

tion, voluntarily and forever renouncing all sovereign rights possessed by Russia over the Lithuanian people and territory.

Similar treaties were drawn up with Estonia and Latvia. This did not deter the same regime 20 years later from invading and occupying these small Baltic countries and establishing Soviet Socialist Republics under the domination of the Kremlin.

Deceit, as has already been noted, is a basic tactic of Soviet policy in the subversion of the free world. During the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the communist Soviet revolution, and the "glorious" achievements of the Soviet regime, Alexei Kosygin, the Prime Minister, boastfully proclaimed, as reported in *Pravda*, June 20, 1967, that:

In the fifty years of her existence the Soviet Union has respected all other nations, great as well as small. Every nation is entitled to establish an independent national state of its own.

I repeat:

Every nation is entitled to establish an independent national state of its own. This is one of the basic principles of Soviet policy. Supporting the right of self-determination of nations, the Soviet Union condemns and resolutely opposes the attempts of any power to conduct an aggressive policy and to work for the annexation of foreign countries... No country in the world could claim to have solved the nationality problem as successfully as the Soviet Union... No nationality in our country is discriminated against.

Consider the sincerity of the resolution introduced in the United Nations in December 1965 by Andrei Gromyko, the Soviet Foreign Minister, who took part in all the protocol discussions.

No state has the right to intervene directly or indirectly, for any reason whatever, in the internal and external affairs of any other state. Consequently armed intervention and all forms of interference of the state or against its political, economic and cultural elements are condemned.

These declarations of Gromyko and Kosygin were obviously false, for it did not deter the Soviet government from sending the Red Army, together with the forces of its satellite states, to invade and occupy its socialist satellite, Czechoslovakia, in August 1968, just as it had done during the uprisings in Hungary in 1956. The Soviet Russian Empire was established by force and it will evidently be maintained by force under a totalitarian system which cannot allow "liberalization", democracy and freedom to make headway within its jurisdiction.

The grim record of the Soviet Union proves that it has constantly broken its treaties, agreements and protocols, all of which are purely means to achieve its imperialistic ends. How can any free nation have any confidence in the declarations of the Soviet leaders? Knowing the needs and designs of the Soviet Union, how can Prime Minister Trudeau have faith in the U.S.S.R.-Canadian

protocol and communiqué? I cannot see that Senator Martin can say with pride that the Canadian Government is charting a new voyage in new waters. If Canada, in the pursuit of peace, abandons the principles of freedom and justice to peoples and individuals, this new voyage will have disastrous consequences for the Canadian people.

Hon. Mr. Martin: That, of course, the Canadian people and the Canadian Government are not doing.

Hon. Mr. Yuzyk: That remains to be seen, whether we are going to sacrifice the principles of the cornerstone of our foreign policy, peace, freedom, prosperity and justice.

Hon. Mr. Martin: I agree, but I do not think that we are abandoning them.

Hon. Mr. Yuzyk: Well, I hope we will not abandon them. Certainly, knowing the honourable senator, I know that while you are there they will not be abandoned, but what can happen in the future?

Hon. Mr. Martin: I do not know what other government will follow us.

Hon. Mr. Yuzyk: By the signing of this protocol does Mr. Trudeau believe that Canada will become a partner with the U.S.S.R.? May this not be a partnership in the Soviet Russian crimes against nations and humanity? Will this step not weaken our alliances with our neighbour, the United States, and other free states of the world? Why was this document drawn up in secrecy and not referred to the Canadian Parliament? Trudeau's boldness could turn out to be rashness.

Immediately upon his return to Canada, Prime Minister Trudeau showed evidence that he had been brainwashed by Brezhnev, Kosygin and Gromyko and began toeing the Soviet line.

Hon. Mr. Martin: Would Senator Yuzyk permit me to interject by way of a question?

Hon. Mr. Yuzyk: Certainly.

Hon. Mr. Martin: I am sure that we all understand his concern about matters of this sort, but in view of the importance of the problem, does Senator Yuzyk—

Hon. Mr. Macdonald: Mr. Speaker, on a point of order, this is a question.

Hon. Mr. Martin: This is a question.

Hon. Mr. Macdonald: Well, ask your question and do not raise points.

Hon. Mr. Martin: I am surprised at Senator Macdonald becoming cross with me. This is the first time he has had a cross word for me.

Hon. Mr. Macdonald: In that case you had better watch your step.

Hon. Mr. Martin: I am hurt beyond words. I am sure Senator Yuzyk, in a matter of this importance, would