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Scores Party Politics

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Because of the fact that we suspended publication during the recent election campaign subscribers are hereby informed that they will receive the full twenty issues of the Challenge before being asked to renew their subscriptions.

SAYS SPY REPORT WILL SHOCK PUBLIC

WASHINGTON, (AP)—An official close to the house of representatives un-American activities committee said Saturday its forthcoming report on atomic espionage "will shock the public."

It will state, the official declared, that Presidents Roosevelt and Truman and Attorney-general Tom C. Clark "had all the facts" on a Russian spy ring that got atomic bomb secrets, but they did nothing about it.

The official, who declined use of his name, said the report will assert that Roosevelt, Truman and Clark knew that "Soviet agents in a complete professional spy ring, working with amateurs" successfully obtained American atomic secrets.

"It was a completed mission," the official said. He added the spy ring in the United States was "tied up" with the one prosecuted in Canada . . .

— Edmonton Journal, Sept. 27, 1948

Control of the Atom

"The chairman of the U.S.A. Atomic Energy Commission is the Jew, David Lilienthal; the others are Wm. Waymack, L. Strauss (Jew), R. Bacher (Jew), and S. T. Pike. Three Jews out of five.

Behind them is the Jew Barney Baruch, whose official position in the business is U.S.A. member of the UNO commission on Atomic Energy. The London Times of the 19th March, 1946, says 'to him will be made over the results of the preliminary study of the problem of nuclear fission.' The chairman of the UNO Committee which set up the last-mentioned Commission was the Bolshevik Jew, D. J. Manuilsky."

— The New Times, Australia.

The many enquiries which have been received indicate there are a large number of persons throughout Alberta who want to know the stand that the Douglas Social Credit Council proposes to take now that the provincial general election is out of the way.

In the first place the D.S.C. Council and its associates wish to congratulate Alberta electors on their emphatic repudiation of socialism and, for the fourth time, the strong support which they have accorded to the policy of Social Credit centred in the freedom of the individual. This was the only real issue in the election.

PARTY MENACE

The D.S.C. Council is not concerned with party politics, as such. The established system of party politics has proved a deadly menace to democracy and it is contrary to the essentially democratic principles of Social Credit. It is, therefore, tragic that the rise of the Social Credit Movement in Alberta should have resulted in a cabinet-dominated political party, which has, since the death of the late William Aberhart, retained the name "Social Credit" but has progressively abandoned the principles and tenets of Social Credit for considerations of party political expediency. This has been carried to the point of a virtual repudiation of Major C. H. Douglas, the removal from office of all those engaged in disseminating information on genuine Social Credit or exerting an influence in furthering Social Credit policy, a reversal of policy in "The Canadian Social Crediter" and, for all practical purposes, the complete abandonment of the fight for Social Credit. In short the Alberta movement has been manoeuvred into the position of supporting just another political party indistinguishable from any other party except for the name.

And in return for this incredible and tragic development, the Government has won, much to the embarrassment of Social Crediters, the enthusiastic support of those very monopolistic interests most bitterly antagonistic to Social Credit. This should clearly indicate the source from which such effective influence has been exerted.

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FOR THE RECORD

"During the last thirty years Douglas Social Credit has suffered so badly a press that its supporters must have experienced a shock last week when the *News Chronicle*, in a leading article, wrote kind words about the Government of Alberta, which is the one place as yet where the movement has succeeded in gaining the confidence of the electors. The fact that one director of the *News Chronicle* is a governor of the Bank of England, while another has been a British financial representative at Basle, might suggest that the journal has a fondness for orthodox finance. Its praise of the Alberta regime, moreover, does not include any commendation of those monetary principles which in any case the Albertans have not been allowed by the Federal authorities to employ, but is confined to the efficiency and honesty of the Albertan Government. Even to mention Social Credit, except in terms of

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THE PRICE OF BUREAUCRACY

By W. R. C., in Winnipeg Free Press

The Saskatchewan government has announced that in 1949 its hospital tax will be increased from the present \$5 per individual and \$30 family maximum to \$10 per adult with the same family figure. Revenue, it is estimated, will grow by \$2,000,000.

It was evident from the hospitalization scheme start in 1947 that the \$5 tax would fall far short of meeting the cost. As it turned out, at the end of the first year the cost was \$7,600,000, revenue \$3,771,000 and the deficit \$3,829,000. Premier Douglas estimates costs in 1948, the second year, will be up \$1,000,000. Thus in two years the scheme will have incurred deficits of about \$8,500,000 before the tax increase begins to take effect.

Estimates of 1949 costs have not been made public. If they remain at the 1948 level, the 1949 deficit will be as large as it was the first year in spite of higher revenue, and if the upward trend continues at the same rate, then \$4,500,000 would not be too high an estimate . . .

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THE ISSUE

"Soviet Communism will succeed in its attempt to conquer the world in direct proportion to the support which America gives to Zionism. This may sound startling, but it is grimly true."

—Benjamin H. Freedman, Oct. 15, 1947.

If that statement had been made by C. H. Douglas, or Norman Jaques, or, for that matter, any person other than a Jew, it would be received by frantic shrieks of "anti-semitism!" Coming, as it does, from a prominent American Jew, it cannot be dismissed by any such perverted emotional appeal.

The last few weeks should have opened people's eyes to what is going on despite the clumsy propaganda attempts to obscure the significance of events.

It should be evident to any person of reasonable intelligence who is not suffering from acute mental myopia or paralysis of the brain, that World War III is being promoted. No longer is there any pretence that the chaos, the turmoil, the intrigue and the manipulation of entire populations is but the prelude to peace and a glorious future. Step by step, the situation has been developed towards war—a war in which the Promoters will control both sides, that whoever wins, they, and they alone, will emerge victorious. The Promoters are, of course, the International Zionist hierarchy which control both Communism and Finance.

That was the technique and purpose of World War I and World War II—and we appear to have learnt nothing from the hideous experience.

International Zionism is the most deadly menace with which humanity in general and Christendom in particular has been confronted. Its objective is world domination—the world slave state subservient to its Zionist masters. Its policy, strategy and tactics are so evil, so Satanic and so degenerate that they cannot stem from human minds. They must be the product of the Devil Incarnate and fiends of Hell.

Step by step, the forces of International Zionism have deliberately undermined, perverted and wrecked Western Civilization—or rather what civilization we had succeeded in attaining through the inspiration of Christianity. First by means of the Illuminati and secret societies, then by the control of International Finance, and through this instrument of control, by manipulation of economics, by propaganda, by control of the press, the Zionist hierarchy has fomented wars, revolutions and social upheavals. All for the purpose of gaining more and more control and domination in their drive towards their objective of absolute world power.

The evidence is overwhelming. Zionists have played the leading roles in all the disasters which have destroyed the very foundation of Western society. Marx and Engels—both of that breed—laid the foundations of modern communism and socialism. The Rothschilds, Mendellsohns, Schiffs, Casells, Warburgs and others—all of the same persuasion—played the leading roles in the domination of Zionist financial control. In politics, the Samuels, the Isaacs, the Baruchs, the Frankfurters, the Morgenthau and their kind, brought politics and government under their Zionist domination—and the story is the same in every phase of social life.

International Zionism is the parent body of communism, socialism and international finance alike. Its policy is monopoly—the absolute centralization of control. And that policy has been pursued with a fiendish determination in accordance with the strategy and tactics set out in the Protocols of the Learned Elders of Zion—a document which will turn the strongest stomach, so evil, so degenerate and so diabolical is it.

The Protocols are violently denounced by Zionists and their apologists as being a forgery, yet so faithfully do they depict the conspiracy of which humanity has been the victim during the past half century, that, if they are a forgery, it

Political Zionism

"The Bolshevik Revolution in Russia was the work of Jewish brains, of Jewish dissatisfaction, of Jewish planning, whose goal is to create a new order in the world. What was performed in so excellent a way in Russia, thanks to Jewish brains, and because of Jewish dissatisfaction and by Jewish planning, shall also, through the same Jewish mental and physical forces, become a reality all over the world."—The American Hebrew, Sept. 10, 1920.
(Quoted from The Cross and The Flag, Aug. 1948.)

would be interesting to see the original from which they were forged.

International Zionism is the one real issue in the world today. It is the focus of all other issues. From it stems the evil of communism, all monopoly, all forms of state dictatorship, the economic chaos of our times, the attacks against Christianity and religion, the onslaught against democracy—in fact every issue arising out of the desperate plight of the world at the present time.

The policy of International Zionism must at all costs be defeated if humanity is to escape the appalling fate towards which it is being hurried. But men make policies and carry them out. You cannot defeat a policy unless and until the men responsible for it are defeated and divested of their power.

Therefore the individuals responsible for the policy of International Zionism must be exposed. They must be named and their actions unveiled for all to see.

And that is the urgent—the vital task to which every individual who values freedom, truth, justice, beauty and all those things which are the very essence of our Christian faith and our democratic ideals must—at all costs—devote his energies.

That is the very core of the task which confronts the Social Credit Movement and the Christian Churches alike. It is a responsibility which cannot be avoided—and which this publication has no intention of avoiding.

Palestine Christian Union Report Exposes Zionist Tactics

JERUSALEM, June 10 (NC)—The statement issued by the Christian Union in Palestine on the fighting in Jerusalem said in part:

"The Security Council of the United Nations and the consular Armistice Committee had given us hopes that the Holy City and its historical sanctuaries would be spared the horrors of war and its consequences of destruction and ruin, both belligerent parties having signed before the consular Armistice Committee and the representative of the International Red Cross an undertaking to cease fire for the duration of eight days from 9 p.m. on May 14, 1948.

"In compliance with this signed promise, the Arab command issued formal orders through loudspeakers to cease fire and complete peace prevailed in all Arab sectors. "But the Jews took advantage of this opportunity and immediately occupied the main strategical points from where they tried to attack the Arabs and to launch their attack on the Holy City.

"We immediately informed the consular Armistice Committee and the representatives of the International Red Cross of this infringement of the agreement by the Jews.

No Control Over Group

"The reply received was that the Jewish Agency declared that the Stern gang, which is working separately, broke the cease-fire agreement and that the Jewish Agency had no control over this group.

"We then realized that the terrorists are controlling the Jewish movement. In consequence of which the International Red Cross and the Armistice Committee declared that it was beyond their power to enforce respect for the undertaking.

"In this way, the Holy City was turned into a battle field where severe fighting is taking place accompanied by destruction on a large scale. In consequence, churches, convents, religious and charitable institutions have become the target of mortar shells and bullets.

"Some of these buildings were destroyed and set on fire and many of the innocent civilians, comprising women, children, priests and nuns, were injured by the explosion of bombs.

"Because of this dreadful situation, we, the representatives of the Christian communities deem it our solemn duty to raise our voice in protest against the violation of the sanctity of our churches, convents and institutions."

The statement then enumerated nine Catholic and Orthodox institutions that were occupied by the Jews and listed 14 institutions that were damaged by Jews and five religious that were killed or wounded in the course of the fighting. The statement then went on:

"We, therefore, appeal to all those in power and to the civilized world to compel the Jews to respect the holy places and religious institutions and to desist from making them military bases and targets."

Western Catholic, June 23, 1948.

DOUGLAS COUNCIL ANNOUNCES STAND

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SOCIALIST PLATFORM

This issue could not have been placed before the people of Alberta either before or during the election without causing confusion and playing into the hands of the forces seeking the disruption of the Social Credit movement. The election was called at short notice, and an ambiguous and socialistic platform (which had never been approved by any convention or even the Social Credit MLA's) was placed before the people. However, in point of fact, the election campaign was fought on the basis of the democratic principles of Social Credit versus the policies of state socialism. Notwithstanding their progressive repudiation of Social Credit, spokesmen for the Government gave emphatic assurances of adherence to Social Credit principles and sought a mandate on that basis.

The D.S.C. Council considers, therefore, that the strong mandate given the Government is for the pursuit of the policy of Social Credit and that it will be the solemn duty of all genuine Social Credit MLA's to insist on the Government taking effective action towards the realization of a Social Credit democracy, and adhering strictly to Social Credit principles and policy as enunciated by Major C. H. Douglas.

While the record of the Alberta Government for good administration is outstanding in all Canada, nevertheless "good government" is not enough in the present menacing situation.

The Council cannot accept the view that, because constitutional and legal difficulties have been raised against the Province exercising effective control of its credit structure, therefore no action can be taken in the provincial field to advance the policy of Social Credit. Unless action is taken within the provincial sphere of jurisdiction, we shall continue to submit to increasing monopoly-cartel control and to drift helplessly towards the servile state being promoted by the forces behind state socialism, communism, international Zionism and international finance alike. It is not what is SAID in this connection but what is DONE, that is important.

STEPS OUTLINED

Accordingly, in view of the fact that the constitutional issue can be dealt with only by the establishment of a genuine political democracy as an essential preliminary to the economic reforms of Social Credit, the D.S.C. Council will press for the following measures which not only represent the effective steps which can be taken forthwith to further the policy of Social Credit, but should have the support of all overwhelming majority of the people of Alberta:

(1) An immediate and, as revenues increase from oil royalties and other sources, a progressive reduction of taxation on individuals.

(2) All taxation coming within provincial jurisdiction to be subject to the consent of those required to pay the taxes.

(3) The multitude of provincial laws, regulations, licences and other controls—most of which are pure socialism—

to be reviewed and all restrictions on the freedom of the individual conflicting with traditional British common law, to be abolished.

(4) The Treasury Branches to be expanded and developed to fulfill the purpose for which they were originally established.

(5) Monopolies to be discouraged and every encouragement accorded to promoting free enterprise and personal initiative without any strangling government interference.

(6) Electoral reform to place MLA's and other elected representatives under the effective control of their constituents.

(7) All major Government policies to be referred to and approved by the electorate before becoming law.

(8) All social security measures to be on a voluntary basis and in this, as in all matters governed by legislation involving the organized association of individuals for the purpose of gaining some advantage in return for stipulated payments, the individual to be absolutely free to contract out if he so desires.

Failure of the electors to thus unite in assuming their democratic responsibility to direct their government can very easily result in government by Cabinet dictatorship and apathetic administration.

The essence of democracy is personal responsibility, and the D.S.C. Council submits that the people of Alberta being responsible for the election of a Government with virtually no opposition in the Legislature, every elector should make it his personal business to join with others in keeping the pressure on their MLA so that he will carry out their wishes and bring constant pressure to bear on the Government. In this way the people will ensure getting good government and, in the process, they will be taking the initial step towards an effective political democracy.

FOR THE RECORD

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derision, is, however, so unusual that cynics must be casting around for an explanation. They may not need to look far.

"At the end of last year, as it happens, the Canadian Social Credit movement encountered violent storm and schism. Mr. Norman Jaques, fearless Social Credit M.P., was denied access to the columns of the movement's journal, the editor of which was dismissed, and an announcement was made that henceforth no allusion would be permitted to Jewish influences in world finance. According to the *British Social Crediter*, this followed a visit to Alberta by Lady Reading, but—whether or not that visit had anything to do with the matter—there is no doubt that previously the Canadian *Social Crediter* was critical of Jewish power and is critical no longer. Churlish, indeed, would be the *News Chronicle* if it failed to raise a cheer."

— "Truth."
August 27, 1948. (Published in "The Social Crediter," September 4, 1948.)

Note: "Truth" is an outstanding English periodical with a long and solid record for its integrity.

Russia Said Arming Jews

LONDON, (AP)—Brig. J. B. Glubb Pasha, British-born Transjordan Army commandant, said Friday Russia will seek to dominate the Middle East through Israel.

Glubb Pasha, in a statement, called for an early settlement in Palestine by the United Nations and said Britain and the United States must "watch" their Middle East interests carefully. He is returning to the Middle East soon after conferences with high British officials.

"Arms are being smuggled illegally into the Jewish state from behind the Iron Curtain," he said. "Jewish youths are receiving military training in the territories of Russia and her satellites. Israel seems to be able to make the best of both worlds."

"The large financial subsidies which she receives from America she spends buying arms from Russia and her satellites. The longer the present disturbances continue, the more influence will Russia gain over Israel."

— Edmonton Journal, Sept. 18, 1948

Clark Labels 82 Communist Groups

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Eighty-two U.S. organizations were classified as "Communist" Saturday by Attorney-general Tom Clark. He listed 15 organizations as "Fascist," 22 as "totalitarian" and six as "subversive."

Four groups, he said, have adopted a policy of advocating or approving the commission of acts of force and violence to deny others their rights under the constitution, and five "seek to alter the form of government of the U.S. by unconstitutional means." Several of the organizations appeared on more than one list.

— Edmonton Journal, Sept. 27, 1948

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MAIN STREET

by N. B. James

Yes, I'm back on Main Street again (for my sins). Like the proverbial cat, "I couldn't stay away."

There is something fascinating about meandering down a street like this, watching the peoples' faces, seeing the expression of happiness or tiredness or fear stamped on their countenances.

The complacency of the well-to-do with their air of smugness over their own astuteness (there's another word for it) in attaining to a position above the average (they are usually dumb-clucks outside their special graft), the haunting fear and hopelessness on the faces of the older ones (\$30 a month as old age pension and a grave), the kindness and simple happiness of others, and the meeting of friends—and a few not so friendly—looking at the goods and the trash in the store windows.

It's nice, just before "Mother's Day" for instance, to look in the windows and see pictures of "Whistler's Mother" and all the cheap and nasty suggestions for gifts (at double the price) that will delight (or otherwise) your fond Mother when she comes home from Church where the clergyman has dripped all over her with sentimental eulogies.

By the way I never can understand why it is that all Mothers have silvery hair, horn rimmed glasses, furrowed brows and toil worn hands. For goodness sake, aren't there any young Mothers any more? Do they always have to wait until old age sets in before they have babies? What's become of the young mothers?

But, as usual I've gone away off the subject, which is Main Street.

It isn't quite the same street. It's in a new locality and amid pleasanter surroundings than the old street. The old Main Street was a pleasant enough place to wander down for a time, but towards the end it got so cluttered up with smelly party-political garbage and

refuse that one had to get into a back alley to breathe.

Besides, there got to be too many grim policemen (or Gestapo) to every block, and the "verboden" signs were too thick to see the sky through.

This new Main Street is clean and wholesome. It has no gestapo and no verboden signs. We have got away from the smell (there's another word for that too) and we're out in the open. It will be up to us to observe the decencies of life on our own.

I can't promise you that everything in the garden will be lovely in our meanderings. These are not lovely times and the horrors of "Peace" are making things look pretty sticky just now, and the hand of Bureaucracy is heavy upon us.

Soon we will have the horrible grip

The Real Roosevelt

The recent death of Charles A. Beard, the veteran American historian, followed a few months after the publication of his book "President Roosevelt and the Coming of the War 1941."

Beard's reputation as a historian and student of American foreign relations stands on the meticulous care with which he presents his facts and analyses their implications, substantiating his evidence by citing chapter and verse of the official documents from which it is derived.

Pearl Harbour

His last published work on "President Roosevelt and the Coming of War" is a volume of some 600 pages packed with authentic information, assembled and presented with the skill and precision worthy of an historian. Every man and woman who has been bewitched and hypnotised by the flood of propaganda about the super-human attributes of the late Franklin D. Roosevelt should read this work; — nay, should study it with the care it deserves.

Many have been the rumours regarding the Japanese "sneak" attack on Pearl Harbour — and some of these have carried with them extremely ugly reflections on persons in high places. Beard assembles and analyses the actual authentic evidence available, and presents it to the reader with a searing frankness that must have created consternation in certain quarters.

Lies and Deceit

Beard Proves that while Roosevelt was giving unqualified pledges to the American nation to keep them out of the war, he was, in fact, deliberately working to bring them into the war — that he was pursuing a policy of deceiving the

of "war emergency" and even such a mild and timid person as myself will have to watch his step or he will be accused of—something or other, that is "detrimental to the war effort."

Then, being a descendent of "Truthful James," I may have to say things you won't like, but if you will recognize that I do it only for the "good of your soul" we'll get along alright. Anyway, while I have the duty of writing this bilge, you don't have to read it, do you

Maybe that's enough for this week. Next week I'm going to ask you some pretty impertinent questions. I want to know who I am talking to.

Some of the impertinent questions will be:

Are you a Communist? If not, why not? If you are not a Communist are you a Fascist? If you are not a Communist and not a Fascist, what the heck are you?

What is the difference (if any) between a Communist and a Fascist? And finally, if you're neither, why are you Anti-Semitic.

Because if you are not a Communist and not a Fascist you MUST be Anti-Semitic (whatever that is). You don't believe me? Ask any Communist, and if they won't tell you, come back to me. I will.

SOCIAL CREDIT IN ALBERTA (1948)

"The Manning Administration is no more a Social Credit Administration than the British Government is Labour."

The above sentence is taken from the first of a series of articles by Major C. H. Douglas which appeared recently in The (English) Social Crediter. These are most enlightening articles and readers may obtain mimeographed copies through our information service.

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people and the Congress of the United States.

The issue raised by this work is not whether it was "a good thing" or "a bad thing" that the United States entered the war in December 1941 with the attack on Pearl Harbour, or if it would have been a "better thing" had she entered a year or two years sooner. It is rather the trickery, the deceit, the intrigue and slimy tactics employed in the conduct of foreign policy under centralization of power.

The "Link"

While Beard's book deals specifically with events leading up to the U.S. entry into the war, it should throw a flood of light on the subsequent phase of the Roosevelt administration's conduct of U.S. affairs in relation to world events — on Teheran, on Yalta, on Quebec, on Bretton Woods, on San Francisco.

Some of the facts brought to light by Beard are:-

(1) That, on the evidence of Winston Churchill himself, Roosevelt was in close and constant communication with him from the outbreak of war and before Churchill became Prime Minister.

(2) That the establishment of an effective world organisation" was a matter of mutual agreement between Churchill and Roosevelt at the time of the Atlantic Conference.

(3) That Bernard M. Baruch the "Link" between Churchill and Roosevelt — to both of whom he had been an intimate and adviser for years — was present at a private celebration of the U.S. entry into the war. To this dinner, held on December 23, 1941, Baruch "brought with him a special bottle of brandy which the President served at the end of the dinner" after which "the President and Mr. Churchill made short stirring speeches."

The Next Move

While such points — and there are many — would have little significance for the average reader, they will be picked up readily by Social Crediters and others who are alive to the Zionist-Communist World Plot.

regarding many phases of the war — Much has, as yet, to come to light and as it does it will become increasingly apparent that the war was promoted and manipulated for the attainment of objectives other than those presented to "the people."

And the same evil forces are busy even now promoting the next carnage and bringing it to a head.