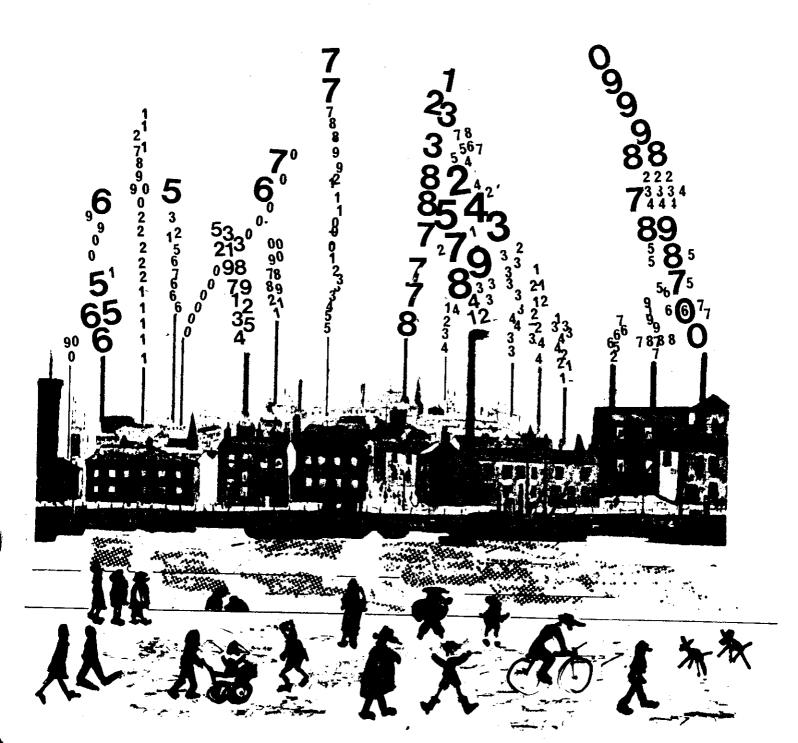
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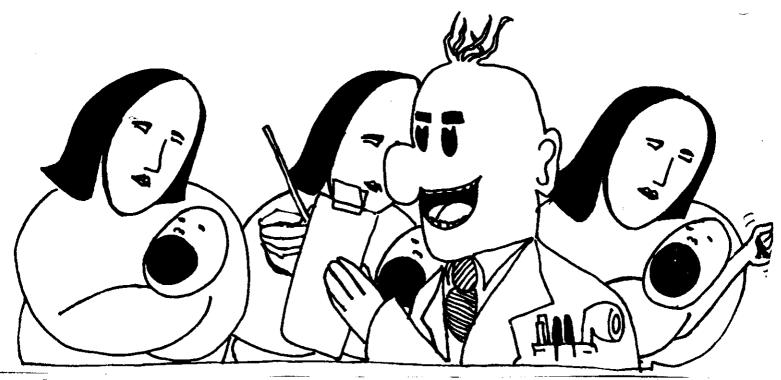
A relatively anonymous group within Radical Statistics are producing a critique of recent international publications in the field of social indicators and the measurement of the quality of life. We would like to publish this under the imprint of Radical Statistics partly, to be honest, because of identity problems, but mostly because of we believe the content of our critique is closer to the concerns of the Radical Statistics group.

We are now in the final draft stage and would like to give notice of a meeting to discuss this draft sometime during September. Because it is anonymous people can obtain copies and proposed date and time of meeting directly from:

The Radical Statistics Group, c/o BSSRS,
9 Poland Street,
London, W1V 3DG.

## Joint meeting in Sheffield

A meeting has been arranged for Thursday, September 22nd at 7.30 p.m. in the Red Deer, Pitt Street, Sheffield to discuss issues of common interest. The groups invited include Agricapital, BSSRS, SNAG, Socialist Medical Association, FOE, Radical Midwives, Right to Fuel, Community Action, Transport 2000 and RADSTATS. The idea is not to encourage a proliferation of meetings but to find out who's doing what in Sheffield, with a view to possibly sharing resources and expertise. (contact Dave Drew at Sheffield Poly for further details - even if the newsletter comes out too late for attendance at the meeting).



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Dear Alison,

The Pharmacy Group was very pleased to meet you and your colleague last Thursday. Thank you for coming along.

I should like to confirm that our group decided to produce a series of pamphlets to present an alternative view to that of the Office of Health Economics. The pamphlets would principally be aimed at the public with outlets in the Trade Unions and The Labour Party.

Various subjects were mentioned, including: self-medication, the effectiveness/usefulness of drugs introduced in the last two years, the economics of producing 'new' drugs, the effectiveness of the registration procedure for new drugs.

The first pamphlet will be on self-medication, covering advertising, formulae and drug interactions.

We would very much appreciate any help your group can give us.

> Thank you again. Yours sincerely,

Avril M. Butler Hon. Sec.