



THE NASTIER THE BETTER! Bidding war on asylum escalates

In the past we've brought you many unbelievable stories about foreigners assaulting the British way of life - today is no exception.

ASYLUM SEEKER ATE MY HAMSTER

By Felix Morass

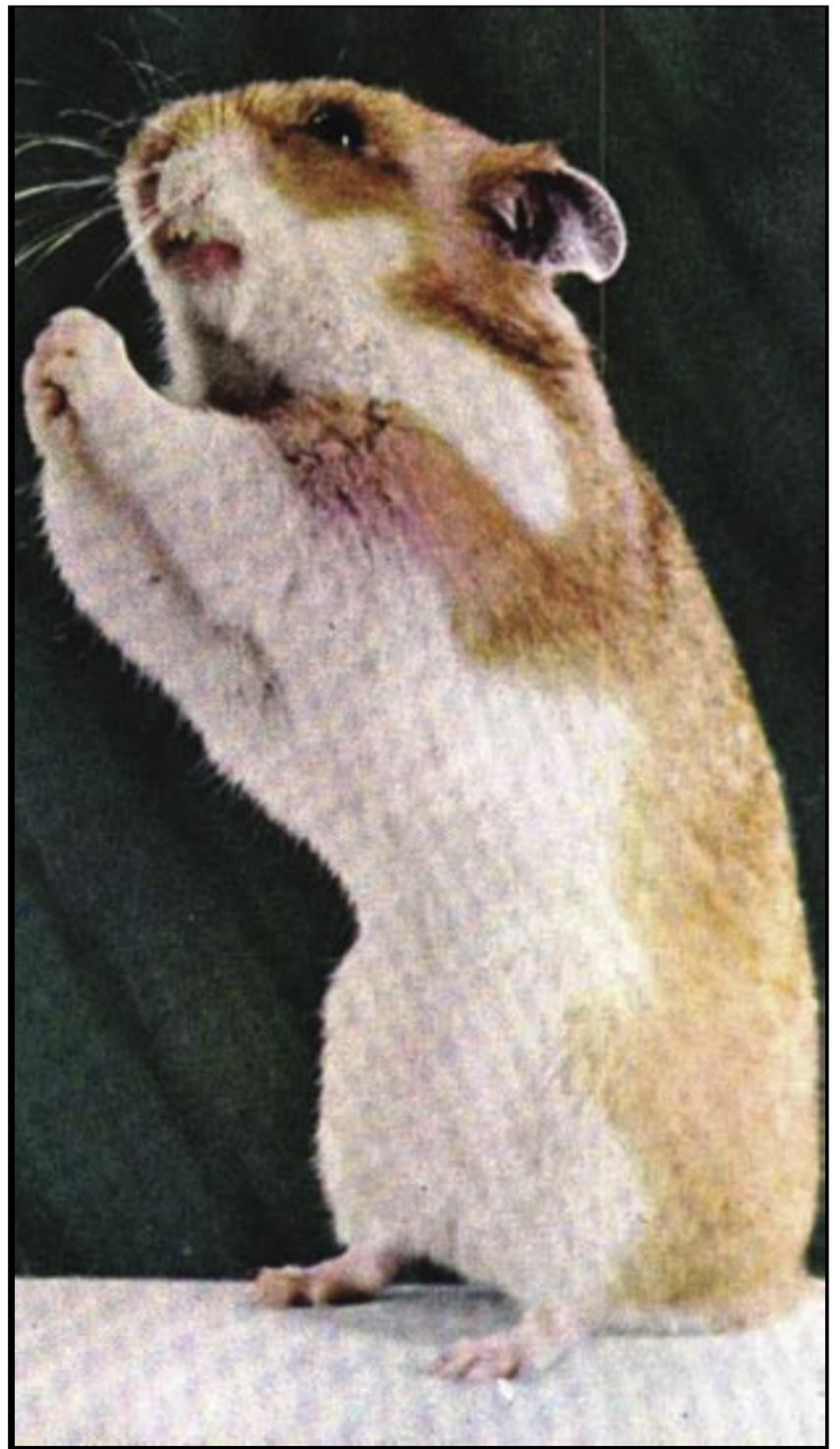
Reports have come in that send the level of asylum lunacy to new heights of ear-bursting irritation. Our sources have revealed that ever-hungry border-hoppers have been eating hamsters.

Animal lovers and medical experts are equally outraged. The British hamster is rightly renowned as one of the finest examples of pedigree rodents world-

Have generations of endearingly eccentric English pet lovers created a truly pedigree species only for it to be scoffed by benefit cheats?

These gorgeous mini thoroughbreds, sum up what it is to be a proud member of the Royal Realm. But now, the loveable creatures are at risk from the human vermin who, day-by-day, gnaw away at the skirting boards of decency.

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A terrified 'at risk' rodent pleads for its life, yesterday.

Hasta La Vista For The Gringo Without The Lingo

BRITS LIVING in Spain have been told by the Spanish Government "fit in or get out". Hordes of Anglo-Saxon foreigners have been pouring into the Mediterranean country, with most claiming a desperate need to escape from long winters and an over-priced housing market. While sympathetic to the horrors of British life, the Spanish public has become increasingly disturbed at the refusal of the newcomers to leave the ways of their old culture behind and adjust to Spanish society.

"I know of families who have been here twenty years and can't speak a word of Spanish" says Pedro Garcia, a *caymionero* in Malaga, "Many of them couldn't even tell you what a chorizo is." Garcia says parts of the city are now a no-go area, with shops selling nothing but

By Rosie Beef
Europe Correspondant

pre-sliced white loaves and greasy fry-ups. Irish theme bars and imitation 'pubs' line the shoreline of the Spanish coast, where many of the immigrants live, and there have been reports of cricket games being played in the city's plazas.

To save the endangered Spanish way of life authorities have now introduced a "citizenship test" for all Brits. Wannabe ex-pats will now have to undertake a compulsory course of flamenco dancing, learn all the lyrics of the Cheeky Girls and be accepted into the Catholic Church. Reports of a enforced daily siesta are being denied by the Spanish Government at this time.

Lock 'Em Up They're Used To It

By Dingo Jones
Redneck Correspondant

Charles Clarke, British Home Secretary, enjoyed a stimulating seminar with a range of despotic dictators from around the world at Torture Tips 2005, held in Darfur in Sudan earlier this week.

The new Home Secretary was on a fact-finding mission to bolster Britain's methods for control, detention and punishment of refugees in the UK. Participants at Torture Tips included Omar Ahmed Al Beshir, Sudanese President, who made an eloquent case for arbitrary detention in his welcome address. Other speeches included "Raping, Maiming and Pillaging" delivered via video link up by Charles Taylor and "If I Can't Get You I'll Attack Your Family" by Mugabe from Zimbabwe. Clarke ran a short afternoon workshop entitled "How To Get Away With Violating Human Rights In A Democratic Country Without Anyone Noticing."

A clearly invigorated and enthused Clarke spoke to the Mail about the conference, stating that the multilateral seminar had opened his eyes to new and innovative ways of working.

"Dictators have a lot of experience and good practice to share, particularly on issues like arbitrary imprisonment. Our operation has looked quite conservative when compared to some of the more experienced despotic regimes, but I felt reassured that we are heading in the right direction in the UK. After all, we detain thousands of immigrants without trial (highest numbers in Europe) including 2000 children over the course of last year, and we *do* abduct families when we deport them. Imprisoned immigrants are locked up indefinitely for up to 23 hours per day and racially abused both physically and verbally."

He added that three public-money-saving-suicides by immigrants in detention centres last year showed that Britain "must be doing something right".

As a nod to future international co-operation on immigration issues, the British government distributed free electric cattle prods to all participating dictators, to use on returning unsuccessful refugees.

News In Brief

MAJOR TERROR ALERT: Asian Man watches football match - Plot to kidnap Entire England Football team and smuggle them to Qatar in bird cages suspected. Spokesman Sgt. Adrian Dimlight of the Greater Manchester Police Force said "I detected this is not in keeping with Asian behaviour. Football's for white people, so I instantly surmised that this was their nefarious plan and have immediately put not only them but their entire extended family under house arrest". Our Great Leader spoke today of his gratitude to Sgt Dimlight for his prompt and courageous actions that undoubtedly saved thousands of English lives. "This demonstrates that this nation is safer and securer under my direction than it would be with those pussies in the Conservative Party in power".

Tony Blair holds Black Baby. In Africa. In a bid to demonstrate his compassionate nature President Blair was snapped in Africa today holding a starving child. "This place is amazing" he was later quoted. "My advisers are always telling me to send people back to Africa. They'd love it here. Its full of Black people. Wow." We cannot guarantee the authenticity of these words due to a slight muffling caused by Tony's all-in-one Paul Smith designer bio-hazard suit.



Michael Howard: 'Why I am not and have never been foreign'.

Contrary to sinister reports from 10 Downing street the Tory leader explained that his family have lived in Wales for generations and that it was a much misunderstood foreign holiday his late father took, that has led to these smear stories in the pro-government press. In fact he has announced he will from now on conduct all political debate in Welsh to demonstrate his true blooded Englishness.

Rest Assured, Lots of Them Don't Make it. Recent research reveals that at least 4000 documented deaths have taken place since 1993, as immigrants try to make their way into Europe, including pregnant women and children. These nameless would-be scroungers have met their ends in a variety of ways, including drowning, being shot and run over.

Dangerous Neighbour Gives Out Cake - Neighbourhood wardens were called to the scene to apprehend a dangerous family man "Yussef" who was distributing cakes and sweets to the homes of his neighbours in Crumpsall. Yussef claimed that he was trying to get to know his neighbours and giving out sweets in an Islamic tradition of welcome. Law abiding local residents mostly declined his offerings of friendship and cake.

Wheely Out of Order - Residents are up in arms having heard that a failed asylum seeker will be using up scarce NHS resources by occupying a wheel chair in the Greater Manchester area. The young man was found on the streets of Preston with frostbite which resulted in the amputation of both his legs. The young man was destitute, as he was unable to return to his country of origin without travel documents and had had his benefits cut off by the government.

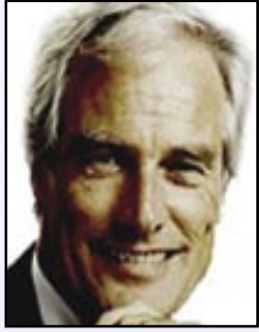


Budgeting Tips to be Given Out by Asylum Seekers - A local council in Yorkshire and the Humber are applying for funds to run an "asylum seeker budgeting training scheme" for local residents. Asylum seekers will then be able to demonstrate how they are able to get cars, mobile phones and new houses on just £37 per week. Local resident Peter Guff said "I don't know how they do it. It's is completely impossible".

As Bo'wed to Popular Pressure - Hate Mail are throwing themselves into the campaign to support Karl Wyndham from Salford who has been unjustly ASBO'd for leading a group of adults and children in attacking and mugging a group of Somali women in broad daylight. Karl, an avid reader of the Mail told our reporter, "I thought harassment of brown people was OK, especially if they looked a bit Muslim".

Immigration Impartiality awards 2005

Hate Mail are proud to announce 2 nominees for this years Impartiality Awards 2005. Adjudicators rule on appeals from asylum seekers. The two adjudicators running for the prize this year are Mr R B Humpart of Newcastle [100% refusal of cases involving Middle Eastern males] and Sir Hubert Dinggarven of Glasgow - [100% refusal of all appeal cases presented to him]



Kiljoy-Sick: Why I changed my mind about asylum seekers

Study Claims Asylum Seekers Come to UK Because Home is Hell-hole, Not For Benefits

By Obvious O'Reason

I used to take the perfectly reasonable view that all migrants to this county should be shipped back before they got here and sterilised before being born.

But taking a much more liberal view may have its advantages.

I've changed my mind about asylum seekers because they actually create jobs. It sounds crazy but it's true. Here's how it works:

-Private security firms that have profitable contacts for detention centres, like Group 4 or Wakenhut seem happy to employ patriots that are maybe a little too violent, or unbalanced, to get into the police or the armed forces. These security guards still get to wear a uniform and a chance to damage foreigners. Ok, so the pay sucks arse but at least you get to wear a uniform and beat up someone that isn't your wife.

-Electronic tagging so we can keep tabs on them? Money for old rope!

-Our less than able judges? So they may look good in a wig, but let's face it, not all judges and lawyers can be geniuses. That's why it's good that we have immigration courts. Ninety percent of asylum claims are rejected initially. So it's only really at the appeals that they even have to pay any attention. It's a good place to put the loony old farts where no-one's going to care if they make the wrong decision. It's a bit like me playing at being a politician. Such good fun! After all, we wouldn't want these dimwits deciding on English people's cases.

-Gangmasters and employers, good day to you. It is illegal for asylum seekers to work, and they have no labour rights. If we changed all this then we'd have to start paying people the minimum wage. And that's just left wing idealism gone crazy. Let's keep those supermarket prices low. We all benefit somewhere along the line.

-And what about liberal do-gooders who want to change the world without really changing their comfortable lifestyle? Annoying as they are, they still need jobs. Bizarrely, these people actually want to do something positive to help refugees. Let's keep them busy providing accommodation and advising foreigners. How else can we get these liberals to collude with immigration control and the Home Office? Otherwise they might start kicking up a fuss and we don't want that.

Now don't get me wrong. I don't think that we should give asylum seekers asylum. That would be crazy. Let's just keep the revolving doors of our borders revolving, and make sure that we get good value from asylum seekers,

ACCORDING TO a controversial new study to be released on Monday, most asylum seekers come to the UK because their countries are war-torn hell-holes, where they are at risk of torture and death.

This directly contradicts the accepted wisdom that refugees are sly ne'er-do-wells, here to claim the £37 a week they are given in benefits and to sleep with our women.

"In recent years, the great majority of people seeking asylum in the UK have come from Iraq, Sri Lanka, Afghanistan, Iran and Somalia. All countries with widespread human rights abuses, including torture, 'disappearances' and extra judicial execution" said the 5000 page report.

"These are really rather intriguing new findings," said the report's author, Hermon Longshuttle.

"Everybody has been saying for so long that asylum

seekers are just chancers, here to sponge off the state and only interested in crime and terrorism, that we seem to have all come to believe it," says Hermon. "The idea that they are vulnerable victims of violence, who have to leave their homes, families and everything they know just to survive casts a very interesting new light on matters."

Manchester resident, Paul Burybutt (17) said he was very surprised by this new information. "There was a Somalian family living next to us in Stretford. The father was nice enough, although rather disfigured by cigarette burns on his face. Apparently the mother was still in arbitrary detention back in Somalia. As a red-blooded Brit, I felt duty bound to spit at them and spray 'thieving blaggers' on their front door. Particularly after what I'd read in the papers about asylum seekers, but this kind of information will

really make me think twice in future".

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Cockle Shocker in Bay of Plenty

By Distaff Shortage

ALARMING REPORTS have been coming from the Morecambe area that migrants have been seen there harvesting local cockles, with local workers being entirely passed over for the positions.

"Blast it and begorrah!" said local resident, solicitor and home-owner Reg Blansley (53). "There they are taking our 60p-an-hour, all-weather, no-protection jobs. I didn't even see the positions advertised let alone get a chance to apply."

When we spoke to Morecambe Job Centre Plus, they said interest in cockle-picking had been low among British workers since the industrial revolution.

This paper would like to issue an unreserved apology for an article that appeared in our sister paper, the Manchester Evening Newt entitled: "Asylum Seekers Proved to be Human After All".

Staff at all our papers are aware that this kind of open and tolerant reportage is not acceptable. We are also concerned that the scientific report this 'story' was based on, did not meet Lord Roughnewt's Publishing Group's stringent scientific bias guidelines. The reporter concerned has since been asked to leave the group and checks on the background of all our reporters are now in place.

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ARE YOU THINKING WHAT WE'RE THINKING?

CONSERVATIVES

Outrage as welcoming Brits open arms to asylum invaders

A network of groups committed to supporting and campaigning for refugees is spreading like a rash across the nation

Hate Mail went undercover to collect this information on their activities

What's going on?

Why do people come here from the Third World in the first place? War, trade injustice, crippling debt, environmental destruction. It's about global capitalism! So, demonstrate against the G8...www.dissent.org

16 to 17 June: G8 Justice & Interior Ministers, Sheffield

People who make the security decisions and determine deportations and migration. Let's all go to Sheffield!

Sat June 25th: No One is Illegal conference
Annual gathering in Manchester. Cross St. Chapel 1-6pm info@noii.org.uk

Sat 2nd July: 'Make Poverty History'
March in Edinburgh with 'anti-capitalist presence': Make Capitalism History.

Sunday 3rd July: Magical Mystery Tour of immigration controls.

A tour of the "Chain of Deportation". While the G8 meet in Scotland to plan how to make the walls of Fortress Europe even higher, we will expose the secrets of the dirty tricks. Meet 1.30, Buchanan St Underground, Glasgow. www.makebordershistory.org

Wed 6th July: International Day Of Action Against The G8 Summit 2005

Wherever you are in the world this is the day to make your protest against the G8 heard. In Scotland this including public blockades of the delegates as they arrive, and much, much more.

Thurs 7th July Peoples' Open Golfing Tournament www.tao.ca/~wrench/dist/g8/pga.html

8th July Environmental Refugees - Day of Action on Climate Change.

Climate chaos is already causing the forced migration of thousands through floods, droughts and rising sea levels. Let's take apart the oil industry and put pressure on the environmental criminals. More details www.dissent.org.uk

5 things you can do:

1. Get informed

Find out what's really going on when it comes to immigration, talk to people who are experiencing UK immigration policy first hand. Read pages 6-7 of Hate Mail for starters.

2. Challenge ignorance

Don't let people get away with xenophobic attitudes, informed by a racist press. Defend the rights of migrants in the pub! The Press Complaints Commission has guidelines on the use of misleading language, which are continually flouted by the tabloid press who use distorted language in order to scare, mislead and push a right wing agenda. Write to them. Write in to local press.

3. Donate to a destitution project / Lend your spare room

Many refugees face homelessness and destitution when their claims fail. Help people find temporary places to stay in ordinary people's homes. Investigate projects like this in your area. Donate money to your local destitution project. Set one up.

4. Join an anti deportation campaign

You can help people who are facing deportation in a very concrete way, by stopping them from being deported to face danger and death. Leafletting flights, standing up on planes, getting public backing for individuals...it all works. There have been recent successes in Manchester where flights have been stopped to Zimbabwe, and people released from detention.

5. Make Borders History

There is now an international No Border network of resistance, as local groups have been formed throughout Europe and North America. These groups share the view that the system won't fix itself and they support a confrontational approach to resistance to immigration control. Local No Borders group meet across Britain.

Manchester is one of the worst hit:

STAR

A student group campaigning at Manchester University. They are involved in running after school homework clubs and other activities.

Contact Phil at starmanchester@hotmail.com

Women's Anti-deportation Group

Meets weekly in the Women's Office. Non students and men welcome! Contact womens@umsu.man.ac.uk

Committee to Defend Asylum Seekers

Run regular refugee socials at the Friends Meeting House. First Saturday of every month from 12.00 at the Friends Meeting House. Contact Mark Krantz at mark.krantz@ntlworld.com

Trade Union action in support of Migrants

Many trade unions are continuing their history of working for equal rights and fair treatment by supporting asylum seekers. More information: www.noii.org.uk

Manchester No Borders / No one is illegal

Meets every month at The Basement 24, Lever St, central Manchester. Makes things like this paper. www.manchesternoborders.org.uk

Non-violent Direct Action:

"Perhaps if there had been a broader understanding of the uses of non-violent direct action in Germany when Hitler was rising and consolidating his power, the brutal extermination of six million Jews and millions of other war dead might have been averted and Germany might never have become totalitarian. If Protestants and Catholics had engaged in non-violent direct action and had made the oppression of the Jews their very own oppression and had come into the streets beside the Jew to scrub the sidewalks, and had Gentiles worn the stigmatizing yellow arm bands by the millions, a unique form of mass resistance to the Nazi regime might have developed. Martin Luther King, May 20, 1965

Rip down fences, sit in, blockade, noise demonstrations, resist eviction occupy offices. All legitimate tactics in fighting unjust laws. Dissent Network - The Glensidles Have Landed

Information

www.ramproject.org.uk
promoting best practice in media representation of of refugee and asylum issues

www.asylumsupport.info

Up to date digest on immigration policy and news

www.refugeecouncil.org.uk

myth busting materials and legal info + how to complain to Press Commission

www.icar.org

information centre about asylum and refugees

www.noii.org.uk

No one is illegal manifesto

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Visitors to Immigration Detainees

www.aviddetention.org.uk/aviddefault.htm

Refugee Action

www.refugee-action.org.uk

British Red Cross

www.redcross.org.uk

Campaigning

International No Borders Network: www.noborder.org

Manchester : www.manchesternoborders.org.uk

Sheffield: sheffield-noborders@lists.aktivix.org;

Oxford: Campaign to Close Campsfield - 01865 726804 or 01865558145

London: nooneisillegal@gmx.net

Nottingham: noborders@riseup.net, Box 40, 245 Gladstone St., Forest Fields NG7 6HX

Committee to Defend Asylum Seekers

www.defend-asylum.org ; phone: 07941566183 **Student Action for Refugees (STAR)**

www.star-network.org.uk

National Coalition of Anti-Deportation Campaigns - NCADC

www.ncadc.org.uk/

NCADC North West

Supports refugees to organise anti-deportation campaigns. Contact Emma Ginn on 0161 740 6504 ncadc-north-west@ncadc.org.uk

Boaz Trust

Coordinates a network of people who provide destitute migrants with temporary housing. Contact Dave Smith on 0161 432 6041 boaztrust@aol.com

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Dirty Tricks

THIS PAPER is a spoof of the tabloid media. The INFLUX OF LIES and waves of untruths that have flooded our country over the last few years, are distorting the reality of immigration: People have always MOVED AROUND, since time began and they always will.

The people who wrote this spoof are LAW ABIDING tax-paying citizens who are sick of the scourge of hate-crime provoking news, which sully our corner-shops and twist Decent British People's Minds against anyone who looks a bit different. We wrote this paper to reveal the dark messages that lurk within anti-immigration PROPAGANDA.

We are OUTRAGED Brits who are ashamed that even other Europeans condemn our treatment of immigrants as contravening human rights.

IT'S NOT THAT SCARY to welcome people from other countries fleeing persecution or just in search of work or for a change of scene. After all WE BRITS DO IT ALL THE TIME.

Many of these stories are closely based on REAL LIFE SITUATIONS and reflect incidents that have happened, and continue to happen, to refugees and migrants. EXPLOITATION is an everyday fact for many of the people we are encouraged to despise and fear.

WE KNOW this island is blighted by irresponsible media reporting that has a TERRIBLE and lasting impact on community relations. Our laws are crowded with racist legislation which prevents new arrivals from staying here or from marrying non-EU nationals. It enables our government to separate families who fight detention, to deny people shelter and the right to work, to lock up children in detention centres and to treat human beings in a way that is UNACCEPTABLE and would not be allowed if it were white Brits at stake. We don't want new arrivals to be mistreated and disrespected in our backyard.

WE BELIEVE in freedom of movement for all people on this planet. We believe that all human beings have the right to decide where they want to live and who to fall in love with.

Choose to support migrants' rights. Make up your own mind and don't listen to lies from people with agendas. Buck the trend and befriend a refugee. Get informed on the issues and challenge ignorance.

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They Should Count Themselves Lucky

Asylum seekers STILL Get to Breathe British Air

As a quick fisted, far-right minded, long standing Mail columnist I was none too pleased to hear that Asylum Seekers from FOREIGN countries speaking FOREIGN languages are still getting to breathe British air, even AFTER their claims are turned down. In fact I was so mad when I heard that it resulted in a hospitalized Afghani, four days imprisonment at her Majesty's pleasure and a permanent ban from my local snooker hall.



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COLUMN

BIGOTRY

Something else that made me smile was the results of the British Crime survey which found there are 560 racially motivated incidents per day in the UK. If you are Black, Asian, Jewish or Arab, East or Southern European you are up to 10 times more likely to be attacked than white Europeans. I don't want to get too big for my breeches but I like to feel I've done my bit especially since reading

research that has proven DIRECT links between inflammatory articles and attacks on brown people.

Next week: Incitement against gypsies, gay bashing, slagging off single mums and more general picking on the most vulnerable members of society.

NARROW MINDED

Having said that, I hate to admit it but I have to admire the Labour policies that have left thousands of asylum seekers destitute and starving. The genius of it is no benefits, no housing, not allowed to work AND most of them can't even leave for years. That 'll show the cheeky f*****s. It's a heartwarming sight to see the Red Cross handing out food parcels in the fourth largest economy in the world.

MEAN SPIRITED

The Government admits that there is no safe passage home for Iraqis and Somali's but that hasn't stopped them from kicking in with the old destitution policies. Some extremist liberal terrorist types have argued the sort of policy that leaves young children with no roof over has no place in democracy but I say go the whole hog – shut off their air supply.



Heart-warming sight of a destitute asylum seeker receiving a Red Cross food parcel in world's fourth largest democracy

YOU ARE BEING

ANOTHER DAY, another scare story. The papers say Britain is under siege from asylum seekers. They blame them for higher taxes, crime, rising house prices, hospital waiting lists, cheap labour, terrorism and AIDS. Mainstream politicians either agree or refuse to challenge these stories.

There are two possible reasons for this press campaign. Only one of them can be true.

The first is that fake refugees from Iraq, Afghanistan and Eastern Europe really are responsible for most of Britain's problems. The second is that you are being lied to - deliberately, day in, day out - about asylum seekers.

Many people believe asylum seekers are one of our society's biggest problems. No wonder. The scare stories printed every day in the Sun, Express, Star and Mail are hardly ever challenged in the press or in parliament.

That's why, inside, we set out some facts that might make you see things differently. We think they show that asylum seekers are not causing these problems, but are being used as scapegoats.

If we're right, then whoever is responsible for society's problems is getting away scot-free. It's the oldest trick in the book. Divide and rule.

We didn't produce this paper because we're a bunch of bleeding hearts. We did it because we're fed up too. Fed up with services that get worse instead of better. Fed up with council tax hikes and impossible house prices. Fed up with schools and hospitals being run down and sold off piecemeal. Fed up with low pay and crime.

Above all, we're fed up being lied to about why this is happening. Let's look at what the

ARE ASYLUM SEEKERS AND MIGRANTS 'SWAMPING THE UK'?

An opinion poll last year showed the public overestimates the number of asylum-seekers in the UK by a factor of 10 - which means people think there are 1000% more asylum seekers in Britain than are really here.

After years of anti-asylum press stories, British people believe on average that the UK has 23 per cent of the world's refugees. The real figure is below 2%.

ARE IMMIGRANTS DRAINING BRITAIN'S RESOURCES?

The Government's own figures show that migrants and refugees make a huge overall contribution to national wealth. They made a net contribution of around #2.5 billion to income tax in 1999-2000. This means they bring in #800 million a year more than the cost of running the entire asylum and immigration system.

ARE ASYLUM SEEKERS JUST ON THE MAKE? ARE THEY MAINLY BOGUS?

If so, they'd come from any poor country, not just ones where there is war and persecution. But the countries asylum seekers come from closely follows the pattern of wars, conflicts and repression around the world.

In 2002-2003 they mainly came from Iraq, Afghanistan, Somalia, and Zimbabwe. In the 1990s it was the Balkans. In the 1970s it was south east Asia. In the 1940s it was Poland.

The only thing these states have in common is war and repression. There is no other common cause of mass movements of people seeking asylum.

AREN'T THEY MAINLY ILLEGAL?

No - there is no such thing as an illegal or bogus asylum seeker. Under the 1951 Convention on Refugees, which the UK has signed, anyone has the right to apply for asylum in the UK, and to stay here until there is a final decision on their application. Stories about "illegal" and "bogus" asylum seekers are designed to make you think that they have done something wrong by even applying.

DOES BRITAIN TAKE MORE THAN ITS FAIR SHARE?

Far from it. Britain is 32nd in a worldwide league table of countries taking

asylum seekers. The countries with the highest numbers are all poor, developing countries.

Pakistan has most refugees, with over 2 million. Then comes Iran with over 1.8 million - over 27 for every 1000 inhabitants.

Even in Europe, Britain comes eighth for the number of applicants for asylum per 1000 inhabitants - after Austria, Sweden, Norway, Luxembourg, Switzerland and Belgium. When you take size of population and the wealth of the countries into account, Britain comes tenth in Europe.

BUT DON'T MANY ASYLUM SEEKERS USE FALSE DOCUMENTS?

Of course. A moment's thought shows why. False documents are essential to get away from a repressive regime like the Taliban's or Saddam Hussein's. That's why Article 31 of the 1951 Convention on Refugees prohibits governments from penalising refugees who use false documents.

AREN'T ASYLUM SEEKERS JUST ON THE MAKE?

Then how come one in three applications succeed, even though the government keeps toughening up the rules to keep people out? This means these people were able to prove that they were being persecuted by oppressive regimes, despite very restrictive rules. And half of all applicants are found to be in need of some kind of humanitarian protection.

BUT THEY MUST BE ABUSING THE WELFARE SYSTEM?

Hardly. Asylum seekers get just #37.77 a week - 30% below the poverty line. They are not allowed to claim other benefits.

ARE THEY PUSHING UP COUNCIL TAX?

No. Services for asylum seekers are not paid for out of local taxes.

DON'T ASYLUM SEEKERS AND MIGRANTS CAUSE CRIME?

Despite the poverty asylum seekers are forced to live in, there is no evidence that refugees and asylum seekers are more likely than other people to commit crimes. This is backed up by a report from the Association of Chief Police Officers. People trying to find protec-

-tion from victimisation in their home country are likely to become victims of crime in the UK.

ARE ASYLUM SEEKERS CAUSING UNEMPLOYMENT?

No. In fact few are even allowed to work. This is despite the fact that the UK's working population is declining and that the education and health services are crying out for staff. The EU estimates that Europe needs 1.6 million new workers a year.

AREN'T THEY TAKING CHEAP JOBS AND UNDERCUTTING WAGES?

Some take casual work or jobs "off the books" - because of poverty and the ban on working. This means some are paid below the national minimum wage. If they were allowed to work legally, they would fall within the minimum wage and there would be no downward pressure on other workers' pay. The same papers that blame them for undercutting wages, like the Express, the Mail and the Star, actually opposed the minimum wage in the first place and are always against trade unions fighting to improve workers' pay and conditions.

SURELY THERE'S NOT ENOUGH HOUSING TO GO ROUND?

The shortage of affordable housing is a real problem in Britain, but it's not caused by asylum seekers or migrants. It is caused by developers building profitable luxury flats and other schemes instead of decent cheap accommodation. Consecutive Tory and Labour governments have restricted the ability of local councils to build new homes making this worse. Last year only three units of new housing were built for every 1,000 people, the lowest level of new construction since 1945. If every asylum seeker left the country, there would still be a housing crisis.

HOUSING - THE REAL PROBLEM

Over a third of council housing has been privatised.

In 2000 to 2001, 53,000 English council properties were sold off - only 18,000 homes were built for affordable renting. In London, 11,182 were sold and only 3,000 built.

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Homes sold off are not replaced because councils are only allowed to keep a quarter of the money from sales for repairs and new building.

This makes a mockery of the idea that asylum seekers cause the strain on social housing.

AREN'T THEY DRAINING RESOURCES FROM THE NHS AND ADDING TO WAITING LISTS?

No. Migrants have made a massive contribution to the NHS from its start in 1948. Today, 23% of doctors and 47% of nurses were born outside the UK. Many nurses were trained in their countries of origin, paid for by the taxpayers of poor nations like Zambia and Nigeria.

Asylum seekers and migrants do not block doctors' waiting lists. GPs are allowed to refuse any new patients if their lists are full. Asylum seekers that are refused by GPs have to go to the Accident and Emergency ward at their nearest hospital if they need treatment - which is far more expensive.

HEALTH - THE REAL PROBLEM

According to the treasury's own website, Britain's health spending as a share of gross domestic product is lower than in any other similar country.

In 1998 UK total health spending was 6.8 per cent of GDP, compared with an EU average of 7.9 per cent and an income-weighted average of 8.4 per cent.

A report by the Office of Health Economics (OHE) revealed that the UK spends £970 per person on health - compared to £1,400 in France and £1,700 in Germany. A review of 30 developed countries revealed that globally only Mexico, Turkey, Korea, Ireland and Luxembourg spends less than we do on health provisions.

This dispels the myth that asylum seekers are the reason for the drain on NHS resources.

BUT I READ THAT THEY BRING DISEASE AND AIDS INTO THE UK...

The General Medical Council says there is no evidence that asylum seekers pose a threat to public health or that they are more likely to carry dangerous diseases than anyone else.

Press stories about TB are propaganda.

cluded that substandard housing and poverty in the UK cause TB among asylum-seekers.

Some infectious diseases do of course come into the country from overseas. This would be so even if all immigration were stopped because millions of UK citizens travel abroad on holiday and business every year.

THE ASYLUM SYSTEM CAN BE USED BY TERRORISTS

It's not surprising that there is no evidence for this. No terrorist would choose to go through the highly regulated and controlled asylum process.

SO WHY ARE SO MANY PEOPLE AGAINST ASYLUM?

Because politicians haven't countered the massive press campaign. They are either trying to use asylum fears to get elected, like the Tories, or are too scared of the millionaire press barons to stand up for the real interests of the people (like New Labour).

That's why so many people's ideas are so far from the actual facts. 48% believe that "few asylum seekers are genuine" and 58% of 15-to-24-year-olds believe they do not make a positive contribution to life in the UK (MORI Poll, June 2003).

Despite the propaganda, though, an overwhelming majority - 78% - agreed that Britain "should continue to let in people seeking asylum if their claim is genuine".

THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST ASYLUM SEEKERS IS NOT RACIST, THOUGH, IS IT?

Yes it is. The press campaign is just one stage in a long history of attacks on immigrants, using inflammatory terms like "scroungers" and "parasites", "swamping" the country in a "flood". The tabloids back up their lies with cartoons showing refugees as dirty, lazy, violent criminals. They did the same to earlier generations of refugees and other immigrants to this country.

ISN'T THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST ASYLUM SEEKERS STANDING UP FOR ORDINARY WORKING CLASS PEOPLE?

No - it's an attack on the interests of working class people. The campaign against asylum seekers won't lead to a single affordable house being built, a

single hospital waiting list being reduced, a single school being built. The campaign relies on ignorance and fear. Polls show that working class people in integrated areas show less hostility to migrants and refugees than they do in all-white areas.

Anti-asylum propaganda diverts attention away from the real causes of poverty, bad housing, underfunded hospitals and schools. It blames working class people from other countries for the problems here. It divides working people against one another and weakens movements to change things for the better. That's why it's trade unions and the working class movement that often takes the lead in opposing racism. Some unions - like UNISON and the FBU - are producing their own articles to answer the press lies.

WHY ARE THEY LYING?

The people that benefit from the anti-refugee and anti-migrant campaign are the same people that benefit from the real causes of bad housing, long hospital waiting lists and declining education. It is the big bosses - the millionaire, even billionaire, financiers and industrialists - who want to pay less and less income tax and corporation tax.

They support running down services and then selling them off to private businesses. They want to restrict public spending on affordable homes. The millionaire tax scroungers know that after years of New Labour millions of people are getting fed up and want to see real change - so they make scapegoats of asylum seekers and migrants.

They did the same thing in the 1900s when they blamed the Chinese, in the twenties and thirties when they blamed the Jews, in the 1970s when they blamed black and seekers. In 1934 the Mail, which acted as a cheerleader for the likes of Hitler and Mussolini before the Second World War, ran a front-page headline praising Oswald Mosley's British Union of Fascists. So great was the late Lord Rothermere's love of Britain that he died

If you want copies of this as a leaflet email: workerspower@btopenworld.com

WHO'S BEHIND THE ASYLUM LIES?

RUPERT MURDOCH - OWNER OF THE SUN, NEWS OF THE WORLD AND THE TIMES

One of the richest men in the world, Murdoch avoids tax whenever he can by shifting his money and profits around the world. Between 1986 and 1996 he paid no British taxes at all, despite recorded profits of almost £1 billion.

A report in the Economist newspaper in March 1999 said that between 1994 and 1998, Murdoch's News Corporation and its subsidiaries paid only £128 million in corporate taxes worldwide. That's just 6% of his profits for the same period. At the time the corporate tax rates for the three main countries in which Murdoch operates - Australia, the United States and the UK - were 36%, 35% and 30%.

How many hospitals, homes and schools could have been built if Murdoch had paid his taxes like everyone else? Instead he avoids tax, and blames destitute asylum seekers for Britain's ills. Asian people, and today, when they blame Arabs, Asians and Albanians.

RICHARD DESMOND - OWNER OF THE EXPRESS, SUNDAY EXPRESS AND DAILY STAR

Bought the Express for £125 million in 2000 with money he made in the porn industry. New Labour waved the deal through - and then Desmond 'donated' £100,000 to the party. Also owns Asian Babes, Readers' Wives and the Fantasy Channel. His personal wealth is estimated as over £550 million. Always campaigning for lower taxes... and lying about asylum seekers.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE - OWNER OF THE MAIL, MAIL ON SUNDAY AND THE EVENING STANDARD

The Northcliffe/Rothermere family's publishing empire goes back to the 1890s. It has been peddling lies about refugees for decades. The Mail campaigned against Jews fleeing Nazi Germany and central Europe, using many of

News

Top Industry Travel Award For British Blairways

BRITISH BLAIRWAYS were proud to receive an award yesterday for outstanding services to the industry, from the British Association of Subhuman Terrorism Against Random Detainees Service (BASTARDS).

Sir Horsely Wiffington, chairman of Loss Prevention International Ltd, solely responsible for the removal of refugees from this country, told the audience of assembled fat cats and airline executives: "If it were not for BA and the support we get from BA, the number of scheduled flight removals we get out of this country would be virtually nil."

So congratulations to BA for its continued success and expansion in the field of forced deportations!

BRITISH UNFAIRWAYS

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Afghanistan	£800
Sri Lanka	£800
Kosovo	£800
Somalia	£800

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All smiles - children, drunk with freedom™, cavort in the streets of downtown Baghdad

SMALL PRINT: Certain Conditions apply: Applicants must be either a refugee seeking sanctuary in the UK, migrants escaping a desperate situation, a child with no one to advise or support them in this country or someone who has been treated so badly here that returning to the repression they ran from seems like a good idea. All tickets are one way, non-returnable, non-transferable.

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What Not To Wear..

Jilt your jilbab, hurl off your hijab, and surrender your sari..

It's time for our weekly Total Citizenship Makeover with our resident fashion gurus Charles 'Home Secretary' Clarke and Hazel 'Muslims should accept they'll be targeted more than the rest of the population' Blears, MP for Salford

Charles: This week lets have a good look and see if we can make her just that bit more English, a bit less threatening, a little bit more JUST LIKE US. Well first of all, that Muslim look is sooo over now, lets just face it, to me it's saying 'terrorist'. It's saying: "I'm not the kind of girl you'd want to take down the pub on a Friday night", it's just a little too "brown" if you know what I mean. Lets ditch that repressed woman look and go for today's new Freedom™ style.

I'm thinking tighter, shorter and brighter! After all, truly liberated women should be happy to expose themselves freely. If you've got it - flaunt it. And hey, we all know you cant hide seven tonnes of semtex under a micro mini!

Hazel: Makeup: Well, wear some! Paler foundation would do you the world of good - if you know what I mean. I'm thinking English rose, I'm thinking red lips, blue eyes and a cheeky pout for the boys.

Attitude: Lighten up girlie, do you think I got to be one of Blair's Babes by frowning and being serious. No way hosay, a perky smile and short skirt is what got me where I am today - the groovy old HP and the Home Office.

You've got to assimilate to be my mate!

NEXT WEEK: What to wear in a terror alert; all thats hip and groovy in the world of bio-hazard suits and gas masks.

David Blunkett is away.



BEFORE: A poor oppressed foreign woman



AFTER: A liberated and self-respecting British woman

Des Browne's Total Citizenship Challenge

Do you:

1. Buy a National Lottery ticket, lose and be consoled that "it's all for charity"?
2. Read any tabloid newspaper and agree with at least one rabid editorial?
3. Find Club 18-30 advertising amusing and consider a holiday in Faliraki?
4. Try dating over the internet and deal with the inevitable SoBig email virus?
5. Eat food in the street, drink cans of lager, and kick your litter into the gutter?
6. Watch reality TV, vote for Pop Idol and complain "there's nothing on"?
7. Practice road rage, random offensiveness and having a loud mobile ring tone?
8. Get treated as an idiot on a television make-over, gardening or quiz show?
9. Beat your children, lock away your pensioners and pamper your pets?
10. Declare regularly "I'm proud to be British, whatever that means"?

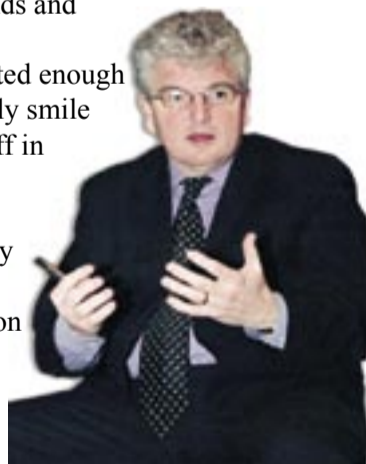
0-1 Yeses. Well you're obviously not English, get back in that container and go back to where you came from, you terrorist dole scrounger!

1-2 Yeses. You bleeding heart liberal. Do you really think we want our taxes paying for your kind of fair and equal society. Why don't you hop in that container with your funny brown terrorist friends and see how you like their country!

2-5 Yeses. Obviously English, but are you committed enough to your country and way of life. Do you occasionally smile at the funny brown man who you buy your paper off in the morning?

5-9 Yeses. You're our kind of person. I bet you've never even eaten a kebab. Fish and chips all the way for you.

9-1- Yeses. Congratulations. Thats the kind of person that made Britain great in the days when we ruled the waves and the sun never set. Would you consider filling in this application for UKIP?



On The Up

going up

Stop and Search for anyone who hasn't taken part in Total Makeover - you can never tell where their hands are in a burqa. **A half drunk bottle of alcopops in your hand** - loosen up and lather up ladies.

Midriffs - can't bear to bare it? We can't bear to be without one.

England tattoos - make yourself at home!

White Zimbabweans - they are SO this season!

Racism it's so cool, it's just soo electable - the original Cool Britannia chique. If it's good enough for Mr Howard...

going down

Britain's obligations to refugees under international law - Geneva? What would the Swiss know about fashion?

Beards or looking muslim- C'mon boys, we can't take you seriously in pyjamas!

Head scarves - They're a haven for lice and dandruff.

Brown skin - Stay out of the sun this summer or you'll look like a peasant.

Black Zimbabweans - Last year's news, kids.

Hong Kong?
under \$350!

Lion Dancers, Chinese New Year

Rogue Mail BBC 1 10:35pm



The true story of an asylum seeker who posed as a journalist to get a job at the Hate Mail. He exposes what he in his words called: "The secret world of vice and hate, deep in the heart of one of Britain's foremost information institutions." He goes on to describe some of the bizarre working practices he encountered: "I was amazed at how they lived. They were like animals. They hardly move, grabbing scraps of food when they can. If they do stir, all they do is head for the streets of London to get drunk. On their return they pour out a tide of filth to whoever will listen. I'm amazed anyone stands for it. I'm not normally in favour of detention but really for the good of the public something must be done." A genuinely shocking programme and a must see TV event.

Pre-Emption BBC 2 10:50pm



Latest instalment of this depressingly familiar Whitehall farce. This week, Blair hears a rumour that the Tories are planning to call for all immigrants from parts of the world coincidentally populated by darker skinned people - not that that has anything to do with it at all, you racist - to make formal, televised apologies to each and every one of the people living in the home counties for their very existence. To counter this in the warped eyes of the media, which he seems to equate with the electorate, Blair tries to persuade Charles Clarke to call for the public hanging of 'failed' asylum seekers after a 'routine' anti-terror debriefing by every Iraqi's favourite, the one and only Dame Lyndie England. Hot damn - she's one sexilicious lady.

The Apprentice ITV 12:30pm



Reality show focusing on Tony Blair's first snivelling attempt to join John Major and George Bush Senior on the board of the uncannily successful military-industrial investment outfit the Carlyle Group. The eager supplicant's application is unceremoniously shelved, alas, when housewives favourite Donald Rumsfeld pops up to dub the PM 'a pussy.' All is not lost for the producers, however, as kindlier members of the cabal hint subtly that Vader may be overruled, depending on the progress of 'emerging markets' of Syria, Iran, Jordan and most of Central and South America. Contains footage of our hero choking down the yellowing semen of the older men on a biscuit, which some viewers may find offensive.

BBC 1	BBC 2	ITV	Channel 4	Channel 5
6.0 BBC News (T)	6.0 Flog It!	6.0 Granada Departs	6.0 The Simpsons (T)	6.0 Home And Away
6.30 Regional News (T)	6.30 The Good Life (T) (R)	6.30 ITV 'News'	6.30 Hollyoaks (T)	6.30 Family Affairs
7.0 Touch The Truck 2 - Status Salvation! (T) The award winning reality series returns, this time with an ecological twist. Teams of upwardly mobile New Labour voters are given a target of ten minutes to keep hold of luxury cars deep in the English channel aboard a sunken transport ship...with sometimes hilarious results! Survivors get a waterlogged Beemer and a middle management job in the service industries.	7.0 Why Were Those Lying Bastards Lying to Me? On the eve of forced retirement as a condition of continued BBC independence, Jeremy Paxman casts a jaundiced eye over his long career.	7.0 Emmerdale	7.0 National Cognitive Appraisal Rollout Challenge Ahead of the anticipated tightening of the screw on the nation's moral turpitude after the next Blair landslide, Richard Whitely and chums engage in some on-message simpering as they test Britain's students and housewives' ability to assemble New Labour election pledges from a jumble of meaningless buzzwords.	7.0 Five News
7.30 Eastenders (T) More of the same until your eyes bleed. This week, an old character is implausibly recycled.	7.30 Look, A Building (T) Evidently dimly aware of moves at the BBC to replace home makeover shows with almost anything else, Lawrence Llewellyn-Bowen attempts to give his flyweight CV a beef injection by making some vapid, sweeping statements about architecture. Bowen's desperate to put the idea in commissioning editors' minds that he could cope with a slightly more serious style-pundit brief than persuading first time buyers to cut potatoes into shapes and use them to decorate their semi. Bless. He's on the way out, he knows it, and no one is sorry.	7.30 What's My Problem? (T) Fly on the wall look at a panel of 'experts' from the Sun and News of the World as they struggle to understand what links Iraq, Afghanistan, Sudan, Zimbabwe and Nigeria, why they produce refugees, and why they might look to Britain for help. Answers on a postcard.	8.0 Catch A Dune Coon By His Toe (T) A rough and tumble look at two US Marine recruiting sergeants on a road trip as they travel from village to village inside the Sunni triangle spreading messages of freedom and democracy by persuading young Iraqi men to join the fledgling Iraqi police force. Contains prolonged use of strobe lighting.	7.30 Too Soon After Eating With Richard Littlejohn The gutter press funnyman conducts a vox pop in the Yorkshire town of Keighley, and, surprise surprise, dredges up a succession of punters with depressingly similar and confused views on asylum to his own. Contains bad puns, ill-chosen analogies, and a pathetic reliance on the phrase 'busload of Albanian gangsters.' Viewers with an IQ any higher than a sandwich tarry at their peril, you know what the button is for.
8.0 Uncle Mike's Reconstruction Challenge Heartwarming reality TV show, which sees General Sir Mike Jackson choosing one homeless Basra family each week to have their home rebuilt by a team from the Democratically Elected Coalition Provisional Government of Free Iraq™. Marking out those foolhardy enough to stick around, and their families for slaughter by insurgents. Log onto bbc.co.uk/execution for updates, or just text 'hearts and minds' to 6660.	8.0 Springtime For Hitler- The Opera (R) Starring French far-right leader Jean-Marie Le Pen as Max Bialystock with the nation's favourite high-born bastard teenager, 'Prince' Harry, on second fiddle.	8.0 Songs of Blaise (T) Blair invites us all to Rejoice™ in the unparalleled levels of freedom and democracy now enjoyed in the grateful client states of Iraq and Afghanistan. The Premier adopts a more thoughtful tone in the second half of the broadcast as he invites us all to spare a thought for both country's traumatised peoples as they are booted unceremoniously back to their shattered homelands to take their chances among unexploded cluster bombs, depleted uranium sandstorms and the heavily armed dominance of corporate America.	9.0 Honey I Applied legitimate Pressure (T) Gritty documentary series following troops back from the Gulf as they explain the revelations of widespread prisoner abuse to their partners in the light of some new, and bizarre, sexual preferences.	8.0 Desert Island Risks (T) In the light of the Asian Tsunami, a frank appraisal of the hidden dangers behind the trend among the super rich - from Richard Branson and Bill Gates, to premiership football players - to buy their own private islands. Followed by Five News.
9.0 Crimewatch UK (T) Guest presented by Nick Griffin. The BNP boss attempts to clear the names of the thugs and rapists preparing to stand on his far-right ticket in May of the brutal crimes of which they have been convicted by blaming lust-crazed Islamiacs for their crimes instead. Contains incitement to racial hatred all viewers should find offensive but doubtless won't.	9.0 Apathectomy (T) Norman Tebbit and Enoch Powell are revived by TV anatomist and Bodyworlds entrepreneur Dr Gunther von Hagens who, it emerges, secretly pickled them alive in China, until their views on race could be taken seriously in mainstream politics. Hooking up with another political 'figure' who was pickled whilst alive, but for cosmetic reasons, they take Veritas into second place behind New Labour.	10.0 Tonight with John Reid (T) The Health Secretary explains why it was 'absolutely necessary to expedite deselection' of a pregnant refugee mother with HIV/ Aids from an NHS foundation trust A&E waiting list - so that grotesquely obese children could get the heart drugs and Ritalin they need to survive on the diet of corporate slurry they are fed every day with tacit Government approval.	10.0 Journey into the Heart of Darkness (T) Richard Littlejohn spends a year in an inner London comprehensive, struggling to replace 'foreign' culture with Shakespeare and red-blooded hetero fare like Richard Desmond's <i>Asian Babes</i> . Catch episode two straight after this on E4 as the club-footed and virulently racist dwarf toughs out a self-induced HIV scare after brushing against a refugee child in the corridor.	9.0 Big Satellite Dishes A look at the high-tech Menwith Hill listening station, from where our glorious US cousins protect our rights and freedoms, whilst also finding time to flog any industrial secrets they pick up along the way to get more cash for really big fucking missiles.
10.0 BBC News At Ten O'Clock Regional News	10.0 Hee-Hawing For Social Justice Enraged by plans to replace trial by jury with indefinite detention at the pleasure of the Home Secretary, Paxman hee-haws at a succession of junior cabinet ministers and short-straw drawing minor civil servants until they fucking disintegrate. Spineless tossers. (R)	10.30 CD:UK More trite manufactured populist gash with under-18s walking moneyshot Cat Dealey.	11.0 Spineless (T) Nightmarishly compelling sitcom about New Labour MPs eating microwave meals and praising Jesus in a commuter belt Wimpey Homes development, leaving only the fucking Tories (for Chrissake) to defend what remains of our civil liberties. This week our heroes ban foxhunting while the checks and balances that underpin our pseudo-democracy take a right pounding from the cock and balls of government.	10.0 You're Stuck With It, So You Might As Well Enjoy It Washed-up Brummie Jasper Carrott reviews ever more forgettable TV commercials in the forlorn attempt to derive some humour from them for some reason. Oh yes, it's our culture.
10.35 The Reichstag Fire Reconsidered (T) Politically sensitive second look at the arson attack that destroyed the German parliament in 1933. The fire tipped public opinion in favour of the draconian anti-terror laws that Hitler was trying to pass to protect the fatherland from hordes of Jews and Communists 'bent on its destruction' at the time. Often considered a transparent Nazi plot to justify their Fascist seizure of limitless power, Blairite historians advance the view that it was simply 'a good day to bury bad news.'	10.50 1.30 Learning Zone 1.35 Orwell's Prophecy: The similarities between Blairite spin and the mind-cramping banality of Newspeak 2.40 El Scroto Grande: Spanish Language documentary about the Home Secretary being far worse than anything Franco ever dreamt of.	1.20 World Sport	12.0 4Music: Fancy A Line? Robbie Williams and Heather Small.	10.30 Blood and Guts From the people who brought you 'Shock and Awe™'. Feast your eyes on souvenir videos taken on mobile phones by US troops, featuring scores of blackened civilian bodies from the early days of the occupation of Baghdad. Some innocent bystanders run for their lives and scream for mercy in a hugely entertaining way, just like on computer games.
12.0 Sign Zone Because deaf people always stay up late		1.50 Nightscreen News	12.30 World Cup Snowboard Summer X Games	11.30 Why Don't You Shut The Fuck Up, Emily? Blair gets a roasting from wealthy but disaffected young people, in an attempt to win over a difficult section of the electorate. Next week, apathetic housewives.
3.30 BBC News 24		2.20		12.30 'E Was The Only One I Fancied, An' I Never Even Got To Suck 'Im Off A Hertfordshire teenager recalls her night on the tiles with the Leeds United football team. The Gadget Show
		3.0		1.30 FILM: Cock Of The Beasty
		3.30		2.0 Painful agricultural thriller.

Would Love to Meet...

Horrorscope - Immigration Special by Wilberforce Brainer**The precise time of the New Moon today is 8.45pm.****LIBRA**

LOW Saturn over the moon shadow means you should avoid reporting at places which might deprive you of freedom, such as Dallas Court, the Home Office centre for Immigration Control in Salford. You will leave in the back of a van without having time to say goodbye to family and friends. A good time to bond with your pets. Remember your decision is not yours alone.

GEMINI

RINGS around Plato mean your children will be taken away from you as part of the new pilot being hosted in Manchester to punish families who are unwilling to be deported. A good time to work out family differences and plan for a last supper. Remember the world is full of people we don't know.

LEO

MILKY way is on fire this week as you find yourself tagged by a piece of equipment used to track sex offenders in the UK, despite having committed no crime. A good time for ankle scratching. It is sufficient merely to desire change.

VIRGO

EARTH spins on its axis and you had best avoid falling in love with any British people as you can't get married without getting the Home Secretary's permission. Be nice to your neighbours and it may pay off in the long term. You can do no more than your best.

TAURUS

METEOR showers over Mars suggest simple gestures of kindness will be misinterpreted by people who have been taught to fear you. Keep your head down and let the stones bounce off your back. The New Moon suggests stopping a silly situation getting any worse.

AQUARIUS

JUPITER is still there and you will get cash in hand work from a local shopkeeper. Remember the minimum wage is £4.85, keep your head down and if you now feel confused, you will soon feel enlightened.

SCORPIO

URANUS is in space and you will now be expected to live without benefits, permission to work and without resorting to crime. Buy some jumpers and hope your friends really like you. Remember, the New Moon demands that you stand in your strength.

SAGITTARIUS

BECAUSE the New Moon is in your cusp you are beginning to feel sensitive about your imminent homelessness and having nowhere to go. Remember, a spiritual transformation will enable you to embrace your new fate.

CANCER

YOUR expectations and beliefs are being challenged, put salt in your horses' drink and you may find that your stars align and a group of nice people put their lives on hold and campaign alongside you to keep you here with them. Don't do anything rash. How well do you know a certain person?

PISCES

THE new moon and the British government are allowing you to make a new start. Congratulations you have been allowed to stay. Forget about the detention centres, your missing partner and the racial slurs, We want to integrate you. To succeed, assimilate.

ARIES

DON'T struggle against the flow with the Moon under Europa. Driving a cab is very soothing and being a Doctor was hard work, don't worry about the NHS shortages, keep your head down. When things start spiraling out of control, just spiral along with it and see where you end up.

CAPRICORN

YOU have a lot of good ideas. Right now you feel inclined to "make do and mend" with a set of circumstances that are impeding your mobility and restricting your mobility. Snip off your electronic tagging device and head for the hills.

■ **CONCEPTUAL** Artist seeks Christ lookalike for acts of gross public indecency. No Catholics.

■ **I** am a Conservative MP looking for friendship, maybe more.

■ **IVF** failure seeks nice clean man to do the business. No turkey basters.

■ **MATURE** cheddar seeks saucy pickle for tasty rendezvous. No cheese graters.

■ **COUNTRY** Gent, Mid 40s, interested in wines, horseriding and traditional country sports seeks athletic, slim, cunning woman with own fur coat and 20 minutes' head start. Tally Ho!

■ **MAIL** columnist seeks single mother to absolve him of relentless guilty feelings. Must have own home and car.

■ **QUIET**, refined woman, 37, seeks lazy, scrounging, terrorist-affiliated, non-english-speaking, handout-seeking, smelly, disease ridden, dog-eating migrant to confirm prejudices. Visa essential.

■ **DESPERATE** housewife offers asylum and shenanigans in the spare room. All home comforts guaranteed.

■ **STURDY** policewoman seeks tax cheat for sweaty paperwork on the back seat of her Astra. Discretion guaranteed.

■ **SCHOOL** principal seeks woman interested in dressing up in school uniform and hijab with a view to punishment. Cherie Blair need not reapply.

■ **MAIL** columnist seeks lady for wife. Must have no pubic hair and be adept at housework.

■ **DEFENCELESS** immigrant seeks housewife dominatrix for shop-me-to-the-home-office-style fun and games.

■ **LAZY** council official seeks psychotic benefit fraudster for hilarious lunch dates at the Town Hall.

■ **BEAUTIFUL** reviewer seeks YBA for quickies at the Tate. No Old Masters.

■ **M 35**, interested in lager, football and curry seeks asian woman interested in keeping quiet, staying out of sight and cooking curry with a view to romance, and more curry.

■ **SMALL** man seeks large woman for interesting contrast.

■ **IRISH** theme bar seeks staff, no dogs, no travellers, no Irish.


■ **LONELY** and bigoted? So am I. Care to help? Just hold this...

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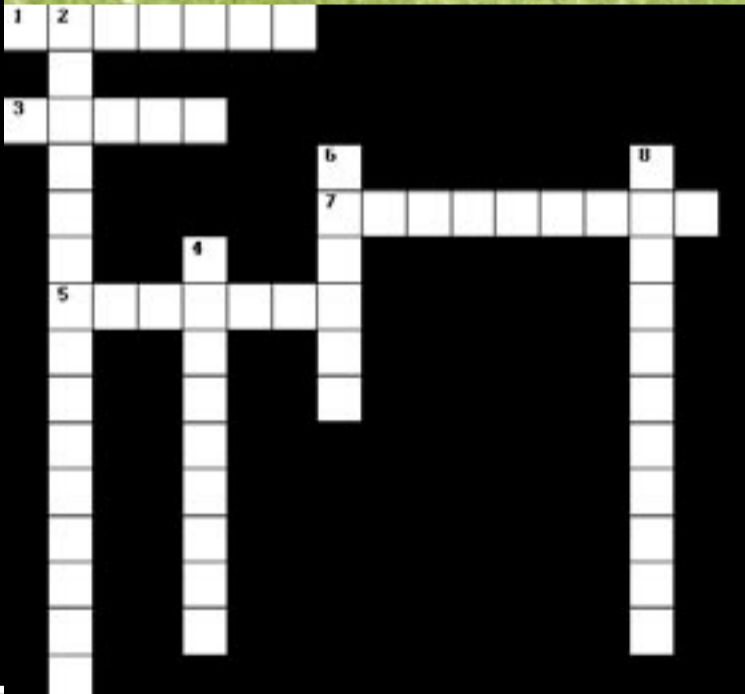
Doubting David's Identity Desperation

FOLLOWING CRITICISMS of David Beckham's unwillingness to take on foreign customs after he moved to Madrid on a speculated salary of £120,000 per week, our Hate Sport Correspondent Neil Hardkiss talks to the man himself about the controversy.

He discovers a Beckham riddled with doubt. "I'm not racist, I hate it when people taunt players with racist abuse, but the last thing I want to do is become foreign. I have to learn Spanish to understand training and say a few words when I'm getting paid to endorse Spanish products. But I do all I can to stay English."

It's only right that he should. For our nation, in the immortal word of Rule Britannia, is still "great and free, the dread and envy of all." So I asked David what all the problems was. David's face contorted into a maze of confusion. "Since I left England I really don't know who I am! I try to keep up with UK culture by reading the Hate Mail every day. In it I read about about Economic Migrants who refuse to learn the language of their new country and stupidly hold onto their native customs. Some people say that this sounds like me! But I'm not Asian, am I? Some people here in Spain call me a foreigner but I'm not. I'm English as roast beef and mustard me, so how can I be a migrant?"

Our advice is keep sticking the ball in the back of the net and leave the thinking to us at the Hate Mail. We're



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Across

- 1. A successful asylum seeker: Someone whose asylum claim has been successful and who is allowed to stay in another country having proved they would face persecution back home (7)
- 3. A word used to describe asylum seekers in order to create a climate of fear and mistrust (5)
- 5. A word often used as a pre-fix to "asylum seeker", despite the fact that this contravenes the 1951 UN Convention on refugees (7)
- 6. A word often used to create xenophobia. Also applied to single mothers and travellers (9)

Down

- 2. Someone who has left their country in search of work and a better life (8,7)
- 4. Immigrants may experience this at any time, arbitrarily and for indefinite periods of time, despite having committed no crime. (9)
- 6. Sought by people who look to legally apply for protection in a safe country from persecution back home (6)
- 8. The process of removing failed asylum seekers from the country (11)

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Solutions: 1. refugee 2. economic migrant 3. bogus 4. detention

