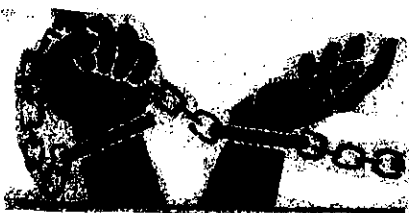


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## Brutality

By Mark Giacomelli

I guess everything happens for a reason, and so, in light of the Rodney King incident I would like to orally notice [written in this case] a 1538.5 motion to suppress all evidence arising from my arrest. Yes, that's right, I was arrested at gunpoint in the invaded privacy of my own home, without a search warrant because I missed my last insurance payment. Basically, it's like, when you don't pay the mob, they come to break your face (or wrist, in my case).

On a scale of 1 to 10, in terms of damage inflicted by the pigs, Rodney gets about an 8 (he didn't die) and I guess I would qualify for a 1 or 2.

This kind of stuff happens every day. These are not isolated incidences. They are routine!

Because of a conversation I had with a prisoner (who was busted for pot) regarding the current ballot initiative to ~~let me know~~ I was taken into a room and tortured by a deputy who's name is DeLeon. I believe his first name is Anthony and I was unable to get his serial number (but will soon). He works for the Los Angeles County Jail system transporting prisoners on those black and white buses.

My hands were cuffed behind my back and chains were connected to them and rapped around my upper torso. DeLeon jerked on them violently, and with unmistakable relish. He gave me several blows to the chin and bruised my right shin with his steel toed shoes. During the process he asked me certain personal questions, such as, "I bet you're a peace activist, aren't you?!" Proudly, I answered yes, and with a smile on my face the whole time, while DeLeon grew angrier with each passing moment. Finally, his mouth began to foam as he exclaimed, "You're a scumbag!"

Clearly, I was dealing with a very sick individual, and the ordeal was hurting him much more than it was hurting me. My endorphines were kicking in pretty good right about then, as they will--in direct proportion to the degree of self righteousness of any victim of torture.

The stated purpose of my being tortured, according to DeLeon, was to "re-arrange my attitude." While he began the violence which led to my sprained wrist I mentioned that he would have to kill me. He did neither. DeLeon is the loser. I even had the grace to warn him that I am a writer. Poor stupid bastard!

As much as I despised being effectively kidnapped, assaulted and tortured, I'm happy to be of service in the ouster of police chief Daryl Gates, or any other violent, vicious criminal who carries a gun and brings dishonor to his profession, "to protect and to serve."

A4 WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 1991

## Bush Cites Gulf Victory in Call to Battle Crime

■ Law Enforcement: President says a soldier may have been safer at Kuwaiti front than in his own hometown.

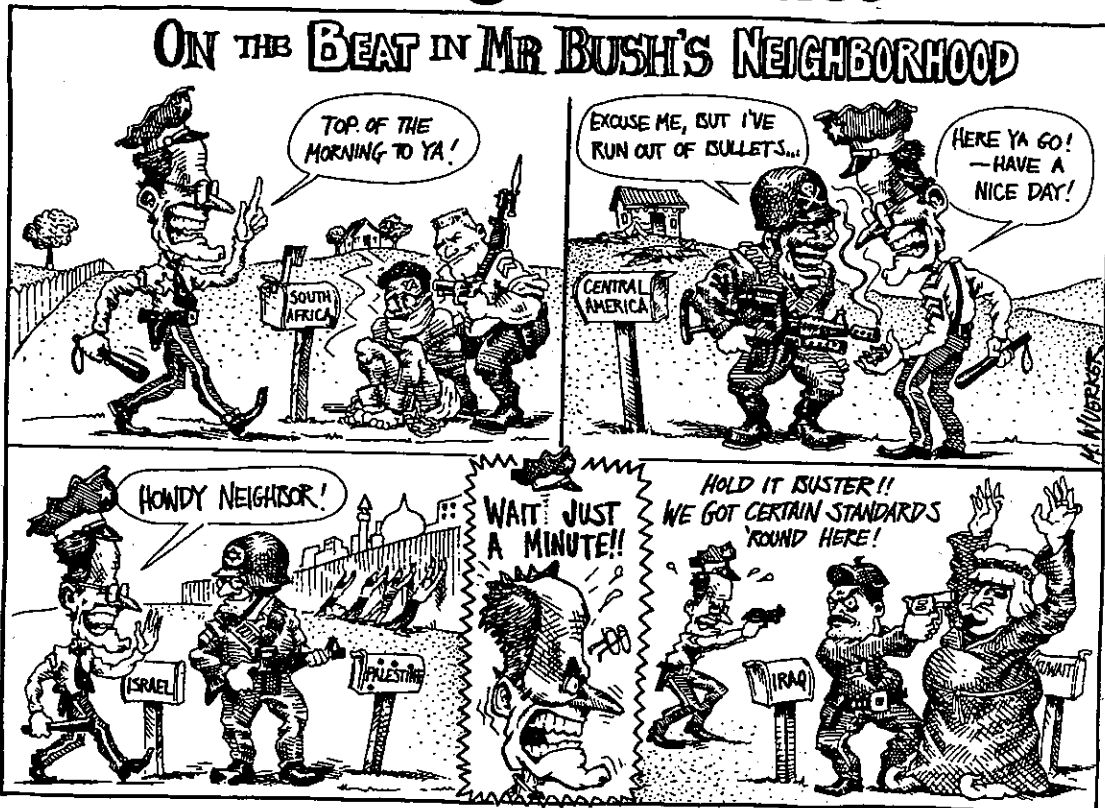
By RONALD J. OSTROW  
THIS STATE WRITER

bad people go free," Bush told the cheering law enforcers.

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## Policing the Planet

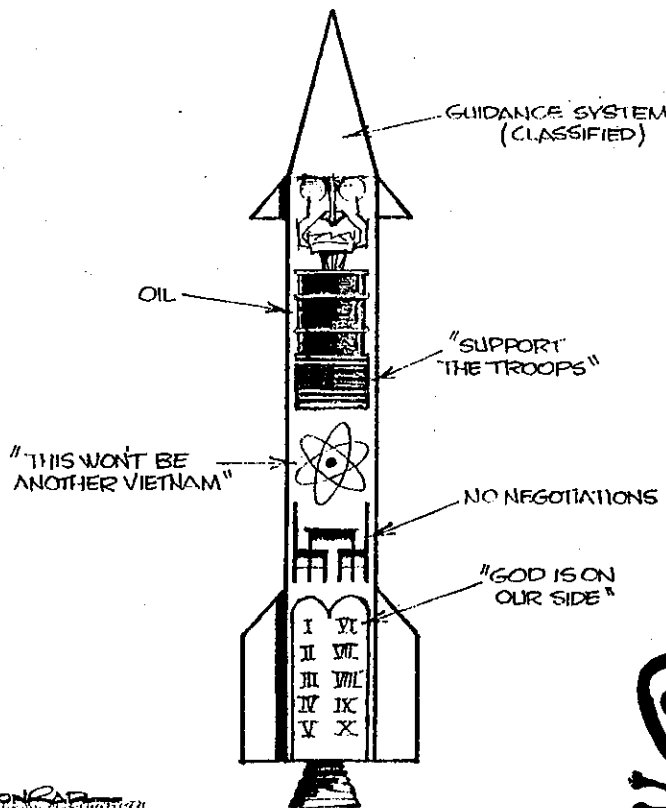


## War, Peace, Love and Hypocrisy

By Diane Nickerson A.K.A. Auntie Warr

Some of us are compelled by love, some by hate. What motivates a man such as George Bush? Power? Money? Greed? Possibly. He has and is all of the aforementioned. However I believe he loves hate and lives it. He is hateful--the personification of hate, exciting hate, odious and loathsome hate. And proud of it. Now I read he's out to get Saddam Hussein. Gee. Surprise. According to the L.A. Times, this Bush-man is "waging a personal war". A personal war? Arrogant asshole... where do you get off? I know, riding the tip of a Patriot? Fuck you. Uh-huh. Bring you the head of Saddam Hussein. You're not quite ready for this war to be over. Fuck You. Meanwhile, you fat men, thin-lipped men in suits are sending poor, young fools a world away to die in the desert to satisfy your "personal" needs? You lie to them, you sell them a bill of goods in the name of "patriotism" and you don't even have a clue as to what patriotism is. But

War--continued to Page 9



The dumb bomb

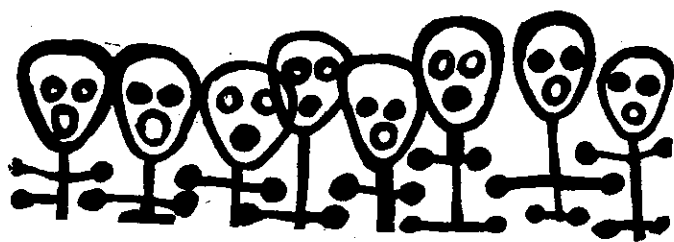
Following is a response to a letter from U.S. Congresswoman Barbara Boxer from San Francisco and Marin.

Dear Representative Barbara and Staff,

Thankyou for acknowledging my letter. Yes please send me a copy of your more extensive remarks concerning the most recent outbreak of eco-cannibalism courtesy of US foreign policy. Somehow your form letter did not warm the cockles of my heart however. In my letter to you at the end of January was a newspaper in which I wrote a poem reacting to the report that heroin was actually shipped in the bodies of the dead soldiers on their way back from Viet Nam. What a Goddam thing! It kind of takes the fun out of dying for your country. People point their finger at the "Butcher of Baghdad" somehow forgetting about the "Warwolves of Washington." We don't really seem to have much of a republic anymore. The unbelievable arrogance of a military solution in Iraq is all too unfortunately another chapter in human brutality that goes back too many thousands of years. It tempers my anger but only partially.

Recently I have seen film footage of the aftermath of massacres in Guatemalan Indian villages carried out by the US financed Guatemalan military. Brutally scarred corpses of men laid out in rows with sobbing women surrounding the field of bodies; closeup shots of gouged out eyesockets hollowed to the bone. Testimony from Guatemalan military personnel about Nazi-like medical experiments; is this the New World Order? Even members of Congress must have a hard time finding the humor in all of this.

Barbara Boxer--continued on Page 10



## Out of District Contributors Dominate Council Race Fundraising

By Rex Frankel

When local voters go to the polls this April 9th to choose their representative on the L.A. City Council, they'll have a choice of the incumbent Ruth Galanter or 6 challengers. Voters should expect a barrage of slick political mail in the last weeks of the campaign, arguing that their candidate knows what local voters want best. But of the \$270,000 raised by the candidates since January 1990, a total of \$206,000 came from out-of-district interests, mainly in the real estate development industry.

Galanter began with a huge head start, holding fundraisers in the first six months of 1990 which raised \$84,285, with over \$75,000 of that from out-of-district contributors, mainly from the development and financial industry.

In the second half of 1990, 5 of her 6 challengers began building up their war chests. The following figures are from finance reports filed with the City Clerk's office for the period of July 1st, 1990 to February 23rd, 1991.

Galanter--raised \$85,867, \$10,426 of it locally, 88% from out of the district.  
 Mary Lee Gray--total cash raised: \$45,794, \$20,624 of it local, 55% out of the district.  
 Tavis Eugene Smiley--total raised: \$36,565, with \$6563 local, & 82% out of district  
 Sai Grammatico--\$2125 total, \$1650 from local sources, with 78% raised in this district.  
 Mervin Evans--\$15,000 all from Mervin Evans.  
 J. Wilson Bowman--\$1865 total  
 Charles Albert Mattison--no report filed

Most of the controversial contributors in this race gave to Galanter. Despite her stated policy of not accepting campaign funds from "developers of pending controversial projects" in her district, she has, nevertheless, accepted money from backers of projects which she has approved or were approved by her predecessor Pat Russell.

### GALANTER'S CONTRIBUTORS:

\$2850 came from lawyers at the firm of Latham and Watkins, who have represented the Hughes Center, Continental City and the Marina Place shopping mall, all of which Galanter "officially" opposes. \$500 came from George Muhlsten, who handled the Marina Place defense personally against a lawsuit filed by L.A. City at Galanter's behest; \$1000 from Bruffy's towing-tows for the local LAPD; \$500-Frank Gehry-Venice developer; \$500-Mary Legg-developer in the Playa del Rey

*Pat Russell is the developers' best friend in city hall. You can see why they're spending big bucks to make things go their way in the upcoming election.*

And what are they giving her?

Campaign contributions. Lots of campaign contributions. The newspapers report that 82% of her contributors are from outside our district. 44% are developers.

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Environmentalist...or

## Ruth Russell?

Lagoon and Ballona Lagoon area of Venice;  
 \$1,000 from Continental Development Corp.--owners of the Continental City highrise project in East Westchester;  
 \$500--Albert Martin, a chief consultant on the LAX Northside project;  
 \$250 from Cox, Castle and Nicholson, lawyers for the developer of the UCLA and Dunbarton bluffs projects;  
 \$1000 from the Plotkin/Rosen Co., developers of a large apartment complex in the Villa Marina area;  
 \$500 from Tom Safran, a Venice and citywide developer;  
 \$500 from Tom Sullivan of Jefferson Development Co., who plans to bulldoze a scenic hillside near the Hollywood Sign;  
 \$500 from John Tunney, the ex-U.S. Senator who owns several mini-malls in Marina del Rey;  
 \$500 from Robert Wilkinson, lobbyist for the massive Porter Ranch development in the North San Fernando Valley, which Galanter voted Yes on last July;  
 \$500 from the Spound Co., developers of a controversial office project near Woodland Hills called Warner Ridge.

Only Galanter received money from developers and associates of big local projects. However, Mary Lee Gray's local contributors included Venice realtors, smaller developers and commercial property owners, property managers, contractors, and several government employees.

Tavis Smiley received \$500 from David Russell, son of former-councilwoman Pat Russell, while Smiley's expenses included \$8500 spent on literature produced by Curtis Rossiter, who was Pat Russell's campaign manager 4 years ago while at the same time his firm was public relations representatives for the controversial developments the Hughes Center, Playa Vista, Continental City and the Marina Place shopping mall.

Most of Sai Grammatico's funds came from residents of Kentwood, Emerson Manor and the Del Rey community north of Playa Vista. Centinela Drive-In owner George Smart gave him \$500.



These items came from Galanter's 1987 campaign literature...

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A. J. Liebling

### Filling His Pockets

Arnold Springer and other Ruth Galanter hangers-on have been filling their pockets by squeezing developers as fast as Councilwoman Galanter has been filling her campaign coffers in like manner. Referring to them as community activists is like calling Saddam Hussein an environmentalist.

The area near the intersection of Lincoln and Washington boulevards (the 10th-busiest intersection in Los Angeles) is already plagued by the effects of overdevelopment. The increase in auto and foot traffic has brought noise, dirt, crime and much higher rents. This has been particularly difficult for poor and elderly residents.

Even a delay in construction of yet another huge development in the neighborhood would have been a godsend to these people. Mr. Springer had the power to bring about such a delay (Times, Jan. 27), but he gleefully gave up that privilege for what he refers to as "play money."

I do not refer to Mr. Springer and the other people who engage in the same practice as extortionists. Extortionists do not sell out entire neighborhoods to line their own pockets while claiming to be community activists. We who live near the Channel Gateway project simply call them "Galanter supporters."

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 Los Angeles

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 Venice

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Development is not the main issue in the 6th District City Council race. The main issue is the sleazy way Ruth Galanter has conducted herself in office.

As chair of the Ethics Committee, she opposed ethics legislation. She said the public shouldn't believe "all politicians are scumbags."

In February, she had a "max-out" fund-raiser for developers and lobbyists. She says she won't take money from developers of controversial projects, but she does.

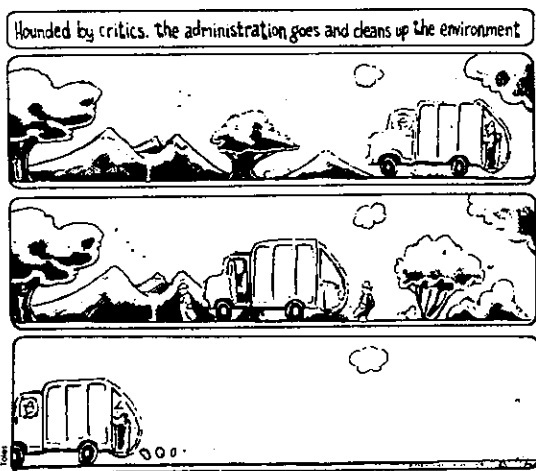
Her planning deputy, Jim Bickhart, was a founder of a nonprofit corporation that depends on money from a development, Channel Gateway, which Galanter supports. A member of Galanter's advisory council gets a six-figure payoff from the same developer and still sits on the advisory panel.

A local activist publishes dimensions of the gargantuan Playa Vista project and the planning deputy writes disinformation letters to local papers attacking the activist, Rex Frankel. Of course Frankel's figures are conservative.

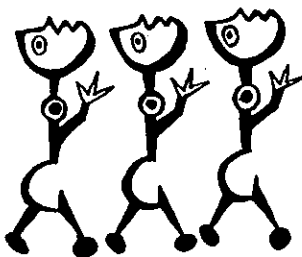
Mary Lee Gray announces her candidacy for Galanter's seat and in the audience, on the public payroll, is Galanter's press spokesman, Rick Ruiz.

In an effort to show Galanter has community support, her planning deputy and her Venice deputy, Linda Lucks, participate in an illegal takeover of the Venice Town Council.

Perhaps Ms. Galanter is correct about the public's perceptions of politicians.



Guardian/CPF



## Channel 7 Doesn't Hear the Voices of Dissent

KABC-TV Channel 7--home of the often notorious "Eyewitness News"--is known for resorting to almost anything in the cause of ratings.

And now, say sources at the station, that extends to not covering one particular component of the Persian Gulf War story--local anti-war protests--that it believes will anger many of its viewers.

Ethically, that's inexcusable. Although the nation's pro-war fervor is overwhelming, news should not be a popularity contest.

The "Eyewitness News" policy is said to have been in force about a month. "This is so obscene," said a Channel 7 news staffer. "It's awful," said another. Both staffers asked to remain anonymous out of concern for their jobs.

Their accounts are corroborated by others at "Eyewitness News." Said one staffer: "Even people who were pro-war were upset. But everyone here is so beaten down that it didn't come out."

Commenting on charges that Channel 7 has banned coverage of local anti-war demonstrations, General Manager Terry Crofoot termed the reports "absolutely untrue." Crofoot added: "We're in the news business. If there's something on either side of the issue, we're going to cover it."

Crofoot maintained that Channel 7 had done "many" stories on local anti-war demonstrations. Asked if he could recall any in the last month, Crofoot, the station's former news director, replied: "They don't readily come to mind."

Many in the media have protested what they believe to be excessive war news management: by the Pentagon. But that surely is



### TV AND THE GULF WAR

By HOWARD ROSENBERG  
 TIMES TELEVISION CRITIC

Feb. 26, 1991

no more repulsive than this episode of reported war news management at Channel 7.

The number and intensity of anti-war demonstrations have sharply fallen off since earlier in the conflict and polls show overwhelming public support for the conflict. But that doesn't make the tailoring of news to public opinion any more palatable, whether the subject is the Persian Gulf or Poland.

Even though diminished, anti-war demonstrations of varying sizes still occur locally, such as several last week that were covered by every station here but Channel 7. That was true despite the station's continual boasts that its vaunted "Eyewitness NewsVan" is everywhere.

The order banning coverage of anti-war demonstrations is said to have come from news director Roger Bell. But the general feeling at Channel 7 is that Bell rarely acts independently. That major policy decisions concerning "Eyewitness News" originate with Crofoot.

A call to Bell's office was not returned. "Nothing is on paper, but it's understood and it's been reaffirmed repeatedly," said one of the Channel 7 staffers. "We may occasionally drop in a line [about anti-war demonstrations] at the end of coverage of pro-war

demonstrations, but we do not put those protest stories on the air. We do not send a crew out there. We will not cover them unless there is violence or a confrontation."

Bell is said to have issued his edict at approximately the start of the present ratings sweeps period and in response to a crush of mail and phone calls the station received from viewers angrily protesting its earlier coverage of anti-war protests.

It also came the day before Jan. 27 anti-war rallies in Los Angeles, drawing crowds whose estimates ranged from 2,500 to 20,000 as part of a day of mass global anti-war demonstrations.

Channel 7 was the only local station without footage of the Los Angeles rallies, which included a six-block-long procession that was characterized by some as the city's largest display of anti-war sentiment since the outbreak of Gulf hostilities.

TV's relentless quest for colorful, even if meaningless, pictures is visible daily. And like its local news counterparts, Channel 7 ordinarily shows demonstrations of all kinds, even if consisting of only a few marchers with signs. But not these days.

Although the station is generally politically skewed toward conservatism, "This policy has nothing to do with the [anti-war] issue," one of the news staffers said. "The issue could be reversed and it wouldn't make any difference. They just don't want to offend an audience during [ratings] sweeps."

"The issue here is not politics," said the other staffer. "The issue is the exclusion of events that have news value. It has the effect in this case of making the station seem like a cheering section for one side of a major issue."

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# A Small Human Settlement

By Kelly Ball

An authority to auspiciously appear on the scene concerning the American invasion of Iraq/Kuwait is Ralph Schoenman. He has written a historical overview of the military/imperialist record of the region called "Iraq and Kuwait: A History Suppressed."

It begins with British imperialist designs in 1890 on the Ottoman Empire and its first attempts to break the then village of Kuwait away from the Iraqi province it was part of. It reviews the various Kings, Sheikhs and Generals that held power in both Iraq and Kuwait. Many of these were bribed and placed in power by British and later American political intrigues, including Saddam Hussein. Many of them were assassinated and betrayed when they turned on their foreign patrons.

In fact until the Ba'ath Party came to power on the heels of an assassination in 1963, no Iraqi leader had ever recognized the separation of Kuwait from Iraq. There were numerous national front movements in the past 100 years by both Iraqi and Kuwaiti popular efforts to restore Kuwait to Iraq. Many of the leaders of these movements were hunted down, tortured and murdered at the behest of British military money. The United States became influential in the area after WWII for the first time; and the plan to establish a colonial settler state in Palestine was linked directly to US plans to displace Britain and France in the region. The Jews were to be used to continue domination of the Arabs and their lands.

Important points of this extended article describe both how the Ba'ath Party came to power bringing along Saddam Hussein in its wake; and how Iraq was financed and urged to war with Iran to bleed both countries dry. It of course remembers how we were secretly arming Iran during the arms for hostage scandal.

Concerning the 1963 coup that overthrew the government of Iraq Schoenman writes: "The group in the Ba'ath Party who made the coup for the CIA were competing for CIA favor in replacing Abdul Karim Qassim. Each had vied in attempts to assassinate Qassim under CIA guidance. The group that actually replaced

Qassim were dubbed the 'centrists.' This was the first Iraqi regime that declined to call for the return of Kuwait to Iraq. Saddam Hussein was a prominent member of the right wing of the Party and found a place in its hierarchy as an interrogator and torturer. He also the "point man for the CIA which was also exposed by Jack Anderson October 28, 1990 in a syndicated column entitled: Is Saddam Really as Bad as They Say." Anderson wrote "At 24, he (Hussein) unquestionably tried to assassinate Abdel Karim Qassim," describing one of the operations of the CIA in Baghdad.

Schoenman relates "Palestinian witnesses recount a secret meeting

which took place in Kuwait between Zbigniew Brezinski, Saddam Hussein the Kuwaiti Emir and the Saudi rulers..... Brezinski proposed to Saddam Hussein that he invade Iran and detach Khuzistan thereby giving Iraq access to the Gulf," and incidentally deprive Iran of its largest oil production province.

This recounting continues with the numerous provocations to war made on Iraq by Kuwait, double dealings and oil price manipulations to wreck the economy of Iraq after the war with Iran ended. The war that the Western alliance fought against Iran through Iraq was now turned on Saddam Hussein. He was more or less invited to attack Kuwait and it shows how George Bush allowed this crises and ensuing bloodshed to happen. He reports Israeli military plans to divide Iraq up into three different states to further weaken it.

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Oil's Well That Ends Well?

Oil was discovered in the 1930s. Kuwait proved to have 20% of the world's known oil resources. It has been a major producer since 1946, the world's second largest oil exporter, with the main concession held by a British-American concern. The Sheikh, who gets half the profits, devotes most of them to the education, welfare, and modernization of his kingdom. In 1966, Sheikh Sabah designated a relative, Jaber al-Ahmad al-Sabah, as his successor.

Saudi Increases Stake in Citicorp by \$590 Million

■ Banking: Already the largest individual shareholder, a young billionaire prince could soon own 15% of the cash-starved company.

By JAMES BATES  
Feb 22, '91  
A 36-year-old billionaire Saudi prince is investing a staggering \$590 million in Citicorp that eventually could give him nearly 15% ownership of the nation's largest banking firm, Citicorp disclosed late Thursday.  
Citicorp identified the investor as Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal, a California-educated businessman who made much of his fortune in construction. The deal, which has been cleared by federal regulators, is one of the



What do protesters want the United States to do?

Editor  
As a former protester from the '60s, I have been watching with interest the current anti-war protests.  
I see and hear many of the same placards and chants from the Vietnam era. What I do not hear are any logical arguments as to what the United States should do.  
Can they trust their children to be safe in a world where a reborn Hitler has a nuclear arsenal and is allowed to do as he pleases?  
Before I join in their movement, I would like some solid answers to these very real questions and not a lot of childish slogans.  
—LOIS WILSON  
Long Beach

U.S. dependence on Middle East oil. The President's energy plan is designed to prevent that. It calls for increasing domestic supply by such measures as exploring the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge and for reducing consumption by running large fleets of vehicles like city buses on natural gas.

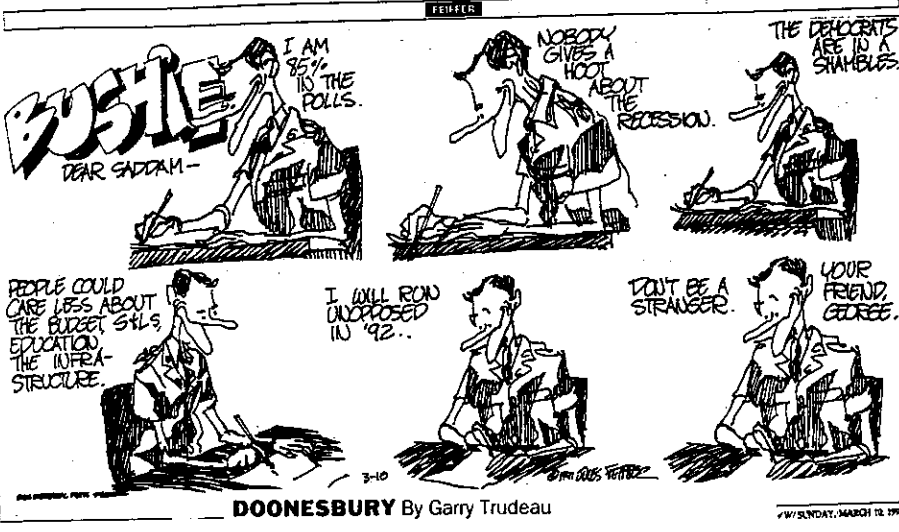
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War protesters must be extremely naive, dishonest  
Editor:

Anti-war protesters give aid and comfort to enemy

Editor:  
I realize that the people who are so actively protesting the war are guaranteed freedom of speech. But don't they realize that by protesting they are giving aid and comfort to the enemy?  
Nobody wanted this war but now that we are in it, let us all back up our country the way we should.  
—ETHEL F. SHINE  
Gardena

Still grinning, he said, "Then why don't you show it?"  
That was an example of the problem I have with some of the yellow-ribbon crowd. He ties a piece of yarn to his antenna and, in his mind, he is more patriotic than someone who doesn't.



Troops Reportedly Hit by Own Gunfire

The majority of U.S. soldiers wounded in the invasion of Panama may have been hit by fire from their comrades in arms, according to Newsweek magazine. As many as 60% of the 347 U.S. soldiers wounded in the invasion last December were probably hit by friendly fire, the magazine reported in its June 25 issue, which goes on sale today. In addition, nine of the 23 U.S. soldiers killed were accidentally slain by other U.S. soldiers, the magazine said, citing unidentified military sources. The apparent reason, the magazine said, was that Americans did most of the shooting.



GOP Plans Refunds for Some Donors

The National Republican Senatorial Committee will offer refunds to Pennsylvania residents who took part in a fund-raising campaign that resulted in money being automatically withdrawn from their bank accounts, state officials said. Last year, the committee sent \$25 checks to regular GOP contributors and others. By depositing the check, the recipient agreed to have \$12.50 a month transferred electronically to a GOP task force. Pennsylvania officials maintained that recipients of the checks may not have been adequately informed of the consequences of depositing them. New Jersey has filed suit against the GOP tactic, and several other states are investigating it.

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TV Reporting Becomes a Minefield of Misinformation

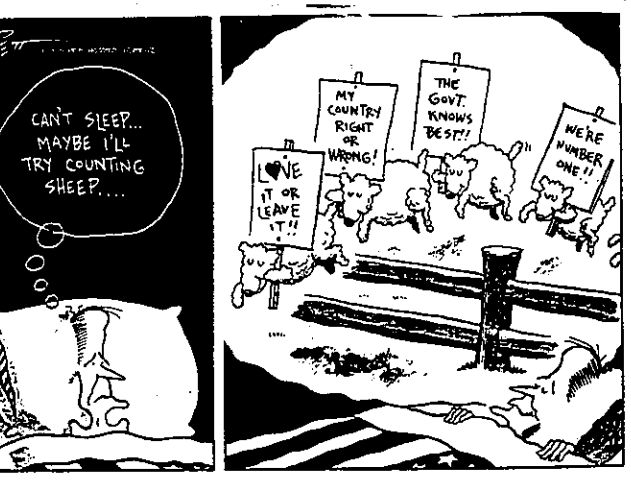
Oh Say Could You Tell? If you wanted to hear Whitney Houston sing live at the Super Bowl, you had to watch it on TV. Houston's much-acclaimed version of "The Star-Spangled Banner," performed before the big game, was actually recorded several days earlier. Those at the football game in Tampa heard that taped version of the anthem, while the people at home heard the tape combined with Whitney's live vocals, said a Super Bowl sound engineer. A spokesman for Houston explained: "This is not a Milli Vanilli thing. She sang live, but the microphone was turned off."

Britain's BBC radio has banned several songs it feels could be controversial for the duration of the war, like John Lennon's "Imagine" and "Give Peace a Chance."

It is extraordinary when upward of 20,000 people march down Los Angeles' Broadway. It is hypocritical of news people, who posture about their heroic dedication to truth and reporting, when they fail to do their jobs because of political pandering.

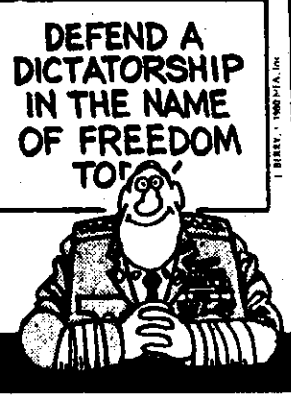
The peace movement gave the lie to President Bush's claim of universal citizen support for the Gulf War. Channel 7, wanting to be "good Germans," simply censored the news about the L.A. march and rally. And the blackout on protests continued in ensuing weeks.  
PATRICK F. FLYNN  
President, Orange County Chapter  
Veterans for Peace  
Yorba Linda

Like Judas of old  
You lie and deceive  
A world war can be won  
You want me to believe  
But I see through your eyes  
And I see through your brain  
Like I see through the water  
That runs down my drain.



The Star Spangled Banner

As Performed At Super Bowl XXV  
One of the fastest selling singles and videos in history with over one million copies sold so far. Whitney Houston, The Whitney Houston Foundation For Children, Inc., Arista Records, and BMG Distribution are donating their royalties and profits from the sale of the record and video to the American Red Cross Gulf Crisis Fund to benefit U.S. military families.  
Available on Cassette Single and CD-5 with the bonus track "America The Beautiful," and 6 West Home Video at record stores everywhere.



The people of Kuwait are appreciative of the swift response from the United States Forces and the United Nations Coalition to reinstate the independence of the country and sovereignty of Kuwait.

It was America's steadfast commitment to the principles of freedom that saved our peaceful nation from the unprovoked aggression by Iraq's dictatorship.

Our unwavering gratitude to the people of America who were willing to make the ultimate sacrifice in the defense of the peaceful people of Kuwait. Thank you.

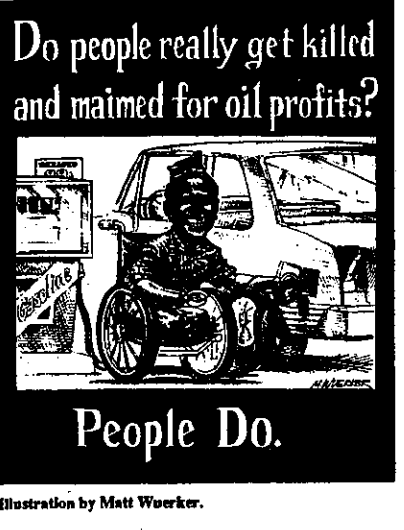
From Desert Storm to Desert Peace

United Nations Coalition		
Argentina	Germany	Pakistan
Australia	Greece	Poland
Bahrain	Italy	Qatar
Bangladesh	Kuwait	Saudi Arabia
Belgium	Morocco	Senegal
Canada	Netherlands	Spain
Czechoslovakia	New Zealand	Syria
Denmark	Niger	United Arab Emirates
France	Norway	United Kingdom
	Oman	United States

The State of Kuwait and its People

Government, Sheikh Jaber al-Ahmad al-Sabah rules as Emir of Kuwait and appoints the Prime Minister, who appoints the Cabinet. The Council of Ministers, the Executive Council, consists of 25 members elected by adult males. There are no political parties in Kuwait.

Germany Was Hub of Iraq Arms Network in Europe



'Free Speech Is Under Assault'

The amoeba is considered the lowest form of animal life.

By Mark Giacomelli

Another addition to the list of ballot initiatives is the Fully Informed Jury Amendment (FIJA).

Most American jurors are oblivious to their right (and their power!) to judge not only the facts of a case, but also the law itself. This means that a jury can nullify an unjust law simply by deciding a case according to their conscience.

Should FIJA become law, it would overturn the results of a 1967 draft card burning case where the jury found the defendant not guilty, and the court system decided that jurors would no longer be informed of their rights prior to deciding a case and any attempt to do so would, in fact, result in being held in contempt of court.

FIJA would mandate that a judge inform a jury of their right to judge a case according to their conscience, regardless of the law.

In the words of John Adams, "It is not only his [the juror's] right, but his duty...to find the verdict according to his own best understanding, judgement, and conscience, though in direct opposition to the direction of the court."

Thomas Jefferson once said that "A jury's right to judge a case according to their conscience is the surest means to preserve our basic liberty."

"If a juror accepts as law that which a judge states, then that juror has accepted the exercise of absolute authority of a government employee and has surrendered a power and right that once was the citizen's safeguard of liberty, ..." [2 Elliotts debates, 94, Bancroft, History of the Constitution, 267, 1788]

"...And the laws shall be written upon men's hearts," [The Bible] etc.

FIJA California is located at 24828 Canyon View Ct. Hayward, Ca. 94541 tel. (415) 889-1544

If you'd like to get involved here in Venice, give a call at 392-1806.

Next month, Chanel Inc. kicks off its biggest ever U.S. men's fragrance launch, for a brand called Egoiste. A print ad declares an egoist "walks on the positive side of that fine line separating arrogance from an awareness of self-worth."

Says Chanel President Arie Kopelman, "What Egoiste is all about is to have the confidence and presence and taste and style and values that have nothing to do with the arrogance we saw in the '80s, (which was) built on false foundations."

## Initiative Measure to Be Submitted Directly to the Voters

## SECTION I. PURPOSE OF ACT: CONSTRUCTION.

The purpose of this Act is to assure that jurors are made aware of:

- The jurors' inherent right to judge whether the law or laws applicable to the case being tried are unjust or misapplied.
- The jurors' traditional right to vote according to conscience.

To this end, juries affected by this Act shall be allowed to hear evidence concerning the defendant's motives. This Act shall be construed liberally to effect its purposes.

SECTION II. Article I of the Constitution of the State of California is amended by adding a Section 29 that reads:

## "JURY RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

## Section 29

Whenever state or local government is one of the parties in any trial by jury, the court must inform the jurors that in addition to their responsibility to judge the facts of the case, they have the inherent right to judge the law itself."

## Yes!!! Here is my check to support FIJA and tell all jurors their rights.

\$10 \$50 \$100 \$250 \$1000 Other \$

I can help organize my county.

I would love to help! Please put me in touch with my county coordinator.

I am a member of an organization which would benefit from FIJA, call me at

I want to circulate petitions for the California FIJA initiative to be submitted to the voters. Circulation begins approximately 3/1/91.

Name:

Address:

City, Zip:

FIJA 24828 Canyon View Ct.  
California Hayward, CA 94541 (415) 889-1544

## Fuel for Thought

So war is behind us they say. O.K., but we're still killing so that we can still drill it just isn't on T.V. anymore everyday, but the beaches were closed today 'cuz they fucked up the bay.

Yeah, we kicked some ass while waving the flag it's just like the LAPD you see, the new world order is a permanent presence that's brought to you by G.E.

How long can you go on supporting our oops, the troops are still there you know, 150,000 or so but hey, it's still the safe bet and there's no law against ignorance Yet.

It's new, it's improved U.S.A. this time it's O.K. to bomb, besides it's not 'Nam, I am BUSH, hear me roar, in numbers too big not to ignore, and besides you can't snub what you never knew.

And in between crimes and drawing deadlines in the sand, he drummed up demand for obsolete tools and toxic fossil fuels, that's fossil as in extinct.

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## 100,000 Iraqis Died, Allied Officer Says

AS LATINES

From Associated Press 3/23/91

WASHINGTON—More than 100,000 Iraqi soldiers died in the Persian Gulf War, most of them during allied air strikes, a senior allied military official estimated Friday.

The exact war toll on the Iraqi side may never be known, but it stands in stark contrast to the 124 American combat deaths.

Iraq has shown no interest in offering an estimate of its war

dead. The U.S. Central Command insists that it never took a count and thus cannot provide a credible estimate.

But a senior allied officer in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, estimated that 60,000 to 80,000 Iraqis were killed by the relentless allied air strikes before the ground war started.

An additional 15,000 to 25,000 Iraqi troops likely were killed in the four days of combined air and ground attacks, said the officer.

## The War Is Already Lost

The war is already lost  
Because of the destruction of lives,  
Because people have turned into beasts,  
Their loved ones traumatized,  
Their economy damaged,  
Their ecology ravaged.

But worst of all,  
The war is lost  
Because people choose to ignore its costs  
In deaths and ruined lives;  
And people have been taught  
To hate their enemies  
More than to love their families.

Where is the kindler, gentler nation  
You promised us?  
Was it all a lie?  
Had you already made your plans  
As to which ones of us should die?  
And ordered all the body bags  
And labeled them with serial-number tags?

The war is already lost  
When its success demands our deaths.  
Does it stop men like Hussein  
When another victim's slain,  
When you emphasize "retaliate"  
And reward us when we learn to hate,  
While you, smirking, get euphoric  
With each "successful" strike?

What of people left out there,  
George, who really care  
That their loved ones are dying over there?  
So that generals can feel virile  
And thrive upon the agony and terror  
Of the young?

The war is already lost  
With even one victim sacrificed  
And leaders who, with emerging inhumanity,  
Exhibit their mentality  
By sinking lower than the brutes  
From which they've sprung.

By Margaret Frankel

## Coffee Houses

Vox Populi is gone, but Van Go's Ear is with us. The Ear is open all day and all night. This wonderfully decadent cafe is located at the corner of Speedway and Westminster. The entertainment is live nightly.



The parking situation in this town still SUCKS!

Mr. Kurtz --  
Live At 11 o'clock

Have I read too many books?  
Have I seen too many movies?

How can it be  
Every time the President comes on TV  
to patriotically explain the reason  
for the next "phase of operations"

I see invisible sweat  
pouring down his grey mask  
and a growling voice proclaiming  
"Exterminate the brutes!"

By Judith L. Martin

Webster's New Universal Unabridged Dictionary defines fascism as "A system of government characterized by rigid one-party dictatorship, forcible suppression of the opposition (unions, other especially leftist parties, minority groups, etc.), belligerent nationalism and racism, and glorification of war."

Look in the mirror, America. What do you see?

## CONSERVE WATER

share a tub  
with a friend...

City of Santa Barbara & Santa Barbara Water District

## A SLEEPYHEAD TALE

By Jeremy Eaton © 1991



## TOP 10 WAR-RELATED OXYMORONS

- 10) western civilization
- 9) republican party
- 8) friendly fire
- 7) peacekeeping force
- 6) smart bomb
- 5) tv news
- 4) civil war
- 3) just war
- 2) military intelligence
- 1) president bush

Malibu Independence Parade  
March 30th--Malibu Civic Center



# The Case for Hemp II

## The Emperor Wears No Clothes

By Jack Herer

A Review By Mark Giacomelli

In 1619 America's first hemp law was enacted at Jamestown colony, Virginia ordering all farmers to grow Indian hemp seed. In England foreigners were granted British citizenship for growing cannabis and those who refused were fined.

Cannabis hemp was used as money in most of the Americas from 1631 until the early 1800's to encourage American farmers to grow more hemp. Taxes were paid with hemp in America for over 200 years.

Washington and Jefferson were hemp farmers. Benjamin Franklin started one of America's first paper mills with cannabis. This allowed America to have a free colonial press without having to beg or justify paper and books from England.

Marijuana and hashish extracts were the second or third most prescribed medicines in America from 1842 to the 1990's. Cannabis extract medicines were produced by Eli Lilly, Parke-Davis, Tildens, Smith Brothers, Squibb and many others.

For more than 1000 years before the time of Christ until 1883 A.D. cannabis hemp was Earth's largest agricultural crop and most important industry, producing the overall majority of the planet's fiber, fabric, lighting oil, paper, incense, medicines as well as a primary source of protein for people and animals.

In 1942 the U.S. Government distributed 200 tons of hemp seed to farmers from Wisconsin to Kentucky. They, in turn, produced 42,000 tons of hemp fiber annually for the war effort until 1946.

The word 'canvas' is the Dutch pronunciation of the Greek root word Kannabis. In addition to canvas sails, virtually all of the rigging, anchor ropes, cargo nets, fishermen's nets, flags, shrouds and oakum (the main sealant against salt water for use between loose or green beams) were made from the marijuana plant until this century.

Hemp paper lasted 50 to 100 times longer than papyrus and was 100 times cheaper and easier to make. 80% of all textiles and fabrics (including Old Glory, our flag) were made from the fibers of cannabis.

The covered wagons of the pioneers were covered with hemp canvas tarpaulins. And the gold rushing 49er's were clothed with the famous Levi pants made of hempen sail cloth and rivets to keep the gold filled pockets from tearing. Homespun cloth was almost always provided by the family hemp patch.

After 1937 (when grass was outlawed) hemp was replaced by new DuPont "plastic fibers" under license of I.G. Farben (30% of which was owned by DuPont.)

It must be noted that 50% of all chemicals (DuPont again!) used in American agriculture today are used in cotton growing. Hemp needs no chemicals, is softer, warmer, more water absorbent, has three times the tensile strength and is many times more durable than cotton.

75% to 90% of all paper was made of hemp. U.S. Government papers were written on hempen rag paper (by law!) until the 1920's.

Thomas Paine in Common Sense (written on hemp paper) listed various essentials needed for war against the British Navy: "Hemp flourishes even to rankness, we do not want for cordage."

70-90% of all rope, twine and cordage was made from hemp until 1937, replaced by the poison plastics of DuPont, i.e. Nazi German I.G. Farben.

Rembrandt, Van Gogh, etc. painted on cannabis canvas. For 1000's of years hemp seed oil was used in making paint and varnish. Hemp seed oil was replaced by the poison petrochem of DuPont (DuPont held secret meetings with Herman Oliphant, chief counsel for the Treasury Dept. who drafted the marijuana prohibition of 1937).

Hemp seed oil was the most widely used oil in the world until about 1800 and the oil of slaughtered whales took its place, followed by Rockefeller's national petroleum stewardship from 1870-on.

Hemp is at least 4 times richer in renewable bio-mass/cellulose potential than its nearest rivals - cornstalks, trees, sugarcane, etc. Through pyrolysis (charcoalizing) or bio-chemical composting hemp can be converted into "grass-o-hol", eliminating the need for poisonous fossil fuel products. And at a fraction of the current costs of oil, coal or nuclear energy.

Varying extracts of marijuana were the most commonly used medicine in the world for at least 3000 years. Hemp seed was regularly used in porridge, soups and gruels by virtually all people of the world until this century. Hemp seed can be sprouted (like soy or alfalfa) for salads and cooking or pressed for oil, leaving a high protein seed cake as a byproduct. It was the world's number one bird seed. Bird will

pick hemp seed out of a pile of mixed seed and eat them first. 1000 tons of hemp seed for song birds were sold at retail in the U.S. in 1937.

Because one acre of hemp produces as much pulp as 4.1 acres of trees, hemp is the perfect material to replace trees for pressed board, particle board and for concrete construction molds. Practical, inexpensive construction material which is fire resistant, with excellent thermal and sound insulation qualities, can be made using a process that applies heat and compression to agricultural fiber to create strong construction paneling, replacing drywall and plywood. Hemp has been used throughout history for carpeting. Plastic plumbing (PVC) pipe can be made of hemp cellulose, replacing petroleum based feedstocks.

In December, 1840, Abraham Lincoln said, "Prohibition...goes beyond the bounds of reason in that it attempts to control a man's appetite by legislation and makes a crime out of things that are not crimes...A prohibition law strikes a blow at the very principles upon which our government was founded."

In 1916, USDA Bulletin No. 404 reported that over a 20 year period you could get 4 times as much paper out of an acre of hemp as you could out of an acre of trees, and that the sulfuric acid poisoning of the eco-system used in the manufacture of wood pulp paper is replaced by non polluting soda ash in hemp paper. Dioxin contamination of rivers is avoided with hemp paper because instead of chlorine (which wood pulp paper requires) hydrogen peroxide is safely substituted. Hemp paper, as opposed to wood pulp paper, is stronger, more flexible, less expensive, more ecological-better. (and there is no need for DuPont!)

When the mechanical fiber stripping machines and machines to conserve hemp's high cellulose pulp finally became state of the art in the mid 1930s the enormous timber acreage and businesses of the Hearst Paper Manufacturing division stood to lose billions and perhaps go bankrupt. DuPont had just patented a new sulfuric acid process for wood pulp paper in 1937. In anticipation of the great war of "natural cycle" vs. "synthetic cycle", Andrew Mellon (DuPont's chief financial backer) appointed his niece's fiancé, Henry J. Anslinger to be head of the Federal Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs.

## LET IT GROW



In the annual report to its stockholders DuPont called for the investment in new technologies based on "forcing acceptance of sudden new ideas of industrial and social reorganization."

While Mellon and DuPont waged their campaigns through their influence in government, Hearst mounted his vicious attack on hemp through "yellow journalism"-a term which Webster's Dictionary defines as cheaply sensational or unscrupulous methods in newspapers and other media to attract or influence the readers.

Hearst had a personal grudge against Mexicans and the Spanish speaking community in general-he lost 800,000 acres of prime timberland to the "marijuana" smoking army of Pancho Villa. But the racial slurs in Hearst's paper actually began with the Spanish American War in 1898.

Hearst regularly featured hysterical headlines above articles on Negroes and Mexicans. They were portrayed as demons under the influence of marijuana, playing anti-white "voodoo-satanic" music (jazz) and showing the predominately white readers their disrespect and "visciousness" i.e.: stepping on a white man's shadow, looking a white man directly in the eye for three or more seconds, looking at a white woman twice, laughing at white man, etc.

Hearst, through pervasive and repetitive use, brought the word "marijuana" into English speaking consciousness, effectively burying the medically correct term "cannabis". Virtually no one in America other than a handful of rich industrialists and their hired cops knew that their chief potential competitor-hemp- was being outlawed under the name "marijuana".

Marijuana prohibition and the campaign of hempicide began in September of 1937. Over the following 2 years over 3000 AMA doctors were prosecuted by Anslinger's FBN, effectively cowering the AMA into submission in 1939 when it denounced the New York Academy of Medicine and its doctors for the marijuana research they had done.

Ironically, the testimony which led to hemp's criminalization, i.e.; "Marijuana is the most violence causing drug in the history of mankind", took a complete reversal when in 1948 Anslinger testified to Congress that marijuana made its users so peaceful-and pacifistic!-that the communists could and would use marijuana to weaken the fighting men's will to fight.

Anslinger, the southern congress and his Senatorial soul-mate, Joseph McCarthy, received constant attention from America's fawning press. Perhaps Anslinger and McCarthy's friendship was based on the fact that Anslinger (chief of the FBN) was in the perfect position to, and did in fact, supply McCarthy with illegal morphine for years.

In fact, Anslinger gave loads of drugs illegally to unsuspecting victims of OSS experiments (honey oil, psilocybin mushrooms, LSD, to name a few, in a ridiculous effort to find a "truth serum".) This went on until 1961, when the Kennedy administration forced Anslinger to retire.

Dope dealing in the government has become more the rule, rather than the exception. And always behind the banner of hypocrisy. For example, marijuana's most outspoken opponent to date is George Bush. After leaving the CIA in 1977 he was appointed director of Eli Lilly, the controlling interest of which was owned by Dan Quayle's father. Dan Quayle later acted as a go-between for drug kingpins, gun runners and government officials in the Iran-Contra scandal.

Bush, as Vice President in 1981, lobbied illegally to allow drug companies (the entire Bush family were large stockholders in Lilly, Abbott, Bristol and Pfizer, etc.) to dump domestically banned products on unsuspecting third world countries. He lobbied the IRS for tax breaks for his family pharmaceutical concerns in Puerto Rico until ordered to stop by the Supreme Court itself. These facts are confirmed by Bush's 1979 tax report and a Christie institute affidavit.

Besides the war on drugs, the repeal of the freedom of information act is one of the prime goals of Reagan/Bush/Quayle.

The marijuana research ban was lifted under Kennedy and re-established under Ford (when Bush directed the CIA). Drug companies (i.e. families of Bush and Quayle) were granted possession of all former research files concerning THC and Lilly came out with Nalibone, a synthetic cousin of THC Delta 9 which turned out to be useless when compared to home grown bud. But the Bush administration would rather that we OD on deadly Quayle-ludes and drink ourselves to death than to intelligently self medicate the way Jefferson, Madison, Paine, Franklin and others have for countless centuries.

American doctors of the last century wrote that asthma sufferers the world over would bless "Indian Hemp" (marijuana) all their lives. According to Dr. Donald Tashkin, UCLA pulmonary researcher, "Taking a hit of marijuana has been known to stop a full blown asthma attack."

Studies at Harvard, UCLA, the National Eye Institute, among others, have shown that cannabis is 2-3 times as effective as any current medicines in reducing ocular pressure. Marijuana smoking would benefit 90% of all 2.5 million glaucoma sufferers.

"Marijuana is the best agent for control of nausea in cancer chemotherapy," says Dr. Thomas Ungereider, head of California's Marijuana for Cancer Research project from 1979-1984.

Researchers were surprised to find marijuana is an incredibly successful herb for reducing many malignant and benign tumors. Upon this discovery (conducted at the Medical College of Virginia) the DEA ordered a halt to all further cannabis/tumor research and reporting in late 1975.

Marijuana is the best treatment for many (but not all) forms of epilepsy and post seizure trauma. Marijuana is also the best muscle relaxant, back spasm medicine and antispasmodic medication on our planet short of morphine.

But John F. Kennedy smoked marijuana regularly to control recurrent pains from an injury he sustained in WW2. Marijuana relieved his almost constant pain without the mind dulling effects of morphine. (Would Kennedy have legalized grass?)

Young unbudded hemp plants provide extractions of CBDs (cannabinoid acids). There are many antibiotic uses of the cannabinoids, including the treatment of gonorrhea. A 1990 Florida study indicated its use in treating herpes. The acid side of tetrahydrocannabinol, cannabinoids occur inversely to the amount of the plant's THC and is therefore "better" to the lawmen because it won't get you high. Czechoslovakian studies (1952-1955) have



indicated that virtually any disease or infection that can be treated with terramycin, cannabis derivatives will do better.

Cannabis is a topical analgesic. Until 1937, virtually all fistulas, corn plasters, mustard plasters, muscle ointments and fibrosis poultices were made from or with marijuana extracts. Steaming "pot packs" have eased the pain of rheumatism for centuries.

Cannabis is the best natural lung cleaner and expectorant to clear the lungs of smog, dust and the phlegm associated with tobacco use. Marijuana smoke effectively dilates the airways of the lungs, the bronchi, opening them to allow more oxygen into the lungs. Marijuana is the best natural dilator of the tiny airways of the lungs, the bronchial tubes--making marijuana the best overall bronchial dilator for 80% of the population.

Marijuana lowers blood pressure, dilates the arteries and reduces body temperature an average of one half degree, thereby eliminating stress. Evening cannabis smokers generally report a more restful sleep. Marijuana allows most people a more complete rest with the highest amount of "Alpha time" possible in sleep compared to poisonous pharmaceuticals, known for their harmful side effects.

Marijuana users often get the "munchies", a stimulated appetite for food, which makes marijuana the best medicine for anorexia.

Every US commission or Federal judge who has studied the evidence has agreed that marijuana is one of safest drugs known to mankind, yet it continues to be completely illegal.

Hemp seed is a complete source of vegetable protein. 65% of hemp seed's protein is in the form of globulin edistin (the word edistin comes from the Greek word "edistos", meaning edible).

Diversifications are possible, as with soy, though much cheaper.

Hemp seed contains human tissue proteins in similar proportions found in blood plasma and allows a body with nutrition blocking sickness to get maximum nourishment--it may well be the most complete vegetable protein for humans or animals. Hemp will help end world hunger when we start growing it. Hemp was a primary link in the food chain. Over 10 million acres of seed laden hemp grew wild prior to 1937, which birds depended on. Now many are becoming extinct--man included!

Monsanto and other companies have created strains of grains that only grow with their petro-chemical fertilizers. If this is allowed to continue, it could lead to the elimination of the remaining natural wheat and rye seeds, leaving the world at their mercy, dependent upon their hybrid strains which must have their petro-chemicals, fertilizers and pesticides.

Ultimately the world has no choice but to give up fossil fuels. Hemp bio-mass can replace every type of fossil fuel energy product.

Bio-mass conversion through pyrolysis (applying heat to organic material in the absence of air or in reduced air) uses the same "cracking" technology employed by the petroleum industry in processing fossil fuels. Hemp bio-mass conversion can produce methanol or charcoal fuel as well as basic chemicals of industry: acetone, ethyl acetate, tar, pitch and creosote. The Ford Motor Company operated such a plant at Iron Mountain, Michigan.

When Rudolph Diesel invented the diesel engine, he intended it to run on vegetable and seed oils. Hemp seed contains 30% oil by volume. Hemp seed makes high grade diesel fuel oil, aircraft engine and precision machine oil.

An independent network of efficient and autonomous energy farmers will become key players in energy production in this country. Farming 6% of the continental U.S. acreage with marijuana would provide all of the nation's energy needs and end dependence on fossil fuels. With no acid rain, or smog or gulf wars.

Hemp can solve our energy problems, end world hunger, create jobs for everyone, spread global wealth around more democratically, solve our pollution problems, save the family farm, put an end to war, heal us--poison free!--and re-establish traditional values for which our nation's founders would rather have died than been denied: life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Cannabis hemp is part of our heritage and was the backbone of our most stable and longest surviving cultures.

Recent psycho-pharmacological studies have shown that THC has its own unique receptor sites in the brain indicating that man and marijuana have a pre-cultural relationship--in fact human culture could very well be the result of our symbiosis with cannabis.

To get involved with the California Hemp Initiative or to get your copy of the Emporor, write to H.E.M.P. (Help End Marijuana Prohibition), 5632 Van Nuys Blvd, Suite 210, Van Nuys, Ca. 91401 or call (213) 392-1806.

HOW DANGEROUS IS MARIJUANA COMPARED TO OTHER SUBSTANCES?	
NUMBER OF AMERICAN DEATHS PER YEAR	
TOBACCO	340,000 to 395,000
ALCOHOL	125,000+
ASPHEN	180 to 1,000+
CAFFEINE	14,000 to 27,000
'LEGAL' DRUG OVERDOSE	3,800 to 5,200
ILLICIT DRUG OVERDOSE	0
MARIJUANA	0

and clearing of all criminal records for all cannabis/marijuana related acts which are hereby no longer illegal. The Attorney General, within 60 days of the passage of this act, shall develop and distribute a one page application, providing for the destruction of all criminal records in California for cannabis/marijuana related acts which are no longer illegal. Such forms shall be distributed to district and city attorneys and all police departments in the state of California, and made available to persons hereby affected. Upon filing such form with the Attorney General and payment of a fee no greater than \$10.00, all pertinent records anywhere in the state of California relating to the application shall be destroyed. Such persons may truthfully state that they have never been convicted of cannabis/marijuana related acts which are no longer illegal.

II. The legislature is authorized to enact legislation, using reasonable standards to determine impairment, to regulate or prohibit persons under the influence of hemp from operating a motor vehicle, heavy machinery, or otherwise engaging in conduct which may affect public safety. Testing for inert cannabis metabolites shall not be required for employment or insurance, nor be considered in determining impairment.

III. The legislature is authorized to enact legislation, using reasonable standards, limiting the use of hemp intoxicating products in public places.

IV. No California law enforcement personnel or funds shall be used to assist enforcement of federal cannabis/marijuana laws governing cannabis/marijuana related acts which are no longer illegal in the state of California.

V. The legislature, the Governor, and the Attorney General are directed to challenge federal cannabis/marijuana prohibitions which conflict with this act.

VI. Severability: If any provision of this act, or the application of any such provision to any person or circumstance, shall be held invalid by any court, the remainder of this act to the extent it can be given effect, or the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected thereby, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable.

VII. If any rival or conflicting initiative regulating any matter addressed by this act receives the higher affirmative vote, then all non-conflicting parts of this act shall become operative.

VIII. Within 120 days following the passage of this act the legislature shall fund, from law enforcement savings hereby generated, an advisory panel to study the feasibility and methods of making restitution to all persons who were imprisoned, fined or had private properties forfeited as a result of criminal or civil actions for cannabis/marijuana related acts which are hereby no longer illegal. Said restitution could only be paid from a portion of the tax revenues created by the re-introduction of the hemp industry. This advisory panel shall consist of thirteen members to be appointed in the following manner: one appointed by the Governor, one appointed by the State Attorney General, one appointed by the State Controller, two appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly, two appointed by the President Pro-tem of the Senate, and the remaining six to be chosen from the private sector: three by the Secretary of State and three by the State Treasurer. The advisory panel will hold a minimum of six meetings which will be open to the public. A preliminary report shall be submitted to the legislature within six months of the formation of the advisory panel. A final report shall be submitted to the legislature and the public within one year of the formation of the advisory panel.

#### IX. Purpose of Act: Construction

This act is an exercise of the police powers of the State for the protection of the safety, welfare, health and peace of the people and the environment of the State, to allow for the industrial and medicinal type uses of hemp, to eliminate the evils of unlicensed and unlawful cultivation, selling and dispensing of hemp, and to promote temperance in the consumption of hemp as an intoxicant. It is hereby declared that the subject matter of this act involves in the highest degree, the economic, social and moral well-being and the safety of the State and of all its people. All provisions of this act shall be liberally construed for the accomplishment of these purposes.

## Glittering the Beachhead

Goldie Glitters graced us with his presence to announce his write-in candidacy for Los Angeles 6th District city council representative. The former homecoming queen of Santa Monica City College he is motivated to run by a sincere concern for the overdevelopment of the Venice community. Something of an instant media celebrity he was asked to pose in his crown by the the ever vigilant Los Angeles Times. He refused, citing the only reason he would appear in that attire would be if Ruth Galanter had been one of the 13 women he had beat in his race for the coveted 1975 crown.

"There will be no Venice between Marina Del Rey and Santa Monica, Jerry Snyder will fill in the gaps."

"What about Playa Vista; I don't think it should happen."

"At least Pat Russell didn't pretend that she was on our side."

"I support cityhood for Venice and free condoms for everyone."

He has a recommendation from longtime community activist Pearl White who said to him that at least he wouldn't sell out. Who could she have been thinking of?

Quotes from Goldie:

"No more high rises, stop Channel Gateway, stop low income housing fraud."

"More parking for Venice, solve homeless problem and refurbish the Pavilion."

"Enforce height limits and stop the commercialization of the Ocean Front Walk."

"Enforce laws for the people not for profit."

Goldie Glitters requests that you write in his name on the April 9th primary ballot for 6th District, Los Angeles City Council race. You can contact him at:

Goldie Glitters Campaign

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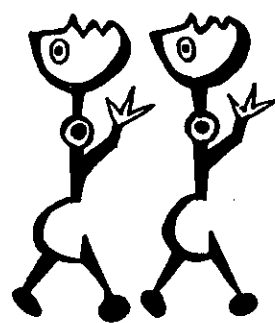
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By the way, when he won his crown in 1975 he did it with a landslide vote.

## WASHINGTON, D.C. 7/6/90 Silencing of Inmate on Quayle Is Denied

The Bureau of Prisons denied that an inmate was held incommunicado four days before the 1988 presidential election to silence his allegation that he sold marijuana to Vice President Dan Quayle. The prisoner, held in a federal prison in El Reno, Okla., was placed in a special punishment cell on the orders of Bureau of Prisons Director J. Michael Quinlan. But a bureau spokesman said the convicted Brett Kimberlin--was ordered into special detention because of concerns about his safety.

From Times Staff and Wire Reports



## Military Delayed Raid on Border Drug Tunnel

By DOUGLAS JEFFREY 6-20-90  
TIMES STAFF WRITER

WASHINGTON--The joint Customs Service-military mission that last month unearthed an elaborate drug smugglers' tunnel under the U.S.-Mexican border was launched only after an urgent request for the action had been held up in the Pentagon bureaucracy for six weeks, The Times has learned.

The delay, during which shipments of cocaine apparently continued to pour through the passage into Arizona, is typical of problems that have hamstrung a high-profile Administration effort to use the military to help interdict drugs along the border.

"They announce that drugs are a major national security threat and then this takes six weeks?" one incredulous official asked. "What the heck is going on here?"

But Thomas McDermott, the Customs agent in charge of the inquiry, said that investigators believe the tunnel was "a major artery" for northward-bound drugs. On May 11, only days after pinpointing the northern end of the passage, federal agents intercepted more than a ton of cocaine in a single tunnel shipment.

A Pentagon spokesman, Maj. Doug Hart, said that he had not been authorized to explain why the Defense Department took six weeks to respond to the request.

Customs Service officials said they had no way to measure how much cocaine passed through the tunnel between mid-March, when frustrated agents in Arizona asked the military for assistance in finding the passage, and late April, when the equipment finally arrived on the scene.

I. Add Section 11357.5 to the Health and Safety Code of California, any laws or policies to the contrary notwithstanding:

(1) Persons, 21 years or older, shall not be prosecuted, be denied any right or privilege, nor be subject to criminal or civil penalties for the cultivation, transportation, distribution, or consumption of:

(a) Industrial hemp products. Hemp farmers and manufacturers of industrial hemp products shall not be subject to any special zoning or licensing fees that are discriminatory or prohibitive.

(b) Hemp medicinal preparations.

(c) Hemp products for nutritional use.

(d) Hemp products for personal use in private. No permit or license may be required for non-commercial cultivation, transportation, distribution, or consumption of any hemp product.

(2) Definitions:

(a) The term "hemp" means hemp, cannabis, or marijuana, or any part or preparation of the plant cannabis sativa, cannabis indica, cannabis americana, or any variety of cannabis.

(b) The term "industrial hemp products" means all products made from hemp, cannabis, or marijuana, that are not designed or intended for human consumption, and includes, but is not limited to: paper, fiber, fuel, plastics, paint, seed for cultivation, animal feed, veterinary medicine, oil, plants used for crop rotation, erosion control, or weed control.

(c) The term "hemp medicinal preparations" means all products made from hemp, cannabis, or marijuana, that are designed, intended, or used for human consumption, for the treatment of any disease, the relief of pain, or for any healing purpose including the treatment or relief of asthma, glaucoma, arthritis, anorexia, migraine, multiple sclerosis, epilepsy, nausea, stress, for use as an antibiotic, an anti-emetic, or as any healing agent, or as an adjunct to any medical procedure or herbal treatment.

(d) The term "hemp products for nutritional use" means the use of any hemp product intended for human consumption as food, for example, but not limited to: seed protein, seed oil, seed cake, or gruel, or any preparation thereof.

(e) The term "personal use" means the use of any product or preparation of hemp, cannabis, or marijuana, intended for any relaxation, ritual, spiritual, or other personal purpose.

(f) The term "hemp intoxicating products" means any hemp product other than industrial hemp products, hemp medicinal preparations, or hemp products for nutritional use.

(3) Hemp medicinal preparations are hereby restored to the available list of medicines in California. Licensed physicians shall not be penalized for or restricted from prescribing hemp preparations for medical purposes to patients of any age.

(4) Hemp intoxicating products shall be regulated according to California's wine industry model. For the purpose of distinguishing personal versus commercial production, under Section 23000 et seq. of the Business and Professions Code of California, one half ounce of cured hemp flowers and/or leaves shall be considered equivalent to one gallon of dry wine.

(5) The manufacturing, marketing, distribution, or sales between adults of equipment or accessories designed or marketed for use in the planting, cultivation, harvesting, curing, processing, packaging, storing, analyzing, consumption, or transportation of hemp, industrial hemp products, hemp medicinal preparations, hemp products for nutritional use, or hemp products for personal use shall not be prohibited.

(6) The enactment of this initiative is to be retroactive in its application to include amnesty



**MCCARTHY, JOSEPH RAYMOND** (1908-1957), a Republican United States senator from Wisconsin, was one of the most controversial figures in American politics. He gained worldwide attention in the early 1950's by charging that Communists had infiltrated the government. McCarthy conducted several public investigations of Communist influence on U.S. foreign policy. Some persons praised him as a patriot, but others condemned him for publicly accusing people of disloyalty without sufficient evidence. His widely scattered charges gave rise to a new word, *McCarthyism*.

Joseph R. McCarthy

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## Senator Would Empower FBI To Put All Reds Into Camps

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (U.P.)—Senator Harley M. Kilgore proposed today that Congress grant the FBI "properly safeguarded" war emergency powers to throw all Communists into concentration camps.

The West Virginia Democrat—usually labeled an "Administration" Senator—said he is drafting a bill on those lines with some of his colleagues.

Kilgore said his proposal would authorize a mass round-up of Communists by the FBI as soon as the President and Congress agree that national security is imperiled. They would be placed in concentration camps "until we could weed out the sheep from the goats."

The measure—if it is drawn—will be offered as a substitute for registration provisions of the McCarran omnibus Communist and alien control bill. This bill goes before the Senate Tuesday.

The omnibus bill—sponsored by Chairman Pat McCarran (Dem.-Nev.) of the Senate Judiciary Committee—would require registration of all Communists. It also would restrict their activities and write numerous new security provisions into the immigration laws.

The McCarran bill is opposed by Attorney General J. Howard McGrath, who says it would be too difficult to administer.

Kilgore said his proposal is "similar to what we did to the Japanese during the last war," he said.

## Maryland Bans Debate By Leftist

BALTIMORE, Aug. 7 (AP)—Governor Lane ordered the University of Maryland today to ban a scheduled debate on its college park campus when he learned that Philip Frankford, chairman of the Maryland-District of Columbia Communist party, was listed as a speaker.

He said in a statement: "With Americans being shot down on the battlefields of Korea in defense of our way of life against the insidious forces of Communism, I cannot and will not permit the representatives of this malevolent conspiracy the freedom of the University of Maryland campus."

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## FBI Set for Reds Hoover Says Agents Could Seize 12,000 at a Moment's Notice

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7 (U.P.)—FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said today that spy and sabotage complaints have tripled since the Korean war but that his G-men can seize 12,000 of the Nation's "most dangerous" Communists at a moment's notice.

His statement was made to the Senate Appropriations Committee soon after President Truman warned he will veto the sweeping McCarran Communist-control bill if it reaches his desk. Backers of the measure said they will go ahead with it anyway.

Senate Republican Leader Kenneth S. Wherry (Neb.) said the President's stand "is a reason why we should pass" the bill. Mr. Truman said it was nothing but a warmed-over Mundt-Nixon bill, which the House passed two years ago.

Hoover appeared behind closed doors to appeal for \$6,000,000 more to check on Reds and other subversives. One committee member quoted him as saying: "We want to put them (the Communists) to bed at night and get them up in the morning."

Committee members said that

Hoover is confident he has a complete list of party members, and that they could be picked up whenever he gives the signal.

His statement amounted to an argument against the McCarran bill, which would require the Communist party to register its members with the Justice Department. Attorney General J. Howard McGrath already has denounced the registration provision as "unworkable."

**Investigation Of McCarthy Loans Asked**  
MADISON, Wis., March 26 (AP)—A resolution was introduced in the Wisconsin Legislature today urging an investigation of the propriety of loans made to Senator Joseph R. McCarthy (Rep.-Wis.) by his home town bank.

The resolution, introduced by Assemblyman Edward Mertz and Charles Schmidt of Milwaukee, charged that McCarthy put up "only a fraction" of the required collateral in obtaining a \$149,176 loan from the Appleton State Bank Dec. 21, 1945.

## Subversive Control: Provisions Of Bill Approved by Congress

By CARROLL KILPATRICK  
Washington Correspondent. The Chronicle version worked out this week by the Senate bill but against the final House-Senate conferees.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21—The omnibus bill to control subversive activities is expected to pass over his objections, is a front organization, among Communists and Communist sympathizers in time of emergency, supervision of aliens and the labeling of all Communist literature.

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**Turn In Your Neighbors**

"In Germany they first came for the Communists, and I didn't speak up because I wasn't a Communist. Then they came for the Jews, and I didn't speak up because I wasn't a Jew. Then they came for the trade unionists, and I didn't speak up because I wasn't a trade unionist. Then they came for the Catholics, and I didn't speak up because I was a Protestant. Then they came for me — and by that time no one was left to speak up."

- Pastor Martin Niemöller

## Authority Asked To Suspend 'Bad Security Risks'

WASHINGTON, March 7 (AP)—The Administration asked Congress today for authority to suspend summarily any Federal employee it considers a bad security risk—whether he is disloyal or just a fellow who gets drunk and talks too much.

By 2,900,000 to 1,359,000, the people enacted Proposition 5, denying certain tax exemptions to subversives, and charged the Legislature "to enact such laws as may be necessary to enforce" its provisions. Assemblymen Backstrand and Levering wrote a bill to that end, and the Committee on Revenue and Taxation has recommended it before, apparently, they had any idea what they were proposing.

For it now becomes obvious that the bill if enacted into law (and if held constitutional) would compel every income taxpayer in California to file a loyalty oath with his tax return if he claims the customary exemptions.

## Housing Loyalty Evictions Stayed

A four weeks' continuance of a restraining order banning the Richmond Housing Authority from evicting 15 non-signers of a loyalty oath was granted yesterday by Superior Judge Harold Jacoby.

## 81 Teachers Fired in N. Y. Red Inquiry

WASHINGTON, March 25 (AP)—A school administrator reported today 81 teachers have been separated from New York city's public school system in a campaign to root out Communist influence. About 180 teachers are under investigation.

William Jansen, New York Superintendent of Schools, gave the figures to the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, which is studying Red influence on American education.

The number of Communists among New York's 37,000 teachers is small, Jansen said, but they "exert an influence far beyond their number."

Since 1950, he reported, 81 have resigned or retired or been re-assigned while under investigation or after charges of Communist affiliations had been brought against them. And "we are by no means satisfied that we have cleared up the situation," Jansen said.

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## Reminders:

May 14, 1948 Nation of Israel Proclaimed-British end mandate  
September 23rd, 1949—Soviets drop their own Nuke.  
June 25, 1950—North Korean Communists invade South Korea  
January 20, 1953—General Eisenhower sworn in as U.S. President  
June 26, 1953—Armistice signed

WASHINGTON (INS) — FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover reported there are 24,796 Communist party members in the U.S. today who represent a "hard core of fanatics."

## 22,000 Face U. S. Ouster For Red Ties

"It's a job worthy of a modern-day St. Patrick to drive these snakes from our shores," Brownell told 2000 persons at the annual dinner of the Society of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick.

## Why Concentration Camps?

IN THE Civil War some 13-15,000 persons were arrested in the North for subversive activities, though they were called, not subversives, but Southern sympathizers.

Most of the offenses charged were obstructing recruiting, and later on, the draft, and a very few were held for sabotage of railroads, communications or armaments. They were mostly tried by military commissions, and mostly cooled down by short jail terms. Some of the more persistent were given prison terms and held in military detention. The civil courts had lost jurisdiction through suspension of the writ of habeas corpus.

These were what we call today political prisoners. The Constitution designates no political offenses against the United States except treason. Some of the Civil War prisoners were doubtless traitors, but most were just foolish and noisy. After the war the Supreme Court held these military trials to be illegal in most cases.

April 27, 1953

WASHINGTON, April 4 (AP)—FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover disagrees with those who defend the "right" of Communists to hold teaching positions in this country until they show themselves disloyal.

## Red Books in U. S. Libraries, Says Budenz

WASHINGTON, March 25 (AP)—Former Communist Louis Budenz testified today books by at least 75 Communists are in State Department libraries overseas and a "concealed putting them there."

Now a Fordham University professor, Budenz was a leading figure in the Communist Party from 1935 to 1945. He appeared before the Senate Investigations Subcommittee, which is trying to find out how books by Communists got onto the shelves of libraries at home.

150 information centers the State Department operates.

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## Justice Dept. Action

## 62 New Groups Go On Subversive List

By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, April 29 — Attorney General Herbert Brownell announced today he plans to add 62 organizations to the list of those the Justice Department designates as subversive. He also said he was redesignating 192 organizations which have been on the list.

## State Dept. Aide Denies He Was Red

WASHINGTON, April 29 (U.P.)—Theodore Kagan, a top State Department Public Affairs official in Germany, told Senate investigators today he attended "many meetings" in the late 1930s that "may have been" Communist-directed and roomed with a man he "assumed" to be a Red.

He also said he signed a nominating petition for a Communist Party candidate for the New York City council in 1939.

But Kagan denied under oath that he was ever a Communist and said he changed his ideas about the party after the Hitler-Stalin pact in 1939. He said he could not be qualified to hold his job today if he still felt as he did then.

Kagan, acting deputy director of the Public Affairs office under the U. S. High Commissioner for Germany, was interviewed in Germany recently by subcommittee aides Roy M. Cohn and G. David Schine.

The subversive list, he announced, is to be used as one of the checks on Federal employees under the Eisenhower Administration's new loyalty-security program for Government workers.

By adopting the old list used by the Democratic Administration in the Truman loyalty check program, and adding 62 others, Brownell will have a list of 254 groups, in which membership by a Government worker will be made the subject of further inquiry relating to his fitness for Federal employment.

Brownell said in answer to a question "the extent of association or support" would be considered in the check-up.

When the Supreme Court ruled about two years ago that organizations listed by the Attorney General as subversive could challenge such listing and have a court hearing, the list more or less dropped out of sight and was not thereafter revised.

The re-designated list is headed by the Communist Party of the United States and a half-dozen of its alleged subsidiary organizations.

Following is the list of the 62 new organizations as announced by the Justice Department:

American Committee for Settlement of Jews in Biro-Bidjan, American Committee to Survey Labor Conditions in Europe, American Lithuanian Workers' Association, American Peace Crusade, American Poles for Peace, American Polish League, American Women for Peace, Association of Lithuanian Workers, Baltimore Forum, Bridges-Robertson-Schmidt Defense Committee, Bulgarian-American People's League, California Emergency Defense Committee, China Welfare Appeal, Inc., Chopin Cultural Center, Citizens Emergency Defense Committee, Committee for Constitutional and Political Freedom, Committee for the Defense of the Pittsburgh Six, Committee for Freedom of the Press, Committee for Negro in the Arts, Committee for Peace and Brotherhood Festival in Philadelphia, Committee for the Protection of the Bill of Rights, Committee to Uphold the Bill of Rights, Committee for World Youth Friendship and Cultural Exchange, Connecticut Committee to Aid Victims of the Smith Act, Co-ordination Committee of Jewish Landsmanshaften and Fraternal Organization, Council of Greek Americans, Council for Jobs, Relief and Housing, Daniels Defense Committee, Committee to Defend Marie Richardson, Families of the Baltimore Smith Act Victims, Frederick Douglas Educational Center, Freedom Stage, Inc., Harlem Trade Union Council, Jewish Cultural Society, Joint Council of Progressive Italian Americans, Inc., Labor Council for Negro Rights, Maritime Labor Committee to Defend Al Lannon, Massachusetts Minute Women for Peace, Maurice Braverman Defense Committee, National Association of Mexican Americans, National Labor Conference for Peace, National Negro Labor Council, North Philadelphia Forum, Palo Alto Peace Club, Peace Information Center, People's Drama, Inc., Philadelphia Labor Committee for Negro Rights, Political Prisoners Welfare Committee, Provisional Committee of Citizens for Peace, Southwest Area, Puttorrienas Unidos (Puerto Ricans United), Quad City Peace Committee, Russian American Society, Santa Barbara Peace Forum, Slavic Council of Southern California, Tri-State Negro Trade Union Council, Union of New York Veterans, Voice of Freedom Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights, Washington Pension Union, Yugoslav American Co-operative Home, Inc., and Yugoslav Seamen's Club.

## Big Subversive Hunt Is On

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Attorney General Herbert Brownell said tonight nearly 10,000 naturalized citizens and almost 12,000 aliens are under investigation for possible Communist affiliation in a campaign to rid the Nation of subversives.

Wednesday, March 18, 1953

San Francisco Chronicle

## 9 Witnesses Defy L. A. Red Investigation

August 23, 1950



" I think I was once  
I think we were "



☺ Rest in Peace, Jim.  
We Love You. ♥

Talking John Birch Paranoid Blues  
From the Halloween 1964 Concert at Carnegie Hall  
by Bob Dylan

Well I was feelin' sad and kind of blue  
I didn't know what I was gonna do  
them Communists were comin' around  
they were in the air, they were on the ground  
They were alllll Over!

So I ran down most hurriedly  
And joined the John Birch Society  
I got me a secret membership card  
I went back to my backyard  
And started looking  
On the sidewalk, 'neath the rosebush

Well I was looking everywhere for them goldarned reds  
I get up in the morning and looked under my bed  
Looked behind the kitchen, behind the door  
Even tore loose the kitchen floor  
--I couldn't find any.

I looked beneath the sofa, beneath the chair  
Lookin' for them Reds everywhere  
I looked way up my chimney hole  
Even deep down inside my toilet bowl  
They got away!

I heard some footsteps by the front porch door  
so I grabbed my shotgun from the floor  
I snuck around the house with a huff and a hiss  
Saying "Hands Up, you Communist!"  
It was the mailman...He punched me out!

Well I quit my job so I could work alone  
I got a magnifying glass like Sherlock Holmes  
Following some clues from my detective bag  
I discovered there's red stripes in the American FLAG!  
(Did you know about Betsy Ross?)

Well I was sittin' home alone and I started to sweat  
I figured they was in my Television set  
I peaked behind the picture frame  
And got a shock from my feet that hit my brain.  
Them Reds did it! (The ones on Hootenany!)

Well I finally started thinking straight  
When I ran outa things to investigate  
I couldn't imagine doing anything else  
So now I'm at home investigating myself.  
I hope I don't find too much!  
Good God!

War, Peace, Love and Hypocrisy--

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hey, that's o.k., those kids'll be dead  
before they know what hit them. I wonder  
what's going through the young soldier's  
mind at the last minute. Is he waving  
some flag, wearing a yellow ribbon and  
screaming "Hail George Bush"? I doubt it.  
He's fuckin' dead and knows it. No goin'  
home. Never see the wife or the kids again,  
hell, never even had a chance to do it  
in the first place. Gee, George, how  
personal. Bring me the head of George  
Bush.

Part of your trip must be your (not  
so) hidden agenda. That is to say you're  
attempting to totally de-sensitize  
the entire population and reprogram  
everyone to glibly accept your evil  
"new world order". You turn the world  
into "them" and "us".

Sure, it's been a fairly successful  
campaign on your part. Even a few palm  
trees in my neighborhood of Venice were  
tied with pretty yellow ribbons, "in  
support of our troops". In support of  
"us" against "them". Don't get me wrong;  
I'm not saying Saddam Hussein is sane.  
He's a nut too, George. However, what  
you've really been successful at is getting  
a big one over on the general population  
of at least two separate nations. You both  
employ much the same tactics to evoke  
the support of the "majority" and then  
proceed to seriously ignore the rest of  
us, regardless of the cost in human lives.  
Some dead, some still "living", but all  
forever changed. For the better? No, not  
for the masses, but yes, for you the big  
guys. Yes. Ya' you got to skirt the  
issues regarding the S & L gang, divert  
attention from environmental issues,  
except to afford yourselves the ability  
to put the blame on the evil "them" for  
spilling oil and starting oil fires...

All I want to know is who's who? Them  
or us?



Rochester Patriot/Cpf

"Let's divide the earth up into little squares and sell them."



Activist Forum



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Anyone  
Remember  
Earth Day  
? (April 22)



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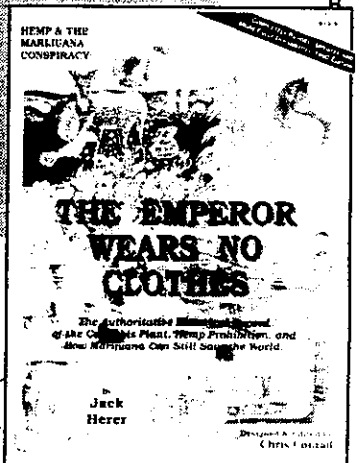
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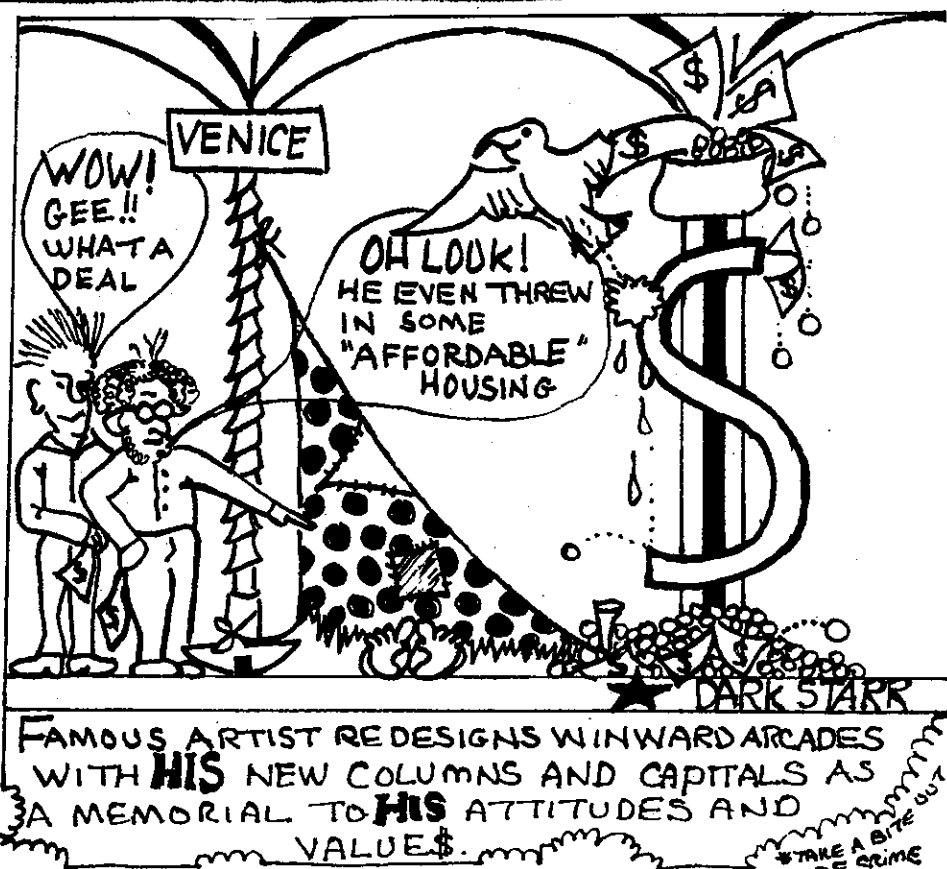


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According to Murray Waas  
and the Village Voice

by Kelly Ball

The Reagan Administration engaged in a massive effort to supply arms and military supplies to the regime of Saddam Hussein during the Iran Iraq war. This included American made Hawk missiles to the most advanced French built howitzers available. A three month investigation by the Voice, shows that the arms shipped and sold violated a Congressional arms ban to Iraq throughout the 80's, despite Mr. Reagan's public declaration of official neutrality.

Prominent US based corporations such as AT&T, United Technologies, General Motors, (owners of Hughes Aircraft after they bought it from Summa) and Phillip Morris were only too glad to explore expanded trade with Iraq in the past decade. John Mitchell, Henry Kissenger, Charles Percy and Richard Fairbanks, former Assistant Secretary of State, eagerly sought closer relations with Saddam Hussein. Restrictions on third party transfers of US licensed military equipment to Iraq were lifted. US arms shipments were made regularly to Jordan, Egypt and Kuwait with advanced White House knowledge. Like its twin scandal, the arms for hostages deal with Iran, it violated Congressional and Constitutional law.

A weapons dealer named Sarkis Soghanalian was caught attempting to exchange 103 Hughes military helicopters equipped with TOW missiles to Iraq. He reportedly sells \$1 billion worth of arms a year and has a close working relationship with the CIA. Some of his partners in one deal were all well known Republican insiders with strong ties to the White House. It was through Soghanalian that Iraq was largely armed.

Margaret Thatcher sold tanks missile parts and artillery. Francois Mitterand sold Exocet missiles. One hit the US Stark during the Iran Iraq war and killed 37 sailors. The French sold 175mm artillery to Hussein at the urging of the Reagan administration. It is reported that the CIA, National Security Agency, the Pentagon, and the State Department knew and monitored this sale to avoid domestic law.

Ex-Nixon military aide Jack Brennan became partners with John Mitchell, the deposed former Attorney General who could no longer practice law because of his felony. They were called Global Research International. Brennan met up with Soghanalian and schemed to sell Iraq Hughes helicopters by shipping them to Kuwait. Some Hughes executives caught on and blew the whistle. This was in 1983. Despite this, two years later Soghanalian brokered another deal for the Hughes Company; the sale this time of civilian use helicopters. Soghanalian stiffed Mitchell and Brennan on their cut in the deal. Mitchell died and his heirs are suing Soghanalian over another completed Global deal they were also cheated in. This deal involved uniforms.

Former Vice-President Spiro Agnew represented a company called Pan-East, which had a client who wanted to sell uniforms to Iraq. Agnew called Brennan, Brennan called South Korea and Taiwan and finally Nicolas Ceausescu. Richard Nixon sent his warm regards to Nicky and the Mrs. Brennan and Mitchell stood to make more than \$3.5 million from the deal. Soghanalian who helped broker the arrangement neglected to tell Mitchell and Brennan that he owed the Iraqi's \$7 million for undelivered

delivered construction. Their part of the deal was used to pay off Soghanalian's debt. Agnew and Pan Pacific however got their cut. In 1989 Brennan and the Mitchell estate sued Soghanalian for among other things "fraud."

Other loopholes were found to send weapons to Iraq by the Reagan and Bush administrations. Certain materials and technology were classified as "civilian use" when they also had military application. From 1985 to 1990, \$782 million in "dual use" goods were sold. The Department of Commerce overruled Pentagon objections more than a dozen times, including the sale of precursor chemicals necessary for the production of nerve gas. On February 23rd, 1990 the Commerce Department allowed Internal Imaging Systems of California to ship computer re- and related equipment to Iraq designed for infra-red imaging enhancement. Electronic Associates of New Jersey sold \$449,000 worth of hybrid analog computer systems, the same system that the Pentagon uses at White Sands in New Mexico for wind tunnel experiments. This was shipped six months before the Pentagon found out about it.

Five days after the end of the Iran Iraq war the poison gas that had been used by the Iranians was turned on the Iraqi Kurdish minorities, killing and maiming thousands, including wildlife and livestock. Reagan through George Shultz called it abhorrent yet vigorously resisted Senate attempts to pass a trade ban. In his first days in office Bush doubled the amount of agricultural trade guarantees to about \$1 billion a year. The US worked against a UN Human Rights Commission resolution calling on Iraq to explain the use of poison gas.

In 1984 and 1985, the Export and Import Bank was pressured by the administration to make

\$35 million in short term loan guarantees to Iraq. The loans were not paid back on time and the bank stopped dealing with Saddam. Despite this, in 1987 the Reagan administration once again forced the bank to provide another \$135 million in short term credits.

Despite the fact that the State Department's annual human rights report concluded that the "political killings, torture and disappearances were routinely practiced by the Iraqi government," a US-Iraqi Business Forum was created under the auspices of a twenty year veteran of the Foreign Service. Its corporate membership includes AT&T, Bankers TRUST, General Motors, Occidental Petroleum, and Pepsi Cola International. Bell Helicopter Lockheed and United Technologies also joined. Lucrative contracts from Iraq were awarded to member companies whose fee to belong were used to lobby for the relaxing of the weapons export laws. By extracting money from the companies the organization did not have to register with the Justice Department and were able to appear as a private organization. Members were encouraged to expand their trade with Iraq with administration approval. Executives of Bell Helicopter, Amoco, General Motors, Caltex, Mobil Oil, and Xerox were able to meet personally with Saddam Hussein. A representative of Kissenger Associates offered to help Saddam reschedule debts. Despite witnesses to the contrary, Dr. Strangelove Kissenger denies the report.

President Bush has raged about recent Iraqi atrocities, but in 1989 after Amnesty International found the torture of children so pervasive that it issued an entire report about it. Extractions of finger nails,

beatings, whippings, sexual abuse, and electrical shock treatment were commonplace. Young girls were brutalized in ways that can hardly be repeated. One village was intimidated by having 29 of its children tortured and killed. George Bush said nothing for two years except to indicate an increasing trade with Iraq. Just as in the Iran-Contra scandal Reagan and Bush set up extra-Constitutional rule in its dealing with Iraq. The privatization of American foreign policy should now appear obvious to all; the deaths of hundreds of thousands has been its result.

This is a condensation of an article from the December 18th, 1991 New York Village Voice called "What We Gave Saddam."

Letter to Barbara Boxer  
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I know letters to folks like you are best kept short. I would however like a response from you specifically about the rather widespread understanding that heroin was shipped in the bodies of soldiers from Viet Nam. I have heard it from too many people. A common awareness of the truth of this might just alter people's impressions about what is becoming the military government of the United States. It's pretty dry tinder waiting for just that right spark.

Somewhere through the bloodshed, the maiming, the rape, the dismembered limbs, the eyeball gouging and vicious intimidation we must find a way of showing these men that they are destroying what they had hoped to create. Somewhere these people have forgotten what it is to be human. Meanwhile, the view from the provinces is one of a cowardly bully dominated male Congress and military trying to prove themselves and their flagging interest in life. The unspeakable atrocity of a known liar like George Bush leading this nation to war will undoubtedly rank him in future historians list of this century's great criminals of war.

Please therefore read my poem: "In the Cadaver of Our Neighbor's Son" on the floor of the US Congress. My friend Steve assures me that it has the cadence of a nursery rhyme and as such is perfectly suitable for the House of Representatives and the Senate.

Sincerely Yours,  
Kelly Ball

Do You Know "NAKED AGGRESSION" WHEN YOU SEE IT?  
a) Afghanistan b) Panama c) Kuwait



"Reordering time, boys—which one of ya's the next despot?"

"Now we're not throwing money  
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## Chernobyl a Hot Tourist Attraction

MOSCOW—Ukrainian authorities are offering Soviet and foreign tourists a new suggestion: a tour of the radioactive contamination zone around the Chernobyl reactor that blew up in April, 1986.

All trips will begin and end with Geiger counter tests for visitors' exposure to radiation. If treatment at a radiological medical center is needed, it will be provided "at no extra charge," the newspaper Komsomolskaya Pravda reported.

The itinerary planned by the Soviet tour company, Kievtourist, will include the city of Chernobyl, a radioactive waste dump at Kopachi and the concrete "sarcophagus" built around the reactor.

Official statistics say 31 people died when one of the four Chernobyl reactors exploded. But one Ukrainian investigator has said the actual toll was more than 500.

—Associated Press

Apart from the Northeast, California will take the biggest fall—but only because it rose so high, driven in part by speculative excesses such as those in real estate. "It will be at least five years before we'll need new office buildings in Los Angeles," says First Interstate's Jordan. He foresees vacancy rates for top-notch office buildings in the best locations there rising from 15% to 30% in two years. Home prices, which rose 17% in 1989, actually fell 5% in 1990; prices for expensive houses dropped as much as 25%.

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"Construction is down now," said Bing, 34, of Arroyo Grande, just south of San Luis Obispo. "It's going day-to-day, a job here, a job there."

Like a growing number of recession-weary Americans, Bing is hoping that financial salvation lies on the other side of the world—in newly freed Kuwait.

"I want to go right now," he proclaims. From builders to bankers to bulldozer makers, dreams of billion-dollar contracts to repair Kuwait have set the heart of capitalists aflame throughout the world. Recession-weary Americans increasingly fantasize of postwar Kuwait as a Shangri-La escape from hard times at home.

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**R**EBUILDING Kuwait's once thriving, Western-style capital of one million people and its immense oil drilling, refining, and petrochemical industry could spell years of prosperity for American engineering and construction firms. Says Richard Daerr, president of CRSS, a construction services company in Houston: "The Middle East building boom of the 1970s may never be repeated. But Kuwait at least reminds me of those days. It will be a major market in the 1990s."

Grateful to America, the Kuwaitis say they are reserving the bulk of the business for Americans. Companies from Britain, France, and other countries that sent troops also will get preference.

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## SO WHAT - ANOTHER OIL SPILL

by Delia Hitz

For those of us who despise the monsters of capitalism, the oil companies, last week's El Segundo oil spill, a relatively minor catastrophe, was just another stupid, greasy, smelly, rancid mess made by a bunch of greedy fascist morons whose guilt is total just by the mere fact of their industry's existence.

Is it truly anymore complicated than this: use of oil is ruining the earth through destruction of drilling habitat, oil spills during drilling, en route and unloading, toxic waste manufactured during refining of the oil and related products, the plastics, which just keep getting cranked out ad infinitum -- so anybody who would sell their labor, time, brainpower, personality et al to such a creepy enterprise is a coward, a snake, a mercenary, a liar, a moral mutant who can't even conceive of the evil they themselves create.

Oil companies and the Bush Administration deliberately prevent information and opinions opposing oil-based energy policies from reaching Congress and the public. The national energy strategy recently proposed "contains a whole set of policies specially crafted to cut the public out of the review process for energy projects"

(from "War in the Gulf: An Environmental Perspective," p. 16, paper published by the Political Ecology Action Group, (415) 861-5045).

A memo from the Forest Service was recently leaked that suggested that the environmental review process for drilling on public land be weakened, reducing the role of public comment and review (same source).

In 1991 this Administration is scheduled to make major decisions on national energy strategies. There's plenty of information documenting the utter criminality of this country's energy policy - and confirms the incestuous ties of the oil industry to the military economy. Guess who's the largest consumer of oil in the world? The U.S. Department of Defense. Guess who's the biggest polluter in the U.S.? The U.S. military - it produces about 500,000 tons of hazardous waste every year.

There is an alternate energy bill in Congress now: introduced by Senator Tim Wirth (D-Colo.), S471 will counter the Bush criminal regime's outrageous proposal. (Wirth also voted correctly not to support the Administration's policy of sending the troops to the Gulf.) Check out the energy bill in March 21st's

Congressional Record to see if it attacks the tax breaks, depletion allowances and subsidies for the oil industry. Find out from his office if the issue of privileges for oil is even being debated in Congress, or was JFK the last one to get serious about breaking the power of the oil monsters?

Call the Union of Concerned Scientists (617/547-5552) to find out about their alternative Energy Policy Platform. UCS worked on the Wirth bill. The National Resources Defense Council is now suing the Administration for supporting drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge and they have lots of information about the Department of the Interior breaking the law by presenting "partial truths" and other lies to Congress about how oil development would affect the ANWR (their testimony is in violation of the National Environmental Policy Act because they lied).

If we have another Republican Administration, we may as well kiss the earth good-bye and any hopes for economic justice. Absolutely the most important thing to do now is to get a President and Congress elected

who have the courage and decency to stand up those who would sacrifice all of us in the name of their filthy profits.

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### **DEVELOPERS STILL RUN L.A.!**

**IT'S TIME FOR A CHANGE!**

I HAVE OPPOSED: Playa Vista, the Hughes Center and Hughes Bluffs home developments, the sinkhole-plagued NORS sewer tunneling project, LAX Expansion, Channel Gateway and Marina Place.

I SUPPORT: the turning of Playa Vista into a regional park; preserving the trails on the bluffs; but most of all: LOCAL CONTROL! The City Council and mayor of Los Angeles have controlled our future for too long. I will implement cityhood if we cannot control our destiny.

MY OPPONENT, Ruth Galanter, now won't take a stand on Playa Vista. She supported the Hughes Bluffs, NORS and Channel Gateway projects. She supports massive water rationing, then votes yes on big projects in all corners of L.A. City that will further take OUR water supply from us.



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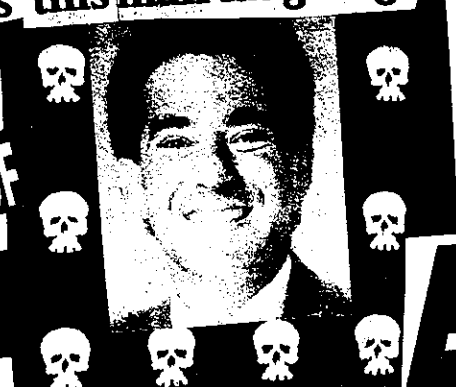
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