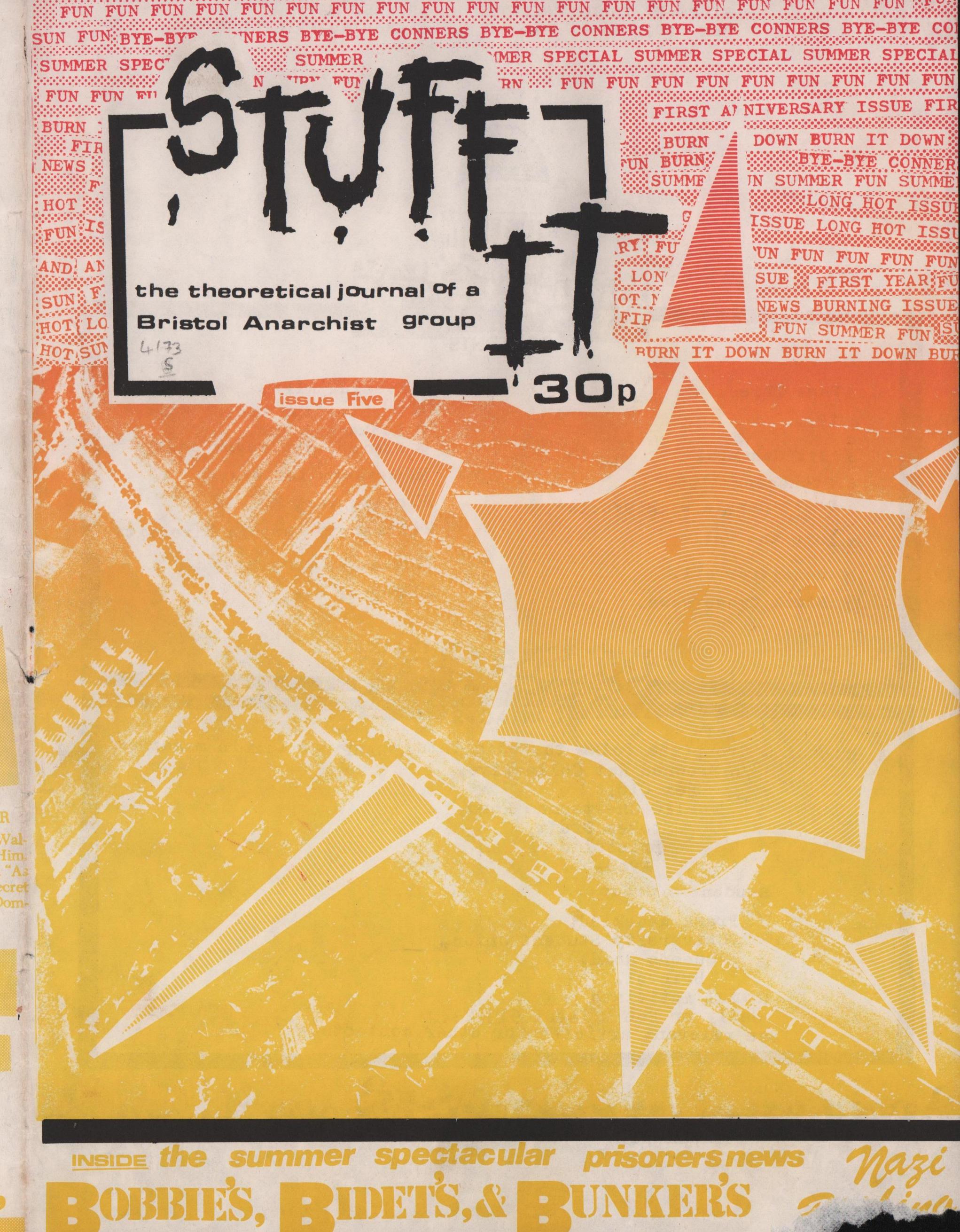




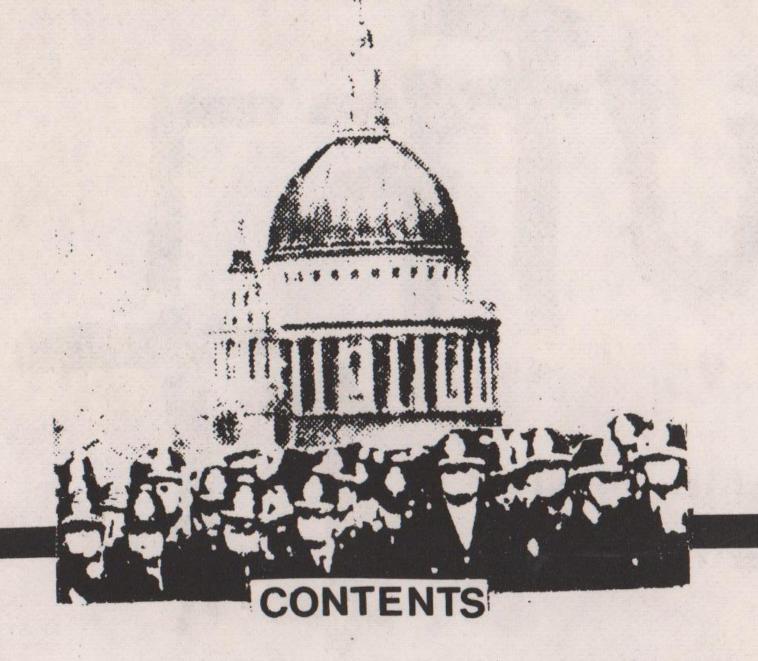
### KHRUSHCHEV MEETS HIS ROCKEFELLER MASTER

Gov. Nelson Rockefeller Visits Khrushchev's Quarters At Waldorf Astoria Tower; And Cordially And Comradely Greets Him. False Headlines Say That They Met "For The First Time" and "As Total Strangers". Khrushchev Boasts That He Receives Secret Codes, Money And All "Secret" Reports From Rockefeller Dominated CIA Quislings. (World Wide News)

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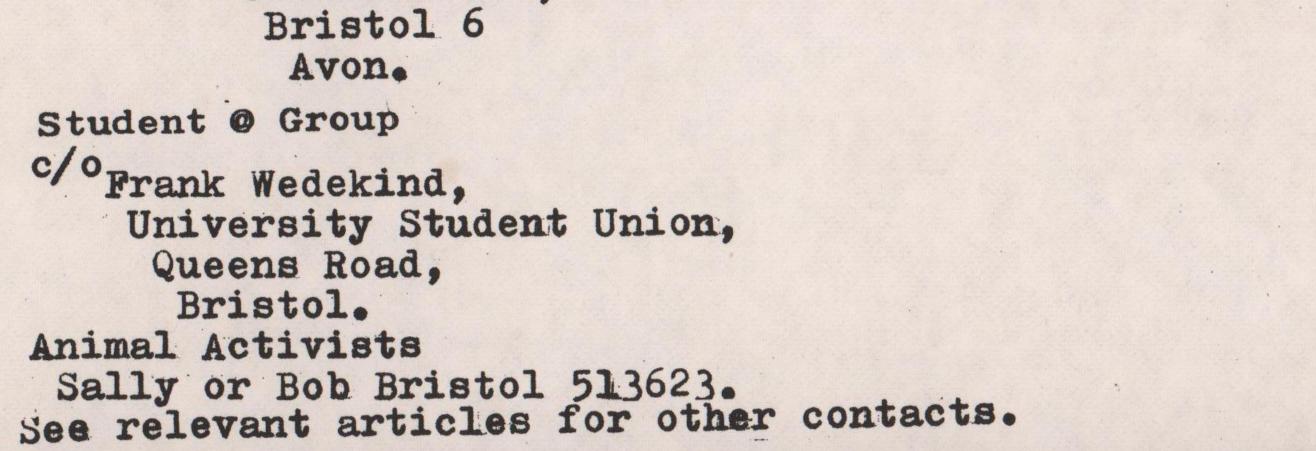
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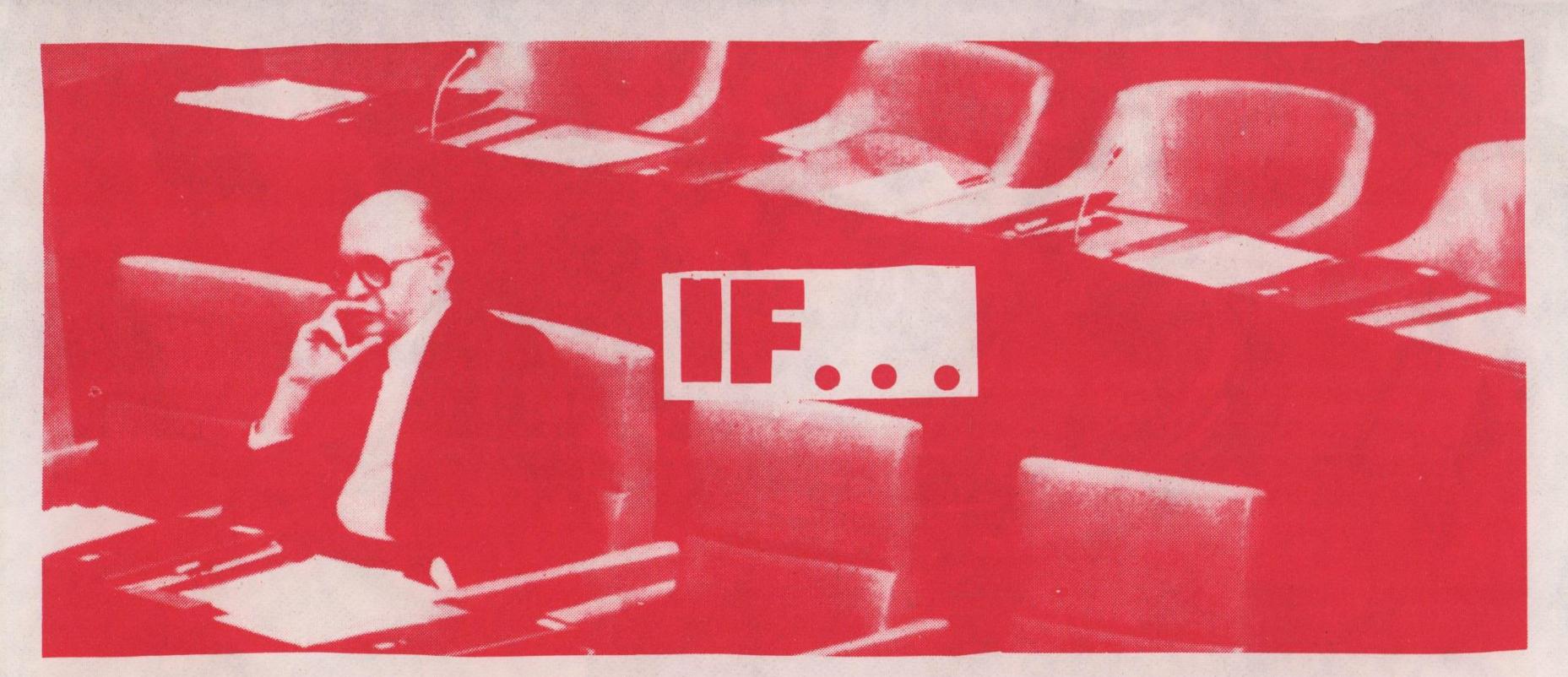
Welcome to our'first Birthday/Summer Spectacular' issue of 'Stuff it'. With a bit of luck this issue will not have so many over inked pages, and so avoid becoming see through with-in days of getting it printed...We have every intention of producing an issue of this mag. on the dot every 2.4 months, just like last year, as well as running up massive debts with various other publications! So with that in mind, why not contribute something for a future issue-ten people wrote stuff for this one, and next time, you could join the ranks of the third rate writers that we feature so heavily !

We have every intention of going on churning out our

If you fancy meeting wacko s of all shapes and sizes, why not sell "Stuff it" in and on your street, contact us, and we'll send you some.

standard mix of different views, and now that a few shops have paid up, we can even afford to do it- this is a new mile stone for us, shops paying, good grief, what ever next... It has also been felt that we could have a "readers meeting", that's you meeting us, WOW, sounds really thrilling, wouldn't you say! Of course if you bought this on the streets you have already met us, but at the meeting we hope to find out what you think of it all, and maybe have fun too ... So the date is Sunday 27th of July, on College Green, Central Bristol, at 2.30pm. With luck some of you might get there, andwho knows what could come of it ?.

If you have any stupid pictures, (Black and White), don't waste them, instead send them to the 'Stuff it Stupid Picture Bank', and watch them crop up in future issues, filling whole pages, where we've run out of things to say-just like this and all the other copies of our journal!



- \* You believe there is no fundamental difference between men and women, and between people of other races,
- \* You think the existence of weapons that can extinguish life from the planet is insane,
- \* You would prefer to live in a society designed to benefit people, rather than profit,

### ... there's a chance you could be an anarchist.

- \* You're a vegetarian for any or all of the following reasons:
  - Eating Animals is a disgusting habit
  - If everyone ate veg there'd be enough food to feed everyone in the world
  - You don't see what right people have to eat animals
- You think war can never be anything other than futile, and the armed forces are worse than useless and should be disbanded,
- You find the lifestyle of the rich extravagant, wasteful or even obscene, when some people do not have even the basic necessities of life,

### ... could it be that you're an anarchist.

- You're a vegan, as you realise even the consumption of diary products and eggs contributes to animal suffering and exploitation.
- You're an atheist and believe a principal role of most religions is to assist in the control and oppression of people,
- You have a pretty low opinion of authority and believe people would be better served by a decentralised non hierarchical society,

### ... it seems you're on the way to being an anarchist.

- \* You don't recognise the legitamacy of the state to control people,
- \* You believe people should exercise self-determination,
- You think a social revolution would be quite a good idea and everyday life is ripe to be re-invented,

### ... you're almost certainly an anarchist!

### the diner

The Demolition Diner has now all but served it's last Vegy-Burger, as the men from S.W.E.B. decided that there were certain "irregularities" with the supply, and dug up the road to cut off the power. So with no electricity, and Conner's stripping varous items from the kitchen, the Diner will dine no more. The Demolition Ballroom has gone on, and as long as cash can be found for a generator, will do so for a while yet.

### the visit

It has been all-go for the active funsters in Bristol, with an increase in Polis visits to various houses in the city. What really interests the Evil Bastard Filth is "information" about the Convoy. This comes as a bit of a surprise, as the very same Polis, have been camped out in an empty office block at the back of the Diner, Photographing and watching all who come and go. So why don't the Polis practice developing 'negs', after all they've had more than enough practice at door removal.

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Even as we write, seated in
the "Stuff it" offices, we
have gleaned proof that the
polis have at last mastered
printing up photo's. Yes, the
cop's in the car parked out-side
were so ingressed in studying
the big glossy prints of
subversives, that they failed to
see us going down the shops...tut
(Or where we sending out orders
to the Convoy, Officer?))



### BYE, CONNER'S

So Conners, who single handedly brought more cars to a stand still than any number of B.U.C.C. demo's\*, is dead. Having survived the ravages of another winter, he was found dead of pneumonia, come the spring rains.

Only a few weeks earlier he had been up to his old tricks, he broke into the Diner, and carted off the Coffee Machine to sell for drink. Still that was his way, and amazing as it may seem, he had been doing odd-jobs only a couple of years ago, before deciding to concentrate on his "removal business". This consisted of dragging fridges and t.v.'s along the Glouster Rd! Often he forced traffic to take to the pavement, the Police included, to avoid him.

In his way he will be missed, and few who knew him could forget his ready wit, best displayed when asked if he was breaking another of the "Demolition Ballroom's" plateglass windows, he quipped, "No, I'm breaking the sound barrier", as the cider bottle smashed into the glass again...

Bye-bye, Conner's and so long.

\*Bristol Urban Cycling Campaign; an evil bunch of reformist's.

"Soon there were 'Police Slow' notices and a roadblock. On the spur of the moment we decided to tell them that we were going to London. It seemed like a good idea anyway. There were only a couple of vans of Wiltshire Police, all very low profile stuff because the respectable motorists used this route. They took our names and read us some rubbish about 'attempting to join the festival' would mean certain arrest.... "

"One person I met said he'd been crawling around in the fields the night before and whenever the Police heard a noise they fired off some flares".

"At Amesbury roundabout was a punk with a black flag. He said everyone was meeting nearby to decide what to do. After sitting about for a bit we came across a load of people with a radio tuned to the Police wave band. From this we gathered that some people had cut their way through the wire round the stones and were defending themselves with fence posts. Also the message went out that the 'convoy' had established a site ... "

"Rounding a corner we came upon another road block so we quickly turned into a petrol station full of ambulances. About 30 Police vans choked the road ahead, including Ministry of Defence vehicles. A friend wandered up to be turned back by cop telling him that there was some kind of "fracas" going on ...."

"Down aside road the local MP, (fat cat Tory) was hanging around talking to journalists all day. He said the Police were "justified in defending themselves" whilst we added "You're full of shit! You asshole! You bastard ! ". We couldn't believe some of the rubbish he was coming out with. On his suit he had a badge showing Rupert the Bear in a Police helmet...."

"Avoiding the lines of riot Police we all went over afence and into some woods. A hundred yards further on we came out into a field full of broad beans. From there I could see a narrow grain-field full of vans, trucks and buses drawn up in a circle like in the Western movies. Carefully picking our way through the bean field we crossed into the field with the Convoy. I asked what had happened and was told that the Convoy had avoided the road block by going through ahedge into the field we were standing in. There was a big force of riot Police on the horizon as convoy people argued with nearby police about the peoples right to have a free festival. We returned to the car and heard from friends that a truck had tried to run the road block and turned over sending its occupants flying. Swarms of riot police had charged at that moment beating both bystanders and the injured from the truck."

"Half an hour later the police 'copter appeared and the riot police moved in , with Telecom vans conscripted to block roads. I stopped a pig with a C.S canister on his back. There were shouts and sounds of windows smashing, then a long line of dejected people in the distance, many in handcuffs. They were made to stand in lines whilst being loaded into vans, at least one womyn looked very pregnant. One man I met said he'd just walked out of the field and the police hadn 't noticed him. Police had gone berserk. Met the ITN crew who were white and shaken. Some said they'd been in the Falklands but not seen anything this bad. "They were beating babies" one said. Most of the journalists were being ushered away by the Chief Constable with the words "My lads are getting a bit worked up. You'd best leave or you might get hurt...". One of my friends photographing was picked up by her hair and thrown aside. Casualties came away, men and wimmin with their heads bleeding, some covered in blood as if their skulls were broken, others with great gashes made with the edges of riot shields. Soon some beat bobbies arrived and said "20 seconds to get out of here or you're arrested" We left for the car and I felt like emmigrating. So far the Police have spent 1 million Quid beating the shit out of people who wanted to sit on the grass...."

## Don't Gamble With PROCTER

The Scene

Budding fascist visits normally sleepy University.

# The Cast

NAME: HARVEY PROCTOR

POSITION: Conservative MP (Bilericay)

GROUPS: Monday club (extreme right wing group within Tory party. 6000 members in 1972. NF began infiltrating it in 1967). W.I.S.E (Welsh, Irish, English, Scottish, a fascist group pledged to uniting respectable right wing figures (eg MP's) with overt nazi's).

ACTIVITIES: Present at several antiimmigration marches, most notably in 1972 against Ugandan refugees who were being persecuted by the well known champion of democracy ... IDI AMIN. Wants a programme of forced repatriation. Often in the company of fascist scum such as Lady Birdwood, etc.etc.

PLUS.... 400 assorted anti-fascists, 30 Tories and the press.

The Raul

Not a nice bloke, eh? Well quite a few of us decided to put a stop to the devisive shit fascists like him spout. Oh! cry the Liberals, what about 'free speech'? Free speech, what does that mean when it's you who is being denied freedom, assaulted and treated like shit because of your colour. Racism and fascism lead inevitably to oppression and genocide, will we let it happen again? It's typical of 'liberal students' to imagine the world to be like the image of the University, cosy, secure and fair. It's NOT and it's kept the way it is by scum just like Proctor who are ippoisonous racist ideas wherever they occur.

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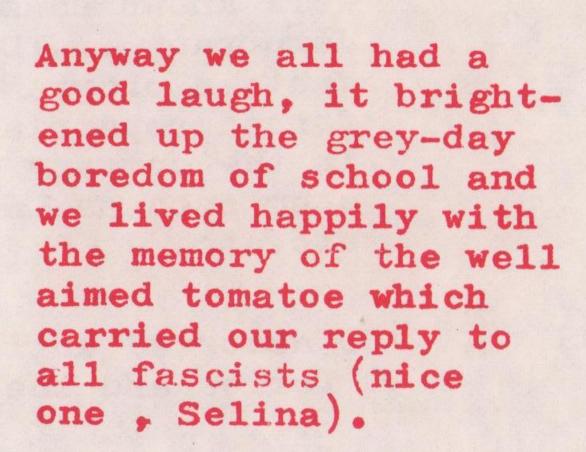
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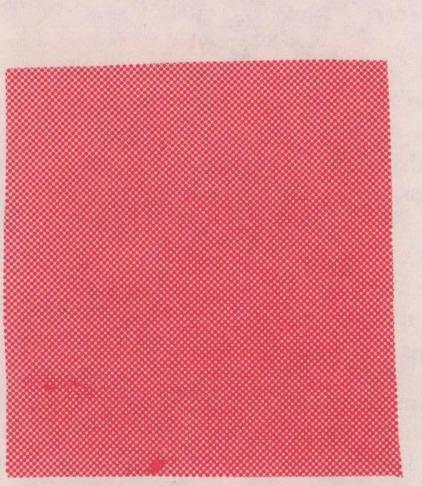
# 7he Story

Well, we occupied the lecture hall and sat in expectation of the jack-booted Hitlerite (artistic licence). In he came and out he went, a hail of abuse, tomatos and gob following his rapid retreat. Good fun and even better when some enterprising anarchists (including the STUFF IT collective) ran down the corridor after him asking his fuhrership to return to the pit he issued from (or words to that effect). It was at this moment that the bastions of "free-speech" (University officials) decided to exercise their'right to assault us'. We eventually returned to the Lecture Hall even more psyched up. The next few minutes were spent telling various leaders, who thought they had the" right to make us listen to speeches", to fuck off. Several scuffles broke out with "ever so libertarian" Tory boot boys, including Henry Mayhew (son of coservative MP Christopher Mayhew) who, despite his macho army officer image couldn't keep the tears back. (WE here at STUFF IT would hope that such displays of emotion will not damage Henrys army career and that when it comes to shooting subversives like us he will be able to control himself).

Outside in the real world two van-loads of cops lurked for the chance to exercise their truncheons in defence of "free speech".











# INTO THE WALLEY ...

Unlike the lefty groups who jumped on the band wagon of the miners struggle we decided to continue our support after the strike was over. Our actual help is pretty minimal (we have no illusions about this) and based on personal links with militant miners in Oakdale colliery (S. Wales). At the present time we send money for sacked miners/prisoners and distribute some literature (including STUFF IT) informally.

Since the end of the strike many left papers have been spouting on about their links with the "MINERS". What are these fabled "links" and are they serving any practical use (other than boosting fake optimism)? We found ourselves included talking about solidarity to other groups without really explaining what we were doing (ie. not very much). It's very easy to pretend that something significant is happening, just to give you, your group or your party (yuk) an ego boost.

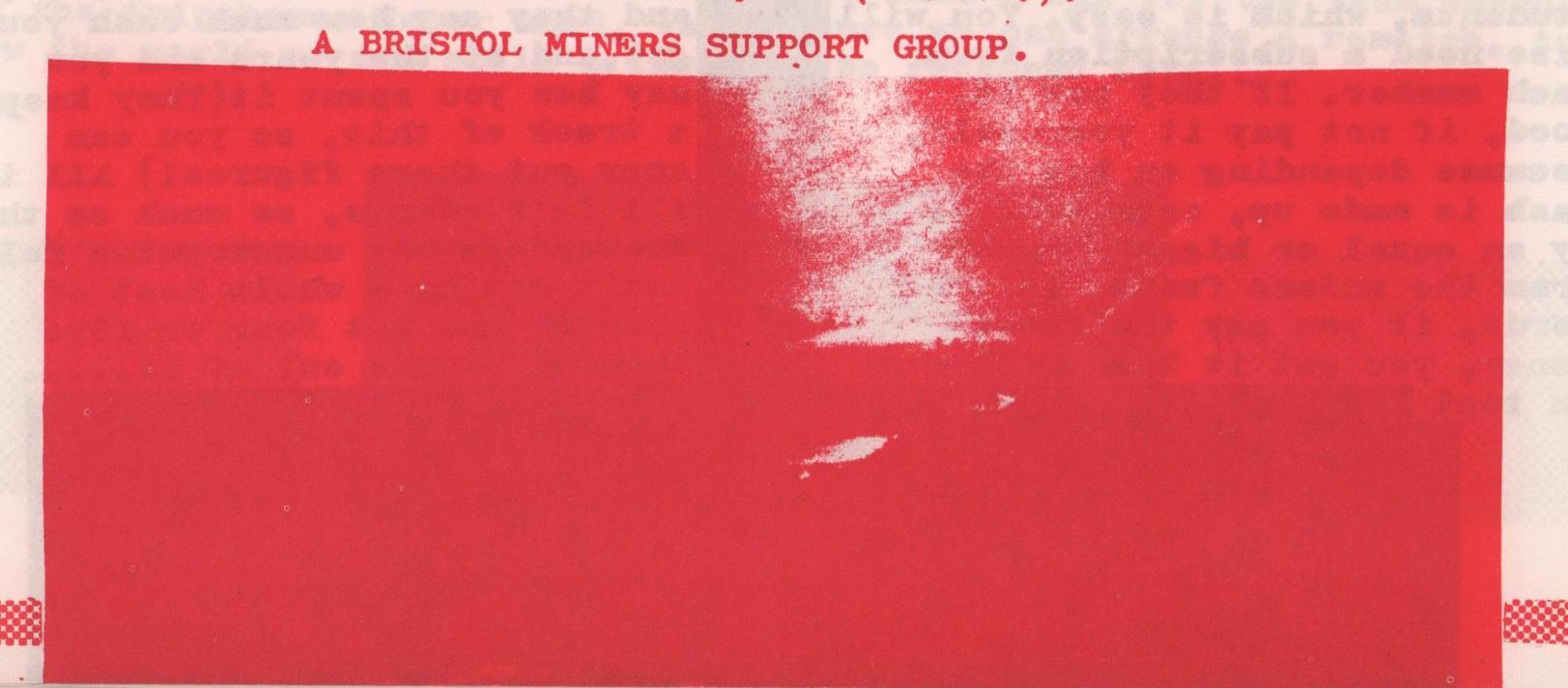
A few weeks ago six of us who were involved with supporting the picket at Oldbury Nuclear Power Station visited Oakdale Village for a weekend. The main event was a social evening organised by the "Miner's Wives" (Wimmins) support group at the local Working Men's Club. The first part of the evening was really great, lots of chat with friends that we had met on the picket line. The alcohol flowed freely and we swopped stories of police violence, media liars and the possible future of the struggle. The culture-shock when we refused the meat sandwiches led onto a discussion about veganism and we managed to explain why we weren't dying of malnutrition. This was quite amazing, as before the strike we would have been run outta town for being deviants....

Unfortunately we did leave for a couple of reasons....
We wouldn't stand for the Welsh National Anthem, unlke the lefties who conveniently forgot that the "Working Class" has no country. Our rejection of nationalitic shit didn't go down too well to say the least. As the evening wore on the lads became blads. Soon the sexist jokes were flying around and it became obvious that we were going to be in for a long night of the same old sexist shit. The wives were sent home to look after the kids and the lads were looking for a good night out, whooocooa!

# WELL FUCK THIS!

Even though it was shit at the end of the night, it was far better than before the strike we're sure. The only way things are gonna change is by showing solidarity with all oppressed groups regardless of their prejudice's. This doesn't mean comprimising your own beliefs or pretending that you have influence like the lefty newspapers/parties but real support and interaction.

We as a group will continue supporting the miners struggle but not blindly. In the next few weeks we have invited several miners to Bristol to see our liberated lifestyles (ho: ho:).



First off you need to be in a University City (Never!) and then you need the services of a student, if you're not one your-self. A full time student is best; but part timers, student nurses or any one of that ilk will do. The idea is to set up an "Anarchist Society", which is going to provide a service to the students- in other words, if it doesn't you are wasting your time, and you'll never get it recognized by the student union, and so not get the loot. Don't worry about this, all it really means is that when you produce your societies aims, you simply sprinkle the word student about alot! There should be no problem about having an "Anarchist Society" as it is "Political", so it is only another view-piont, along with the Tory society etc. The thing to watch for is having done it once, and you find how easy it is, you then want to set up other "Dummy" societies, make sure they are equally worthy, so they can't be turned down before you start. Other fronts can be reading groups, or green groups or even

> libertarian groups etc. The way you go about setting up the "See" will vary, but should be something like this; Your student visits the union bureacrat and gets a fist full of forms. One of these will be your members list, and you need to get over a set amount to cop the cash (twenty in Bristol). So you get the signatures of the students, which is easy. You will also need a subscription from each member. If they pay it, good, if not pay it your-self, because depending on how the cash is made up, each sub. is met by an equal or bigger amount from the unions funds. In other words, if you pay the front money, you get it back with more on top!

You now need to list your aims. Any will do, just mention students, and say no hierarchy, as this means you only need one active student as treasurer, to get funds out, and not four or five to fill all the posts (as anarchists, you are opposed to hierarchy anyhow). The only other important thing to put in your aims, is the way you are going to use to liberate the funds. The cash you get , even though they say it is yours, is really only mean't for paying for things you may do using the student union's facilities, and who meeds that. So say you are going to build up an anarchist library, and write out your own invoices, or when you do printing say that it is A2 size or colour or anything they can't do at the union, and again bill

your self, it's easy! Then you have a form to fill in for the amount: you wan't and why! To start with, try and stay under one hundred pounds, and remeber it's for "student" demo's er conferances etc. If you ask for loads, there is a bigger chance of them looking at what your up to. Any way the cash may be given out on the numbers of members you get, rather than on how active you are. If you do all this at the start of September, you should have a University Fair to get members, if it's later in the year you'll have to work a bit harder at getting the names, but only a bit harder! There will be a meeting, at which you have te say "Why" you are doing it, and they say how much cash you get, and at the years end you say how you spent it (They keep a track of this, so you can capy out there figures!) All in all it's simple, so much se that onewenders why unscropulus folks don't set up a whole hest of "Sec's" and get feur or five hundred pounds out of it.....

At long last the Bristol Chapter of the Anarchist Black Cross\* stopped talking about fund raising events, and got things sorted out enough to put on a Benefit Gig, at a venue in thrilling central Bristol. Events came togeather inside a week, so we did not have time to contact everyone who had offered to help, nor could we get the "Trial by Media" video, which was in Scotland.

With a minimal amount of publicity, and a maximum amount of running about by various ' activists', all came good on the night. We had to content ourselves with a general announcement about the Vancouver Five, and Julie Belmas\* in Particular, for whom the benefit was arranged. Things kicked off with the showing of various (almost irrelevant!) videos, which played all night.

Quite a few laughs were then supplied by "Hernia Warthog", a theatre group from Brighton, followed by a stirling performance from a combo whose name escapes me. (SORRY !) and the evening ended with "Lunatic Fringe's" usual quality performance.

All-in-all we raised £77.08, as well as a donation of £25, originally going to the Diner, but due to things (See else where) it was felt that it would be of more use here. So the grand total was over £100, and the whole event was FUN, so we'll be doing it again soonish. By the way, the fabled Drowned Rat Bookstall had an outing and we failed to sell any copies of "The Chinese Anarchist Movement", let alone anything else...Shame!

\*Anarchist Black Cross, Assists Libertarian prisoners and helps support/defence groups and resistance movements. Contact; - A.B.C. Box BM Hurricane, London WC1 3XX.

\*The Vancouver Five are all Canadian, and are currently serving jail sentences ranging from six to twenty five years for taking varous actions against Porn Video Shops, Hydro Dams, and Cruise factories. Information from :- Free the Five Defense Group, P.O. Box 48296.

Bentall Station, Vancouver, B.C. V7X1A1, CANADA.





Do the Police 'solve' crimes ? Well, from their own figures they only 'solve' twenty percent of the crimes that end up in Court, the other eighty percent are 'solved' by you and I. (This figure ignores the crimes that are never 'solved', or reach Court etc). Yes it is members of the Public comming forward and giving the "Polis" names, leads etc that puts people in Jail, and not the much vaunted 'Detection' skills of the "Boys

in Blue". It is into this context that the Neighbourhood Watch Scheme fits, with the promotion of self Policing and the attempt to legitimise grassing direct to the filth. There is only one thing wrong with the idea of a Neighbourhood Watch, and that is the fact it involves the Polis. If the members of a local Community act together when they see something that they feel is wrong, and those same people are prepared to take responsibility for the 'punishment', then and there, it can only be admired. This is of course the opposite of the way that things are supposed to be done, you are supposed to tell the cops, and if they choose to do anything about it, it will be months after, and a long way away that 'justice' is not seen being done.

The only way that 'punishment', for 'crimes', can really make sense is if those who are put upon, put the 'punishment' upon the offenders, This is a real Neighbourhood Watch and has nothing to do with the coppers nark nonsense being pushed at us at the moment. It can and does work, as is clearly shown when Asian/Black communities come under attack. The filth either don't give a dam, or are the ones carrying out the attacks, so that the only answer is for the locals to come together and act for themselves. Of course this gets up the noses of the old Bill, but it also outrages the 'left', who can only think in terms of Charlie Bronson and "Death Wish".



There are a whole host of ways of dealing with people who Carry out 'crimes', just as many not involving violence, as there are that do. It is important not to fall into the trap of mistaking similar solutions carried out by the state on the one hand and

by the victims on the other, as the same thing. If the victim, and members of the local community. act it is because they have a real reason to do so, where as the Courts only act if forced to do so, and at such a remove from the events that led to the

Court Case, as to make the whole preceeding meaningless. The punishment for the 'crime' is at times next to nothing compared with the period of time spent, as an innocent, on remand. As for the victim, the delay in 'punishment,, can easly break all connection between what happened, and the 'punishment'. It can only be to the good to have summary justice, with each offence being dealt with as and when they occur, by those to whom it has happened. Since as stated at the start the 'guilty' party is almost always known, to some one, the quality of 'justice' can only be improved. Finally to those who would decry "people should not take the law into their own hands", why not because if the law is not for the peoples hands, whose hands is it for ...

If reading this piece has stirred up any degree of interest, here's how you can do something about putting it into practice.

In Bristol recently a womin was assaulted by a male. It wasn't at night, and it didn't happen in a back alley in the bad part of town. The 'victim' was not one to go tell the Cop's, so that they could do sod all about it. So instead the assailant was tracked to a local tech, and with the aid of an 'older' anarchist, playing 'Dad', got to see the files, to confirm that the shit head was a student. They then kicked up a stink, causing maximum trouble for him. The next stage happend when a group of fellow anarchists managed to get his photo. This is at this very moment being turned into a poster, with a description of what he does, and soon will be fly posted around

the city. Most of us can get a camera, and a photocopier will churn out posters cheaply.

SO IF SOMETHING HAPPENS TO YOU, WHY DON'T YOU DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT?

# Pushing the Door...

Located, a strange architectural quirk, a door way to no where, leading down into the bowels of the earth. Was it, could it be, merely an example of post seventies siege mentality building? Only a padlock stood before us and the sure knowledge that it was a Bunker.

Gathered togeather, the 'activists' awaited the arrival of the ex-M.O.D.

bolt cutters, and then...

"It's really different at night, really isolated, isn't it, under that

street light"."
The door way, in a orange glow, stood in sharp relief against the

surrounding gloom.

"We'll never do it", muttered back and forth, but it was now or never, so one strides forward and out of the bag come the cutters.

"Shit, two cops, quick this way"

"Oh no, he hasn't seen them..."

Eleven drunks staggered out of the gloom, and beaming, padlock severed, and cops avoided, onto the bike and away to remove the "evidence"...

But,

stop! over here,
go back to salisbury Plain!

Swerving, to escape the piss-heads, and at last it was escape.

"It's done", and tracking down the entry taem, for stage two.

"You mean he did it", and other mutters of he's got more nerve than
me, before it was back to the door to no where. But then as they turn
the corner, here come the blads, fresh from the assault on the bike rider.

"Oh shit, I don't wan't to brawl in the streets", and a quick step back out of sight. The drunken blads leap into their motors, and at last they roar off, no doubt to kill as many fellow road users as possible.

Then, at long last, dodging the beat cops, it was up to the door and...

A. it was a bunker B. the door jammed C. it was a sewer!



"I'm telling you, it MUST be a Bunker...



Things started out as they where to go on, enroute to the Bookfair. Yes, amidst the box loads of publications, a high spirited group of Bristol Anarchists managed to Box in several 'rollers', in the cross town traffic, and hold up the "Rich Scum" banners out the back window. It was with much relief that we got to the Bookfair, before it got to "Off with the trew's and bums to you"....

# Sports and FUN!

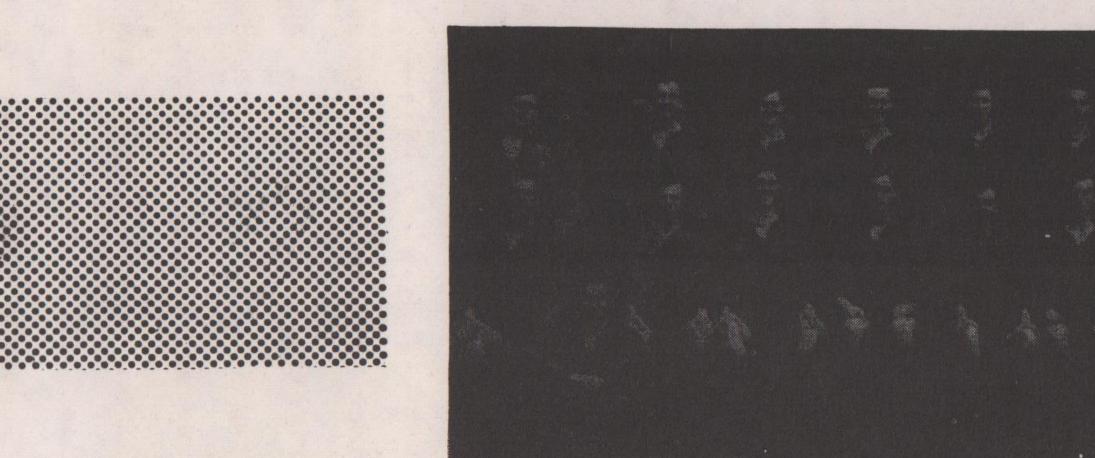
The Anarchist Bookfair on 4th May-Well, we sold less copies of "Stuff it" than we would have done street selling, and lets face it that's our only motivation...just joking, honest!

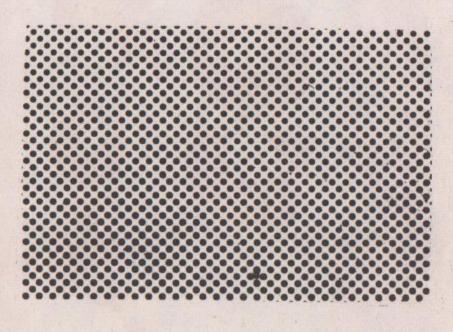
Any how, after D.A.M. went else where, we got a stall that wasn't next to the totally foul "Kneckabout" and we got on with it. It was alot more crowded than the one last November, which seems a good sign. To be frank we didn't get to see much of what others where up to, because of the crush of people, but most of our contributors, whom we hadn't met before found their way to us- and was just dandy, by us! Having survived the "embarrassment" of Freedom Press telling us that they were in the middle of laying up the varous pamplets that we had just printed and were selling by the box load, it turned into a right jolly do! If you some how missed it, go to the next one, it's not just for "crusty" anarcho-publishers, and the social afterwards was just that, social.

After the hectic frenzy of the Bookfair, the "Stuff it" collective made it to the Picnic on Hamstead Heath, laiden down with food. Whilst we filled our faces, Latin ace El Alixo, mustered a team for the "Stuff it all comers challenge cup". The prospect of a game of 'footy' was enough to send one of our number into the trees to escape, but the rest of us where more or less keen.

So a barely match fit "Stuff it" team took to the sacred turf, in their traditional all black strip, and the match progressed. The "Stuff it" team soon ran up a huge lead, for reasons that soon became clear to the all star opposition, Yes we had nine team members to their six...still it enabled us to cover every inch of the pitch, dominate in the air, as well as pack out both ends and the middle! So we soon had our three - nil advantage but then the all stars took the unprecedented step of making three substitutions, and not taking any players off, a tactic unheard of before the 'thugs' started to ruin this once great game, a return to national service seems to be the only answer.... blah blah blah.

Sportingly we played on, as the all-stars soon got three back, but luckly for us, the rhythm having departed our play at such a display of 'gamespersonship', we where forced to make a run for the team coach, and the trip home. Never mind, we are sure we can arrange a rematch, to show the world we are still a force to be reckened with...





# COMISO Two Years On...

Comiso where some of the 112 American cruise missiles scheduled for deploy ment are now based, was a typical small south eastern Sicilian town of approx 28000 inhabitants. With no Mafia connections, situated on a very fertile plain with considerable amount of industry based on marble-quarrying. Sicily is of great stategic importance to the Americans with the missiles only 20 minutes away from Col. Gaddafi in Libya should he step too far out of line, (with the obvious interest in the Middle East). The missiles are as much for the East/West conflict as that of the North/South - Comiso is at the centre of the two great divides of this world.

We recently returned to Comiso after an absence of two years to find things had changed dramatically. We walked round the base, closely followed by military police. The old dilaperdated airport of Al Magliocco was hardly recognisable, half built missile silos were clearly visible and around the outer fence were signs - with picture for emphasis - or for foreigners? - that trespassers would be shot.

Looking at all that construction inside was like watching something out of a Sci - Fi film it was especialy incongrous withthe local Sicilian architechture. The first signs of cultural attack were there too "English spoken" signs on many of the shops and just outside the base a huge bill-board advertising car sale/hire in "Down-town Comiso".

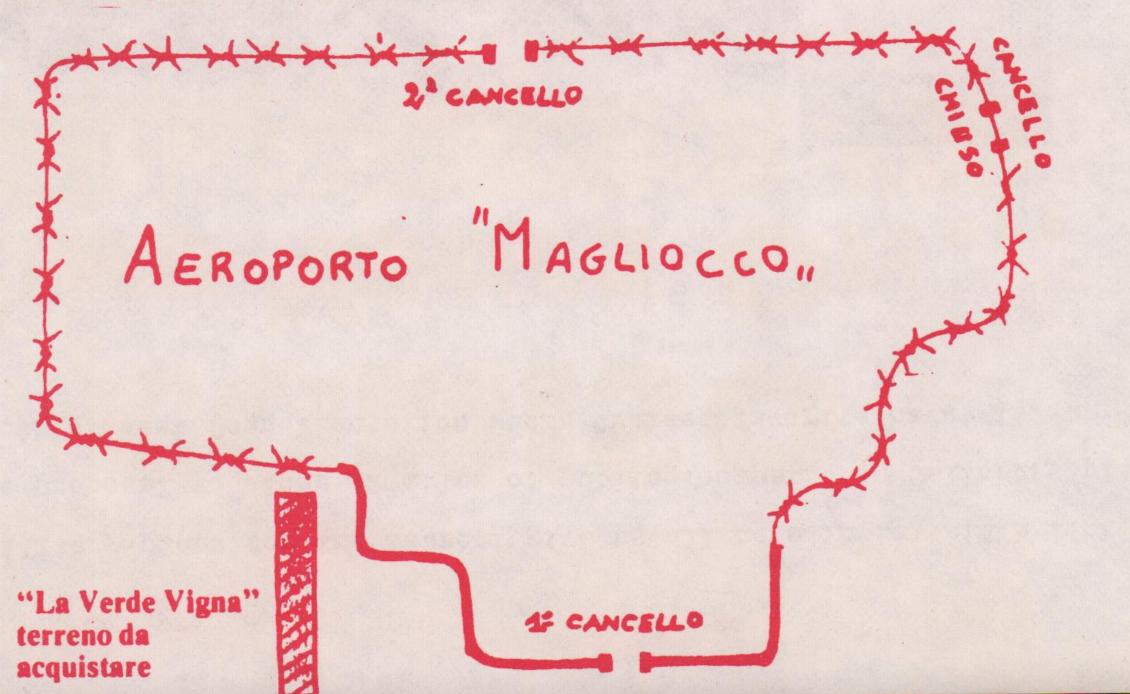
Opposition to the base had started back in 1981 on a local level and in August 82 an International peace camp was set up. It varied its location over the next 6 months eventually being housed in Via G.Morso 29 a house donated by a local shop-keeper. This is now the house of La Ragnatela the womens peace camp. There was also a camp outside the gates of the base for 3/4 months. In the last 2 years there have been many demonstrations including religious ones, trespassings and blockades.



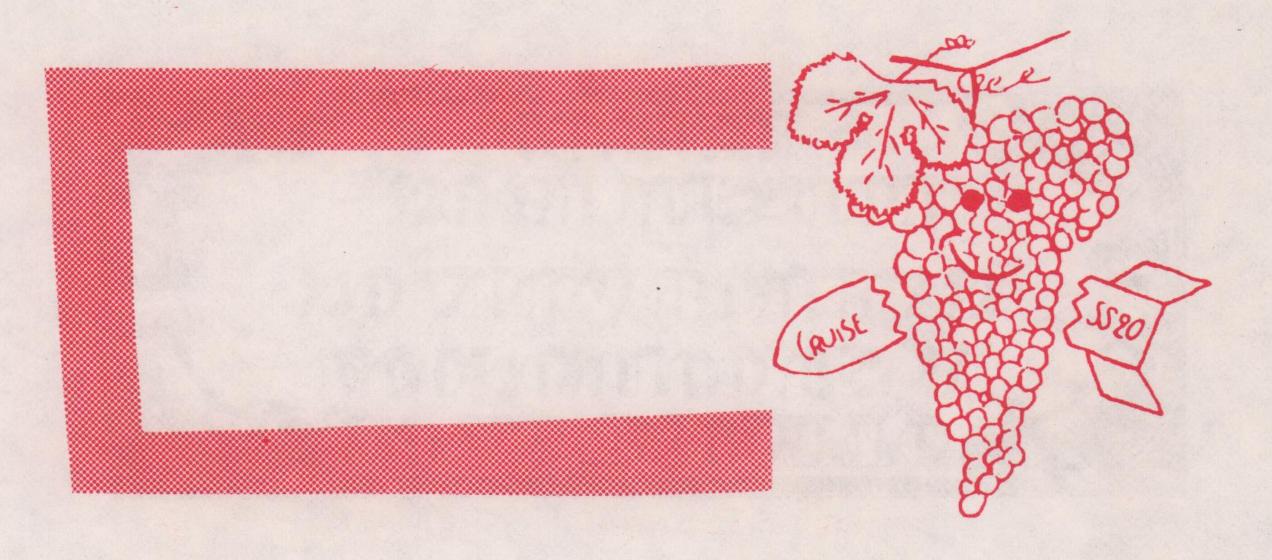
Most of them especially the latter were dealt with very violently by the police. In 83 there was the morning blockade of March 11<sup>th</sup> where one women got here arm brocken and did not recieve treatment for days, and 12 women (non Italians) were deported to their respective countries. We went to their appeal on April 18 this year (this delay is typical) against the charge of "Violenza privata" which is literally violence against an individual - ie stopping the lorry drivers going into the base, was a form of "violence". Being committed to Non-Violent action they spent a lot of energy fighting this aquisation but were found guilty anyway - 20 days suspended and court costs. Other unwanted non-Italians have been deported or expelled and told never to return. This is the way the

authorities suppress opposition to the base - with Italian nationals they have expelled them from the Comiso area & Ragusa province, giving them a sort of liberty in exile! All this for exercising constitutional rights in the "free west"? Yet worse was the August 83 blockade when towards the end of a peaceful 3 day blockade police suddenly charged lashing out at demonstraters with trucheons, using tear gas, and even attacking a medical group wearing the red cross.

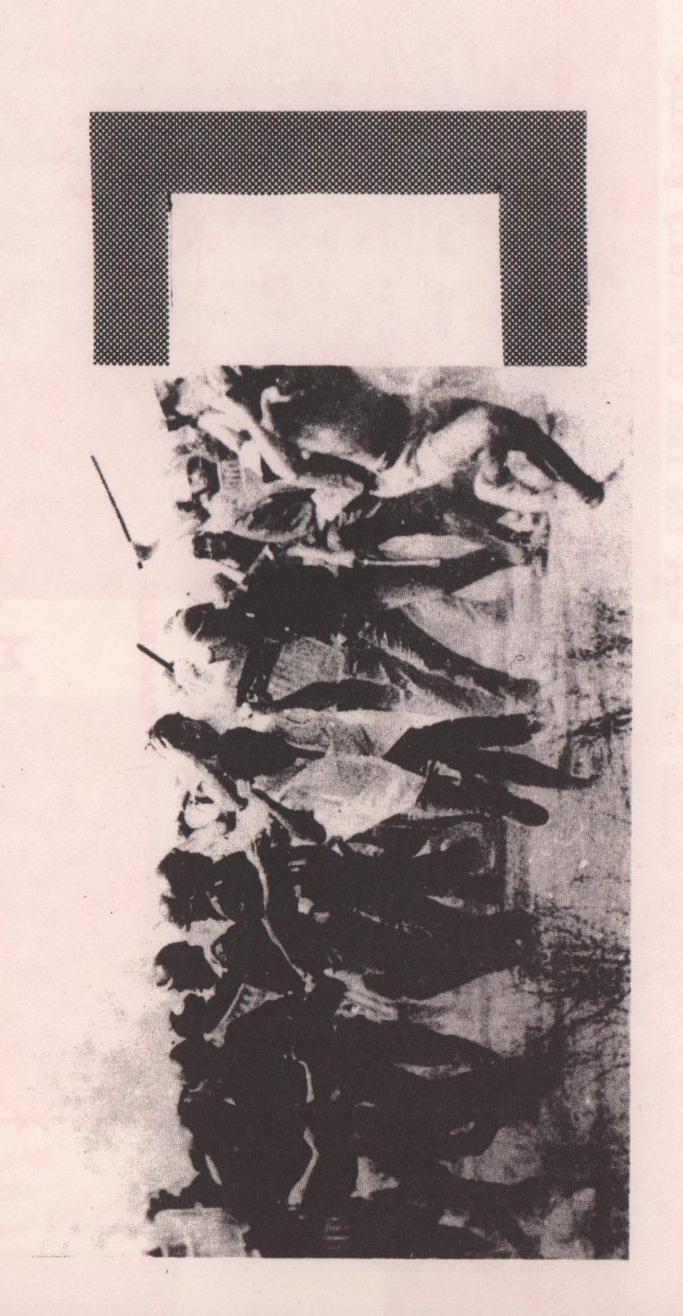
A more successful story has been the Land buying campaign. Thanks to donations the Italian Tax Objectors, International Peace camp, Cudip, and all the hundreds of donations from individuals who bought a square meter of resistance. Four large plots of land plus cottages have been aquired close to the base - There is Verde Vigna about 15000 m<sup>2</sup> bordering the base, and within eye sight of the main enterance. Here a local group ecologists called Cactus work the land Organicaly growing graps for wine, wheat and vegatables. La Ragnetela (spiders web) is nearby there are no women there at the moment (April 85). International Meeting against Cruise (I.M.A.C.), a bit of a tricky one - bought jointly with money from the International Peace Camp and the local Comunist dominated peace committee C.U.D.I.P. (who manage to take credit for every peace initiative in Comiso). All the peices of land are in multi-ownership the idea being that this will considerably slow up the



process of expropriation if as seems probable the authorities want to expand the base, as each owner will have to be contacted individualy! Expropriations are expected to start soon as there is good evidence that the military (U.S.) have been doing a lot of work on maps, and property owners around the base - ie classification of land etc. A lot of thought is going into how to resist this - the feeling being that people wont do anything until its actually happening, when its too late.

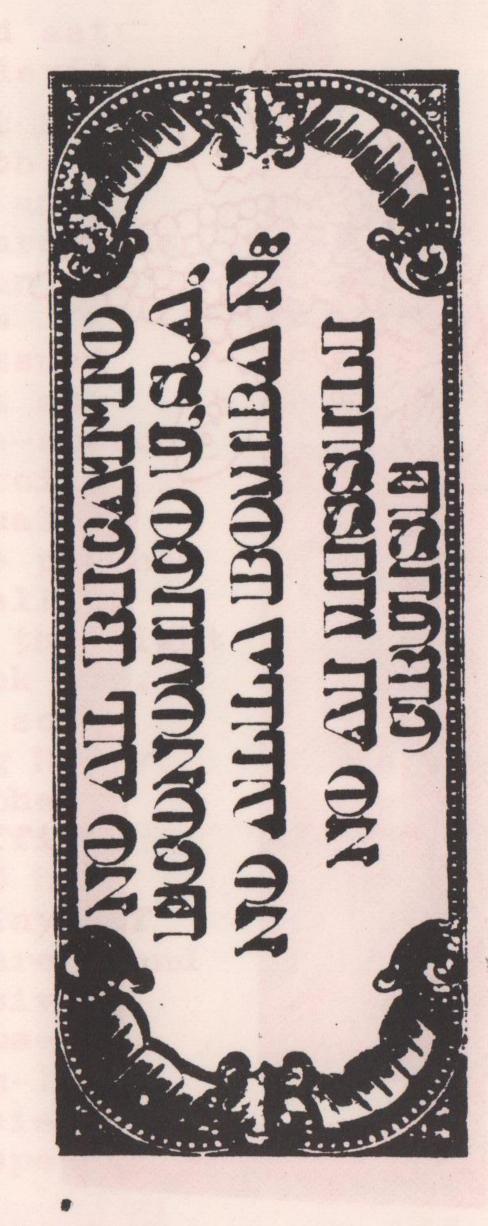


Another important area of resistance is against the plans of the military to make a huge training area in the Nebrodi mountains, N.E. of Comiso which would involve a lot of expropriations around the towns of Mistretta, Castel di Lucio, Caronia disrupting farming comunities and destroying livelihoods. It seems certain that this plan is not unrelated to the instilation of the Cruise missiles and the wish to take them out on manouvers. Local people are strongly against the expropriations and the attitude of the authorities. The sudden construction of roads in the area which theyed been demanding for decades is viewed with suspicion. Just now the construction of a road as far as Gela - near Comiso has been approved. In Caronia the inhabitants were assured that they wouldn't be affected, the area was 8kms away. The towns councillor said he'd like to look at the map anyway and found to his horror that on their map Caronia didn't exist - it's former location was only 1km away from the training area and it would lose its newly acquired acqueduct as this was in the firing range and all the trees that supported its charcoal industry !



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# MIDDLE CLASS WIDGLE CLASS WASS and CLASS VAR

The general comments that came out of our group about the WORKING CLASS, MIDDLE CLASS article in the last issue of STUFF IT were along the lines of......

a. Thinking that the "WORKING CLASS" are wonderful, regardless, is shit because values like, thinking wimmin are for washing up and fucking, thinking that sending the "blacks" back to "Africa" will mean paradise on earth, thinking that dying for your country is heroic etc etc..... span all classes.

b. The power that maintains and spreads these values lies with the governments and bosses. They are our enemy not each other.

C. To change the shit world we live in we must stop using each other and join together to fight our common enemy. Just living in a revolutionary/punk/hippy ghetto won't change anything in the big wide world.

We are fighting for a society based on freedom and co-operation, so whether you have the 'right' or 'wrong' accent, eat'lunch' or 'dinner', dunk your biscuits etc, makes no difference.

It's all very well for us to talk from the safety of our typewriter, but what are we actually doing? STUFF IT is a reflection of the little we have achieved. What about you?

### WHAT TO DO ON BORING AFTERNOONS

Once again STUFF IT has come up with a great rainy-day time waster.

1) Keep your eyes open for huge piles of "THE PLAIN TRUTH" outside newsagents and in bus/train stations

2) Pop as many as you can into your bag. (well, they are free)

3) Wait for a boring afternoon and then rip out all the postage paid coupons.

4) Add your message to the God squad who produce this reactionary shit and pop the coupons in the post.

5) Keep the rest of the magazines



IT'S STUFF IT Amazing Fact TIME! No.1 Did you know that over 40% of the current memberhip of the Socialist Workers party are students? This does not count graduates who are members and gives creedence to their new nick name... The Student Wankers Party.....

STUFF IT Amazing FACT TIME! No.2

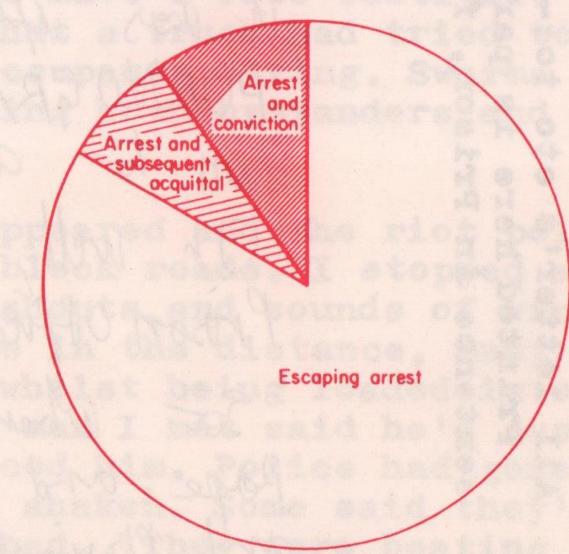


Figure 1.2 The professional criminal's chances.

STUFF IT Amazing FACT TIME! No.3 There are more photo's in the world than bricks.

# STRENGTH THROUGH DIVERSITY

Here's a list of other Anarchist papers so you don't get stuck in a rut with the one you're reading. We've organised them in purely monetarist terms (ie volume for your money, best value at the top, ignoring print quality) for three reasons;

a) We're maoist counter-revolutionaries

b) We're stupid

c)"STUFF IT" appears near the top of the list.
The key is not strict just to give approximate guidelines.

NEWS N=NEWS, C=COMMENT, R=RANT.

POISON PEN (free) NRC. Hastings @ news. Been going for years. The bare minimum that everyone should be doing, really good. c/o Hastings Free Press, 92 London Rd, St Leonards on Sea, E. Sussex.

BETWEEN THE LINES (free) RC. Irregular Oxford @ paper. Ditto to Poison Pen. Box 1, c/o 178 Divinity Rd, Oxford SHEFFIELD ANARCHIST (donation) NRC. Quarterly and a bargain. Another good'un. PO Box 217, Sheffield.

TEAR IT DOWN (25p) NRC. Irregular paper from Notts. Good articles. Box A, Mushroom Bookshop, 10 Heath-cote St, Nottingham. NG1 3AA.

WORKERS PLAYTIME (40p) C. Quarterly. Latest one is glossy. Interesting theory/articles. Workers Playtime c/o 84b Whitechapel High St, London E1.

HARPY (10p) C. Irregular Anarcho-feminist mag, good but were biased. @ wimmin, Box 010, 110 Cheltenham Rd Bristol.

DIRECT ACTION (20p) NC. Monthly, workplace organisation news. Paper of the Anarcho-syndicalist movement. Better then it sounds. Dept. D.A, P.O Box 102, Hull, N. Humberside.

CLASS WAR (20p)NRC. Self styled biggest selling @ paper. The movements answer to the SUN. Good. Box CW, 84b Whitechapel High St., London E1.

ANARCHIST TIMES (10p) NR. One of a series of Class War inspired papers. Dept. AT, 40 Leacroft Rd, Normanton, Derby.

WOLVERINE (20p) RC. Irregular Gay Anarchist paper. O.K c/o 84b Whitechapel High St., London E1.

CROWBAR (25p) NRC. Bi-monthly London squatters paper with world-wide news and lots of really good subversive tips. See especially the recipes page. Colourful. BM Hurricane, London WC1.

WORKERS SOLIDARITY (15p) NC. Irish monthly equivalent of Direct Action (see last issue of STUFF IT). WSM, P.O Box 1528, Dublin 8.

DIRECT ACTION ANIMAL BULLETIN (25p) N. Quarterly. Who's burning down what in the Animal Lib Movement.
'The Bulletin', c/o BCM Box 1160, London WC1N 3XX.

ANGRY! (20p) R. Quarterly. Reviewed in STUFF IT 3. Dodgy but very angry. Box Angry, 43 Candlemaker Row, Edinburgh, Scotland.

PEACE NEWS (45p) NC. Fortnightly. Pacifist with a bit of Anarchism. What's going on in the Non-violent Direct Action sphere. Going for decades (and going broke). Peace news, 8 Elm Avenue, Nottingham 3.

PANIK (20p) ?. Irregular Sheffield paper, it could be wonderful, but we can't read it. Sheffield Peace Shop, Leopald St., Sheffield.

BLACK FLAG (40p) N. Fortnightly, with worldwide news. Also best source of info. on Anarchist prisoners via the Black Cross Support Network. BM Hurricane, London WC1N 3XX.

INSURRECTION (50p) C. Very Irregular. Expensive boring theory. Not exactly totally liberated. Elephant Editions, BM Elephant, London WC1N 3XX.

HERE AND NOW (50p) C. Quarterly. A journal of Social Dynamics (ie. what's going on around us). Alright. Here and Now, Box 2, c/o Changes, 340 West Princes St., Glasgow CT4 9HE.

FREEDOM (45p) C. Monthly. 100 yrs old next year and it shows. A bit tedious. Freedom c/o 84b Whitechapel High St. London E1 7Ax.

BLACK CHIP (40p) C. Quarterly. Computers for Anarchists. Black Chip, 55 Dupont Rd, London SW20 8EH.

SOLIDARITY (60p) C. Quarterly. Interesting. An attempt at formuleting a bridge between the best of anarchism and marxism (or so to speak). Don't be put off. c/o 123 Lathom Rd., London E6.



There are loads more local papers/zines but I can't be bothered to type any more. When you send off for them don't write cheques, send sae and stamps/cash/uncrossed PO's. Good reading.

What do we consider the purpose of our lives?

- To have a good time, except if we prevent or contribute to the prevention of others having a good time.
- To create favourable conditions for the creation of an Anarchist Society, having a good time in the process.



Amazing Competion! Yes, send us the most THRILLING reason why these activist's have this banner, and just what they might have been doing with it! The winner get's a copy of the"Ch\*nese An\*rchist M1vem\*nt" (What cheapscates!)

### THINGS TO DO!

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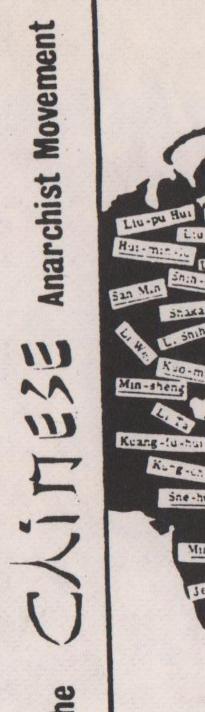
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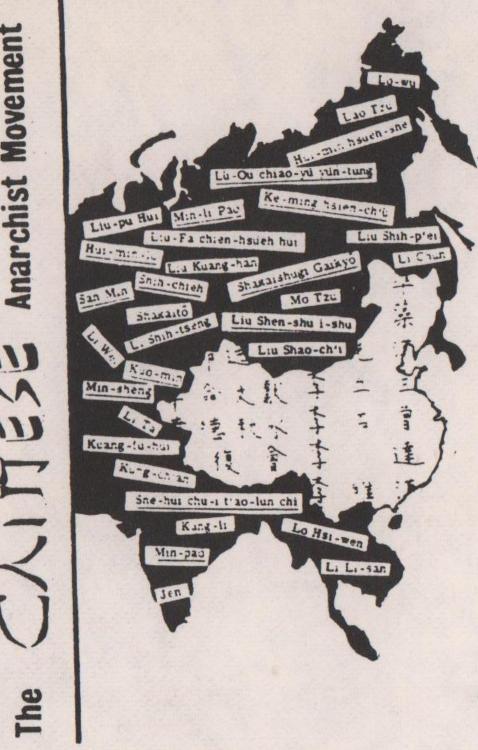
Perthus, France. Phone 16(68) 830155

Portugal- Agricultural cooperatives in Portugal

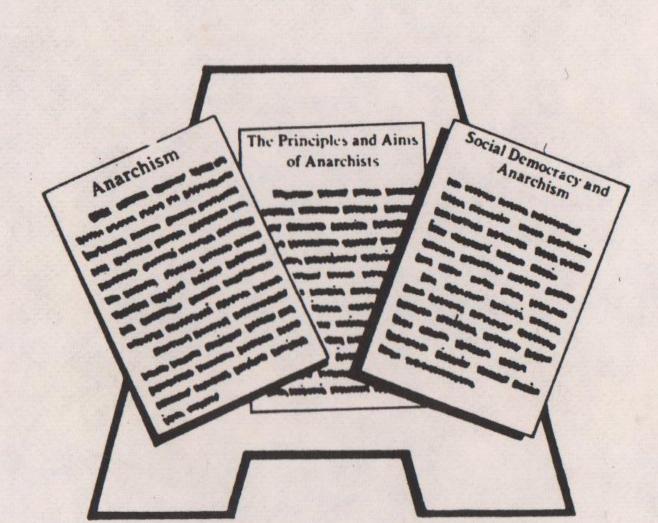
Twelve Clydeside Anarchists who occupied the offices of Price-Waterhouse during the Miners strike need financial support now to pay £2000 of fines. Send money to.... Clydeside Anarchists, c/o Clydeside Press, 53 Cochrane St, Glasgow G 1.

during the revolution in 74/75 are Coming under increasing attacks from large land owners & the government for details of European support campaign contact; Tulipa Vermelha, Post Bus 12039, 1100. AA Amsterdam ZO, Holland.









THREE ESSAYS ON ANARCHISM

Charlotte Wilson

"The Chinese Anarchist Movement" is a very interesting pamphlet just issued by the Drowned Rat Publications Group in Bristol.

It should not be confused with the (often-reprinted) pamphlet "The Origins of the Anarchist Movement in China" by A. Heltzer, though most of the sources are similar.

The main difference is that this concentrates on the earlier period but is much more exhaustive. There is however a curious conclusion to this newest one, especially from an anarchist collective, that Chinese Communism should be grateful to the Anarchist movement for its radical critique of the old system and implantation of communistic ideas, and somewhat puts Anarchism in its place as an also-ran.

But we don't want to quibble, it's a very useful source of facts otherwise, and the story of Chinese anarchism has just got to be fascinating.



Black Flag, 20-4-85.

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