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MOUTHPIECE TELLS "REAL STORY"



company representative at operators' press conference

More than 60 persons attended the press conference called by the eight operators fired by Pacific Telephone because of their attempts to change the repressive conditions under which they worked. The press conference was held at noon on June 17th in front of the office on Hamilton in Palo Alto.

The fired operators and other employees spoke to the people who had gathered, describing their working conditions and the racist attitude of the phone company. Employees attended the meeting despite the fact that the doors of the building had been locked in an attempt to stop them.

A company representative was present at the press conference, but he refused to make any statement. The official company spokesman, Jeff Wilkes, the Palo Alto business office manager, was inside the building, but was afraid to present the company's position to the people.

A few days later a service representative met with Mr. Wilkes in an attempt to discover the phone company's position.

Mr. Wilkes claimed he did not make a statement to the people, because the people would not have listened. The response, he said, would have led to a shouting match.

Since the company is so large, there has to be one permanent spokesman. Traditionally the official spokesman has been the manager of the Palo Alto business office. Even when he doesn't fully understand a situation, he releases the information to the press, as in the case of the operators.

When asked why the company had fired the women, the answer was that the company had "evidence" that the operators were doing "sub-standard" work at the time of their firings. Also, the company claimed the operators were exerting pressure on other operators to sign a petition, and that, as a result of the pressure, some women were afraid to go to work.

As for the actual events surrounding the suspensions and firings, Mr. Wilkes gave the following account:

One operator was indefinitely suspended because of her "attitude". That meant she could return to work when she was ready to settle down.

Seven operators walked off the job to protest the suspension. The district traffic manager wanted the women to select one spokesman and the rest return to work. The women refused because they wanted to talk and decide as a group. They were suspended for the rest of the day.

The union stepped into the picture after the women were given longer suspensions on the following Monday. The company later agreed to modify the suspensions on all but three women. The company advised the union that the others could return to work when called by the company. The union told the women to return on Tuesday. The company refused to admit them that day.

On the day the women did return with official sanction, they still refused to return to work until Laura Saltzman's suspension was revoked.

The women were then fired. Why? Because the company's investigation into the manner in which signatures

were solicited on the petition, their work records, and the walk-out.

The phone company is clearly trying to blame everyone but the policies and management of the company. The company also says the union lied to the workers.

When a company fears the people as much as Pacific Telephone Company does, with guards at their doors, shutters on their windows, and refusal to meet the people in a group - they must have something to hide.

by Bobbie Wallace



Conferencia de prensa

Más que 60 personas asistieron a la conferencia de prensa que tuvieron las ocho telefonistas que se despidió el Pacific Telephone a causa de sus intentos de cambiar las condiciones opresivas bajo cuales trabajaban. Tuvieron la conferencia de prensa al mediodía el 17 de junio en frente de la oficina en la calle Hamilton en Palo Alto.

Las telefonistas despedidas y otros obreros hablaron con la gente que se habían juntado, describiendo las condiciones de trabajar y la actitud racista de la compañía de teléfonos. Empleados asistieron a la reunión a pesar de que se cerraron con llave las puertas del edificio en un intento de pararles.

Un representante de la compañía estaba presente en la conferencia, pero el rehusó a hacer un enunciado. El interlocutor oficial de la compañía, Jeff Wilkes, el director de la oficina de negocios de Palo Alto estaba en el edificio, pero tuvo miedo de presentarles a la gente la posición de la compañía.

Unos días después, un representante de servicio se reunió con el Sr. Wilke en un intento de descubrir la posición de la compañía. El Sr. Wilke sostuvo que no hizo un enunciado porque la gente no le habría escuchado

a él. La respuesta, dijo, habría llegado a un intercambio de gritos.

Porque la compañía es tan grande, debe tener la compañía un interlocutor permanente. Tradicionalmente, el interlocutor oficial ha sido el director de la oficina de negocio en Palo Alto. Aún no entiende una situación completamente, él siempre da la información a la prensa, como en el caso de las telefonistas.

Cuando se le preguntó a él porque se despidió a las mujeres, la respuesta era que la compañía tenía «evidencia» que aquellas telefonistas estaban trabajando «bajo la norma» al tiempo de las despedidas. También, la compañía sostuvo que las telefonistas habían usado presión contra las otras telefonistas para que ellas firmaran una petición, y que como resultado de la presión, algunas mujeres tenían miedo de ir al trabajo.

En cuanto a los eventos verdaderos de las suspensiones y las despedidas, el Sr. Wilke relató este: se suspendió a una telefonista indefinidamente por su «actitud». Eso significó que podría regresar al trabajo cuando se calmara.

Siete telefonistas dejaron sus trabajos en protesta de las suspensiones. El director de tráfico del distrito quería que las mujeres escogieran una representante y que las otras regresaran a sus trabajos. Las mujeres rehusaron porque querían discutir y decidir como un grupo. Se les suspendió a ellas por el resto del día.

La unión entró a la escena después de que se les daba a las mujeres suspensiones mas largas el lunes siguiente. Más tarde la compañía acordó de modificar las suspensiones de todas las mujeres menos tres de ellas. La compañía le dijo a la unión que las tres podrían regresar cuando la compañía les llamara. La Unión les dijo a las mujeres que regresaran el martes. La compañía rehusó de permitirles entrar ese día.

En el día en que regresaron con sancion oficial, todavía rehusaron de regresar al trabajo hasta cuando se revocara la suspensión de Laura Saltzman.

Entonces se despidió a las mujeres. ¿Por qué? A causa de las investigaciones por la compañía de la manera de solicitar firmas para la petición, sus historias de trabajo, y la salida del trabajo.

Está claro que la compañía de teléfonos está tratando de inculpar a todos menos las pólizas y la administración de la compañía. La compañía también dice que la unión mintió a los trabajadores.

Cuando una compañía tiene tanto miedo de la gente como tiene el Pacific Telephone, con guardas en las puertas, persianas en las ventanas, y rehusan de reunirse con la gente en grupos, debe tener algo que esconder.

por Bobbie Wallace

The People DEMAND That Stanford Rehire Fired Workers!



Anthony Chatmon, fired Stanford worker

Over 200 people last week broke Stanford's record of lazy summers free from demonstrations. Workers, students and some community supporters, angered about the summary firing of 5 Stanford employees for their supposed participation in the sit-in at the Stanford Hospital last April, assembled at White Plaza for a rally to protest the firings and to demand the immediate rehiring of the 5 workers.

At the conclusion of the rally over 200 people marched to Personnel Director Robert Nelson's office to present him with the demand. Nelson managed to be absent from his office in Encina Hall, at first "away at lunch" and then "on his way to an appointment off-campus," but the angry people remained in the hallway-entrance to his office for 45 minutes--defying Stanford president Lyman's recent outlawing of all sit-ins. They then left, vowing to return 48 hours later.

Two days before, Nelson had fired the 5 workers with only 30 hours notice, not even giving prior notification to their supervisors. Nelson claimed he had conducted an "independent investigation," entirely separate from the police and district attorney, and that it was "just a coincidence" that he happened to fire all five workers arrested by police on charges arising out of the hospital sit-in.

"It's no accident that the Administration waited for 2½ months after the police attack on the demonstrators at the hospital to fire us," stated Devera Satsky, one of the five. "Remember that over 100 Black workers at the hospital went on strike after the sit-in. The Administration wanted to avoid sparking further opposition at that time. Also they wanted to avoid the increasing student and worker unity that has been developing on the campus. The firings came one week after graduation."

The fired workers were Anthony Chatmon, a Black hospital worker; and 4 members of Venceremos: John Dolly,

a genetics laboratory assistant in the hospital; John Keilch, a library assistant; Barbara Mooney, a biology research assistant; and Devera Satsky, a law school secretary.

"The firings show the systematic way in which the Administration tries to prevent workers from organizing against institutional racism at Stanford," according to John Keilch, the fired library worker. "Sam Bridges was fired just for speaking out against racism, and Provost Miller instigated the violent crackdown on people who opposed that. Now, not content with bringing 3 felonies and 45 misdemeanors against the 5 of us in court, the Administration isn't even waiting for the trial to add penalties."

Many other Stanford workers were upset by the procedures used by the Administration in firing the workers. United Stanford Employees (USE) issued a statement calling for the rehiring of the 5 workers which stated: "United Stanford Employees stands behind the five persons who were fired. Why? Because we feel they were treated unjustly. They could not answer any investigation without jeopardizing their court appearances. Because we feel that the reasons they were fired, 'unacceptable behavior,' are vague and serve as a catch-all, rather than as a specific indictment to some alleged activity. Because we feel that no employee should be fired without having a chance to take his firing before a grievance committee. Most industries allow a grievance BEFORE termination. Not Stanford. Here you are guilty until proven innocent."

The fired workers were also supported by a number of faculty members. Several professors confronted Provost William Miller and later called a press conference "to express their anger at the high-level administrative decision to summarily fire the five employees."



DOWN ON THE CORNER

Pamoja Venceremos received this letter in the mail. Right on!

Tuesday night we hit Transamerica Corporation in Palo Alto. Transamerica is a pig corporation which among other things controls the Bank of America. Our attack on this pig institution is in revolutionary solidarity with the workers struggle at Stanford University. To the workers who are fighting for their rights we say right on. To the pigs we say you ain't seen nothing yet.

WILLY AND THE POOR BOYS



Devera Satsky, a fired worker

The faculty members threatened legal action if the workers are not reinstated. Miller refused their request in a press statement issued the next day.

At another noon rally held in front of Encina Hall, an administration building, the demand that the 5 workers be rehired was delivered to Nelson personally. A jeering crowd refused to take seriously Nelson's repeated reference to his press statement that the dismissal action has nothing to do with the court cases against the employees.

"It's clear that Nelson is just a lackey, being used to front for the real directors of the purge, President Lyman and Provost Miller," commented library assistant Doris Youdelman, as Nelson stalked away from the crowd into Encina Hall. Another rally was announced to be held at Miller's office on Tuesday.

At that time, led by the San Francisco Mime Troupe and The Venceremos Players they successfully pulled off a five hour long mill-in at the sensitive Encina Administrative complex and split before the police got a chance to have a head-whipping. People from a united coalition of local groups then went on a walk around the campus to keep the faculty observers and other lackeys occupied. All indications point toward plans to continue the struggle on a new and more refined basis.

The following quotation from an article by Norman Webster in the Toronto Globe and Mail is of interest in regard to the fact that Stanford Hospital fired Sam Bridges who was a janitor there, sent in police to break up a peaceful sit-in there, and is now firing workers who were arrested, but not yet tried, for their participation in a struggle against exploitation by the hospital.

THE MODERN CHINESE PRINCIPLE OF MANUAL LABOR EVEN BY THE HIGH AND MIGHTY IS APPLIED IN THE HOSPITAL TOO. WOMEN WHO HAVE HAD ANTI-IMPERIALIST BABIES HAVE SOMETIMES BEEN STARTLED TO SEE THEIR OBSTETRICIANS MOPPING THE HALLS.

The Police Wanted a Bomber

By Jane Franklin, *Venceremos*

In Los Angeles, Richard Cooper, a reporter for the L.A. Times, searched out the story of how the FBI and the L.A. police joined forces to plant not just a bomb but a bomber. Then they killed the planted bomber and the L.A. got credit for a job well done.

Larry Eugene Ward, a 22 year old Black man, returned from Vietnam in March, 1970, with two purple hearts and an Army commendation medal. Seven weeks later he was dead.

A coroner's jury voted that Ward died "by criminal means."

Yes. But who are the criminals?

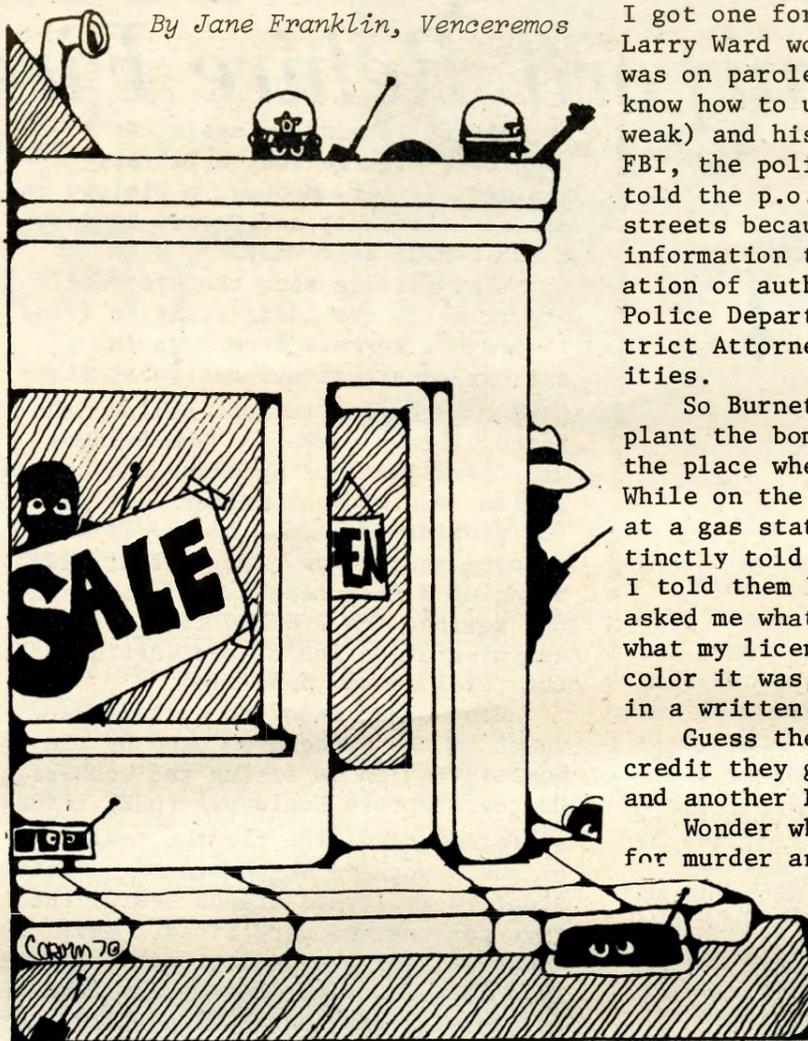
It turns out that Ward died by police gunfire.

Now, over a year later the reporter, Cooper, has found that out. But the story got little coverage. Wonder why? Thanks to Nicholas Von Hoffman, another reporter (Washington Post Service), the story is getting better coverage.

As Cooper dug out the facts, it appears that Ward was recruited for \$75 (a lot if you have \$0) by a police-FBI informer to plant a bomb next to a real estate office. Then the cops staked out the office and killed the unarmed Ward as he tried to flee the site of a crime that he had been hired to commit.

Makes sense like Vietnam, right?

The informer, Alfred Burnett, said later, "The police wanted a bomber and



I got one for them. I didn't know Larry Ward would be killed." Burnett was on parole (a situation the pigs know how to use if the parolee is weak) and his parole officer said the FBI, the police, and the D.A.'s office told the p.o. to leave Burnett on the streets because Burnett was feeding information to the FBI. Nice combination of authority and power: FBI, Police Department, Office of the District Attorney, and Probation Authorities.

So Burnett not only hired Ward to plant the bomb, but he drove Ward to the place where the bomb was planted. While on the way, he says, he stopped at a gas station and phoned. "I distinctly told them that it was Ward.... I told them he was unarmed, and they asked me what kind of car I was in, what my license number was and what color it was," Burnett declared later in a written statement.

Guess the L.A. pigs enjoyed the credit they got for killing a bomber and another Black man.

Wonder when they will go to trial for murder and conspiracy to murder?

La Policia Deseaba un Bombardero

En Los Angeles, Richard Cooper, un reportero por el L.A. Times, descubrió el cuento de como el FBI y la policia se juntaron para plantear no solo una bomba pero tambien un bombardero. Entonces mataron el bombardero planteado y la policia de Los Angeles recibieron el crédito por su trabajo.

Larry Eugene Ward, un negro de veinte y dos años, llegó en March 1970 de Vietnam con dos Purple Hearts y una medalla de recomendación del ejército. En siete semanas el estaba muerto. Un jurado oficial votó que el murió por una manera criminal.

Sí. Pero quienes son los criminales?

La verdad es que Ward murió a causa de las pistoles de la policia.

Ya, un año después el reportero, Cooper, ha descubierto la verdad. Pero el cuento recibió poco representación en los periódicos.

Sorprendiente. Gracias a Nicholas Van Hoffman, otro reportero (Washington Post Service), el cuento esta recibiendo mas representación.

Según los datos descubierto por Cooper, parece que Ward fue pagado \$75(mucho si usted tiene \$0) por un agente de la policia y el FBI de plantear una bomba al lado de una oficina y mataron a Ward (que no tuvo armas) cuando el trato de salir de sitio de un crimen que el fue pagado de cometer.

Hace tanta como Vietnam, verdad?

El agente, Alfred Burnett, dijo mas tarde, "La policia deseaba un bombardero y no conseguí uno. Yo no supe que Larry Ward iba a morir. Burnett todavia estaba bajo la jurisdicción de la policia(una situación que las placas puedan usar si la persona es inseguro) y su oficial dijo que el FBI, la policia y la oficina del D.A. le dijo de permitir a Burnett a quedar en las calles porque el estaba dando infor- que combinación

de autiridad y poder: FBI, el Departamento de la Policia, Oficina del D.A., y los autoridades de la probación.

Burnett no solamente le consiguió de plantear la bomba pero tambien le manejó al sitio, el dice, el se paraba a una estación de gasolina y llamaba. "Yo les dije que Ward fue la persona.....Yo le dije que el no tuvo armas, y ellos

me preguntaron que tipo de coche, que color fue el coche y el numero de la licencia." Burnett declaró mas tarde en una declaración escrita.

Me supongo que las placas de Los Angeles gustaron el crédito que recibieron por el muerto de un bombardero y un negro.

Cuando van a estar a juicio por asesinato y la conspiración a cometer asesinato?

BLF FRAMEUP FAILS



On May 16, 1971, Samuel Bridges, a black ex-Stanford hospital worker (whose firing led to the April 8th and 9th sit-in and who is also one of the Stanford 31), and Chris Laury were enroute to visit a friend in Ukiah. After being under intensive observation during the ride, they were pulled over by the California Highway Patrol; and because of a .45 automatic (used for target practice by the B.L.F.), which was on the floor of the car and in full view of the police, they then threw the brothers on the ground and beat and tried to intimidate them. The racist California Highway Patrol-

men called the brothers "Goddamn nigger bastards. You Black bastards weren't going to shoot anybody, were you?" Both brothers sustained injuries to the ribs and head. The pigs then drew their revolvers, attempting to frighten the brothers into telling of their most recent political involvements. The fascists claim the gun was loaded and in the hands of Chris Laury; they also claim marijuana and an open wine bottle were found in the car. The brothers pleaded not guilty.

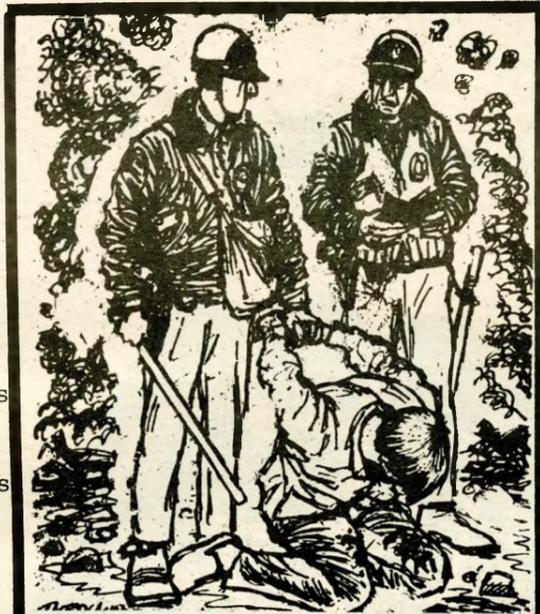
MOSHER SHOWS TRUE COLORS ⁵

Thomas Edward Mosher, 29, who hung around the edges of the Movement for years, testified before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee early this year. The transcript now has been released and lets us know for sure what most people who knew Mosher have always suspected--that he was and is an agent of the secret police, otherwise known as the F.B.I.

The testimony was quickly picked up by Ed Montgomery of the San Francisco Examiner who made a bigger story than most stories of Mosher's allegations assumptions and outright lies.

For a few years now, Montgomery has been publishing a mixture of half-truths and lies about Bruce Franklin, member of the Central committee of VENCEREMOS and Associate Professor of English at Stanford University. He played a role in setting up both Bobby Seale and Angela Davis, so his lies are not to be laughed at, but rather dealt with.

The fact of the matter is that Ed Montgomery is a broken down lackey of the secret police and that Mosher is an ego tripping crazy man who would like to



"Dummy, of course he was inciting students to violence--he's one of our undercover agents."

be a big shot one way or the other.

Bruce Franklin, for years now, day in and day out, has dedicated his life to the interests of all oppressed peoples--that is, to working for and toward the revolution that will place power in the hands of the majority of people.

The power structure of the rich has always and will always try to break a strong revolutionary. They will use all the power available to them and stop at nothing. (See the article in this issue about the L.A. police planting and then killing a bomber.) As CATCH 22 points out, they can do anything they want, anything we can't stop them from doing.

So, like the peoples of Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia, etc. we will have to stop them.

PAMOJA VENCEREMOS will have more to say about squealing, oinking Tom Mosher.

For now, we are printing an article from the STANFORD DAILY, with our appreciation to Larry Liebert who gave us permission to use it.



Tom Mosher, white, short haired and blond, is shown here disrupting the Stanford Academic Council during the Spring 1970 movement to remove ROTC from the campus. Up Against The Wall, Pig.

Franklin Tells His Side

By LARRY LIEBERT

"We were telling people two years ago that he was probably a pig," Prof. Bruce Franklin said of T. Edward Mosher whose description of four years as an informer was released by a Senate subcommittee June 16. (See article, this page.)

Franklin said he had long suspected Mosher was a police informer.

Franklin, who Mosher alleged provided weapons and advice to the Black Panthers, told the Daily Mosher "hung around the edges" of the radical movement.

Franklin and his wife Jane said Mosher had little of the inside information his comments implied because few radicals trusted him.

The activist professor generally refused to either confirm or deny Mosher's specific allegation, saying all revolutionaries should take credit for radical actions.

"We make it a policy of never denying an act we approve of."

But reacting to Mosher's comments as a whole, Franklin said, "The testimony would amount to taking a list of all the things that have happened and saying the Revolutionary Union is responsible for them all. There is no connection that he makes."

Franklin, who faces Stanford dismissal hearings for his radical activities, said he became convinced Mosher was an informer during a party at the Franklin home in Spring, 1969.

Mosher tried to cause trouble at the party when "he picked a fight with a guy and was pretending he was drunk," Franklin said.

He said that when he began telling other radicals Mosher seemed to be an informer, "He begged me to stop telling people he was a pig and to just tell them he was crazy."

Mosher became increasingly mentally unbalanced, according to Mrs. Franklin, particularly after his wife left him.

And Franklin charged Mosher was a provocateur--encouraging the illegal acts he was supposed to be spying on.

Mrs. Franklin said, "He was always suggesting wild schemes. Everybody was suspicious of him because he always wanted to blow up something or kill somebody."

Mosher's testimony suggests he was a government-paid informer who himself broke the law--as in his description of his part in building a barricade during a confrontation at Stanford Research Institute in 1969.

A veteran Stanford radical, who refused to be identified, said Mosher was "very loud" and was "always trying to start a fight."

And the radical said his volatile personality may explain why Mosher got along with the equally boisterous radical James Johnson, who "called him a crazy man sometimes."

Johnson fled after Mosher told authorities the black activist was designing explosives for revolutionaries.

Asked about Mosher's charges he worked with Black Panthers, Franklin pointed to open approval of Panther activities by the group he belongs to, Venceremos.

"The fact that we know Panthers shouldn't surprise anyone."

And Franklin admitted he has "done some target practice in the hills" but he denied any knowledge of the Santa Cruz Mountain bomb factory Johnson allegedly ran.

As for Mosher's comments about Cuban encouragement to American radicals, Franklin said, "The Cubans hardly make a secret of the fact they're in favor of revolution in the U.S."

But he said the Cubans were "scrupulous" in avoiding any specific suggestions for radical tactics.

A campus radical scoffed at Mosher's lengthy testimony about the "Mini-Manual," a booklet of tactics for leftist guerilla warfare. He said the New Left still gets much better information from far-right and U.S. military handbooks.

The same source said Mosher was always "ego-tripping," boasting "that he was from a tough working-class neighborhood in Chicago."

And he said Mosher "bullshitted a lot," exaggerating his contacts with Black Panthers and other radicals.



Sam Bridges

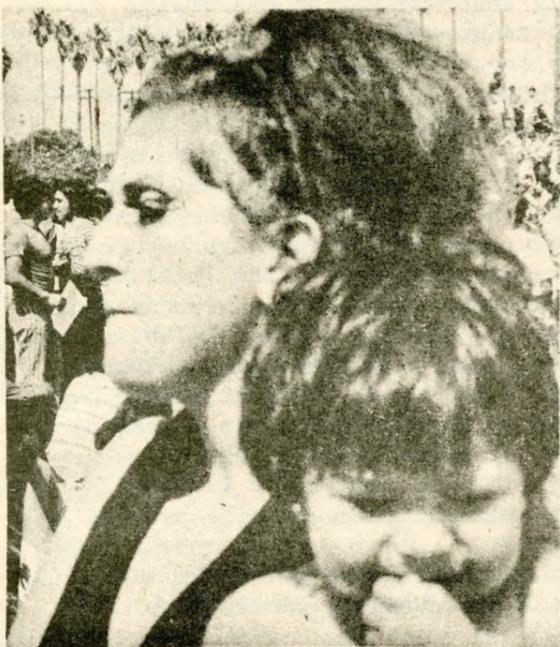


Christopher Laury

On June 24 the brothers were in court. Sam Bridges' charges were dismissed except for not having a license in his possession, and he was fined \$38.00. Brother Chris' charges were dismissed also, but due to some supposed legal technicalities he was found guilty of possession of a concealed weapon, and given a 30 day suspended sentence and 9 months summary probation. His 'piece' was ordered destroyed. It seems obvious the brothers were not guilty of any of the charges brought against them, and that it was an attempted frame-up. The pigs, seeing how phony it was, copped out. One thing they were especially afraid of was having a political trial in the area. They seem to realize that the amount of support, the amount of publicity, the amount of pressure that would follow public opinion was something they would be unable to handle. As stated before, there were a great many technicalities the brothers could have battled the case on, but both of these brothers as revolutionaries must continue the struggle here.

Right on!

NATIONAL NEWS



DUMMY BIRTH CONTROL PILLS
San Antonio, Texas

Eleven babies have been born to Chicana women who were given dummy pills at a birth control research center where they went to get contraceptives. They were given the dummy pills as part of an experiment, but were not told about the experiment.

When Dr. Goldzither, who ran the experiment, was asked why the women were not told about the experiment he replied "If you think you can explain a placebo test to women like these you never met Mrs. Gomez from the West Side."



JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA JUNE 20

The Black people of Jacksonville fought police for four nights straight last week after a fifteen year old Black youth was murdered by Jacksonville pigs. Pigs who tried to enter the Black community Wednesday night were repelled by rocks, bottles, and anything else the people could get their hands on. Finally, the pigs armed themselves with full riot gear and entered the community to stop the people from staying in the streets. The pigs busted over fifty people on Wednesday, but not before a number of oinkers were hurt.

After the pigs armed entrance into the community the peoples' guerillas came into action sniping at the pigs and throwing Molotov cocktails. The pigs were forced to bring in an anti-riot tank to maintain control of the Black community.



MILL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

Right on! to the comrades in Mill Valley who hurled fire bombs at the unmarked patrol car of Mill Valley police inspector Robert Sisk. It looks as though the inspector will need a new porkmobile.



DEATH TO THE FASCIST PIGS!

VIETNAM

Equipment coming back from Vietnam is now being checked against booby traps after a hidden explosive charge was found in a computer returned to a U.S. manufacturer.



NIXON TAKES BRIBES

On the same day that a research group announced that Nixon's Presidential campaign expenses were \$35,900,000, it was revealed that ten of the ambassadors he has appointed were among his heaviest contributors in 1968. The largest contributor was Arthur K. Watson of IBM(\$54,000) who consequently received the diplomatic plum of Ambassador to France.

Nixon's actions since he has been in office show that he is still paying off that \$35,000,000. But since poor and working people weren't interested in bribing him, Nixon isn't interested in them.



CLEVELAND, OHIO

In the Cleveland suburb of Bedford Heights 400 members of the United Auto Workers have been on strike since February against Presco Products, Inc. The strike was called in response to a company drive to take away benefits that have long been a part of their contract.

The strike has repeatedly been the scene of police violence. At least four strikers have been arrested and many others have been badly beaten. Recently the pigs have been coming down to the plant in full riot gear, in order to intimidate the workers even more.

One of the arrested strikers was jumped for taking pictures of the police; he was roughed up and his camera was broken. Another was beaten and arrested when he tried to talk to a pig who had told him to move on.

The union is filing suit, charging "the management of Presco Products consorted with the police department, who used strikebreaking tactics with the taxpayers money of Bedford Heights."



ATTORNEY GENERAL JOHN MITCHELL

Some worthwhile words finally came out of Attorney General John Mitchell's pig mouth when he said last week that "never in our history has this country been confronted with so many revolutionary elements determined to destroy by force the Government and the society it stands for."

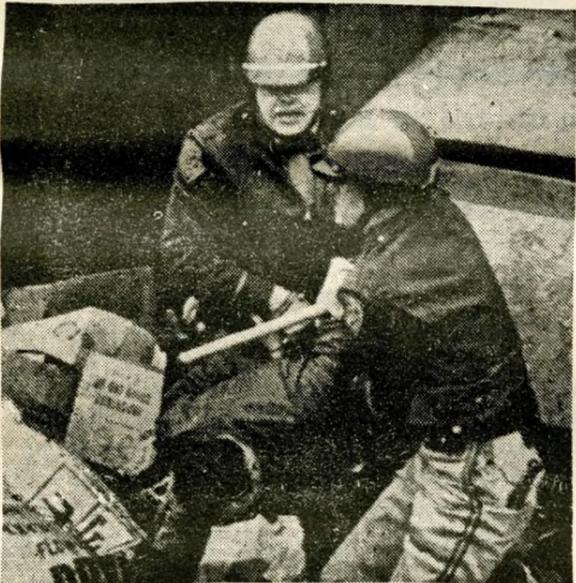


PASTILLAS DE CONTROL DE NATALIDAD FALSAS

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

Once niños han nacido a mujeres chicanas quienes fueron dado pastillas falsas en un centro de estudio de nacimiento a donde fueron para controlar natalidad. Fueron dadas estas pastillas como parte de un experimento pero no fueron dicho del experimento.

Cuando Doctor Goldzither quien correo el experimento, fue preguntado porque las mujeres no fueron dicho del experimento contesto "Si crees que podemos explicar una prueba de placebo a mujeres como estas, nunca has conocido a Mrs. Gomes del West Side."



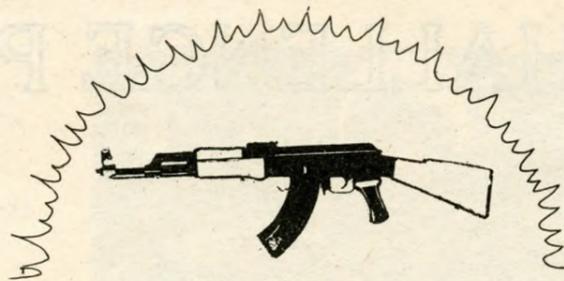
CLEVELAND, OHIO,

En la colonia de Cleveland de Bedford Heights, 400 miembros de los United Auto Workers (trabajadores de carros) han estado en huelga desde febrero contra Presco Products, Inc. La huelga fue llamada como repuesta de que la compañía quito muchos beneficios que por largo tiempo eran parte del contrato de union.

La huelga ha sido el sitio de siguiente violencia por la policia. De menos cuatro huelgistas han sido arrestados y muchos otros han sido golpeados mucho. Recientemente la policia ha benido a la planta con equipo de atacar para intimidar a los trabajadores mas.

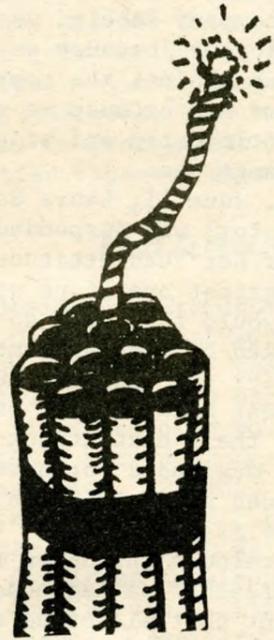
Uno de los huelgistas arrestados fue atacado por ver sacado fotografias de los policas; fue golpeado y su camara fue quebrada. Otro fue golpeado y arrestado cuando quiso hablar con un puerco que le dijo que se moviera.

La union esta demandando por corte, cargando al "Manejo de Presco Products de policia, quienes usaron tacticos de parar huelgas con el dinero de los pagadores de impuestos de Bedford Heights."



MILL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

¡Bien hecho! a los carnales en Mill Valley quienes hecharon bombas de incendio al carro sin marcas de patrulla del inspector de policia de Mill Valley Robert Sisk. Parece que el inspector nesesitaria un nuevo carro de marrano.



CIUDAD DE NUEVA YORK

Un policia negro de la ciudad de Nueva York dijo que la razón que ha crecido el uso de heroína y otras drogas fuertes es por que "hay muchos policas en el departamento quienes hacen dinero de las drogas." Otra vez que oigas a un puerco decir que el departamento de policas sirve a la comunidad. Piense de lo que le sirve - puede ser heroína?

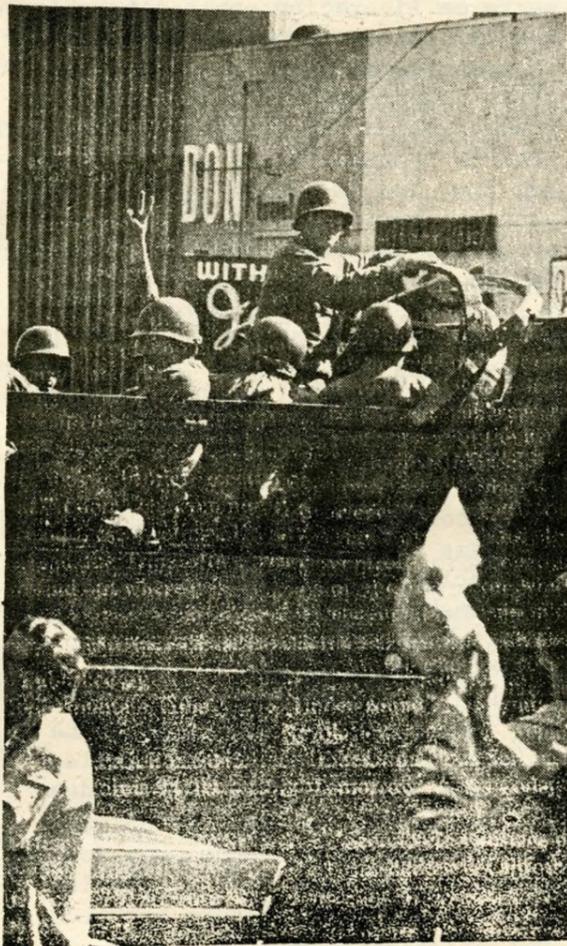


EL EJERCITO DE LOS E.E.U.U. VEN DE ANFETAMINAS (Noticias de Soldados)

KILLEEN, TEXAS

En cada base del army en los EE.UU. y Vietnam hay una hay una Tyrells, tienda jolleria, aprisa robando a los soldados con precios demasiados. Cafeterias Hood y Oleo Strut han estado en huelga contra Tyrells en Killeen y en un dia de pago reciente los detuvo a solo una venta.

Esto fue mucho para los puercos quienes sabian que una huelga parecida habia cerrado algunos negochos en Wrightstown, N.J. (Ft. Dix), diez demostradores (8 de ellos soldados) fueron arrestados con cargos falsos de ver conducir una huelga secundaria.



Los propagandistas de los E.E.U.U. si siempre hablan de como los Vietnemeses del Norte y los Viet Cong están locos con drogas cuando éntran las batallas. ¿De cual otra manera pudieran luchar con tanto fuerza? Es claro que la razón porque luchan con tanto fuerza es que están en suelo patrio, luchando (y renciendo) para algo en que confían.

Actualmente, son las tropas Americanas, como el soldado quien ganó su Estrella de Plata, loco con opio, quienes necesitan drogas para ir en combate. No es porque son cobardes, es porque saber que no hay razon ni siquiera estar en Vietnam, no hacer caso de morir allí.

Miles de soldados que ahora están revolviendo a centros vários de tratamiento médico para problemas con drogas por todos lados del país, cuentan la misma historia. Los oficiales les dieron anfetaminas, (speed) a fin de que pueden ir en combate. Entonces, muchos soldados desarrollaron dependencias anfetaminas, y fueron adictos. Los soldados poniendose a la heroína para suavizar los efectos ásperos de las anfetaminas, y en lugar fueron adictos a la heroína. ¿Que valen exámenes para drogas por los soldados que estan saliendo de Vietnam, cuando en su llegada, un soldado recibe drogas de su propio oficial? La unica manera para prevenir el enviciamiento de drogas en las tropas de los E.E.U.U. es que **¡LLEVE LOS TODOS AFUERA DE VIETAM AHORA! ¡CHALE CON EL TRAFICANTE VERDADERO DE DROGAS!**

8 WOMEN CHALLENGE P.T.&T.

Eight women, who all worked as operators, were ripped off by Pacific Telephone in Palo Alto on Wednesday, June 16. The company labeled us "undesirable employees" because we dared to take a stand against the repressive conditions and because we refused to be intimidated and stop our efforts to change them.

On Friday, June 11, Laura Saltzman (one operator) was suspended indefinitely for her "bad attitude". This attack against one of us was more than we would tolerate, so 11 operators walked off. Management suspended us for the rest of the day.

When we went back to work on Monday they made their next attack - Rusty Keilch was suspended for a week. When we demanded an explanation, we were suspended also.

Monday afternoon the union representatives reached an agreement with management that all of us except Rusty and Laura could return to work on Tuesday. On Tuesday we were not allowed in the building, and the boss tried to tell us that the union had lied to us.

Wednesday they went ahead and fired us all, which was their plan from the beginning. They finally covered it all by saying we were "undesirable employees," even though we had good work records.

Union response to the firings was to file individual grievances on all our cases. Their approach was to divide us just as the company does, in fact, the next day the union president called 6 of us (excluding Laura and Rusty) in and took us to the district manager's office. There we were interviewed individually.

Evidently they didn't like what they heard because they again refused to take anyone back. They must have seen that it won't work to try to pick off a few that they think are the leaders. We are strong because we acted together and we will continue to struggle to win back our jobs.

Our struggle on the inside has been a long one - working to overcome the fear they put down and divisions by race, age, etc. Once we overcame these things and acted against them, we were such a threat that they knew they had to get rid of us no matter how much it exposed their injustice to other workers and to the public.

To continue our struggle we must have support from other women who are also getting themselves together,



Our struggle is the same as that of workers who have been fired at Stanford and the hospital, and other places where women workers face oppression and try to change conditions.

We would like to meet some weekend soon with women to tell our experiences and to learn from theirs. Only when we join each other can we have victories. If you are interested in helping get such a thing together call Rusty at 323-2634 - we'll announce details in the next issue of

Pamoja Venceremos

If anyone knows of any jobs for the women that were fired from the phone company, please call 328-4941.

B.L.F.

Defense Comité

Committee Defensa

The Black Liberation Front Defense Committee has finally opened an office that will provide services to the East Palo Alto and surrounding communities. The main function of this office will be the bussing of prisoners' relatives to and from prison, free. Out of this program, we hope to provide transportation to jails, prisons and juvenile halls for those who have been stranded by the injustices of the court system. We realize that the changes Brothers and Sisters go through in dealing with the man and his system are not only inconsiderate but extremely inconvenient. By starting this program, we are not saying the problem will disappear, because only by attacking the problem directly can it ever disappear - we are just trying to get us together to do something for us.

The other functions of the office and these are just as important, is to provide legal services for those who have been recently busted. We have already established contacts with very good lawyers who will charge very little or nothing. We also have on-going fundraising for those who need bail money. The distribution of literature concerning the prisons and prisoners will also come out of this office.

What we are attempting has never been attempted in the Mid-Peninsula area before and in order to make it work we need everybody who is interested to help. We need those that need these services to contact us.

If you are being hassled by the police department and need the above services, or want to help, call:

EAST PALO ALTO
BLACK LIBERATION FRONT HEADQUARTERS
1800 STEVENS AVENUE
323-6848
BLACK LIBERATION FRONT
DEFENSE COMMITTEE
1969 UNIVERSITY AVENUE
328-4941

El comité de defensa de la Frente negra de liberación por fin ha abierto una oficina que proveerá servicios a la comunidad de East Palo Alto y a otras comunidades circunstantes. La función principal de este oficina será proveer transportación gratis en autobús para los parientes de prisioneros para que puedan visitarles. De este programa, esperamos proveer transportación a los cárceles, los prisiones, y los cárceles de los jóvenes para los que han sido desamarrados por las injusticias del sistema de los cortes. Entendimos que los cambios que sufren los hermanos y hermanas cuando tienen que tratar con el hombre y su sistema son no sodesconsiderado sin también muy inconvenientes. Por empezar este programa no pensamos que desaparecerá el problema porque solo por atacar al problema directamente se puede desaparecer--solamente estamos tratando de juntarnos en un esfuerzo común.

Las otras funciones de la oficina son justamente tan importantes. La oficina proveerá servicios legales para los que han estado arrestados recientemente. Ya hemos establecido contacto con unos buenos abogados que cobrarán poquisimo o nada. También estamos recogiendo dinero para los que necesitan dinero de fianza. La

oficina también distribuirá literatura que concierne las prisiones y los prisioneros.

Lo que estamos intentado nunca ha sido intentado en la area de la peninsula media antes y para que se suceda, necesitamos que todos que tengan interés ayuden. Los que necesitan estos servicios deben llamarnos.

- Si le esta molestando a Ud. la policia, o si quiere ayudar, llame a:
COMITE DE DEFENSA DE LA B.L.F.
1969 UNIVERSITY AVE.
328-4941

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OFICINA DE LA B.L.F. DE EAST PALO ALTO
1800 STEVENS AVE.
323-6848



A "peace officer" on the job.

Women in jail

"In the U.S. all women in jail are political prisoners because their alleged crimes are actually acts of survival necessitated by our political and economic system... The real crimes like starvation and war are not illegal in the U.S. In a just society legality and justice are one. In our society, the gap is wide. It is our political system that defines these women as outlaws and criminals." (Marilyn Salzman-Webb, "Off Our Backs" July 31, 1970)

Drugs & Booze

First of all, we can forget the very popular idea that women who drink or shoot dope do it because they have some flaw in their character; that they are weak while women who never take a drink or drugs are strong. One thing you know about every addict is that he/she took to drugs because his/her life was unbearable, and most women's lives are unbearable. Alcoholism and drug addiction are only two out of a vast range of things that women do to maintain themselves in an intolerable situation.

For some the safety valve is adultery, some watch TV 8 hours a day, some mistreat their children; some allow themselves no safety valve at all, and go quietly insane. All these things divert pressure from those who profit from the situation as it is.

Society encourages women to become addicts of every kind, to deny the kind of vitality that would make them demand real lives. Few people think of the epidemic of barbiturate addiction among middle-class women as a serious problem. That's because in a capitalistic society, to have half the population reduced to nitwits is not considered a loss; on the contrary it's the only way the society can go on functioning. It's only when poor people are driven to steal and prostitute themselves for the money for drugs and drink and thus end up in jail that addiction is considered a problem.

Larceny

More women are arrested for larceny than for any other crime, and larceny offenses are rising faster than any other crime. Larceny includes shoplifting, forgery, purse snatching, pocket picking, and domestic pilferage. A woman with children will steal to keep them fed and clothed. A woman who is supported by a man may steal rather than under go the humiliation of justifying her every expense to him. And a single woman, who can't support herself adequately because of job discrimination will steal clothing and cosmetics because her society forces her to use these things to compete with other women for a man who will support her.

Murder

When a woman commits murder, the victim is almost always her husband, her lover, or her child. These murders are usually not premeditated, but explode out of the desperation that comes from monotonous, repetitive, physically and emotionally exhausting work. Everyday there is the dishes, the laundry, the cleaning,



the shopping-- and the constant drain of having total responsibility for the comfort of everyone in her family.

It is no accident that most murders committed by women take place in the home, and most often in the course of a domestic quarrel in the kitchen. The woman kills her husband or lover, who in his role as the pillar of the nuclear family seems most responsible for her frustration, her suffocation, her total lack of contact with the outside world.

Prostitution

Prostitution is the only "crime" automatically connected with women. Women are not the only prostitutes, but somehow people feel that a person selling her/his body for another's sexual gratification is an essentially feminine act. Prostitutes really do live out one side of what being "feminine" means. Every woman is taught that she has to be sexually exciting to many men in order to feel

like a real woman. Every woman is taught that if she pleases a man, he will pay her way in exchange for her companionship.

As one sister who used to be a prostitute wrote, "All the prostitute has done is eliminate the bullshit." When prostitutes do get arrested it is because they are pawns in big-time male games. City politicians use periodic raids on prostitutes as election ploys; the subsistence hooker, who have to hustle on the streets are easier to pick off than the organized racketeers who exploit them.

Why do women become prostitutes? Liberals can only psychologize there is something deviant about these women-- no morals, high sexual appetite, etc. But it is conditions of our society, not the individual, which are to blame and this oppression hits 3rd World women even more than white women. (For example: Reagan's welfare cuts. What's the real reason for legalizing prostitution?)

"Under capitalism, 3rd World

women are forced to compromise themselves because of their economic situation. The facts that her man cannot get a job and that their family is dependent on her for support means that she hustles money by any means necessary. Black and Puerto Rican sisters are put into a situation where jobs are scarce or non-existent and are forced to compromise body, mind, and soul; they are then called whores or prostitutes." (Young Lords Position Paper on women.)

Runaways

Besides prostitution, runaways are the only other category of crime in which over half of those arrested are women. The family structure restricts the liberties of a young girl and curtails her development as a full human being. Parents use the guise of protection, until she is delivered safely into the hands of a husband. The dualities inculcated in her for her future role as wife and mother--dependence, passivity, self-denial--make it especially difficult for her to survive in the streets.

Political prisoners

Prisons have been called "total institutions": a place of residence and work where individuals cut off from the wider society over a long period of time lead an enclosed, regulated round of life. They are authoritarian, controlled from the top, and run on a rigid system of rewards and punishments. All women in this society live in "total institutions." For them, as for inmates of jails and asylums, the behavior most encouraged is obviously whatever will make them easiest to control: compliance, passivity, and a servile attitude toward those in power. This is just about all women can expect as she moves from one total institution to another. As a young girl in the home, the values she is rewarded for are those of a servant; whenever she shows initiative or originality, she is warned that she is "pricing herself out of the marriage market."

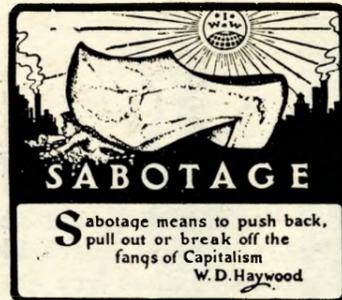
In school, she is more encouraged to be popular, take typing, and cheerlead than to train her mind, learn carpentry or participate in athletics. If she manages to get interested in a demanding career, her guidance counselor advises her firmly to be "realistic." Everyone assumes she'll never finish anything she starts.

"Prisons are ultimately the defenders of a entire oppressive state and society." (H. Levy, *Liberated Guardian*, June 3, 1970) For women, to be outside the walls of a jail is in some sense an allusion. Jails are real, but none of us are free. We must work not only to break down the stone walls that enclose some of our sisters, but to break down the barriers of written and unwritten laws that would call us criminals if we refuse to be slaves.

NOTE: This article was submitted by the "Free Our Sisters" collective. Anyone interested in serving and liberating our sisters from the prisons of the U.S. should contact us at 328-0602.

COAL MINERS: THE FIGHT FOR DECENT

CONDITIONS CARRIES ON



The Black Panther Party states that our schools do not teach Black people their true role in American history because it would not serve the interests of rich white Americans to do so. This also holds true for all people of color in the U.S. and for the American working class.

The sons and daughters of the working class have never been told about how the American worker fought against bosses in the tradition of armed insurrections of the black slaves against their masters. One example of the workers' fight against the big capitalists and their lackeys took place in the 1850's to 1870's in the coal mining regions in Pennsylvania. At that time most of the workers in the mines were Irish. The bosses and supervisors referred to them as "dung" and treated them like shit. They paid the coal workers by the cubic yard, by the ton, or by the car load and, because the supervisors measured the amount of coal dug by the miners, they were almost always cheated. Hundreds of miners died in unsafe mines every year because mine owners would not cut into their profits to improve conditions in the mines. Because they wanted to make more money the mine owners hired children to work long hours in the mines, causing many kids to die at a young age.

In response to these conditions, and because unions wouldn't fight the bosses, a secret order called the Molly Maguires arose which declared war on their exploiters. In retaliation against their oppressors the Mollys dynamited coal trains and assassinated the most oppressive bosses and supervisors. In an effort to gain decent working conditions they killed hundreds of pigs in a war against the capitalists. By the 1870's they had unquestionably forced some improvements in working conditions for all coal miners in the Pennsylvania region and saved many miners lives. The end of the Molly Maguires came when the bosses hired Irish pigs from the Pinkerton Detective Agency to join the Mollys

and snitch on them.

Since the 1870's laws have been passed which are supposedly designed to protect the miner. However, the government's Federal Bureau of Mines works hand in glove with the coal bosses to make sure that the law, weak as it is, isn't put into effect. According to the government's General Accounting Office only 1% of required health inspections of mines have been made by the Bureau and only 31% of required safety inspections have been made. Conditions in 1970 actually got worse for the coal miners: with 270 miners murdered in unsafe mines as compared with 203 in 1969. There were also 10,300 coal miners injured on the job in 1970. (It is interesting to note that the reason the Bureau of Mines gives for the injuries and deaths in the mines is the carelessness of the miners, according to Representative Ken Hechler from West Virginia.)

History has shown that the coal miners will act in self-defense when they are being murdered in unsafe mines by the mine owners.

A causa de las condiciones y la falta de los uniones de luchar con los jefes, un grupo secreto que se llamaba los Molly Maguires declaró una guerra contra los explotadores. En represalias contra sus explotadores los Mollys ponían dinamita en los trenes de carbon y asesinaron los jefes mas opresivos. En un esfuerzo de obtener mejores condiciones de trabajo mataron cientos de chotas en una guerra contra las capitalistas. Por los 1870's habían forzados algunos cambios en las condiciones de trabajo por todos los hulleros mineros en la región de Pennsylvania y salvaron la vida de muchos mineros. El fin de los Molly Maguires llegó cuando los dueños alquilaron irlandeses chotas de el Pinkerton Detective Agency a juntar con ellos y espiar. Desde los 1870's han pasado leyes designados a proteger los mineros. Pero el Federal Bureau of Mines (una organización del gobierno) trabaja con los dueños para ver que las leyes no tienen

El grito para condiciones buenas continua

El Black Panther Party dice que nuestras escuelas no enseñan a la gente negra su verdadero apel en la historia americana porque no servirá los intereses de los ricos americanos blancos. Por esta razón todas personas de color y miembros de la clase trabajadora son mal informados de su propia historia.

Los hijos y hijas de la clase trabajadora nunca han sido informados de como el trabajador americano peleaba contra sus jefes en la tradición de las insurrecciones armadas de las esclavas negras contra sus maestros. Un ejemplo de la lucha de los trabajadores contra las grandes capitalistas y sus lacayos tomo lugar en los 1850's a 1870's en la región de minero de carbón en Pennsylvania. En este tiempo la mayoría de los hulleros mineros fueron irlandeses. Los jefes y supervisores referieran a los irlandeses como estiercol y tratarian los irlandeses como mierda. Pagaban los hulleros mineros por la yarda cubica, por la tonelada, o por la carretada y como los supervisores estimaron la cantidad de carbón trabajado por los mineros la resulta fue el engaño por los supervisores. Cientos de mineros murieron en minas peligrosas cada año porque los dueños no gastarian sus ganancias para mejorar condiciones en las minas. Los dueños alquilan niños a trabajar muchas horas porque deseaban hacer mas dinero, causando la muerte de muchos niños a un edad joven.



COAL MINERS RISING UP ANGRY

ningún efecto. Según el General Accounting Office del gobierno solamente 1% de las inspecciones de salud y 31% de la inspecciones de seguridad han sido hecho por el Bureau. Condiciones en 1970 son peores por los mineros; con 270 mineros matados en minas peligrosas en comparación con 203 en 1969. Habían 10,300 mineros de carbón injuridos en 1970. Es interesante notar que la razón que el Bureau of Mines da por las injurias y muertos en las minas es la falta de los mineros, según el Representativo Ken Hechler de West Virginia.

Historia ha muestra que los mineros de carbón actuaran en su defensa cuando los dueños tratan de matarles en minas peligrosas.

Pentagon Papers



HOW NOT TO DEFEND AN EMPIRE

by Jim Shoah, *Venceremos*

The American government is the world's biggest liar. That's the unmistakable message of the Pentagon's massive 7,000-word, 47-volume study of American involvement in Indochina.

The report makes it clear that the entire U.S. intervention in Indochina since the early fifties was explained and justified with lies and deception. Perhaps the most interesting parts of the study revealed up to this time deal with the escalation of the war

in 1964-65. The study reveals that the U.S. was supporting South Vietnamese commando raids in the North as early as February, 1964. Plans for increased military pressure against North Vietnam culminating in full-scale bombings were formulated in May of the same year, four months before North Vietnamese torpedo boats attacked two American destroyers in the Gulf of Tonkin. (The attack was in retaliation for a South Vietnamese commando raid on two North Vietnamese islands. The North Vietnamese apparently thought one of the destroyers was a South Vietnamese vessel.) President Johnson used the incident as an excuse to order the first bombings of the North and to ram the Gulf of Tonkin Resolution through Congress, giving him considerable freedom to prosecute the war.

By September 7, 1964, a "general consensus" had been reached by high-ranking Administration leaders that further air strikes against North Vietnam would be necessary and that "these operations would begin early in the new year." Johnson kept this decision quiet in order not to hurt his chances in the November election. Johnson was running as a "Peace Candidate" against Republican Barry Goldwater, who advocated bombing North Vietnam.

The distortions, half-truths, and outright lies told to the American people by the U.S. government are revealed on page after page of the Pentagon study. But this is not really what is most interesting about the report. Most of the facts contained in the study have been known for some time. What is unique about this particular critical study of the war is how it came to be written and the way it is being released. For the publication of these secret documents reveals a deep split in the American ruling class.

The study was not undertaken by radicals or left-wingers by any stretch of the imagination. It was written in 1967 by members of the Pentagon's professional staff on instructions from then Secretary of Defense Robert MacNamara. MacNamara, former president of the Ford Motor Co. and current Chairman of the World Bank, is no "commie symp"—he is a pillar of the American ruling class.

The Pentagon documents were first brought to light by the New York Times and the Washington Post, the recognized mouthpieces of long-established East Coast financial interests. These interests now feel that the war has become too costly in terms of taxes, inflation, balance of payments problems, etc. They want to see the U.S. cut its losses in Indochina and pull back to its bases in Thailand, the Philippines, Taiwan, South Korea, and Japan, leaving the Indochinese puppet governments to fight as long as possible with U.S.-supplied equipment.

The Nixon Administration, more representative of Midwestern and Western military-industrial and conglomerate interests, is waging a bitter struggle in the courts to prevent publication of the documents (the case is now being argued before the Supreme Court). The government has even ordered the arrest of Dr. Daniel Ellsberg, the former Pentagon researcher alleged to have given the documents to the New York Times. The section of the ruling class represented by the Nixon Administration feels that the only way to prevent national liberation struggles from spreading throughout Southeast Asia is to stand firm in Indochina.

But despite deep differences around

the conduct of the war, there is no disagreement between the two groups as to American goals in Asia. The region as a whole must remain open to American business.

Henry Cabot Lodge, former U.S. Ambassador to South Vietnam and Paris negotiator put it clearly in February, 1965, just after the intensive bombing of North Vietnam had begun:

He who holds or has influence in Vietnam can affect the future of Formosa and the Philippines to the east, Thailand and Burma with their huge rice surpluses to the west, and Malaysia and Indonesia with their rubber, oil and tin to the south. Vietnam thus does not exist in a geographical vacuum—from its large storehouses of wealth and population can be influenced and undermined.

Studies like the one undertaken by Pentagon staff members in 1967 are helpful. They expose the lies used by government decision-makers. This particular study is especially valuable in that it has given us a look at the divisions among America's rulers. But unless we move beyond this to an overall understanding of the system of U.S. Imperialism under which we live, future wars like the one in Indochina are inevitable.



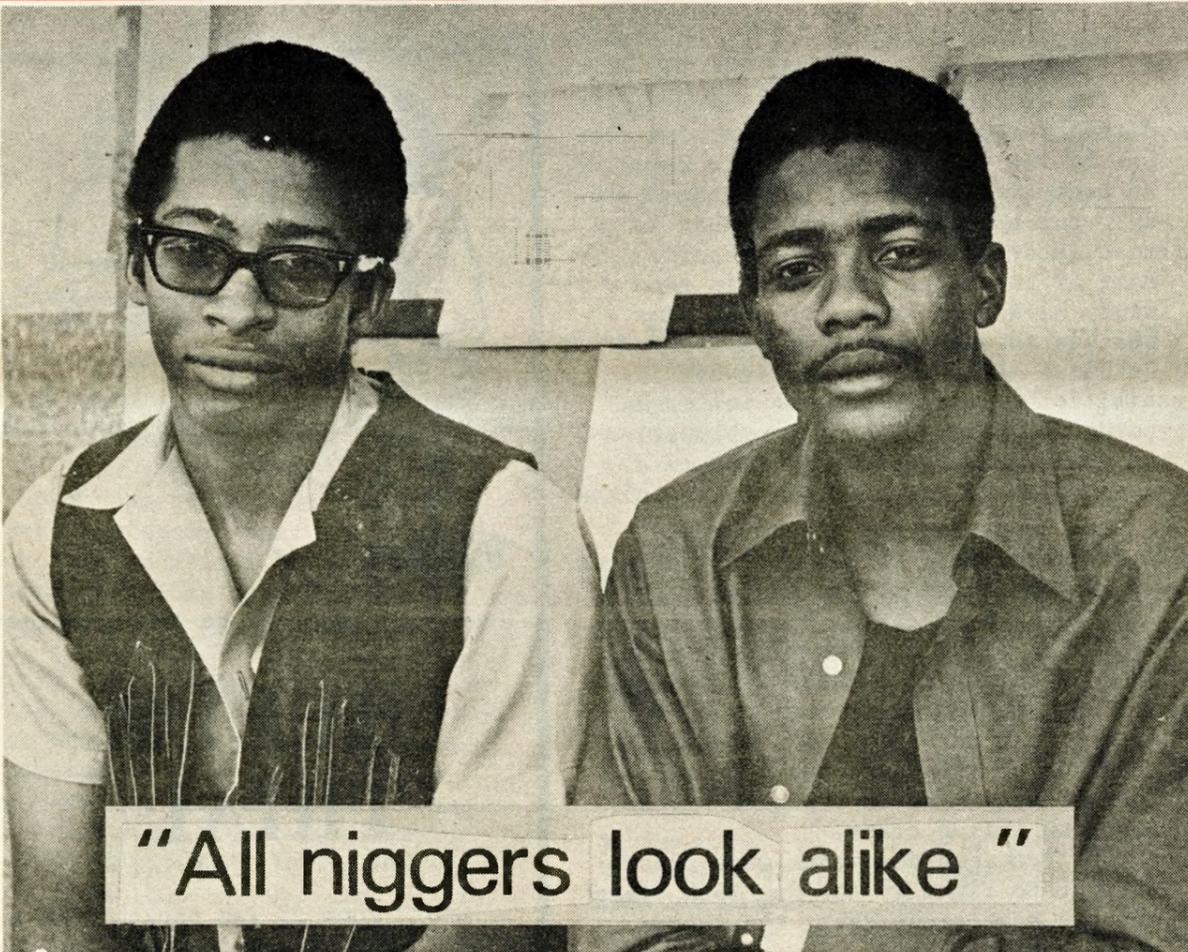
Jes' one road left to *true* justice...

HUEY'S TRIAL

Court room #5 was packed with supporters forty-five minutes before it was scheduled to start. By the time it was supposed to begin, more than twice the capacity were crowded into the room. Huey came and wanted to sit in a spot among the people in the back of the room but Charles Garry, his attorney, motioned for him to sit up front. Then one of the court pigs shouted that all the people not seated had to leave and also refused to allow people to sit two or three in a seat. Finally when the pig had his way and we had waited another half hour, the judge came in, sat down, and told everyone Huey's trial would be in Court #6 instead. After the pigs in the hall misdirected us to the wrong floor, we found Court #6. As expected, the court room had far fewer seats than the one we had just been in (the pigs don't want the people to see how they are railroading Huey) and the few seats there were all reserved for the pig press (even though they had told us in the other court that they didn't reserve "public seating"). Disgusted as we were with these fascists, we left rather than waste our time hanging around in the hall.



Stop the Railroad!



"All niggers look alike"

On Thursday, June 17, the preliminary hearing of Chris Laury and Leo Bazille began, although in the people's mind it was unnecessary for them to be tried because of their obvious innocence; an innocence which has never once been doubted by the people.

The preliminary hearing got off to a ridiculous start when Mary Jane Schmidt was asked to identify her assailants. After quite some time, she pointed to Leo Bazille, then she wandered around and pointed out a "gentleman" with a white hat, who turned out to be a sister. With a slight shrug of her shoulders, she waddled around the courtroom again, only to point out Keith King, who sat right next to Chris Laury, the brother who is accused of the beating.

After returning to the witness stand and undergoing some intensive questioning by Bazille's and Laury's defense attorneys. It was discovered that on the basis of a wide nose and protruding lips, she identified Leo. Further testimony brought home the fact that throughout her so-called torture-beating, she hadn't gotten a

look at her assailants at all; her hands were over her face and her glasses were off. Yet still and all, the fascist court system says the evidence is sufficient to bring these two brothers to trial.

It should be obvious to all that this mock hearing and upcoming trial is a replay of the many trials of Black people, both North and South. Under the pretense of "All niggers look alike", the word of any white person is sufficient enough to send these brothers to the pen. "If you're white you're right" is bullshit. For so long blacks have to suffer repression - cultural and economic, from getting up at 7 o'clock in the morning to meet the man, to the white racist court system of fascist Babylon.

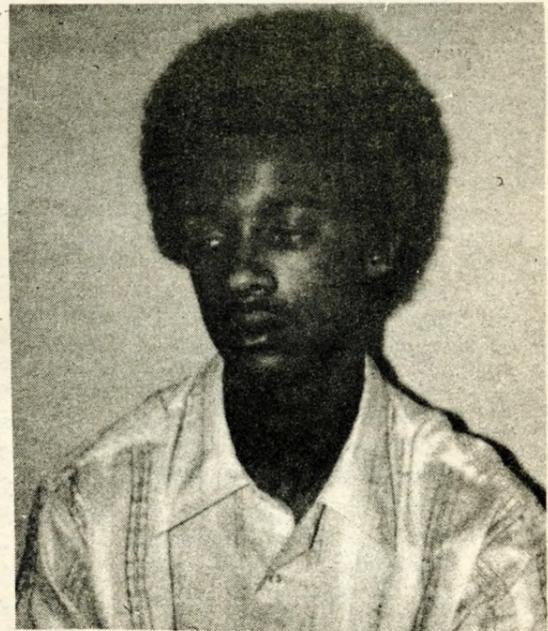
Listening to Schmidt's testimony you will find a great number of contradictions, but the greatest contradiction is when any black person, sister or brother, goes before that judge and expects fair treatment.

These two brothers go back to court July 8, so be there and see for yourself. Then, do something about it!

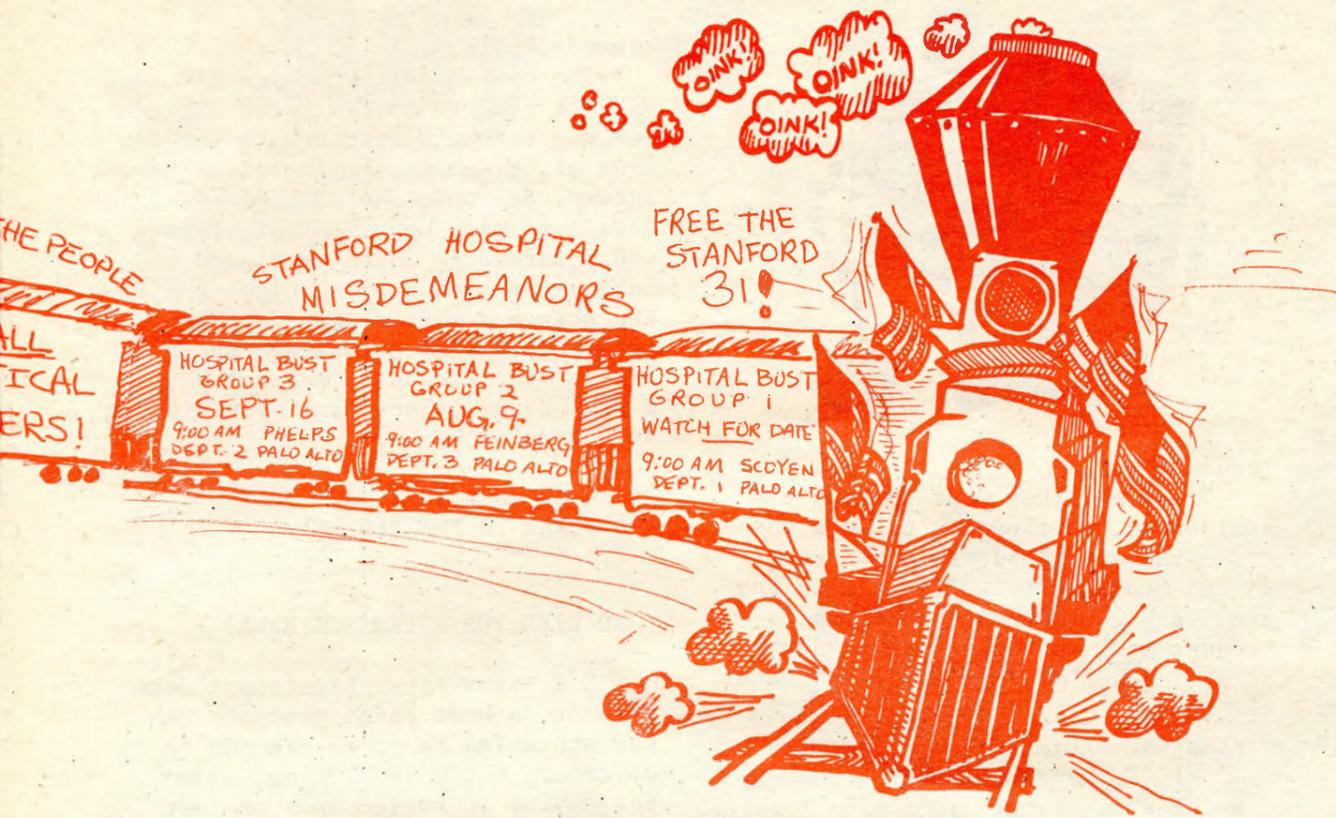
ANO

At about 11:30 on the evening of June 23 Keith King was driving down to Black Liberation Front Headquarters at 1800 Stevens in East Palo Alto. When he got to Fordham Street just around the corner from Stevens he found his path blocked by two police cars parked in the middle of the road. He couldn't get through so he honked his horn but was completely ignored by the swine. Keith blinked his lights and got the same reaction. He decided to drive around them, and in doing so had to go up on the side-

Chris Brown se



After deliberating from Thurs. to Mon., a middle class jury found Chris Brown guilty of being a young black dude from the streets. He was accused of shooting a white man named Evilzer, in Mel's Bowling Alley parking lot. One 'witness' only saw the shoulders and head of a black man (supposedly Chris) at the back of a truck, when her friend was shot. She wears trifocals and had six martinis before seeing this black man. The other 'witness' was never closer than 50 yds. to two youths who were walking down El Camino-he never saw their faces, never saw their faces, never saw them get.



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FEATURE.

ANOTHER BLF BROTHER BUSTED

walk. When he came off the sidewalk his tires screeched, and he drove around the corner to the BLF headquarters.

That's what the sheriffs were apparently waiting for, because they vamped on him from all directions (8 sheriffs deputies), drew their shotguns, pulled out their dogs, and ordered Keith to stop, or else.

About 15 community people were around, some of them BLF members, and one pig leveled his shotgun at the

window of our headquarters. Rounds were chambered by the BLF members inside the headquarters and the pig stepped back and held his shotgun across his chest. By that time the swine had Keith under arrest for "exhibition of speed." They quickly put him in the patrol car and split. The tactical squad had also been called and various sheriff's cars were stationed at different corners to make sure they could handle the alleged traffic violation.

Six brothers and sisters went to the Redwood City jail to bail Keith out but the pigs would only let Linda King (Keith's wife) and a lawyer go up to the jail. The other people were told they had to wait downstairs where Pronske soon arrived at high speed, almost knocking Brother George Williams to the ground. They pulled out their dogs, shotguns and club and ordered the people to get out of there or be placed under arrest for "fooling around" and "loitering." Pronske ordered a check of everybody's I.D. and a pregnant woman was pushed around by a low life pig who commented "I don't care if she's pregnant."

Keith King's bail was posted (\$120) and his lawyer Norton Tooby was told after he was harassed by the swine, that Keith would be released in 45 minutes. Norton split, and the pigs did not release Keith, claiming there was a "probation hold" on him. He spent the night in jail and was released in the morning, with no mention of a "probation hold."

In a previous article of Pamoja Venceremos (May 18) we did a story on Brother Keith King and how the pigs attacked his home and inflicted injury on him and his family. What happened when he went to court on those charges further shows how fascist tactics are used on the Black community.

On June 24 Keith, who is a known B.L.F. member, and his brother Renard appeared in court much to the delight of the 10 deputies standing outside.

At this stage of the game Keith had mistakenly entered a plea of No lo Contendere and Renard had pleaded guilty. In a written brief submitted to the pig judge (Piombo), the brothers explained the tremendous political repression they were under, and pressure which literally forced them into making such a rash decision. The judge, who had hardly considered the motion denied it and went on to give a long bullshit rap on the necessity to abide by the law, because it is fair. There were many comments passed while the judge expounded on his decision, one such was given by Keith's mother. She said that the legal system is bullshit: that it doesn't represent the true needs of the Black people in Amerikka. Any Black man or woman who dares to resist the fascist tactics of the gestapo police force would have no chance in a court of law. She also commented on how for the last five years the so-called upholders of the law (S.M. County Sheriffs Dept.) have been tramping in and out of her house. No search warrant, no permission, just walking in and searching the house and splitting. She said the people are getting fed up and one of these days the pig is going to walk into something he wasn't prepared to deal with.

Keith received 4 months and Renard 5. Why? Because they were Black, because they dared to resist. The brothers have both had a long history of resisting, and it is a fact the S.M. pigs have had a long history of fucking over Black people. It is for this reason the B.L.F. feels that both Renard and Keith's lives are endangered- let it be known- that if these brothers are so much as verbally abused while they are incarcerated- they- the pigs- will face the wrath of the armed people.

Write or visit Keith and Renard in the county jail. Get the facts- then escalate the level of struggle.

Dare to win

B.L.F.

ntenced... Life

into the car, and couldn't remember where he was, when cross examined.

He identified Chris as one of them when the pigs showed him pictures in jail. The pigs were trying to pin Evilizer's credit card on the witness, so he said Chris had the card. He didn't say he gave Chris the card the night Evilizer was killed.

The guy who identified Chris got out on parole soon after.

The card and one identification was all the pigs needed. There wasn't one bit of real evidence against Chris. But the jury found him guilty of first degree murder.

Chris' defense freaked the jury by ready a real drag of a story about a guy going to the gas chamber (complete with last breath) and the jury came in with a "life" sentence instead of death.

We heard about Chris too late to help much. We're working on an appeal and with Chris' strength and the people's it could be good.

There are thousands of Chris Browns, and there'll be thousands more.

If you have somebody in prison, or somebody going there and need advice ore rides to prisons, call the Black Liberation Front at 323-5848, 800 Stevens Ave., EPA or Legal Defense, at 328-4941, 1969 University Ave., EPA (in Whiskey Gulch.).

GI NEWS



Killeen, Texas

In every army base town in the U.S. AND in Vietnam there is a Tyrells jewelry store, busy ripping off GIs at outrageous prices. GIs from Ft. Hood and the Oleo Strut Coffeehouse have been boycotting and picketing the Tyrells in Killeen and on a recent payday weekend, held them to one sale.

That was too much for the pigs who knew that a similar boycott had closed several businesses in Wrightstown, N.J. (Ft. Dix). Ten pickets (8 of them GIs) were busted on bullshit charges of conducting a secondary boycott.

Nonetheless, the boycott is gaining strength in its drive to implement its demands:

1) That Tyrells take the "Vietnam Honor Roll" out of its window. The "honor roll" is a list of GIs killed in Vietnam who OWE TYRELLS MONEY.

2) An end to super high-pressure ripoff sales tactics.

3) An end to military complicity. If a GI owes money to Tyrells the Army will take it out of his check and give it to Tyrells.

So as things stand now, a pay raise for servicemen is just a pay raise for pigs like Tyrells.

POWER TO GIs WHO FIGHT CAPITALISM!
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

Travis AFB

"They say they want to know the greivances, but they don't. Here the officers never go down to the enlisted men's barracks to talk to the men. In Vietnam they do-but that's because they know their lives depend on it".-black officer at Travis after the riot.

ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA

El USS Ranger, un barca que carga aviones de ataque usado para asesinar a los del Norte Vietnam, recientemente la vuelta a la 'area de la bahia despues de diez meses en Indochina.

Por el camino paro en Hawaii para levantar una carga de agentes de drogas y perros policias cuales fueron usados para molestar a la gente día y noche hasta que llego el barco a Alameda. Posiblemente los agentes puercos aprenderan la misma lección que aprendio los atacadores de Pronske: un puerco no tiene amigos hasta su propio perro se le voltará contra el.

¡PODER A LOS PERROS QUE COMEN PUERCOS!
¡TODO PODER A LA GENTE!

Alameda, Calif.

The USS Ranger, an attack aircraft carrier used to murder North Vietnamese, has recently returned to the Bay Area after ten months in Indochinese waters. En route she stopped off in Hawaii to pick up a load of narcs and police dogs which were used to harass the crew day and night until the ship arrived in Alameda. Maybe those narco pigs will learn the same lesson that Pronske's Raiders have: a pig has no friends and even his dog will turn on him.

POWER TO DOGS THAT EAT PIGS!
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

NO LIFE FOR LIFERS (GI NEWS)

U.S. Army First Lieutenant John Vequist, a West Point graduate who was scheduled to go to Vietnam in November, has gone AWOL and asked for asylum in Sweden as a protest against the Vietnam war. Vequist is the first officer among an estimated 500 GI war resisters in Sweden.

Washington, D.C.

The Pentagon has just released desertion figures for the Army and Marines which reveal what everybody already knew: everybody's doin' it. In 1967, the Army desertion rate was 21.4 per thousand but in 1970 it was 52.3 per thousand. For the Marines it was 1967:26.8 per 1000 and 1970: 59.6 per thousand. In other words, one out of every nineteen soldiers and one out of every sixteen marines has split. For good.

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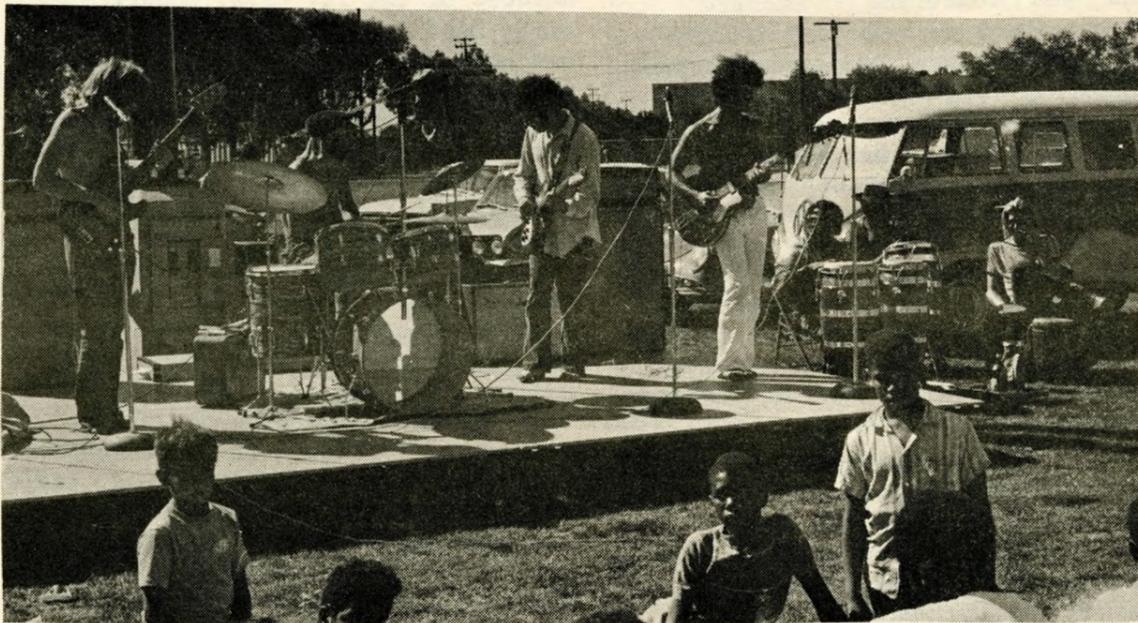
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FOR THE PEOPLE

July 4 - Felt Lake

This is a very serious matter. Some individual or group calling itself "Thunderhud" has been circulating leaflets in downtown Palo Alto which is attacking the basis of our society - Private Property. According to the leaflet, there is going to be a "People's Gig" at Felt Lake on Sunday, July Fourth at 12:00 noon. To quote from the leaflet:

"Felt Lake is owned by Stanford University and leased to Piers Dairy. Manuel Piers doesn't dig people coming in and swimming in his lake; [he] thinks that the people who've been liberating sections of his fence lately 'ought to be clubbed' (Stanford Daily, June 25). He talks mean,

but so far nothing he or his men have done has kept the people away.

"So let's have a good time, but let's also be prepared to defend ourselves. Bring some shoes because there are briar things on the ground which slow down a fast exit if you have bare feet."

In the face of Thunderhud's activities, this reporter can only urge Manuel Piers, his men, and the County

Sheriffs to STAY AWAY!! Who knows how many sun-crazed students, street people and workers will respond to the leaflet's call to "Bring food, drink, music, & lots of people"?

Bush



Power to the people, RIGHT ON!!

SPEED

U.S. propagandists are always talking about how the North Vietnamese and the Viet Cong are out of their minds on drugs when they go into battle. How else could they fight so hard?

Of course the reason they fight so hard is that they are in their homeland struggling (and winning!) for something they believe in.

Actually, it is American troops, like the guy who won his Silver Star blown out on dope, who need drugs to go into combat. Not because they're cowards but because they know there's no reason for them to even be in Vietnam, let alone die there.

Thousands of GIs now returning to various drug treatment centers around the country tell the same story. Their officers gave them speed (amphetamines) to get them high enough to go into the field. Many men thus developed a dependency on speed and then became addicted. Turning to heroin to "soften" the harsh effects of speed, they got strung out on it instead.

What good are drug tests for GIs leaving Vietnam when, upon arrival, a soldier is fed drugs by his own officers? The only way to prevent drug addiction among U.S. forces in Vietnam is to BRING THEM ALL HOME NOW! GOD DAMN THE REAL PUSHERMAN!

FBI Breaks into Home

My name is Gerry and I live with my old man and my daughter in Escondido Village at Stanford. We were sitting at home Monday night, just drinking some beer and having a good time. Ed, my husband, took the garbage out around ten o'clock, and came back in saying that there were some strange dudes coming for the house. They were wearing suits and had that "cop" look about them. Two of them, a Joe Friday type and his sidekick, came up to the front door and asked if there was a Lonnie Gordon at our house. We did have a friend by that name visiting us, along with my sister and some other friends. But damned if we were going to say anything to total strangers! So Ed asked for some identification.

While we were finding out that they were from the secret police (FBI), we heard a noise behind us. We turned around, and there was another one who had the nerve to come in the back door without knocking. We were surrounded.

When we started arguing, these pigs (sorry, that's the only word I can think of to describe them) told us that they didn't have to have a warrant. They also threatened to bust us for assaulting a federal officer.

Finally they said that Lonnie was a federal fugitive, and they believed he was in our house, and if we didn't allow them to search the house, they would anyway. (They were threatening to tear it apart.)

Anyway, they found Lonnie in the bedroom, handcuffed him away. They say he's a deserter from the army. Maybe he is. But when I think of what the army is doing to the people in Viet Nam, and when I see what the officers are doing to the GI's, and when I think of how they are turning our men into junkies, I can really understand why someone would desert. The generals are the criminals.

The other thing is that I suddenly realized that America is headed in the same direction as Nazi Germany. A knock on the door in the middle of the night, some men come in without a warrant, and someone you know or love is dragged away. We can't even find out where they're holding Lonnie now, although we have a lawyer working on it.

It really makes me mad. When are we going to get together to save our men and the people of Southeast Asia from this war? And when are we going to do something about the police and the FBI taking our rights away from us?

Women Stand out in Printers Strike



Paige and June

Workers, mostly women, of the Printing Specialties and Paper Products Union(AFL-CIO) have been engaged in a militant strike for over three months now to have their union recognized by Smith and Company Direct Advertising in Burlingame.

The union is willing to negotiate, but this employer refuses to sit down with the union members and its representatives and attempt to resolve some problems.

The company is paying wages(\$2.15 an hour)below those contained in Union Contracts in the Bay Area. The company also cut down on the medical plan and overtime before the workers voted for a union. The owner stated he would go along with what the employees voted for, but he didn't. A few other conniving tactics Smith & Co. have used to break the union have been:

- hired scabs to continue production (even though the strike is hurting production).

- called on their local allies, the Burlingame police and courts, to intimidate and restrain the pickets (workers must remain ten feet apart and cannot carry picket signs.)

- hired this known pig strikebreaker Morris Cline to manage the plant during the strike(the amount of money paid Morris could have paid a few months salaries of the employees).

The union is waiting for Washington D.C.(Labor Dept.) to get off their ass and send orders to the company telling them to negotiate.

Some of the demands are: a flat 10 per cent pay raise, health and welfare plan of the union, regular paid holidays, and a vacation plan. The plant has a lot of broken windows. Some scab cars have had some body work done.

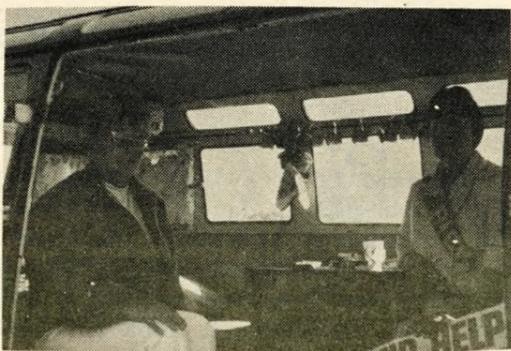
The strike has weakened some of the pickets and a few have scabbed back to work. But of the strikers who remain, one woman said, "We're staying out until hell freezes over if we have to." The signs the strikers carry say "SEND HELP" ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!



Striking employees have had no reservations about letting the boss know how they feel.



Inside this bus, which sits in front of the plant, strikers gather to rest, talk, and eat.



The police guard these scab cars.



He Belongs to No Union
the Ass!

Trabajadores, mayor parte mujeres de la unión de especialistas de imprenta y productos de papel (AFL-CIO) se han envueltos en una huelga militante por mas de tres meses ahora para tener su unión reconocida por la compañía de Smith y Compañia de promoción directa en Burlingame.

La unión esta dispuesta a negociar, pero este empleador reusa sentarse con los miembros de unión y representantes y tratar de resolver problemas.

La compañía paga sueldo de \$2.15/hora, abajo de los sueldos de contratos de unión en la area de la bahia. La compañía también ha cortado el plan medical y "overtime" (tiempo trabajado despues de horas) antes de que los trabajadores votaron por unión. El dueño dijo que iba a hacer lo que los empleados votaron, pero no lo hizo.

Otros modos que ha usado la compañía para romper la unión ha sido de:

- Emplear no miembros de unión para continuar producción (aunque la huelga esta dañando la producción);

- Ha empleado al conocido puerco que rompe huelgas, Morris Cline, a manejar la planta durante la huelga (el dinero pagado a Morris podia ver pagado varios meses en salarios a los empleados);

- Ha pedido ayuda local, la policia de Burlingame y cortes, para intimidar y detener los huelgistas (trabajadores tienen que estar diez p pies de retirados y no pueden llevar señales de huelga.

La unión está esperando a Washington, D.C. (Departamento de Labor). Que se pongan a tomar acción, y que mande orden a la compañía para que negocien.

Unas de las demandas son de 10% de aumento de sueldo, planes de salud y welfare de unión, días de fiesta pagados, y plan de vacación. La planta tiene muchas ventanas quebradas. Algunos de los trabajadores sin unión han tenido que arreglar golpes en sus carros.

La huelga ha endevelitado a unos huelgistas y algunos han vuelto a trabajar. Pero de los huelgistas que quedan, una mujer dijo, "Nos quedaremos hasta que se conjele el infierno si tenemos que." Los anuncios que llevan los huelgistas dicen:

"MANDEN AYUDA".
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Combate el Departamento de Bienestar Social y GANE

John Mooney de Redwood City habia sido pagando impuestos por diez años y por esto cuando el perdió su trabajo no pensaba que iba a tener una problema en consiguiendo ayuda (General Assistance) hasta que podía conseguir un trabajo. Pero el fue equivocado. Aunque John estaba atendiendo una escuela de industria (OICW) y estudiando mucho mecánicas de coches para conseguir un mejor empleo y aunque el no tuvo ningún ingreso, el departamento de servicios sociales decidieron que el no podía recibir ningún ayuda porque el podía trabajar. Esta decisión ponía John en una situación terrible, para conseguir el dinero que necesitaba para vivir tendría que aceptar cualquier empleo servil a \$1.65 por hora que el condado podía hallar. Pero por esto tendría que quitar la escuela y perder su oportunidad de aprender un ocupación util hacer mas dinero. Es lógico que si el Departamento de Servicios Sociales de veras deseaba que la gente estaba trabajando, ayudaría la gente a obtener preparación en vez de amene andole.

John obtuyo un abogado de Legal Aid y comenzo a obtener sus derechos. Perdió en Appellate Court. Pero el Supreme Court de California decidió que el San Mateo County Welfare Department tuvo que pagar John y que alguien que esta buscando un trabajo esta recibiendo preparación por un trabajo puede recibir general assistance si sus ingresos no estan adecuados. Si usted piensa que hay una posibilidad que usted es eligible vaya al departamento mas cercano a usted. El solo problema es que probablemente trataran de darle un trabajo servil con el condado. Pero si ellos dicen que usted no esta eligible, vaya a ver un abogado. Combate lo, John Mooney gano.

Oficinas para Ayuda Legal
en el condado de San Mateo:

Redwood City 365-8411

Menlo Park 324-1386

San Mateo 369-1441 X2222
225 West 37th

369-1441 X2222

274 West 20th

E. Palo Alto 369-1441

1645 Bay Road

South S.F. 873-1800

1024 Mission

Fight the Welfare Dept and WIN

John Mooney of Redwood City has been a taxpayer for ten years and so, when he found himself without work, he didn't think that he would have any trouble getting welfare (General Assistance) until he could get back to work. But he was wrong. Even though John was going to a trade school (OICW) where he was working hard to learn auto mechanics so he could get a good job, and despite the fact that he had no income, the welfare department said he was not entitled to any aid because he was employable. This really put John in a bind; in order to get the welfare he needed for survival he had to be willing to accept any menial \$1.65 an hour job the county came up with. But this would mean quitting school and his chance to learn a useful trade and make a decent wage. You would think that if the welfare department really wanted to see people working, they would help them get training, not threaten and bully them.

John got a lawyer from Legal Aid and began to fight for his rights. He lost in local court. He lost in Appellate Court. But the California Supreme Court ruled that the San Mateo County Welfare Department had to pay John and that anyone who is actively looking for work or training for a job is entitled to General Assistance if their outside income is inadequate. So if you think there's even a possibility that you might be eligible, make it down to the nearest welfare department. The only catch is that they may try to stick you with some slave labor type county job. But if you are refused, check it out with a lawyer. Fight! John Mooney won.

For Legal Aid in San Mateo County call: 365-8411 in Redwood City, 873-7484 in South San Francisco, 324-1386 in Menlo Park.

San Mateo County Welfare Offices are located in San Mateo at 225 West 37th or 274 West 20th (573-2222), in East Palo Alto at 1645 Bay Road (369-1441), in South San Francisco at 1024 Mission Rd. (873-1800).

LLAMADAS GRATIS AL DEPARTAMENTO DE BIENESTAR SOCIAL

Si ud vive en Redwood City se cuesta 15¢ por tres minutos cuando llame al Departamento de Bienestar Social del Condado de San Mateo, y 5¢ mas por cada minuto adicional. Se puede llamarles gratis (El Departamento de Bienestar no acepta llamadas del cobre) y su trabajadora nunca se explica como hacerlo. Llame 369-1441 y conteste para en Departamento de Bienestar Social del Condado de San Mateo en San Mateo.

¡No se permitan que el Departamento se robe!



FREE CALLS TO WELFARE DEPT.

If you live in Redwood City it costs you 15¢ for 3 minutes when you call San Mateo County Welfare Dept, and 5¢ more for each additional minute. There's a way to call free (the Welfare Department doesn't accept collect calls) that your social worker never tells you. Dial 369-1441 and ask for S.M. County Welfare Dept. in San Mateo.

Don't let the Welfare Department rip you off!



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Vietnam Vets!

The May actions by vets in D.C. have shown what power we have when we act together. If you are interested in helping to form a veterans' group to work against the war, call Lee at 369-9830 or 328-4941.

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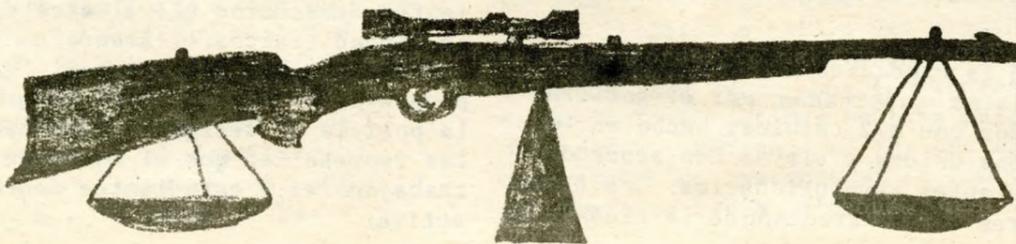
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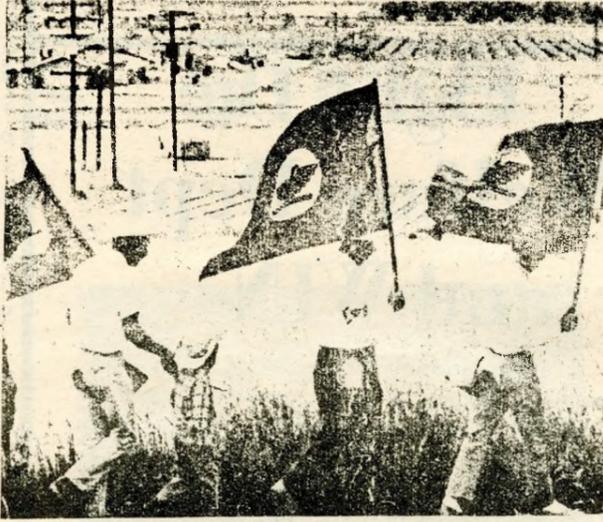
El "viejito hechador de vino" de Italian Swiss Colony es una esquirol

Por los cuatro años pasados Los Campesinos Unidos han estado luchando contra los hechadores grandes de vino, buscando reconocimiento para los campesinos, y contratos que garantizan mejores salarios (\$2.10 hora) y condiciones de trabajo mas sano

Uno a uno la compañías han acordado. Todos excepto Italian Swiss. Italian Swiss consistente se ha rehusado de hablar con Los Campesinos Unidos, y el ano pasado, despidieron 22 trabajadores porque estaban tentando de organizar.

En 1969, Heublein, la corporación de comida y bebida que esta creciendo mas rapido de todas en este país fue comprado por Italian Swiss (el año pasado, en un volumen de \$600 millón Heublein se embolsó un gordo \$17 millón de ganancias) Heublein tiene una historia larga de supresión de uniones independientes y fuertes. Localmente en su fábrica en Menlo Park, han tentado activamente a sostener un unión compañía y estan "red-baiting" (cuando llamen personas comunistas) viciosamente a los Longshoremen cuando ellos estaban atentando a organizar los empleos de la fábrica

Los Campesinos Unidos estan demandando un centro de salud para los trabajadores (este año 49 campesinos



sufrieron efectos medicales seriosos de un experimento químico que fue conducido por la corporación F.M.C. de San José en que los campesinos fueron las victimas inocentes) y también un salón para dar empleos, para asegurar protección de empleo y seguridad. Hasta ahora Heublein se ha rehusado de juntar con Los Campesinos Unidos. Entonces Los Campesinos Unidos, como han hecho con buen éxito muchas veces, han empezado un boicoteo económico de TODOS PRODUCTOS DE HEUBLEIN (incluyendo Smirnoff Vodka y la cerveza Hamms)

Por mas información llamen a U.F.W.O.C. (la Comité de Organizar de los Campesinos Unidos) a 321-5933 dirección: 667 Lytton en Palo Alto

"We support you"

The Venceremos Organization extends its revolutionary love and solidarity to the United Farm Workers in their struggle against the big wine growers.

Throughout this century, Brown people on the West Coast have been forced to do agricultural work under the most oppressive of conditions simply in order to survive.

While the medical industry (Stanford University Hospital being a good example) primarily serves the rich, farm workers are denied basic medical care. The FMC Corp, of San Jose, which produces beehive bombs to murder Vietnamese, makes pesticides which kill our brothers and sisters and children working in the fields.

Attempts to unionize farm workers have been met with the most bloody reactionary violence, scabs and shotgun-toting vigilantes.

Farm workers have been denied the basic right of all workers-- the right to have a union. Now

Heublein, the owner of Italian Swiss Colony Wine, stands piggishly in the way of unionization. Heublein is typical of companies in the age of monopoly capitalism, (Imperialism). Heublein swallows up company after company, including Kentucky Fried Chicken, and gets fat off the labor of oppressed people.

On Wednesday morning, June 30, Venceremos, together with the United Farm Workers Organizing Committee will be having an informational picket at Heublein's Menlo Park plant to express support for the linked struggle of the farm workers and the plant workers in Menlo Park who are fighting to vote out their "company union."

By linking up against a common enemy, the people will win.

Off Heublein. Power to the People.

Central Committee
Venceremos

MEXICO

In Mexico City, where government supported right-wing fascists attacked 10,000 revolutionary students with U.S. made M-2 carbines and clubs, the city's construction workers came to the aid of the students. They realized that the students were their real friends and the fascist thugs their enemies. The construction workers, working on downtown buildings, tossed down bricks and pieces of wood for the students to use in defending themselves. After the attack, the city's workers and students demanded that the mayor of the city resign,

holding him responsible for the attacks. In a few days the mayor and the chief of police resigned fearing the reprisals that could be brought against them by the power of the workers and the students.

TRABAJADORES

AYUDA ESTUDIANTES

En la ciudad de Mexico, donde pascistas suportados por el gobierno armados con M-2 carbinas hecho en los Estados Unidos y clavos han atacados estudiantes revolucionarios, los trabajadores en construcción de la ciudad

The "little old wine maker" from Italian Swiss Colony is a scab and a holdout.

For the last four years, the United Farm Workers have been fighting the big wine makers, seeking union recognition for field workers and contracts guaranteeing better wages (\$2.70/hr.) and safer working conditions.

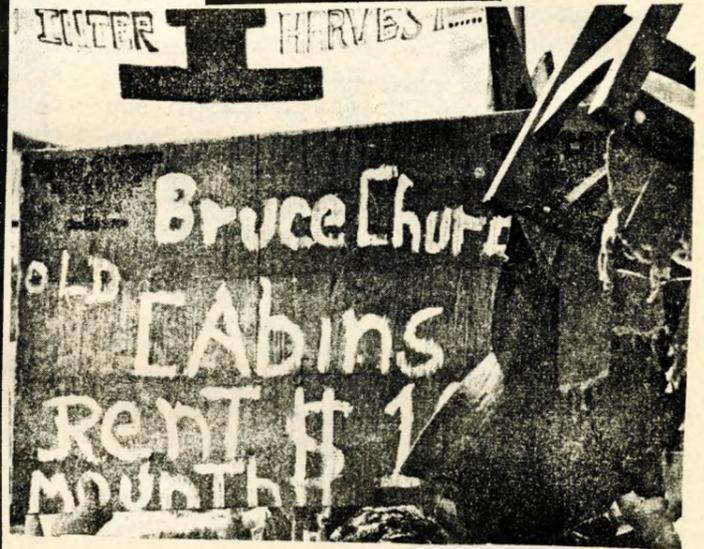
One by one the companies have fallen into line. All except Italian Swiss. Italian Swiss has consistently refused to even talk with the U.F.W., and last year, fired 22 workers for trying to organize.

In 1969, Italian Swiss was bought by Heublein, the fastest growing food and drink corporation in the country. (Last year, on a volume of \$600 million, Heublein pocketed a fat \$17 million in profits.) Heublein has a long record of supressing strong and independent unions. Locally, in their Menlo Park plant, they have actively attempted to prop up a company union and have launched a vicious red baiting drive against the Longshoreman in their attempts to organize the plant.

The United Farm Workers are demanding a health clinic for the workers (this year, 49 farm workers suffered serious medical effects from a chemical experiment, conducted by FMC Corp. of San Jose, in which they were used as guinea pigs) and a hiring hall, to insure some job protection and seniority. So far, Heublein has refused to meet with the U.F.W. Because of this the U.F.W., as they have successfully done time after time, has begun an economic boycott of ALL HEUBLEIN PRODUCTS (this includes Smirnoff Vodka and Hamms Beer).

Boycott Heublein. The bigger they are, the harder they fall.

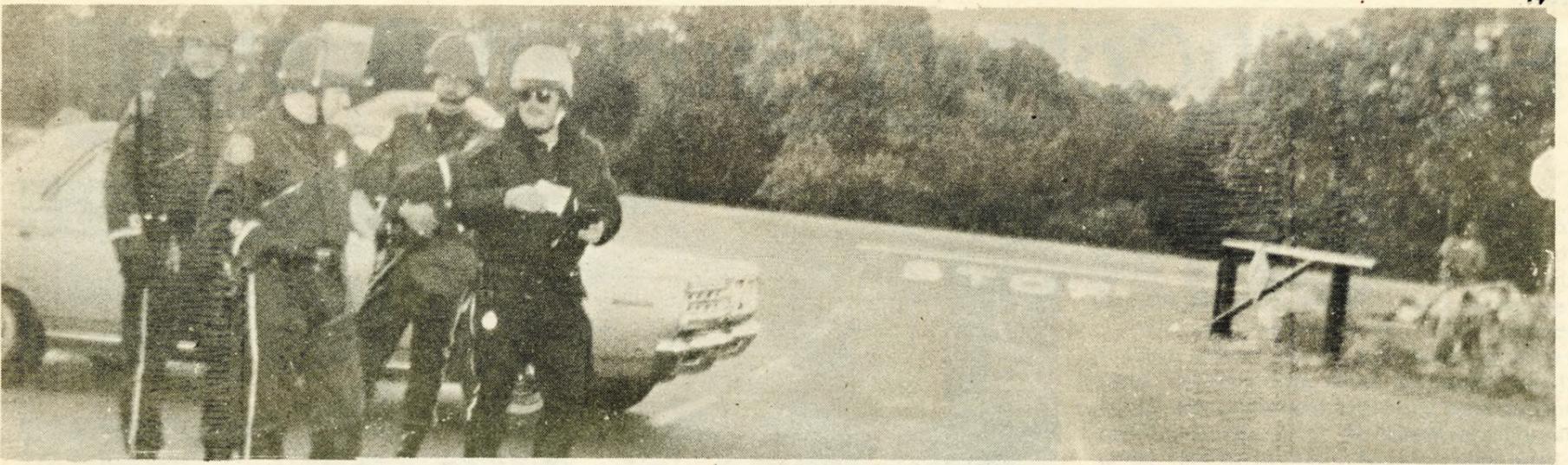
For further information contact UFWOC at 667 Lytton in Palo Alto or call 321-5933.



Harvesters live in unfit shelter

vinieron a ayudar los estudiantes. Se dieron cuenta de que los estudiantes estuvieron sus verdaderos amigos y los fascistas, estuvieron sus enemigos. Los trabajadores de construcción trabajando en edificios, echaron al suelo ladrillos y pedazos de madera para que los estudiantes pudieran defenderse.

Despues de la ataque, los trabajadores de la ciudad y los estudiantes demandaron que el alcalde de la ciudad resigna, llamandole responsable por las ataques. Hace poco dias el alcalde y el jefe de la policia se resignaron termiendo las represalias que el poder de los trabajadores y estudiantes podian activar



Do these guys look like innocent bystanders to you.

Hellyer Park

Por caso de matanzas recientes en el parque Hellyer en San Jose dos organizaciones Chicanas, los Black Berets y la Familia, decidieron tener una demostración. Se iba a llevar acabo en el parque Hellyer el domingo junio 13. El propósito de la demostración era de habtar a la Raza de no pelearse unos a otros y de presentar una petición a la gente de cambiar el nombre del parque Hellyer a parque Cesar Chaves.

Tratamos tener un sistema de microfonos pero no llego. Asi nos

ruimos al parque Welch donde se estaba llevando acabo una "Be-in." El bato encargado del "Be-in" dejo a los Black Berets y la Familia hablar. Hablamos de unidad y no violencia. Algunas batallas comensaron enfre algunos pero ellos mismos realizaron que era inutil pelearse y pararon.

Cerca del fin de la "Be-in" los Sherifes arrestaron algunos batos por ver estado intoxicados con "reds" algunos Berets fueron a ver el arresto y a ver si todo estaba bien. Viendo a los Berets y la gente alrededor, algunos policias de ciudad llamaron reenticipaban batallas. Peros los

Cherifos y las gente tenia todo bajo control. Asi los Cherifes se enojaron porque estaba estorbando los de la ciudad y les dijeron que se fueran de allí. Esto hizo a los policias de la ciudad enojarse. Al-saron sus pistolas, se metieron a los carros y se fueron rechinando las llantas. La gente grito "Viva los Cherifos."

Algunos policias de ciudad se quedaron para revisar plaquas de carros y para molestar a la gente.

Black Berets por la Justicia
San Jose

Because of the recent killings at Hellyer's Park in San Jose, two Chicano organizations, The Black Berets and La Familia, decided to hold a rally. It was to be held at Hellyer's park on Sunday June 13. The purpose of the rally was to speak to La Raza about not fighting each other and to present a petition to the people about changing the name of Hellyer Park to Ceasar Chavez Park.

We had arranged to have a P.A. system but it didn't get there. So we moved to Welch Park where there was a Be-In going on. The guy in charge of the Be-In let the Black

Berets and La Familia speak. We spoke about unity and non-violence. A couple of hassles started between a few people but the same people decided that it was foolish for the people to fight among each other and they stopped.

Towards the end of the Be-In the sheriffs arrested a few guys who were loaded on reds. Some Berets went over to observe the arrest and see if everything was alright. Seeing the Berets and people gathered around, some city police came over to the scene with their guns drawn. The city cops called for reinforcements and within seconds two or three more city police cars were there. They were all hopped up and anticipating trouble. But the sheriffs and the people had everything under control. So the sheriffs got mad that the city was interfering and told them "to get the hell out of here." This really got the city police mad. They put their guns away, jumped back into their cars, and left squealing their tires. The people shouted "Viva La sheriffs".

A few city police remained behind to check license plates and to generally harass the people.



El desfile anual para el Día Puerto Riqueño, usualmente es dirigido por la Sociedad Hispana del Departamento de Policía de Nueva York. Sin embargo este año el Partido de Los Young Lords preguntó a la comite del desfile si los pobres puedan dirigir el desfile. Los Young Lords creen que los pobres y no la policía, mostrará la realidad de la vida en el barrio donde viven la mayor parte de los Puerto Riqueños. Los Young Lords tambien creen que el desfile debe servir los intereses de los nobres en enseñando a la gente de las

condiciones en los barrios. La comite del desfile rehusó a escuchar a los argumento de los Young Lords y preperaron para el desfile no dando consideración a los intereses de la gente.

En el día del desfile muchos de los pobres dirigidos por los Young Lords, llegaron al sitio del desfile. Un poco despues que llegaron, fueron atacados, sin aviso, por las chotas de Nueva York vestidos en ropa para desordenas. Parece como las chotas con aprobación aparente de la comite del desfile, habian planado este

ataque brutal en la gente en avance. Todas las chotas que se fueron embrollados fueron blancos, porque el departamento de la policía sabe que las policias Negras y Puerto Riqueñas no van a atacar su gente.

The annual Puerto Rican Day parade is usually led by the Hispanic Society of the New York Police Department. This year, however, the Young Lords Party asked the parade committee if poor people could lead the parade. The Young Lords felt that poor people rather than the police, would reflect the reality of life in the barrio, where most Puerto Ricans live. The Young Lords also felt that the parade should serve the interests of poor people in educating the people about conditions in the barrios and ghettos. The parade committee refused to listen to the arguments of the Young Lords and prepared for the parade as usual, giving no thought to the interests of the people.

On the day of the parade large numbers of poor people, led by the Young Lords, showed up at the parade site. Soon after they arrived they were attacked, without warning, by New York City pigs dressed in full riot gear. It seems as though the pigs, with the apparent approval of the parade committee, had planned this brutal attack on the people in advance.

Foothill College Student Busted

Late last January, Franklin W. Cole, an astronomy instructor at Foothill Community College, alleged that two married students in an honors astronomy class had cheated on a voluntary quiz. He demanded that they withdraw from his class, under the threat that if they contradicted him before the academic council, he would have them expelled from school. The class was dropped and the matter was seemingly forgotten.

April 29, Cole was involved in a collision at the corner of Springer and El Monte Roads in Mountain View. Three students, Becky and Terry Pittman and a friend, were riding in a car behind the car involved in the accident with Cole. Since the cars were stopped, blocking the road, the students pulled off to the side and Terry got out to see why Cole was acting in a threatening manner toward the occupants of the car involved in the accident. As his former student approached, the instructor seemed overcome by confusion and drew his fist back to hit him. Terry pushed him back to defend himself and the other occupant of the student's car allegedly attacked the instructor and kicked his car door shut on his leg. Franklin Cole left the scene of the accident hastily, Terry and suspect number two got back in the Pittman's car and went to a friend's house.

Two hours later the pigs broke in at the Pittman's home with no warrant: none was ever shown. They bruised up Terry and took him to North County Jail and slapped him around some more before formally charging him with conspiracy, battery, and resisting arrest. Three days later Terry received a letter from H.H. Semans, President of Foothill Community College, warning him that consent to remain on that campus was withdrawn under penal code sec. 626.4. His counselor verified that this was because Franklin W. Cole had complained that Terry "attacked" him because of his pressure on Terry and his wife to drop the honors class, and had threatened revenge if he ever caught the instructor off campus.

Terry was tried, found guilty, and given his sentence by the Foothill administration before he ever got a hearing. Cole was given no "cooling off period" as an administrator advised Terry his suspension was meant for. This is discrimination, suspension of justice, and a typical case of having to prove yourself innocent in order to not be believed guilty.

Becky Pittman



Becky and Terry

Al fin de enero, Franklin W. Cole, un instructor de astronomía en el Colegio comunal Foothill, alegó que dos estudiantes casados en una clase de honores de astronomía habían engañado en una prueba voluntaria. Demandó que salieran de su clase, bajo la amenaza de que si le contradijeran a él frente al cabildo académico, él les tendría expulsados. Se salieron de la clase y el asunto fue olvidado.

El 29 de abril, Cole estaba en una colisión en la esquina de las calles Springer y El Monte en Mountain View. Tres estudiantes, Becky y Terry Pittman y un amigo, estaban en el carro detras del carro que era parte del accidente con Cole. Porque los carros estaban parados, bloqueando la calle, los estudiantes manejaron el carro al lado del calle y Terry se salió para ver por qué Cole estaba portandose en un modo amenazante con los ocupantes del carro. Como se acercaba a Cole el estudiante, se superó el instructor por su confusión y estaba para golpearle a Terry con la puña. Terry le empujó a Cole para protegerse a si mismo y el otro ocupante del carro de los estudiantes alegadamente atacó al instructor y pateó la puerta del carro que se cerró en la pierna de Cole. Cole salió de la escena del accidente inmediatamente, Terry y el sospechoso

número dos regresaron a su carro y fueron a la casa de un amigo.

Dos horas después, las chotas forzaron su entrada a la casa de los Pittman sin autorización. Molestaron a Terry físicamente y entonces le llevaron a la cárcel para el norte del condado y le empujaron más antes de cargarle a él formalmente con conspiración, asalto, y resistir arresto. Tres días más tarde, Terry recibió una carta de H.H. Semans, el presidente del Colegio comunal Foothill, amenazandole que se revocó su permiso de quedarse en el campo del colegio bajo el código penal, sección 626.4. Su consultor verificó que la acción era a causa de que Franklin W. Cole había quejado que Terry le «ataco» a él a causa de la presión contra Terry y su esposa de salir de la clase de honores, y que había amenazado revancha si le encontrara con el instructor fuera del campo. Se le probó a Terry, se le encontró culpable, y le dio una sentencia por la administración de Foothill antes de que recibió una vista. Cole no recibió un «período para calmarse» como un administrador le avisó a Terry. Este es discriminación, la suspensión de justicia, y un caso típico de tener que probarse inocente para que no se crea culpable.

por Becky Pittman

MICHAEL SWEENEY PRUEVA

Michael Sweeney del Colegio Venceremos fue arrestado en abril porque quiso ayudar a los estudiantes del High School de South San Francisco contra opresión en su escuela.

Sweeney tuvo un juicio por jurado en mayo con dos cargos falsos de "intermediar con el conducto pacífico de la escuela". El juez quitó un cargo por falta de evidencia. El jurado de todos blancos de edad media no pudo llegar de acuerdo a una decisión en el otro cargo, repartiendo nueve (9) por culpables y tres (3)

por no culpables.

El acusador dijo que Sweeney era el lider de la demostración en la escuela, El Camino High School, en favor de dejar que las hermanas puedan llevar pantalones. Esto era prohibido por las reglas de vestido de la escuela. Como cincuenta (50) hermanas fueron a la escuela llevando que la demostración intermedio con la escuela porque unos estudiantes vieron por la ventana lo que estaba pasando.

Sweeney se defendió. Dijo que

soportaba la demostración de los estudiantes, pero que el no tenía nada que ver con organizarla o de dirigirla. Además dijo Sweeney, la demostración estaba pacífica y no intermedio con nada. Seis estudiantes de El Camino declararon por parte de Sweeney. Uno de los jurados quien votó no culpable supo durante el juicio que su propia nuera tomo parte en la demostración.

El acusador no se ha dado vencido, ha puesto otro juicio para Sweeney en el mismo cargo el 29 de junio.

COSTANO BURNS



A sister greets us.

MIKE SWEENEY TRIAL

Micheal Sweeney of Venceremos College in South San Francisco was arrested in April because he tried to help high school students in South San Francisco to work against the oppression in their school.

Sweeney had jury trial in May on two phony charges of "interfering with the peaceful conduct of school." The judge dismissed one charge for lack of evidence. The all-white, middle-aged jury could not reach a verdict on the other charge: splitting 9 for guilty and 3 for not guilty.

The prosecutor claimed that Sweeney was the leader of a demonstration at El Camino High School in favor of allowing girls to wear pants. This was prohibited by the school's dress code. To protest the regulation, about 50 girls walked into school wearing pants. The prosecutor claimed that the demonstration interfered with school because some students looked out their windows at what was going on.

Sweeney defended himself. He said that he supported the students' demonstration, but that he had nothing to do with organizing or leading it. Besides, said Sweeney the demonstration was peaceful and didn't interfere with anything. Six El Camino students testified on Sweeney's behalf.

One of the jurors who voted not-guilty found out during the trial that his own daughter-in-law took part in the demonstration.

The prosecutor hasn't given up. He has scheduled another trial for Sweeney on the same charge for June 29.

Costano Elementary School sits in between University, Purdue and Fordham streets in East Palo Alto. On first sight, you would not get the impression that two weeks ago the University Village Area (as it's commonly called) was the scene of very high tension between San Mateo County Sheriffs and brothers and sisters in the area.

Originally, pigs were called in because of a fire at the school. The fire destroyed the inside and sunk the roof in. The pigs ran amuck for the rest of the night. Under the impression that they could catch the Guerrillas responsible for the fire, they literally hassled and tried their damndest to intimidate everyone they came in contact with.

When B.L.F. got to the scene, they (the pigs) had already cornered a brother--but much to their surprise within the span of 5 minutes they

were the ones who were cornered. Young brothers and sisters from Ravenswood (members of the "Wild Bunch" and B.L.F. people were there watching the brothers back. The pigs split.

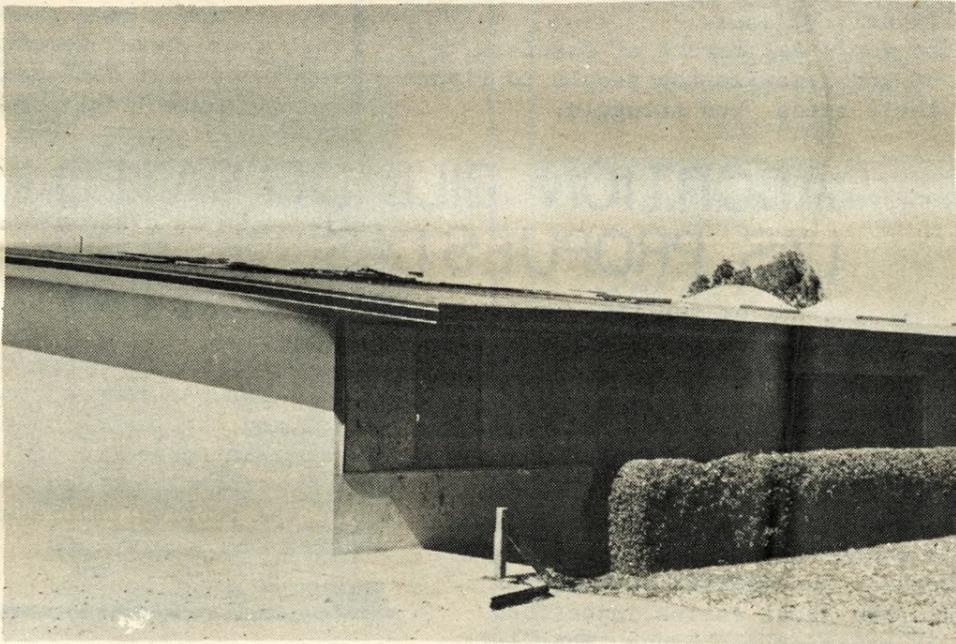
They regrouped again in Littleman's (Hewlett-Packard) Shopping Center Parking Lot. There were ten pig cars then, and after this show of "strength" they broke up, leaving about 5 pigs in the immediate area to continue hasseling people.

The B.L.F. and the "Wild Bunch" showed the pigs that the people won't allow them to rip unarmed Brothers and sisters from the community anymore.

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OF BLACK PEOPLE

B.L.F.

1800 Stevens Ave.
323-6848



Part of the roof of the school caved in during the fire

Statement to Venceremos

On May 19, 1971, I was subpoenaed to testify on behalf of Harold Booton, a Foothill instructor who recently has been fired. Various charges had been brought against Mr. Booton, all of them trivial and trumped-up, in lieu of any serious material evidence against his actual teaching. From my impression of his teaching, based on conversations with students, I felt that the primary reason he was being fired was that he had committed the unforgivable crime: he had treated his students as equals.

I presented evidence which possibly indicated that the "charges" could have been made against any other teacher (such as not ordering prescribed textbooks and not following course outlines to the letter). Since I testified, however, my employer, the department chairman, has used various tactics designed, I believe, to encourage me to resign, such as harshness and insulting insinuations. I filed a grievance with my union, and at the outset, they were concerned and willing to offer support. A week later I



Pamela Muraca, a secretary at Foothill who is being harrassed for supporting Harold Booton.

was notified by a union representative" that they had been told by an unnamed administrator that I was a political troublemaker and was involved in the "Cusack House incident", a blatant lie which I am legally prepared to disprove, and were therefore withdrawing their support.

My record as an employee at Foothill is quite good, and I am deeply concerned about the purge which seems to be going on at this school. I feel the administration is taking advantage of the fact that both students and faculty are not always aware of their rights granted them by the State Education Code, civil rights legislation, and the U.S. Constitution. Intimidation and scare tactics are frequently used, and unfortunately, are usually successful.

I am offering the above opinion as a concerned taxpayer and not as a Foothill employee.

Pamela Muraca
Division Secretary
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Foothill

CHILDCARE

The lameduck Palo Alto City Council went out in style Monday night by denying a use permit to a group of women trying to set up a child care co-operative.

The child care co-op had been in the planning stages for several months. The Presbyterian Church gave the group the use of three beautifully equipped rooms on the church premises, but reactionary neighbors, uptight about Damien House, a drug center also located at the church, launched a campaign to kill the child care center.

Several weeks ago, the Planning Commission had unanimously approved the use permit. Planning Director Geoffrey Holland gave an eloquent defense of child care centers and attacked the fascist city government. The next week, Holland got fired.

Monday, the use permit came to the council for final approval. The fascists loaded the chambers. Most of them hadn't had children in the last 50 years. They talked endlessly about how property values would go down. Councilman Behrs seconded this bullshit by calling this rich and classy neighborhood one that

is "struggling to survive."

We have to start fighting to get the State to meet the needs of all working mothers. In Santa Clara County, 5000 children need child care. The co-op would only have met the need of 25 people. In addition, it was planned to be economically self-reliant.

You don't ask favors of fascists, you go out and organize the people to fight for their needs. You struggle.

ABORTION BILL DEFEATED LAS PROPUESTAS DE ABORTO SON DERROTADOS

The hearing on the five anti-abortion bills was held in Sacramento on June 14th. Because there were two hearings scheduled for that night, time to be spent on both was limited. Mr. Burke spent two hours supporting his bills, using various professional people with credentials which supposedly qualified them as "experts" on abortion. One man was an engineer and spoke about saline injections as an abortion technique. That left actually no time to hear those opposed to the anti-abortion bills. However good ol' American justice granted a rushed, pushed thirty minutes to explain why people opposed the bills. One woman took the mike and demanded to hear women speak. Although women's speeches were cut short by the chairman, the people enthusiastically cheered.

The committee voted and the following bills were defeated:

- 1) Cutoff time for legal abortions be ten weeks.
- 2) Women must be receiving psychiatric care before conception in order for "mental health" to be valid.
- 3) Saline injection to be eliminated as an abortion technique.
- 4) Applicant must be interviewed by hospital to make sure she isn't being forced into an abortion. The only bill which passed was: the physician who first interviews a woman and will be the one performing the abortion cannot be on the committee which decides if she "qualifies".

We are glad these bills were defeated. But facts still remain: abortions are not free and therefore not available to all women who want or need them. A good contraceptive with no dangerous side effects has not yet been found (although several are being researched) so that women

PATU

The Palo Alto Tenants Union held a workshop on Saturday, June 19, to discuss the future of the organization which is now a little over a year old. A good number of community people were there, and almost everybody participated in the discussion.

A number of changes came out of the meeting. The most important one was that now, in addition to the four neighborhood councils, there will be "interest groups" - special collectives which meet regularly and are oriented towards a particularly project or struggle. PATU members involved in interest groups will consider them (rather than the neighborhood councils) their main area of work within the Tenants Union, and each group will have a representative on the coordinating council. Some of the interest groups proposed were: tenant's legal aid, food co-op, child care, a PATU newsletter, and a non-profit housing corporation. The newsletter, it was suggested, would be a good way of coordinating these groups as well as getting out information about the Tenants Union. Watch for the PATU newsletter in your neighborhood!

A good deal of discussion in the workshop centered around the name "Tenants' Union". Lots of people felt it was a good name. Others felt that there were homeowners and even landlords that PATU could relate to, but who were frightened off by the

name. People responded to that by pointing out that the fundamental class nature of Palo Alto breaks down along tenant-homeowner lines, and that it was good that certain people, especially those of the ruling class, were frightened off by the name. The decision was tentatively to keep the name and also the policy that if homeowners wanted to come to our meetings they could.

Mine Strike



Seven thousand mine workers closed down 28 mines last week in the eastern Ohio and northern West Virginia coal region as they defied four court injunctions against their strike which began May 5 in protest over the firing of a comrade. Some 250 miners stormed into the Bellaire, Ohio local union hall to confront United Mine Workers district president Thomas Williams who they accused of selling out to the Y & O Coal Company. The miners tore citations and photographs off the walls of the local union office, including a glossy of UMW President W.A. "Tony" Boyle which they set on fire. The strike began when the coal company fired a miner at its Allison, Ohio mine for what it termed medical reasons. The union official became the target of the protest after he failed to keep his promise to see that the miner was rehired. (reprinted from the Guardian)

can effectively prevent unwanted pregnancy. Third World women still risk sterilization under the pretext of abortion. As long as women's bodies and the health of the people are legislated and controlled by this government and doctors do not serve the people, things will not change.

La sesión sobre los cinco leyes propuestos contra el aborto tuvo lugar en Sacramento el catorce de junio. Como habían dos sesiones esta noche, el tiempo fue limitado. Mr. Burke pasó dos horas supportando sus propuestas, usando varias personas profesionales con credenciales que testificaron a su habilidad sobre el aborto. Un hombre fue un ingeniero que habló de inyecciones de salino como métodos de aborto. La resulta fue que no había bastante tiempo para los que estuvieron opuestos a las propuestas. Pero la justicia americana dió treinta minutos para los que estuvieron opuestos a las propuestas. Una mujer tomó el micrófono y demandó a oír hablar mujeres. Aunque oraciones de mujeres estuvieron cortadas por el sillero la gente aplaudió con entusiasmo.

El comité votó y las siguientes propuestas estuvieron derrotadas: (1) que el tiempo por un aborto legal sea 10 semanas al máximo (2) mujeres deben estar recibiendo cuida psicológica antes de concepción para que "salud mental" sea una razón por el aborto (3) la inyección de salino sea eliminado como un método de aborto (4) el aspirante debe tener un conferencia con el hospital para ver si el aborto es voluntario. La sola propuesta que pasó es: el doctor que al

principio habla con el mujer y que va a hacer el aborto no puede ser un miembro de la comité que decide si ella es calificada.

Estamos contente uqe estas propuestas estuvieron derrotadas. Pero estas verdades todavía quedan: abortos no son libres y por esto no todas las mujeres puedan pagar. Un bién contraceptivo con ningunos efectos peligrosos no ha sido hallado (aunque hay varios proyectos) para que mujeres puedan prevenir los preñados. Las mujeres del Tercero Mundo todavía arriesgan la esterilización bajo el pretexto de un aborto. Mientras que los cuerpos de mujeres y la salud de la gente son legislados y controlados por este gobierno y doctores no sirvan la gente, nada va a cambiar. La salud y cuerpos de la gente deben ser en sus manos.



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- Abortion Information.....328-4941
- ACLU.....328-0732
- Boycott Center.....321-5933
- Community Legal Defense.....328-4941
- Concerned Citizens.....325-3765
- Crisis Intervention Center..327-9242
- East Palo Alto Food Co-op...325-7762
- Ecology Action (peninsula)..328-6752
- Free Pregnancy Test, Family Planning.....321-2141
- Free Press.....327-5676
- Legal Aid Society (San Mateo County).....324-0071
- Legal Aid Society (Santa Clara County).....245-2526
- Legal Defense.....328-4941
- Midpeninsula Free University328-4941
- Mt. View Citizens against the war.....968-1795
- Music Switchboard, Palo Alto327-2625
- Nairobi College.....323-3169
- Nairobi Culture Center.....327-9832
- Nairobi Draft Center.....323-3114
- Pacific Studies Center.....322-4664
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- Palo Alto Tenants Union.....329-0744
- Palo Alto Partisans.....328-4941
- Peoples Medical Center
- El Centro Medico del Pueblo.365-2691
- People's Plaza planning committee.....328-4941
- Probe Center.....369-8249
- Redwood City Food Co-op
- Cooperatua de Comida Redwood City.....369-4651
- Redwood City Jail.....364-1811
- Redwood City Legal Aid.....365-8411
- Redwood City Partisans.....365-5462
- Release on your own recognizance (Redwood City).....365-0350 or.....369-1441- ex. 4181
- San Mateo County.....369-1441
- Resistance Draft Center.....327-3108
- Santa Clara County Jail.....321-2551
- San Mateo County Jail.....369-1441
- Stanford Women's Center.....321-2300 ex.3114
- Teatro Venceremos.....369-9160
- Venceremos Child Care Center365-2730
- Venceremos College.....369-4651
- Venceremos Newspaper.....328-4941
- Welfare Rights.....369-8249
- Whole Earth Truck Store.....323-0313
- Worlds Indoor Records.....327-1122

PMC Hours

The People's Medical Center is located in Redwood City at 2555 Middlefield Road. The phone number is 365-2691. The Center is open Monday through Friday from 10:30 am to 5 pm, and also on Saturdays from 10 am to 4 pm.

For those patients with children, there is a child care center at PMC, and for those without transportation, just call and someone will come pick you up. All members of the community are invited to visit the clinic.

Horas de CMP

El Centro Médico del Pueblo esta situado en el 2555 Middlefield Road, Redwood City. El telefono es 365-2691. El Centro es abierto de lunes a viernes de 10:30 am a 5 pm y también los sabados de 10 am a 4 pm.

Para aquellos pacientes con niños, hay una guarderia infantil que cuidará a sus niños, y para ellos que necesiten transportación, llame al mismo telefono y alguien lo recojera.

Todos los miembros de la comunidad estan invitados a la clinica.

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PIGS INVADe HOME

BREAKOUT!!

An armed group attacked the local women's jail in Buenos Aires and freed a number of the prisoners.

Witnesses said the attackers fled in two cars with five or six women from the prison.

RIGHT ON!! FREE ALL SISTERS!!



On Monday night, June 14, the Menlo Park Police Department reacted to a so-called disturbing the peace call. Supposedly, cherry bombs and fire crackers were being set off in the area. Upon arriving in front of the Harrison's House on Sevier Street in Menlo Park, relying on pure assumption and pig mentality, they automatically assumed the high school students standing there were responsible.

The Black Liberation Front was contacted by the students when the pigs once again dared to force their way into someone's home. When the BLF members finally arrived at around 2:30 A.M., they witnessed two sisters being physically harrassed. One pig named Yale made a grab at one of the Harrison sisters, that's when the other two pigs jumped in. The only thing that kept that sister from getting beat to a pulp were the people who were there. Of course,

after they had forcefully gotten her in the car, with quite a bit of hasseling from the witnesses they charged her with felonious assault on a "peace officer", which is bullshit.

After seeing this type of continuous repression, we as third world people have grown apathetic and isolated from any incident that happens. We must learn to not let these incidents pass easily, when police come into our community with the sole intention of hasseling Black people, we must stand by with the sole intention of not letting them get away with this. In order to keep them from putting lumps on our people's heads and notches on their guns, we must start lumping their heads and putting notches on our guns.

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ARGENTINA

Grupos revolucionarios estan acrecentando la presión desde el secuestro historico de Stanley Sylvester el mes pasado (Sylvester fue un administrador de una compañía, y el fue rescatado en cambio por comida, ropa, y mejores condiciones de trabajo para los trabajadores en su fábrica.

En las dos semanas pasadas, Los Monteros, un grupo semejante de Los Tupamaros, han volados negocios extranjeros, han prendidos estaciones de la policía, y han atacados bancos. Estas acciones usualmente tomaron la forma de una captura de una ciudad entera. Las comunicaciones fueron cortadas mientras que al mismo tiempo que Los Monteros se libertaron armas de las estaciones de policía y dinero de los bancos.

Estas acciones han sido ocurriendo tan frecuentemente que el gobierno fascisto de Argentina ahora cree que hay una conspiración entre las cinco organizaciones guerrillas que operan en el país. ¡Esperemos que esta correcto! ¡QUE VIVA CHE!



ARGENTINA

Revolutionary groups have been stepping up the pressure since the historic kidnap of Stanley Sylvester last month (Sylvester was a company executive who was ransomed off in return for food, clothes, and better working conditions for the workers at his plant.)

In the last two weeks the Monteros, a group similar to the Tupamaros, have blown up foreign businesses, seized police stations, and attacked banks. These actions usually took the form of a seizure of an entire town. Communications were cut while arms and money were liberated from the pig stations and the banks.

These actions have been occurring so frequently that the fascist Argentinian government now believes there is a conspiracy between the five guerilla organizations operating in the country. Let's hope they're right. VIVA CHE!