Although we will be engaging in a legalistic struggle in the courts to attempt to defend ourselves from 'legal persecution' by the State, we do not for one moment believe that the falsely named justice system ever provides any accused anything approaching a 'fair trial'.

It is a myth that fair trials, justice or democracy exist in a bourgeois state. They do not.

We know that if there was such a thing as fair trials and justice - we would walk free. But there is no justice and we will not receive a fair trial. Yet, because it is sometimes possible to exploit the contradictions inherent in the bourgeois democratic legal process (which results from the need for the law makers to appear fair and legitimate) we will be participating in the courtroom facade to try to minimise the legal attack against us.

But justice, like freedom, can only be obtained through the struggle of the people; and until we win, justice will only be an ideal and an inspiration in the hearts of the oppressed.

March 13 - Julie Belmas, Ann Hansen, Gerry Hannah, Doug Stewart, Brent Taylor.

Bail was denied at two hearings on February 21 and March 1. A preliminary hearing of the prosecution evidence was set for May 2, but this has now been shelved indefinitely. They have also been threatened with losing their right to regular remand hearings. CONTINUES INSIDE

URUGUAY

ELENA VASSILIS Born on 4th Sept '53
- arrested 4th June 1972.

Uruguayan student who was sentenced to 35 years of prison by the military establishment just for struggling for freedom. Mass murderers do not receive these sentences in civilised countries.

CRIME STATISTICS & LIES
The British Crime Survey which cost £250,000 and involved interviewing 11,000 people has been published by the Home Office and the papers of the rich using Scotland Yard statistics have portrayed the usual racist lies. In fact the highest risk victim is a young man in his 40s and burglars rarely attack homeowners or vandalism they merely take electrical goods, cash or jewels.

The country areas are no safer than the city but only 155 of these were reported due to a 'dialect of the police', 'too trivial' or 'waste of time'. The statistics for shoppinglift and more importantly 'employe theft' are unknown. Camden Council did its own survey in response to the Newpaper SHOCKHORROR stories on crime and found that most mugging victims are black and that if you are young and black you are 2½ times more likely to be mugged than a white person and whites are responsible for most crime!

PC STABBING SHOCK HORROR
13 y.o. Leonard Laccum has accused a West London Police Constable of stabbing him in All Saints Road, Leonard lost 6 pints of blood, was shot for 24 hours and spent 8 days in hospital.

CORONER'S OFFICE BRIBES
1 cop has been suspended, 9 retired and 7 transferred following an Internal Inquiry by South London Police. Bribes were paid to Coroner's Office cops to direct business to one Undertakers. £400 is charged to bereaved families after 30% of deaths in London go through the Coroner's 'prec. forensic'.

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The Headquarters of the Waveetter Conservative Association in Church Rd. N4 Liverpool were badly damaged by fire. Traces of petrol and evidence of forced entry are alleged to have been found. A conference table which was run by the Association has been subject to attacks also. Sir Anthony Steen, MP for Waveetter said: 'left-wing extremists are responsible'.

RENT STRIKES
In the south London borough of Lambeth, 6000 tenant and that almost two-thirds of the boroughs 45,000 tenants are behind in rent payments. At least 2000 owe at least £1000 each. Overall, about £2m is owed the council.

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FIRE DEATH

Aft 'barber' Russell died in his flat in Penge.
Inquest was told that 36 year-old
what was described by neighbours as a 'fireball
crashing into their garden'. The Sun-
er House Estate has been the scene of N
graffiti, letterboxing & break-ins.

France

The mainly middle-class (entrepreneurial
farmers and Law & medical students) demonstrations in Paris and elsewhere in
France may have ended up in a couple of
cars being overturned and some stones
thrown at police by masked youths but
there motives were of self-interest only:
protecting the future security of the
professions and small businesses.
The left on the whole have been perplexed at
the sight of traditionalists taking on the
CRS, and then the Press trying to draw
comparisons with the May 16 events.
Meanwhile what has generally gone unrep-
ported is that in Versailles 300
students were arrested, mostly immigrants fought
the CRS after their community experienced
a series of raids and other racial
attacks. In Marseille a bomb killed an
immigrant. In October a Great African
from Morocco was shot by a cop because he
didn't show his passport. And an
13 year old, Abdel Kada, was shot in the
back because a cop thought he was a
traveller.

Source: Groupe Libertad
International News

Punishing 'Young Terrorists'

Roger Julien Caceres and Victoria Grisona were arrested by the police in 1976. Like many others, they "disappeared" in the hands of the Argentine Junta, the same junta which thought that after defeating its fellow citizens, who paid for their keep, in open battle, they could tackle the British Fleet.

Disappearances are nothing unusual in Fascist Argentina. When young parents like this disappear, what happens to the children? They had two, a four year old boy Anatole Boris and a three year old girl Eva Lucia Julien Grisona (known as Victoria).

If the children are lucky, the relatives manage to get them in time and keep them. If not, they are left abandoned.

The two little children were found abandoned on the Palace O'higgins in Valparaiso (Chile) in December 1976. They were picked up by someone...but they were lucky that they were adopted by a Chilean couple.

How did they get from Buenos Aires (Argentina) to Valparaiso (Chile)? Nobody knows. Anatole says he stayed with his sister in a "Big house before he was taken to Valparaiso by Aunt Monica". (There is no other trace of Aunt Monica).

The family is to be deprived forever of contact with their children, presumably even if released. In the case of another little girl, Amoral Garcia, her parents Floreal Garcia and Marta Hernandez, were murdered by the Uruguay-an authorities and their bodies found outside Montevideo with three others, in Dec 1976. Amoral vanished in Buenos Aires, apparently taken illegally from Uruguay and kidnapped there. What her fate has been, nobody knows. Mariana Zaffaroni Islas was kidnapped in 1976 with her parents Jorge Zaffaroni and Maria Emilia Islas. Now news of them, no news of her, then 3½ years old and surely blameless of any crime even by Uruguayan Police State standards.

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ANARCHIST SUMMER CAMP
An anarchist summer camp will be held in Sweden 1st to the 9th July this year. Details later (we usually get them about a week after the event but hopefully before). The AIT/International Workers Association Northern Conference will be in December in North Germany and the AIT international conference in September (in Barcelona). The AIT is the anarchosyndicalist international.

WELSH ANARCHIST CONFERENCE
At the Urdd Centre, Conway Road, Pontcanna, Cardiff. On June 4th & 5th. Saturday: 10am to 8pm workshops on class war, anarchism & welsh nationalism, sexism, animal liberation, communications, elections, travellers, etc. Sunday: 11am to 5pm setting up of the WELSH ANARCHIST FEDERATION. There will be a creche. Accommodation provided. Meet Friday evening 3rd June at the Bristol Hotel (lounge) Penarth Road (near the railway station). Contact Address: Box 666, 108 Bookshop, 108 Salisbury Road, Cathays, Cardiff.

LONDON ANARCHIST FEDERATION
At its inaugural meeting LAF decided to meet monthly, to organise public meetings, to regularly exchange news on what is happening locally, to exchange information on locally held resources, to maintain a mailing list and to form a LAF contingent at the May Day march. LAF can be contacted via Box F, 84b Whitechapel High Street, London E1.

OUR RADIO
O.R. is going on to medium wave and they need anarchists to make programmes, write c/o Box F at 84b Whitechapel High Street, London E1.

A DISTRIBUTION mail-out - alternate Thursdays 6pm at 84b Whitechapel High Street, London E1. Phone 01-247 3015 to check people are there and the mail out is on first.

Will comrades please note that the only address for anarchists in Morecambe and Lancaster should be: (Correspondence only) Chris Preston, 27 Nightingale Close, GOSPORT, Hampshire. PO12 3BU.

BLACK STAR No.8 Free from B.S. Collective 6/0 29 Canon Cocks Street, Sunderland, SR2 8PH, England. The last issue! After a short life of a year, launched as TREASON in Nov. '81 the collective have now gone on to BLACK STAR BOOKSERVICE whose literature can be obtained from Red & Black bookshop, 120 Victoria Rd, Middlesborough.


BERMONDSEY ANARCHIST NEWS GROUP
From Box Terrier, c/o 84b Whitechapel High Street, London E1. Coming soon: The COMMONWEAL No. 1 £1.20 (93pp) includes the following:

Exploding Political Myths: No. 1 15p 'Favorite quotes from the fascist Left Trotsky', B.A.N.G. pamphlets poorly reproduced (at least our copies were?) but a good polemic eg. comparing the 'Militant Tendency' programme with that of Oswald Mosely when a Labour M.P. before leading the Brit Union of Fascists.

'About ANARCHY (the magazine)' No.2 15p

INTERNATIONAL PRESS SYNDICATE
A network specialising in the syndicating of news items, especially for defence campaigns, has been set up. It is called the International Anarchist Press Syndicate. Anyone involved in anarchist publishing (books, pamphlets, papers, etc) or documentation should contact: IAPS, Bayou la Rose, PO Box 52282, New Orleans, Louisiana 70152, USA.

POLICE
KILL THE BILL! DEMONSTRATION on 22/5/83 March begins 1.00 Sunday from Brockwell Park South London to Hyde Park.

GROSVENOR HOTEL STRIKE
The London Branch of the Cypriot Communist Party is planning to hold a Benefit Party/Concert at the Grosvenor Hotel. This means scabbing!!!!!!