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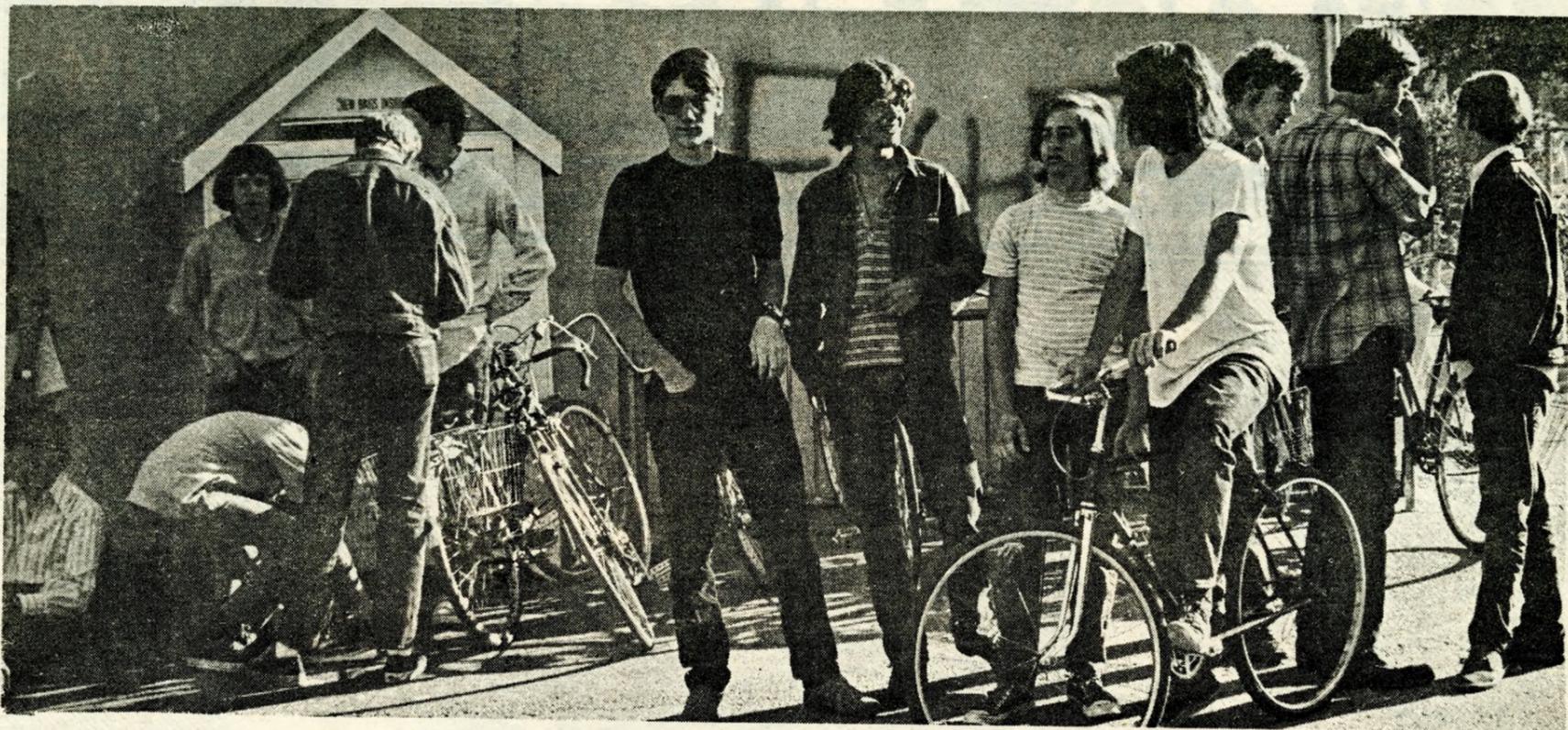


**STRIKES! HUELGA!**

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**DARE TO STRUGGLE, DARE TO WIN!**

# SUMMER: NO JOBS, NO MONEY



It's summertime and many of us are out of work. People coming out of school are swelling the market. Youth unemployment is incredibly high.

What have the people with power done about this? The Palo Alto Times ran pages of free ads for young people who would do almost anything at any wage. And then the

Youth Advisory Commission joined to crusade to supply young people with generally non-paying jobs.

They've come up with some bullshit volunteer programs, including the Ecology Services Agency, which would exploit the idealism of kids and have them do ecology work for free. It would make more sense if the big corporations which pollute

the air and rape the land hired more people at decent wages.

At last week's City Council meeting, City Manager Morgan reported on the great success of the city's program to get young people summer jobs. 128 applied. 64 were placed in jobs like washing windows.

By any mathematics, that's 50% unemployment and 50% rip-off.

Power to the People.

## 10% Black Unemployment

The ranks of unemployed black workers has now reached double the number of white workers without jobs in the United States. The report, announced in Washington, D.C., last week by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, gave a figure of 10% for blacks, 5.6% for whites. These are all categories of workers, all ages and both sexes. When you get to breaking down these figures into women, men, youth and inner city dwellers, the news is even more alarming.

In the case of black women, the number nationally is 11.7%. Only 18 months ago it was 5.2%. Bureau spokesmen could not account for this tremendous rise. One opinion offered was that joblessness among upper middle-class workers has caused widespread lay-offs of black female domestic employees.

The picture reaches tragic levels when you focus on youth. Across the nation the BLS reports 32.1% of black youth out of work. Even a conservative arm of government like the Bureau admits that this is an understatement, because it omits hundreds of thousands of black youth who have despaired and are no longer out actively looking for work.

Lewis G. Robinson, a black community leader, active in economic development work in the Hough District of Cleveland, Ohio, estimates that in his district joblessness among black men and women in the 16 to 25 age group is now close to 40%.

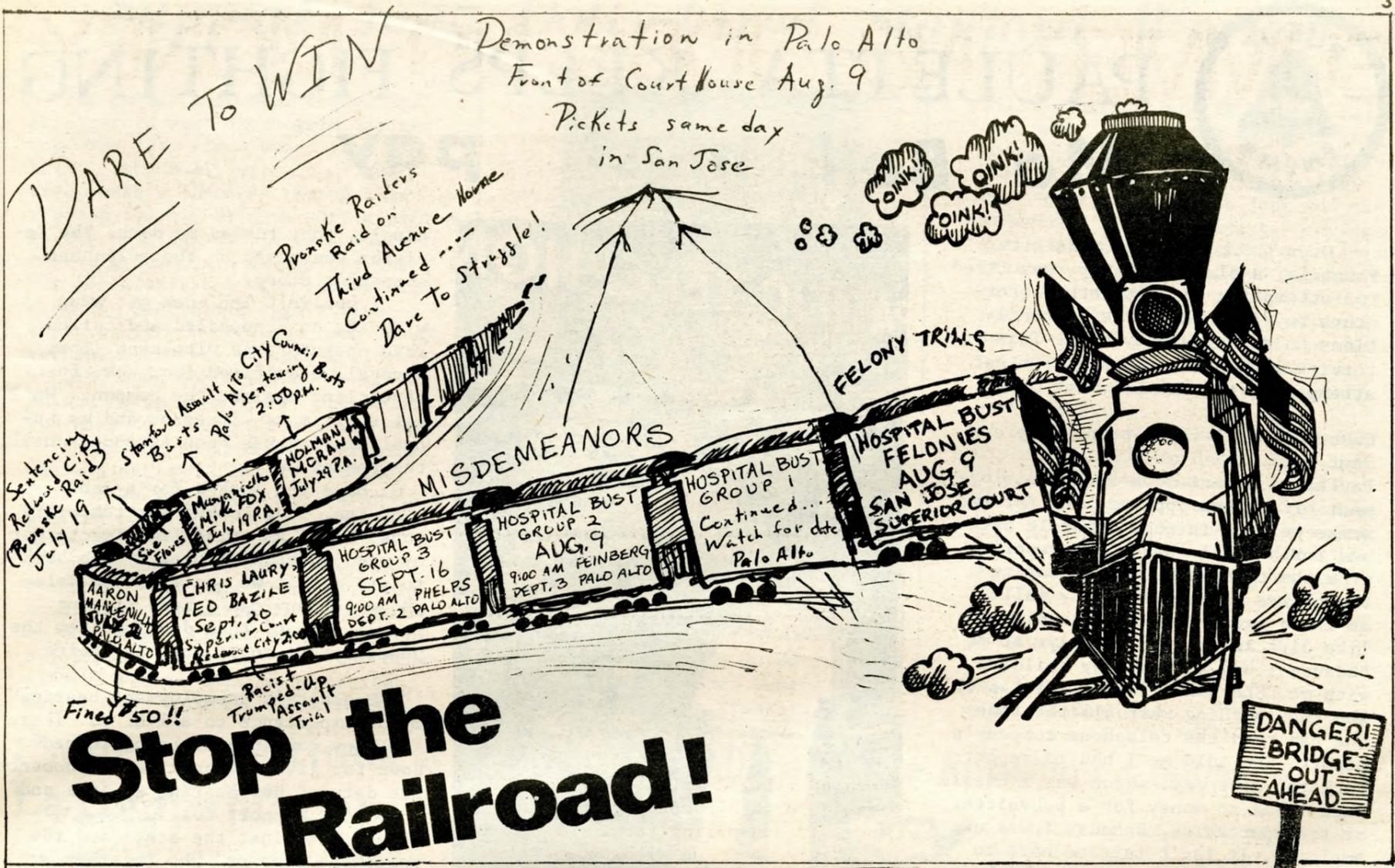
The story of an inner city district like Hough gets repeated from coast to coast in places like Watts Detroit,

Bedford-Stuyvesant and Brownsville. In Detroit, according to Justin Bavarskis, United Press correspondent, black unemployment there for both sexes and all ages approaches 30%. Rep. Augustus Hawkins, a black Congressman whose district includes Watts, thought 30% an accurate estimate for black joblessness in Watts, but said the figure among young people is closer to 40%.

Dorothy Turner, a job counselor at the Bedford-Stuyvesant Manpower Center, says her agency is able to find jobs for only about half the black people who apply, regardless of skill or experience. Perman Glenn, a black

official of the Brownsville Community Council, estimates that 60 to 70% of employable people in his community are either out of work or have part-time jobs that pay less than a poverty-level wage. Many black community leaders are expressing fears about what the widespread job slump could mean this summer. This feeling hits home particularly for us in California considering that recent figures compiled by the City of Los Angeles showed that in the inner city area there unemployment is now 60% higher than it was in 1965 when the Watts riot occurred.





## Offensive Defense

Another group of Stanford Medical Center 31 defendants succeeded in having their trial, which was scheduled to begin last week, postponed until October. The defendants in that group--Tobias dela Torre, John Dolly, Molly Dougherty, Juan Flores, Jean Hobson, and Janelle James--are each charged with nine misdemeanors for participating in the struggle against racist and exploitive policies at the Stanford Hospital.

Another group of defendants is scheduled to go to trial August 9. Come join us at the Court House that day to demonstrate our support for courageous action in the belly of the beast.

FREEDOM FOR THE S.M.C. 31  
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE



Sam Bridges demonstrating at Stanford Hospital after being fired as janitor.

## JUDICIAL RACISM

Judicial racism was upheld last week by Judge Frank Piombo in San Mateo County Superior Court. He accepted as legitimate charges against Chris Laury and Leo Bazile, accused of beating up Stanford Hospital supervisor Mary Jane Schmidt.

The case was exposed in Piombo's own court as a frame-up during the preliminary hearing when Mary Jane Schmidt presented a flimsy and self-contradictory story. (See last issue of Pamoja Venceremos.) She could not even identify Chris Laury, who was sitting several feet away from her in the court room, although she was claiming that he was one of her supposed assailants -- and she identified another Black man in the room as being Chris Laury. At that time, even the judge was forced to admit that the prosecution's case was "weak".

But once he got away from the people in the courtroom, Judge Piombo just went right ahead and bound over for trial both Chris and Leo. The racist trial will begin in Redwood City, September 20.

## ATTACKS on BLACK COMMUNITY

(Dec.)--Black worker fired at Stanford Linear Accelerator Center for returning late from lunch.

(Jan.)--Helicopter patrols over Black community in East Palo Alto and East Menlo Park begin.

--Youth shot from helicopter flying over East Palo Alto. Excuse: "suspected burglary."

(Feb.)--Stanford lays off low-paid workers, including a high percentage of Black workers.

(Mar.)--Sam Bridges, a Black maintenance helper, fired at Stanford Hospital for criticizing institutionalized racism there.

(Apr.)--Attack by 250 riot police on non-violent occupation at Stanford Hospital to support rehiring Sam Bridges and workers demands. 23 persons arrested and charged with total 9 felonies and 189 misdemeanors. Heaviest charges against Black hospital worker and BSU chairman.

--Firebombing of Black law student's car at Stanford.

--Bomb threats against Stanford BSU members.

--Fire set at dormitory of newly elected Black student body officer at Stanford.

--Firebombing of Stanford dormitory

where many Black students live and where BSU meetings are held.

(May) --Arrest of Nick Harper. He is charged with 3 felonies and 9 misdemeanors for the Stanford Hospital incident.

--Charges brought by Stanford against Willy Newberry, BSU chairman, and 2 other students in administration's kangaroo court.

--Pauletta Fountila fired from job as operator at phone company and dragged out of the building by 3 Palo Alto police. Excuse for firing: "incompetence." She had worked at Pacific Telephone for 3 years.

--New warrants issued for Sam Bridges, another Black hospital worker and 4 others on Stanford Hospital charges. Total 36 misdemeanors charged.

--Chris Laury, of the Black Liberation Front and a member of the Black workers' negotiating team at the Stanford Hospital, and Leo Bazile, former Stanford BSU chairman, arrested on \$12,500 bail each on frame-up charges.

--San Mateo Co. sheriffs armed with shotguns raid home of Chris Laury in East Palo Alto with a phoney warrant and seize assorted property. They also raid home of Leo Bazile.



Neighbors and friends drove Pronkske's Raiders away when they raided East Palo Alto BLF headquarters.

AND IN JUNE....Racist phone Co. fires 8 operators, 3 of them black  
FIGHT BACK



# PAULETTA KEEPS FIGHTING Ma Bell must pay

Over two months ago, Pauletta Fountila, a black operator, was fired for attempting to unite other operators to fight the oppressive conditions under which they work. This interview with Pauletta runs down her attempts to get unemployment money.

Question: Have you gotten unemployment yet?

Pauletta: I went down to the employment office and applied, and for two weeks we went through a hassle back and forth until they got a report from the telephone company saying that I was a bad girl. They called me in to see a woman who treated me like dirt and looked sideways at me because I had to bring my children with me. She asked for my side as if she knew nothing when all the time she had read the telephone company's report. She told me I had to report back the next day, which was a hassle when I had no money for a babysitter or transportation, because I was unemployed. It isn't fair to have to go down and fight for money which is rightfully yours. After all that



hassle, they turned me down. The decision was based on the telephone company's story.

I wouldn't let them get away with it, so I appealed and called five operators as witnesses. They have all been fired too, now, for struggling against the company. We'll get still more witnesses and my appeal hearing has been extended until the end of July.

Q: Have you looked for a job?

P: Yes, I've looked for temporary jobs, but I am still fighting to get my old job back. I want my job back to prove that we can win. The telephone company can't keep ripping people off and then denying them the unemployment money that is theirs.

Pauletta's unemployment hearing is of importance to all of us. There are many more people being turned down for jive reasons. We'll announce the date of her hearing so come and show your support for Pauletta's struggle against the state and the telephone company, who together are trying to deny us what's ours.

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## BOYCOTT

### LITTLEMAN'S



On June 29 Sugar Porter, a 14 year old black youth and some friends were playing in back of Littlemans Market, when a dairyman dropped a tray of cottage cheese, and said that Sugar and his friend could have the cottage cheese if they wanted it. Sugar tasted it and threw it on the ground because it was rotten. Shortly after this a white employee named Tony came out, and not knowing what was going on, put a 45 pistol up to Sugars head and threatened to shoot him. These type of racist intimidations must stop in our community by any means necessary!

BOYCOTT LITTLEMAN'S MARKET  
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE  
B.L.F.

## NEW P.A. MAYOR

Palo Alto has got itself a new mayor. None other than Kirke Comstock the old house liberal. In a stirring fight between the left liberals and the fascists, Comstock edged out Councilman Stanley Norton, who renounced a judgeship in order to make his bid for mayor.

The swing in the 5 to 4 ballot was Francis Dias, who is attempting to play this session out as a reactionary "residentialist"--one who puts the interests of local property owners above the needs of the people.

Comstock has served the people, at times in the past, by fighting big developers.

Earlier this year, after being contacted by Venceremos and Palo Altans Against the War, he brought a proposed ballot issue on the Vietnam War before the council. The council voted it down, but the pressure of hundreds of angry community people attending the council meetings coupled with a firebombing forced the council to change their minds.

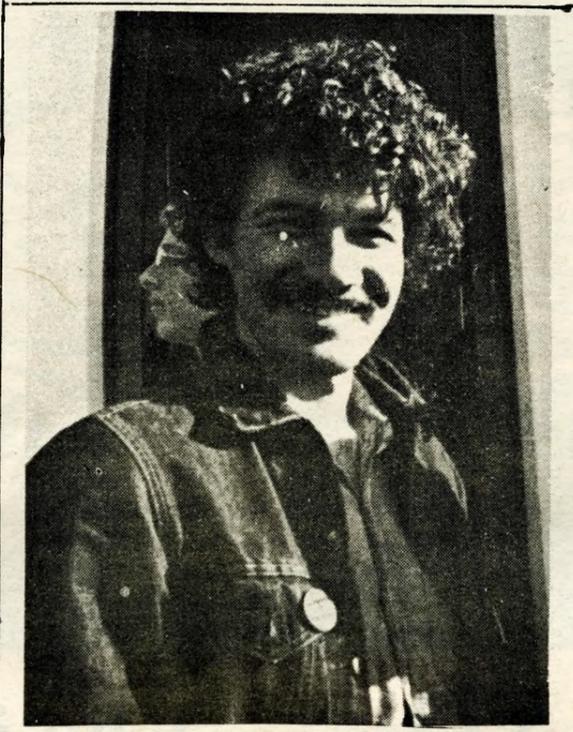
More recently he brought up an inquiry into the raid on the *Stanford Daily* by Palo Alto police. But before the meeting was over, Comstock had changed his mind. He not only defended the police but viciously attacked the heroic protesters at the Stanford sit-in.



Palo Alto police break into Stanford Hospital sit-in.

# Support John Dolly-Fired Stanford Worker

The phoney grievance procedures at Stanford were once again exposed for what they are - worse than useless. John Dolly was one of the five workers fired by the administration for his alleged participation in the hospital sit-in last April to file a grievance. He claimed that the Administration was denying him even the most basic rights with their arbitrary firing. Even though the committee was stacked 2-1 against him, with the President's office selecting two members to one, John was able to convince his board that he should be rehired until criminal charges against him were settled. Then he would go through a grievance hearing. Unless this was done, he explained, the District Attorney would subpoena the members of the grievance panel and jeopardize his court case. Amazingly, the committee completely agreed with John and unanimously recommended to the President's office that he be rehired. To nobody's surprise the Provost,



John Dolly's grievance going on every night, 7 p.m., at the Med Center. John's lawyer will be Bruce Franklin, Power.

William Miller, who is Lyman's hatchet man, slapped the hands of the panel members and sent them scurrying out of his office with a flat no. With reservations John and the grievance panel decided to continue the hearing anyway. John pointed out that even if he could get a crumb of justice through the stacked proceedings, it was necessary to demonstrate to fellow workers that the whole thing was meaningless in the end since the board has no power whatsoever anyway.

It's important that all Stanford employees begin to understand what Black and Brown workers knew all along: that once you start getting good at playing by the man's rules. He'll change them on you. More and more people are beginning to realize that the only real power workers can have is the collective power of a strong union.

Jan Sutter  
Stanford Employee

## Pauletta continua a luchar La compañía debe a pagar

Hace más que dos meses, Pauletta Fountila, una telefonista negra, fue despedida por tratando de unir otras telefonistas en una lucha contra las condiciones opresivas en que trabajan. Esta entrevista con Pauletta explica sus esfuerzos a obtener los pagos de desempleo.

Question: ¿Todavía ha recibido los pagos de desempleo?

Pauletta: Fui a la oficina de desempleo y aplique, y por dos semanas me tomaron el pelo hasta que recibieron un reporte de la compañía de telefonos diciendo que yo había actuado en una manera mala. Entonces me dieron una entrevista con una mujer que tuvo una actitud muy superior y me dió una mirada de desprecio porque tuve que traer mis niños conmigo. Ella preguntó por mi versión de lo que había pasado aunque ella había leído antes la versión de la compañía de telefonos. Ella me dijo que tuve que reaparecer el próximo día, una problema para mí porque no tuve el dinero para pagar por la transportación o por alguien a cuidar a mis niños. No es justo de tener que luchar por dinero que debe ser el suyo. Después de todas estas agravaciones, decidieron que no pude recibir pago de desempleo. La decisión fue basada en la versión de la compañía de telefonos.

Decidi no les permitiría hacerlo y en mi apelación llame cinco otras telefonistas como testigos. Estas cinco telefonistas también han perdidas sus empleos en nuestra lucha contra la compañía. Vamos a obtener más testigos y mi audición ha sido extendido hasta el fin de julio.

Question: ¿Usted ha buscado otro empleo?  
Pauletta: Si, he buscado empleos temporaneos, pero todavía estoy tratando de recobrar mi antiguo empleo. Quiero mi antiguo empleo para probar que nosotros podemos ganar. La compañía de telefonos no puede continuar a despedir la gente y pues prevenirlos de obtener el pago de desempleo que debe recibir.

La audición de Pauletta por el pago de desempleo es de importancia a todos. Hay muchas personas que no están recibiendo pago de desempleo por razones falsas. Vamos a anunciar la fecha de su audición para que ustedes puedan venir y mostrar su apoyo por la lucha de Pauletta contra el estado y la compañía de telefonos, que están tratando de prevenirnos de obtener lo que debemos recibir.

## Albuquerque Rebellion Continues



Seven of the Black Berets who took over the governor's office.

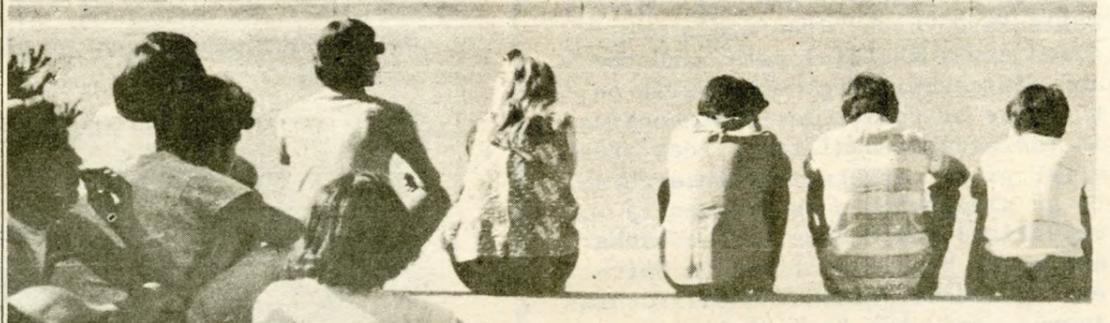
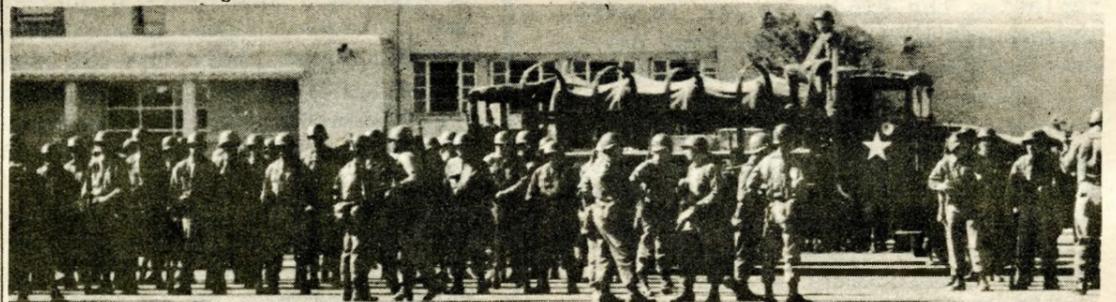
For information on the Albuquerque Rebellion which led up to the take over of the governor's office see page 3 of the June, 17 issue of Pamoja Venceremos.

### STATEMENT OF THE ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. BLACK BERETS

On June 24, eight members of the Black Berets were arrested for sitting-in the office of the so-called governor, Bruce King. This action was taken because the governor showed again that politicians could not care less about the people's (the people's) feelings. Pressure from the people after the arrest made King disband the commission and also caused a split in his own political party.

However, the Berets still have to go to court, and we are in need of funds for legal defense. Donations should be made out to Las Gorras Negras, P.O. Box 7538, Albuquerque, NM 87104.

Hasta la Muerte--Free the Beret Eight.

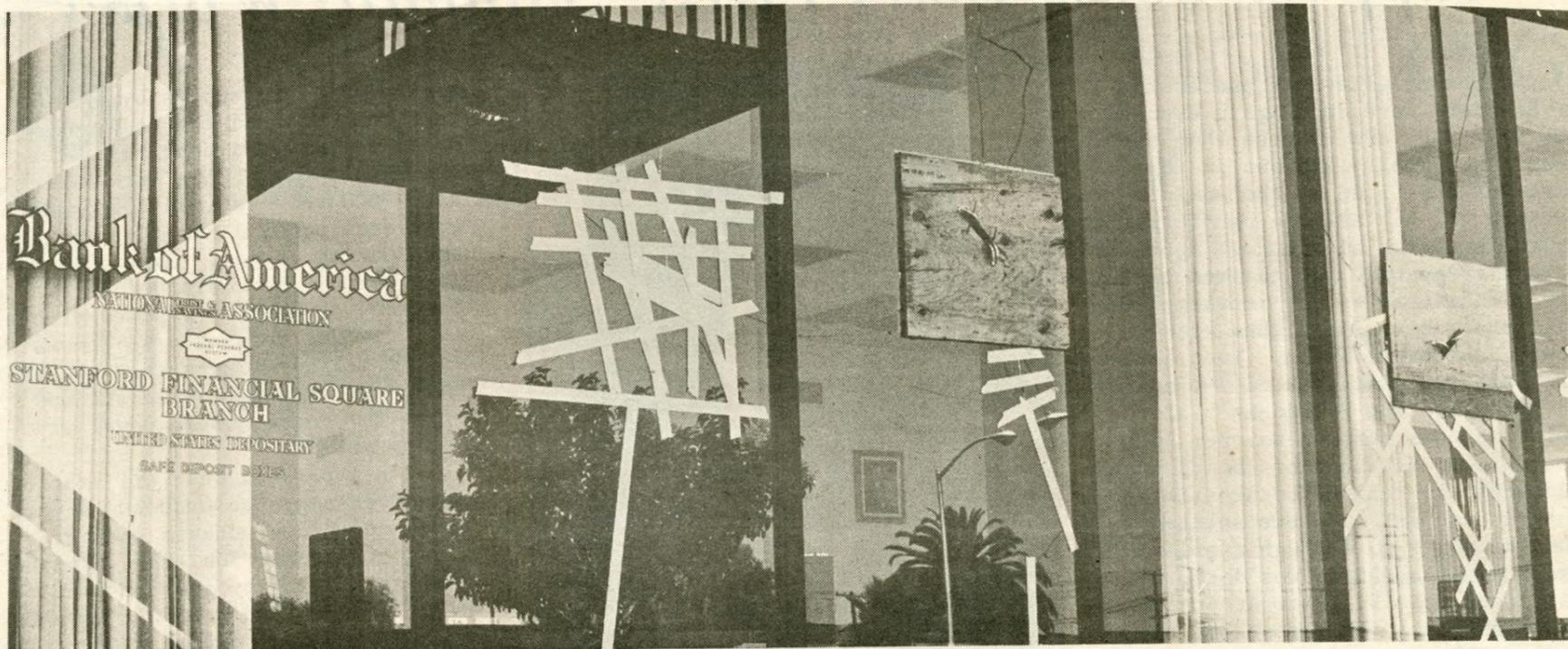


People checking out Guardsmen who were called out to put down rebellion



During rebellion the people attacked pig businesses like Galles Cadillac pictured in the above photo





## PALO ALTO: who is the enemy ?

### TARGETS

Palo Alto police received a report last week that may offer an explanation of why so many windows have been broken in banks, stock brokerages, large corporations, and other "symbols of the establishment". According to the report, two people in a car, one driving and the other armed with a slingshot, can take care of hundreds of dollars worth of windows with just a few well-placed shots, and easily escape detection.

Police are reported as being worried over the sharp increase in damage to property of such businesses over the last couple of years. Damage done includes trashing, spray painting, posters stuck up with pet milk or sodium silicate on glass (sodium silicate requires replacing the window to get it off) arson, and bombings. The Bank of Amerika has suffered an average of a bombing a week on its California branches alone. Many observers believe that the police will have even more trouble to cope with if the development of downtown Palo Alto continues. The almost completed Dillingham development at Page Mill and El Camino, the proposed expansion of the Bank of Amerika and the Wells Fargo bank, Stanford's proposed new industrial park, and the new office building being built on the site of former low-cost housing in the Webster-Hamilton street area offer prime targets, say observers, to go along with such frequently vandalized businesses as the banks and stock brokerage firms on University Avenue and in the California Avenue area, the Bank of Amerika building on El Camino which houses offices of the FBI on the second floor, the Stanford Industrial Park, the Stanford Research Institute, and numerous buildings on the Stanford campus. These include the Hoover library, the Graduate School of Business, the Law School, the Aero-Astro building, the Earth Sciences building, the ROTC offices, labs doing Defense Department research, the Computers Center, and the police station.

About 10,000 of us work for Stanford University and another 22,000 work on land leased by Stanford to various business. A lot of us who work on Stanford land come from Redwood City, East Menlo Park, East Palo Alto, Mt. View, and Sunnyvale. In the next three issues of Pamoja Venceremos we'll check out how Stanford rips off the workers at Stanford and all working people on the mid-peninsula by being anti-union, by controlling land use on the mid-peninsula and by causing rents and taxes in the surrounding communities to increase. We'll also check out the different ways in which Stanford workers and community people are moving against the policies put down by Stanford.

The Board of Trustees of Stanford University are some of the richest pigs in the country. They control the placement of almost all large scale industry in the mid-peninsula. They place electronics and aerospace firms near Stanford, which they or their friends have financial interests in, in order to make money off the Department of Defense contracts that the university gets. (Stanford got \$14 million in 1970 from the Dept. of Defense) By placing these firms like Hewlett-Packard, Varian, and Kaiser Aerospace near Stanford it

is easy for these firms to get defense contracts to develop the systems thought of by Stanford and Stanford Research Institute engineers and scientists.

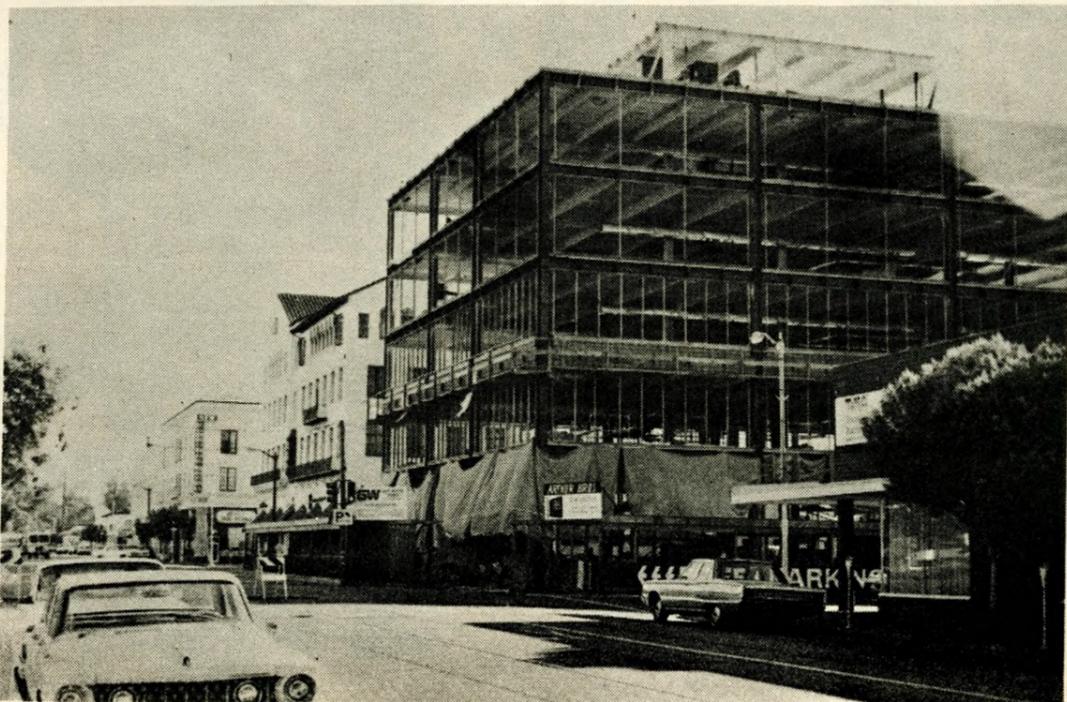
The way that the Stanford trustees control where industry is placed is through the Bay Area Council. The Bay Area Council is like a giant chamber of commerce which makes the plans for new industry in the Bay Area. The Vice president of that council is Stanford trustee Ernest Arbuckle, who is also chairman of the Stanford Trustees' Committee on Land Development, chairman of the Wells Fargo Bank and co-director of Hewlett-Packard.

In return for bringing industry to Palo Alto (the industry provides the revenues for Palo Alto's "high quality school system" and parks) the wealthy realtors with the help of the city council in Palo Alto provide housing for the highly paid managers, engineers and professional people who work on Stanford land. Even though the workers create the profits which pay for Palo Alto schools, parks, etc. 78% of them can't afford to live in Palo Alto.

Next week we'll check out how these policies on housing and industry affect those of us who live and work in the mid-peninsula.

*Irwin Lavenburg*

*Great Western Savings- a new pigsty*



# CONSPIRACY TO OUST TENANTS

Mrs. Julia Cyr and her sister, Mrs. Mary Torrey, have lived in an apartment at 280 Fifth Avenue in Redwood City for over 4 years. They both work as practical nurses, usually throughout the night. About 18 months ago one Paul Scheibe took over the building, and since then the two sisters have found themselves the victims of a series of racist attacks aimed at driving them from their apartment. Egged on by the manager, Mrs. Lynne Webb, and a racist neighbor who claims to be part owner, the occupants of the next-door apartment (Tim and Vera Gravelle) have banged on the walls with pipes and hammers, having rattled the screen door whenever they pass by, have poked Mrs. Cyr in the hips while she is getting her mail, and have incited their children and their children's friends to throw small stones at her and call her "Black bitch", "Black witch", "Black nigger", and other abusive names. The manager, under the pretense of washing the landing, has repeatedly flushed large quantities of water under their front door and threatened to throw away articles left on the doorstep. Trash has repeatedly been stuffed into their mailbox. Finally the owner, Paul Scheibe, himself put in an appearance to say "We don't want your kind in this building. Why don't you move out?" Then he raised the rent. And when Mrs. Cyr reported to the manager that the Gravelles had severely damaged her screen door with repeated rattlings, Mrs. Webb answered, "Then why don't you leave, Black?"

About five months ago, the landlord tried another tactic: intimidation with the willing assistance of the R.C. police. Led by Sheriff Earl B. Whitmore, deputies repeatedly came to speak to the sisters, claiming that neighbors reported their TV set was too loud. For a week, deputies came daily to spy on the sister, hoping to find their apartment too noisy. One Deputy Wells knocked very hard on the door and when they answered, shouted that if they didn't shut their TV off, he'd come in and break it. "They are just like the Gestapo in Nazi Germany," Mrs. Torrey said.

At the end of last month it became clear that these racist pigs would stop at nothing: Tim Gravelle tore the screen door open and tried to force his way into the apartment. The next day, Mrs. Larsen--who lives in the next house--and the manager came and removed the screen door from the apartment, while a Sheriff's Deputy looked on. ("You know the police department is not going to put that door back," Mrs. Cyr said.) Without the screen door, the apartment is unbearably hot, as it cannot be ventilated without the door being opened.

Last Tuesday, Mrs. Cyr returned from work at 6:15 in the morning to find "Black get out" written twice in large letters across the front door (see picture). Knowing that the police, as Mrs. Torrey put it, "are just there to protect the wealthy," the sisters called the PMC, the BLF,

and Venceremos. "This building should be picketed!" Mrs. Cyr said to Venceremos. Right on! Venceremos and the BLF are investigating the matter, and the sisters' right to decent, non-discriminatory housing will be righteously defended from now on. When the police openly come out to defend the racist policies of profit-grubbing landlords, they can expect the people to ACT in their own defense.

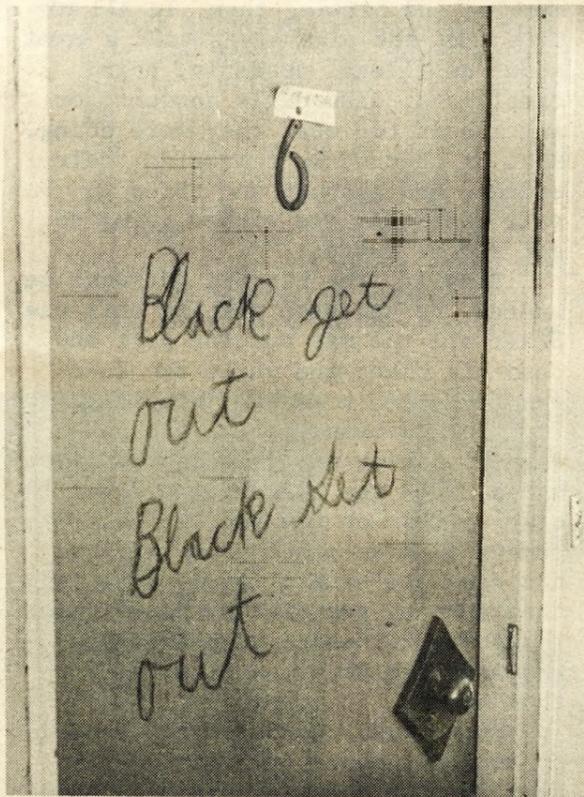
## Julia Cyr's Letter

Sheriff Whitmore furnishes body-guard or protection to owners and managers of apartment buildings to abuse, discriminate, harass tenants of said apartment buildings; and many times Sheriff Whitmore runs them out of the county. This is the kind of law and order the citizens of Redwood City and San Mateo County has.

In particular, a Mrs. Louise Larson of 276 Fifth Ave. and Mrs. Lynne Webb, sent by the owner of the apartment 6, where I live, went to Sheriff Whitmore's office to get a deputy officer and then they came with him to take off a screen door without my permission, threatening me with a big hammer to hit me if I would stop them, insulting me, and saying, "Eventually we will get you out of this apartment building with the help of Sheriff Whitmore, you Black dog; we will be back to take the other door." All this time the Sheriff's deputy was there looking. My rent is paid up to date.

This injustice, abuses, harassment, discrimination, Nazi Tactics by Sheriff Whitmore and his bunch of cut-throat deputies has been going on. It is about time that Mr. Whitmore should be removed and released of his position.

Julia Cyr



# MURDERS in Detroit

In Detroit the pigs have started a campaign against poor people. The leading group in the campaign is called STRESS--Stop the Robberies - Enjoy Safe Streets. What this is is a group of pigs who dress up as decoys, and walk through parks, down streets, all over the poor areas of the city, waiting for someone to try something and then shoot them. Some men dress up as women and walk around waiting for someone to try to rape them and just shoot the person on the spot. This has been happening for quite a while. Most of the victims are Blacks, and other Third World people. The latest incident of this sort occurred last weekend when 5 Black men were shot - 2 killed, 3 wounded - by undercover pigs when these brothers supposedly attempted to rob the pigs. All this happened in two separate incidents.

One incident occurred when brothers asked an undercover pig if he had a spare quarter; the pig replied that he didn't have one and walked on. The pig said that the brothers ran after him demanding all his money; when he pulled out his badge and told the brothers that they were under arrest, the brothers ran. The three were shot at by the pig and three other pigs covering him. Later on that evening two more brothers were shot and critically wounded when three pigs opened fire on them for allegedly robbing one of the pigs at knifepoint.

What all this adds up to is that the Detroit pigs are out to kill all poor people who have to break the law to live. The pigs put the people in the kind of conditions that make them fight and when they fight, they off them.

WHO IS THE REAL CRIMINAL???

## ATHERTON PIG SHOOTS BROTHER

Jim Leon, an 18 yr. old brown brother from Redwood City, was shot early Monday morning by Off. Glenn Mitchel, a trigger-happy Atherton pig. Mitchel said that Jim ran a stop sign and sped away. He oinked out the lie that Jim had tried to run him down during the chase, to try to justify shooting him.

After that, Pig Mitchel said Jim got out of his car, and tried to run away. Mitchel pulled his gun out and shot Jim for being, like almost all youths of the street, scared of the pigs' power.

He is now in the hospital, where he will be for three months. He's charged with Assault with a deadly weapon, Car theft, Resisting Arrest, Reckless Driving and Driving without a license.

When he gets out of the hospital the pigs will take him, and try their best to railroad him to jail.

To that bloodthirsty dog, Glenn Mitchel, we say *OFF THE PIGS!*

# SANTA CRUZ:



What sometime may happen to us if we don't help our brothers and sisters out.

## PIGS RIOT JULY 4th

We didn't get there until 6:00 PM on the 4th; and it must've begun days before that. The steady trickle of young people into Santa Cruz, which happens every summer, had erupted into freeways choked with hitchhikers and bumper-to-bumper traffic. Normally a town of 30,000 people, Santa Cruz was packed with some 80,000 people on the 4th. It was Independence Day weekend, people were off work, the sun beat down hard and it felt good; everybody was getting loaded.

The fireworks happened at nine PM and ended too quickly -- then everybody jammed onto the boardwalk, where it got as crowded as up by the stage at the Fillmore on a heavy night. Everybody was flying, and even though hassles could easily have come down between the people, things stayed mellow on that count. The pigs were definitely being uptight, hassling anybody they thought was too loaded, trying to take firecrackers away from people as well as generally just trying to bum people out. In one of the alleys leading out of the boardwalk, two pigs tried to bust a brother for dope, but the people had the pigs outnumbered so the brother was set free after a short but sweet fight.

At midnight, after the boardwalk closed, we went over to the Pizza King where all the bikers were hanging out. A lot of bikers were there, most of them were unaffiliated, but one club, the Unforgiven Sinners from Stockton, was there in force. And it was a very, very heavy scene. People had been partying all day, a band was playing, and everybody was feeling exceptionally loose. Over a hundred choppers were parked around the place and people were drifting in and out with beer or wine, laughing and just having a righteous time.

We were there less than an hour, just kicking back with a few beers and getting to know some people,

when everyone started to look out the windows facing the boardwalk across the street. There were over 50 pigs in their Tac Squad uniforms assembled and they were hassling some bikers who had been lying on the grass and drinking beer. One pig who must've been at least six foot five and weighing about 250 pounds, was really into shoving bikers around, kicking and hitting their bikes, and calling them out. He was a mad pig on the prowl doing everything he could to get someone to stand up to him so he could crack head and taste blood.

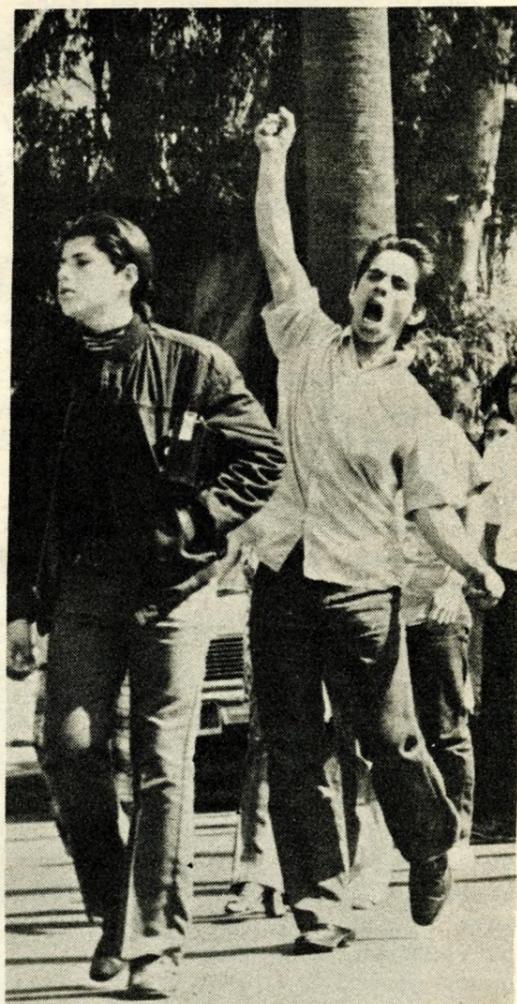
The lights went on in the Pizza King and people started filing out, but apparently the pigs weren't satisfied since they came over and began helping people out the door by shoving and hitting them. In all of this time the pigs never said a word about an illegal assembly, noise complaints, disorderly conduct, or any reason for what they were doing. Most of them weren't wearing their badges, and anybody who tried to talk with them was either going to get hit or busted.

Finally, the big pig got what he wanted. He had been pushing this one biker all the way out the door and onto his bike; and while the dude was trying to kick over his bike, the pig had been hitting the bike with his stick and calling the biker names. When the biker got off his bike to turn on the pig, he was jumped by five other pigs, who had him down and handcuffed in a second; then another ten pigs with two dogs showed up to handle anybody else who might think of helping the brother out.

More pigs, the Sheriffs, showed up and the people decided to split. By 1:30 that morning, the pigs had completely cleared downtown Santa Cruz. Later we found out that the Tac Squad had also busted up parties at Castle and Seacliff beaches.

At Seacliff the people fought the pigs for over an hour with one pig needing hospitalization and 34 people arrested. None of this was printed in any of the newspapers -- the pigs must think if they do not let anyone know about it, then it didn't happen -- but the message is clear enough: until the people control the pigs, none of us have any independence to celebrate.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!



FIGHT FOR YOUR RIGHTS!

# DOPE SMOKING NARCS?



I WONDER WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF THEY FOUND OUT WHAT WE DO WITH THIS STUFF?

There have been far too many busts on the Peninsula lately, which could have been avoided if people would have been aware of two very cool looking freaks. These aren't ordinary people. They are very sick men. Their names are Mike Vierra, a moderately long haired fat slob with buck teeth. He wears a Mexican poncho in which he keeps his tape recorder in tact. His sick companion's name is Gary Smith. (This is not the 19 year old Gary Smith who drinks beer.) He has shoulder length long brown hair. He is a registered Deputy Dog. They always wear dark shades during the day.

It usually starts with a phone call from Mike. He says he is a "friend of a friend" and that he has smoked dope with you. That is very possible. I know. I have smoked dope with him. I have been busted by him. Then he will ask you where he can score some dope. The whole phone call is being tape recorded, of course. He tries to keep you on the phone as long as possible. If you ask Mike if he is a Nark, he will reply, "FUCK NO. ARE YOU?" They cruise around in a Cougar, a Mustang, and sometimes a VW bug. Be especially cautious at night time. They will see you on the street and ask you if you would enjoy smoking a marijuana cigarette with them. But that will be their last joint. Then they will proceed to ask you where they can score a lid, a pound, a kilo, a ton...anything. But marijuana is not enough for these Pigs. They want to see you in jail... Both these Pigs carry guns. They are extremely hazardous to the People. There is no telling what they are capable of doing. Mike and Gary have a friend who is sicker than both of them put together. His name is John Holbrooke, alias "Baby face Holbrooke". (Now in North County under protective custody.) Commonly referred to as "a mother-fucking snitch". He takes drugs including smack. He has been in and out of Agnew quite a few times. He usually buys a lid, comes back ten minutes later with some friends, who would also like to purchase a lid. Then Mike and Gary, our

fabled friends, come in to bust you.

I compare marijuana with prohibition. The law does considerably more harm than the Weed. For example, a student at Stanford with four years and ready to continue at Law School is up shit creek with five felonies. He smoked a joint with Mike Vierra. They call themselves undercover agents. Therefore, they will deny their identity and refuse to give you your rights. I know it is very easy to say, "you leave them alone and they will leave you alone." But they won't leave you alone. I know, I've tried leaving these Pigs alone. We have got to fight this together, People. One way to fight this is don't get busted. Don't give in. I know these men are very underhanded, sneaky, and coniving. But I think we are more united and almost strong.

CONCERNED, with a little help from my friends.

## PAMOJA VENCEREMOS

NEEDS PICTURES OF THESE PIGS.

IF YOUR' E INTERESTED IN HELPING CALL 328-4941

"You see, I look upon this whole thing as like, the oppressor is wasting people's time. To me, that's what is simply boils down to, because there are other things that I would like to be doing. But you're being interfered with, and you know that you can't do your thing, because

if you don't pay attention to what's going on around you, you may be sitting under a tree, you know, reading some poems and smoking a joint and talking to your other half, and some pigs will come by and drag you to the gas chamber or shoot you or crack your head. So you have to

get up from beneath that tree, remembering that what you want to do is to get back to that tree just as soon as you possibly can, and so like, get up and sober up and come down off your trip and deal with the pig, and then you can talk about going back to do your thing." ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

## FELT LAKE INVASION STOPPED

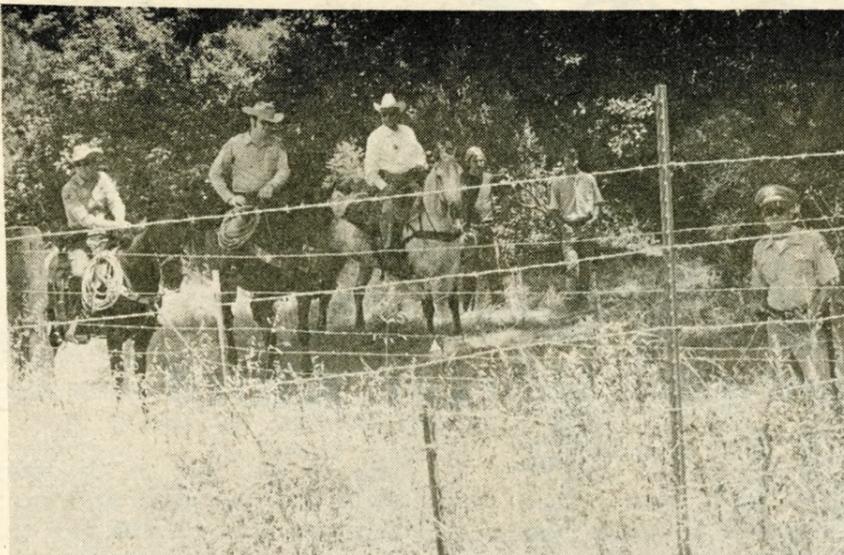
A group calling itself Thunderthud had called the people together to gather at noon on July 4th by the Alpine Road entrance to Felt Lake. Felt Lake is on Stanford property and is leased by Manual Piers, owner of Piers Dairy. His lake has been a favorite swimming spot for years.

Piers has a reputation for his piggishness in stopping people from using the Lake. On July 4th. 30

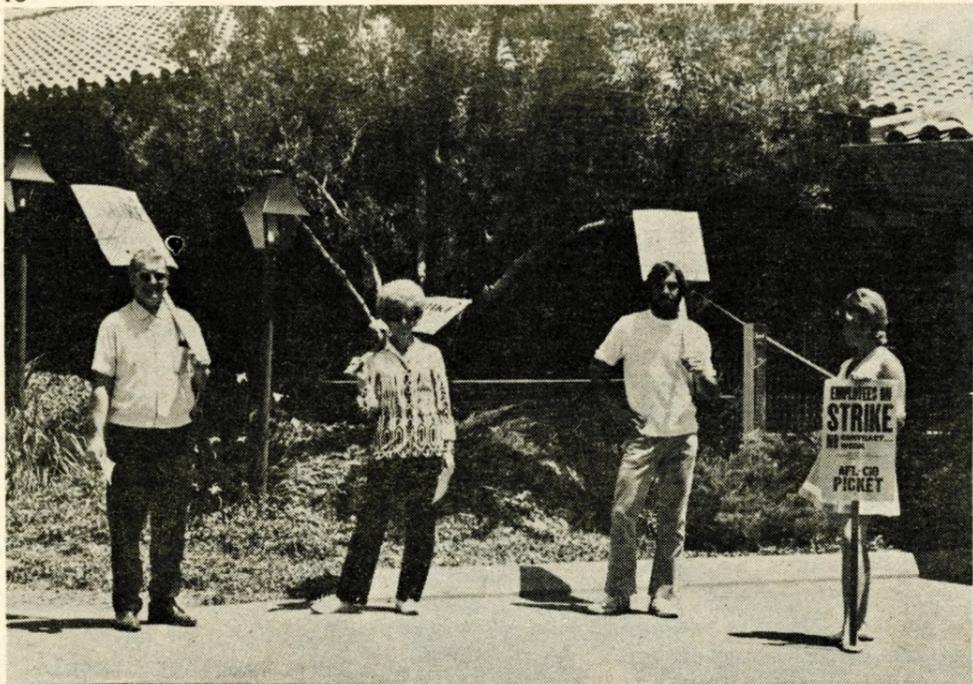
people gathered to liberate Felt Lake for public use. When we arrived we realized what Piers privileged position meant. He had called on the San Mateo County helicopter and the S.M. County sherrifs on horseback to guard the lake.

The people were setting off firecrackers and smoke bombs when the S.M. Sherriffs showed up in four cars. This came as no suprise be-

cause Piers has a history of using force to keep people out of his lake. He packs a gun and has been seen with a bullwhip. The people left when the pigs arrived but last Saturday at the plaza there was much talk about Piers. If you hear any information about Piers, or have witnessed him whipping someone or fireing his gun call the People's Office at 328-4941.



San Mateo County Sherriffs protecting Manual Piers property at Felt Lake entrance.

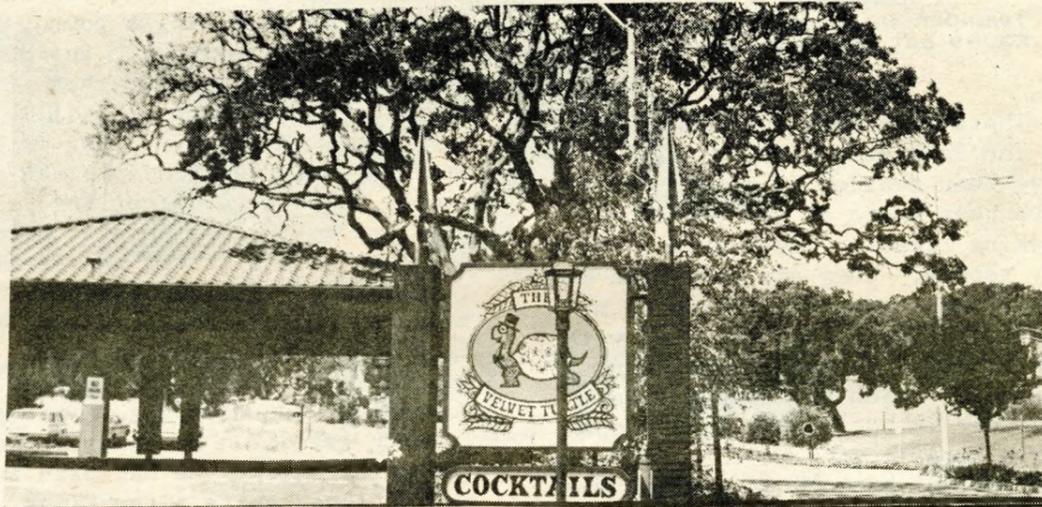


Strikers at the Sunnyvale Velvet Turtle

Some people from Venceremos in Sunnyvale were driving down Fremont Street when they saw a strike line out in front of the Velvet Turtle so they decided to investigate what was going on. There were about 25 pickets out asking people not to eat at the Velvet Turtle because the owners of the restaurant had not signed a contract with the union.

These brothers and sisters have been on strike for over a month (since June 1). When they went out some workers (scabs) quit the union and continued working although they are only getting \$1.65 per hour less 20¢ per hour for food. This appears to be an organized attempt at strike breaking. Many restaurants in San Francisco have tried to get out of their contracts this year too.

The strikers said most of the customers are Lockheed executives getting the most out of their expense accounts before the company folds. The strikers are in good spirits and have the backing of the union. The teamsters are honoring their picket line so there are no direct deliveries but the management is using a white van to bring supplies down from another Velvet Turtle in Menlo Park.



The Menlo Park Velvet Turtle, near SLAC

A union spokesman said that the union was counting on the effectiveness of the picket line which is turning away between a third and a half of the regular customers. He told us that the union did not want any outside help because the company was trying to get an injunction limiting them to only two pickets.

Velvet Turtle restaurants are in Menlo Park, Sunnyvale, Long Beach, and Redondo Beach. The same man also owns Sam's cafe in Torrance. There is also a deal being set up for Saga Corporation to buy the Velvet Turtles. Saga is a huge food corporation which operates univer-

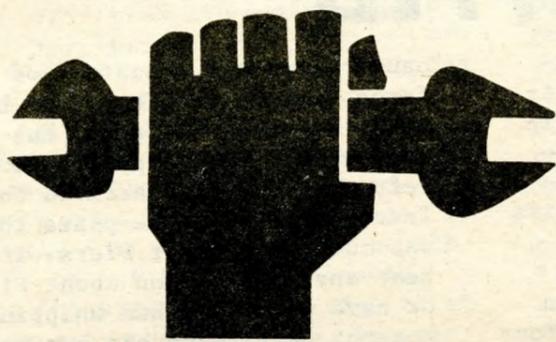
sity and college food services as well as the Straw Hat pizza and other companies. In January of last year they tried to break a union at the University of North Carolina. Alf Brandin, former Stanford Business Manager is on the board of directors of Saga. Alf was one of the architects of Stanfords land use policies. Saga has it's headquarters in Menlo Park.

The workers in Sunnyvale are hog tied by the threat of an injunction so if you're up in Menlo Park talk to the van driver about why he is scabbing.

#### SUPPORT ZACK

FLASH: Support righteous, black phone worker Zack Ladet as he crosses union picket line in Redwood City. Zack was publicly slandered by the union, and he

must cross the picket line until he receives an apology. We must he recieves an apology. We must fight racism in every struggle.



## More on Printer's Strike

Smith and Company Direct Advertising in Burlingame is suing the Printing Specialties and Paper Products Union (AFL-CIO) for \$500,000. They're doing this because the strikers convinced the Sierra Club to stop scabbing and send their printing business elsewhere. The company is claiming that the union is conducting a secondary boycott. The strikers say they don't care what the Smith and Company Direct Advertising does because the strike will continue until their union is recognized.

(See fuller article on strike on page 16 of last weeks issue of Pamoja Venceremos)



## Electronics Worker Killed

Cal Holt, a worker for the Eimac electronics firm, was killed when he was caught in a hydroform press at the manufacturing plant. Eimac, where Holt had worked for 14 years, is a division of Varian Associates.

This is just one of the many accidents that happens in factories. It shows how workers are not cared for and must risk themselves to faulty machinery and bad working conditions.

# Working Women On The Line



Two more of us have been fired for standing up for our rights and dignity as workers.

At Electro-Nuclear Labs, Menlo Park, we have been hassled for months now to speedup and work a lot of overtime, because the slimy bosses are trying to get the most they can out of a reduced work force. When one die-attacher quit because she got fed up with the pressure to always go faster, the bosses didn't replace her--instead they moved another woman, Julie, over from Wafer Fabrication, and made the remaining Wafer Fab woman do more work.

Then they treated Julie with a piece of paper that she was forced to sign five months ago, which says that she leaves her work place dirty and that she has a poor attendance record. Julie keeps her work place spotlessly clean; she once righteously refused to clean up broken glass that someone else had left at her station. She has not been absent any more than other women who are never disciplined. But the pig bosses threatened she'd lose her job if she didn't sign. Then they held this paper over her head as "proof" of the accusations. Most unionized places let the workers know that they never have to sign such papers.

Last week we had had enough of these conditions and we refused to do a certain job. Our supervisor freaked and took us to see the production manager. Our supervisor also said that he had the right to single out certain people, that Julie got a paper when another woman didn't because he like the other woman.

The fascist production manager made it clear that he thinks we



A DETROIT SISTER DURING LAST YEAR'S GENERAL MOTORS STRIKE

workers should have no control over our own lives. He said workers should not be told what's going on in the company or what company policy is "for our own sakes."

He also said, "The only right workers have is the right to work or not to work. The company can do any thing it pleases."

We got plenty pissed at that display of outright fascism and we walked off the job. The next day we were told that we couldn't have our jobs back because of our bad attitudes (we wanted a few rights and a little dignity) and because we might

talk too much to the other women and influence them in a "bad way."

Electro-Nuclear Labs, Inc., at 115 Independence Drive, Menlo Park, makes infared optical detectors used in bombing Vietnam and in counterinsurgency work here in the ghettos of Amerikkka. Its work is classified "secret" by the Department of Defense and is directly involved in killing the Vietnamese people.

by Sheila Harper, Venceremos and Julie Duenas

## Talking "Unhealthy"

### MACHINIST FIRED FOR RAPPING

After working as a machinist for one week at Stoesser Industries in Mountain View, I was fired for the most ridiculous and petty reason possible. I was canned by the pig foreman because I cut my hand on the job. This was just a sick-ass excuse to fire me. It was not the real motive in laying me off. The day before I was fired, the foreman threatened to can me because he saw me talking to a few workers. I was just getting to know some of the other guys who worked in the factory and asking them what they thought of the conditions there. The boss warned me that talking to the workers was "unhealthy". Machinists are told to stay at their machines and stay quiet. The management also gives breaks to the employees at different times to keep them from relating to each other. Even after I had been fired, when I stopped to tell a fellow worker what had happened, the pig yelled at me tellin me to "get the hell out of here and leave our people alone."

It is obvious that the capitalists fired me because I related to the workers at the factory. Workers at this plant as well as so many other factories in North America are divided by the pigs so they cannot relate to each other and unite. When someone relates to the workers and shows a sense of unity

with them that person will be fired as I was.

Workers Unite  
Venceremos  
Michael Salem



"Always reading on his lunch hour... Probably plans to take over the business some day!"

## IRS BLASTED

Someone planted a bomb that ripped apart the San Jose Internal Revenue (tax) building last Sunday night. The bombs destroyed a lot of the building, but unfortunately missed the tax records. Chief Special Investigator Monzon said "we have no reason at this time to believe it was a political effort." It's true that anybody could've done it: Who likes getting ripped off for one fourth of their weekly paychecks, when the money doesn't come back to us, or to any of the people who really need it? So if it isn't political to bomb the building where the bureaucrats do their rip-offs - what is?



# STRIKES

## wildcat

On July 13th, thousands of Telephone Co. and Western Electric workers across the nation walked off their jobs in a wildcat strike one day before the international union sanctioned strike. Locally, 6 offices in San Francisco, all offices in Contra Costa and Alameda counties, and several peninsula offices were out on strike by 5PM. In Palo Alto, Western Electric workers showing again their united support of fellow workers, walked out of the Hamilton Street office at 9AM after a short morning of harassment from management over the T-shirts saying "Ma Bell is a Cheap Mother." After Western workers left, management found that several main cables were cut, shutting off the dial tone in over 1/6th of Palo Alto phones. The men immediately set up a picket line and began turning away trucks trying to take supplies into the Palo Alto office. These workers from Communications Workers of America, Local 9490 waited until about 2PM for the first Telephone Company workers to wildcat. This strike by CWA Local 9409 was lead by women in Dial offices, followed shortly by women and some men in the Plant Service Center. At about 3:30PM 13 operators from unit 1 and several switchmen and framers walked out. Repairmen and installers returning to the office from calls began parking their trucks on the street and joining the walk-out. At this point, local union leadership, seeing their rank and file off their jobs, were forced to sanction the wildcat.

**TO THE PEOPLE!**

This strike against one of the largest companies in the country with largest defense contracts may go as long as two months. The company seems to think it can handle any strike because much of the equipment is automated and many managers are trained to scab on the strikers. In order to insure a successful strike the community must get together to support the striking workers. Here's what you and your friends can do:

1. If not expecting an important call, turn your phone off the hook.
  2. Place all calls (local or long distance) through the scab operators.
  3. Call the business office (326-8201 in P.A.) and question all calls on your last bill.
  4. Call the repair service (611) and have them test your line.
  5. Phone business office (326-8201 in P.A.) and ask for new equipment (cord or phone). Either send it to a phoney address or cancel the order when the scab arrives.
  6. Join in on the picket lines in front of any Ma Bell offices.
- Remember that anyone masquerading as a telephone worker is a scab and should be dealt with as such.

### LABOR NEWS

American workers are really on the move. As the war-produced inflation drives prices and the cost of living ever higher, workers all across the nation are striking militantly for better wages and working conditions. 10,000 workers are on strike in the Bay Area alone. Longshoremen, copper workers, painters, carpenters, warehousemen, municipal employees, and others have rejected government attempts to make them pay for the war by keeping their wage demands "in line." Instead, they are fighting the mounting attack on their living standards.

### LONGSHOREMEN

The most important of the current strikes is the one involving West Coast dockworkers. 15,000 members of the International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union (ILWU) have closed down all West Coast ports. The strike began at 8:00 am, Friday morning (June 2), after negotiations broke down between the ILWU and the Pacific Maritime Association (PMA), the employer bargaining organization. The PMA has 120 member firms - steamship lines (American and foreign), stevedore companies, and waterfront freight terminals. Negotiations began last November but remained deadlocked up until last week when the 5-year agreement ended.

The longshoremen are demanding, among other things, a two-year contract, a guaranteed 40 hour work week for regular workers and 32 hours for casuals, an 85¢ an hour raise this year followed by a 75¢ an hour increase the next year (the current rate is \$4.28 an hour), and a \$500 a month pension for workers who retire after 25 or more years.

The strike has closed down 24 ports in Washington, Oregon, and California. All but military and passenger shipping has been stopped.

The last time the longshoremen struck was in 1948. That time they stayed out 95 days. This strike could be even longer.

### COPPERWORKERS

36,000 copper workers in 11 states went out on strike Wednesday night (June 30). The strike was called at a meeting of 200 representatives of 26 unions at a nonferrous metals unions conference in Salt Lake City. Involved are 30,000 members of the United Steelworkers' Union and 6,000 members of independent unions.

The strike follows two months of separate negotiations with the Big Four copper producers - Kennecott, Anaconda, Phelps-Dodge, and American Smelting and Refining (ASARCO). Plants have been closed down in Texas, Idaho, Washington, New Jersey, Maryland, New Mexico, Nevada, and Nebraska.

The strikers are primarily concerned with work rule changes the companies want to make. Among these are changes in crew size, amount of work to be done, and location of work.

The companies have offered less in the way of wage increases than the aluminum workers recently received. The copperworkers are demanding a 30% increase - 82¢ an hour plus a cost

of living raise. This would mean over \$1 an hour increases for the workers who now make between \$3.81 and \$4.38 per hour.

### PAINTERS

The majority of northern California 6,000 painters and paperhangers walked off their jobs Thursday (June 1) in a "no contract, no work" dispute. The strike involves members of Painters' Union District Councils 8, 13, and 33 extending from San Jose to Sacramento. The painters and paperhangers now get \$6.57 an hour. They are demanding an additional 75¢ an hour in wages and 35¢ an hour in benefits. As of Thursday (June 8), one quarter of the Painters' Union's 6,000 members were reported to have returned to work under interim agreements with painting contractors.

### AIRPORT WORKERS

225 Port of Oakland employees are striking the Oakland International Airport, slowing flights to some degree. The strikers, members of the United Public Employees Union Local 390, are demanding salary parity with the private sector for building trades employees, laborers, truck drivers, and auto mechanics.

The Port of Oakland has obtained a temporary restraining order to prevent picketing at the airport, ports, and public agencies, but the Alameda County Central Labor Committee has said it will ignore the order.

### CARPENTERS

2,000 northern California carpenters and 150 tunnel workers, members of the Carpenters' Union, are striking for better wages and fringe benefits against the Associated General Contractors and the Engineering and Grading Contractors Association. The dispute involves workers in 46 counties north of Kern County.

In retaliation for the carpenters' work stoppages over the past two weeks, contractors have locked out close to 100,000 workers on about 75% of the heavy construction projects in northern California. High-rise buildings, rapid transit stations and Candlestick Park expansion have been halted in San Francisco.

The negotiations are deadlocked on fringe issues.

### MILL VALLEY CITY EMPLOYEES

Municipal employees in Mill Valley excluding police and firemen, walked out Thursday (June 1) in the first union-sanctioned strike in Marin County history. City operations were severely hampered as department heads tried to take over. City Hall, the library, the park and recreation department, the department of public works, and the planning office were all affected by the strike.

The striking city employees affiliated last March with the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees. The organization represents about one half of Mill Valley's city employees, including all but public safety workers - police and firemen.

The strikers' main goal is union recognition.

# HUELGA!

Los trabajadores americanos están verdaderamente moviendo. Miedos que la inflación producido por guerra empuja los precios, y el costo de vivir siempre más alta, los trabajadores por todos lados del país están en huelga para mayor sueldo y mejores condiciones de trabajo.

11,000 trabajadores están en huelga en la península. Estibadores, trabajadores de cobre, pintores, y trabajadores de almacenes, carpinteros, empleados municipales, y otros han rechazado los atentados del gobierno para hacer los trabajadores a financiar la guerra por no hacer demandas para más dinero. En vez de esto ellos están luchando contra el ataque ascendido en sus condiciones de vivir.

### LOS ESTIBADORES

La mas importante de las huelgas corrientes es la que envuelva los Trabajadores de las Dársenas de la Costa Oeste. 15,000 miembros de la International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union (Union de los Estibadores y Trabajadores de Almacenes--ILWU) han cerrado todos puertos de la costa oeste. La huelga empezó a las 8:00 de la mañana el viernes 2 de Junio, después de las negociaciones entre la ILWU y la Pacific Maritime Association (la Asociación Marítima Pacífica--PMA) -- la organización del patrón para regatear. La PMA tiene 120 compañías que están miembros--compañías de vapores (americanas y extranjeras), compañías de estibadores, y terminos de cargo del embarcadero. Las negociaciones empezaron el noviembre pasado, pero no han hecho nada hasta la semana pasada cuando el convenio que existieron por 5 años se acabó.

Los estibadores están demandando un contrato de 2 años, una semana de trabajo de 40 horas para los trabajadores regulares y 32 horas para los trabajadores casuales, un aumento de sueldo de 15 ¢ cada hora este año, seguido por un aumento de 75¢ cada hora el año próximo (el sueldo corriente es \$4.28 cada hora), y una pensión de \$500.00 para trabajadores que se retiran después que 25 años o más. La huelga ha cerrado 24 puertos en Washington, Oregon y California. Todos envíos excepto los envíos militares y envíos de pasajeros han sido parados.

La última vez que los estibadores se declararon en huelga fue en 1948. Aquella vez estuvieron en huelga por 95 días. Esta huelga pueda durar por más tiempo.

### TRABAJADORES DE COBRE

10,000 trabajadores en 11 estados se declararon en huelga el noche de miércoles 19 de Junio. Se declararon en huelga una junta de 200 representantes de 16 uniones en una conferencia de uniones de metal en Salt Lake City. 10,000 miembros de la United Steelworkers Union (Unión de los Trabajadores Unidos de Acero) y 6,000 miembros de uniones independientes.

La huelga siguió dos meses de negociaciones apartes con el Cuatro productores de cobre--Kennecott, Phelps-Dodge, y American Smelting and Refining (ASARCO). Fábricas han sido cerrados en Texas, Idaho, Washington, New Jersey, Mary--

land, Nuevo Mexico, Nevada y Nebraska.

Los huelgistas están preocupado principalmente con cambios con las reglas de trabajo que quieren hacer las compañías. Unos de estos cambios son cambios en tamaños de las cuadrillas, la suma de trabaja que tienen que hacer, y los lugares de trabajo.

Las compañías han ofrecido menos aumentos de sueldo de los que recibieron los trabajadores de aluminio recientemente. Los trabajadores están demandando un aumento de sueldo de 30%-82¢ cada hora y un aumento por el costo de vivir. Este quiere decir más que un aumento de \$1.00 cada hora por los trabajadores quienes ya ganan como \$3.81 de \$4.38 cada hora.

### LOS PINTORES

La mayoría de los 8,000 pintores y empapeladores de California del Norte pararon el trabajo el jueves 1 de Junio en un disputa de "no contrato, no trabajo." La huelga envuelva miembros de Painters Union District Councils 8, 13, y 33 (Concilios de Distritos de la Unión de los Pintores) desde San José hasta Sacramento. Los pintores y empapeladores ya reciben \$6.57 cada hora. Están demandando un aumento de 75¢ cada hora y 35¢ cada hora en beneficios. Se dice que, empezando en el jueves 8 de Junio, un cuarto de los 6000 miembros de la Unión de los Pintores han regresado a trabajo bajo los convenios interinos con las contratistas de pintar.

### TRABAJADORES DEL AEROPUERTO

225 empleados del Puerto de Oakland están en huelga contra el Aeropuerto Internacional de Oakland, y están retardando las fugas un poco. Los huelgistas, miembros de la Unión Local de los Empleados Públicos Unidos 390, están demandando sueldo igual con el sector particular por los empleados de los comercios de construcción, obreros, carreteros y mecanicos de carros.

El Puerto de Oakland ha conseguido un reglamento de restricción temporal para prevenir el estacionado de piquetes en el aeropuerto, los puertos y las agencias públicas, pero el Comité de Labor del Condado Central de Alameda ha dicho que 10 desatendrán el reglamento.

### CARPINTEROS

2,000 carpinteros de California del Norte y 150 trabajadores de túneles, miembros de la Unión de los Carpinteros, están en huelga para mejor sueldo y beneficios contra Las Contratistas Generales Asociadas, y la Asociación de las Contratistas de Ingeniería y "grading". La disputa envuelve los trabajadores de 46 condados norte de Condado Kern.

En desquite contra las huelgas de las dos semanas pasadas, las compañías han cerrado las puertas a casi 100,000 trabajadores de 75% de los proyectos de construcción en California del Norte. Edificios altos, estaciones de transito rapido y la expansion de Candlestick Park han sido parado en San Francisco. Las negociaciones han parado sobre la tirada de beneficios en lugar de sueldo.

### EMPLEADOS DE LA CIUDAD DE MILL VALLEY

Trabajadores de la ciudad de Mill Valley, excepto la policía y los bomberos, se declararon en huelga el 1 de Junio en la primera huelga de la ciudad en la historia del Condado Marin. Las operaciones de la ciudad han sido restringido mientras que el Ayuntamiento tentó a contralar la huelga. Todos los instituciones del gobierno de la ciudad--la biblioteca, el departamento de parques, el departamento municipal y la oficina de planar de la ciudad, fueron afectado por la huelga.

Los trabajadores que están en huelga unieron el marzo pasado con el Federación Americana de los Trabajadores del Estado, Condado, y Municipal. La organización representa como la mitad de los trabajadores de la ciudad de Mill Valley, incluyendo todos excepto trabajadores de la seguridad pública--la policía y los bomberos.

El objetivo principal de las huelgistas es reconocimiento por la unión.

### CAMIONEROS DEL AEROPUERTO

52 camioneros de los camiones del aeropuerto no están manejando esta semana. Su contrato con la compañía "Airtaxi," un subsidiario de "Yellow Cab," se acabó el 1 de Junio. Los camioneros están miembros de Chauffeurs Union Local 265 (Unión Local 265 de Chóferes).

### HUELGA DE FERROCARRIL VIENE

Oficiales de la Unión Unido de Transportación (UTU) dijo que sus miembros se declararán en huelga. Union Pacific, Southern Railway, y Chicago y Northwestern Railroad en el 16 de Julio. La UTU tiene 200,000 miembros, incluyendo todos trabajadores de ferrocarril excepto las maquinistas y unos bomberos.

### TRABAJADORES DE ALMACENES DE ALAMEDA

392 trabajadores de almacenes en Safeway Distribution Center (Centro de Distribución de Safeway) en Richmond se declararon en huelga el jueves 1 de Junio. El Jefe de la Corte Distrito U.S. Robert F. Peckham provino un reglamento de restricción, forzando los trabajadores a regresar a trabajo.

Los trabajadores de almacenes estuvieron en huelga para protestar la una extraordinaria de trabajo y comentarios racistas hecha por uno de los superintendentes.

### OTRA ACCIÓN DE HUELGA

Se dice que no hay progreso con los esfuerzos para acabar las huelgas de la unión de los trabajadores de los campos contra la huelga nacional por los trabajadores del telegrafo contra Western Union.

IF TALK IS CHEAP, MAYBE IT'S BECAUSE TELEPHONE WAGES ARE TOO LOW

# MORE STRIKES!

## AIRPORT BUS DRIVERS

52 drivers of Airporter buses aren't at the wheel this week. Their contract with Airporter Co., a Yellow Cab subsidiary, was up on June 1. The drivers are members of Chauffeurs' Union Local 265.

## RAILROAD STRIKE LOOMS

Officials of the United Transportation Union (UTU) said their members would strike Union Pacific, Southern Railway, and the Chicago and North-western Railroad on July 16. The UTU has 200,000 members, including all locomotive and trainworkers except engineers and some firemen.

## GROCERY WAREHOUSEMEN

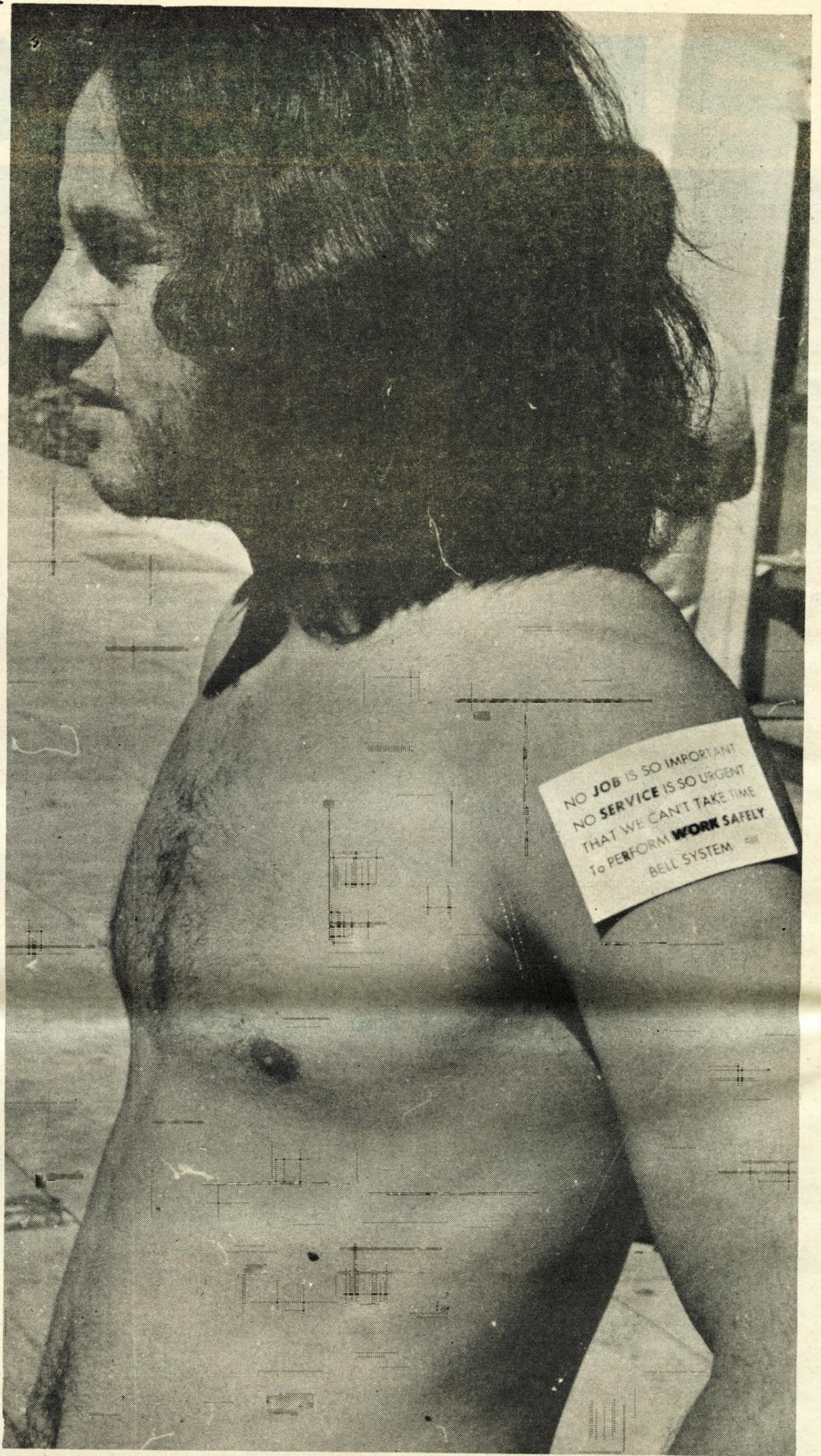
392 warehousemen at the Safeway Distribution Center in Richmond wild-catted on Thursday (June 1). U.S. District Court Judge Robert F. Peckham issued a restraining order forcing the strikers back to work.

The warehousemen went out to protest unusual work loads and racist remarks made by one of the supervisors.

## OTHER STRIKE ACTION

No progress was reported this week in efforts to end strikes by the Cemetery Workers' Union against 11 Peninsula graveyards, and the nationwide strike by telegraphers against Western Union.

NO **JOB** IS SO IMPORTANT  
NO **SERVICE** IS SO URGENT  
THAT WE CAN'T TAKE TIME  
To PERFORM **WORK SAFELY**  
BELL SYSTEM 



# BERETS IN N. CAROLINA

Los Green Berets quienes se han sido conocidos por su tormento y asesinato de gente del tercer mundo en Asia y America Latina, ahora estan trabajando en los Estados Unidos.

Los Green Berets se han movido a los condados Hoke y Anson en North Carolina donde mas de la mitad de la poblacion en Negra o India. La razon oficial por que esten presentes los Green Berets es para dar ayuda medical a la gente. Es interesante saber que la razon oficial por ver mandado a los Green Berets a Vietnam era para dar ayuda medical a la gente de Vietnam. Pronto se acharo, que los Green Berets en Vietnam en realidad guerian "pacificar" a la gente. La gente que no se podia pacificar fue asesinada por los Green Berets. (Coincidentemente, el proyecto secreto del Army "Garber Woods" en cual los Green Berets y los Psyops, especialistas de Operaciones Psicologicas, se trenean para asesinar gente del tercer mundo, se ha llevado achabo en North Carolina por algun tiempo. Sera que la movida de los Green Berets a los condados Hoke y Anson sea parte de la misma operacion?)

Teniente General John J. Tolson III tuvo la idea de aplicar las habilidades especializadas de unitos como los Green Berets, "A donde sean mas necesitados aqui mismo." Considerando que los expertos militares creen que el problema mas grande aqui es el peligro de insurreccion por parte de gente Negra, Morena, de Asia, y India el plan de Tolson de poner a los Green Berets en comunidades del tercer mundo en AMERIKA hace senso para los puercos.

General Tolson debe recordar que cuando la gente realize que estan haciendo los Green Berets, trataran con ellos en la misma manera como la gente de Vietnam ha tratado con ellos.



THE GREEN BERETS ARE NOW BEING DEPLOYED IN NORTH CAROLINA

The Green Berets who have become well known for their torture and murder Third World people in Asia and Latin America, are now operating in the United States.

The Green Berets have moved into Hoke and Anson counties in North Carolina, where more than 1/2 the population is either Black or Indian. The official reason for the Green Beret presence is to give medical help to the people. It is interesting to note

that the official reason the Green Berets were sent to Vietnam was to give medical help to the Vietnamese people. It soon became clear, however, that what the Green Berets were really doing in Vietnam was trying to "pacify" the people. Those people who could not be pacified were murdered by the Berets. (Coincidentally, the Army's secret "Garber Woods" project in which the Green Berets and the Psyops, Psychological Operations Specialists, train for murdering Third World people, has been going on in North Carolina for some time. Wonder if the Green Berets new move into Hoke and Anson counties could be part of the same operation?)

Lieutenant General John J. Tolson III came up with the idea of applying the specialized skills of such units as the Green Berets "where they are most needed at home." Considering that many military experts feel that the greatest military problem at home is the danger of insurrection by Black, Brown, Yellow and Red people, Tolson's plan of putting the Green Berets in Third World communities in Amerika makes sense for the pigs.

General Tolson should remember that when the people realize what the Green Berets are really up to, they will deal with them in the same manner the Vietnamese people have.

## "DON'T PANIC, IT AIN'T A BUST"

Recently four U.S. Senators went slumming in Harlem. They put on their peace buttons and went looking for addicts, in order to "expose" the heroin plague in our communities.

One of them was the Senator from New York--Jacob Javits. But he, like the others, had never been out on the streets, down with the people before. Javits looked at the slums, at the sea of black faces and pronounced it was a "stugian hole"--rich talk for a "hellish place".

The Senators tour was prearranged and set up as a "show" to be used on the TV news.

Led by city officials, the Senators snuck into a dark unfurnished apartment and, right on cue, caught four brothers shooting up.

Suddenly the newsmen turned on the big TV lights.

"Don't panic, it ain't a bust," shouted Mahorie Doxon, a floor supervisor in the United Harlem Drug Fighter Clinic at Harlem Hospital.

The brothers snapped around, yelling, "get the fuck out of here." One allegedly came at Senator Harold Hughes with a knife.

Later, on the "tour", a 16 yearold clinic worker scored some bags for the Senators, which they plan to introduce to Congress as evidense of the availability of dope on the street.

These opportunist, jive-ass politicians are using the sufferings of black people for their TV shows. The government has shown it has no real interest in rooting heroin out of the community. That is something the people will have to take care of.

Meanwhile, if you see four U.S. Senators, followed by ABC, NBC, and

CBS, busting into your home, shoot to kill.



Senator Harold Hughes and lackey shown escaping from a Harlem tenement.



Does it really exist? Maybe not, but we are trying, and in the process we're trying a lot of new ideas. A couple of people (John Bremner and Laura Heffron) have taken over the news department and are doing a news program every weekday from 5:45 to 6:00. They need people to help as news reporters, regional co-ordinators, and just to tip them off to good stories. If you're interested and want to help call KTAO between 4:00 and 6:00 and ask for someone in the news department. If you just want to hear the news about what's happening on the Peninsula (San Francisco to Santa Clara) we are as accurate as you help us to be. We're not the Paly Times, the Redwood City Trib, or the San Jose Mercury. We're KTAO 95.3 FM (just above KSAN) in Los Gatos.

SEIZE THE MEDIA!

# INTERVIEW WITH

V.: A lot of people have been bringing questions about the helicopter and stuff. And they complain about it watching them, and stuff like that. Do you feel that it's an asset to the dept. or that it helps you?

P: My own personal opinion, definitely. There again about the helicopter I don't know much about it. The captain knows more.

E.: That comes under the criminal division also. I can probably dispel some rumors about them, they're huge model 300 C's, they're about the smallest helicopter made and they're primarily, in fact about the only thing they can be practically used for, is observation. You can't carry any heavy equipment in them, their pay load is about 625 lbs. You get 2 men, full tank of gas and radio equipment in there and you're getting pretty close to the limit. You don't carry napalm, or machine guns, or anything like that.

P: No tear gas.

V: Do they have mountings for guns?

E: Pardon?

V: Do they have mountings for guns?

E: No. They couldn't; we wouldn't carry--we never put guns on them, we can't carry them.

V: We heard an incident that someone was shot from one.

E: Yes, I saw that in the Black Liberation Front newspaper and that's not true, incidently. First of all we haven't shot anyone in EPA in quite a while, from a helicopter or anywhere else.

V: That incident in the junk yard, I think a while back where you used a helicopter...

E: Oh, that's the one you're referring to--the helicopter was there but who was...

P: Botto.

E: Did he shoot somebody?

P: Yeah, the white kid. Yeah. Running away...

E: Oh I remember.

P: The owner fired first.

E: Yeah, he got a little criticism for that, well it's hard to say at night. They thought that there had been...it appears that people of this wrecking yard were in there and started shooting when our units had gotten the call that there was a burglary in progress and arrived as they pulled up they heard shooting. And when they saw somebody running in the night, being night, they assumed that this guy might be armed. But Botto did shoot that guy.

P: It was in the leg.

E: They wouldn't have shot from the helicopter and I think it would be, I shouldn't probably be telling you this, but you really don't have a lot to fear from offensive action, from a helicopter. They can watch you. Tests have been done in Southern California and they found that in actual tests that it is pretty difficult to hit anything from a helicopter. Now we are talking about these observation types, not the kind you use in Vietnam or anything like that. They are made as gun platforms. Ours aren't.

V: San Mateo has two helicopters or just one? Two helicopters. Do you use them together?

E: No. The reason two helicopters were purchased was that helicopters require much more maintenance than fixed wing aircraft, and usually one of them is tied up with some kind of maintenance work.

V: So you alternate them?

E: Right.

V: But you could at one time use two, in some situations?

E: Oh sure. If both of them were ready to go and we had the manpower available.

V: People have been noticing that the communities of Redwood City and East Palo Alto are always patrolled by helicopters.

E: Right.

V: Practically day and night.

E: East Palo Alto particularly.

V: Could you explain that?

E: East Palo Alto's Municipal Council felt that they would like to take advantage of the observation potential of the helicopter.

V: Uh huh.

E: ... to cut down the burglary rate down there--it's very high. Particularly day-time, residential burglaries. And, uh, we haven't got a lot of statistical data yet, but it seems that, at least to me, that they have gone down, there has been a lessening, in day-time residential burglaries. One of the reasons

that we wanted to do it, but only with their permission, because of the obvious fact we don't want people to think that we are spying on them. We are spying on burglars if we catch them.

V: Uh huh. But a ...

E: But a... we're not out to spy in the country, cause we can't see everything.

V: Is there another community besides Redwood City and East Palo Alto that always is patrolled? I mean do you send...

E: Our helicopter has a regular route. Except East Palo Alto. Now we have a special program down there that the East Palo Alto Municipal Council has approved, of where we keep the helicopter down there going the day time, particularly during the middle hours of the day, from about 11 till about 2 or 3 in the afternoon and that's specifically the anti-residential patrol.

V: Anti-residential patrol?

E: Well, anti-residential burglary patrol, I should have said.



V: I see... What is the route of the helicopter? Do you use it in San Carlos and South San Francisco?

E: They will patrol when they make a trip and weather permitting, and they're pretty restricted. You may have noticed that at the Los Seddy [Los Siete] deal they had several foggy days when there were no helicopters.

V: There was one day when they flew rather low.

E: One day, yes, That was the first day. I guess they wanted to see what was going on.

V: Are they deputies?

E: Oh yes. They're deputy sheriffs. Who have been trained in... trained in flying helicopters. But their patrol goes all the way up over the Crocker Estates in South San Francisco and come down the coast. They have a lot of drowning and now the helicopter can't do much except observe.

V: How? It hovers, can't it, and it can land.

E: It hovers and it can land... if it has the right area.

V: Can it pick anybody up?

E: It can pick people up but it can't rescue anybody--it's not that kind of helicopter. We might eventually have that type where you have a winch where people can be...like the Coast Guard has where you can actually rescue someone.

P: We use them for search lights, searching for drownings at night...

V: Uh hum.

P: Along the beaches.

V: A lot of people complain about the search light,

# SGT. PRONSKE

you know, going up and down the track or something like that...

P: Right.

E: We're trying.

V: How do you feel about organizations like Venceremos or the Black Liberation Front? Do you know much about them?

P: I don't know a whole lot about them. I feel that they probably can do some good, if it's channeled in the right direction.

E: May I ask you a question?

V: Sure.

E: Is there some, is there a difference, I know this is one of the things that bothers a lot of people in our sets, so to speak, is there a difference between Venceremos College, that we call down there, and what they call the Venceremos Brigade that we hear about that's supposed to be a revolutionary outfit that's, according to their publicity at least, is going to tear down the government and kill pigs and everything?

V: Venceremos organization?

E: In other words, "venceremos" is a word, in Spanish. Now we have, I've read articles about what they call the Venceremos Brigade, or something like that, and is that directly connected with Venceremos College, or is it just an outfit that has adopted that name because it's a good sounding name?

V: Well, there are a lot of organizations called Venceremos--Venceremos newspaper in New Mexico...

E: Well, see this is one of the things that bugs like I say, probably, no doubt, policemen and other people, is that we would tend to associate something that some outfit that calls itself Venceremos in Oakland or Richmond or Los Angeles with Venceremos College here, and you could understand, just for the same reason, I think, that people in your bag associate the deputy sheriff in San Mateo County with the deputy sheriff in Florida or North Dakota or something.

V: You were the arresting officer for Bruce Franklin for participating...

P: I was there.

V: How do you feel about his trial and the way it's come out?

P: Well, I think he was guilty of more than interfering with an officer, because I was right there. I saw, I gave the order to arrest him. I saw him hit the deputy. However, it would have cost a lot of time and a lot of money and the district attorney, courts, just too many cases going, so I'm not dissatisfied with it.

V: Do you think justice was done in the case?

P: I think so, don't you?

E: Yeah. Chances are if he was tried and convicted of the worst offense, his sentence wouldn't have been any more, because this was his first offense.

V: To go back to the court and the justice system,

do you feel that a black man or a brown man can get justice when tried by white people?

P: I know some who probably have.

V: If you were being tried by a black judge and a black jury, how would you feel?

E: I'd probably be kind of uptight about it. I imagine a black man feels the same way. However, not being a minority, they're probably a lot more used to it than I'd be.

P: If I was a police officer, being tried by a black judge and a black jury... no, I wouldn't want to then. If I was a citizen, it'd depend on who they were. I worked in the service with some very nice black people. And I know some real nice ones that got me out of some tight spots in East Palo Alto. When I was surrounded once.

V: When were you surrounded?

P: Well, two of us were kind of making an arrest and there were about 30 around us.

V: Why do you say that if you were a policeman you'd feel less sure of yourself?

P: Well, I've arrested a lot of black people. Because they've committed the crimes. This is what I'm getting at. There are a lot of black people down in East Palo Alto that I wouldn't mind having on the jury.

V: If it was a jury that was all brown and the judge was brown, if you were a policeman you'd still feel ...

P: Well, because of the kind of work I'm in.

V: How do you feel about community control of the police?

P: As a police officer, I'm dead set against it.

E: We all have built-in prejudices that maybe we don't even know we have. And there are certain practical things that affect a policeman's work. Just because a policeman in San Carlos stops 2 or 3 black men in an automobile at 10 or 11 at night doesn't mean he's prejudiced against Negroes. What he is, he's on the lookout of suspicious circumstances. And there's only about 3 or 4 Negro families that live in San Carlos. And who are these guys and where are they going. He stops them to find out. I had an Oakland police captain who was a Negro tell me once that he was on his way home, he lives in the Oakland hills, he had a nice big house up there in a predominantly white neighborhood, because he was a captain in the Oakland police department, and he saw a black man driving up in his neighborhood, he was working out of the jail on the 4 to midnight shift, and he was on his way home at about 1 in the morning, and he pulled the guy over and stopped him in his own car to find out what a black man was doing up in that neighborhood. And it turned out that the other black man was a doctor, and he lived up there too. But that's what it's all about to policemen. And that's why people don't like them I guess.

P: Do you feel that minorities are being picked on?

V: Yeah.

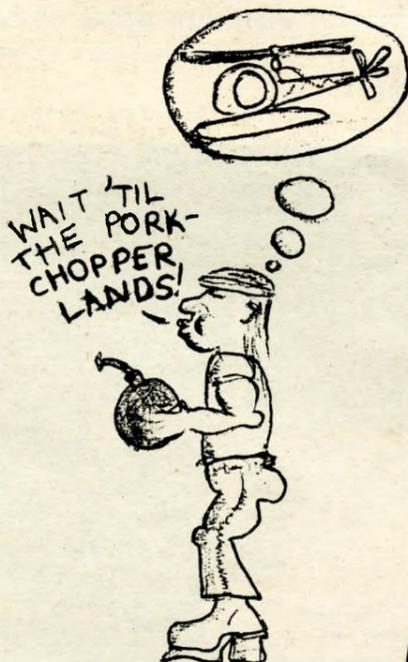
P: How about the police officers? That's the smallest minority group in the United States.

V: Well, I feel that the police officers are in somewhat of a different position than the minorities are.

E: That's right. We've got the power of the state and us.

V: Sgt. Pronske, do you feel you have any personal prejudices against minority people?

P: Against minority people? No. Like I said, I worked in the service, I flew with them. Some black people are very nice people. I know a lot of them down here, I have no problems with them.



Frank Anderson ☆

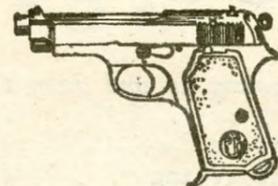


# WHO IS RUCHELL MAGEE?



"the limits of the oppressor are prescribed by the endurance of those whom they oppress. People you must resist."

From Von Hoffman column, Chronicle May 23, 1971



" Quien es Ruchell Magee? Quien es este hombre negro revolucionario, pequeno del cuerpo, pero gran de la mente? ..... "El ha escrito unas peticiones nuevas - el tiene una mente legal ingeniosa, pero el juez ha hecho una regla nueva: Ruchell no puede introducir ningun peticion. Los abogados dicen que esta regla es sin ejemplo, pero Ruchell ya lo ha oido varias veces. Una de sus peticiones fue rehusada porque estaba escrita en papel de tamano incorrecto. Entonces si alguien le tirara una pistola otra vez, el lo va a usar otra vez, porque el ha escrito en su modo arduo que "las limitaciones del opresor estan prescrito por la resistencia de los que oprimen. Gente - se deben resistar."



"Who is Ruchell Magee? Who is this physically minute, mentally giant revolutionary black man? .... "He has written out some new petitions - his is an ingenious legal mind, but the judge has made a new rule: Ruchell may not file anything. The lawyers say it is unheard of, but Ruchell has heard it before. One of his petitions was turned down because it was on the wrong size paper. So if someone throws him a gun again, he will use it again, for he has written in that strained and arduous hand of his that

**FREE RUCHELL**

De la columna de Von Hoffman San Francisco Chronicle 23 de Mayo 1971



**Panthers**

**Aquitted**

**Of**

**Murder**



Twelve Detroit Panthers, accused once each on charges of murder and conspiracy to murder, were declared innocent by a Detroit jury.

The Panthers were indicted by a Grand Jury last Nov. 5 in connection with the Oct. 24 offing of a Detroit plainclothes policeman.

Two Detroit cops were trying to ticket Panthers for distributing Panther literature on the sidewalk outside the National Committee to Combat Fascism headquarters. A fight broke out when some Panthers and community people tried to prevent the two cops from handing out the tickets.

After the plainclothesman was shot, heavily armed police reinforcements staged a 9-hour siege of the NCCF headquarters.

The Panthers left the house in 3 different groups. Two groups left before a tear gas barrage, but three Panthers stayed until forced out, as Bobby and Eldridge were forced out, coughing and choking.

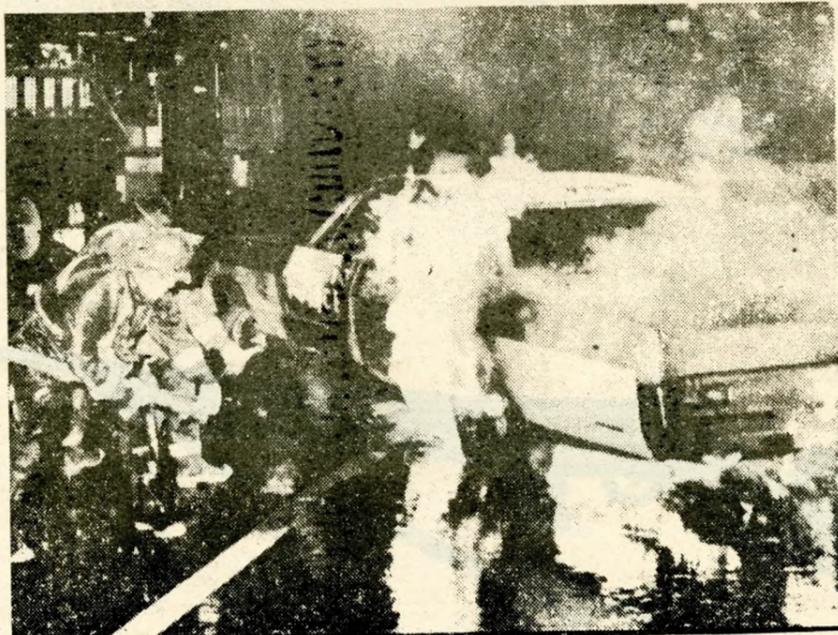
These 3 Panthers were found guilty of felonious assault.

POWER TO HEROIC FIGHTERS FOR ALL  
POWER TO THE PEOPLE

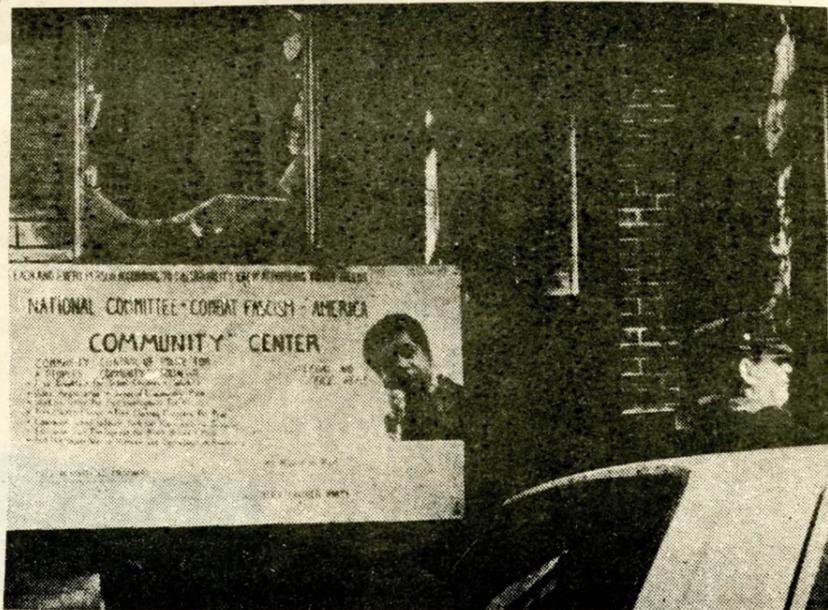


Detroit-October 24, 1970-Pigs arrest Panthers after shootout.

(Photos from Oct.31,1970 Black Panther paper)



The people took care of business after shootout

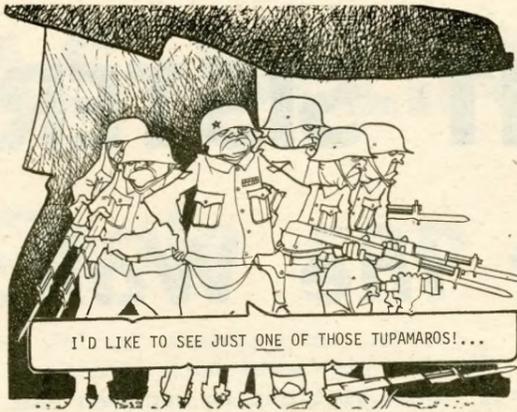


Pigs stand guard in front of office after raid

UN JEFE DE LOS TUPAMAROS SE ESCAPÓ  
Montevideo, Uruguay.

Juan Almiratti, un miembro del MLN (tupamaros) y probablemente uno de sus jefes, se ha escapado de una corte aquí después de una batalla con la policía.

Almiratti y su esposa fueron arrestados el año pasado y cargados con participación en la ejecución de Hector Moran Charquero, jefe de La Brigada especial de la policía.



TUPAMARO LEADER ESCAPES

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Montivideo, Uruguay

Juan Almiratti, a member of the MLN (Tupamaros) and believed to be one of its leaders, has escaped from a trial court building here following an exchange of gunfire with police.

Almiratti and his wife were arrested last year after being charged with having participated in the execution of Hector Moran Charquero, chief of the police's Special Brigade.



El Moreno

"EL MORENO" ASESINADO

El revolucionario dominicano Maximiliano Gomez, conocido por el nombre El Moreno, fue asesinado con veneno el mes pasado por agentes del gobierno dominicano en un pequeño apartamento en Brussels, Bélgica. En los Estados Unidos nada aparece en los periódicos del asesinato.

Gomez fue uno de los diez y ocho prisioneros liberados de cárceles en Santo Domingo en marzo, 1970 en cambio por Major Donald J. Crowley, que había sido secuestrado por un grupo armado del Movimiento popular dominicano (MPD). Gomez fue el secretario-general del MPD al tiempo de su encarcelación.

Como crece la resistencia en el República Dominicana también crece la represión. Maximiliano Gomez fue el cuarto jefe del MPD asesinado en el año pasado. Con la ayuda del CIA, las manos asesinas de la policía dominicana secreta se puedan estar por todas partes del mundo, como en el caso de Maximiliano.

Si las facistas son tan estupidos que piensan que tengan el poder de asesinar la revolución, deben escuchar las palabras de Carmen la viuda del moreno: "Moreno, hombres como tú no están lamantados, pero están emulados. Juro ante tú cadáver que continua la lucha en que tú muriste".

¡EL ESPIRITU DEL MORENO VIVE EN CARMEN GOMEZ Y TODOS REVOLUCIONARIOS!

CIA DIRECTOR IN ISRAEL

Richard Helms, director of the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency, arrived in Israel last Wednesday, for "meetings with government analysts". He is supposedly examining the growing Soviet role in Israel, and gathering information for the Nixon administration of Israel's security needs.

Is Israel going to be the next Vietnam?

EL DIRECTOR DE LA C.I.A. ESTA EN ISRAEL

Richard Helms, el director de la Agencia de Inteligencia Central, ha llegado en Israel el miércoles pasado, para "juntas con analistas del gobierno". Prentendidamente, él está examinando el creciendo papel de los Soviets en Israel, cogiendo información para la administración de Nixon para las necesidades seguridades de de Israel.

¿Será Israel el próximo Vietnam?

# NOTICIAS NACIONALES

## NATIONAL NEWS

"EL MORENO" MURDERED

DAVID HILLIARD

Dominican revolutionary Maximiliano Gomez, popularly known as El Moreno, was poisoned to death last month by agents of the Dominican government in a small apartment in Brussels, Belgium. There has been a total news blackout about the assassination in the U.S.

Gomez was one of 18 political prisoners released from Santo Domingo jails in March 1970 in exchange for Major Donald J. Crowley, who had been kidnapped by an armed unit of the Dominican Popular Movement (MPD). Gomez was Secretary-General of the MPD at the time of his imprisonment.

As resistance mounts in the Dominican Republic, so does repression. Maximiliano Gomez was the fourth MPD leader murdered in the past year alone. With the help of the CIA, the murderous hands of the Dominican secret police can reach around the world, as in the case of Maximiliano.

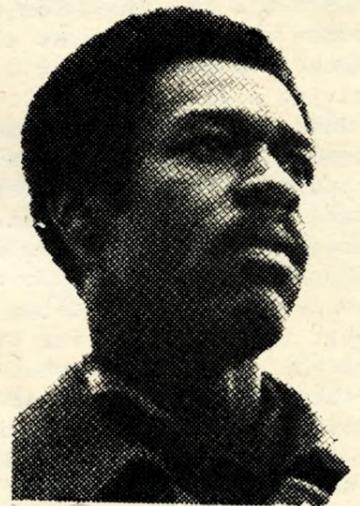
If the fascists are foolish enough to think they have the power to assassinate the revolution, they should listen to the words of El Moreno's widow, Carmen: "Moreno, men like you are not mourned, they are emulated. I swear before your corpse to continue the struggle in which you fell."

THE SPIRIT OF EL MORENO LIVES ON IN ARMEN GOMEZ AND ALL REVOLUTIONARIES!

El jefe de personal del Partido de las Panteras Negras David Hilliard empezó a servir una sentencia de 1-10 años por asalto con una arma mortífera. Los cargos vinieron de una pelea tirotea en el Abril de 1968. Mas que 50 chotas atacaron una casa de unas Panteras en Oakland y acribillaron la casa con balas de sub-ametralladora, asesinando Bobby Hutton y heriendo Eldridge Cleaver.

William J. Hayes, Juez del Corte Superior del Condado Alameda nego un mocion para una re-prueba hecho por el abogado de Hilliard, Allan Brotsky, por la razon que el jurado habia sido instruido impropriamente y que el demandante Frank Vukota se entrego en mala conducta. Fianza hasta apelacion tambien ha sido negado.

LIBERTAD PARA TODOS PRISIONEROS POLITICOS!



David Hilliard

Black Panther Party chief of Staff, David Hilliard began serving a 1 - 10 year sentence for assault with a deadly weapon. The charges come from a shoot out in April, 1968 when over 50 pigs attacked a Panther house in Oakland and riddled it with submachine gun fire, murdering Bobby Hutton and wounding Eldridge Cleaver.

Alameda County Superior Court Judge William J. Hayes denied a motion by Hilliard's lawyer, Allan Brotsky, for a retrial on grounds that the jury had been improperly instructed and that prosecutor Frank Vukota had indulged in misconduct. Bail pending appeal has also been denied.

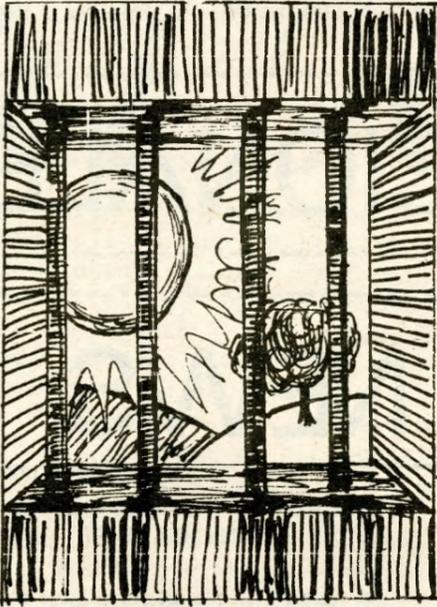
FREE ALL POLITICAL PRISONERS!!!

NOTICIAS INTERNACIONALES  
INTERNATIONAL NEWS



# DELINQUENT SISTERS, UNITE!

## Up Against the Wall, Matrons



People always hear of parents putting their kids in the hall for runaway, uncontrollable, and other charges, but for the most part that is not true. Just about the only ones that do are the pigs who are rich or well-off. It is the pigs who do most of the busting. Third world and working-class people really understand who the enemy is -- and it isn't their parents.

HERE ARE SOME WRITINGS ABOUT JUVENILE HALL BY SEVERAL PEOPLE WHO SPENT SOME TIME THERE:

- 1) San Jose Juvenile Hall is supposed to be a somewhat liberal place for rehabilitating juvenile delinquents. Funny how it carries on the same stunts the jails do. When a woman is disliked by one of the liberal "counselors" (pigs as far as the women are concerned), she is harrassed all the time. For instance one woman was not liked at all and was locked in her room for 8 hours for giving a sister the fist. This same woman was repeatedly sent to her room, time after time, and was then apologised to later. This is the kind of harrassment that women who speak up for themselves or are just busted on an "anti-social" charge get. Women are seeing J.H. for what it is; a jail for the youth.
- 2) If you are pregnant when you come into the hall, and your PO does not dig it, the nurse will give you three little pills. One of the pills is fine; just a vitamin. But the other two will make you miscarry. While I was in there about three sisters had that happen to them. What they said happened was: first you bleed a lot, then you'd start getting cramps that were so bad you could hardly stand up, and finally you would miscarry.

The women in the hall really dig their kids, they don't want to lose them to the pigs by miscarriage or any other way. Those who lost their babies that way are getting their stuff together and educating the rest of us to what happened and how to avoid it.

- 3) Last time I was in the hall we had history classes every afternoon. Twice while I was there we had pigs as guest speakers. (Not to mention that our teacher was a Los Gatos pig himself).

The two pigs were both 'Smiling Harry' type pigs out to win over the women's minds. They came across very understanding and very liberal and VERY ignorant about certain questions the women asked. They were suprised that the women knew so much.

The anti-pig consciousness, when confronted by pigs, is very high. Obviously, every woman in there has been screwed by them and see them for what they are -- PIGS!

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE IT IF YOU ...

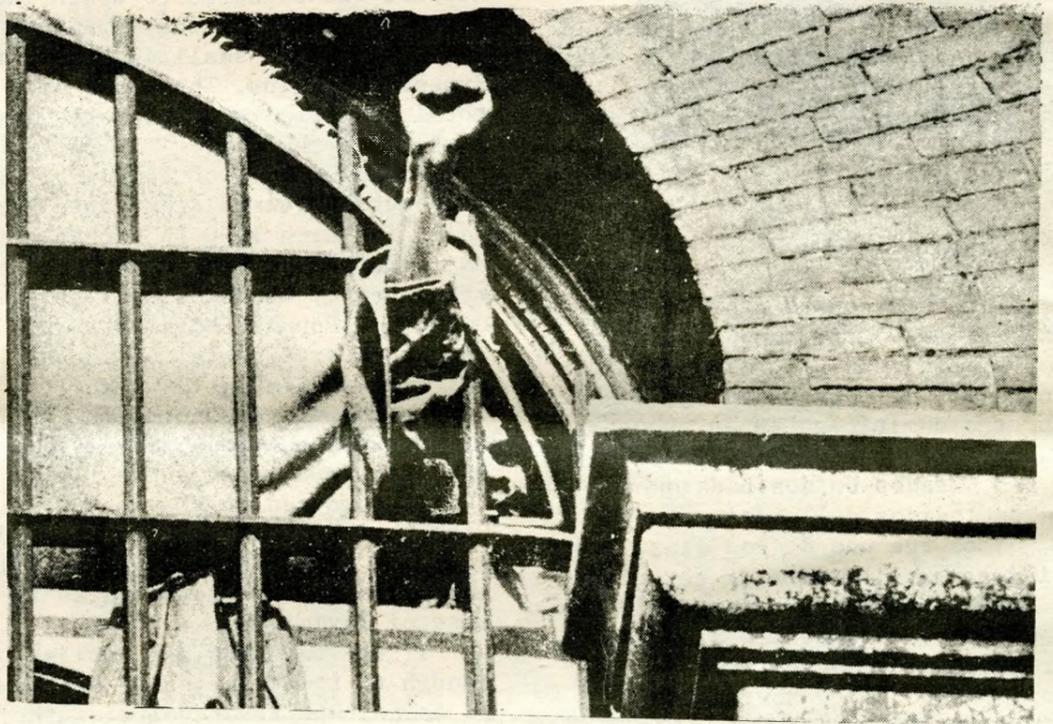
1. Had to write your name on your Kotex so you could be identified if it was laying around.
2. Had to spend a week in isolation for calling a bitch a "bitch".
3. Were forced to dance to Creedence Clearwater or the whole group was

sent to their rooms.

4. Had to have a complete room and skin search over a needle a counselor had misplaced.
5. Had to have your hot dog cut in half at dinner because the counselor thought you'd sneak it into your room and masturbate with it.
6. Wanted to read a magazine and was stuck with a 1960 House and Gardens.
7. Had to go to the bathroom and you were refused.

If these are the type of things you enjoy, come on over to 840 Guadalupe Parkway, San Jose, Calif. For only \$11.50 a day you get three meals and a bunk. Open 24 hours for your convenience.

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HIGHSCHOOL PARTISANS



### A POEM

No Lady  
Prison didn't improve me none.  
There was ten of us girls in the county jail  
five white, five black awaitin' trial for sellin shit.  
The white girls, they all on probation.  
Us black girls, we all go to Dwight. Me, three months gone.  
An I ask myself sittin on them concrete benches in the county.  
How come? How come me an my sisters goin to jail  
An the white girls goin back to college?  
Their mothers come in here an weep - they get probation.  
My mamma come in here - nose spread all over her face - she weepin too  
But I goin to Dwight.  
An I think about that - But I don't come up with no answers.  
Ain t got no money for a lawyer. Hell, I couldn't even make bail.  
Met the defender five minutes before my trial  
An I done what he said. Didn't seem like no trial to me,  
not like T.V.  
I didn't understand none of it.  
Six months to a year they give me.  
They ride us out there in a bus.  
My Lord, we rode - I thought we was goin to the ends of the earth.  
An then we get there - to the "campus" an Miss Morrissey.  
An two hundred rules, sayin' mostly what you can't do.  
An the warders wanna punish you all the time.  
See me playin' the game - goin to charm class an the body dynamics, (to learn my Feminine Role)  
An I take keypunchin, an I do real well.  
My boyfriend, he come to see me twice, an then he stop comin'  
An when I have the baby, I give it up,  
Weren't nothin else for me to do.  
They give me twenty-five dollar when I get outta there  
An I wearin my winter clothes in July, an everyone knows  
where I comin from

# HERMANAS DELINCIENTES,

## ¡UNIANSE! Chale con las matronas

Siempre se oye de padres que ponen sus hijos en la cárcel juvenil por haber salido de casa por ser irrefrenable, y por otros cargos pero por lo general, este no es la verdad. Los únicos que hacen así son los padres ricos y bien situados. Es la chota que arrestan la mayoría. La gente del tercer mundo y la clase trabajadora entienden quienes son los enemigos, y no son sus padres.

AQUÍ HAY UNOS RELATOS QUE TRATAN DE LA CÁRCEL JUVENIL POR UNAS PERSONAS QUE HAN PASADO ALGÚN RATO ALLÁ:

1) La Cárcel juvenil en San José (Juvenile Hall) suele ser un lugar liberal para la rehabilitación de delincuentes juveniles. Aquí se pasa lo mismo que en la cárcel de

los adultos. Cuando a uno de los «consejeros» liberales (son chotas en las opiniones de las mujeres) no le gusta una mujer, se le hostiga constantemente. Por ejemplo, una mujer que no les gustó a los oficiales ni un poquito fue encerrada un su cuarto por ocho horas por enseñar la puña a una hermana. Esta misma mujer fue repetidamente mandada a su cuarto y luego disculpado con. Este es la clase de hostigo que sufren las mujeres que hablan para sí mismos o que son arrestadas en cargos «anti-sociales». Las mujeres están reconociendo lo que es la cárcel juvenil: un cárcel para los juvenes.

2) Si una está preñada cuando entre la cárcel juvenil, y a su oficial de prueba no le guste este, la enfermera le dara a la mujer tres pastillitas. Una de las pastillas es buena;

es una vitamina. Pero las dos otras le hace a una malparir. Cuando yo estaba, este le pasó a unas tres hermanas. Ellas dijeron que así lo pasa: al principio una se sangra mucho, entonces empieza a tener calambres tan fuertes que por poco no se puede ponerse de pie, y por fin se malparee..

Las mujeres en las cárceles aman mucho a sus bebés y no quieren perderles a la chota por abortos ni por ningún otro modo. Las que han perdido sus niños así están preparandose para enseñar al resto de nosotras para que podamos evitar este robo de nuestros bebes.

3) La última vez que yo estuve en la cárcel juvenil tuvimos clases de historia cada tarde. Cuando yo estaba, tuvimos la chota como oradores visitantes dos veces. (¡Nuestro maestro era una chota de Los Gatos!)

Las dos chota fueron del tipo que sonreen continuamente tratando de influir y ganar las mentes de las mujeres. Parecían muy simpáticos y muy liberales y muy ignorantes de algunas cosas que les preguntaron las mujeres. Se sorprendieron de que las mujeres sabían tanto.

La conciencia o sentimiento contra la chota, cuando afrontado por la chota, está muy alta. Es obvio que cada mujer ha estado perjudicada por ellos y los ve como son--CHOTA!!  
¿COMO LE GUSTARÍA A UD.? SI...

1. Tuviera que escribir su nombre en su Kotex para que se pudiera identificarlo.

2. Tuviera que pasar una semana en aislamiento por haber llamado a una cabrona una «cabrona».

3. Tuviera que sufrir un registro completo de su cuarto y su cuerpo porque un consejero había perdido una aguja.

4. Tuviera que cortar su «hotdog» en mitad cuando comiera porque el consejero pensara que lo llevaría a su cuarto y

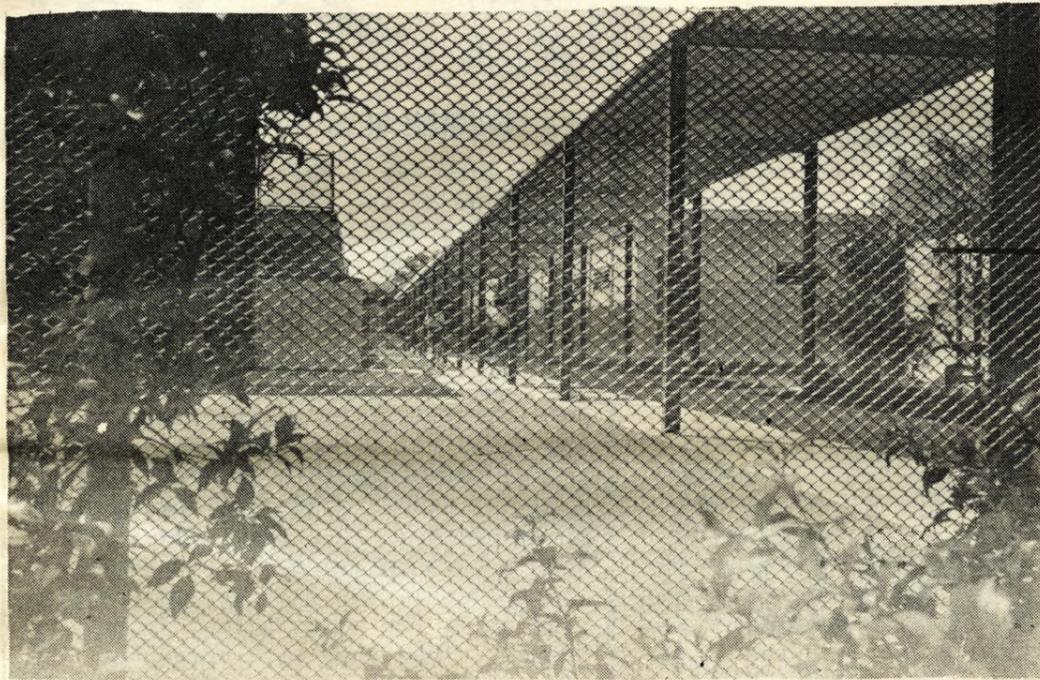
5. Fuera forzada a bailar a la música de Creedence Clearwater o el grupo completo se mandara a sus cuartos.

6. Quisiera leer una revista y todo que recibiera era una copia de Home and Gardens (Hogar y jardín) de 1960.

7. Tuviera que ir al baño y le rehúsara.

Si estas son de la clase de cosas que Ud. goza, venga a 840 Guadalupe Parkway, San Jose, California. Para \$11.50 recibe tres comidas y una tarima. Abierta 24 horas el día para su comodidad.

¡ LA JUVENTUD HACE LA REVOLUCIÓN!  
- -la división delincuente de los PARTIDARIOS de las escuelas secundarias



Six months I try to find a job, make it straight.  
But every door I push against closed tight.  
This here piece of paper say I'm a first-class keypuncher  
But the man who give the job, he say I flunk the test  
Sheeit man, I didn't flunk that test.  
You think I'm a criminal. I done my time, but you ain't reclassified me.  
I always be a criminal to you.  
So, I use some of the other things that prison taught me.  
That charm courses.  
No Sir - I been that route.  
You called me "criminal" an I guess I am.  
One of the counselors say I "mentally ill,"  
I needs treatment. Two hours a week they give me group therapy.  
The other hundred and fifteen, they lock me up - like an animal.  
An I ain't got no neurosis nowadays. Sheeit, it's this place make you ill.  
All them white warders, they so superior.  
All the time tellin you - "Don't give me no sass, girl."  
Squat! Use your pot!  
Down on your black ass, girl!  
Other night, I took sick with the cramps;  
There weren't no doctor 'til mornin.  
He poke me the sore spot an say, "Girl -  
You jus wanna go to the hospital. Get you some tea an toast."  
Tea an toast!  
My girlfriend - she die of diabetes, before they do anythin for her.  
She come outta here in a box. Looks like it won be no different for me  
That's how it is, Lady.  
No. Prison didn't improve me none.

Carol Jean Kier  
from Chicago Seed



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### WOMENS CENTER OPEN

Now that the Women's Center is open at Stanford, we need the help of the sisters in the area. The only way that the center can consistently serve the needs of women is if we get it together and pool our information. So please give us a call when you hear of films, programs, groups or demonstrations that women should know about. Bring in articles you run across and dig. We need your input.

Also: Check out "The Woman's Film" July, 29, 1971  
 12 Noon, 8:00PM, and 9:15PM  
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Information on:

- Self-defense groups
- Continuing women's groups
- Women's activities

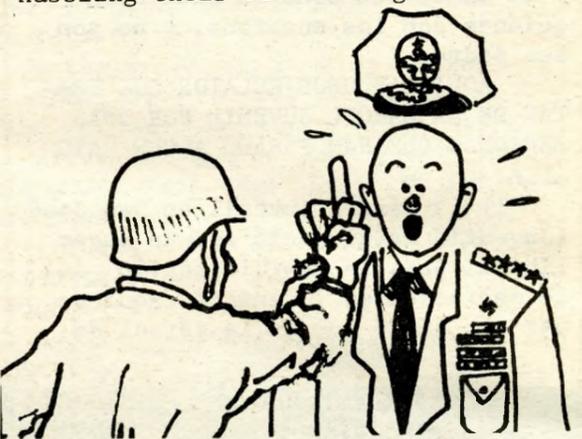
Upstairs in the Women's Clubhouse at Stanford  
 321-2300 Ext.3114

All women and women's groups welcome:  
 Meet. rap. get organized!

### ALTERNATE FOOD SERVICE

One of the fund raising projects going on to help legal defense is the alternate food service in White Plaza at Stanford. Some brothers and sisters who are at school there think that even though the boycott of Tressider ended after several successful months, summer students should know about and support the struggle against the racist and unwarranted firings that took place earlier this year. The struggle triggered an ongoing united front workers struggle that Stanford University has yet to see the end of. Some people are taking the brunt of unjust punishment through firings and arrests and they need everyone's help.

If you can and will help make food for the alternate food service (cookies, sandwiches, lemonade, chicken and any other ideas) please call Katy Kurtz or Mary Cummings at 324-4125.



### WOMAN GETS RUNAROUND

I work for a Palo Alto auto dealer. One of the women who works in the office with me told me she originally applied for a job as an apprentice mechanic. First they claimed she wasn't strong enough, but she proved she could do all the work the men had to do. Then they told her they didn't have any dressing rooms for women, and she'd have to wear her coveralls to work. She said she didn't mind that, since she lives nearby. Then they said they didn't have any women's rest rooms in the back. She said she wouldn't mind using the women's room in the office. Then they took cover behind a state law that says women can't lift heavy objects. "So I gave up," she said, and accepted a job filing repair orders for \$2.00 an hour, part time.

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## 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.

# WRITE

*Pamoja Venceremos* is trying to be a people's newspaper, one that reflects the revolutionary and cultural consciousness of the community. WE NEED THE PEOPLE'S SUPPORT! Most of us have never worked on a paper before. If you want something to be in the paper-write it up! If you want the paper to look different-come and help us change it! The paper works on a two-week schedule:

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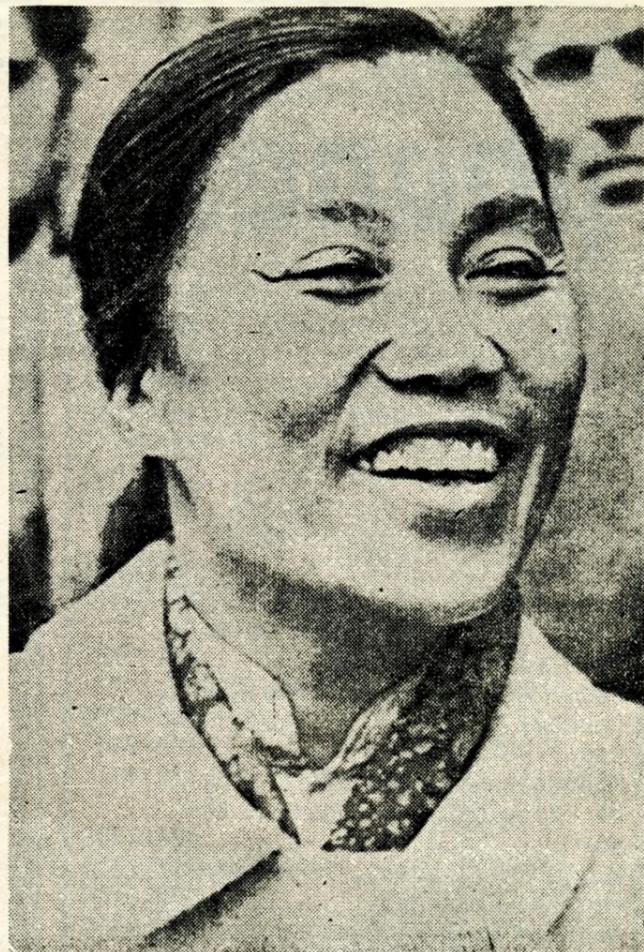
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# NLF Offers Peace: Nixon Offers Lies

The Provisional Revolutionary Government of South Vietnam has come out with a new seven point peace offer, which includes return of American prisoners as soon as the Nixon government sets a date for the total withdrawal of US troops by the end of 1971. With over 70% of the American people favoring a withdrawal by this date the chances of peace should be good. But Nixon and the CIA claim this new offer is just a "trick" to "embarrass" the US.

The following article shows how Nixon's tricks backfire. Kids today listening to Nixon tell lie after lie, while Mme. Binh and Ho Chi Minh are their heroines and heroes. We can learn a lot from kids.



Madame Binh- Chief Negotiator for the PRG



## PUBLIC INFORMATION SERIES

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Last month my 11 year old daughter, Cindy, wrote a letter to Nixon about the war in Indochina. She said in effect that the people of this country don't want to kill the Vietnamese people and that if he thought the war was such a good thing, he ought to go and fight it himself.

Several weeks later she received a reply from a lackey in the State Department. In his letter, the lackey said, "To write everything you might like to know about the war would take a very long letter." (right on). "That is why I'm enclosing a paper that explains why we have sent soldiers to help the South Vietnamese people defend themselves from attack by the North Vietnamese."

He concluded with this advice, "Well-informed citizens help our country to be strong and to have good government. We hope that you will continue to study hard and are

pleased that you are interested in our foreign affairs."

The Nixon regime thinks that they can get away with lies to school children. They don't understand that even in the grammar schools, children can see through Nixon's schemes. My daughter saw the State Department letter for just what it is - bullshit anti-Communist propaganda.

Even more interesting that the letter was the Public Information Series enclosure that was sent with the letter. It's title was "An Explanation of the War in Vietnam for Primary School Children" It seems that the State Department has a different "explanation" of the war for each segment of society.

Below are excerpts from that document:

1. "The North Vietnamese were planning to take over all of South Vietnam by elections be-

cause there were more Northerners to vote than Southerners and because the communists would make sure, by force if necessary, that more people would vote for the North than for the South. The leaders of South Vietnam refused to take part in elections that they knew would not be fair. This made the Communist leaders of the North very angry, and they decided to take over South Vietnam by force.

2. "These communists in the South, called guerillas, would often go into the villages at night and kill important people such as the mayor and the school teacher.
3. "The South Vietnamese had showed that they were a very brave people and we knew that if the North Vietnamese were not stopped from trying to take over another country by shooting and killing, the other countries in Asia would be in danger too from the Communists.
4. "So we decided to help the South Vietnamese people.
5. "We have been fighting very hard for six years to help the South Vietnamese soldiers together we have done well and the soldiers from the North are not winning any more."

The information bulletin goes on to explain our actions in Cambodia and Laos. Nowhere does it mention the innocent victims of American genocide. It says nothing about the National Liberation Front or the Provisional Revolutionary Government.

It is important for communists revolutionaries and their allies to expose the lies that the American government is spreading among school children. This is not a difficult task because the government's distortion of the truth is so blatant. Fortunately the State Department underestimates the intelligence of children. Many school children are achieving a revolutionary consciousness and can easily separate truth from fiction.

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