

Britain is an unfree country. The authors of this important anthology have extracted the quintessence from many published and unpublished sources to illustrate their belief that our basic freedoms are being eroded. No longer can we rely on our rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Furthermore, the diversity and spontaneity of British life is threatened by restrictive legislation and the establishment of a nanny-knows-best attitude. Paradoxically, as censorship increases and freedom of expression is denied, the authorities use disinformation to deflect attention from intractable problems such as unemployment, the economy or riots.

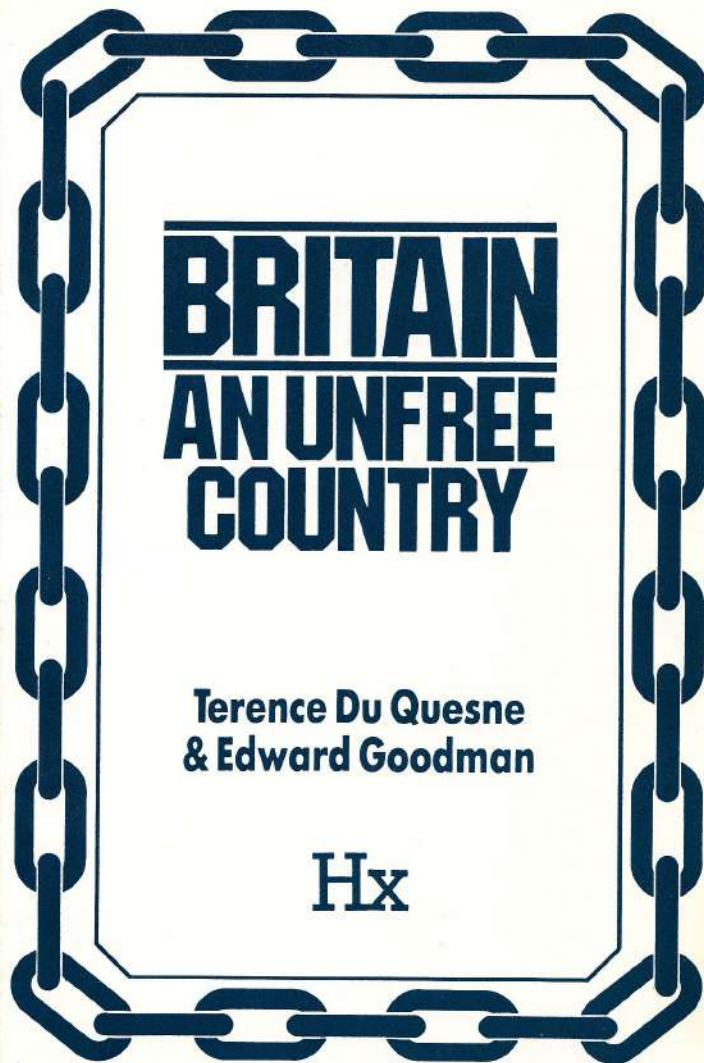
Such vital matters as nuclear issues, policing, censorship, housing, education, immigration, the right to privacy and medical confidentiality are examined objectively. The book eschews political dogmata, advocates a commitment to the democratic process and the rule of law, yet criticizes government for the misrule of Britannia.

This book presents the evidence that Britain is not a free country: it is for readers to determine what steps must be taken to restore our basic freedoms.

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# BRITAIN: AN UNFREE COUNTRY

Do you believe that the government allows you basic freedoms, such as the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness?

*Britain: an unfree country* exposes the myth — it shows how our fundamental rights are being steadily eroded. It is essential reading for all who are concerned that Britannia is misruled.

It will have a broad appeal because it addresses the problems of the day, and catches the mood of the moment. All material relates to the period commencing in the Orwellian year of 1984, and sources are included to the end of March 1986.

The authors, Terence DuQuesne and Edward Goodman, are a clinical pharmacologist and solicitor, respectively.

*Britain: an unfree country* is a book of broad interest to the British public, and essential for all having an interest in current affairs or politics.

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