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**THE STREETS BELONG
TO THE PEOPLE!!**

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by Jeffrey Yudelman
Palo Alto Venceremos

"You can't have a multi-cultural program with racists on the school board," shouted Harold Supriano as the Palo Alto School Board, after meeting in secret session, issued a one sentence order firing him from an offered job as an aide in the district's multi-cultural program. The board immediately adjourned and began to leave.

"You cowards, why can't you face the community," yelled a woman in the audience as the board proceeded to flee. More shouts of "racists," "cowards," and "shame" filled the room.

Two weeks before, the board had authorized Harold's hiring. Then, two days before the new board meeting, Marc Salgado of the Palo Alto Times broke a story saying Superintendent Santee was going to recommend dismissal because information on Harold's righteous past activities had been "anonymously" sent in.

As the meeting opened, Harold, a 38 year old black man, asked for an open hearing. Board President Donald Fletcher shut him off, backed by Donald Hammond (Hewlett-Packard) and Royce Cole (Birch Society). Liberal member, Aggie Robinson, was absent.

The board went into secret session and returned with the prearranged verdict. People were mad. After the board escaped, many community people gathered outside. The board's action had united a wide ranging group in angry opposition. Some of us saw the move as completely racist. Others were angered by the absence of due process and democracy.

WHO DID IT?

Two weeks ago, the board received a pile of newspaper clippings on Harold, detailing a trip he made to North Vietnam in 1968 and his arrest in a 1964 Civil Rights demonstration--which sound like pretty good qualifications for the job.

The articles were written by Examiner reporter, Ed Montgomery, a hatchet man for the secret police (FBI). (Last month, Montgomery unleashed a slanderous series attacking Bruce Franklin, member of the Venceremos Central Committee.)

According to Clarence Blow, the head of the multi-cultural program, the articles were sent in by a "frightened, socially insecure, sick element in the community."

Although these frightened reactionaries have not publically surfaced to confront either Harold or the community, they are alleged to be a Birch Society front group which used to be called CEE (Citizens for Excellence in Education). The group is headed by Delbert and Eloise Larsen, who, for a long time, have tried to sabotage any progressive changes in the community.

Back in 1969, the Larsens forced out the program's first director, Sidney Walton. Their arsenal that time was based on Walton's support of the Black Panther Party and his statement that "a society must either change or die."

The "Excellence" in CEE's title simply meant "no niggers allowed."



First they try to "desegregate" Ravenswood. And now they fire a black man from a "multi-cultural" program in Palo Alto schools.

A LITTLE HISTORY

The history of struggle in the Palo Alto schools strikes at the core of P.A.'s relationship to the black colony of East Palo Alto and the Black, Brown and Asian peoples who live in Palo Alto.

Some years ago, Ravenswood High School was set up as a low budget, all-black ghetto school.

In 1968, mothers in East Palo Alto organized a "sneak out" program to register black students in Palo Alto's schools by having them "legally" reside with a Palo Alto family.

Later, the P.A. school board arranged for a Transfer Program with the Sequoia District (which includes Ravenswood) in order to "legitimize" the sneak outs. Larsen began attacking the "kind of people" (Black people) being brought into Palo Alto and into contact with "our children." Larsen prophesized "anarchy" and race war.



Harold Supriano, a minority aide in the Palo Alto school system, fired by the racist school board.

This tied into CEE's assault on the multi-cultural program which Sidney Walton was hired to run in September 1968. Walton, naively, came believing that a meaningful program would help to end racism and serve as a barometer to "whether white Americans die perpetuating racism, whether minority people die fighting for liberation, whether we can all live in harmony."

What emerges from the Walton struggle is a picture of how Palo Alto, run by the large Stanford-based Imperialist corporations and their lieutenants in local government, oppressed third world communities and low income people throughout the mid-peninsula.

The school situation is little different from the housing crisis caused by Development in Palo Alto.

Palo Alto, deriving huge income from the industrialists and financiers, has a large tax base and "quality" schools while East Palo Alto has no tax base and little money for services to the people.

East Palo Alto is an almost all black colony. Now that the community is beginning to get together, the Sequoia school district has tried to "desegregate" the schools and deny the community self-determination and control over its institutions.

10% of Palo Alto school children are Black, Brown or Asian, and it is clear that this part of our community is being treated as a colony.

As far as we know, the embattled multi-cultural program has never really gotten off the ground. Despite a \$100,000 budget, it has been described as a "shuck and a jive," subject to the whims of a fascist school board.

WHAT DO WE DO?

One community group has already gotten together to press legal action. Others will be forming. Petitions may be circulated to demand an open hearing.

Since the board authorized Harold's hiring and Santee told him he was hired, we say that he has now been FIRED. And anyone who is fired must have an open hearing..

On the legal end, Merton Dushkes, business manager of the San Francisco City and County Employees Union, for whom Harold has been a paid organizer the last three years, has threatened to take the matter to the Santa Clara County Labor Council.

We've had enough political firings in this community. 9 telephone operators, 6 workers at Stanford, Joe Hardigree, the attempt to fire Bruce Franklin, and now Harold--before he even got a chance to serve the people of the community.

And what else can we do? The school board must listen to the people and respond to the feelings on the community. They meet again AUGUST 3, 7:30 P.M. AT ESCONDIDO SCHOOL (890 Escondido Road, Stanford.)

Be there. Give the fascists hell!

REDWOOD CITY

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Liberating Williams St.

On Saturday, July 24, from 4:00 in the afternoon 'til eleven that night Williams Street in Redwood City belonged to the people.

The whole day was fantastic- lots of people showed up; families off the block and people from all over, probably about 200 altogether. There was music from a stage in the street: The Latino Four (a righteous Redwood City group) and 2 other really good bands played for free. People danced all day & the congas went continuously- Choco Larry and Eddy played, joined by Harry, a doc from PMC, and others. Later the kids jumped on stage and took over. At the first break 20 or 30 kids took turns swinging at two piñatas filled with candy, nuts, raisens and Venceremos buttons. During the whole dance kids were playing all kinds of games and helping the littler ones learn how to play. We ate and drank corn-on-the-cob, hot-dogs, tamales, deserts and kool-aid that Redwood City women made and sold cheap as a benefit for Legal Defense of the SMC 31

A couple of fights happened but they ended quickly and nobody was hurt bad. Members of Venceremos Organization and the Black Liberation Front stood watch around the area in case the pigs decided to vamp, but the pigs left the street alone for once; maybe because they're scared to pull a rip-off when so many people are together getting it on.

The best thing about the dance is that all kinds of people made it and dug what was going on: students and workers from Palo Alto, the families on Williams, the Soul Brothers from E.P.A., children from all over, and plenty of older people, too. People on Williams Street want to see this thing happen regularly, so watch for announcements of the next dance in the paper!

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

THE STREETS BELONG TO THE PEOPLE!



En el Sabado, 24 de Julio desde las 4:00 de la tarde hasta las 11:00 esta noche, la gente fueron dueño de la calle Williams. Todo el día fue fantástica-mucha gente se dejaron ver; familias del cuadro y gente de todas partes. Fue música casi todo el tiempo, Los Cuatro Latinos- una banda terrífica de Redwood City- y dos otras bandas excelentes tocaron gratuito. La gente bailó por todo el día y tocaron las congas continuamente. Larry, Choco y Eddie las tocaron, y Harry, un doctor del P.M.C. y otros se unieron con ellos. Mas tarde los niños brincaron por la plataforma donde las bandas estaban tocando y tomaron posesión. En las primera pausa entre las bandas, los niños golpearon a dos piñatas llenas de dulces, nueces, pasas, y emblemas de Venceremos hasta las rompieron. Durante todo el baile los niños estaban divirtiendo se con diferentes jugadas.

Comimos y bebimos maíz, "hot dogs", tamales, postre, y jugos que mujeres de Redwood City habrán preparado para vender a precios bajos, para beneficiar la Defensa Legal de

los "S.M.C. 31" (los quienes fueron arrestados en el alboroto de la policía en el Centro Médico de la Universidad Stanford).

Unas peleas pasaron, pero acabaron pronto y nadie fue mal herido. Miembros de la Organización Venceremos y el Frente de Liberación Negra estaban de guardia alrededor de la área si acaso la chota decidiera a atacar, pero la chota, un vez siquiera, no nos entremetieron; puede ser porque tienen miedo de atacar mucha gente cuando están tan juntas como en aquel tiempo.

La cosa más mejor del baile es que mucha gente de todos modos diferentes lo hizo, y se divirtieron lo que pasó: estudiantes y trabajadores de Palo Alto, las familias de Williams, los Soul Brothers (un grupo de motociclistas de Este Palo Alto), niños por todas partes y mucha gente mas vieja. mucha gente quienes viven en la calle Williams quieren que sea más bailes con frecuencia, entonces ¡Mire al este periódico para avisos! ¡TODO PODER AL PUEBLO! ¡LA GENTE ESTA DUENO VERDADERO DE LAS CALLES!

Combate Pronske: SOPORTE EL PUEBLO

Por la gente de Redwood City la división fascista del Departamento de Jerifes del Condado de San Mateo se llaman Pronske's Raiders. Estas chotas ganan la vida por invadiendo las casas de la gente y aterrorizando los ocupantes con sus escopetas y perros. Pronske y sus lacayos siempre dan la misma razón por sus ataques: "Recibimos una queja del ruido." Nunca le dieron quien hizo la queja.

La primera ataque tuvo lugar en Marzo de 1971 durante una fiesta en Third Avenue de Redwood City. Fue típica de las acciones de los Raiders. Entraron la casa sin autorización con el pretexto de que habían visto dos jóvenes en la casa. Arrestaron 9 personas por cargos criminales como asalto sobre un chota, un delito de mayor cuantia, y otros cargos como contribuyendo a la delincuencia de un joven. Saquearon la casa y destruyeron mas de \$1000 en propiedad. La semana pasada los

delitos de mayor cuantia contra Sue Flores, un madre de dos niños y un alquieador de la casa, estuvieron eliminados por la chota.

Desde el ataque, el DA y la chota del condado han sido tratando de intimidarlos a declarar su culea, una táctica que han usado en el pasado con mucho éxito.

Las personas arrestadas en Third Avenue han contestados a estas efuerzas con esta declaración, "Somos inocentes de todos los cargos criminales y si podemos conseguir un jurado imparcial podemos probar nuestra inocencia en las cartes. El solo acuerdo que aceptaremos es la eliminación de todos los cargos contra nosotros.

Venga a la prueba que comienza el treinta de Septiembre en la corte municipal de Redwood City.

Poder a las personas que luchan por sus derechos.
COMBATE PRONSKE.



PHONEY SETTLEMENT

The Telephone Company strikers were ordered back to work last Monday by their international union leadership. International leadership claimed they were ordered by a federal arbitrator to call the strike off. When this was found to be a lie, the strikers knew that they had again been sold out. Workers at the Telephone Company face the difficult problem of working against a fascist company with a bootlicking union.

After two successful days of militant picketing, the company ran to the courts to get an injunction forbidding picketers from harassing scabs or management in any way. The company hired its own patrol force of camera men and other agents to enforce the injunction. The union leadership made no attempt to break the injunction.

As all the local union officials were playing dead behind the injunction, the international leadership was selling its half million workers down the river at the bargaining table. Joe Bierne, the international president, who as a real ally of working people lives in a \$80,000 house, never even put the expected 25% wage increase on the table. Old Joe was holding out for a "modified agency shop" which 72% of the rank and file rejected when the nationwide strike vote was taken in June. The "modified agency shop" is an agreement with the company that every worker hired after the shop would have to pay union dues. Bierne saw in the past couple of years many people leaving the union and the treasury declining. Now you can leave the union, but your paycheck is still docked for dues. The international leadership struck for their own wages, not for workers' benefits.

Locally, most workers are righteously angry. There has been talk of leaving the union and trying to organize with the Teamsters of Long-



Strikers Fired

Several members of CWA local 9409 were fired by the telephone company during the strike. It is claimed that these workers were at some time involved in illegal activities on the picket line.

The fascist phone company not only bought a strike-breaking injunction, but also tried to scare workers by firing several strikers. All the workers are back on the job now pending a grievance hearing. The grievance hearings at the phone company are a real example of Amerikan justice. The hearing is closed to everyone except management and union officials. Not even the grieved worker is allowed in. It is this way because management does not want to be publicly exposed as racist and fascist, and union leadership does not want to show their true colors as bootlicking lackeys of the company.

This is exactly what will be happening at the grievance procedures for the fired strikers, the eight operators, and anyone else who dares to stand up to the largest company in the world. We must support these fired workers in their fight against the company and their move to build a strong, progressive union.

shoremen. There are also people getting together within the union in an attempt to vote in more progressive union leadership. In the midst of this talk, the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers is striking the phone company in San Francisco. They have successfully shut down several offices with CWA members refusing to cross the picket lines. Hopefully, the IBEW pickets will move on the peninsula so that the CWA members can rightfully stay out until this contract is ratified. If the watered-down contract is not ratified, CWA will be back on strike in August. If these workers go out again, it will not be for some funky modified agency shop. The workers need a wage increase and other benefits which they will get with or without union leadership.



The Leg Graders

(Chicago UPI) -- Miss Patricia O'Connor, Eastern Airlines' grooming consultant, is spending a few weeks grading the legs of 230 of Eastern's stewardesses.

The object is to determine whether the legs are suitable for making hot pants an optional part of Eastern's uniform.

Ten percent of the first 115 pairs failed the test because most of the legs were too bony while others had too much meat or blemishes or outstanding veins.



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Railroad Workers Strike

Members of the United Transportation Union struck the Southern Pacific Railroad today (July 24) at six o'clock a.m. The strike affects all passenger and freight service over SP's 13,000 miles of track in Western and Southern states.

The walkout is the second stage of the UTU's selective strike against the nation's railroad industry in a dispute over work rule changes. The changes would eliminate a great many jobs.

The union began its strike against Union Pacific and the Southern Railways on July 16. Southern Pacific and the Norfolk and Western Railroad were struck today. Six more lines—including Santa Fe—will be walkout targets next Friday (July 30).

Some of the strikers' power lies in their ability to cripple California's multi-billion dollar agriculture industry. The Council of California Growers estimated that this shutdown will cost

growers and related businesses 11.1 million each day they are blocked from moving fruits and vegetables to processing plants or prime East Coast markets.



To The Phone Workers:

The Women's Media Group in San Francisco reported on KFSN radio this week that Pacific Telephone Company (alias Ma Bell, Cheap Motherfucker) is trying to divide its workers by pitting men against women and blacks against whites. Blacks and women undergo particular kinds of discrimination in the "company" which the white men don't experience; although they don't have it so hot either.

The operators, mostly women, have to put up a flag if they wish to go to the restroom and wait for the supervisor to give them permission to go. If the board is busy they must wait. Blacks undergo the standard types of discrimination which the American public knows at least in words by rote. The company is trying to make it look like these groups are pitted against each other, but, as any of the men and women workers can testify, this is another one of management's fantasies.

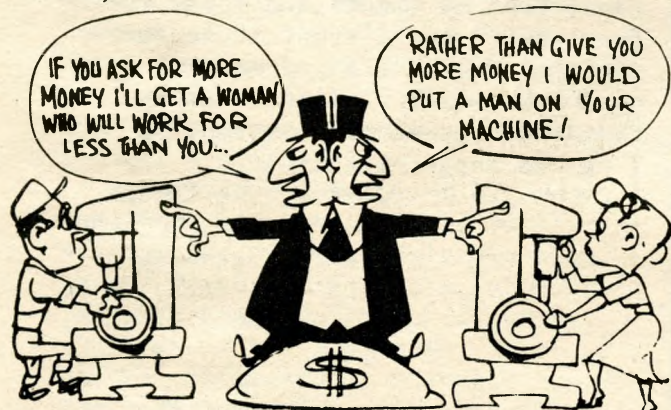
Being a worker at Stanford, it seems that SU is either teaching or learning from Ma Bell; perhaps they are conspiring.

During the NLRB hearings last fall, there was much discussion over the appropriate bargaining unit for a union election (which is forthcoming, perhaps this fall). The University would love to keep clerical workers, who are mostly women and constitute about one half the work force at Stanford, out of the bargaining unit all-together. And, of course, no racial or ethnic minorities would be allowed to organize themselves separately, for that would be "segregation".

The reality of the situation is that workers know what both "companies" are up to and are not being fooled by the bosses' antics and liberal facades against "segregation" -- sexist or racist. As usual, management in both cases assumes that workers are stupid (or else they would be managers like them, of course) and cannot see through these slimy tactics.

Well, it may be awhile before Third World people really have the right to determine their own lives and before women are allowed to consider themselves a real part of the work force, and not a convenient "added attraction".

The fact that the divide and conquer method is being used by both Ma Bell and Stanford University is only the beginning of what they have in common. Their role in the war in S.E. Asia is very similar too--research grants, military contracts (ROTC and ABM, no less!).



Workers know what they have in common too: #1) our brotherhood and sisterhood, and #2) a common enemy.

We dare these over-grown monopolist capitalist war-mongers to try to fool us any longer! They may be "on top" now, but not forever.

PAULETTA'S HEARING DUE

On August 2, Pauletta Fountila has her unemployment appeal hearing. We should all be there.

Pauletta is a righteous Black sister who was fired from the phone company in Palo Alto back in May. The phone company said Pauletta was fired because she "wasn't working up to standard." That's a lot of crap! In reality, Pauletta was a good operator who picked up more than her share of lights at the board. Pauletta was actually fired for organizing other operators against Ma Bell's racism and oppression of women.

After she was fired, Pauletta went down to the unemployment office to claim her benefits. But even though she has three small children, her claim was turned down.

Pauletta's loss is Ma Bell and Ronald Reagan's gain. In California the employer and the state split the costs of unemployment 50/50. But this applies only to workers who are laid off. Workers who are fired, like Pauletta, don't get a dime. In Pauletta's case, the phone company and the state don't have to shell anything.

AT&T, Pacific Tel.'s parent company, is the world's largest corporation of any kind and made over \$2.2 billion in profits in 1969. Yet it won't pay its share of unemployment costs to the workers it fires for trumped-up reasons. That would only cut into those fat profits.

Our chump governor Reagan doesn't want to fork over any more of the state's (the people's) money for unemployment benefits than he has to either. That money is needed for subsidies to the oil companies, the road builders, and the utilities monopolies like PT&T.

DARE TO STRUGGLE, DARE TO WIN!

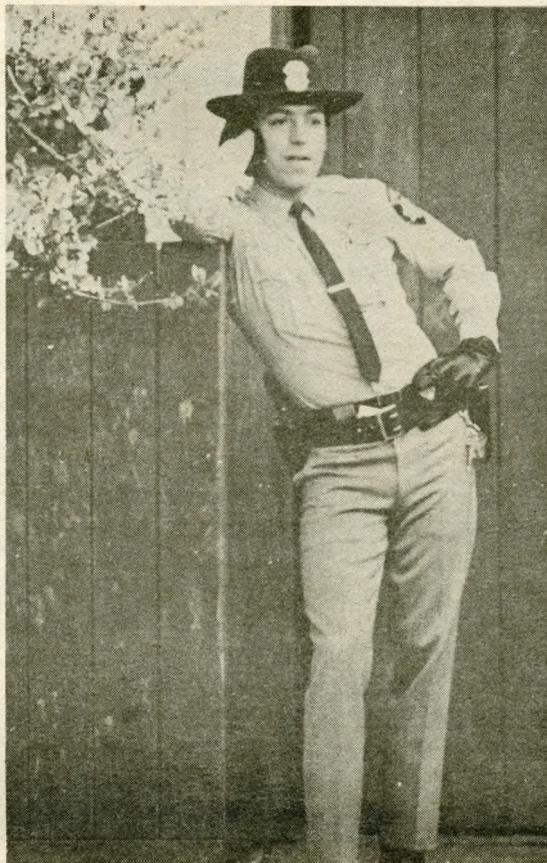
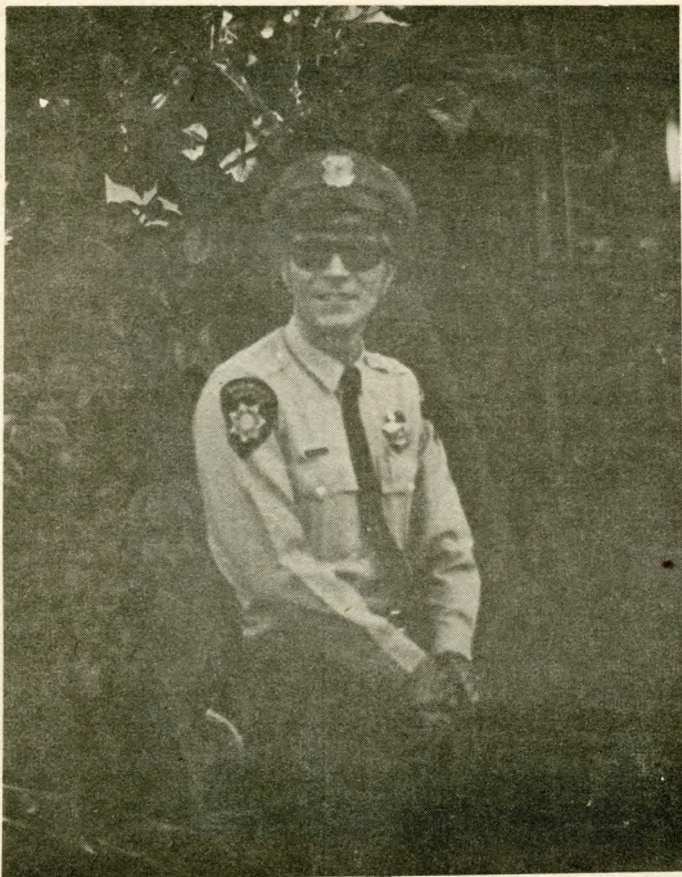
One way we might be able to get the unemployment benefits that Big Business and the state owe us is by hassling the unemployment system as much as we can. We can start by demanding hearings whenever our claims are denied, and showing up in large and vocal numbers at those hearings. The unemployment officials may well decide it's easier for them to grant our claims than to deal with us at all the hearings.

Pauletta Fountila's hearing will be the first big test. It will be on August 2, at the state employment office at 449 Sherman Ave., Palo Alto. SEIZE THE TIME



Pauletta showing her strength!

'Pronske's Raiders' Victims go on Trial



Officer Botto (left) and another one of Pronske's raiders. These are two of the hounds who have been harassing the people of San Mateo County. There is only one thing that stands in the way of freedom and it's pigs like these. All power to the people.

The Gestapo Division of the San Mateo Sheriffs Department is known to the people of Redwood City as Pronske's Raiders. These cops make their living by raiding people's homes and terrorizing the occupants with shotguns and dogs. Pronske and his followers always give the same reason for their raids; "We had a noise complaint." They never tell you who it was from.

The first of Pronske's raids of 1971 was back in March at a party on Third Ave. in Redwood City. It was a typical raiders action. They entered the house without a search warrant on the pretext that they saw minors inside, busted 9 people on charges ranging from assault on an officer, a felony, to contributing to the delinquency of a minor, and ransacked the house, destroying over 1000 dollars of property. Last week felony

charges were dropped against Sue Flores, a mother of two, and a renter of the house.

Since the raid, the D.A. and the Sheriffs have been trying to intimidate the people arrested into pleading guilty to certain charges, a tactic they have used with success in the past. The people who were busted at Third Ave. have answered these attempts by saying "We are innocent of all charges brought against us and if given an impartial jury we will prove this in the court. The only deal we will accept is the dropping of all charges against us."

Come to the trial which starts on September 30 in the municipal court in Redwood City.

POWER TO THE PEOPLE WHO STAND UP FOR THEIR RIGHTS!
STOP PRONSKE!

Tried by a Jury of his Peers



The pigs' laws say that you have to be tried by a jury of your peers. This means a jury of people who can relate to where you're coming from. The man, however, does not follow his own laws because it is hard to railroad black, brown, yellow, red, and young people to jail if they are tried by their peers. Black people and all people of color are tried by

mostly all white juries who don't understand the conditions in the ghettos and barrios. Young people are tried by all white, non-working class and middle-aged juries who convict them because they don't like their life-style or their looks.

We now have a chance to try to turn things around on the pigs. If you're 18 to 21 years old, you can now serve on juries because you are eligible to vote. If you go down to the voting registrars office and register as a Republican and vote in the Republican primary, your name might end up on the jury list. The jury lists are usually picked from the lists of registered Republicans who have voted in the latest primary. Voting is bullshit because it can't change the system but if you get on a jury and you play it cool when the District Attorney is asking you questions to disqualify you, you might be able to keep a brother or sister out of jail.

POWER TO THOSE THAT HELP THEIR BROTHERS AND SISTERS,
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE



Sheriffs "Pick-up" Woman-then arrest Her

Dear Editor:

I was walking down the street, (just off Poplar) in Palo Alto. I was on the street hitchhiking, and I was rather loose as I had just come from a party. Okay, I see the pigs coming ahead so I try to straighten out as I'm pretty intoxicated. They drive about a car past me and stop, they ask if I'm doing all right, I said yes, then they say, "What you doing out in the street?" I told them I was hitchhiking to Redwood City. They told me to walk over to the car, and I said, "That's O.K. I gotta get going as I'm late to Redwood City already." They said, "Sure you can make it?" I said sure. They said, "Well, just walk over to the car for a minute", so I did. They ask do I have Identification. I showed them a letter with my name on it, then they check my whole wallet and then my purse. While they're doing this they're telling some phoney story about that there's a rapist picking up chicks hitchhiking so for my benefit they'd take me home. Then the other pig says, "No, let's take her to the station and she can call someone to come pick her up." Okay, this sounds fine as I'm not under arrest. They're just aiding me for my benefit because after all, the pigs are here to aid the public.

As soon as we get in the car they say, "Do you know Pronske?" I said not personally, but I've heard of the dog's ass. They say, don't be cussin' in front of us, and I say, then don't you be mentioning dirty words. So they're rapping and they tell me they're Pronske's two top men. I said, "If you've been in on the shit they've done to people, you are dogs asses too."

Okay, we're at the station, and we're going up the elevator and all the sudden this plastic-faced motherfucker says, "You're under arrest." Oh, you pigs know how to do justice; just smile your plastic smile and stab people in the back. And I was paranoid about a rapist! I've been raped from my rights and raped for fear that I can't trust those fucking pigs who just raped me! The only good turnout of this incident is that they let me free as soon as I was no longer intoxicated.

POWER TO THE PEOPLE,
AND FUCK THE PIGS WHO
GIVE THAT PLASTIC
SMILE THAT SAYS, "I'M
YOUR FRIEND."

Liana
Redwood City

NELSON EXPOSES HIMSELF

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*John Dolly
Venceremos*



*Robert Nelson, Stanford's
Director of Personnel*

About a month ago Robert Nelson, Director of Personnel at Stanford, sent me a letter telling me not to bother to come to work the next day. Four other Stanford workers got that same letter, fired with one days notice for "unacceptable behavior", supposedly for being involved in the Hospital sit-in last April. We've raised a lot of hell about that, held rallies, talked to fellow workers and brought the people to see Nelson. All the while Nelson's been doing a little song and dance, telling us to submit a "grievance" if we feel we've been treated unfairly.

The Stanford grievance procedure is a sham. First you're fired, presumed guilty of "unacceptable behavior", then it's up to you to prove yourself innocent. Meanwhile, you're out of work, and the whole thing can drag on for months.

A three man grievance board reviews the case, one appointed by the employee, one by the employee's department, and one by the Provost. So you're pretty sure to have it stacked against you 2-1 to start with. But I was a special problem because I had a lot of support in my department, the Genetics Department at the hospital, so my department head, Joshua Lederberg, Nobel prize-winner, gut-less so-called "liberal", copped out and decided to let John Wilson, Dean of the Medical School, appoint someone outside the department. Lederberg said it would not be fair to appoint someone from my department because they were prejudiced for me. So he let Wilson and William Miller, the Provost, (the two men who made the decision to call the cops into the hospital sit-in) appoint two men who were "impartial". The ultimate joke about the entire hatchet job is that the grievance board's decision is only a recommendation to, guess who, Provost William Miller.

The bosses have a lot of power, but they act pretty stupid sometimes. Miller made his first mistake when he appointed Keith Brodie, a visiting professor from Harvard, to be chairman of the committee. Most of the professors at Stanford are on the bosses side, and I guess that's true of Harvard too, but Brodie turned out to be a pretty honest

guy, maybe that's why he's just visiting. I went to the grievance board and told them I wanted my job back while the grievance hearing was going on because I hadn't saved up much money from my \$2.20/hour job cleaning mouse cages, my wife was six months pregnant, and we were both facing a lot of court costs. (I've been charged with 9 misdemeanors for the sit-in, and my wife, Jeanie, with 9 misdemeanors plus 2 felonies.) I also told the committee that I didn't want my grievance hearing until after my court case, because anything I told them could be used against me, in fact, would be used against me in court because lackey Nelson would be taking notes and letting the D.A. know what my defense was. The committee agreed these were reasonable requests and recommended to Miller that he let me have my mouse cleaning job back and that the hearing be postponed until after my court case.

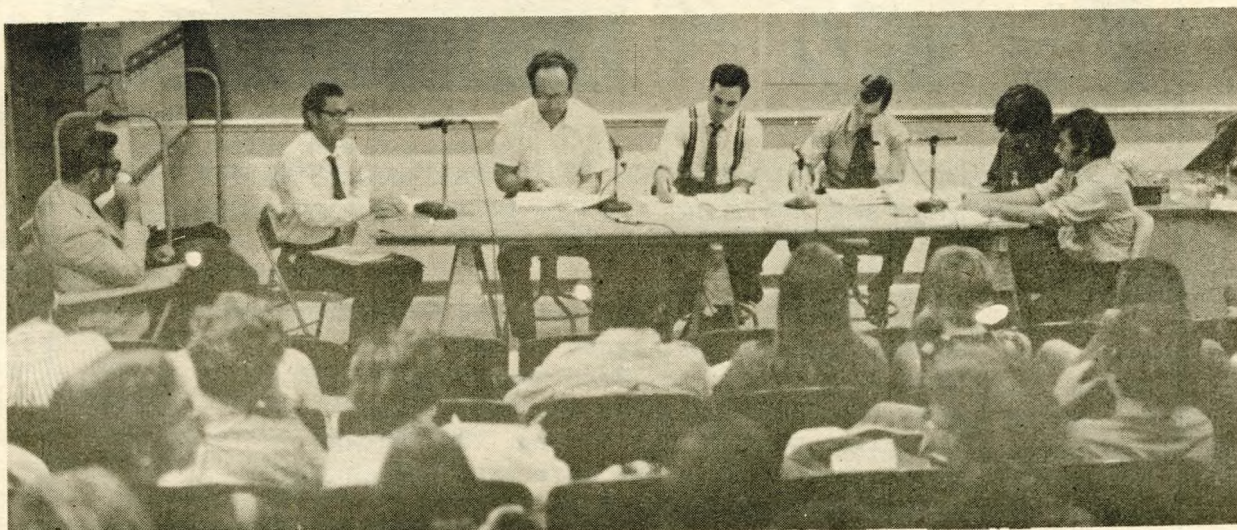
They went to see Miller the next day and they found Nelson and John Schwartz, University prosecutor and contact with the D.A.'s office, waiting for them. Miller told the committee he was pissed off at them, that their recommendation was "procedurally incorrect", and that they should get on with the job of finding me guilty.

So the hearings finally began, and I decided to have Bruce Franklin be my lawyer. (Later in the hearing Brodie complimented Bruce for his legal training, and Bruce just smiled and said he'd learned it all

from being a victim). About 75 people showed up for the hearing by word of mouth, many of them fellow workers. Nelson showed up and presented his case, which turned out to be mostly written statements, 2nd and 3rd hand accounts, rumors that had been passed up the grapevine about what "really" had happened in the sit-in. Bruce objected to all this hearsay, and told the committee he wanted the people who wrote these statements (Wilson, Richard Lyman, etc.) to testify, so we could cross examine them. The committee agreed that Nelson was submitting hearsay evidence, and that you couldn't cross examine a piece of paper. (Brodie even said that he'd walked through the sit-in a couple of times and didn't think it was disruptive, and that the police had attacked the people.) But the committee decided to let Nelson continue to talk, but not taking anything he said for real? The committee agreed that that was what was happening, and let Nelson squirm on. We asked Nelson why I'd been fired, since it doesn't say in the employee handbook that you can be fired for being in a sit-in. Nelson said that the employee handbook says you can be fired for "unacceptable behavior". We asked Nelson what "unacceptable behavior" was and he said, "unacceptable behavior is...behavior that is unacceptable." Everybody laughed, and Nelson took out a list of misconducts published by a management consultant firm; mostly bull-



John Dolly (left) and Bruce Franklin, members of Venceremos, discuss the lies that Robert Nelson is telling at Dolly's grievance hearing. Stanford is breaking all its own rules in order to purge Dolly and four other workers who are fighting imperialism by struggling against the administration for the rights of black, brown and white workers.



The grievance hearing was packed with John's allies.

feds bust in, shoot

One of the most over anxious and dangerous police agencies in this country is the Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Division of the Internal Revenue Service. These cops are given the power to bust into anyone's home and take their weapons, if the ATFD feels they are in violation of one of the hundreds of federal firearm laws.

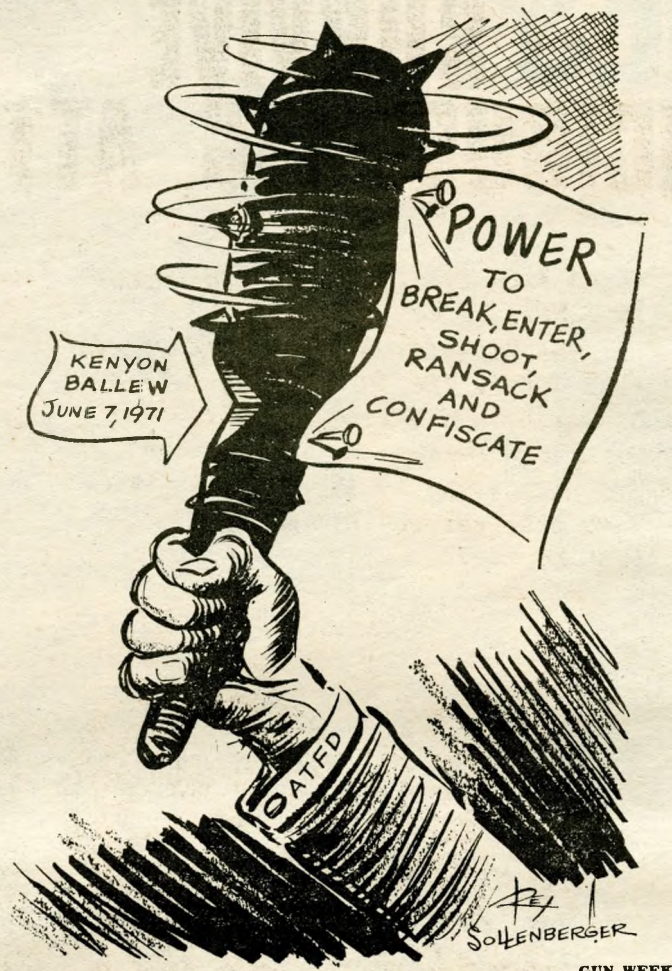
Most of the time we never hear about the tactics of these cops because they go mostly after black, brown and other poor people, and the establishment press isn't interested in the human rights of these people. However, about seven weeks ago, the ATFD really blew it. They broke into Kenyon Ballew's apartment in Washington D.C. and shot him in the head. Their search for alleged live grenades. Kenyon Ballew is a life-time member of the National Rifle Association and an ex-boyscout leader. According to Ballew's wife, the police were not wearing uniforms and did not identify themselves as police. They just busted in the door, and when her husband tried to defend his home with a gun, the pigs fired and critically wounded Kenyon in the head.

Immediately after she heard the shots she shouted "Get the police--Murder!"

Mrs. Ballew then got the incredible answer from the men who just shot her husband "We are the police."

Since the shooting many newspapers and magazines usually very partial to the police, such as the American Rifleman and Gun Week have described the ATFD as a "Gestapo" force and as hoodlums and criminals. A petition, reprinted here, has been

ANOTHER NOTCH FOR THE ATFD!



started by people who believe in the right of the people to bear arms. Though we have serious political differences with many of these people, we feel that we as revolutionaries should join with any group that is attempting to expose the conspiracy of the power structure to disarm the people.

"An unarmed people are subject to slavery at any time."

Una de las agencias de policia mas ansiosas y peligrosas en este país es la División de Alcohol, tabaco y armas del Servicio de ingresos internos (IRS). Estas chotas tienen el poder de entrar a la casa de cualquier persona y coger sus armas si la ATFD (las iniciales de la división en ingles) piensa que esten en violación de unas de las cientos de leyes federales de armas.

Por la mayor parte del tiempo no oimos de las tacticas de estas chotas porque generalmente molestan a los negros, los chicanos, o otras gentes pobres, y la prensa del establecimiento no tiene interes en los derechos humanos de estas gentes. embargo, unas siete semanas pasadas, la ATFD realmente se equivocaron. Kenneth Ballew es un miembro por vida de las Asociación nacional de rifle y un líder de los "Boyscouts" (niños exploradores) pasado. Según la esposa de Ballew la policia no llevaban uniformes y no se identificaron como policia. Solamente quebraron la puerta y cuando su esposo trató de defender su casa con una escopeta la chota fusilaron y le herieron a Kenneth criticamente en la cabeza.

Inmediatamente después de oír los tiros, ella gritó "Llame a la policia--Asesinato!"

Entonces, la Sra. Ballew recibió una respuesta increíble de los hombres que fusilaron a su esposo, "Somos la policia."

Desde el tiroteo muchos periodicos y revistas que son parciales a la policia por lo general, como el American Rifleman y Gun Week (Fusilero americano y Arma semanal) han descrito al ATFD como una fuerza "gestapo" y criminales. Una petición, reimprimido en la pagina siguiente, fue empezada por unos que creen en el derecho de la gente de llevar armas. Aunque tenemos diferencias politicas muy serias con muchos de estas personas, sentimos que nosotros, como revolucionarios deben juntarnos con cualquier grupo que esta tratando de exponer la conspiración de la estructura de poder de desarmar a la gente.

"Una gente desarmada están expuesto a esclavitud a todos tiempos."

ammo

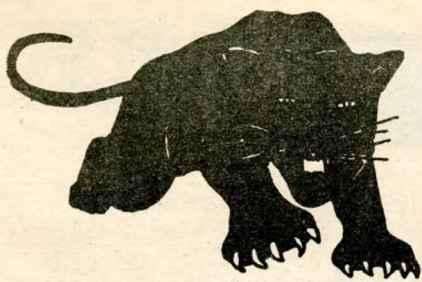
In recent months over 400,000 rounds of M16 ammo have been ripped off from an ammunition depot in Thailand. Also continuously being stolen are M16 rifles. Hoping that the rest of the United States will follow their example, the Pennsylvania General Assembly representatives have introduced a bill to ban possession and sale of handguns except (of course) to law enforcement officers, persons who protect money, the armed forces, and gun club members. One of the representatives sponsoring the bill said, "The handgun, as distinguished from the shotgun or rifle, is not used for hunting, but is solely to wound, kill or threaten people."

If that's the purpose of a handgun, it seems that the people ought to be able to protect themselves from the police and armed forces who are allowed to have handguns.



DEPUTY CHAIRMAN BLACK PANTHER PARTY FRED HAMPTON MURDERED
EL DIPUTADO PRESIDENTE DEL PARTIDO DE LAS PÁNTERAS NEGRAS,
FRED HAMPTON, ANTES DE HABER SIDO ASESINADO.

Kenyon Ballew isn't the only one whose home was broken into by the agents of the state. This is a picture of Fred Hampton, one of the most beautiful brothers who ever lived. One night, when he was asleep, the Chicago police busted into the apartment and machine-gunned Fred to death. Fred lives!



PANTHER 13

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Free all Political Prisoners

SURVIVE VICIOUS PIG ATTACK



Gestapo troop fails

At 5:00 in the morning on December 8, 1969, nightriding bands of Los Angeles pigs launched a vicious attack on the L.A. Black Panther Party. The attack took place at the same time at the Panther house, their community center, and the office of the Southern California chapter. Over 450 gestapo police troops surrounded the office for the sunrise service of genocide against the people. Twelve brothers and sisters held off the pigs for five hours at the office and four Panthers defended the community center for over an hour. Many of the defenders were shot and beaten but because they were able to defend themselves they all survived.

Pig Judiciary to continue attempt at "Legal Murder"

Now, almost two years later, the State is attempting to "legally" murder these brothers and sisters. Thirteen of the original defenders started trial July 19, on a variety of charges. These include conspiracy to murder police officers, which could bring the death penalty if they are convicted.

During the pre-trial hearings the Panthers received court appointed "public defenders" who they did not want to defend them. Judge Dell denied their motion for new counsel, saying that their dissatisfaction resulted from their mistaken idea that defense attorneys should act as errand boys. The court also refused to allow a group of lawyers from the Lawyer's Guild to help with the defense.

On Wednesday, the second day of the trial, 3 defendants: Elmer Pratt (Geronimo), Paul Redd, and Roland Freeman attempted to defend themselves, saying that they were not represented by any attorney. The judge told them to shut up, but they objected again, calling the prosecutor a liar and the judge a mad dog. Geronimo, Redd and Freeman were ej-

ected from the courtroom and thrown in a holding cell.

The District Attorney announced that one of the defendants, Melvin C. Smith, has agreed to snitch for the state because of intimidation and harassment by the jailers, who have also refused him medication that he needs.



FREE THE PANTHER 13

Geronimo, former Deputy Minister of the Southern California chapter of the Black Panther Party, is providing leadership in keeping the defendants tight and together. The defendants are all talking to each other now, which has not been the case for a while. Geronimo, along with several other defendants, had been purged from the Black Panther Party by Huey P. Newton, five months after they had jumped bail and gone underground. Geronimo went underground in August of 1970 and in September the Black Panther Paper said in a press statement:

"Before joining the Black Panther Party, Geronimo had been in the army as a paratrooper and in the Special Forces. After his discharge he turned his life and skills over to his people... Due to what the US knew he could do with the very knowledge they had given him, and with his brilliant mind and devotion to his people, he suffered the severest attacks by the local and national police from that time on... Geronimo decided that in order to continue his hard work for the people, he could not possibly relate to passively turning himself in to the police. So he refused to go to court,

he refuses to be a willing victim to their conspiracy to commit murder."

Four months after this statement of solidarity, a statement signed by Huey P. Newton, Supreme Commander of the Black Panther Party, appeared in the January, 1971 issue of the Black Panther which said that Geronimo, his wife Sandra, and three other Panthers were forever purged from the Party. It continued, "Any party member or community worker who attempts to aide them or communicate with them in any form or manner shall be considered part of their conspiracy to undermine and destroy the Black Panther Party."

Now that Geronimo has been recaptured by the pigs and the trial of the L.A. 13 has started, it is extremely important that these righteous freedom fighters have support from people in the community and from other revolutionaries. Bobby Seale and Ericka Huggins (of the Black Panther Party) were freed by the power of the people. The Los Angeles 13 will be railroaded straight to the gas chamber unless they have the support of the people. The fascist conspiracy to murder these revolutionary warriors through the "legal system" must be met with the same fighting spirit that these comrades shared when they picked up the guns to defend themselves against the vicious attack by the Gestapo troops of the L.A. pig force.

DEATH TO THE FASCIST PIGS!



FREE ALL POLITICAL PRISONERS

FREE BILLY PVT. SMITH

(Monterey, Calif.) -- Private Billy Smith, a 23-year-old Black GI from Watts, is being held at the Ford Ord stockade in solitary confinement. He is charged with: 2 counts of premeditated murder (of 2 lieutenants); 2 counts of attempted murder against a captain and a 1st sergeant; 1 count of assault (on another officer wounded in the explosion); and 2 counts of assault against MP's.

These charges stem from an alleged fragging at Bien Hoa army base, South Vietnam on March 15, 1971. Billy had been held in the Long Binh jail until his transfer to Fort Ord at the end of May. His pre-trial hearing will probably be sometime in September, and the court-martial might begin towards the end of the year.

BEAT IS GETTIN' STRONGER...



Richmond Grocery Workers Wildcat

A wildcat strike by 200 warehousemen has closed the United Grocers Ltd. frozen and dry foods distribution center at Richmond, it was reported yesterday.

Company officials would not comment. The men, members of Teamsters Local 315, said they are striking without sanction of their union to protest company practices on the hiring of casual workers, unsafe conditions and the firing of three shop stewards since the walkout began Monday.

Anti-War Events

San Francisco and 13 other major cities will be the sites of mass marches on November 6 to climax several months of anti-war events.

Local spokesmen for the National Peace Action Coalition told a press conference that rallies are also planned Aug 6-9 to protest the U.S. atomic bombings of Japan in World War II; Oct 13, a national moratorium day; Oct 25, a veterans for peace demonstration on Veterans Day; and Nov 3, a student strike.

GOP Convention

San Diego, just 55 miles from the Western White House, will be the site of the Republican party's 1972 presidential nominating convention August 21-24.

The Republican National Committee voted yesterday to accept the recommendation of its site selection committee and send the party to San Diego where it is expected President Nixon will be nominated for a second term.

Florida State GOP Chairman L. E. Thomas was an ardent supporter of Miami Beach as the site. "Per square acre there are more two-legged nuts in California than anywhere else," Thomas said. "In San Francisco, a lot of people are standing around just waiting to demonstrate about something and IT IS ONLY A \$5 BUS RIDE TO SAN DIEGO."



Bombs Away!

FRESNO

A bomb heard throughout the downtown area went off outside the Fresno City Hall Sunday morning. The bomb blew out the buildings' windows and caused "moderate" damage. This is the 13th bombing in Fresno this year.

Pusher-pigs

NEW YORK CITY

A Black cop from New York City said that the reason the flow of smack and other hard drugs is increasing is because "there are many police officers within the department making money off the drugs." Next time you hear some pig say the police department serves the people in the community, think about what he is serving the community-maybe smack?

Dock Strike

Secretary of Commerce Maurice H. Stans has stepped into the West Coast labor situation with a plea for the end of the dock strike.

Stans sent his plea to Harry Bridges, International Longshoreman's and Warehousemen's Union president, and Edmund J. Flynn, Pacific Maritime Association president.

"The prolonged shutdown of our West Coast ports, now going into it's fourth week, is beginning to have serious consequences for everyone concerned," he said. "For the sake of our country, it should be brought to an end."

There was no immediate response as longshoremen sought a new contract with greater job security and better pensions.

INDIANS

Welch, Minn.

A group of Indians, protesting that high school students were digging up "our sacred burial grounds" on an archeological trip, seized the students' equipment and destroyed their records.

The group, members of the American Indian Movement, took over the site Thursday.

(We need the kind of education that teaches us the history of oppressed peoples so that we don't continue the rip-off).

(Big Bend, Shasta Co., July 22)
-- About 20 Pit River Indians have occupied a 900-acre tract of land ripped off from them by Pacific Gas and Electric Co.

Last month a Sacramento jury acquitted 35 Indians of "trespassing" on a PG&E campsite in Shasta County while 7 of them were found guilty of occupying PG&E buildings there.

Travis AFB

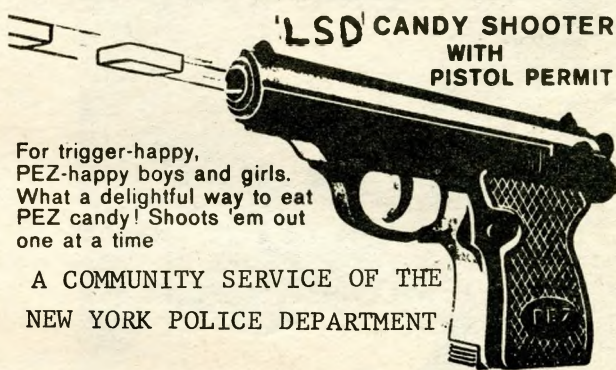
"Dicen que quieren saber las descomformidades, pero no lo hacen. Aqui los oficiales nunca van a los dormitorios de los soldados a hablarles. En Vietnam si lo hacen pero saben que su vida depende en eso." Lo que dijo un oficial negro en Travis despues de el disturbio.

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Washington

El Pentagon ha dado numero de los que han dejado el Army y Navy, esto comprueba lo que todos saben: todos lo hacen. En 1967 el numero que dejo el Army fue 21.4 por cada mil pero en 1970 era 52.3 por cada mil. De los Marines eras 1967: 26.8 por 1.000 y 1970; 59.6 por mil. En otras palabras uno de cada diez y nueve soldados y uno de cada diez y seis marineros se han ido. Para siempre.



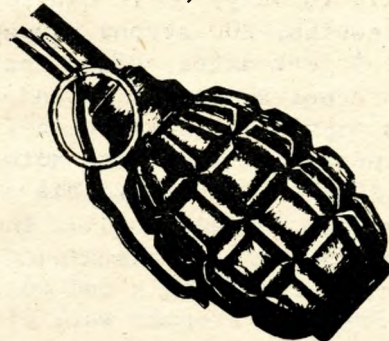
INDIOS

Welch, Minn.

Un grupo de indios, protestando que estudiantes de la escuela recundaria estaban excavando "nuestros sagrados lugares de entierro" en un viaje argueologico, agarraro el equipaje de los estudiantes y destruyo sus registros.

El grupo, compuesto de miembros del Movimiento del indio norteamericano, tomaron posesion del sitio el jueves.

(Necesitamos la clase de educacion que nos ensena la historia de gentes oprimidas para que no continuemos el robo.)



FREE HUEY

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Back in October, 1967, Huey Newton was wounded by an Oakland pig and has spent two years in the joint behind charges coming out of that incident. In his first trial, the state clearly wanted to take Huey's life but the power of the people prevailed and he was not sent to the gas chamber. Huey got out on a legal point and is now standing trial again for this same incident. The case has been marked by the State's blatant attempt to railroad Huey back into the joint. One of the prime defense exhibits, a law book which Huey had with him when he was shot, was lost. The prosecution dragged up a supposed witness who has admitted lying to the grand jury, and who has admitted being intimidated by the prosecution, to present the "true" story in this trial. The prosecution has also based its case on the testimony of Henry Grier, a bus driver who claims to have seen the entire incident, and by now has had plenty of time to get his story straight. Grier's story was full of inconsistencies, and the weakness of Grier's testimony in the first trial was one of the grounds for appeal. The defense contends that Grier was in fact lying on the floor of the bus the entire time of the incident and that he was not able to see anything.



Free Huey Newton Rally, May 1. John Winning Photo

The defense is presenting its case now, and Huey has taken the stand, to testify in his own behalf. The prosecutions conduct in this case has been of a mockery of justice; they have lost evidence, presented purjured testimony as "truth" and used all their tricks to try to get Huey back in jail. Back in 1966

Huey Newton and Bobby Seale stood up to the Oakland pigs with a law book and a gun and said "We want an immediate end to police brutality." Huey's trial is still going on and people should get up and give support so that we can force some justice out of the courts.

OXNARD RESISTENCIA

Oxnard, Colton y Los Angeles, Calif.
el 18 de julio

En Oxnard, un grupo de 200 jóvenes chicanos trabaron en una guerra de la gente después de una reunión anti-policía en un parque. "Autoridades" dijeron que no sabían lo que la causó.

La gente prendieron incendios y saquearon tiendas, echaron "molotov cocktails" a bancos, escuelas, y a una iglesia, y lucharon una batalla corriente contra la policía y diputados del sherif.

Uno de los arrestados fue herido en la pierna, aparentemente por una bala dirigido hasta el official arrestador. Un bombero y un hombre con el en el coche de patrulla, como una parte del "programa de pasear" del departamento de policía, se encontraron por vidrio de ventanas estrelladas de sus coches.

Había \$100,000 en daño y 38 arrestos en cargos que incluyen hurto, turbar la paz, y falta de esparcir.

La noche siguiente la policía estaban ejecutando un toque de queda a las diez para los de diez y ocho años o más joven.

En el mismo noche en que ocurrió la batalla en Oxnard, chicanos trabaron acción en Colton, 100 millas al este, y una bomba estrelló en un edificio de banco en el barrio chicano de East Los Angeles, el 24 explosión allí en tres meses.

OXNARD RESISTENCIA

(Oxnard, Colton, and Los Angeles, California 18 July) -- In Oxnard, Chicano youths, 200 strong, engaged in people's war after an anti-police rally in a park. "Authorities" said they don't know what triggered it!

The people set fires and looted stores, threw molotov cocktails at banks, schools, and a church, and fought a running battle with police and sheriff's deputies.



One of the people arrested was shot in the leg, apparently by a bullet aimed at the arresting officer. A fireman and a man riding with him in a patrol car, as part of the police department's "ride-along program," were hit in the face by glass from shattered windows in their vehicles.

There was \$100,000 damage and 38 arrests on charges including burglary, disturbing the peace, and

failure to disperse.

The following night the police were enforcing a 10 p.m. curfew for 18-year-olds and under.

On the same night as the battle in Oxnard, Chicanos were involved in an action in Colton, 100 miles to the east, and a bomb damaged a bank building in the chicano barrio (ghetto) of East Los Angeles, the 24th bombing there in three months.



BY
MINISTER OF DEFENSE
JUAN GONZALEZ

People speak of revolution and many do not understand. Many who speak of it do not understand what it really is. In a revolution, the sun rises and sets every day, just like before. In a revolution, the people still have the same needs they always did. But in a revolution, the sun rises and sets on people who are changing quickly. It rises and sets on people engaged in a war.

One day, you are a factory worker in a Parke-Davis plant in Carolina, or a garment worker in New York, or a housewife in Fajardo; one day you are a drug addict on a Philadelphia street, or a prostitute in the Condado. One day you are a brother in a garage in Watts, or a vendor in the marqueta in Mayagüez; one day you are a high school sister expelled for pregnancy, or a veteran from the army. And you continue to be that, or you leave that job and join a movement. But you have changed. You have slowly begun to understand why all your life you have been suffering, why all your life things have not been going right, why you have so much hate, frustration, and misery inside of you. And you become a fighter, a revolutionary, someone engaged in a war. You become a participant in your life. You take your destiny back from the oppressor and begin the long road toward freedom.

The road to freedom is not an easy one - it's always getting harder. Somewhere along that road, the oppressor becomes afraid of our unity, of our growing strength. They become afraid because we are clear about our goals and they are unable to stop us. And the clubs start swinging, people start screaming, bullets start flying, sirens start blaring, tanks start rolling, and maybe bombs start falling.

It happens once, twice, three times. It happens sporadically at first, then regularly. It starts spontaneously and becomes organized. It comes fiercely, sometimes, and quietly other times. And little by little, over a period of time, what had been mainly a political struggle, a battle of words, demonstrations, strikes, conferences, newspapers, becomes a battle with arrests, courts, hospitalizations, dead, wounded, orphaned, occupations and retaliations. The political struggle begins to give way to the armed struggle. The political struggle frees the minds of the people, and the armed struggle frees the bodies of the people.

But many people never see the war, never look toward the future, never prepare. The war comes. They are not ready. They die, are arrested. The people are set back. A revolutionary party must look toward the future. The job of a revolutionary party is to plan further than the people can see, to prepare the future conditions and for the future conditions. One of the jobs of a true revolutionary party is to give guidance, education, and organization to the building of a people's army. Without an army, a people's movement is like a baby who can cry but can't walk. Without an army, the people are begging for justice; with an army, the people are making sure they get justice. The capitalist fought and killed to get what he has, and will fight and kill to keep it. We must be prepared to defend ourselves.

Armed

Struggle



A war is bloody. A war kills. A war can destroy a nation. But wars are necessary, as long as capitalists exist. The capitalists have been waging war on us all our lives. We must engage in war to eliminate capitalists because they insist on continuing their exploitation, continuing their money-making, their greed, and their oppression. A revolutionary war will end this.

The problem, then, is preparing for warfare, preparing for the time when political methods no longer help the people progress. War will naturally break out as the only way we have to resolve the problems of misery, hunger, and exploitation. Revolutionary war is different from other types of war. In a war, one group or body of people fight to destroy another group or body of people for a reason, usually the basic needs of the group or the specific needs of some of the people.

There are different types of war. Wars differ on why they are being fought and how they are being fought. There are colonial wars, imperialist wars, civil wars, revolutionary wars, religious wars, land wars, etc. And those wars are fought in different ways. There are regular wars, air wars, guerrilla wars, naval wars, etc.. The different forms of war depend on the conditions, on the level of technology of the groups, on the number of people, and on the immediate and long-range objectives of the war. There are wars of quick decision, sustained wars, and protracted wars. There are offensive and defensive wars, and combinations of the two. And there are good wars and bad wars, just wars and unjust wars, wars of oppression and wars of liberation.

But in all wars, the goal is the same, preserve oneself and destroy the enemy.

All revolutionaries, at some point or another have to confront the problem of war. First, will they fight it or not? If they do not, we move backward and not forward. If they do, they must decide on the nature and forms of the war. If they understand that only through war can we resolve the problems that we can't resolve through peace, that only through war can we assure peace in the future, then they set about the work.

In Puerto Rico, no one has ever believed that we could defeat the united states in a war. Betances believed the Puerto Rican people could defeat Spain in war. The great patriot, Ramón Emeterio, developed a policy, a plan, to establish the Republic of Puerto Rico and defeat Spain militarily.

The plan put too much emphasis on technology and not enough emphasis on the people (the ones who will take part in the war). It showed that Betances had an understanding of the skills of a certain type of war, the type of war Spain had been fighting for years, and had taught him to fight. It showed that he at least had a basic understanding of the conditions of Puerto Rico, where the people were strong and the Spanish were weak. But because it assumed that all the people were educated and prepared to fight for independence, the plan failed. An armed struggle without the people involved is not a revolution; it's a "coup", a change of powers from one group of professional politicians to another. What we need in Puerto Rico, what we need in the united states, what all people who are oppressed throughout the world need, are

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"...YOU BECOME A FIGHTER, A REVOLUTIONARY, SOMEONE ENGAGED IN A WAR. YOU BECOME A PARTICIPANT IN YOUR LIFE. YOU TAKE YOUR DESTINY BACK FROM THE OPPRESSOR AND BEGIN THE LONG ROAD TOWARD FREEDOM."

Lucha Armada



¡Lucharemos desde una generación a la próxima!

La gente habla de revolución y muchos no comprenden. Muchos que hablan de ella no entienden lo que en realidad es. En una revolución el sol sale y se pone todos los días igualito que antes. En una revolución, la gente todavía tienen las mismas necesidades de siempre. Pero en una revolución, el sol sale y se pone sobre un pueblo que está cambiando rápidamente. Sale y se pone sobre un pueblo que está envuelto en una guerra.

Un día, eres un trabajador de fábrica en la Parke-Davis en Carolina, o una obrera en una fábrica de ropa en Nueva York, o una ama de casa en Fajardo; un día eres un adicto a drogas en una calle de Filadelfia, una prostituta en el Condado. Un día eres un hermano en un garaje en Watts o tienes un kiosco en la Plaza de Mercado de Mayagüez; un día eres una hermana de escuela superior expulsada por estar encinta, o eres veterano del ejército. Y continúas siendo eso, o sales de ese trabajo y te unes a un Movimiento. Pero has cambiado. Poco a poco has empezado a comprender por qué durante toda tu vida has sufrido, por qué durante toda tu vida las cosas no te han salido bien, por qué tienes tanto odio, frustración, y miseria dentro de tí. Y te conviertes en una persona en lucha, en un revolucionario o una revolucionaria, en alguien que está en una guerra. Te conviertes en un participante de tu propia vida. Le quitas tu destino al opresor y comienzas el largo camino hacia la libertad.

El camino hacia la libertad no es uno fácil — siempre se está poniendo más difícil. En algún lugar del camino el opresor se asusta de nuestra unidad, de nuestra fuerza que va aumentando. Se asusta, porque estamos claros en cuanto a nuestras metas, y no pueden detenernos. Y empiezan los macanazos, la gente comienza a gritar, las balas comienzan a volar, las sirenas empiezan a sonar, los tanques empiezan a desfilar, y quizás empiecen a caer bombas.

Pasa una, dos, tres veces. Pasa esporádicamente al principio y luego regularmente. Comienza espontáneamente, y se organiza. Viene ferozmente algunas veces y calmadamente en otras. Y poco a poco, a través de un período de tiempo, lo que primordialmente había sido lucha política,

una batalla de palabras, demostraciones, huelgas, conferencias, y periódicos, se convierte en una batalla con arrestos, cortes, hospitalizaciones, muertos, heridos, huérfanos, ocupaciones y venganzas. La lucha política comienza a dar lugar a la lucha armada. La lucha política libera las mentes del pueblo, y la lucha armada libera los cuerpos del pueblo.

Pero mucha gente nunca ve la guerra, nunca miran hacia el futuro, nunca se preparan. La guerra viene. No están preparados. Los matan, son arrestados. El pueblo sufre un revés, se atrasa. Un Partido revolucionario siempre tiene que mirar hacia el futuro. El trabajo de un Partido revolucionario es planear más allá de lo que el pueblo puede ver, es preparar el futuro y para el futuro. Uno de los trabajos de un Partido revolucionario verdadero es guiar, educar, y organizar hacia la creación de un ejército del pueblo. Sin un ejército, el movimiento popular es como un bebé que puede llorar pero no puede caminar. Sin un ejército, el pueblo está rogando por justicia; con un ejército, el pueblo se está asegurando de obtener su justicia. El capitalista ha luchado y matado para obtener lo que tiene, y luchará y matará para conservarlo. Tenemos que estar preparados para defendernos a nosotros mismos.

Una guerra es sangrienta. Una guerra mata. Una guerra puede destruir una nación. Pero las guerras son necesarias, mientras los capitalistas existan. Los capitalistas han estado en guerra contra nosotros todas nuestras vidas. Tenemos que comenzar una guerra para eliminar a los capitalistas porque ellos insisten en continuar con su explotación, haciendo más dinero con su avaricia y su opresión. Una guerra revolucionaria terminará con todo esto.

El problema, entonces, es prepararnos para esa guerra. Prepararnos para el momento en que los métodos de lucha política no puedan ayudar a nuestro pueblo a progresar. La guerra surgirá naturalmente como la única manera que tenemos de resolver los problemas de la miseria, el hambre, y la explotación.

La guerra revolucionaria es diferente a otros tipos de guerra. En una guerra, un grupo o conjunto de personas luchará para destruir a otro grupo o conjunto de personas por una razón, usualmente por las necesidades básicas de ese grupo o por la necesidad específica de parte de ese grupo.

Hay diferentes clases de guerras. Las guerras difieren en el por qué y en el cómo están siendo peleadas. Hay guerras coloniales, guerras imperialistas, guerras civiles, guerras revolucionarias, guerras religiosas, guerras por tierra, etc. Y cada una de ellas se lucha de una forma distinta. Pueden ser guerras regulares o aéreas, de guerrilla, navales, etc. Las formas dependen de las condiciones, del nivel de tecnología de los grupos, del número de participantes, en el tamaño del territorio a atacar o defender, de la conciencia de los soldados y del pueblo, y de los objetivos inmediatos o a largo plazo de la guerra. Hay guerras que se deciden rápidamente y hay guerras sostenidas y guerras prolongadas. Hay guerras que son defensivas y ofensivas y una combinación de ambas y hay guerras buenas y guerras malas; justas e injustas; guerras de opresión y guerras de liberación.

Pero en todas las guerras el objetivo es siempre el mismo — preservarse a uno mismo y destruir al enemigo.

Todo revolucionario en un punto u otro tiene que enfrentarse al problema de la guerra. Primero, ¿la pelearán o no? Si deciden no hacerlo, nos atrasamos y no adelantamos. Si deciden hacerlo, entonces hay que decidir sobre la naturaleza y las formas de guerra. Si entienden que sólo a través de la guerra podemos resolver los problemas que no podemos resolver a través de la paz; que sólo a través de la guerra se puede asegurar la paz en el futuro, entonces, comienzan a trabajar.

En Puerto Rico, nadie jamás ha creído que nosotros podríamos derrotar a los estados unidos en una guerra. Betances creyó que el pueblo de Puerto Rico podía derrotar a España en una guerra. El gran patriota, Ramón Emeterio, desarrolló una política, un plan para establecer a la república de Puerto Rico y derrotar a España militarmente.

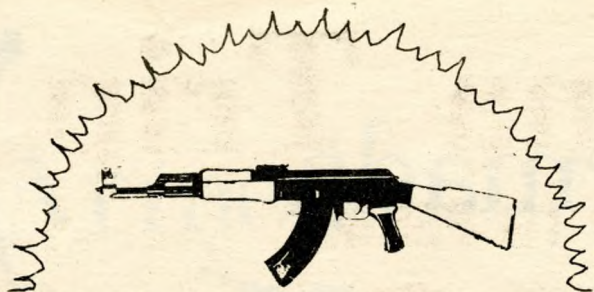
El plan puso demasiado énfasis en la tecnología y muy poco énfasis en la gente (los que van a tomar parte en la guerra). Demostró que Betances conocía las destrezas de cierto tipo de guerra, el tipo de guerra que España había enseñado a pelear. Demostró que al menos él tenía unos conocimientos básicos de las condiciones de Puerto Rico, donde la gente estaba fuerte y los españoles débiles. Pero porque dio por sentado que todo el pueblo estaba educado y preparado para luchar por la independencia, el plan fracasó. Una lucha armada sin el pueblo estar envuelto no es una revolución; es un "golpe de estado," un cambio en el poder de un grupo de politiqueros profesionales a otro. Lo que nosotros necesitamos en Puerto Rico, lo que necesitamos en los estados unidos, lo que todos los pueblos que son oprimidos a través



PUYALLUP INDIAN river camp. Armed guards patrol levee by the river to protect the camp and fishing rights of the Puyallups from repressive justice by Washington state police.

El Campo al río de los indios puyalup. Guardas armadas patrullan la orilla para proteger al campo y derechos de pescar de los puyalup de la justicia represiva de la policía estatal de Washington.

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CALLING OUT AROUND THE WORLD

NO TURNING BACK

Cuban leader Fidel Castro stated his peoples' strong position against "conciliations or concessions" to the United States and encouraged an armed revolution in Bolivia and Uruguay. "There shall be no concessions of any sort with the Yankee imperialists", he told a huge crowd in Havana celebrating the anniversary of the start of the Cuban revolution on July 26, 1953.

The Cuban people support armed revolution in all countries of Latin America.

NO REGRESAREMOS

Fidel Castro, líder Cubano, declaró la posición fuerte de su gente contra "conciliaciones y concesiones" a los EE.UU. y animó revoluciones armadas en Bolivia y Uruguay. "No será ningunas conce ciones de cualquier modo con las imperialistas Yanquistas", dijo a una multitud en Havana que estaba celebrando el aniversario del comienzo de la revolución Cubana en el 26 de Julio, 1953.

La gente Cubana soportan revolución armada en todos países de Latino America.

ORGANIZANDO AL ESTILO TUPAMAROS

(Montevideo, Uruguay) Por tres años en Montivideo, el gobierno uruguayo y el revolucionario Tupamaros han estado en una lucha desarrolliente.

A la Prensa capitalista le gusta llamar al Tupamaros "terroristas" pero aterrorizan solamente a los que contribuyen al desempleo y inflación creciente, es decir, la clase gobernante.

Y la gente estan entendiendo más y más lo que es necesario.

En julio, estudiantes de las escuelas secundarios, después de 16 meses de demostraciones y batallas contra la policía, le forzaron al Presidente Pacheco Areco a quitar el control del gobierno central del cabildo independiente que gobierna las escuelas secundarias.

Como en la mayoría de países, el Partido "comunista" no es el partido verdadero comunista. "Todo que quieren hacer hablar o declarar huelgas," dijo una estudiante de escuela secundaria de trece años que se llama Isabela. Ella dijo, "Necesitamos movilizaciones."

¿Qué son movilizaciones? Por ejemplo, una táctica era, contruir barreras de llantas a través de una calle ancha, encenderla, y pasar volantes a motoristas y viandantes hasta que llega la policia.



HIGH SCHOOL ORGANIZING: TUPAMAROS STYLE

(Montevideo, Uruguay) -- For the last 3 years in Montevideo, the Uruguayan government and the revolutionary Tupamaros have been locked in a developing struggle.

The capitalist press likes to call the Tupamaros "terrorists" but they terrorize only those who contribute to Uruguay's growing unemployment and inflation--that is, the ruling class.

And the people are increasingly understanding what is necessary.

In July, high school students, after 16 months of demonstrations and battles with the police, forced President Pacheco Areco to withdraw central government control from the independent council governing high schools.

As in most countries, the so-called "Communist" Party is not the real communist party. "All they want to do is talk or call strikes," said a 13-year-old high school freshman named Isabella. She went on to say, "We need mobilizations."

What are mobilizations? For example, one tactic was to build a barricade of tires across a big street, set it on fire, and leaflet the motorists and passers-by until the police come.

MOBILIZE TO REVOLUTIONIZE!
LONG LIVE THE TUPAMAROS!

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armed struggle

long, thorough revolutions that put the people in power. Revolutions that give the people the power to control their own lives.

When the united states invaded Puerto Rico, Cuba, the Philippines, and Hawaii in the 1890's, it established military control. It was easiest in Hawaii and Puerto Rico, and hardest in the Phillipines and Cuba. Both Hawaii and, Puerto Rico, in addition to being controlled economically and politically, became important military bases for the future expansion of Europe's stepchild, amerikka.

QUE VIVA PUERTO RICO LIBRE!

Juan González
Minister of Defense
YOUNG LORDS PARTY

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LUCHA ARMADA

del mundo necesitan, son revoluciones largas y completas que pongan al pueblo en el poder. Revoluciones que den a la gente el poder de controlar sus vidas.

Cuando los estados unidos invadió a Puerto Rico, Cuba, las Filipinas, y Hawaii en los 1890, estableció el control militar. Fue mas fácil hacerlo en Hawaii y Puerto Rico y le tomó más trabajo en las Filipinas y Cuba. Tanto Hawaii como Puerto Rico, además de ser controladas económica y políticamente, se convirtieron en bases militares importantes para la futura expansión de la hijastra de europa, amérikka.

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The China Trip

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KISSINGER KISSES UP TO PEKING by Phil Trownstine

Commander in Chief Richard Nixon announced on July 15 that he would travel to the Peoples' Republic of China sometime before May of 1972. The diplomatic breakthrough was arranged by Nixon's hatchet man and top advisor, Henry Kissinger, who met in Peking with Premier Chou En-lai.

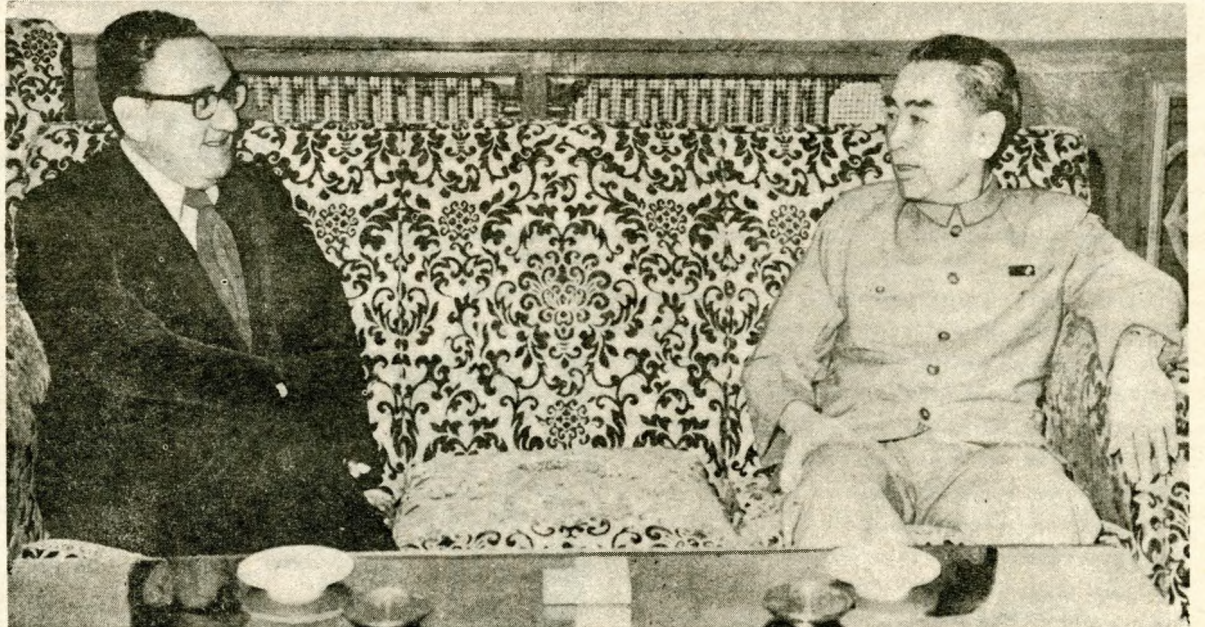
Since the victory of the Chinese revolution in 1949, the U.S. government has refused to recognize the Chinese government. Instead, the foreign policy of the U.S. government has been to back up the reactionary Kuomintang government of so-called Nationalist China (Taiwan), made up of the same landlords and capitalists who fled China when the masses of people, led by the Communist Party, seized state power.

After years of opposition to China's entrance into the United Nations, outlawed travel and trade, and a frantic anti-communist propaganda campaign, the change in line came as quite a surprise.

Since Nixon's announcement there has been a lot of speculation about what the change in policy means. The imperialists are elated, imagining that the Chinese have changed their line of opposition to the expansion of monopoly capitalism, and many people who have looked to China for revolutionary leadership have been swept up in this illusion.

The fact is that the Chinese have always sought peace with the countries of the world. In 1949, Chairman Mao Tse-tung stated:

...we proclaim to the whole world that what we oppose is exclusively the imperialist system and its plots against the Chinese people. We are willing to discuss with any foreign government the establishment of diplomatic relations on the basis of the principles of equality, mutual benefit and mutual respect for territorial integrity and sovereignty, provided it is willing to sever relations with the Chinese reactionaries, stops conspiring with them or helping them and adopts an attitude of genuine, and not hypocritical friendship towards the Peoples' Republic of China.



Henry Kissinger posed with Chou En-lai. Faced with defeat in Vietnam, national liberation movements sweeping the globe and a growing U.S. revolutionary movement, Nixon decided that he had better start trying to make some friends, and has arranged to visit Peking before he runs for re-election in November, 1972.

But at the same time, the Chinese have maintained a policy of:

...active support to the national independence and liberation movements in Asia, Africa and Latin America as well as to the peace movement and to just struggles in all countries of the world.

It is not the Chinese who have made a fundamental change in their position, it is the U.S. imperialists. Since World War II there have been tremendous changes in the international balance of class forces. Peoples' movements have won victories in countries all over the world, and the reactionary forces of the world, led by the U.S., have had to retreat. The Indochinese peoples' struggle is the most powerful example of how a small nation, fighting for survival, can defeat the vast military strength of the Pentagon. And so, like Lenin explained to the Russian people, "That's the way it is - when the enemy is beaten he starts talking peace." The fact that the U.S. government is kissing up to China is only a sign of their weakness.

The Nixon administration is bound to throw up all kinds of smokescreens

to try to hide their fright from the people of the world. They know that China will be admitted to the U.N. next year, and they want to claim the credit. They also know that they have all but surrendered in Vietnam and perhaps Nixon hopes to "make peace" with China in order to save face. And they know that the revolutionary movement of the American people is also growing stronger every day, and they are probably hoping that this benevolent move will turn back the tide. We say fat chance Nixon, maybe now we can buy some of those nice Chinese-made AK47's.



PIECE NOW?

SOLEDAD

LATEST IN SOLEDAD CASE

Superior court Judge Walter Carpeneti denied that he is a racist, therefore implying denial that he is biased in this case. He is a member of the Elks and the Moose, two organizations which are blatantly racist.

His attempt to cover up his fascism is just another attempt to fool the people into thinking he will be fair in judging the Soledad Brothers, so that he can railroad them to the gas chamber for a bullshit charge of killing a prison guard, which all the prisoners have a reason to kill. The brothers were picked out because they were leading revolutionary struggle in Soledad Prison, and the pigs didn't dig it.

BROS.

PRISONERS DEAL WITH INFORMER

(San Quentin Prison, Cal.) -- Herman Earl Johnson is a "hot inmate" because he is scheduled to testify for the prosecution in the trial of the Soledad Brothers.

Inmates at San Quentin stabbed Johnson in the prison yard Monday. Then the prison authorities put Johnson in a guarded hospital room.

Two days later, July 21, four inmates killed the guard as they tried to get to Johnson.



16 Landlord Runs Amuck

Certain landlords in San Jose have reached new heights of piggery and are now surrounding their apartments with barbed wire. The landlord of Sunnycourts Apts. has instituted this concentration camp tactic in an effort to intimidate the residents of the community. He has also put up signs saying that none of the tenants can even have guests or visitors without first getting permission from the manager.

Why such piggishness? Money of course! The landlord wants to make more and more money and profit off the people, who have less and less money to spend. So he is evicting all the low-income tenants, pretending to fix up the apartments, so he can charge higher rent.

This pig landlord has used every dirty trick in the book to get rid of his old tenants. He evicted Luis and Lupe Vinegra on the cheap excuse that they were a nuisance because they had their friends over to visit them. The landlord called the pigs, but even they told him that he was crazy.



Nevertheless, Luis and Lupe moved out because they didn't want to be constantly hassled. And at least five other families were forced out

shortly afterwards. This kind of shit has got to stop.

POWER TO THE TENANTS.

SAN JOSE VENCEREMOS

Undueño Se Hace Un Puerco

Algunos dueños en San Jose han Alcanzado nuevos extremos de avaricia y ya están acercando sus apartamentos con alambre espinoso. El dueño de Sunnycourts Apts. ha instituido esta táctica de campamentos de concentración en un esfuerzo de intimidar los residentes de la comunidad. El ha puesto signos diciendo que ningunos de los que están alquilando puedan tener huéspedes o visitantes sin obteniendo permiso primero del gerente.

¿Porque tanto Facismo? El dinero, por supuesto! El dueño quiere hacer más y más dinero y provecho de la gente, que tiene menos dinero a gastar. El está desahuciando todos los alquiladores de bajas ingresos, pretendiendo a componer sus apartamentos para que puede cobrar mas renta.

Este dueño avariento ha usado cada engaño posible para eliminar sus viejas alquiladores. El expulsó Luis y Lupe Vinegra con el

pretexto de que se metieron en todo por teniendo visitantes en su apartamento. El dueño llamó la chota, pero la chota le dijo que él fue loco.

Sin embargo, Luis y Lupe se movieron porque no desearon ser persiquido constantemente. Y al menos 5 más familias estuvieron forzadas a moverse poco tiempo después. Este tipo de represión tiene que cesar.

¡PODER A LOS ALQUILADORES!

New Numbers Racket

The U.S. government plans to increase its numerical tagging of citizens—despite acknowledged worries over invasion of privacy by computers. All youngsters beginning the ninth grade are to receive a Social Security number.

The step was approved July 2, without announcement, by Social Security Commissioner Robert M. Ball, who ordered subordinates to draw up implementation plans.

The ninth grade enumeration was recommended in May by a Social Security Administration task force in a report that also acknowledged dangers in the growing use of the Social Security number as a universal identifier by police, credit bureaus, banks, and even schools.

The report was released without fanfare and its circulation was "never pushed" by the agency, a spokesman acknowledged.

This is not just an invasion of privacy or just an aid to bankers or creditors. This is made by the man and for the man. They are registering and numbering us for the same reason they register guns—to control us better by being able to identify us at any time or place. Well they can number us if they want to because in the long run it won't save them from the righteous anger of the oppressed people. **THE CHANGE IS GONNA COME, NO MATTER WHAT THEY TRY TO DO TO STOP IT!**

HELLYER PARK



John Kracht—S.J. cop in the Mod Squad. noted for beating people up. This is the kind of cop that was at Hellyer's Park

Six Community Alert Patrol (CAP) members were arrested for "failure to disperse" during a riot at Hellyer Park in San Jose last May. CAP was there taking pictures and tape recording police brutality. CAP is a group which rides in cars on the weekends observing police harassment to try to protect the people.

A riot started (no one knows why) and two people were killed. The police moved in. They gave orders to disperse—but before anyone could leave, they began beating and arresting people.

This included CAP people whose equipment was smashed. The police claim the destruction was accidental.

Three police were given three week suspensions for their part in the riot. Four CAP members were acquitted and Sunday two more were found guilty. One of the officers who testified, was asked if he had ever patrolled on the East Side and he took the 5th Amendment because he felt that his answer would incriminate him.

Bob Elledge
San Jose Venceremos

THE UNEMPLOYMENT SHUCK YOU HAVE TO FIGHT

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My mind is blown! I can't find a job anywhere, and I'm at least \$300 in debt. And now, to top it off, my unemployment claim was turned down yesterday--because I went to jail! My mind is blown!

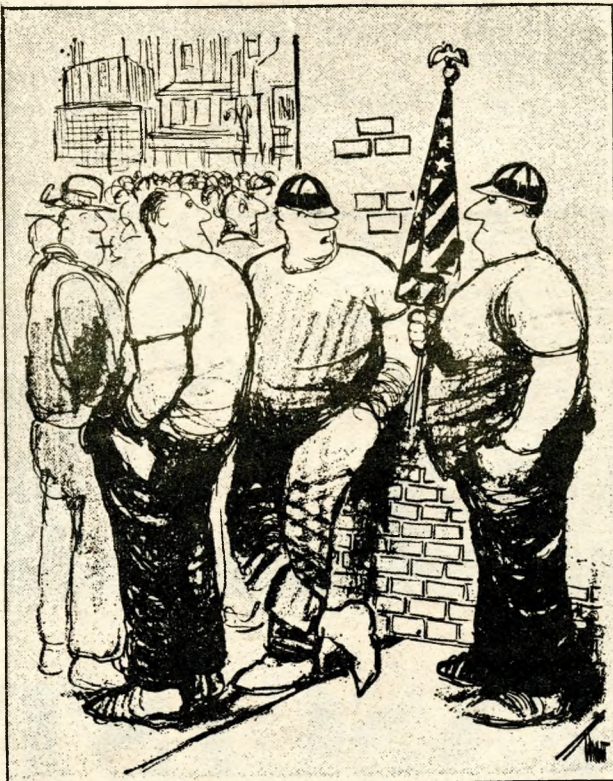
Here's the story. Back in January, I took part in a demonstration in front of the Stanford Research Institute (SRI) in Menlo Park. We were protesting a meeting of scientists who had worked on the "Wild Weasel"--an electronic gizmo used to pick up "enemy" radar signals and to home in air-to-ground missiles on the sites. Wild Weasels are used by U.S. planes in the air war all over Indochina. This was a real meeting of war criminals at SRI, all right.

We tried to peacefully block the cars as they entered SRI, but the pigs kept clearing us out. There was some pushing and shoving back and forth, until the pigs decided to break up the demonstration once and for all. They charged the crowd, beating and macing people as they came. One of the pigs was swinging his club like a baseball bat and could've killed someone. To keep anyone from getting hurt, I grabbed him from behind, and we both fell to the ground. I wasn't quick enough to get away before a few other pigs reached us. After being knocked around some (it took four stitches to close the gash above my left eye), I was busted and taken to the jail in Redwood City where I was charged with felonious assault on a police officer.

On March 12, I copped to misdemeanor assault on an officer, and I was sentenced to 30 days in the County Jail. I went in on March 15, did my time, and got out on April 13.

Before I went to jail, I was working at a warehouse in San Jose. Just after I was sentenced, my foreman told me he wouldn't be able to keep my job open for me while I was gone. He added that I had been doing good work and that he was sorry to lose me. (He didn't know at the time that we were organizing a union. The company was really ripping us off.)

After I got out, I looked around pretty hard for work but couldn't



"THIS AIN'T A DEMONSTRATION--
IT'S AN UNEMPLOYMENT LINE."

find any. (Unemployment is over 7% in Santa Clara County.) Finally, in the middle of July, my money ran out, and I applied for unemployment. Yesterday, I went down to the unemployment office on Sherman Ave. in Palo Alto for my interview.

Everything started out O.K. The interviewer, a dude named A. Stains, asked me the usual questions. When did I leave my last job? How long had I worked there? How much was I making? And so on. Everything was cool. I'd earned enough during my base period to qualify for unemployment benefits.

Then he asked me why I had to leave my last job. I told him I'd gone to jail for being in an anti-war demonstration. He then got out a big book of unemployment regulations and started leafing through it. He found the rule he was looking for, turned to me, and said, "I'm afraid you're not eligible to receive unemployment benefits at this time."

I was stunned. I had flashes of myself lying dead of starvation in some gutter. "What do you mean, I'm not eligible?" I asked in amazement.

"Since you left your last job to go to jail for an act you voluntarily committed," he answered, "it's the same as if you quit. So you can't collect unemployment."

"But I didn't quit," I replied hotly. "I was busted. I didn't want to go to jail. This is ridiculous." Now I was getting pissed off.

Stains started to get a little uptight right about this time. "I'm sorry," he said lamely. "Your employer didn't lay you off. There's nothing I can do about it. If you want to collect unemployment, you'll have to find another job and earn five times your weekly benefits (\$42)--or \$210--before you're eligible."

That was just too much to take. I exploded. "Find another job?!" I shouted. "There aren't any jobs. That's why I came here in the first place!"

"I know," Stains whispered.

"How am I supposed to live?" I demanded.

Stains couldn't look me in the face. "Well, there's welfare and food stamps," he said meekly.

by Jim Shoch, Venceremos

Welfare and food stamps, huh? In order for a single male to get on welfare, he can't own a car worth over \$500. Mine is worth more than that, so I'd have to sell it. Then I'd have to buy a cheaper car to be able to look for work! As for food stamps, a new law will soon be in effect which will limit distribution of the stamps to one unrelated person per household. I live in a house with four friends to keep the rent down. But because of this, I probably won't be able to get on food stamps! No work, no unemployment, no welfare, no food stamps, no nothing!

"This is bullshit!" I screamed at Stains. I almost fired on the mother-fucker.

Stains was really uptight by this time. His face was all red, and he was sunk way down in his chair. He nervously muttered something about an appeal, and I stormed out of the office swearing--with \$1.43 to my name.

Today I got an official notice from Stains explaining why my application had been turned down. It read, "You were terminated from you last employment because you were incarcerated from 3-15-71 to 4-13-71 for an act which the evidence indicates you voluntarily committed. Under those circumstances, it must be held that you voluntarily left work without good cause."

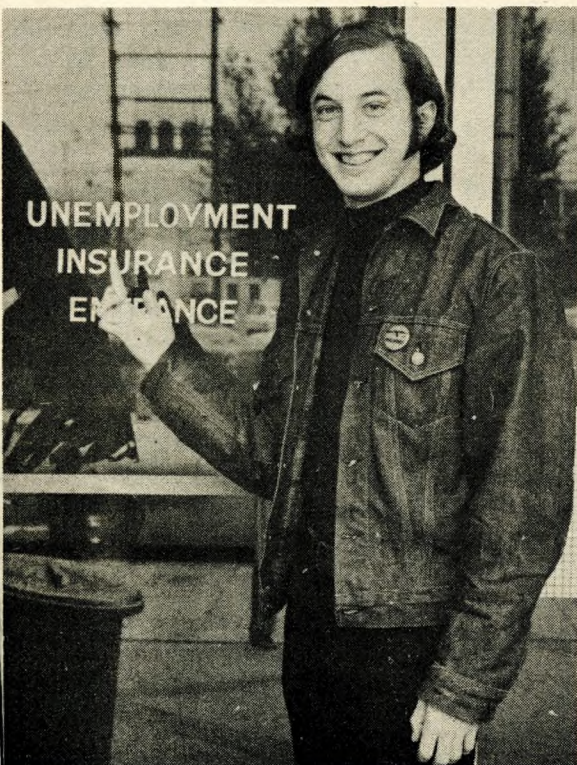
For taking part in a demonstration against the murderous U.S. intervention in Indochina, I did 30 days in jail, lost my job, and now I can't even collect unemployment!

But what really blows me out is that there are thousands and thousands of people like me all across the country who have been denied unemployment benefits because of some technicality. The rich pigs who run the country have no interest in shelling out the bread needed to keep unemployed people alive, so they've devised an unemployment system full of catches to keep people from receiving the benefits that are rightfully theirs. I'm lucky enough to have a lot of friends who will help me out until I find another job. But there are plenty of people around who don't know that many people and who are really having a tough time making it. There's no two ways about it--capitalism sucks!

There comes a time when you have to draw the line and say, "Enough of this crap. There's some shit I just won't eat!" Well, for me, this is the time. I don't plan to let this thing slide without a fight. I'll have a hearing to contest the decision. Hopefully, we can pack the room to really put the pressure on. I figure that if everyone who is denied unemployment demands a hearing, and we get a lot of people down to those hearings with flags and posters, we can clog up and hassle the system until they find it easier to grant our claims than to keep turning them down. Anyone interested in rapping about what else we can do can call me at 323-0330.

We have to start getting our shit together. We have to start fighting for what's ours!

VENCEREMOS!!



Jim Shoch flips off the Unemployment Office. Jim's claim was turned down last week, because he left his job in March "without good cause"--to do a 30-day jail sentence.

STANFORD RIP OFF

Last week we saw how the Stanford trustees have pretty tight control over how land is used on the Peninsula. This week we'll check out how we as working and poor people get screwed by these trustees.

Palo Alto and Stanford have refused to build low-income housing for those of us who work in the Palo Alto-Stanford area. (78% of the people that work in Palo Alto and in Stanford can't afford to live there.) The rich people who run Stanford and Palo Alto would rather have surrounding communities build low-income housing, by taxing us because they know that you can't make big profits off of building decent low-income housing.

Not only won't they build any more low-income housing but the rich Palo Alto realtors are tearing down what little low-income housing exists in Palo Alto to make way for banks, office buildings, high-rise apartments and expressways. These policies cause many of us to move into the surrounding communities in large numbers, causing rental rates to increase 50% every ten years. Because the vacancy rate in our communities is as low as 3%, about the lowest in the country, and because so many of us are looking for housing, pig landlords try to rip us off by charging high rents for substandard housing.

Many of the communities we live in have no industrial tax base because of the way the Stanford trustees, through the Bay Area council, have placed industry. This means that in order to provide us with basic services such as schools, parks and playgrounds, our local governments raise our taxes. Property taxes are increased, which hurts the small home owner and various other taxes are levied against those of us who can least afford it. East Palo Alto, though considered one of the economically poorest areas on the peninsula, has the highest taxes in San Mateo county. This is a tax that effects almost exclusively the small home owner, because industry is almost non-existent in EPA. (Land which could be used for industry in EPA has been zoned out of it because of its "poor investment climate".) Mt. View has not only found it necessary to levy high property taxes but has had to add a 5% utilities tax to keep its schools and other services

functioning. From city to city the story is the same; poorer people pay higher taxes on their homes and bear the brunt of "municipal improvement."

Next week we'll look into the ways in which people are moving to prevent Stanford University from screwing them.



FASCIST STATE?



A bill to give Stanford police full police powers was rejected last week by the Ways and Means Committee of the California State Assembly. Assemblymen Willie Brown and John Miller agreed that if the bill were passed it would sow "the seeds of a Fascist state." Santa Clara Sheriff James Geary is another opponent of the bill, on the grounds that the bill would allow private institutions like Stanford the power to have their own police state, outside of the State's control and "subject to the whims of the administration."

It's clear from what has been happening lately that Stanford is fast providing a model for developing Fascism in this country. The Stanford injunction, which came down during the spring quarter, not only banished certain people from ever setting foot on the campus again, but enjoined the rest of the community as well from engaging in any kind of protest or activity that the administration disagrees with. Another example is the University's policy of photographing protestors

and then turning their files over to the Sheriff's Department. Most recently 31 people are on trial for the hospital sit-in, largely on the basis of photographic evidence turned in by Stanford's disciplinarian, John Schwartz and the Campus News Service.

So now the administration wants to get even more power to bring law and order to the Stanford community. Since early spring, Santa Clara Sheriff's officers have been patrolling the campus full time; literally thousands of thousands of dollars have been poured into new electronic surveillance equipment; and now, a new law and order man called Marvin Herrington is head of the campus police. But Stanford still doesn't feel safe enough. They know that they are up against an angry group of students and workers, and after all, summer is almost over. So Stanford doesn't feel safe anymore.

Well that's just too bad!



PIG OF THE WEEK

THOMAS MOSHER, F.B.I.

Thomas Edward Mosher (mo'shur) surfaced as a police agent when he testified before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee in February and March of this year.

Mosher is originally from Chicago, and has been active in the movement for many years. From October, 1962 to April, 1965, he hung out around the Palo Alto/Stanford area, and got to know a great many Bay Area activists. He did civil rights work in Mississippi in 1965, and in 1966 worked with JOIN in his home neighborhood in Chicago. He also worked with the Young Patriots. He went to Cuba on the Venceremos Brigade in 1968 and returned to the Stanford area that same year after being run out of Chicago by people who suspected that he was a pig.

Mosher is one of the cleverest pigs in the country, and one of the most dangerous. His best ploy is that he knows a great many people in the movement, and can put people in contact with almost anyone they want to meet. He has read a great deal of Marx, Lenin and Mao and knows a lot about revolutionary politics, as well as gossip about people in the movement. He can tell you who believes in what strategy or tactic and what type of activities they are into.

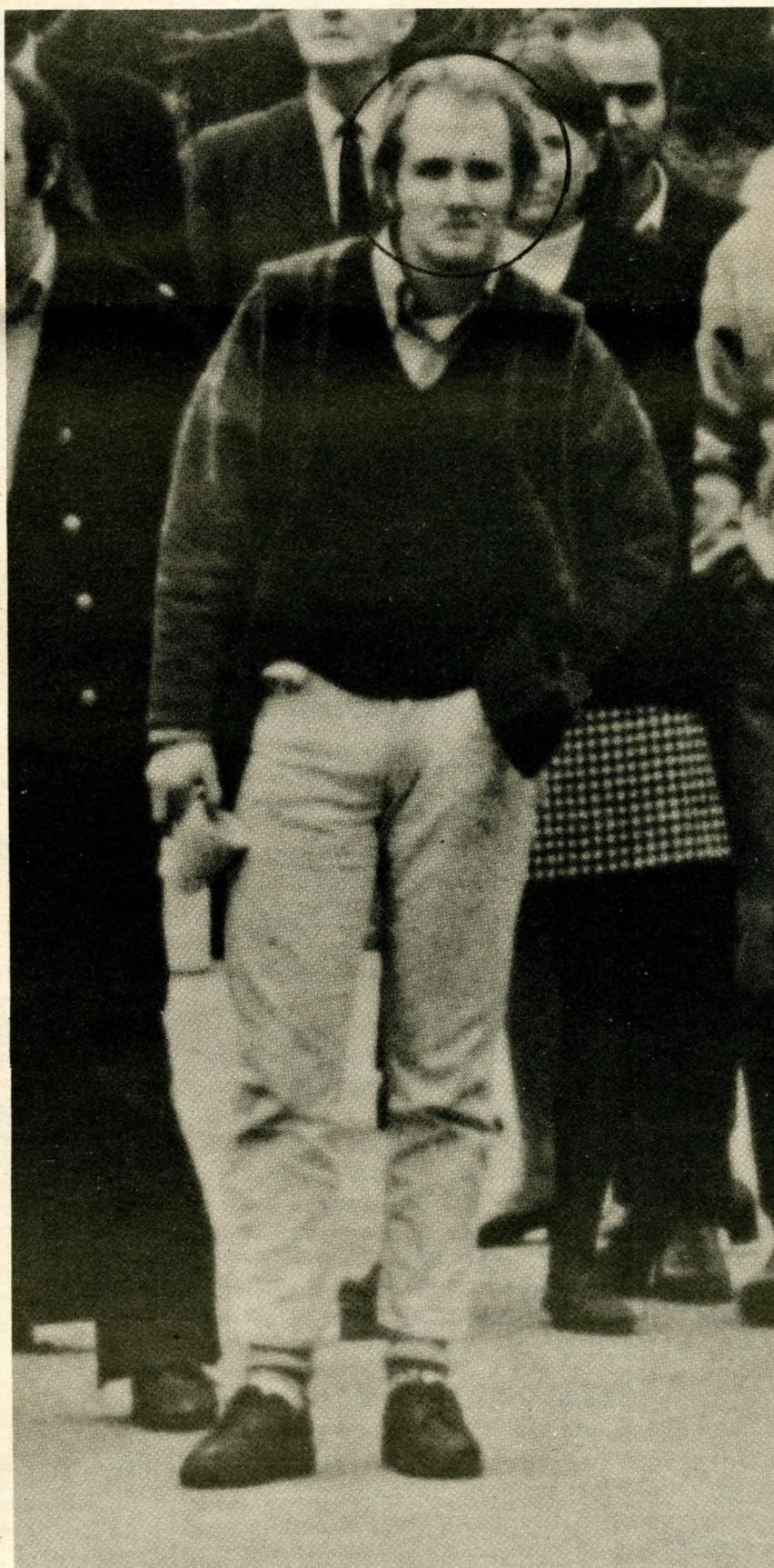
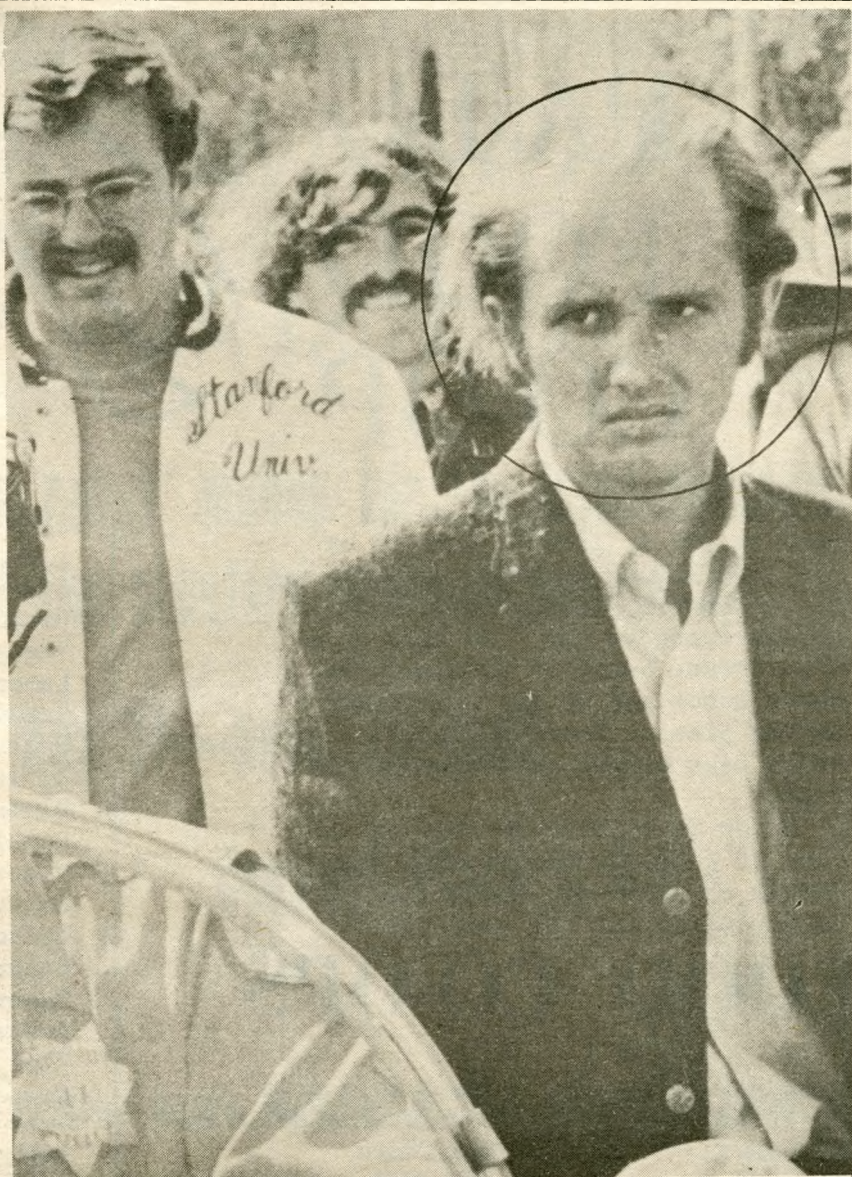
He comes on very heavy, and is always throwing around the fact that he comes from a "real working class background" and has worked all his life with street people and bikers. Often he is so loud and obnoxious that people come to hate him without even knowing that he is a pig agent. But he can also put on a charm act that is very convincing. His usual cover is that of a tough guy. He has a lot of daring (since he doesn't worry about prosecution) and is always suggesting that something should be blown up or someone offed. He claims to have a lot of technical expertise and underground contacts. He occasionally packs a piece when he is likely to be in a tense situation.

Mosher has been known to dress in several styles, from "hippie" with extremely long hair to "greaser." He has been involved in hard drug traffic and claims to have jacked up a number of smack dealers. He gets his kicks from hanging around "heavies" and often tries to provoke fights.

He has a wife (who is still with him after his testimony) and a little boy. The child is really cute, tough and intelligent. When people in Palo Alto began to expose him as a pig, he pleaded, "Say I'm crazy, but don't say I'm a pig." He has a great deal of finesse at making people feel sorry for him when he is exposed, and claims to be sexually and psychologically fucked up.

Because of his knowledge of the movement and people in it, his testimony is extraordinarily dangerous. He mixes a long string of lies and half-truths with a kernel of fact, quotes from D.C.'s military writings, the Minimanual, and other public statements and documents in such a way as to make it sound like he has first-hand knowledge of underground activities. He links real people with real events by fabricating meetings or conversations at which he was supposedly present.

Tom Mosher is a dangerous pig who is not worthy of the space he takes up on the face of the earth. We hope that the power of the people will deal with him properly. ALWAYS CHECK OUT PEOPLE WITH THE PEOPLE YOU KNOW IN THE AREA THEY CLAIM TO COME FROM, AND NEVER GIVE A SUCKER AN EVEN BREAK.

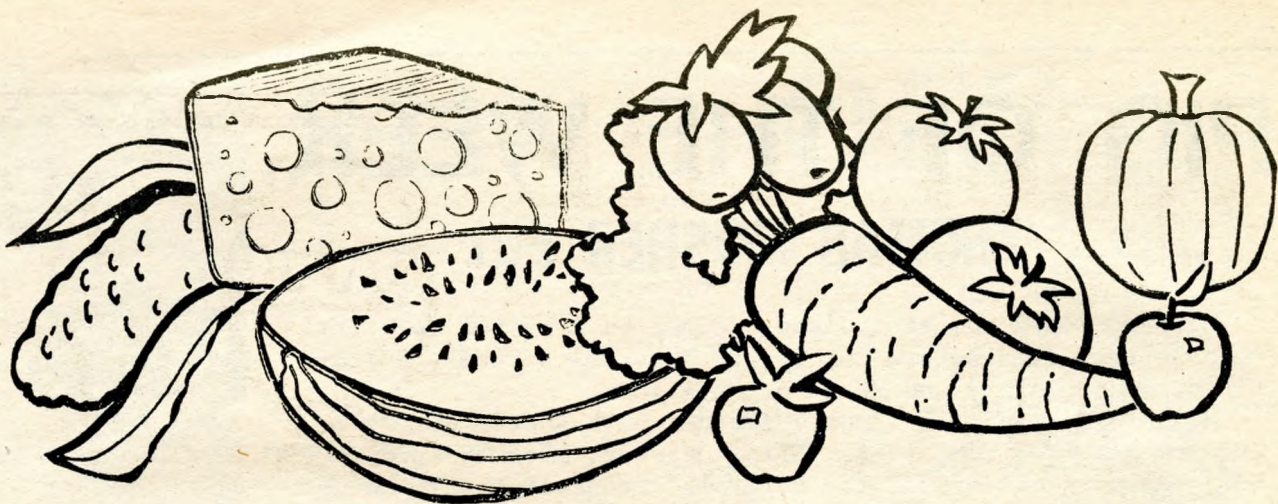


THE STAFF OF PAMOJA VENCEREMOS IS ASKING PAPERS ALL OVER THE COUNTRY TO REPRINT THIS ARTICLE IN FULL.



KY TOKES UP: Vice President of South Vietnam, lately implicated in a large opium dealing ring, takes time out from a busy campaign for president to smoke a little dope. A goodwill gesture to G.I. junkies?

PATU FOOD CO-OP



When we work together to buy our food, we are in greater control of the food buying process, and we begin to control the quality and cost of the foods we eat. We also build a structure based on co-operative human labor, and we get away from buying plastic food in sterile stores whose high prices get a few people rich.

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ITEM	PATU	LUCKY	SAFEWAY	CO-OP
Apples	23¢ lb.	30¢lb.	39¢lb.	39¢lb.
Bananas	9¢lb.	12¢	11¢	15¢
Oranges	13¢lb.	21¢	25¢	19¢
Lemons	6¢ea.	8¢	11¢	11¢
Strawberries	25¢ bskt.	39¢	39¢	49¢
Nectarines	23¢lb.	43¢	39¢	39¢
Apricots	11¢lb.	19¢	25¢	
Plums	17¢lb.	39¢	34¢	39¢
Potatoes	4¢lb.	3¢lb.	12¢	
Tomatoes	17¢lb.	45¢	39¢	49¢
Carrots	8¢lb.	19¢	15¢	19¢
Lettuce	13¢ea.	23¢	20¢	15¢
String Beans	34¢lb.	49¢	39¢	49¢
Mushrooms	60¢lb.		59¢	89¢
Avacadoes	18¢ea.	29¢	19¢	19¢
Ital. squash	11¢lb.	19¢	20¢	19¢
Corn	9¢ea.	10¢	10¢	15¢
CHEESES				
Montery Jack	78¢lb.	95¢	94¢	99¢
Swiss	82¢lb.	\$1.09	98¢	\$1.15
Sharp Cheddar	87¢lb.	\$1.05	\$1.09	\$1.09
Cream Cheese	68¢lb.	83¢	82¢	

This list of comparative prices was composed on July 22nd.

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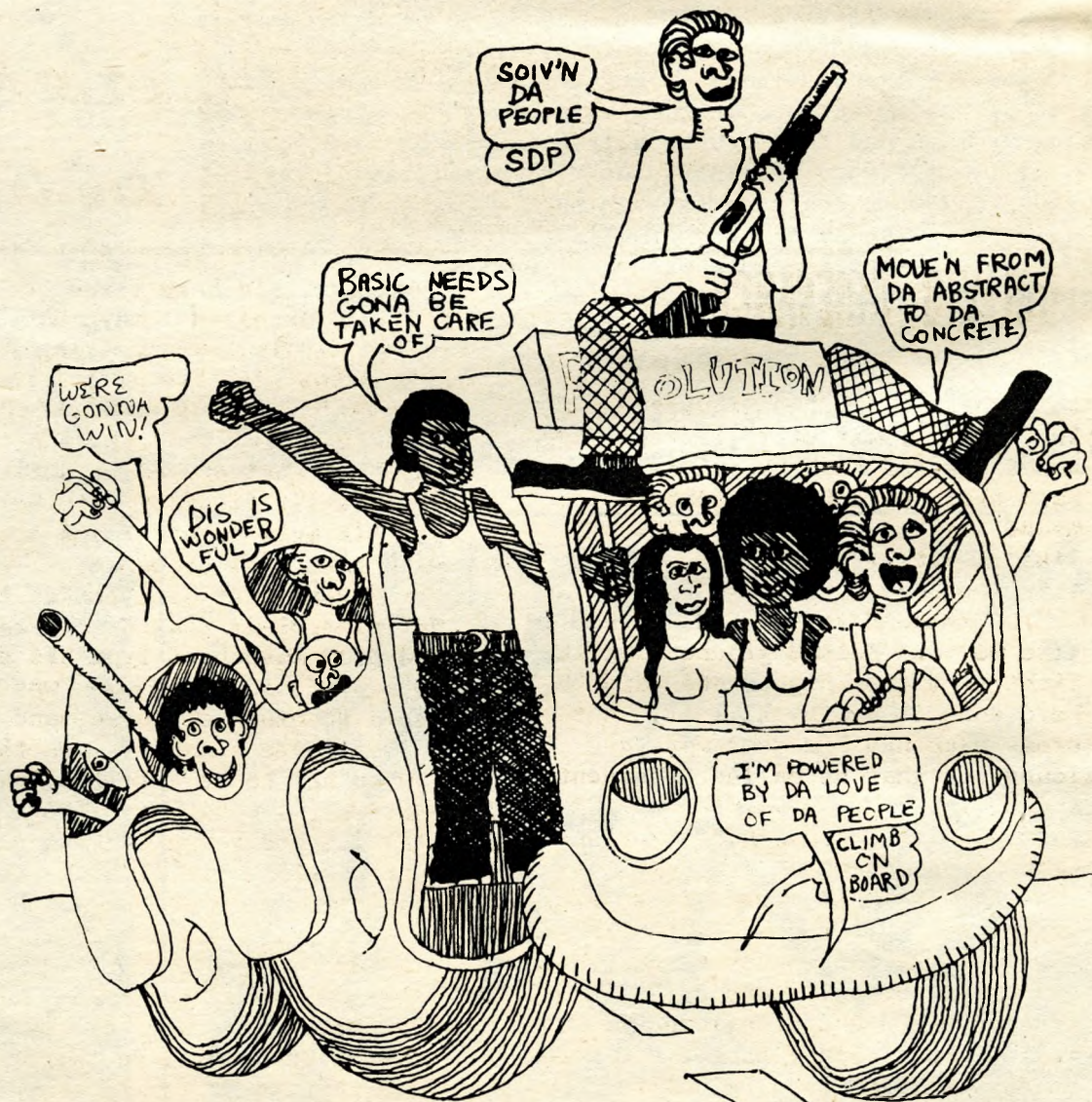
Last Sunday, the Tenants' Union Food Co-Op had a "picnic to the people" in Eleanor Park. We wanted the people to know that the Food Co-Op is expanding...we now handle produce, eggs, bread (day old), cheeses, hot dogs, salami and other foods. By the end of August, we'll be handling different grains, honey, nuts, dried fruit and milk, and household items. In a week or two, we hope to be able to take food stamps.

About 100 people turned out for the picnic. The food was purchased and prepared by the Food Co-Op. Beer went for a nickel. Sportsfans were thrilled by games of frisby, red rover and football. The people, including a lot of kids, dogs, balloons and good cheap food made it a fine afternoon.

In Palo Alto, when you set up a good time that includes people, food, and a park or street, you usually get hassled by the pigs. And we did.

On Friday, a Mr. Wilson of the P.A. city offices called two of the people who organized the picnic. Wilson asked, "Do you people have a use permit for the park?" As for the food, he asked, "Do you have a food license?" We didn't have either, and we knew we didn't need either, and we told him so.

Mr. Wilson then said he was "really sorry, but this time it looks like you'll be able to use the park." After July 28, he said, all pre-arranged, pre-advertised functions held in public parks will have to get a use permit for the park



(the City Council just passed this one last week).

Well, people have a right to gather together in parks. Attempts to limit that right do not work. Remember Peoples Park in Berkeley.

Remember Albuquerque. Remember that the land belongs to the people and no one else.

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DOLLY'S GRIEVANCE

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shit things like "unauthorized parking" and "promiscuity", but nothing about sit-ins or disruptions. Bruce said that unacceptable behavior means that somebody else does not like or accept what you're doing, like the boss.

We asked Nelson who'd decided to fire me, and Nelson grinned for the first time that night, and said that he'd done it all by himself. But we cross examined him some more and found out that he called President Lyman first to ask permission and that he started the investigation when Schwartz, Lyman's special assistant, sent him a photograph of me being arrested outside the sit-in. And we found out that that one photograph was the only reason I'd been fired. Nelson had no evidence I was inside the sit-in (Except a 2 sentence statement by a Palo Alto cop which says "I saw John Dolly inside the sit-in". Not where inside the sit-in, what I was doing, what clothes I was wearing, etc. And the P.A. cop refuses to testify before the committee, which proves he's a lot smarter than Nelson.)

Even though Nelson's only piece of evidence was a photograph of me outside the sit-in, he denied that I'd been fired because I'd been

arrested. I'd been fired because if I'd been arrested I must have been in the sit-in. The hearing ended at this point with the most conservative member of the committee, Harry Miller, saying that he hadn't seen anything that proved me guilty, and essentially pleading with Nelson to get his shit together and come back with some real evidence.

Miller sent me a letter the next day telling me that Bruce Franklin had been suspended from his duties as a professor, therefore was no longer a Stanford employee, and since the employee's manual says that my lawyer has to be a fellow Stanford employee, I'd have to find someone else. I was going to send him a letter asking him if Bruce was no longer an employee why was he still getting paid, and that I, as a former Stanford employee, could dig getting some money too. But later for that. Whenever they hold my second hearing Bruce will be there, and I've invited Miller to show up, if he dares.

A couple of days later, Brodie resigned from the committee. He's a psychiatrist, and one of his patients committed suicide. He said that the grievance procedure was taking up too much time, but a lot of reason for that is after the first hearing Nelson picked up all his marbles and went home, and Brodie had to try to contact all of

Nelson's witnesses to get them to testify. I charge Nelson with "unacceptable behavior".

Now Miller gets to appoint a new chairman, and I can't count on a visiting professor this time. Miller also wants to start the hearing all over again, and I'm looking for a new job. What price do you have to pay to keep from going through all these things twice?

Long Live the Lumpen-Worker Alliance!

THANKS

Bruce Franklin wants to thank the anonymous friend who mailed him the article with the following marked for emphasis:

At Honolulu (June 1964), the Pentagon papers now show, Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge urged a "selective bombing campaign against military targets in the North" to bolster Southern morale.

The anonymous friend obviously is aware that among the "unacceptable behavior" for which Bruce and others were banned from Stanford is the crime of asking so honored a guest as H.C. Lodge to tell us the truth about Vietnam.

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PAMOJA VENCEREMOS is desperate. Right now we are over \$1,000.00 in debt. Our printing costs alone run about \$350.00 each issue. None of our staff is paid, so the money we are talking about is not for us, it is for the very basic expenses needed to publish PAMOJA VENCEREMOS. We are asking everyone we know, and everyone who reads this paper and understands where we are coming from to help us out. The paper goes free to prisoners and to GI's and every day we get more requests from them. We don't have any income from ads and we don't have anybody like the Ford foundation behind us. So we have to go to the people for our support.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 2

Pauletta Fountilla, a fired telephone worker, will have her unemployment hearing at 1:30, 449 Sherman, PA

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3

Two films: Report from China and Citizen Kane will be showing at Bishop Auditorium, Stanford, at 7:30

Harold Supriano was fired from the Palo Alto school system for his politics. The schoolboard meets at 7:30 at Escondido School - BE THERE!

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4

The Stanford Hospital defendants arrested in the Hospital sit-in will talk on KTAO at 4:45

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6

Bruce Franklin speaks on KPFA at 6:00 PM every Friday, so listen regularly!

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MONDAY, AUGUST 9

The first trial of the people arrested in the Stanford Hospital sit-in begins at 1:00 in the Palo Alto Municipal Court, Judge Feinberg's courtroom.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10

the film 'Battle of Algeirs' is playing at Bishop Auditorium at Stanford, 7:30 and 9:30

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