ANARCHO-PACIFIST

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NO GOVERNMENTS
NO WARS

“UP THE LOT OF YA”
GREETINGS. This is the first edition of the ANARCHO-PACIFIST, which started off as a monthly radio show on Radio Access. Although the term anarcho-pacifist is becoming rather common to throw about, I like it because it tends to dispel the misconceived ideas of assassins and chaos.

Anarchy means without government, without authority, a society which is classless and equal, goods are produced and distributed according to need, not to greed. Many people believe such a society is Utopian and impossible to achieve, they should look back at Spain 1936 - 1939, where an anarcho-syndicalist background led to the successful spontaneous appropriation of both factories and land, or France 1968, when university students occupied administration buildings, and called for an end to both the Vietnam war and their own oppression as students (March 22nd). This led to a teachers strike and violent repression by the police. On May 13, 600,000 marched through Paris in protest. On the same day, workers at the Sud Aviation plant went on strike, triggering off a general strike which included 10 million workers. France was on the brink of total revolution, the demand was for complete self-management. Unfortunately, this did not happen, due to the leaders of the Communist workers union preventing contacts between the students and the workers, and the increased violence of the police. Workers accepted limited demands (better pay, shorter hours etc.) and by the end of June, France had returned to 'normal'. O.K so anarchy didn't come about, but what's important is the fact that it happened at all. May - June proves revolution is possible in an advanced capitalist state. These protests, and more recently the Stop The City and Henley Regatta demonstrations are more than the rejection of capitalism, they are questioning authority itself, and demanding the right to a free and meaningful existence.

The revolution for anarchy does not have to be violent I feel. By violent I mean the physical destruction of living beings, the destruction of inanimate objects can not be classed as violent. Hence my definition of a pacifist, as a person who uses non-violent direct action, may differ from many others. Indeed the word is now confused with passiveness, as great a threat as any government.

REMEMBER THE REVOLUTION STARTS WITH YOUR MIND.

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Here are some actions that have taken place in the London stop the city protests:
- building occupations
- leafleting
- pickets
- graffiti
- bank cash dispensers were superglued
- group of 30 cyclists slowly toured the streets
- people opened and closed bank accounts
- ALF disrupted the meat market
- 200 people formed a human barricade across London bridge
- anything that was moved was superglued
- military statues were decorated
- jugglers, singers and puppeteers wound their way through the crowd
- numerous die-ins
- phone-ins to jam switchboards
- people walking backwards and forwards to slow traffic and hinder police
- theatre
- restaurants stungbombed
- fur shops attacked

Stop The City is a demonstration of individuals, by individuals.

There are more than 40,000 nuclear warheads in the world today, equivalent in destructive power to a million times that of the single bomb which obliterated Hiroshima. The world is in deadly danger.

ACT NOW. PROTEST TO SURVIVE.

No political party can afford to be environmentalist if they want to get & retain power. They must pander to the ignorance & greed of the masses. They must strive for a higher CDP. They must despoil the environment. — W. Innes.

GARY KNAPP, BLOODY USELESS

Knapp is introducing a bill that conservative animal welfare groups are welcoming. The bill will make vivisection accountable, ie. the experiments don’t stop we just get to find out the numbers killed. This is a giant step backwards to the pathetic UK system and will do nothing but fortify the vivisection establishment. 250,000 animals are wasted each year in NZ vivisection laboratories, once the experiments been done it’s too late. Accountability does nothing for animals.

WHOEVER PUTS HIS HAND ON ME TO GOVERN ME IS A USURPER AND A TYRANT, I DECLARE HIM MY ENEMY — Pierre-Joseph Proudon
NINETEEN EIGHTY BORE
Who needs a lobotomy when we've got the ITV? / Who needs ECT when there's good old BBC? / Switch on the set, light up the screen, / Fantasise and dream about what you might have been, / Who needs controlling when they've got the cathode ray? / They've got your fucking soul, now they'll fuse your brains away. / Mindless fucking morons sit before the set, / Being fed the mindless rubbish they deserve to get. / Can't switch off big brother, they've lost all will to act. / Lost in drab confusion, was it fiction? Was it fact? / Another plastic bullet stuns another Irish child, / But no one's really bothered, no, the telly keeps them mild. / They've lost all sense of feeling to the ever hungry glow. / Drained of any substance by the vicious telly blow. / No longer know what's real or ain't, slowly going blind. / They stare into the goggle-box while the world goes by, behind. / The Angels are on TV tonight, grey guise fucking shit. / The army occupy Ireland, but the boot will never fit. / Was it Coronation Street? Or was it Londonderry? / Oh it doesn't fucking matter, Paul Daniels'll keep us merry. / Yes, I've heard of Bobby Sands, wasn't it Emmerdale Farm? / Yes, that's right, he was kicked by a cow, I hope it didn't do him no harm. / And wasn't the Holocaust terrible, a good thing it wasn't for real. / Of course I've heard of H-Block, it's the baccy with man appeal. / Deeper and deeper and deeper, layer upon layer. / Illusion, confusion, is there anyone left who can care? / Yes, the Abbey National cares for you. / Nat West and Securicor. / Well brings out the Branton brenguns, let's spice it up some more. / The Sweeney are cruising Brixton, they've created another Belfast. / And J.R., advising Thatcher on lighting, make up and cast, / A thousand camera lenses point at the people's pain. / As millions or mindless morons watch the action replay again. / Softly, softly, into your life, you're held in it's brilliant glow. / Softly, softly, feeding itself on the you you'll never know. / Your life's reduced to nothing, but an empty media game. / Big Brother ain't watching you mate, you're fucking watching him.

Lyrics by CRASS

I.V.
SWITCH OFF THE SET & TURN ON YOUR BRAIN.

This is for all the people I've come across, who moan about television shows, but never turn them off!?!?

6.00 The Young Doctors
Vivienne Jefferys and Norman Campbell continue their struggle for the patient's rights, while Ben Fielding falls in love at first sight, with Brian Denham's new medical assistant.

12.00 Madge on Two
A deadly romantic drama starring...

Destination Tokyo
1943
1.50pm on ETV
An effective but longish war drama directed by Delbert Mann. "Paya, A Summer Place. The screenplay is marred by patriarchal and even religious speeches. Steve Fisher was nominated for an Academy Award for his original story.
7.30 Coronation Street

Hilda Ogden has finally decided to sell her house to Alf Roberts but she's not really happy about her decision.

The church is filled with family and friends, and as Prince Michael and Amanda recite their wedding vows, Dex breaks free from his captors and heads for the chapel. (Final)

8.30 The A-Team

Cup 'n' Joe: When Joe Dutton, the owner of a small truckers' pitstop, is terrorized by a man who wants to buy him out, Dutton's wife and daughter call on the A-Team members for help.

2.30 Prisoner

Life behind bars in an Australian women's prison.

3.25 General Hospital

It took four people — including director Frank Tashlin — to write the screenplay of this mindless situation comedy.

1.35 Days of Our Lives

COLUMBIA

A corny melodrama with indifferent acting and very little action.

6.00 The Young Doctors

6.30 The Sullivans

Life with an Australian family after World War II.
ANARCHISTS THREATEN REGATTA

LONDON, July 4. —The Henley royal regatta, a three-star event on Britain's social and tourist calendar, opened today amid tight security following threats from anarchists.

A London-based group calling itself Class War has warned of disruption during the four-day meet and police also fear an IRA assassination attempt on royal guests, notably Prince Andrew who will present prizes on Sunday.

The anarchist group has received wide publicity in several left-wing publications and is reported to have targeted "rich bloodsuckers" and "snobs in stripy blazers."

Hundreds of hippies have been flooding into the area from Stonehenge, where they were engaged in several skirmishes with police during a sit-in protest.

Meanwhile, the regatta, now in its 148th year, has drawn a record 366 crews which will row it out in a knockout draw with only two boats in each heat.

The Henley-on-Thames event is a law unto itself. It has its own rules and is not subject to the jurisdiction of either the governing English rowing body or the International Rowing Federation despite official recognition by both.

Serious-minded crews have their sights firmly fixed on the Grand Challenge Cup for eights—the top trophy up for grabs over the 2.1km course.

Organisers expect about 50,000 people to make the pilgrimage to Henley to observe the time-honoured race traditions.

Regatta crews still earn out of the starting area when the umpire sees that they are "straight and ready" as they did almost a century and a half ago.

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This appeared in my evening newspaper a while ago, afterwards I received Class Wars' address (see contact page) and wrote away. Going by the two newsletters sent back, here is a highly personalised view on this London anarchist group.

Class War have been going for two years; their support is reflected in the fact that they are now selling 10,000 copies of each issue of their anarchist newspaper. Slogans like 'The rich—their destruction is our obligation!' & 'Rich scum time to run', will give you some idea of their class hatred.

They are aware that in order to achieve an anarchic society, the movement has to be accessible to every potential anarchist. Unlike some other English 'anarchists' who seem to be setting rigid rules to be a REAL anarchist ie you've GOT to be unemployed, GOT to be a squatter, GOT to be a vegan etc.

Class War slang these people off 'who are failing to realise that these are separate issues to be discussed alongside, not in place of basic anarchist politics'.

The first newsletter I received had a great cover of a giant boat wasting a Rolls Royce, & articles on school kids rejecting the oppression of the state, anti-racism, disregarding compulsory anarchist blinkers (see above), green anarchism, Bash the Rich march, DHSS fraud squad, pop stars, miners strike, & the Bradford fire.

In the second, was articles about posh housing plans pushing out the poor, live aid, equality for women, rate capping & the Henley Regatta.

Class Wars' Henley protest attracted hundreds of anarchists & over a thousand police. The rich parasites were there to of course, eager to flaunt their wealth made from the sweat of others. Despite the awesome police presence some great actions took place, the snobs were abused, spat on, had expensive clothing sprayed in beer & their hampers were kicked over. They started to look worried as they realised the world is not as happy as thought it was. Unfortunately there was 43 arrests but not before a BMW & other cars were overturned & the tory clubs window smashed.

This is how Class War put it, 'Henley is only part of our flight to build a working class movement designed to get rid of the rich, & the police & the politicians who protect them, once & for all'.

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LET THE BLOOD RUN BLUE!
Basically McDonalds is the epitome of Capitalism. A success story built on shabby business practices; McDonalds is morally corrupt organisation that is not doing anything illegal. Private assessment of a time report from Big Mac: The unauthorized story of McDonalds.

McDonalds, the junk food corporation is typical of U.S imperialism and the American junk culture. From small beginnings it is now a multi-million dollar empire and has spread like cancer to 32 countries including Japan, England, Australia, New Zealand, Hong Kong, Costa Rica, Canada, Belgium, Switzerland, Germany and the Phillipines.

Nutritionally the food is the pits, Proffessor of nutrition Jean May Ph.D stated that "it's very low in vitamin B and C but high in saturated fats. It's typical of the diet that raises the cholesterol count and leads to heart disease". (Why then sponsor the Olympic Games, the symbol of peak health). An independent study by the U.S Institute Bureau found that the big Mac had the highest % of calories from fat 53% - of any fast food tested. McDonalds french fries are 50% fat (fried in vegetable oil but processed hard beforehand) and a chocolate shake 22%.

Of course statistics like that are easily counted by the media brainwashing system. In the U.S McDonalds spends $150 million annually on advertising. This meal in every 10 ads for food is a McDonalds ad, or 1 in every 30 advertisements. And the system aims for the young, fuck their minds before they can fight back. Food and nutrition is always carefully avoided, just go for the youth image. Ronald McDonald has become second in public recognition only to Santa Claus.

The youth principle applies to staff as well, the backbone of the McDonalds operation is the 16-17 year old labour force. No wonder that in 1972 Ray Kroc director for McDonalds, slipped Nixon $250,000 for his re-election campaign, in exchange for Nixon's commitment to support the "Youth Differential" Clause, in the revised minimum wage bill about to be debated in congress. The "McDonalds Bill" as it came to known, advocated a paltry subminimum wage for workers aged 16-17. Ultimately the bill was defeated, still what was $250,000 to Kroc, he's made $500 million in personal profit by directing McDonalds.

Then there's the impact to Environment. D. Newrun Ph.D determined that one proposed outlet would have generated over 5 million pieces of trash annually, most of it non-biodegradable. An engineer in 1972, when McDonalds was half its size, calculated that 816 square kilometres of forest was being destroyed each year to keep McDonalds in paper. Worst still, the corporation along with Ralston Purina, Mitsubishi and others is destroying the rain forest at a rate of 18,000 acres a day, raising the raisure forests trees to raise cows as a cheap meat supply for the U.S. Destruction of these forests makes climatic changes and worsens the drought in famine areas. The end result is that grain is feed to cattle so the public can eat meat, instead of going to the starving millions.

You can join vegetarians worldwide and boycott/picket McDonalds and write to them, demanding a vegetarian alternative, i.e. a soy, tofu, nut or lentilburger, with no lard in the bun.

We've told the Yanks to take their Nuclear Death Ships home, now break their stronghold in the stores where their grip is most complete. Show your feeling to American Imperialism and tell them to F**k Off.

COWS DESERVE A BREAK TODAY!

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MUSIC PAGE

COMPOS MENTIS - A Short History.

Latin for "Of Sound Mind", COMPOS MENTIS, a band from Butt Valley, have their second tape out "A Short History". This is half an hour of intelligent, powerful punk music.

The tape starts off with "Bull Shitters!", thrashy feedback and a bit murky but with all lyrics listed, you can pick out the words. Onto 'No Wars' and a complete change of pace, it talks about the atomic destruction of World War Two, this merges into another fast track, 'Gun Speaks Death'. "Hear of Death" has strong drumming and is more vocal, describing the scenes of human wasteage we see on the news, and it states that man must talk not fight and learn to LOVE. 'War Is Over' slows things down again and we are treated to Heathers talented vocals. A song about the annihilation of mankind in nuclear war, which rapidly speeds up in the middle. Explosions and organ music start off 'Of Sound Mind'. It's then into fast female vocals, singing about the oppression of students.

O.K. flip the tape over and what's this? - '65' and yet another different sound! Great male vocals singing about boring lives and unfaithfully husbands. 'Hand Of Hell' has a medium pace, constructed sound and has sort of Flesh D-Vice horror lyrics. 'Scream' next, a catchy tune with good lyrics. 'Insanity Of A Few' is my favourite song, a long slow track with really clear vocals. Into a higher gear for 'No Practice', the line no practice, no play, no chance, no say - sums it up pretty well - if you haven't got a commercial sound, life for a band is made hard. 'Run For Shelter' finishes the tape, more clear sound, complete with echoing and backing vocals. This song attacks the Nazi murderers of World War Two.

Overall this is an excellent tape, due to its variety of speed and great lyrics. The effort of this band really deserves to be rewarded. Send $4 (incl. pop) to Craig and buy at least one copy. Any money made will go towards the release of a single next year. COMPOS Mentis's message of a warless and just society, should be spread, if you can help with a gig possibility write to them.
contacts

ANARCHIST MAGAZINES
A.B.C. Press (E.T.A. mag) → P.O.Box 35-469, Browns Bay, Auckland, N.Z.
Class War → 30x CW, 34b Whitechapel High st, London. E1, U.K.
Treason → P.O.Box 37, East Brunswick, 3057 Melbourne, Australia.

PEACE ORGANISATIONS
C.N.D. → P.O.Box 66163, Te Aro, Wellington, N.Z.
Greenpeace → Private Bag, Wellesley st, Auckland, N.Z.

ANTI-VIVISECTION
N.Z. Anti-Vivisection Society Inc → P.O.Box 2065, Wellington, N.Z.
Animal Liberation Front → 3CM 30x1160, London WC1N 3XX, U.K.
(Direct Action for Animal Rights → P.O.Box 152 Lutwyche, Queensland, 4030, Australia)
Action For Animals → C/O D.A.A.R. * (illegal)

FANZINES
One World → P.O.Box 39309, Symonds st, Auckland, N.Z. [$1]

MUSIC
Redfern Blackrose Anarchist Bookshop → 36 Botany road, Alexandria, Sydney 2015, Australia. (books & records)
Rites Tapes → P.O.Box 39309, Symonds st, Auckland, N.Z.
Small Wonder Records → P.O.Box 23, Sudbury, Suffolk, CO 10 OTF U.K. (send two IRC's for catalogue)
Battery Hen Cassettes → 167 Bright st, Greymouth, N.Z. *

ALWAYS SEND A STAMPED, SELF-ADRESSED ENVELOPE. ALSO A DONATION TO COVER PRINTING COSTS.

*NEW NZ PUNK COMPILATION, 'DEATH PAYS ALL DEBS'; 4 dollars (5 bands)
ANIMAL RIGHTS ACTIVISM SPREADS.
It started with the Band Of Mercy in England, now people all over the world, including NZ & Australia, are willing to risk imprisonment in their campaign to end animal abuse.

On the previous page are the addresses of four antivivisection groups. The first, the NZ Anti-vivisection Society Inc, is a group that uses legal methods including leafleting, pickets and marches. It fully supports the Animal Liberation Front, although it doesn't partake in their actions. Because of the NZAYS's incorruptable stand to abolish all forms of vivisection, it is strongly recommended.

The A.L.F., A.F.A & D.A.A.R. are illegal organisations who participate in non-violent direct action, ranging from painting & firebombing animal abuse premises, to liberation of animals from labs. These groups are made up of vegans or vegetarians and have no formal membership, you become a member by taking part in similar actions. Their addresses are there for donations (cash) or for anonymously giving details of actions you have done. If you send a decent enough donation you can ask for a newsletter, but remember that will give your address to the police who open the mail. D.A.A.R. however, does raise money by selling posters and stickers.

To follow are some actions that the Australian groups have been doing, in the hope that it encourages people on this side of the Tasman to step up their activity after their Colgate toothpaste spiking and the recent Christ-Church Deer Stalkers firebombing.

The D.A.A.R. on June 1st held a demo outside Jacksons fur. They used a toy fox dripping blood in a steel trap, banners and a fake fur coat covered in blood, while handing out leaflets. Their banners were confiscated by the police & after being told to move on for the second time, they shifted to David Jones & Myer fur depts. This generated a lot of publicity, then on June 12th public awareness was drawn to the Normanby Animal Breeding House, where an all night vigil was held. D.A.A.R's newsletter for May-July also includes articles & actions from all over the world & reports that in that 2 month period in Australia 45 butcher shops & seafood shops hit, graffitied, locks glued or windows smashed. 2 take away chicken outlets damaged, one with 1000 dollars damage. Gun shop had locks glued repeatedly, locks glued on fur shop and paint bombed. Pharmaceutical companies repeatedly graffitied with anti-vivisection slogans. Battery farm graffitied. Circus trucks & area graffitied numerous times. Car & driveway of 2 vivisectors damaged. 4 rabbits & 200 mice rescued from hospital. Fur shop window smashed.

Some of the above actions were carried out by the Action For Animals group. They have also pasted up anti-circus posters, leafletted a street where a vivisector lives (giving full name, address & details of experiment), damaged Welcombe Laboratories, destroyed electrical equipment at a meatworks, filled locks at an entertainment centre where a fur sale was due to take place and daubed a meat truck with anti-meat slogans. Their latest newsletter gives information about the A.F.A & a list of their actions, the UK Mars bar incident, RSPCA, Professor Ian Constable, hunting, police powers, circus campaign, Extremism or Realism?, butcher window smashing, Prof Lindsay & newspaper clippings.

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