

CHURCHILL'S SPEECH AT CONSERVATIVE MEETING

AT BRIGHTON:

1. GTV Int. Conservative meeting <sup>in process</sup> '.....'

2. X SV Churchill speaking.

"We have every reason to believe that the socialist government which, even in the hour of its triumph did not represent a majority of the electors, ~~XXXXXX~~....."

3. GTV Churchill on platform speaking. (dubbing)

".....in a substantial minority."

4. X SV Churchill speaking.

"The first step to national recovery is to get rid of these men....." (applause.)

5. SV People applauding.

6. X SCU Churchill speaking.

"And here I come to the remark of the Prime Minister last Saturday, (laughter.) when he said 'Some do not understand the amount of Freedom which we rightly give to an Opposition to criticise.' (laughter) Now the word that struck me, in this sentence, ~~was~~ <sup>is</sup> the word 'give' so it is Mr. Attlee who gives us our right to freedom of speech and political action (applause.) and we are invited to be grateful for his magnanimity."

7. X SV Churchill speaking.

"But let him not be so foolish as to try to take them away. (laughter and applause.)"

8. GV Churchill on platform speaking. (dubbing)

"Do not therefore believe these fantastic tales....."

9. X SCU Churchill speaking.

".....that the modern world with all its science, is broke and ruined. ~~and~~ Crazy doctrine, clumsy fingers, meddling matties, vicious and morbid trends of policy, these are what are manufacturing shortages and misery by their vice and folly. (applause)"

10. LBV Churchill speaking on platform, Mrs Churchill in front row. (dubbing)  
 "How are 47,000,000 to live in this....."

11. X SV Churchill speaking.

"...small island unless there is good and thrifty house-keeping at every stage, and unless our industries and businesses are run at a profit and not at a loss?" (applause.)

12. Pan SV/ People ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ listening. (dubbing.)

"Above the minimum basic standard....."

13. X LV Churchill speaking.

"...there will be free competition. Everyone will be free to make the best of himself without jealousy or spite by ~~the~~ all the means that honour, and the long-respected laws and customs of our country allow."

14. X SV Churchill speaking.

"I have now reached the culmination of that argument, and I come to what the Conservative Party will ever regard as the first of all its objectives, the enduring unity of the British Empire and of these free Commonwealths, which we alone have known how to found, and whose devotion to the old Motherland is our chief abiding glory." (prolonged applause pan to Mrs. Churchill, Lord Woolton and others.)

15. QTV Conservative Party meeting, Churchill speaking. (dubbing)  
 "I am convinced, and I do not speak without some knowledge....."

16. X LV Churchill speaking.

".....both of Europe <sup>of</sup> and the United States, I am convinced that it is possible to reconcile our position as the centre of the British Empire with the full development of close economic relations with all the friendly countries of Europe."

17. MBV People listening. (dubbing)  
 "The Republic of the United States....."

18. X SV Churchill speaking.

"with whom we stand shoulder to shoulder on all the fundamental issues of human freedom, is as much concerned with the recovery of our Commonwealth and Empire.....P.T.O."



".....as she is with that of Europe and I doubt not that a harmonious adjustment of the whole problem can be achieved, if it is handled in the right way and on the right occasion."

19. CU 2 men smoking and listening. (dubbing.)

"And that our Island....."

20. X SV Churchill speaking.

".....<sup>of</sup> at the centre of the sea-ways, with vast resources ~~XXXX~~ <sup>all</sup> sea-borne and airborne communications at its disposal, with/the services it has rendered to the generous causes of mankind, this Island may well become the vital link between them all." (applause, Lord Woolton gives Churchill a seat as he sits down.)

21. CV Churchill on platform being applauded.

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