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## Minorities on Campus?

**Space**  
The following is a quotation by Dr. H. Chaney, faculty representative from California State College, Bakersfield to the Academic Senate, California State Colleges, meeting of October 21-22, 1971:

"Yolanda Chambers of the Chancellor's staff reported that the California State Colleges are under orders from the Federal Government, specifically HEW (Department of Health, Education & Welfare), as well as the California Fair Employment Practices commission to change hiring practices. Simply, the State Colleges must hire more minority faculty and staff. There is a demand for a ration of minority faculty to the statistical metropolitan area. This does not mean merely opening the door and giving equal access. It means rather the active search for minority faculty. Mrs. Chambers spoke of the necessity of rectifying the inequities that have existed in the past." The point was stressed that colleges are not being told to lower faculty standards, but rather to search for and hire those fully qualified. When questioned how the State Colleges financially could compete, Mrs Chambers admitted there is the equivalency problem. Her suggested solution is to hire minority faculty who show potential by virtue of the MA degree on the PhD track.

There are several statements here which bring up some important questions concerning CSCB. If, as was stated, there is a demand for minority faculty in direct proportion to the statistical metropolitan area, has Cal State failed? Certainly in terms of faculty hiring, they have; there are 10 minority faculty which comprise 9% of a total of 109 and 22 minority staff members comprising 14.9% of a total of 147. According

to one black community leader in Bakersfield, minorities comprise 31% of the community. The number of minority students on campus is approximately 200 (12%) in a total enrollment of approximately 1650. With few exceptions, minority members on the administrative level are practically non-existent. As we consider hiring policies in particular, we must ask who is doing the recruiting. Are Black southern schools being considered and if so, by whom - white recruiters? Who determines what schools to visit? Who determines who is "quality" and who is not? The paper invites the Administration to respond to these questions. The accreditation committee will arrive on campus shortly. Will they ask the same questions?

-ANNE CLARK

## \*FAR - OUT\*

The appointment of Dennis Ralston as tennis coach at CSB is truly of monumental significance. With his experience and his proven ability as a coach, he will no doubt draw many a would-be tennis star to the Cal State Campus. The Paper applauds the wise decision of Dr. Romberg in selecting Ralston for the Cal State Staff.

The Paper also recognizes this action by Dr. Romberg as the establishment of a significant precedent. By his action, Dr. Romberg has indicated that the possession of BA, MA and PhD degrees is not requisite for obtaining a position on the staff at CSB. The previous arguments of administrators at this institution that "qualified" individuals must possess PhD degrees or be in the last stages of obtaining them, have been rendered null and void by President Romberg's decision to hire an individual who is obviously qualified though he is 40 units short of a BA degree in an unrelated field (Business Administration).

The President's action can be taken as an indication that Cal State can look forward to the appointment of qualified individuals in such areas as Ethnic Studies, athletics, social work, etc. who do not necessarily possess academic degrees. The President now has a splendid opportunity to hire members of the minority community who have demonstrated

## **a call for radical CHANGE**

Undoubtedly America is undergoing a serious upheaval these days. Perhaps it is not so drastic as some people would have it - sometimes it is difficult to keep a historical perspective on things when one is right in the middle of them. Also, the future is always appraised by the use of knowledge gained in the past and present, yet, of course, the future will be confronted with more knowledge and understanding when it comes around.

Still, what is clear is that some things are seriously wrong with the world and with the United States. Students are rioting, workers are striking in practically all areas, a war is being fought which is less and less understood and supported by the public, and the economic health of the nation is in serious jeopardy. Practically no strata of society is satisfied and individual tragedies and misfortunes abound virtually everywhere.

To those who have been looking at this country from what is called the libertarian framework none of this comes as very surprising. Friedrich A. Hayek, in his "The Road to Serfdom," warned America against turning into a statist society. Ayn Rand, Ludwig von Mises, Leonard Read and others have been attempting to shock us into the realization that America is heading down the path toward a combination of Marxist and nationalist socialism, a fascist-communist totalitarian state. The rights which were once the distinguishing features of the American legal system have been supplanted with what Richard Nixon just recently called "safety valves". (How can the President say that there will not be a revolution because we have "safety valves"? Does he not know that a safety valve is an evasion, a deceptive "reduction of pressure," and not a principle of just law, namely the right of every in a free society to refuse to

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## Radical Change cont.

cooperate with his political leaders?) The citizen must, under penalty of law, subject himself to national, state, county and municipal regulations, directives, ordinances, rules, edicts and commands, only some of which do what laws should be doing in a free society, namely define and protect the universal rights of human beings.

This is not a free country, let us face that once and for all. It is not a country where statism or totalitarianism has spread to the point we know it has spread elsewhere in the past or present, that is true. Those who fail to make the distinction between America's admittedly hasty slippage toward a dictatorship and the actual dictatorships of Nazi Germany, Soviet Russia and most other countries of the world simply contribute to the insanity which is running rampant hereabouts. Still, today the U.S. is less a free country than it has been at any time in the past, even under FDR.

When students revolt this is foolish to deny their charges, to reject their complaints. What must be pointed out to them is that revolution and violence cannot bring about a correction to the situation, it can only aggravate it to the point of no return. Today, more than ever, what is needed is for everyone to work toward the reduction of the totalitarian features of our society, but such reduction can only be accomplished peacefully. We must abolish the military draft; we must take the federal and other governments out of the economy as soon as pos-

sible (wipe out subsidies, duties, special privileges, the welfare programs, minimum wage laws, etc.); we must take the governments out of education - the attempt to make the politicians responsible for the education of our children has ended in tragedy after tragedy, mostly for the children, of course. Public schooling is not only riddled through with corruption and economic problems but is pedagogically a total failure - as more and more educators will admit.

This country is falling apart at the seams and is desperate as a result. The other day a politician said that when the situation gets desperate, desperate measures must be taken. That is just what should move us to change the picture very soon, by talking, voting, advocating boycotting and peacefully protesting against both the desperate situation and the desperate measures already being employed.

Politicians very rarely decide to abdicate power. They must be shown the way out peacefully but firmly. And a lot of showing will be necessary before the United States of America can be turned around to head for becoming a freer instead of a more dictatorial society.

Please come along and help those of us who would like to live in peace. We can only do so if everyone else is recognized as a human being with the unalienable right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. As radical as this goal is, as tragic it is that Americans must once again start working for it.

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In the last issue of Cal State Bakersfield's answer to the Berkeley Barb, a rather interesting but alas, thoughtless article was written concerning the sale of food on campus in relation to the growing poverty of students.

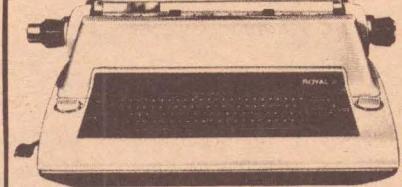
I, too, agree that the quality of food found in the vending machines is, at best, poor. However, it has been my misfortune to find that vending machines everywhere that I have used them sometimes dispense unpalatable or unfresh items. Cal State is yet another place among many where vending machines may be found. Obviously, the vending machines on campus are making money for the Electro Vendor Company which indicates a student demand. The reason for this demand is simple; vending machines provide a fast cup of coffee or hot cocoa on the way to class or between classes. One pays for the "fast service" with acceptance of a product that will not be especially top-notch. And, after all, no one is forced to use the machines.

The cafeteria is, I think, really over-attacked. It is quite true that for \$.60 one can purchase three McDonald's hamburgers that are guaranteed to be 100% pure beef. (I'm sure that whatever amount of beef that they may by chance contain, it is probably 100% pure.) The hamburgers served in the cafeteria are real beef and there is the added customer advantage of watching the food prepared right before the eyes. What lurks behind the kitchen of McDonald's is hazy indeed. I am told by an ex-employee of McDonald's that he deliberately cooked a Gainesburger for an unknowing customer. I am sure that the cafeteria only cooks Gainesburgers for those who order them.

The idea of students striking for lower cafeteria prices is entirely unrealistic. Everybody knows that if students stopped buying cafeteria items, the management's only alternative would be to raise prices in order to cope with the lower student demand. Because the cafeteria is independent of the college, it operates as a regular business facility. To ask them not to run their business as a business should be run - according to the laws of supply and demand - is a highly unreasonable request.

- M.J. EDWARDS

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The time for action is here; it may be that the call is too late, but the time is "at hand." We are standing at the "Y" in the road with one foot on the road to peace, and one foot on the road to a continued war in Vietnam. Every one of us has a personal opinion of what should be done with the war, but the policymakers in this country keep us separated. With one foot on one path & one foot on the other, each step taken puts us further off balance & unsteady, and brings us nearer to falling (or perhaps total collapse).

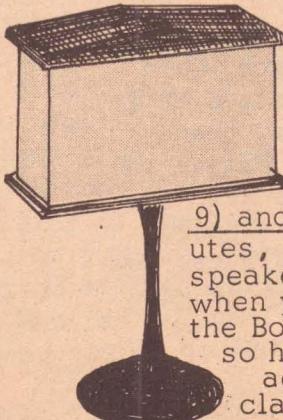
Therefore, the time has come for each & every one of us to take decisive steps in controlling the steps our delegates take. If you are for the war in Vietnam, write your congressman & tell him about your support of the American foreign policy in that corner of the world; or if you oppose it, write your congressman stating your concern and demand total & immediate withdrawal from Southeast Asia.

Doing what is suggested above is the "American Way" your "Right" as outlined in the Constitution of the United States of America. If you don't write your representative in Congress immediately, shut up about the war in Vietnam. Stop yelling "commie pinko" at demonstrators who are making their views "perfectly clear," while you are more un-American than those you are labeling, sitting at home, sucking beer, and taking no active part in shaping the course of our government. And you stop yelling "redneck" while standing in the streets. Over five years of demonstrations, 17 deaths, three wheel-chair cases, and thousands of arrests haven't

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## SPORTS

### "DEFINATELY GONNA WIN"

... is the word from the promising Cal-State basketball coach, Jim Larson.

In an exclusive interview I had with him on November 22, 1971, he revealed that there is no line-up as yet, but sees strong possibilities for the positions of quick guard, post and forward.

In the guard position we see three teammates in contention, Howard Bell, 6'6", 150 lb, soph; Robert Rodriguez, 6'3", 170 lb, jr; and Jimmy Jones, 6'1", 170 lb, jr. This is the key position because one of these men will be cast as the playmaker an vital assist man.

Vieing for first in the post position we have, Scott Pederson, 6'9", 245 lb, jr; James Anderson, 6'8", 208 lb, jr; and Sean Baxter, 6'9", 240 lb, jr.

The forward competition consists of Walter Clapp, 6'4", 190 lb, sr; Carl Toney, 6'7", frosh; Ellis Porter, 6'6", 205 lb, jr; and Kenny Pauls, 6'2", 165 lb, soph.

Our Roadrunner team is going to run a fast-break, man on man game. The coach considers the team's strong points to be their quickness and their expert defense. When he was asked if he had an ace in the hole, he confidently stated that there are no tricks and that the team would win with sound playing.

Of the twenty-six games to be played, of which 11 will be at the civic auditorium, he stated that the real competition lies with U.S. International University, Cal-State Hayward, San Francisco State, Sac State, Cal-Poly San Louis & Pomona, and U.C. Irvine.

All in all it looks like a good season for our blitz team, and I'll make book that they'll go all the way to lead the championship.

Joseph Nowakowski,  
your cub sports reporter

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## TRUTH

One of the unique qualities of Cal State Bakersfield, as opposed to many other campuses, is that the students and faculty are open. The freedom to share with each other exists here and I really do appreciate it, having met many great persons.

I've often heard it expressed that people want to get inside other's heads and probe their mind to see what's inside. That's the exciting thing about so many of today's people ... a willingness to communicate with one another.

The keyword is honesty. People are searching for the truth ... raw reality! In a world of chaos with so many diverse philosophies and schools of thought, what is truth? Isn't there an absolute truth? I've found what truth is. It is a man. Jesus Christ is truth, the absolute truth. What peace I have knowing I no longer have to search. Some might call me dogmatic or close-minded and some might call me a fanatic, but that doesn't matter because this is what is on my heart ... this is me. I can't force anyone to believe my way and I refuse to try. I can only share in hopes that someone may find the peace I have. I just can't see keeping it to myself in fear of being put down. The great thing about realizing the truth is in having a purpose for why I'm living. Haven't you ever asked yourself why living is even worth it? God created each of us for a specific purpose and he can define our personalities and roles in the world.

But ... so often the reaction to Jesus is a reaction to what people think of the organized church. Man has interpreted God in his own way, laid down rules and regulations and caused people to become stifled so as to "turn off" religion.

Well, for me a love-relationship with Jesus is unique and positive with so much freedom expressed in it. Every person is different, so virtually each person's relationship with Jesus is unique and individual. We don't need to compare our way of life with anyone else's. God will prescribe each his own set of standards.

Too many people dwell on the negatives and what they'll have to give up or what they can't do if they enter into a relationship with Christ. All I can say is that it's between you and God. He loves us just the way we are ... no matter what we're into. His love is always there, we need only to reach out and accept it. It's out of sight!

- LESLIE CRAWFORD



## JAILHOUSE ROCK

Currently I am out of jail on a draft evasion charge. A charge that got me a few nights rest in the Kern County and Fresno County jailhouses. In the Kern County Jail the majority of prisoners are innocent, meaning that the cops threw them in and they haven't had a trial yet. These are the conditions that innocent men and women suffer while they wait weeks or months for their trial. Locked in a cell with eight people and six cots. Never released. One stays in his cell and food is brought to him. Breakfast: white bread, malto-meal, cruddy potatoes, punch (one cup), black coffee (one cup). The white bread and punch are the most popular courses. Lunch: punch, white bread and soup. Again, the white bread is most popular. Luckily, I was handcuffed and chained and driven to the Fresno County Jail before dinner.

Again in the Kern County Jail, one never leaves his cell except to see a lawyer or a visitor once a week. Food is shoved through the bars. No personal items are allowed inside the jail and no books except cowboy paperbacks. These men and women are still innocent, most of them are waiting weeks and months to plead their case in Bakersfield's crowded courts.

I had the chance to go to the Fresno County Jail and compare. Prisoners are allowed to leave their cells and walk up and down the hall. Each cell block has a day room with a television. Cells are only locked at night. One eats in a cafeteria down stairs where breakfast is: two eggs, cornflakes, malto-meal, fruit, punch, milk and coffee. Lunch is brought up to the cell block: two good sandwiches and punch. The Fresno County Jail is the Hilton Hotel compared to Kern County. Sheriff Dodge hasn't even heard of prison reform. At the next election let's vote the guy out of office and give those innocent men and women in jail a break.

- MATTHEW J. YOUNG

## MYSTERY BUILDING #1

There have been a lot of rumors on campus lately. It's a small campus, so that can be expected.

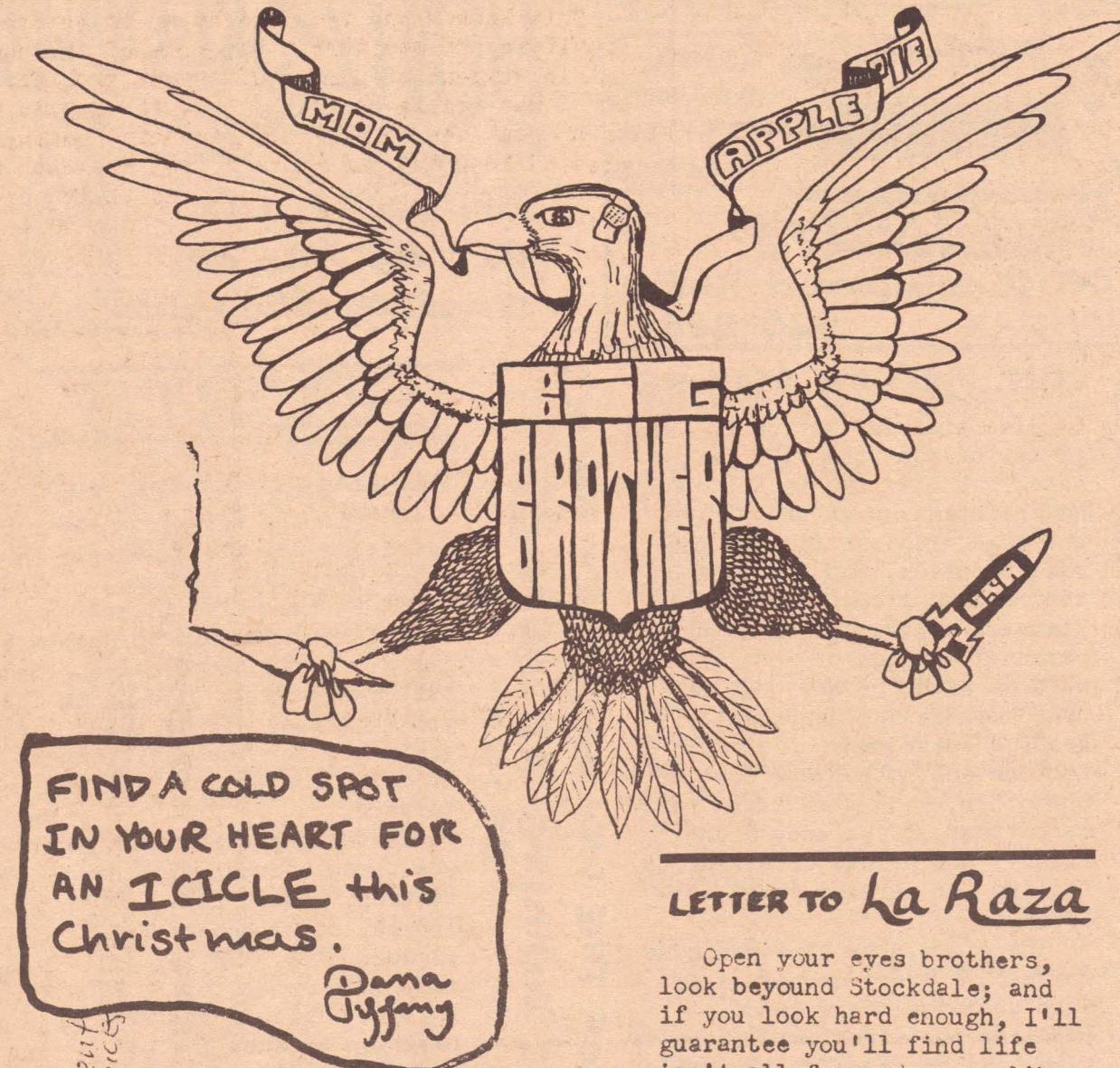
"They" say there really is a Counseling Center on campus. Of course, it is still under-cover, so to speak; there is no sign on the door to tell you it's the Counseling Center (that helps add to the mystery!)

"They" say, someone can actually go there to rap about stuff and get his head together -- not shrunk.

"They" say, you can join a counseling group - a strange euphemism for a group encounter experience where you get a chance to tell it like it is, -- maybe for the first time, without worrying who else is going to know. Of course, "they" also say you shouldn't believe everything you read or hear. Maybe you ought to find out for yourself: no hassle, no expectations.

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Dama Daffy

## Mi Raza Primero

My aspirations are not for wealth nor materialism but, for simplicity and dignity. I envision the run down shacks, the dirt roads and the poverty of places similar to where I was born. I see my Raza Mal, unmurished, illiterate, over-worked, underpaid and ill-educated. I see my people proud, hurt, broken, anguished, deseased, bitter, strong. My aspirations are for my people because they, mi Raza, are my soul, my pride, my pain, my struggle.

I want equality for my people without our having to loose ourselves. The right to preserve our manner, our pride, our language, our thought. We need equal opportunity to develop our language and self-pride so that we might appreciate the dominant society and be a part of it. Narrow minded Americanism has tried time and again to kill our spirit and uproot our heritage on this land. Will this society not allow us the right to be whole individuals? For as half persons without dignity we refuse to be, we cannot exist in this manner.

My aspirations are not mine alone, they are the same as my fellow Chicanos. Chicanismo has been created by this society and it is here. Chicanos, do not loose sight of Mañana! Mañana, after we obtain the right to develop fully we will feel American with, and on, equal standing.

Man, look around, it's to slow!! I'm begining to wonder if I will accept just equality.

Eva Gonzalez

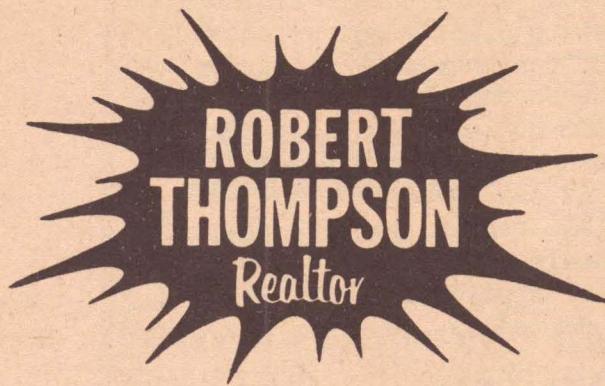
## LETTER TO La Raza

Open your eyes brothers, look beyond Stockdale; and if you look hard enough, I'll guarantee you'll find life isn't all fun and games like here on campus (ha, ha). But, of course, you know that all ready, don't you? You know that the median level of education for the whites is 12.1 but, only 8.6 for your brown brothers, don't you? And isn't it a shame how much higher the unemployment rate is? And maybe you might also feel that 12 dollars for a back-breaking day in the fields could be just a little bit too low a salery. (But hush hush, things are bound to get better, aren't they?)

Come on, open up your eyes! There are things that need to be done. Potential Cal-State students will be winding up in community colleges for lack of better counselors-lets go out and do some recruiting! Chicanos at all levels are failing classes for lack of interested teachers- Lets see to it that they are provided with tutors. Let's register our voters. Let's support our faculty. Lets put life into this campus. There are no more excuses, no more reasons to say manana; we're together now, so let's move!

Or... would you like to think about it. Maybe you'd like to take a siesta over it or something...Raza, there are people on this campus who have been trying to help us. Lets give them our support. Lets once and for all get together and let everyone know we are here.

Mike Lopez



John E. Rutledge  
Editor of "The Paper"  
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## TO MIKE JOHN

Perhaps this isn't the place or the time to write an obituary to a man that nobody here knows, or will ever know, but maybe by knowing of his death, you will understand your fellow man a little more, and know the futility and blatant stupidity of violence.

Michael Joseph John was 22 years old when a carload of hoods shot him to death in Lodi, California. Mike was the most peaceful person that I've ever been blessed enough to meet. He played the guitar and sang to make people feel a little better about their lives. He was a long-hair and he wore faded levis and an old leather coat. He never had a dime to spend on himself, but if you were ever down and out he'd try his damndest to help. I had the luck to spend a year and a half in the same hospital room with Mike at Letterman Army Hospital in San Francisco. Just knowing that there are people like him in the world has changed my life and given me a new insight into the preciousness of humanity.

Mike John was only a man but his passing was so senseless and useless that it makes one wonder if it was not divine providence that took him from us before he could be known to more people.

I loved Mike as a brother - I'm only sorry that more of you didn't get the chance to know him.

Next time you see a lone-some hitch-hiker standing by the side of the road, think a bit, if you will, about the loss of a free spirit and a man who had so much to give and no desire to take.

- JOHN E. RUTLEDGE

This letter was received by me on November 30, and it is extremely gratifying to see that the people of the community are taking an interest in student affairs and student problems. When I wrote "I Just Rented It" I was really concerned that the people of Bakersfield gave not one damn about the equality of races in housing or other matters. I am very pleased to print this letter from Mr. Huth showing that some people do care and are willing to go out of their way to help. We invite you to visit Robert Thompson Realty if you have any housing problems and speak personally to Mr. Huth. I'm sure he'll be willing and able to help.

- JOHN E. RUTLEDGE, Editor

November 27, 1971

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Then were the times when life so simple,  
Created no worries...no cares;  
When love enveloped us into her realm..

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us.

I believe in compulsory cannibalism. It people were forced to eat what they killed, there would be no more wars for the hell of it.

## SAM - THE MAN

Sam Yorty is at least an interesting contrast to the growing mass of candidates seeking the Democratic nomination. Against the background of grey suits and bland speeches, colorful Sam is an amusing change. The first question to be asked about Sam's Democratic candidacy is...why? That question is really a series of questions. Why would Sam want to be President? Why would anyone take him seriously? Why would he run as a Democrat?

Sam Yorty thinks he has something to offer the nation. He immediately appears qualified as chief executive of the largest megalopolis in the U.S. But the kind of politician that Yorty is, is probably best seen in his second campaign for the L.A. mayoralty, a campaign that didn't leave his black opponent's race unmentioned. Yorty ads tried to associate councilman Bradley to the whole range of middle-American fears, from student unrest to the Black Panthers. As far as his executive ability is concerned, Senator Abraham Ribicoff responded with dismay, during subcommittee hearings on problems of U.S. cities:

Ribicoff: "This morning you have really waived all authority and responsibility in the following areas of Los Angeles: schools, welfare, transportation, employment, health and housing, which leaves you as the head of the city basically with a ceremonial function, police and recreation." Yorty: "That is right, and fire." Ribicoff: "Collection of sewage?"

Yorty: "sanitation, that is right."

Ribicoff: "In other words, basically you lack jurisdiction, authority, responsibility for what makes a city move?"

Yorty: "That is exactly it."

Sam keeps saying that the Democratic party needs a moderate voice. A moderate alternative. "moderate" could mean almost anything, as he has neglected to tell us so far. His wordless position, at any rate, puts him in the silent majority. On a few issues his position is crystal clear:

Police: "The cry of police brutality has been shouted in cities all over the world by Communists, dupes and demagogues irrespective of the facts."

He opposed a civilian review board for the LAPD.

Pollution: The main promise in

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## To Gloria Dumler &

In a city of intellectually-starved and myopic idiots who are unable to accept change, it is hard to find individuals - in the strictest sense of the word who are not afraid to say "fuck you, establishment!"

After three months in Bakersfield, I have found that this area in truth, is isolated from the rest of the world. It is a vacuum with an extremely thin hose, leaving little room for any real "radical", or "big" change. Perhaps this is why your article (The Lavender Menace) struck me as being a local anachronism, but nevertheless, a refreshing change from Cal State's own "weakly" handouts. Consider me, moreover, as one of the 40% who don't consider you dangerous.

However, don't get the idea that because you have impressed me with your boldness I have found an excuse for justifying your reasons for loving a member of your own sex. I never look for excuses; only weak men do. Rather, I feel that you are only "doing your thing." Love is love, therefore, how can I, or anyone, condemn you? Great philosophers have said that "love must be concentrated on specific objects" - but have never added that human love must be concentrated on the opposite sex. I agree with you wholly; human desires are a part of a conditioning process we go through. It's just that the majority of people have thus been conditioned for a very narrow train of thought.

Unfortunately, I am one of the majority. It would be wonderful if I could experience all that can possibly; but this human shell is so very limited. As Hamlet had said, "I am too much in the sun" - too much a part of this corrupt, evil society. In that way, Gloria, I envy you. Successful or not, in this area you have dared to be different; dared to express your individuality. And so, if perchance we meet, you need not speak a word; a smile will suffice.

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## RELIGION Lawmakers & Sex

"Thou shalt not lie with a man as with a woman; it is an abomination." opened the debate against a bill that would legalize all sexual activity between consenting adults in California. The speaker and leader of the opposition was Assemblyman E. Richard Barnes of San Diego, an ordained Southern Baptist Minister and former Navy Chaplain.

Another opposing Assemblyman, Robert Burke of Huntington Beach, said of the debate: "I'm mighty ashamed. We're saying let's elevate ourselves above God and decide, instead of Him, what's right and wrong."

The bill was defeated, 25-41. Religious freedom seems to be nothing but a quaint idea in our state, especially for gay people. Not that we're the only ones committing bedroom crimes; if you're straight, nothing but the male-on-top missionary position is lawful. Homosexuality isn't illegal, just most methods of sexual expression.

I can see no sane reason why anyone would have to make love according to someone else's idea of what God prefers. Nor did I realize that the Bible had replaced the Constitution. I pity some of these Christians. They seem to believe that sex is rather nasty, at best something to make babies with. As much as I disagree with them, I believe it is their right to feel as they wish. But what right do they have to force their hangups off on other people?

The laws that condemn non-reproductive sex originated several thousand years ago. We have learned much since then, but a government that doesn't take seriously our rights to freedom of religion and privacy doesn't feel the need to keep in touch with modern knowledge, either. The National Association for Mental Health has adopted as its official position the statement that homosexuality "does not constitute a specific mental or emotional illness." They also state that "there is no evidence, either in empirical research or in the experience of other countries, that homosexual behavior itself endangers the individual or society."

How can society possibly be threatened by the private sexual life of its members? Law enforcement officials opposed the bill claiming it would leave them powerless to protect the citizenry (aren't we citizens?) from homosexual advances. This is absurd. The legality of male superior heterosexual intercourse does not legalize rape. And they forget that present laws restrict the sex lives of straight people, too. They prescribe prison terms of up to fifteen years for a husband and wife who engage in oral-genital sex in their own bedroom.

Laws, to some extent, reflect and influence a society's attitudes. Perhaps if we legalize sexual acts between consenting adults, admit-

ting that these things are none of the state's business, we can get rid of the unhealthy attitude that sex is essentially dirty. The Puritan notion that pleasure, for its own sake, is valueless and evil is self-destructive. We must all regain the ownership of our bodies. And gay people must obtain the dignity that has long been denied us.

- GLORIA DUMLER

## FROM THE B.S.U.

When people in our changing society talk about racism, we tend to look toward the South. We think about the police dogs chasing black civil rights activists, the assassination of Martin Luther King and Malcolm X.

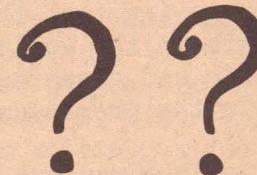
Now, for those of you who haven't been fortunate enough to travel down South, Bakersfield has remedied the situation. And for those who would say "I haven't noticed any racism in Bakersfield" to stop - you've been blessed - California State College, Bakersfield will serve your purpose.

You would think with publicity given to the black and brown civil rights issues, the problem of the hiring of black and brown employees and black and brown faculty members, that the administrators would be concerned with these issues. At Cal State, Bakersfield, the administrators aren't trying to treat the problem, they act like it doesn't exist.

Today, we would like to go on record as saying that we, the black and brown students have sat down and talked, we have had rap sessions and have gone through bureaucratic bullshit. We don't expect overnight success, but we will not accept the "patience and progress" theory, because blacks and browns of the past have discovered that patience and progress, to whites, means tokenism.

The success of racism will continue until black, brown and enlightened Anglos forget their personal differences instead of being ruled by them.

- WAYNE FORD, Chairman, B.S.U.



Who am "I"

"I" refers to me--

Identity

For am "I" not me?

But....If "I" am not me

How will me know who  
me am?

Must me try all the "I's"  
which in fleeting moments  
appeal to me?

No! for perhaps the "I" that me  
am is real--

So me should be the "I" that me am.

- MODESTO ELLANO

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their competence in various fields. Hopefully, the President will locate successful Chicano and Black athletes to maybe head up the coaching staffs of football, wrestling, track or cross country. Likewise, the President has now established precedent, so that in the future he can also hire blacks and browns for significant positions on the faculty without their having PhD degrees, for such individuals often bring to their jobs the uniqueness of their cultural backgrounds which can definitely be an asset in the classroom.

-BRIAN P. LEWIS

The Vietnam Deadline  
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made any definite changes in policy--so before you condemn the "system," what say you give it one more chance? Either demand the destruction of Hanoi or the withdrawal of all troops and equipment. If you favor fighting, demand an offensive, attack North Vietnam, and either win or lose the war (as a matter of fact, join yourself to insure your involvement) or demand total withdrawal of troops, making it a Merry Christmas for almost 200,000 men (combat troops, support troops and prisoners of war), rather than to settle for the 35,000 troops Mr. Nixon proposes to have home for Christmas.

There is one way to get a definite stand in Vietnam, and that is to force the government to make a stand--to choose the fork in the "Y" and make a stand to defend its position. Waiting doesn't get it--either act or shut up. The war has lasted since I was 9 years old. Advisers arrived in Vietnam in 1957, combat troops (police forces!) arrived in South Vietnam in 1961. I am now 23 and a Vietnam veteran myself. This "war" is serving no purpose and should be put to an end; either fought to an end, or called off and withdrawn from. Immediate and definite action must be taken by each and every one of us, or this war could last another 10 years. A stamp costs only 8¢, paper and envelope approximately 4¢--is it worth less than 10¢ to see an answer to your questions, left or right? Mr. Dwight David Eisenhower was a general, a President, and a humanitarian--so let him stand for firm decision by the government by placing his commemorative stamp on an envelope and send it off to your congressman through the United States Postal Service. If you don't know who your congressman is, or what his address is, you can find out in a library, either on campus or downtown.

- DAVE WYNN

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Sam The Man cont. from p. 5  
his first campaign for mayor was the repeal of a city ordinance that required housewives to separate tin cans from the rest of household garbage.  
Vietnam: Even when everybody but Wallace was calling for an end to the war, Yorty was in favor of escalation.

And Yorty is hardly a Democrat in the traditional sense. In every major election since his election, Yorty has bolted the party in favor of Republican candidates. He has campaigned for Nixon twice, Reagan and Murphy once each.

We can expect a very interesting campaign from Mr. Yorty. He has failed to compete so far without shouting Communist at his opponents. The man has no pride in his own political integrity. The first time he campaigned for Nixon, he authored a pamphlet entitled "Why I Cannot Take Kennedy" which even mentioned Kennedy's religion. Yorty called Brown (who couldn't even hold the party liberals) a Communist. "This little man has flipped his lid," replied Brown. "Yorty thinks everyone is against him--the newspapers, the radio, television, the highway patrol, the national guard. There is a psychiatric term for this--known as paranoia, and I think this is the best way to describe the mayor of Los Angeles."

Mayor Sam Yorty, 1964: "I think we have the best race relations of any large city in the United States."

A Watts Rioter, 1965: "Everywhere they say, 'Go to California! California's the great pot o' gold at the end of the rainbow.' Well now we're here and there ain't no place else to go, and the only pot I seen's the kind they peddle at Sixtieth and Avalon."

- DAVE GRIFFIN

## MAYFAIR MAYHEM

Gerald Hodges has worked for Mayfair Markets for the past eleven years. He has worked his way up in the company from a janitor to manager of the night shift at the Mayfair located on Brundage and H streets.

On the 11th of November, Mr. Hodges was called into the manager's office and confronted by three men from Commercial Service and Mayfair/Arden Security. These three men accused Mr. Hodges of failure to record. Failure to record a sale on the cash register is the alleged offence involved. They said Mr. Hodges had failed to record five separate times on the 5th of November. They asked him to resign for this offence.

Mr. Hodges has contacted the local chapter of the Retail Clerks Union and told them what happened to him. The Union labeled these actions "Gestapo Tactics" on the part of Mayfair.

Mr. Hodges feels the reason

he is being treated in this manner is because of the color of his skin. He is black. He is the only black person that had this high a position in Mayfair Markets in the Bakersfield area.

I tend to think Mr. Hodges is being wronged by Mayfair stores. It is inconceivable that he would be accused of failure to record after working for Mayfair for eleven years. If you feel the way I do and would like to let Mayfair know how you feel, you can write to the following addresses:

Mayfair, Southern Region  
5740 Eastern Ave.  
Los Angeles, California

or

General Office  
Mayfair  
25 S. Garfield  
City of Commerce,  
California

Mr. Hodges needs your support at this time, so please write to the above address.

- BRIAN P. LEWIS



## WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH AMERIKAN YOUTH?

After thinking about it for the past ten years, I have come upon the idea that this high and mighty country is having a few minor problems. Why, it must be these kids - they're downright un-American.

Take the blacks for example;  
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## EVALUATE NOW!

At the Campus Council meeting held on Nov. 24, 1971, the council decided to send to committee a recommendation from the faculty council. This recommendation on the part of the faculty was to have an administrative evaluation to be conducted by the faculty. This would be very much the same as the student's fill out in regard to their courses. This evaluation would allow the administration to see its strong as well as its weak points and to improve on these. We, the members of The Club feel this idea is a good one and, in keeping with The Club's policy of being first on campus with new ideas, we bring to you the following administrative evaluation form. You may fill it out, turn it in to our box in the Student Services Office and, we will print the results in the next edition of The Paper. Remember, if you have anything to say about the administration, this is your opportunity to say it.

### ADMINISTRATIVE EVALUATION FORM

1. Cal-State Bakersfield is coming up for an accreditation rating in December. This past quarter has been upgraded in order to allow accreditation of this campus.

AGREE  DISAGREE

2. The administration of this school has shown little interest in making this a more open environment which would be more conducive to learning

AGREE  DISAGREE

3. In five years, this school will be all white while Bakersfield Junior College will be for the Chicanos and Blacks.

AGREE  DISAGREE

4. The administration of this school has shown little interest in what the student's interests are.

AGREE  DISAGREE

5. Any improvement that is necessary for this college to become a more well-rounded institution of higher learning will have to start at the top as it is the area where improvement is needed.

AGREE  DISAGREE

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire. We realize we may lack a certain amount of professionalism in making out this survey, but what we lack there, we more than make up in spirit.

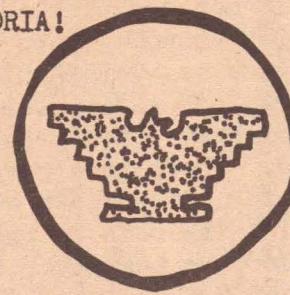
Any other comments you may have about the administration may be written on a separate sheet of paper and stapled to the evaluation. We urge you to do so.

## WHY BOYCOTT Safeway Stores ?

### BECAUSE:

- ...They sell non-union grapes, when 85% of all grapes are UNION!
- ...They NEVER have cooperated with the Union!
- ...They are the ONLY big grocery chain in the country which refuses to be fair toward the Union!
- ...They have big growers like J.G. Boswell on their board of directors. Boswell got 4 million dollars last year from the government in subsidy payments for not growing cotton. The same Boswell refuses to recognize the Union in Arizona where the grape workers have been on strike for three years.
- ...There are thousands of friends all over the country supporting the Union by boycotting Safeway stores.

HASTA LA VICTORIA!



### Community Chest

#### GO TO JAIL

Go Directly to Jail

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What's The Matter With Amerikan Youth? cont. from p. 7

why they're blaming us for their ancestors being slaves. The idea! Us a racist country?! Why, one of my sister-in-law's brother's uncle's customers is a black. I'm not prejudiced at all. There is no such thing as racism in Amerika. The problem is that those damn blacks just don't want to keep their place. Why, those damn black panthers and their kind are out to ruin our country with their communistic ideas. They have no right to think like they do. They even criticize our Amerikan dream come true - the Ku Klux Klan. This is a free country and the Klan has a right to think and do as they please.

And these damn liberals! Why, alls they do is try to keep us loyal Amerikans from beating hell out of all those girlish, long haired, pot-smokin, freaky hippies. I hate people that interfere with my freedom! Liberals might even smoke marijuana sometimes. Who do they think they are, anyway? What gives them the right to do this? I'll tell you - they ain't got no right to.

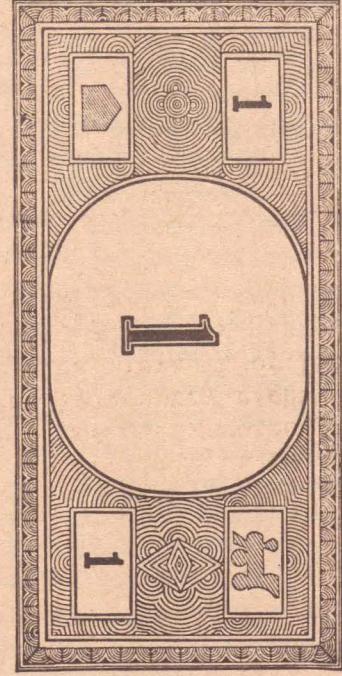
Radicals (what a disgusting group) don't even like our great country or our terrific President. They even think that our country ain't free. Of course it's free. You can say anything you want, so long as it agrees with the establishment and you can live anywhere you want, so long as you're a white, Anglo-Saxon, Protestant. These radical hippies go out and protest against the honorable war in Viet-Nam (we gotta stop those commies somewhere). Some of these radicals even throw stones at harmless, peace loving officers of the law. And their ideas on sex! They must not believe in God. You never hear about him preachin free love. Radicals have no right to do all that free-lovin. Damn Hippies!

These kidsnowadays, its horrible. Why can't they be like me - I love my country. I'm a God-fearin man. Nothin can hurt me cause God and Mister Nixon will protect me. To me it's "My country right or wrong" or "America, love it or leave it". Why don't those damn dirty, uneducated hippies think like that?

- JIM FINLEY

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