

Greenpeace warns of government censors

To the editor of The Herald:
During the past few years, much has been said pro and

con about the Canadian seal hunt. Now, another important, but related issue has come up which deserves the attention of

all Canadians who support the principles of freedom and democracy irrespective of

their feelings toward the seal hunt.

Our federal government has been making it more and more difficult for journalists and observers from humane groups to be present at the seal hunt. The latest recommendations from the Committee on Seals and Sealing to the Minister of Fisheries, Romeo Le Blanc, would prohibit journalists from any photographic work at the seal hunt, and would further ban all humane groups except the Canadian Federation of Humane Societies and the International Society for the Protection of Animals. Neither organization has ever condemned the hunt.

Last year the Royal S.P.C.A. sent Mr. W.C. Jordan, their Wild Life Advisory Officer, as an observer. His report concluded that among other things: "It is proven that many skulls are not crushed before skinning commences; indeed disingenuous steps were taken for Mr Jordan's benefit to make it look as though they were."

The R.S.P.C.A. urged the Canadian government to call an immediate halt to the killing of seal pups. Now, the new recommendations, would ban the R.S.P.C.A. from observing the hunt in 1979.

A recent Gallup poll showed that over 70 per cent of Canadians oppose the seal hunt. The seal hunt is an issue that concerns millions of people in Canada, and throughout the world. More information, not less, should be made available so that citizens can make up their own minds. Politically motivated censorship by government is not compatible with our democratic form of government. Those

who wish to defend the principles of freedom of information, the right of people to have access to an activity that has brought criticism upon Canada from around the world should write their Member of Parliament and the Minister of

Fisheries in Ottawa. We must not let our liberal government get out of control.

Yours truly,
Patrick Moore, Ph.D.
President
GREENPEACE
FOUNDATION

Researcher's appeal

To the editor of The Herald:
I am a former managing editor of The United Church Observer and columnist on The Globe and Mail of Toronto. I am doing research dealing with the arrival in Canada of thousands of orphan children from Britain in the early years

of the 1900s. I would be pleased to hear, by letter, from people through Canada who came to this country through the various organizations such as Barnado Homes, Macpherson Homes, the Fairbridge Society and so on.

I would also appreciate letters from persons who worked

for any of these organizations (or others like them) or in whose homes any of the children were brought up. My mailing address is 303 St. Lawrence St., Whitby, Ontario, L1N 1H2. All letters will be gratefully received and acknowledged.

Sincerely,
Kenneth Bagnell



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