

# CONSERVATIVES - The ONLY alternative to Socialism

## EXTERNAL DEFENCE

Recently, the Labour leadership wrote to the Soviet ruler, **Yuri Andropov**, to ask him what he would do if Britain carried out Labour's one-sided disarmament policy for this country. But how much faith should we put in any reply from this man?

**Andropov** was the Soviet Ambassador who supervised the brutal repression of the popular uprising in Hungary in 1956. From 1967 until 1982, he was head of the KGB — the Soviet secret police force which has systematically smashed all movements for political freedom in Russia. Now he runs the whole country.

### WOULD YOU TRUST THIS MAN ?



— LABOUR DOES !

- Labour intends to scrap our nuclear defences within 5 years.
- Labour intends to close down all American nuclear bases in Britain.
- Labour intends to do NOTHING to counter over 1,000 highly-accurate Soviet SS-20 nuclear warheads deployed by the Soviet Union since 1977.
- Labour intends to make massive cuts in our conventional defences too.

It is the first duty of any Government to ensure the security of its people. A future Labour Government would leave us helpless in the face of aggression.

**VOTE FOR FREEDOM**  
**VOTE CONSERVATIVE**

## INTERNAL DEMOCRACY

According to the Labour journal *Tribune*, there is no doubt whatever that the Labour Members of the next Parliament will include **a far greater proportion of committed Left-wingers than ever before.**

Last February, in a desperate attempt to improve its public image, the Labour Party expelled just **five** extremists from its ranks. They were members of the Militant Tendency — a group committed to the ideas of the Russian revolutionaries, Lenin and Trotsky. There are about **three thousand** of them still working away inside the Labour Party, and some of them have already more than made their presence felt in Labour circles in Swansea.

None of the five expelled in February was due to stand for Parliament. All the Militants chosen as Parliamentary candidates are being allowed to stand for Labour, including one who admitted last year that **“a Socialist transformation of society”** would mean **“the abolition of the Monarchy, the House of Lords, the sacking of the generals, the admirals, the air marshals. . . . and in particular the judges”.**

In the face of their party's massive shift to the Left, caused by the abandonment of barriers against extremist infiltration, **some Labour “moderates” have swallowed their principles and put their names to policies — such as one-sided disarmament — which they always opposed in the past.**

Others, unwilling to stomach this, split off to form the Social Democratic Party. **The SDP is, in reality, the old moderate Labour Party.** It would not exist today if the extremists of the Far Left had not captured Labour. *And if Labour wins, democracy will have lost.*

## THE ECONOMY

In 1976, Mr. James Callaghan told the TUC: **“We used to think that you could just spend your way out of a recession. . . . I tell you, in all candour, that that option no longer exists, and that in so far as it ever did exist, it only worked by injecting bigger doses of inflation into the economy, followed by higher levels of unemployment as the next step.”**

Yet, the Labour Party now proposes once again to try to spend its way out of recession — this time with **billions of pounds of borrowed money.**

The French Socialist Government recently tried this sort of policy. The result was **massive inflation, extra taxes, three devaluations of the currency, and NO significant reduction in unemployment.**

The Conservatives will hold firm to the sound financial policies which have brought inflation under control and reduced our overseas debt to its lowest level since 1945. In a second term of office, our task will be the creation of **real jobs in competitive industries — not artificial ones, subsidised by money we do not possess, which would refuel inflation and cause more unemployment in the long term.**

We will continue and carry further our policies which have kept pensions ahead of the rate of inflation, given hundreds of thousands of people the right to buy their own homes, made nationalised industry more competitive, and set aside a budget for the National Health Service which is **higher in real terms than in any year of Labour rule.**

And we will continue to bring democracy to the workings of the trade unions, so that their leaders will be people representing the interests of their members, rather than abusing industrial power for political ends as in the past.

IN SWANSEA WEST VOTE

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