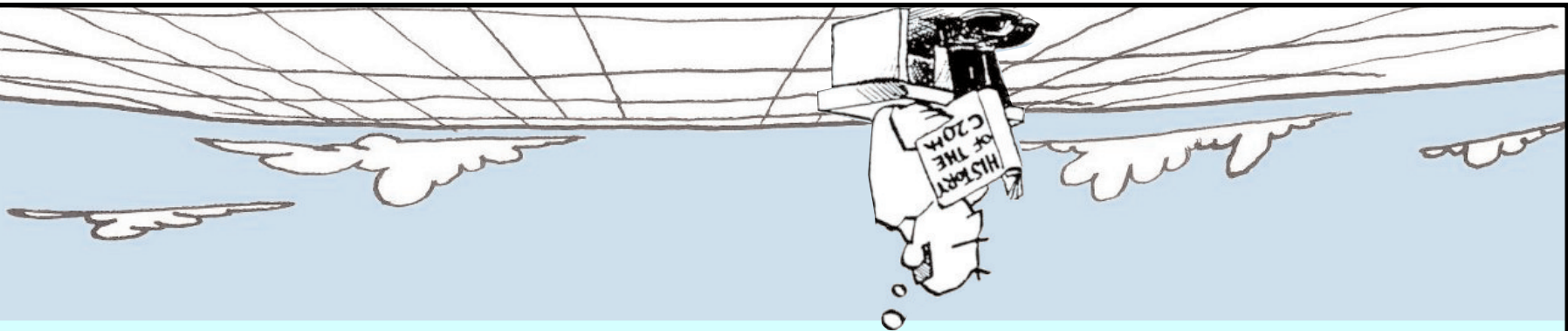
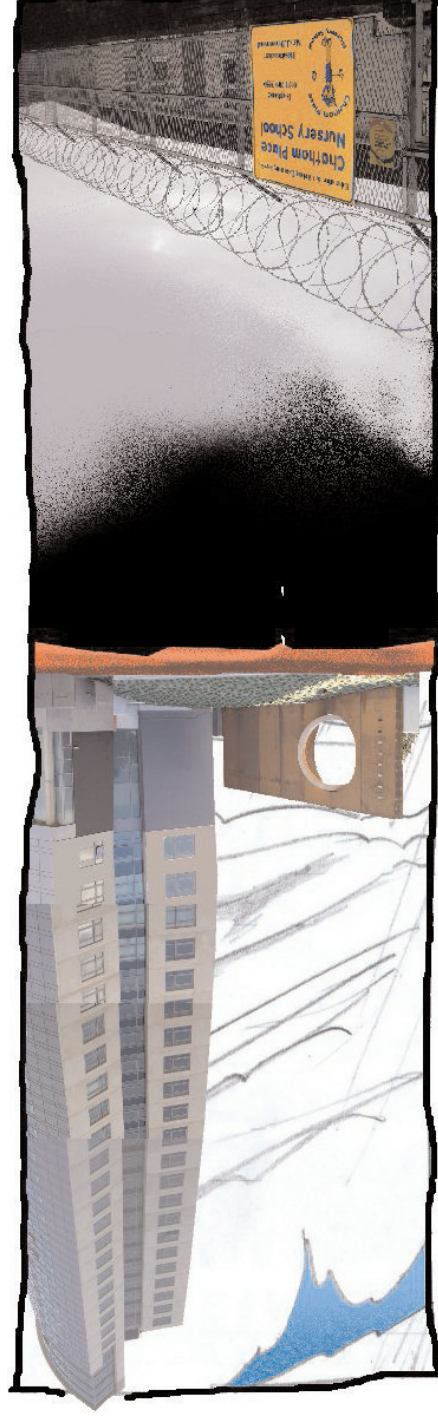


with cartoons and graphics by Nick Watson



THOUGHT CRIME CALENDAR 2005

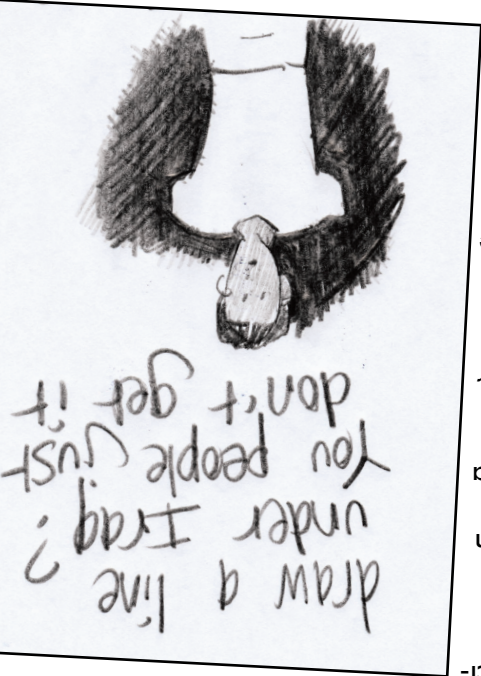


left, trickle down, right, no escape
full details for all cartoons on the back cover

This is now. And now more than ever we need to jettison the idiot orthodoxes of our age and build something utterly new. It is possible to hide from this reality behind the comforts of western culture, behind the comforts of western barricades, but at what price? Everything we consider 'normal', everything we take for granted has become possible only through attachment to the rapacious imperial tyranny of the United States and, prior to that, through our own murderous imperialism. This has not gone unnoticed by the peoples of the world. Within our own society, oppression grows as corporations, through buying the law, become the government. This is not fiction, it is documented fact. Over and over again, big business and the lackey politicians it effectively employs, are shown to be the enemy of social progress, friends only to violence, vanity and greed. For those unable to support the blood-soaked banality of consumer culture, one phrase recurs: something must be done... something must be done... And, despite the massive edifice that stands before us, something can be done. The first step is to stop apologizing for - to stop justifying to ourselves and others - the way things are. Nothing is inevitable. It does not have to be like this.

Change can only come from getting better informed about what goes on in the world and from being honest about how our society functions. Immediately standing in the way of this basic and necessary education is the business of idiot orthodoxy itself - the 21st century state-corporate propaganda machine. This industry owns newspapers, TV and radio stations, websites, magazines, PR departments, schools and universities. It is concerned only with perpetuating itself and its commercial partners so as to maximize profits. There is no incentive to be honest here. None of us can make good decisions based on lies and distortions, yet this is what we are given to digest by these media. Voyeurism, sport and bigotry pass for news while genuine and vital information gets censored through omission or pressed to the margins of the samizdat. But there, at the margins, it exists, waiting to be

found and acted on. Alternative media empowers because it delivers truthful reporting and analysis, illuminating and making redundant the brutal manipulations of the corporate press as it goes. This calendar looks to make a small contribution to that same, international, alternative. As well as the cartoons and graphics, there are also featured websites and books in the following pages which offer a few gateways into progressive politics. Except for the cover drawing and one other, all the images were produced in 2004 and published online by either ZNet or Indymedia UK. These two sites stand out as essential resources for anyone wanting to get involved in the global anticapitalist community. The first of these is a vast resource of materials, primarily short articles of political analysis by some of the best progressive writers from around the world. Updated with new reports daily, the site also has interactive features which encourage user participation. Media and activist participation can be taken yet further on Indymedia, an open publishing platform which is run by a kollektive of volunteers. Here you find the stories that matter and are challenged to report the news - Be The Media. All the websites featured in the calendar, except for a few short entries, are described in their own words.



ZNet : www.zmag.org/weluser.htm
Indymedia UK : www.indymedia.org.uk

Campaign Against The Arms Trade
www.caat.org.uk

CAAT was set up in 1974 by a number of peace and other organisations who were concerned about the growth in the arms trade following the Middle East war of 1973. It is a broad coalition of groups and individuals in the UK working to end the international arms trade. This trade has a negative effect on human rights and security as well as on global, regional and local economic development.

Gush Shalom
www.gush-shalom.org

Gush Shalom ('The Peace Bloc') is the hard core of the Israeli peace movement. Often described as "resolute", "militant", "radical" or "consistent", it is known for its unwavering stand in times of crisis, such as the al-Aksa intifada. For years now, *Gush Shalom* has played a leading role in determining the moral and political agenda of the peace forces in Israel, as well as in breaking the so-called "national consensus" based on misinformation. *Gush Shalom* is an extra-parliamentary organization, independent of any party or other political grouping. The primary aim of *Gush Shalom* is to influence Israeli public opinion and lead it towards peace and conciliation with the Palestinian people.



Britain is working

The nationalist not only does not disapprove of atrocities committed by his own side, but he has a remarkable capacity for not even hearing about them. - **George Orwell**, "Notes on Nationalism," 1945

JANUARY 2005

"In the US... it was necessary to find some justification for eliminating the indigenous population and running the economy on slavery (including the economy of the north in the early days; cotton was the oil of the 19th century industrial revolution). And the only way to justify having your boot on someone's neck is that you are uniquely magnificent and they are uniquely awful. A leading source of racism, which persists to the present moment, so deeply entrenched in the culture -- of the West generally -- that it is far beyond consciousness and can barely be understood by properly educated people when it is pointed out..."

thought crime

Noam Chomsky On War (2003)

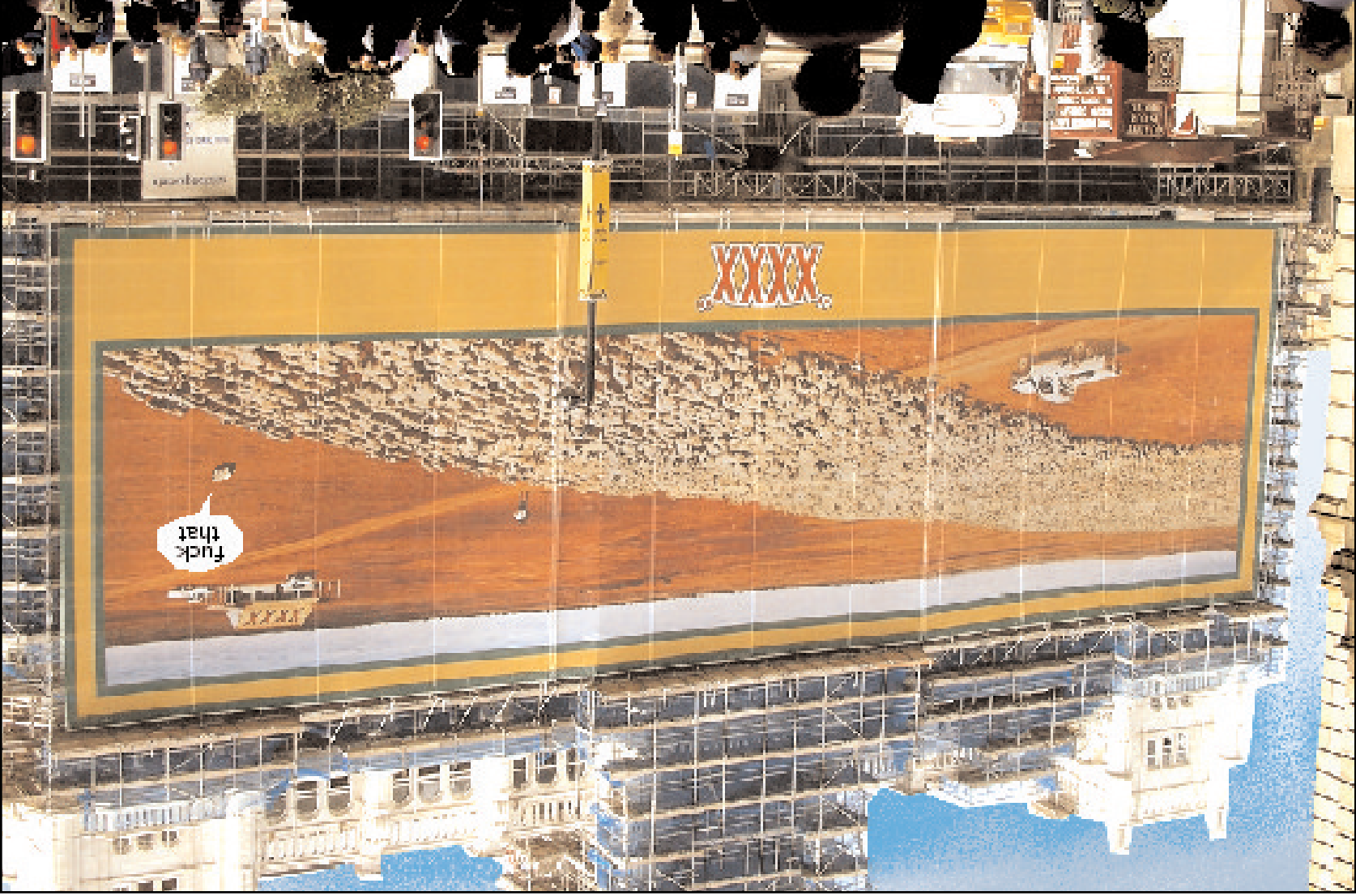


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<p>Abai Sungai</p> <p>3</p>	<p>Abenaki</p> <p>4</p>	<p>Afrikaans</p> <p>Guru Gobindh Singh birthday SIKH</p> <p>5</p>	<p>Ainu</p> <p>6</p>	<p>Aklanon</p> <p>7</p>	<p>Alabama</p> <p>8</p> <p>... A'Tong</p> <p>New Year's Day INTERNATIONAL</p> <p>1</p>	<p>Algerian</p> <p>9</p>
<p>Amharic</p> <p>10</p>	<p>Apache</p> <p>11</p>	<p>Arabic</p> <p>12</p>	<p>Aramaic</p> <p>13</p>	<p>Armenian</p> <p>14</p>	<p>Avestan</p> <p>15</p> <p>World Religion Day BAHAI</p> <p>16</p>	<p>Ayapathu</p> <p>17</p>
<p>Aymara</p> <p>18</p>	<p>Azeri</p> <p>19</p>	<p>Ba Pai</p> <p>Haji ISLAM</p> <p>20</p>	<p>Badi</p> <p>21</p>	<p>Babango</p> <p>Id alAdha ISLAM</p> <p>22</p>	<p>Balinese</p> <p>23</p>	<p>Bamwe</p> <p>24</p>
<p>Bantu</p> <p>25</p> <p>New Year BUDDHIST</p>	<p>Basca</p> <p>26</p>	<p>Basque</p> <p>27</p>	<p>Belarusan</p> <p>28</p>	<p>Bemba</p> <p>29</p>	<p>Bengali</p> <p>30</p>	<p>Berber</p> <p>31</p>
<p>Bicol</p> <p>31</p>	<p>Basa</p> <p>25</p>	<p>Basque</p> <p>26</p>	<p>Belarusan</p> <p>27</p>	<p>Bemba</p> <p>28</p>	<p>Bengali</p> <p>29</p>	<p>Berber</p> <p>30</p>

UK Bank Holidays

The calendar notes all UK Bank Holidays as well as a selection of religious dates.

The nation state - there are 182 recognised by the UN - is a relatively recent invention. More representative of the planet's peoples are their languages, of which over 6,800 are spoken today with perhaps a third having their own writing system. This incredible record of invention is testimony to our diversity as a race but also, as we struggle to communicate with one another, testimony to the fundamental oneness of the human presence. Here then are the names of 365 of those languages, names which echo their peoples...



sheep

The agenda, as always, begins with trying to find out what is happening in the world, and then doing something about it, as we can, better than anyone else. Few share our privilege, power, and freedom -- hence responsibility.

- Noam Chomsky

Reverend Billy and the Church of Stop Shopping
<http://revbilly.com>

It's happening all the time Children! The Reverend hears you! He hears you praying for redemption and every day he receives your confessions of SIN (shop-ping in numbness) and tall tales of exploits into the nether-regions of the consumerist culture, but always, you are following the path of righteousness and salvation. Come join brothers and sisters, now, say all that you can. Put down those shopping bags, raise up your free hands and tell the manboy in Washington that you will have none of it...

StopShoppingMonitor
<http://stopshoppingmonitor.com>

revbilly sister site for news on stop shopping actions

Outrage!
www.outrage.org.uk

Established in May 1990, Outrage! is the world's longest surviving queer rights direct action group. Our witty, imaginative, daring, and irreverent style of nonviolent civil disobedience has elevated activism into an art form: protest as performance. Unapologetic and provocative, Outrage!'s remit is to challenge anti-gay discrimination, confront the perpetrators of homophobic face to face and articulate a radical agenda for sexual freedom.

FEBRUARY 2005

"I spent 33 years in the Marines. Most of my time being a high-class muscle man for big business, for Wall Street and the bankers. In short, I was a racketeer for capitalism. I helped purify Nicaragua for the international banking house of Brown Brothers in 1909-1912. I helped make Mexico and especially Tampico safe for American oil interests in 1914. I brought light to the Dominican Republic for American sugar interests in 1916. I helped make Haiti and Cuba a decent place for the National City Bank boys to collect revenue in. I helped in the rape of half a dozen Central American republics for the benefit of Wall Street..."

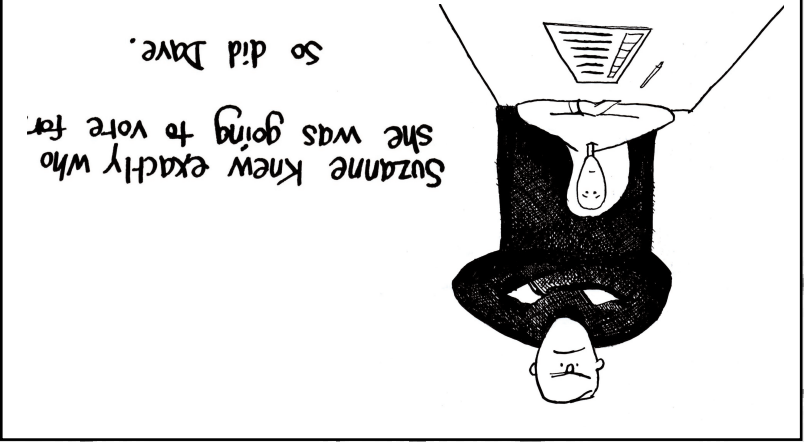
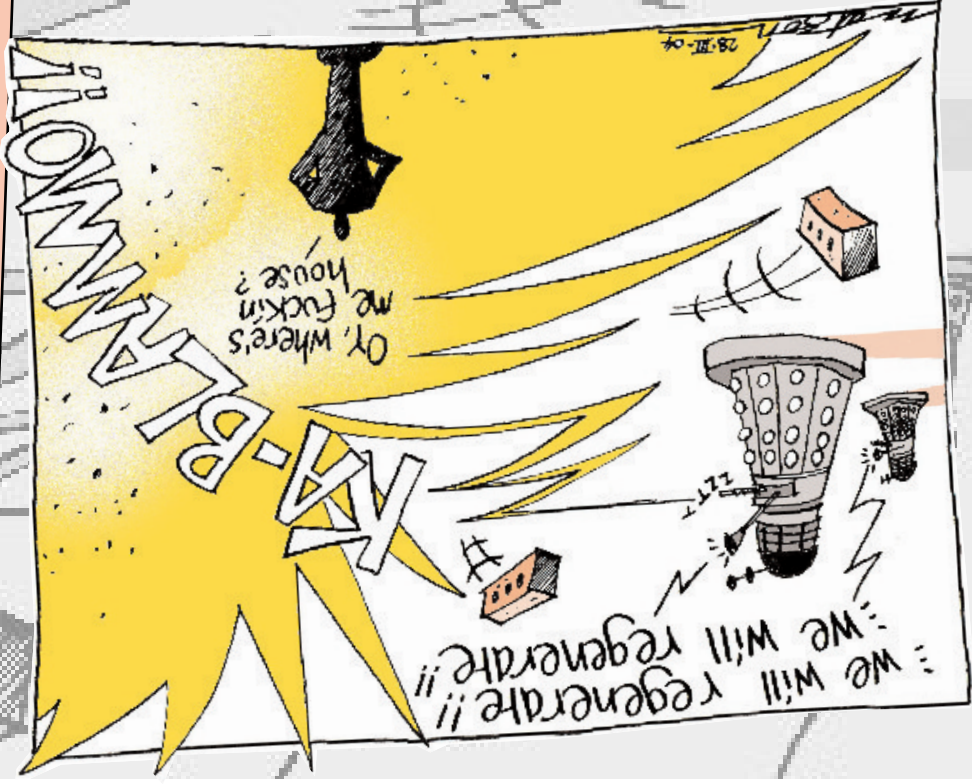
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Smedley D. Butler (1881-1940) Major Gen U.S. Marines

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
	1 Bisaya	2 Imbolc WICCA	3 Brahu!	4 Breton	5 Butuanon	6 Bukusu
7 Bulgarian	8 Nirvana Day BUDDHIST Shrove Tuesday CHRISTIAN	9 Chinese New Year CONFUCIAN - DAOIST - BUDDHIST	10 Hilra ISLAM	11 Caddo	12 Cantonese	13 Carib
14 St Valentine's Day CHRISTIAN	15 Burmese	16 C'lela	17 Cabiyari	18 Caddo	19 Cantonese	20 Carib
21 Catalan	22 Catwba	23 Cayuga	24 Cebano	25 Chamorro	26 Chechen	27 Cherokee
28 Cretian	Chinook	Ch'ol	Chorti	Cispa	Coptic	Cree

left, house, right, tour guide barbie
bottom left, postal vote



www.save.thepicket.com

And here on my left... that's just getting in the way of a VERY attractive residential cum retail development" opportunity

www.save.thepicket.com

Tour Guide Barbie GIVES THE LIVERPOOL TOUR

I can feel the Holy Spirit coming in here, I'm doing the shimmy, I'm doing the swim. Whaaa! Whaaa! Whaaa! Somebody give me an amen here. Ah! We're feeling the spirit
It feels good to stop buying crap from multinational devils. Hallelujah! Somebody give me an amen here. Ah! We're feeling the spirit
here. This town, I cast you out!
- The Reverend Billy, 2003

Medialens
www.medialens.org

"correcting for the distorted vision of the corporate media"

Medialens is our response to the unwillingness, or inability, of the mainstream media to tell the truth about the real causes and extent of many of the problems facing us, such as human rights abuses, poverty, pollution and climate change.

Because much modern suffering is rooted in the unlimited greed of corporate profit-maximising - in the subordination of people and planet to profit - it seems to us to be a genuine tragedy that society has for so long been forced to rely on the corporate media for 'accurate' information. It seems clear to us that quite obvious conflicts of interest mean it is all but impossible for the media to provide this information. We believe that media 'neutrality' is a deception that often serves to hide systematic pro-corporate bias.

'Neutrality' most often involves 'impartially' reporting dominant establishment views, while ignoring all non-establishment views.

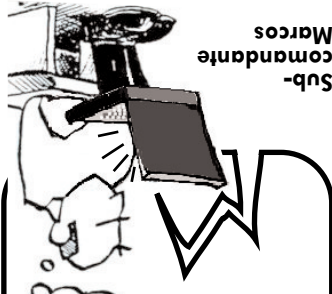
Mark Thomas Product
www.mtcp.co.uk

activism with laughs

MARCH 2005

“The IMF represents the crime with suits, computers and a lot of elegance. The IMF is a huge criminal, as any gangster, but one who dresses elegantly and who makes great decisions, who kills without staining its hands. With just one decision it makes, approve a loan, can decree death for millions of human beings or condemn them to an undignified life for a long time. If we are talking about the International Monetary Fund, we should define it in few words and it is this: A gangster, clinical in committing its crimes...”

thought-crime



Sub-
comandante
Marcos

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
	1 Czech Maha Shivaratri! HINDU	2 Daga	3 Dahalo	4 Dagba	5 Danish	6 Delaware
7 Demonh'ka	8 Denya	9 Duma	10 Dutch	11 Edo	12 Eggo	13 Elagham
14 Egyptian	15 Ekegusi!	16 Emakua	17 Embu	18 Erre	19 Eskimo	20 Palm Sunday CHRISTIAN
21 Ostara WICCA	22 Eyak	23 Fala	24 Fanagolo	25 Purim JEWISH Good Friday CHRISTIAN Holi HINDU	26 Faroesse	27 Easter CHRISTIAN
28 Fataleka	29 Finnish	30 Flemish	31 Frankish	French	Frison	Fufuide

Focus on the Global South

www.focusweb.org/

Focus aims to consciously and consistently articulate, link and develop greater coherence between local community-based and national, regional and global paradigms of change. Focus on the Global South strives to create a distinct and cogent link between development at the grass-roots and the "macro" levels. While accepting the changing definition of South and North and reflecting it in its name, network and staff, Focus on the Global South will prioritize South issues in developing countries, given their particular urgency.

Statawatch

www.statawatch.org

Statawatch is a non-profit making voluntary group founded in 1991. It is comprised of lawyers, academics, journalists, researchers and community activists. Its European network of contributors is drawn from 13 countries. Statawatch encourages the publication of investigative journalism and critical research in Europe, covering the fields of the state, justice and home affairs, civil liberties, accountability and openness. One of Statawatch's primary services is to provide a service for civil society to encourage informed discussion and debate - through the provision of news, features and analysis.



left, land grab, centre above 4th plinth / rev billy, centre below 4th plinth / katharine gun, right, bosch

To the fervent proponents of ruthless corporate capitalism I say: make a millionaire CEO live as a poor sweatshop worker in Indonesia for one month and then ask him about the merits of the world economic system. - **Vassilis Epaminondou**

That then has become the basis of phenomena that we call biopiracy, where seeds such as the Basmati rice from India, which we have grown for centuries, is being claimed as novel invention by RiceTec. Neem, which we have used for millennia for pest control, for medicine, which is documented in every one of our texts, is treated as invention held by Grace, the chemical company. This epidemic of piracy is very much like the epidemic of piracy which was named colonialism 500 years ago. I think we will soon need to name this round of piracy through patents as recolonization as a new colonialization which differs from the old only in this - the old colonialization only took over land, the new colonialization is taking over life itself.

- Dr Vandana Shiva



tree

Liberty
www.liberty-human-rights.org.uk/
 Liberty is one of the UK's leading human rights and civil liberties organisations. Since 1934, we've been fighting to secure equal rights for everyone. But right now, we need the support of like-minded people who share our concern at the growing number of laws that attack, rather than protect, our rights. In an attempt to combat threats to society like terrorism and crime, governments often rush to create new laws. They give themselves new powers - without stopping to sufficiently consider the impact on our civil liberties and human rights. Sometimes they end up sacrificing the very freedoms these laws are intended to protect. Often this process is too gradual to notice - until the moment we're affected ourselves. At Liberty we campaign and lobby Parliament. We test the law. Liberty's lawyers take human rights cases to UK courts and the European Court of Human Rights. We conduct important research. We provide advice and training to lawyers and the public. Many of Europe's top civil rights experts work for Liberty.

www.educationet.org
 Educationet
 independent news service covering higher education

MONDAY		2 Holoholo	9 Ingush	16 Jamska	23 Kapampangn	30 Kazakh
TUESDAY		3 Hungarian	10 Inzebi	17 Jangshung	24 Kareljan	31 Kerewe
WEDNESDAY		4 I-wak	11 Irish	18 Japanese	25 Kamviri	
THURSDAY		5 Iban	12 Iruia	19 Jira	26 Karuk	
FRIDAY		6 Icelandic	13 Ishkashmi	20 Jola-Kasa	27 Katayang	
SATURDAY		7 Igbo	14 Italian	21 Kalanga	28 Katbol	
SUNDAY	1 Belhane WICCA		8 Hittite	15 Ilongo	22 Kannada	29 Katcha

Arundhati
Roy
Instant Mix
Imperial
Democracy
(2003)



“But modern democra-
cies have been
around for long enough
for neo-liberal capitalists
to learn how to subvert
them. They have mastered
the technique of infiltrat-
ing the instruments of
democracy - the “inde-
pendent” judiciary, the
“free” press, the parlia-
ment - and molding them
to their purpose. The proj-
ect of corporate global-
ization has cracked the
code. Free elections, a
free press, and an inde-
pendent judiciary mean
little when the free market
has reduced them to com-
modities on sale to the
highest bidder.”

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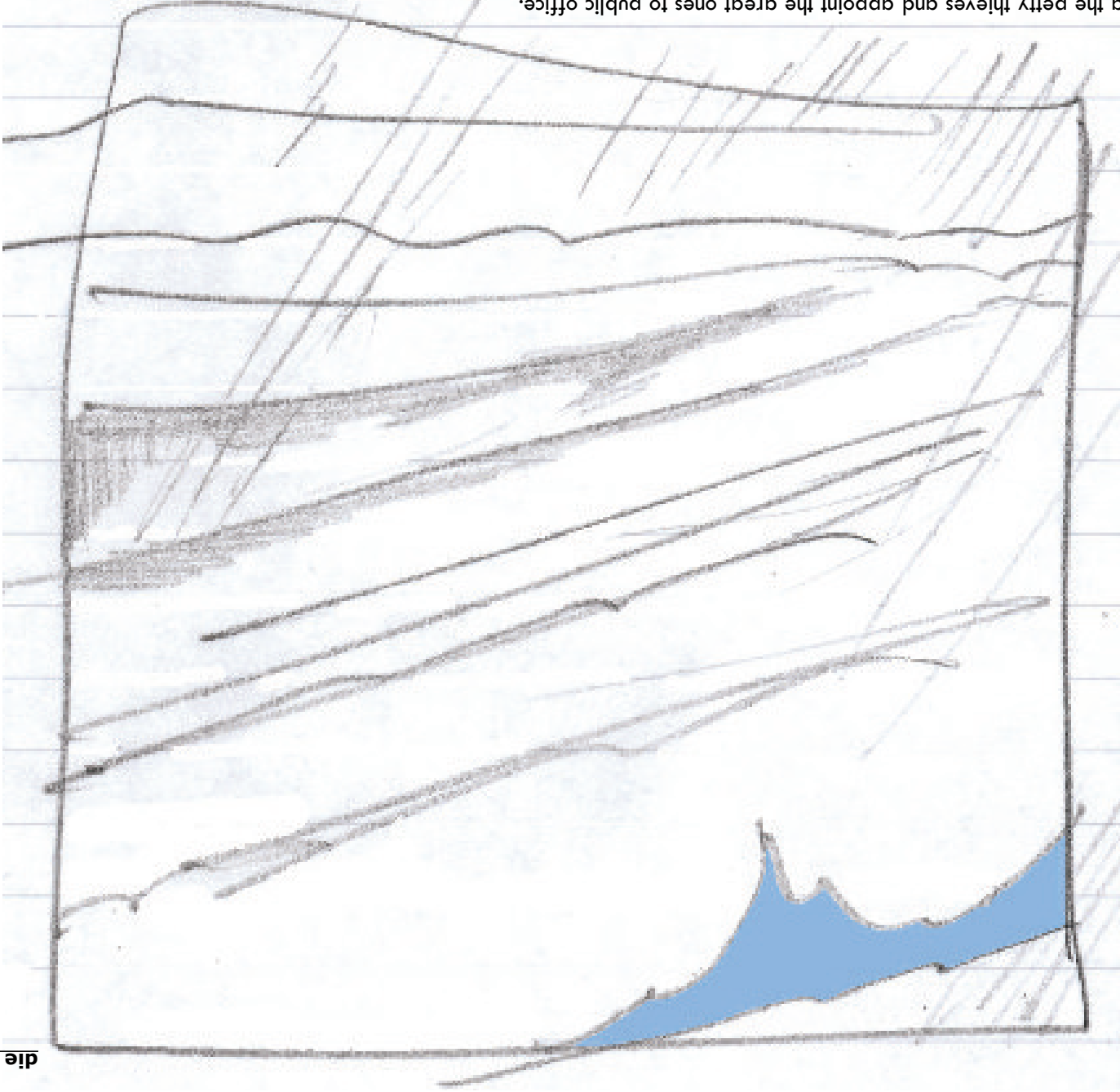
**Campaign for Nuclear
Disarmament**
www.cnduk.org

CND campaigns non-violent-ly to rid the world of nuclear weapons and other weapons of mass destruction and to create genuine security for future generations. We aim to: Change Government policies to bring about the elimination of British nuclear weapons as a major contribution to global abolition; Stimulate wide public debate on the need for alternatives both to the nuclear cycle and to military attempts to resolve conflict; Empower people to engage actively in the political process and to work for a nuclear-free and peaceful future; Co-operate with other groups.

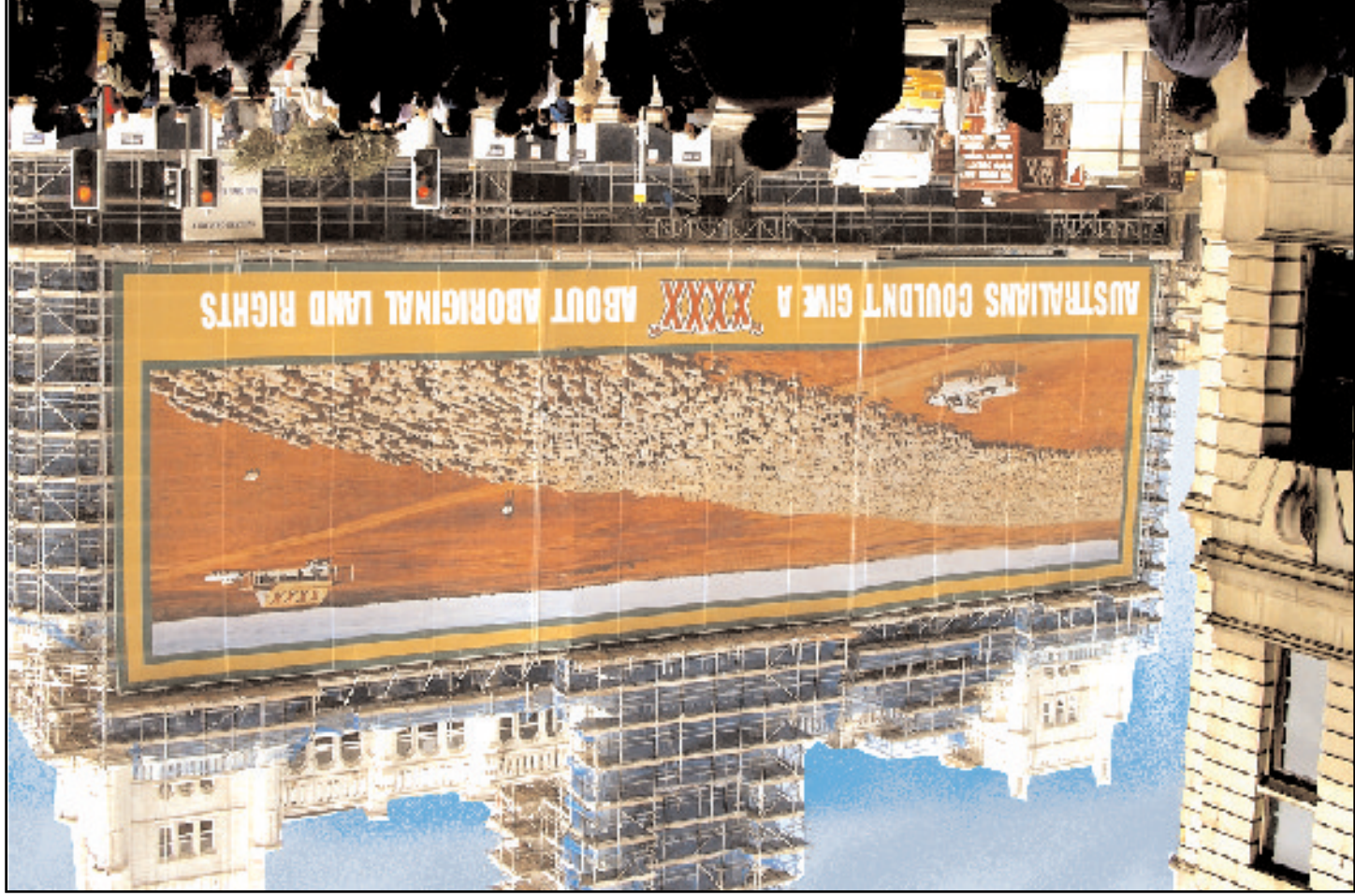
**Institute of Race
Relations**
www.irr.org.uk

The IRR was established as an independent educational charity in 1958 to carry out research, publish and collect resources on race relations throughout the world. Since 1972 the IRR has concentrated on responding to the needs of Black people and making direct analyses of institutionalised racism in Britain and the rest of Europe. Today, the IRR is at the cutting edge of the research and analysis that informs the struggle for racial justice in Britain and internationally. It seeks to reflect the experience of those who suffer racial oppression.

- Aesop
We hang the petty thieves and appoint the great ones to public office.



land rights



David Barsamian: Often at the talks you give, there is a question that's always asked, and that is, 'What should I do?' This is what you hear in American audiences.

Noam Chomsky: You're right, it's American audiences. You never hear it in the Third World.

DB: Why not?

NC: Because when you go to Turkey or Colombia or Brazil or somewhere else, they don't ask you, 'What should I do?' They tell you what they're doing. It's only in highly privileged cultures that people ask, 'What should I do?' We have every option open to us. None of the problems that are faced by intellectuals in Turkey or campesinos in Brazil or anything like that. We can do anything. But what people here are trained to believe is, we have to have something we can do that will be easy, that will work very fast, and then we can go back to our ordinary lives. And it doesn't work that way. You want to do something, you're going to have to be dedicated, committed, at it day after day. You know exactly what it is: it's educational programs, it's organizing, it's activism. That's the way things change. You want something that's going to be a magic key that will enable you to go back to watching television tomorrow? It's not there.

- **Noam Chomsky,** "Collateral Damage, an Interview with David Barsamian", Z Magazine, Jul/Aug, 2003

The Journalism and Films of John Pilger
www.johnpilger.com

It is not enough for journalists to see themselves as mere messengers without understanding the hidden agendas of the message and myths that surround it. There is a surreal silence today, full of the noise of 'sound-bites' and 'grabs' of those with power justifying their deception and violence. This is presented as news, though it is really a parody in which journalists, variously embedded, gesture cryptically at the obvious but rarely make sense of it, lest they shatter the 'one-way moral screen', described by Richard Falk, between 'us' and the consequences of political actions taken in our name. Never has there been such a volume of repetitive 'news' or such an exclusiveness in those controlling it.

Electronic Frontier Foundation
www.eff.org

Governments and corporate interests worldwide are trying to prevent us from communicating freely through new technologies. The EFF was created to defend our rights to think, speak and share our ideas, thoughts and needs using new technologies such as the WWW. EFF is the first to identify threats to our basic rights online and to advocate on behalf of free expression in the digital age.

MONDAY		4	Maltese		11	Marathi	18	Miskitu	25	Nanticoke
TUESDAY		5	Mambwe		12	Masaba	19	Mixtec	26	Nauruan
WEDNESDAY		6	Manchu		13	Maskoy	20	Mohawk	27	Navajo
THURSDAY		7	Mandinka		14	Mayan	21	Mongolian	28	Ndai
FRIDAY	1	8	Manx		15	Mayanga	22	Mpongwe	29	Ndebele
SATURDAY	2	9	Martyrdom of the Bab BAHAI		16	Mawu	23	Nahatl	30	Nepalese
SUNDAY	3	10	Mapudungun		17	Miami	24	Pioneer Day MORMON	31	Newari

JULY
2005

"It certainly is an unequal world, and perhaps the most debasing and demeaning of all the world's inequalities is the manner in which the cattle in the rich countries are pampered at the cost of several hundred million farmers in the developing world. When I first compared the life of the western cow with that of the Third World farmer, I didn't realize that this would hit the sensibilities of at least some of the economists and policy makers. It has now been worked out that the EU provides a daily subsidy of US \$ 2.7 per cow, and Japan provides three times more at US \$ 8, whereas half of India's 1 000 million people live on less than \$ 2 a day."

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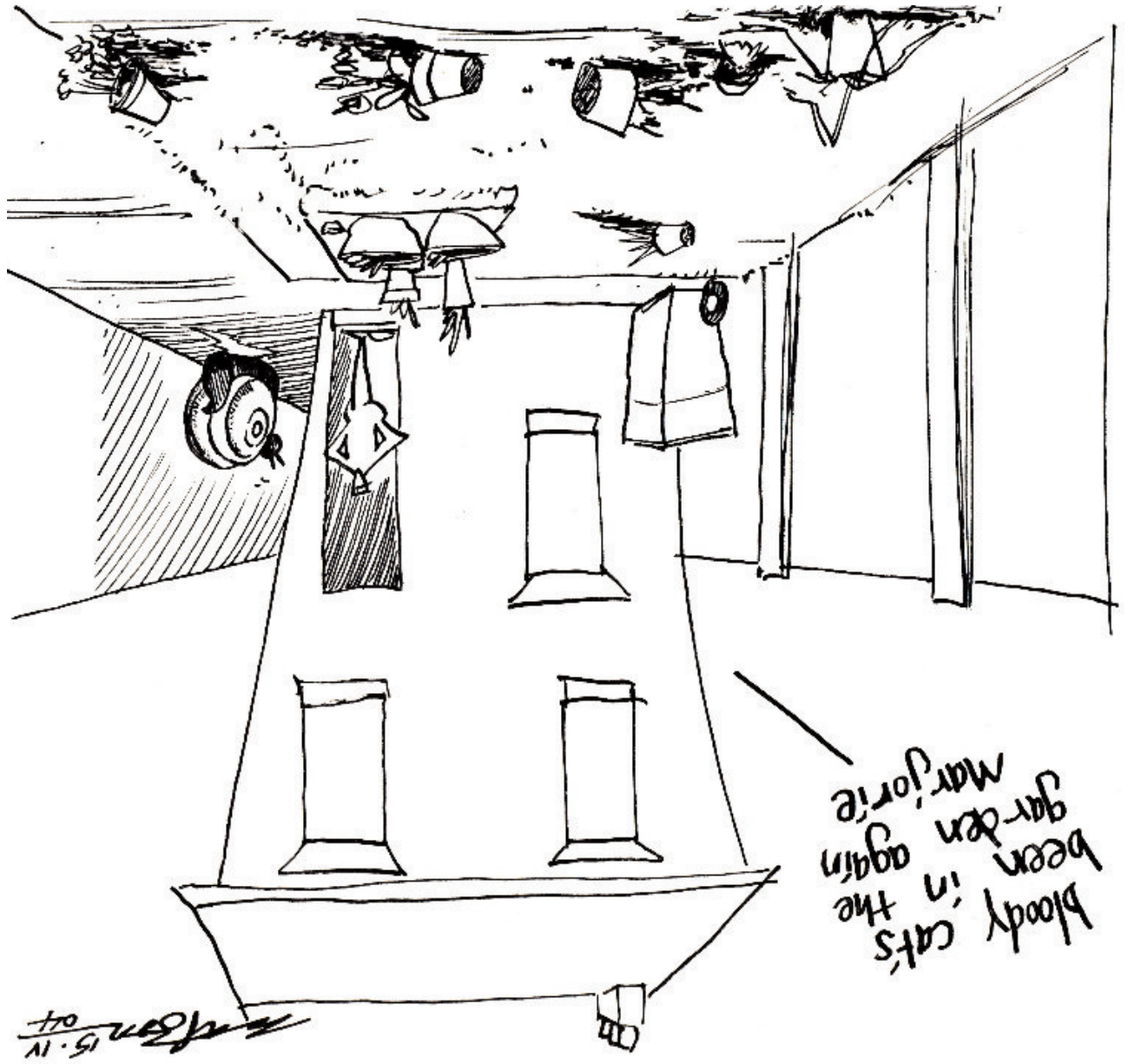
Devinder Sharma
The Great Trade
Robbery
(2003)

SCHNEWS was born in 1994 as part of Brighton's campaign against the Criminal Justice Act when a few bright sparks decided to start reading out the news. Some of those bright sparks then decided to put some of it on paper - eight years later and still printing! Our stories originate from anarchist literature to the dodgy Financial Times (no, really), from conversations in the pub to the internet. While we always try to be as accurate as possible and chase people up to verify the stories, the idea of SCHNEWS is not to believe up off your arse and go and see things for yourself. So our articles are often first hand accounts from trusted sources or ourselves as we storm all over the country causing trouble/saving the world/having a laugh.

Trident Ploughshares
www.tridentploughshares.org

Trident Ploughshares is a campaign to disarm the UK Trident nuclear weapons system in a non-violent, open, peaceful and fully accountable manner. People from all around the world have pledged to disarm Trident in this way. We act to uphold international humanitarian law and to expose the illegality of the Trident system.

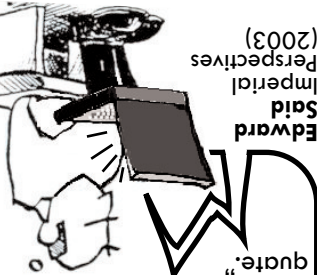
brian



Those of us who become momentarily disheartened by "the cries of victory" should remind ourselves of that long history in which seemingly insurmountable power fell of its own unbearable weight, but also because of the resistance of those who refused finally to bear that weight, and would not give up. - Howard Zinn, "Victory?", (2003)

AUGUST 2005

MONDAY	1	Nhirpi!	8	Od	15	Assumption CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN	22	Paplamento	29	Piraha
TUESDAY	2	Nogai	9	Ojibwe	16	Oscan	23	Pasho	30	Polish
WEDNESDAY	3	Nokuku	10	Olkola	17	Oykangand	24	Patamona	31	Popolucca
THURSDAY	4	Norwegian	11	Ojutec	18	Paez	25	Pende		
FRIDAY	5	Nyambo	12	Onondaga	19	Pahlavani	26	Passam-dy		
SATURDAY	6	Nyamwezi	13	Oriya	20	Pakahn	27	Phoenecian		
SUNDAY	7	Occitan	14	Orok	21	Pali	28	Phrygian		



“Every empire, including America’s, regularly tells itself and the world that it is unlike all other empires, and that it has a mission certainly not to plunder and control but to educate and liberate the peoples and places it rules directly or indirectly. Yet these ideas are not shared by the people who live there, whose views are in many cases directly opposite. Nevertheless, this hasn’t prevented the whole apparatus of American information, policy, and decision-making about the Arab/Islamic world from imposing its perspectives not just on Arabs and Muslims but on Americans, whose sources of information about the Arabs and Islam are woefully, indeed tragically, inadequate.”

Edward Said
Imperial Perspectives (2003)

Protest.Net
www.protest.net

Protest.Net is a collective of activists who are working together to create our own media. Activists around the world are fighting for a better world. We can't rely on the media establishment to cover our movements. We will rise up and seize the means of communication!

CounterPunch
www.counterpunch.org

bi-weekly muckraking newsletter publishing the stories that the corporate press never prints ("We've got all the right enemies.")

Dissident Voice
www.dissentvoice.org

a newsletter dedicated to challenging the distortions and lies of the corporate press and the privileged classes it serves. Hard hitting, thought provoking and even entertaining news and commentaries on politics and culture that can serve as ammunition in struggles for peace and social justice.

Aljazeera
<http://english.aljazeera.net/HomePage>

Middle East news site in English

The Activist
www.the-activist.org

Canadian magazine and web resource.



left, 20/08, right, don't build



During times of universal deceit, telling the truth becomes a revolutionary act. - George Orwell

SEPTEMBER 2005

“Corporations, we invented to serve us, are overthrowing us. They are seizing powers previously invested in government, and using them to distort public life to suit their own ends. *Captive State* tells the story of this coup d'état. It demonstrates that the provision of hospitals, roads and prisons in Britain has been deliberately tailored to meet corporate demands rather than public need. It shows how urban regeneration programmes have been subverted to serve the interests of private companies, how planning permission is offered for sale to the highest bidder, and how the Department of the Environment, Transport and the Regions has fallen prey to a perilous conflict of interest...”



George Monbiot
Captive State
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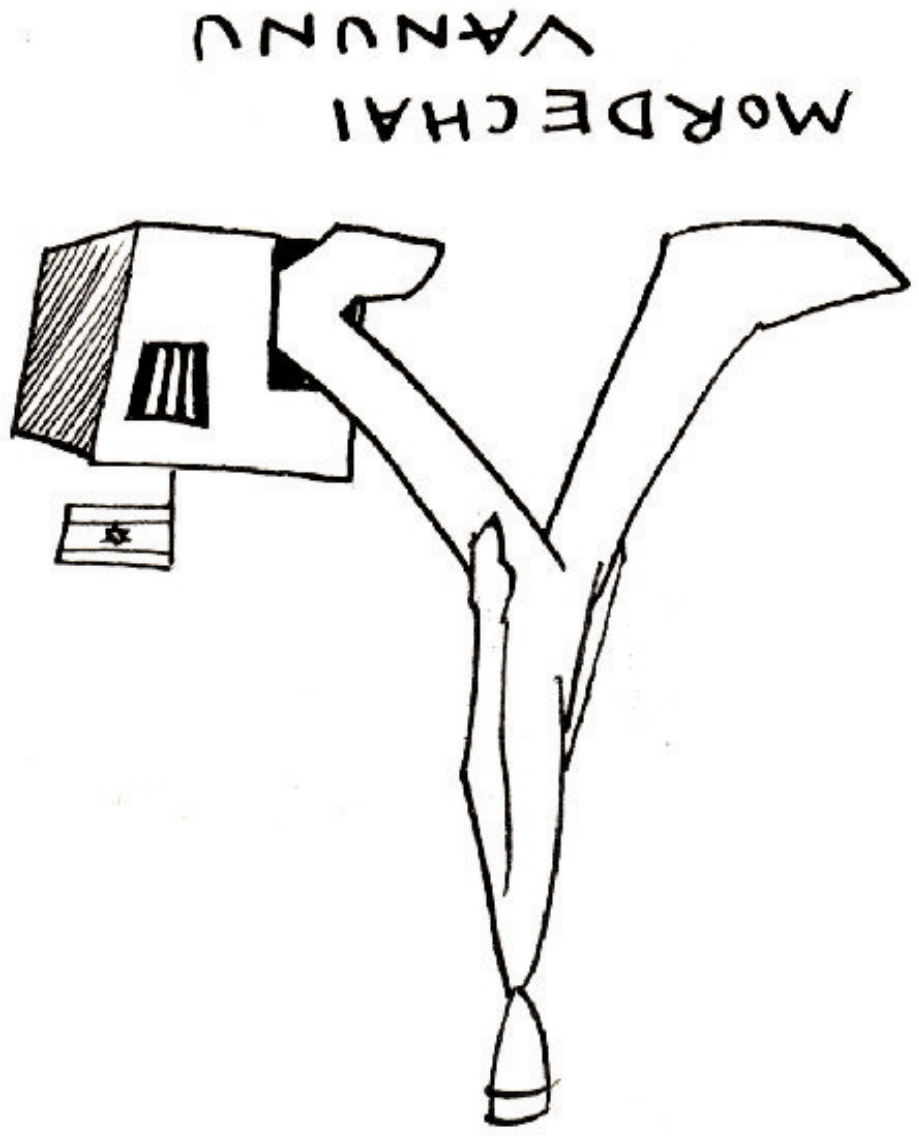
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**Campaign for the
Accountability of
American Bases**
www.caab.org.uk

CAB is a campaign ground-
ed in a deep concern and
opposition to weapons of
mass destruction in general
and nuclear weapons in par-
ticular - specifically the pro-
posed American Missile
Defense/Theater Missile
Defense (AMD/TMD) sys-
tems
focused on American bases
in the UK and abroad
raising public awareness,
scrutiny and accountability
of American bases in the UK
- over here, out of control
and secretive.

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The PSC has become the
largest and most active
campaigning organisation in
the UK on the issue of
Palestine. We aim to build
an effective mass campaign,
organising protests, political
lobbying and raising public
awareness. We are an inde-
pendent, non-governmental
and non-party political
organisation with members
from many communities
across Britain - and increas-
ingly throughout the world.
PSC provide a source of
accurate and reliable infor-
mation on the Palestine-
Israel conflict and the social
and political conditions with-
in Palestine.



vanunu

The branded multinationals may talk diversity, but the visible result of their actions is an army of teen clones marching -- in "uniform", as the marketers say -- into the global mall. Despite the embrace of polyethnic imagery, market-driven globalization doesn't want diversity; quite the opposite. Its enemies are national habits, local brands and distinctive regional tastes. Fewer interests control ever more of the landscape.

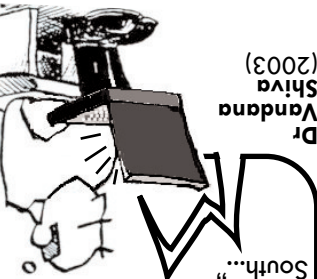
- Naomi Klein, No Logo, (2000)

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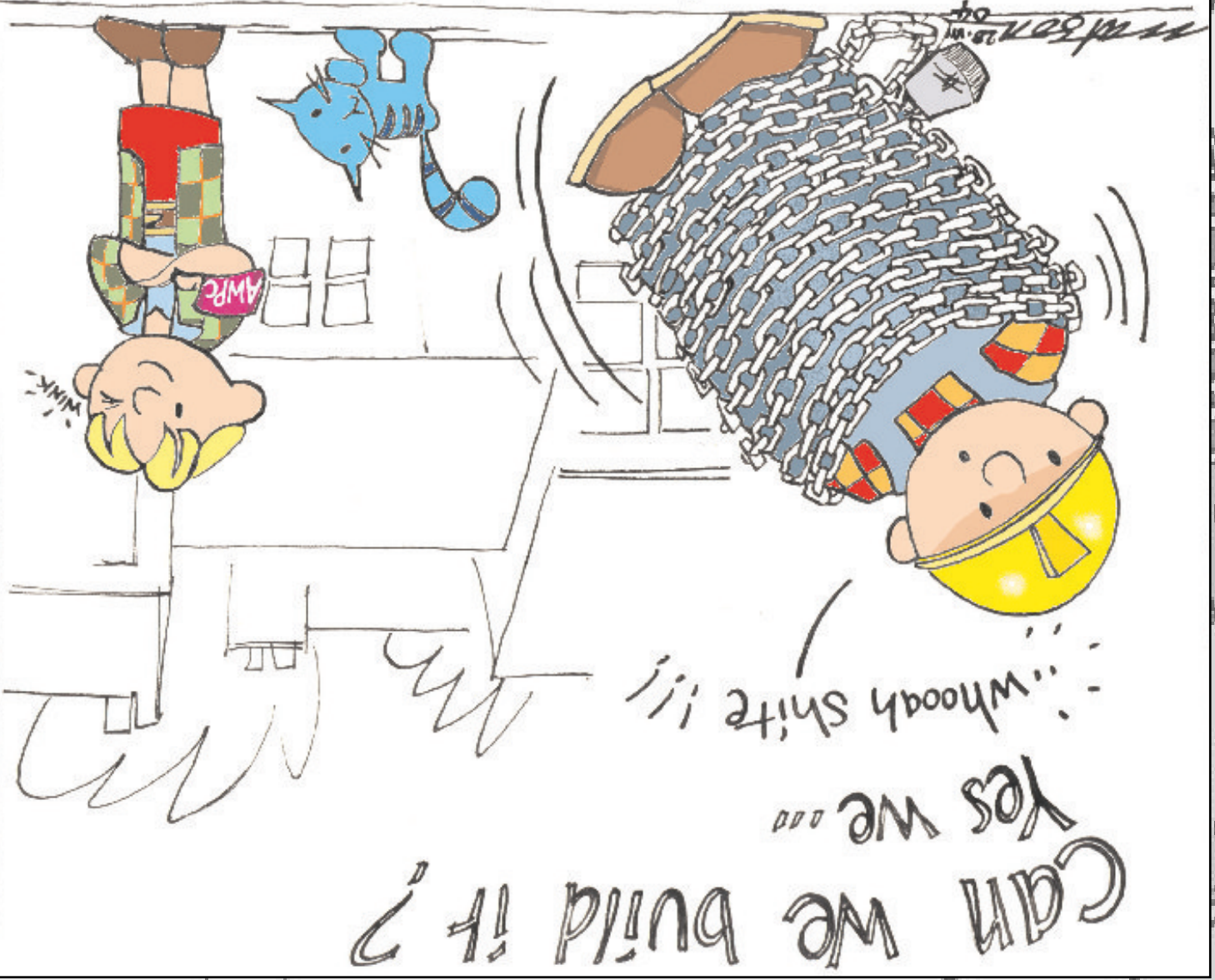
"Because the Agreement of W.T.O. is an agribusiness treaty it distorts production and trade from the perspective of nature, small farmers and all consumers, especially the poor. It is a recipe for ecological destruction, devastation of family farms, and ruination of citizens' health. Behind the apparent neutrality of rules for "domestic support", "market access" and "export competition" are distorted assumptions and myths about food production and distribution... When poor countries are forced to remove import restrictions and reduce tariffs in the face of high subsidies and high levels of dumping by rich countries, poor farmers are wiped out, and with them the food sovereignty of the South..."

Dr Vandana Shiva (2003)



Charity is no substitute for justice withheld. - Saint Augustine

unfortunately for Bob, Wendy had other ideas.



block the builders

Association for Progressive Communications
www.apc.org/english

a global network of NGOs aiming to empower organizations, social movements and individuals in and through the use of information and communication technologies to build strategic communities and initiatives for the purpose of making meaningful contributions to equitable human development, social justice, participatory political processes and environmental sustainability.

Critical Mass
<http://criticalmassrides.info>

Critical Mass is a monthly bicycle ride to celebrate cycling and to assert cyclists' right to the road. The idea started in San Francisco in September 1992, and quickly spread to cities all over the world. This site attempts to be the most complete guide to local Critical Mass rides around the globe.

CorWatch
www.corwatch.org

counters corporate-led globalization through education, network-building and activism

International Progressive Publications Network
www.ippn.us/index.cfm

international database of progressive publications

NOVEMBER 2005

“The media are a little reluctant to go out and spend a lot of money to find dis-senters who will call the White House, or the President, or high officials liars, even when they lie. This is a very fundamental thing that practically every media analyst understands-that there becomes a dependence on these dominant sources by the media and a symbiotic relationship develops that affects what kind of news they will cover. It's also cheap and easy to take their statement. Nobody's going to question it except people who are powerless. This filter largely determines what is news, and it makes it difficult for the media to even look for other news, which is problematic and expensive to get...”

thought-crime




Edward Herman
Propa-
ganda and
the Free
Press (2003)

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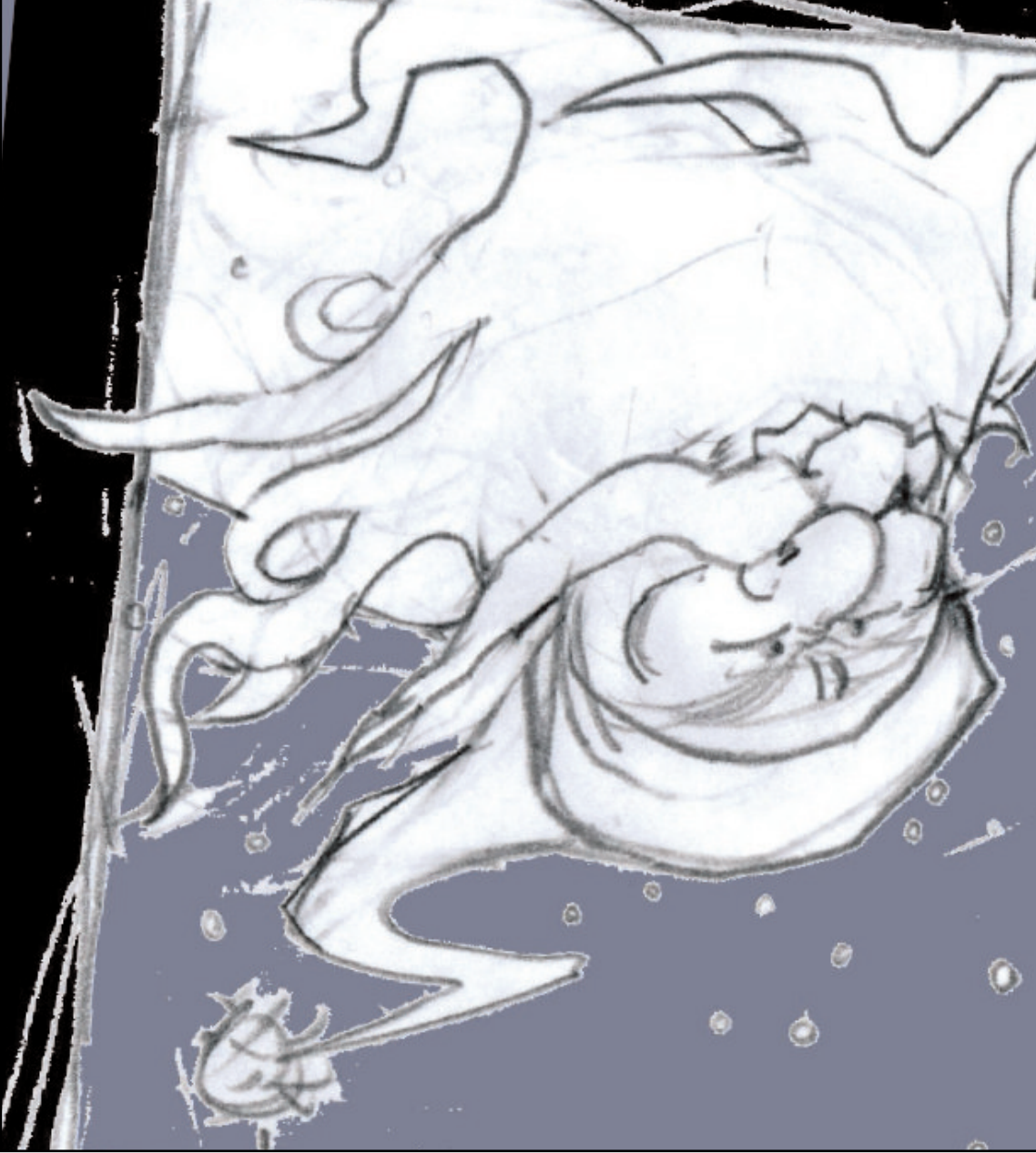
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The agenda, as always, begins with trying to find out what is happening in the world, and then doing something about it, as we can, better than anyone else. Few share our privilege, power, and freedom -- hence responsibility.

- **Noam Chomsky**

Inter Press Service
www.ipsnews.net/
global news on economic, social and political development of peoples and nations.

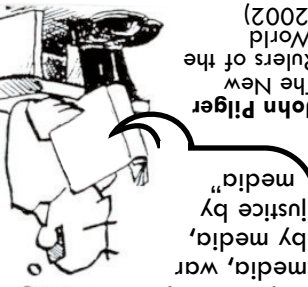
The Public Whip
www.publicwhip.org
The Public Whip is a project to monitor the voting records of Members of the United Kingdom Parliament, so that the public (people like us) can better influence their voting patterns.

Sea Shepherd
www.seashepherd.org
The Sea Shepherd Conservation Society was founded by Captain Paul Watson. The mandate of the organisation was marine mammal protection and conservation with the immediate goal of shutting down illegal whaling and sealing operations. The society's first ship, a North Atlantic sea trawler was purchased in Hull and renamed the 'Sea Shepherd'. Its first mission was to the ice floes of eastern Canada to interfere with the killing of baby harp seals. In the same year, the Sea Shepherd hunted down and rammed the notorious pirate whaler the Sierra in a Portugal harbor ending its infamous career as the scourge of the seas. This was the start of Sea Shepherd's historical 160 voyages over the next 2 decades, enforcing international laws where no law enforcement existed - on the high seas.

DECEMBER 2005

“The attacks of September 11, 2001 did not change everything, but accelerated the continuity of events, providing an extraordinary pretext for destroying social democracy. The undermining of the Bill of Rights in the United States and the further dismantling of trial by jury in Britain and a plethora of related civil liberties are part of the reduction of democracy to electoral ritual: that is, competition between indistinguishable parties for the management of a single ideology state. Central to the growth of this ‘business state’ are the media conglomerates, which have unprecedented power. They provide a virtual world of the eternal present, as *Time* magazine called it: politics by media, war by media, justice by media”

thought-crime



John Pilger
The New
Rulers of the
World
(2002)

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19 Yiddish	20 Yoruba	21 Winter Solstice WICCA	22 Yukpa	23 Yuwana	24 Zalamo	25 CHRISTIAN Christmas Day
26 Boxing Day Zarma	27 Zenaga	28 Zizilivakan	29 Zogu	30 Zulu	31 Zyphe	

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