

Learning History through Cartoons

(compiled and edited by Fred Cheung):

Animal Farm (by George Orwell)

“Animal Farm” was a cartoon film from George Orwell’s satiric novel (1945). The film was about the [ironic/satirical] story of how the animals of a farm successfully revolted against its human owner, only to get into a more brutal power struggle among themselves and then ruled by a dictator (reflecting communist Soviet Union after the 1917 Bolshevik Revolution, and then the dictatorship of Stalin).

Power struggle between the pigs (leaders):

“Napoleon” = Joseph Stalin (praised as the “Glorious/Mighty Leader”)

“Snowball” = Leon Trotsky (condemned as a “traitor” & a “criminal”)

“All animals are equal” (later became **“All animals are equal, but some animals are more equal than the others”**)

“Four legs good, two legs bad” (later became **“Four legs good, two legs better”**)

“No animal shall sleep in a bed” (later became **“No animal shall sleep in bed with sheets”**)

“No animal shall kill any other animal” (later became **“No animal shall kill any other animal without cause”**)

“No animal shall drink alcohol” (later became **“No animal shall drink alcohol to excess”**)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BVxA7xvDHms>

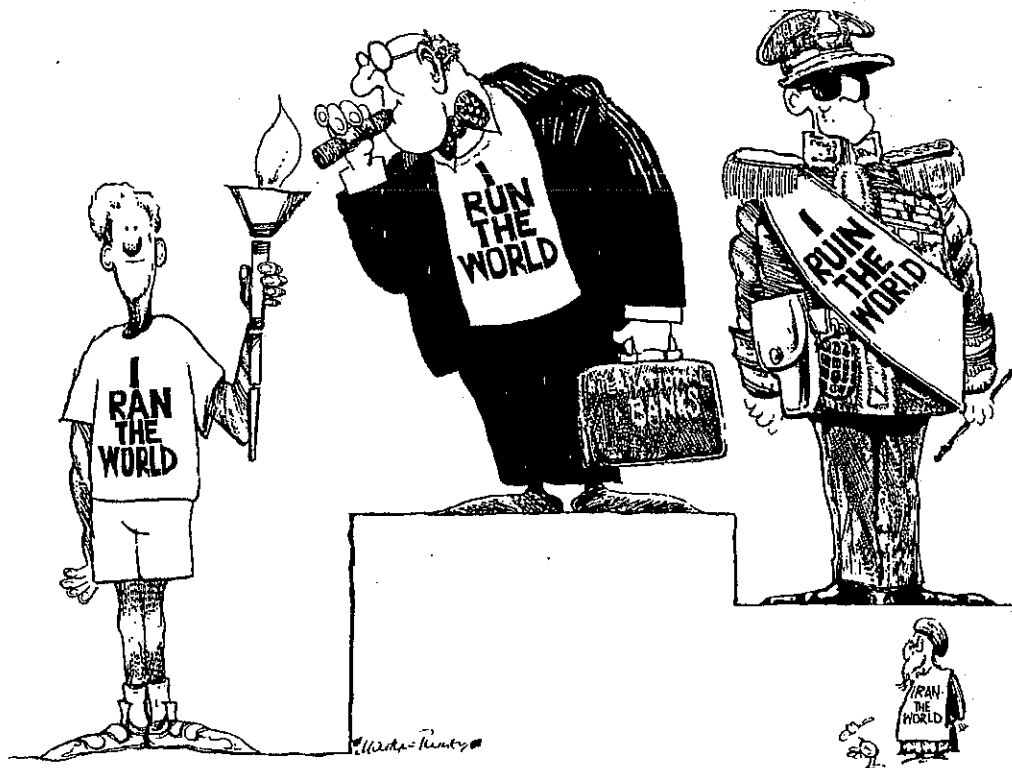
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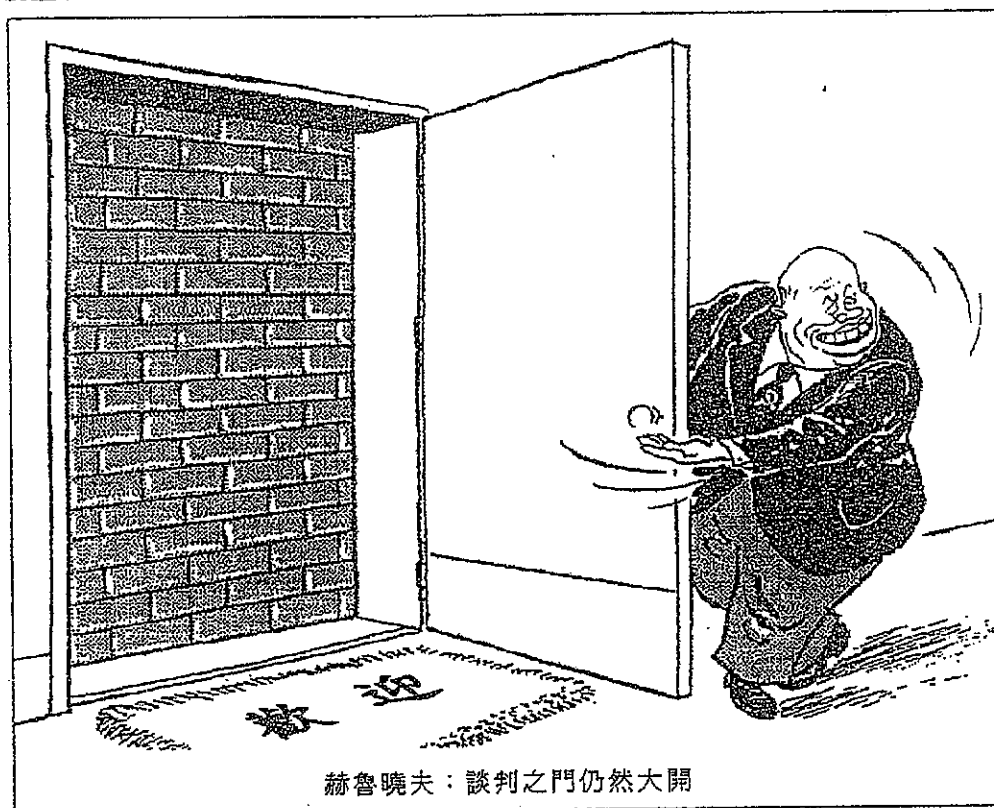
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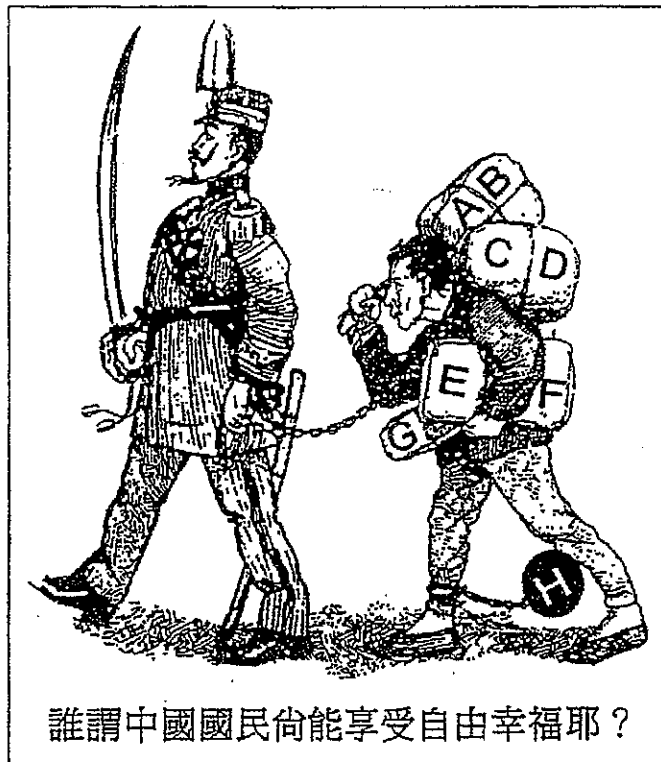


以下漫畫刊於1962年。



赫魯曉夫：談判之門仍然大開

以下漫畫取材自1918年的一份上海雜誌，該雜誌是由一群激進知識分子所出版。



A 外債

E 釐金、雜稅

B 公債

F 鹽稅

C 關稅、錢糧

G 兵捐、印花

D 地丁

H 人民自由

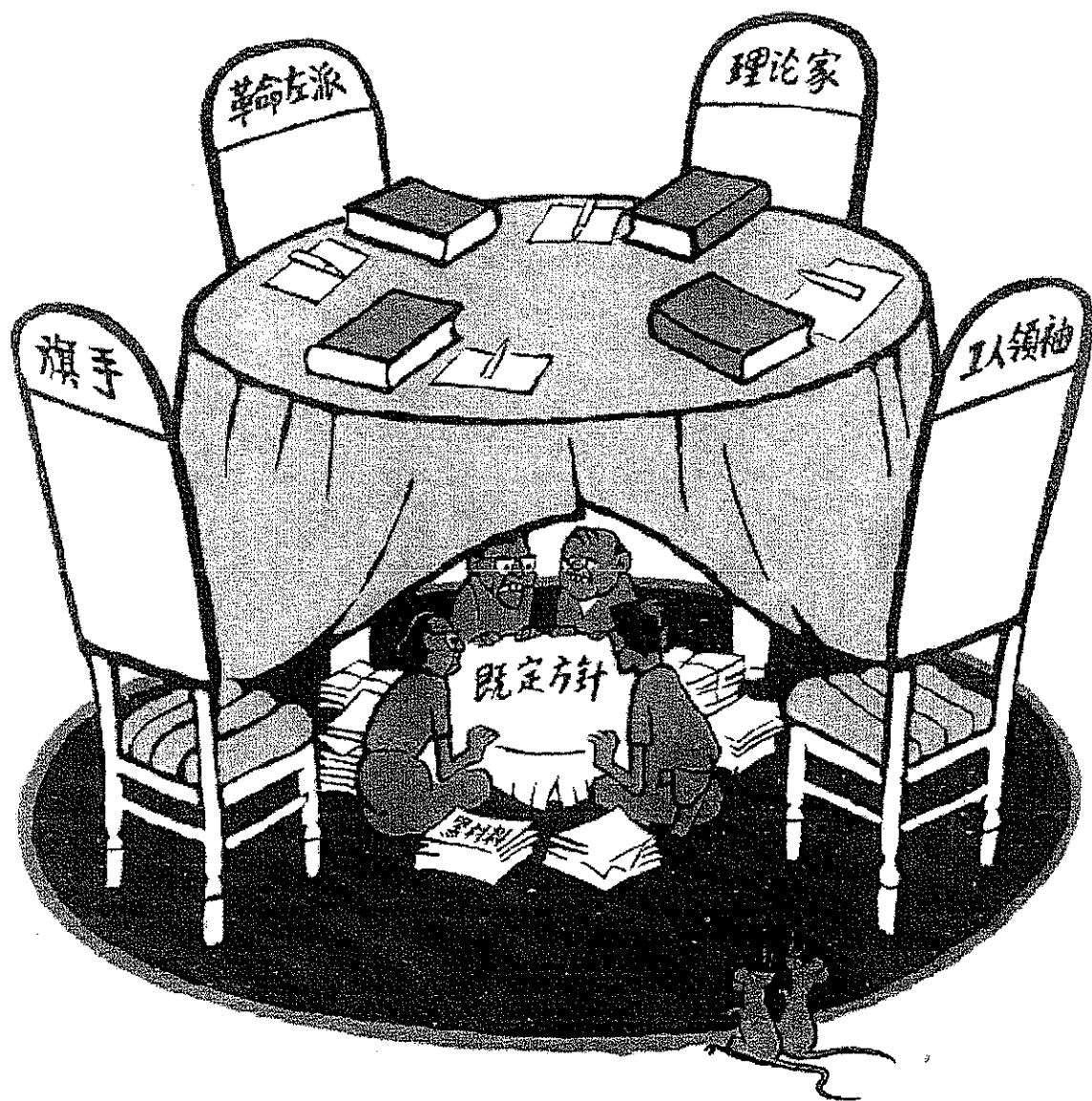
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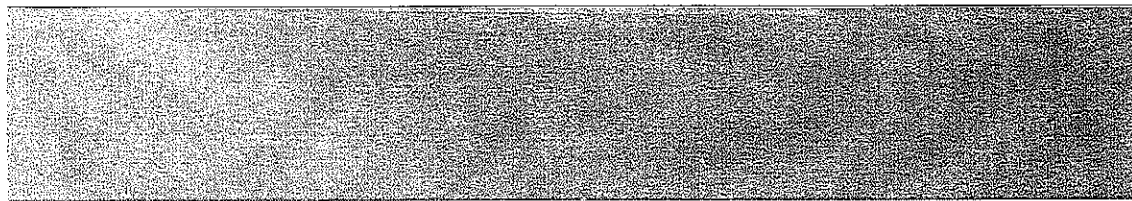
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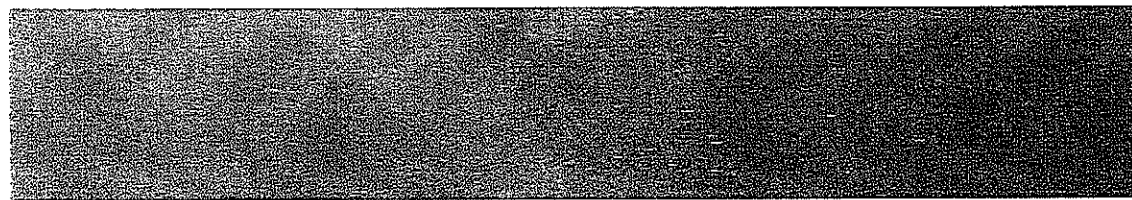
1. 桌子上下

王宇



3. 指鹿为马

周月泉 赵 峰



以下是香港家庭計劃指導會於1966年發表的一張海報。

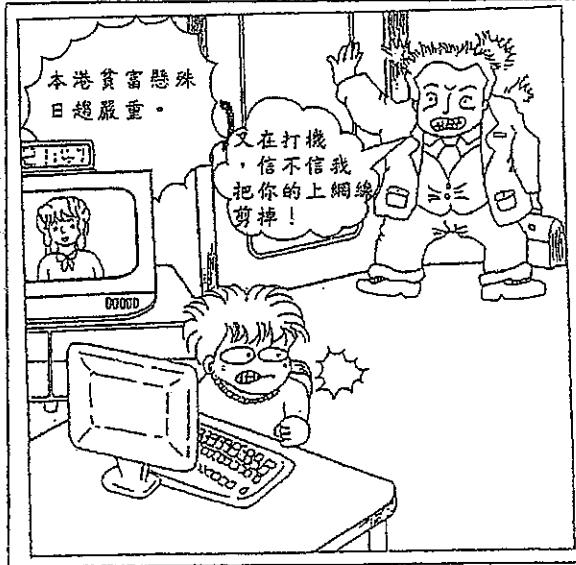
因循而計劃
可免難負擔
Don't be overburdened Plan your family



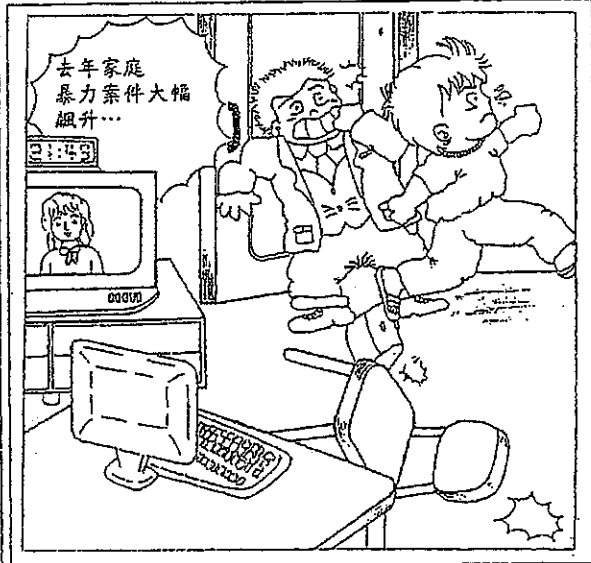
請到
香港家庭計劃指導會
The Family Planning Association of H.K.

2. 細閱以下兩幅漫畫：

漫畫一

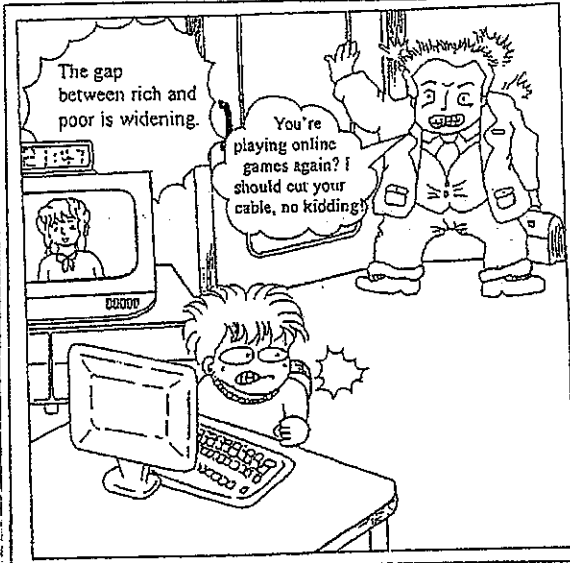


漫畫二



2. Consider the following two cartoons:

Cartoon 1



Cartoon 2

