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GARRISON BRANDS U.S. AS FASCIST

IF ANY GOVERNMENT CAN GET AWAY WITH A LIE,
IT CAN GET AWAY WITH MURDER

James Garrison, New Orleans District Attorney, addressing a dinner for LA news broadcasters, said, "The name of the situation you have when a government is allowed to lie is fascism....That's what the whole Kennedy assassination is about....and the fraudulent concealment of what really happened. Some degree of fascism has arrived in our country."

Garrison told his audience that fascism is when the assassination of a president becomes acceptable within the government, when there is such a question as "what to do with the dissenters", and when the government is so strong that large publications are afraid to oppose it.

It is at this point that "truth becomes whatever the government wants believed and justice becomes whatever the government wants to happen. Have we reached that point?"

Garrison continued by comparing the appearance of fascism in Germany during the 1930s with the appearance of fascism in the US in November of 1963. Garrison noted

SUPPORT THE STRIKE

LA HUELGA!

The San Diegans for the Huelga at their next meeting are presenting Rev. Arthur Kent, who will show his slides of the farm workers strike efforts, the picketing at the farms, and some of the UFW facilities in Delano.

Kent, a member of the Migrant Farm Ministry, which is an interdenominational group that has strongly supported the farm workers since the early days of the strike, was also a participant in the historic Easter march on Sacramento.

Questions and discussion will follow the slides. Reports from project workers on the progress of the Christmas Food and Funds drive will also be given. Meeting time is 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 7, at Cardign Center Hall, 2422 Congress St., in Old Town. The public is invited.

UNIVERSITY COMPLICITY

The following excerpt is from the University Bulletin, UC of Oct. 9, 1967, entitled "Farm Training Program May Ease Labor Lack."

"A mutual aid program to ease California's farm labor shortage and upgrade agricultural methods in developing nations has been proposed by economist Elias H. Tuma of Davis in a recent publication of the UCD Institute of Governmental Affairs.

Dr. Tuma suggests bringing young people from developing countries to work and train on California farms, providing these countries with a core of experienced farmers necessary for increased productivity, and California with a standby farm labor resource.

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that in Germany, when the Reichstag building was burnt down--which turned out to be an act of the Nazis--a young German Communist was arrested and executed for the crime.

What the American government did in the case of the Kennedy assassination was to conceal and actually destroy evidence.

The first instance Garrison cited was Commander Hume's burning of his autopsy notes. Hume was later promoted. Another case of spontaneous combustion was when a CIA memo was being thermo-faxed the day after the assassination in Washington. The federal agent who interrogated Oswald burned his notes after the interview--yet he belonged to an agency whose policy it is to never burn notes.

Garrison mentioned that the more portable landmarks in the area of the grassy knoll at the assassination scene have been altered. Signs have been moved and shrubs have been transplanted.

Garrison spent several minutes before he went into greater detail explaining his personal political neutrality. He told how his more conservative friends could conceive of the assassination as nothing but a plot by the extreme left; and he told how his liberal friends could conceive of it only as rightist plot. "but," he remarked, "neither extreme has a monopoly on virtue, and--by the same token--neither has a monopoly on murder. It just happens to be a fact that in this case the President was murdered by militant members of the right wing."

The purpose of the Warren Commission, he felt, was to cover the fact that the murder was the work of the extreme right.

"If you look in Oswald's notebook, on the very first page, the first thing you

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SDS CUSTODIANS

It can't happen here

TEASPOON has received rumblings from a group of SDS custodians to the effect that something is rotten in the Maintenance Department.

In two letters addressed to the Eds., these custodians (who wish to remain anonymous) have outlined their grievances which have apparently been ignored by their union "representatives".

The Editors sincerely hope that by bringing the problem to the attention of the student body of this college, we will insure these men of enough public support so that they may come out and fight publicly without fear of reprisal from their "union".

The Editors would appreciate it if a representative of these custodians would contact them by letter and inform us of a time and place where we could meet and dis-

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Following are excerpts from H. Rap Brown's speech at the annual National Guardian meeting on October 27. (First of two parts)

I cannot talk about the Third World and the ghetto, for black people who comprise the ghetto are the Third World. You see, we make up the Third World. And we have to understand the revolution, and it is a revolution that America is about to undergo, before we can relate to the Third World internationally...Black people are saying we're not talking about equality, we're going to be free by any means necessary. A lot of White people who can be participants of the revolution, participants of the Third World if they would, became offended because they saw the doors being closed on liberals. Well, we don't need liberals, we need revolutionaries. We cannot afford to sit back and talk about politics in the form of legality, politics in the form of the '68 elections, that does not address itself to the problems of black people.

How can you choose between Johnson and Reagan? Camus raises a very good point. He says what better way to enslave a man than to give him the vote and call him free. Black people have never been free. We're still experiencing slave revolt and you have to understand that if you choose to be a revolutionary. You see, the movement is not merely a black movement, it is a movement of the dispossessed of America, Americans, poor whites, any dispossessed man. But we happen to be the vanguard of that movement because we are the most dispossessed....

We are not against all wars. We are in favor of wars of liberation. There is no justice in this country for black people. Justice is a joke...You see the power structure in America, the man, the police force, the governors serve the ruling class in America as does General Westmoreland in Vietnam. Now you have to understand the key role of black people. The liberation of oppressed people across the world depends upon the liberation of black people in this country....

It is not only Lyndon Johnson (he is only the most visible) but it's the ruling class of America that the fight must be fought against. You have to understand that Standard Oil, Chase Manhattan Bank is as much an enemy to oppressed people as is Lyndon Johnson. I have a bit of advice to the left. Don't get left. Because the revolution is going to go on with or without you.

We don't need sympathetic journalism, we need revolutionary journalism. You have to see yourself as being part of that revolution. If you can't see yourself as being John Brown then bring me the guns.

So your role is not in the black movement, it is not in the American Indian movement. If you're white your role is in Appalachia, your role is with the poor white people. We cannot talk about coalitions. We talk about alliances and we talk about alliances from the position of power. Now if you choose to align with black people it has to be from a position of power.

A new group is getting together, but so far has been denied on-campus status. The Committee for Orgasm Maintenance and Encouragement has sprung up, with the motto "An orgasm a day keeps the doctor away."

Frequent meetings are held, but are unplanned. Spontaneity is the rule. Some rumors have it that C.O.M.E. all began in the West Commons. Other stories give credit to a TEASPOON article last February about the Eternal Climax. Whatever the real inspiration, members contacted so far cite rebellion or reaction against certain other voices in our society as the driving force.

A particular target is the type of physician or counselor who says orgasms don't count. "Orgasms do count -- 1,2,3,4, ..." intoned the O.O.C. (official orgasm counter) when interviewed by this reporter. "We are breaking records every day," he said, matter-of-factly.

All these A.O.A. (anti-orgasm advisers) just mentioned, in their efforts to convince frigid wrecks that they are not missing anything, often cite statistics like "some women have only one orgasm during their lifetime." (No, not one long orgasm, just one orgasm). C.O.M.E. will crusade against such joy-killers.

No member of C.O.M.E. will discriminate for reasons of race, creed, color or sex. All are welcome, especially if you are alive and between the ages of 12-120, preferably human.

President and spokesman for C.O.M.E., Mr. P. Erectus, could not be reached for comment for 3 weeks, so we have no more details. When he was finally tracked down, under a rug in a tiny beach bedroom, all he would say was, "Our cause it is just. Members arise! Lovers unite! Come one! Come all!"

Now for all we know, with such obviously meaningless jabber, this whole thing is just a put-on. Or is it?

Anonymous

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CUSTODIANS (Cont. from Page 1, Col. 2)
cuss the issues which the custodians are concerned about.

The following is the first letter received on November 9th:

"Dear Sir:

Your TEASPOON ad states 1 & 3 column for \$2. Would you please print the following, if not connect the \$2 into something useful.

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 - a. no representation
2. 4 to 1 vote for night work.
 - a. person taking vote promoted and given a raise. (\$)
3. Don't shake the dust mop outside
 - a. Shake it inside, you will not dirty the streets.
4. Night Differential Pay
 - a. even the day man receives it.
5. Don't take sick leave--
--save it for Deer Season

If there is too much to print for \$2 print what you can--I'll read the paper & send more money for another column completing the list.

Thank you
SDS Custodians."

Next, is the last letter received on the 25th of November:

"Dear Sirs:

We've read your morning newspaper and we have somethings we'd sure like to see answers for. We've tried to get answers but the heads of the custodial depts. seem to either be too busy or cowardly to respond.

Why are all the custodians of my seniority stuck on the shifts their on. If a station on another shift opens up, a new custodian is hired for it, or sometimes even a custodian still on probation is placed on it. When we were hired a custodian was moved up by seniority. Today a man is picked for the job then bids are allowed.

What seems funny to us is that they do this after the man is already picked for the job. Seniority means nothing to anyone anymore.

Why are all the Service crew all newly hired men, when a man with seniority who has applied for these openings a great number of times is given a run around. It seems you have to know somebody higher up to get a chance for advancement. The only ones who do get any type of advancement are on service crews, and not one of the regular custodians have a small chance for the service crews.

I would really love to know just how much seniority is necessary before you are even considered for advancement. The way things sit now, if you put in for any other job or ask a question (and are not a close friend of someone in the office) your considered a trouble maker. You then are pushed down the ladder even further. To us this seems very much like bias on somebodys part. Maybe you can figure this out--we can't.

(signed) Puzzled Custodians

THE OPEN ABCESS

On November 17, a canvasser for the Peace & Freedom Party knocked on a door in Pacific Beach. He said to the opening door "Peace and Freedom." The man at the door held a gun, explaining, "Get your ass out of here." We are reminded of a third man in Nazi Germany a few decades ago who said, "When I hear the word 'culture', I reach for my revolver."

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Due to the large influx of hippies in Venice, California, city fathers formulated a twenty-point "public behavior code". One such regulation prohibits the wearing of bells in public--this constitutes playing a musical instrument in public without a permit.

One night, not long ago, two police stopped a hip looking girl. They went thru the public behavior code but couldn't find any violations.

About that time a little dog with a dragging leash came tooling along. One cop asked the girl if it was hers. It wasn't. So the cops explained that unattended dogs are against the law, cinched up their holsters, scooped up the dog, and went driving off with their sirens screaming and their red light blazing.

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Dr. Kenneth Wells, president of the Valley Forge Freedom Foundation, explained last week to 500 Ryan executives that communist subversives in the US are inducing "moral decay and anarchy". He told what a terrible threat Communists pose to American internal security. (It is interesting to note that FBI files list 8,000 Americans belonging to communist parties in the US, 1,500 of whom are FBI informers.)

There is an unsubstantiated rumor that after his talk, Dr. Wells presented a private showing of Freedom Foundation films featuring the late Senator Joseph McCarthy exposing homosexuals.

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Last Wednesday, while the TEASPOON was being run off on the mimeo machine at the Wesley Foundation, Diane Reed decided to put on a Jimi Hendrix record. Diane was unaware that the volume was turned on full blast and that the speaker was turned on to the main auditorium where Rev. Noel Phelen was standing, unsuspecting.

It just happened that Diane set the needle down on a part of the record where the spoken part, "Excuse me!" is.

The words resounded throughout the auditorium and Noel came running into the office shouting something about a divine revelation.

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TEASPOON staff cartoonist, Marv Humphrey, was standing in front of the new office on University Ave., shaking out a rug, when two old ladies drove by. They found Marv's broad shoulders more interesting than the red light in front of them. As a consequence they bloodied up an old man who was driving through the intersection at the time.

WARREN COMMISSION (Cont. from Page 1, Col. 2) see is General Edwin Walker's name & phone number," said Garrison. But by the time the name appeared in the Commission's report it was Volke and not Walker. This in no way meant that General Walker was involved, Garrison explained, but every time the evidence led in the direction of the militant right it was either destroyed or concealed.

Garrison spoke of a picture that was presumed by the Commission to have been in the hands of Oswald; at the time it was found it was clear and intact. It was of a car parked in front of General Walker's home. But if you look that picture up in the Warren report you will see where a large hole has been punched through the license plate number.

In some further cases, Garrison said he could not be sure the government was responsible. They were concerning the wierd rate at which key witnesses were dying.

Nancy Mooney was killed because she knew who was visiting Jack Ruby prior to the assassination. Hank Kellian was killed too, because he knew of the connection between Jack Ruby and Lee Oswald.

This connection is no longer disputable, Garrison added, declining any credit for establishing this fact. The relationship between Ruby and Oswald was very close for over a year before the assassination.

A further example of conscious concealment by the government concerns the autopsy photos; 22 color photos, 18 black and white photos, and 11 x-rays have been withheld for four years from non-federal investigators.

Garrison recalled that the burning question in every investigation of the assassination is from what direction did the shot or shots come. Garrison contends that the reason you cannot see the autopsy pictures is because they would show that the President was shot from the front as well as the back.

Virtually every witness heard the shot come from the grassy knoll area. One witness said he actually saw the second assassin behind the stone wall there. Yet not one of these witnesses were called to testify before the Warren Commission.

Likewise, no examination was made of the so-called assassination weapon to see if it had been fired that day. Garrison said the reason the rifle was not examined was because the government knew Oswald was not involved in the shooting. Oswald's prints were on neither the rifle nor the pistol that killed officer Tippett, although the Commission inferred that they were. Both weapons were wiped clean. This is very strange when one recalls that the pistol was taken directly from Oswald, leaving him no time to wipe the weapon off.

Another thing was that the nitrate tests performed on Oswald's hands revealed that he had not fired a weapon that day. The Warren Commission then rejected the nitrate test as inconclusive. This is interesting when one knows how many thousands of people are convicted of crimes in the US on the weight of this test alone.

An interesting tie with the right wing was in Jack Ruby's notes. Under the name

Tom Hill was the telephone number of the John Birch Society's Robert Welch. Records of telephone calls made by Ruby's brother in Detroit showed several calls made to the phone number of Welch's candy company prior to the Assassination. None of this was brought out in the Warren report.

"Again," said Garrison, "you are being fooled. Oswald did not fire a gun; he did not shoot anybody and the US Government has to know it. There cannot possibly be any question in their mind."

"Who is responsible," asked Garrison, "for the obstruction of the first honest investigation that this country has had into the assassination?"

"Who appointed the Warren Commission? Who caused the seven man commission to be composed of the former head of the CIA, Allen Dulles, the best friend the CIA has in the Senate, Richard Russell, the best friend the CIA has in the House, Gerald Ford, and the former head of the OSS out of which the CIA grew, John McCloy?"

"Who indeed?" concluded Garrison, "your friendly President--Lyndon Johnson."

U B I S U N T

Cold Grey winds undress the day,
The human sponsored movement begins again,
Seagulls soar and straighten claws,
Her absence my heart gnaws

For her no clinging moments linger,
Alas! The lad has a ring for her finger,
World esteems and security engender,
One man's princess slender lost to another
love vendor

Feelings past with naive trust unfathomed
Casts the foolish sould for chatting amusement
May love unaltered, (By her a bit maddened)
Still these things I write and feel the
unread sent

Quiet, wandering heart at last,
Why do you grieve of dead days past?
For what fair news do you await?
Your old, soft dreams are now his gate.

Clement Crawford

HELP! NEW OFFICE HELP!

The new TEASPOON office is empty and located at 3493 University Ave. Anyone having, and wishing to donate desks, chairs, coffee pots, coffee, rugs, knives, forks, spoons, bookcases, cement blocks, clocks, cups, doormats, toilet paper, paper towels, cleanser, benches, cash boxes, cash?, loose leaf folders, typewriters, file cabinets, and like that....please call 295-4925 and ask for Jon Gullledge (if a man answers, ask anyway) and he will set up a time for a TEASPOON representative to pick up whatever you might have.

The trainees would be recruited in numbers based partially on the expected labor shortages in California during peak harvest seasons, and would spend nine months to a year in the state. Consistent with legislation regulating foreign labor, they would work only if there was domestic labor shortage and would spend the remainder of the time in class room and on the job training.

The trainees would be paid for their work, suggests Tuma, with a portion of these earnings used to sustain them while here. Some financial assistance might be obtained from their home countries.

Tuma interviewed a number of farmers and farm experts and found them generally in favor of the program. Most California farmers, he says, expect labor shortages to continue for a number of years until there is a rise in the domestic work force or increased mechanization, or both."

It is interesting that Dr. Tuma did not interview any farm workers, labor union officials, or Dept. of Labor experts. Also we wonder who is going to foot the classroom expenses for the imported "students" when they aren't working. It will most likely be the California taxpayers and not the farmers who benefit the most from the arrangement.

With enough help from mechanization, "student" workers, illegals from Mexico, and refusal of farmers to negotiate with the UFW, the farmers may yet survive and phase out the American farm workers -- to the welfare roles that is!

Another article, "Rich Man, Poor Farmer", from the Oct. 17, 1967, issue of New Republic, illustrates another pressure affecting the labor situation. One could conclude that businessmen could operate a farm at a loss for tax reasons act as a depressant on farm prices thereby making it more difficult for those farmers who might

THE MAN DIES

The mind is an old mansion house,
He thought,
And men are indoor creatures,
Meant to bustle from compartment to compartment,
Happy as children are in the labyrinth,
Unwilling to be brought to surface.

The little boys run, screaming with laughter,
Through the rooms they know so well,
At impulse opening double doors in triple
Triplicate

On favorite passageways,
Pantries well stocked with the useful,
Chambers where time throngs
Like so many separate selves
One never lacks for company.

How long it must take to void a human skull.

--Rae Armantrout

offer decent wages and working conditions for the farm workers,

"The richer you are, the poorer you seem likely to be. This seems a valid conclusion from a study made by Angus McDonald, director of research for National Farmers Union. The study is a bit tongue-in-cheek, since Mr. McDonald's point is that a great many of the rich count farm losses deliberately, to cut down their income taxes. Farming has long been one of the more fashionable tax loopholes.

This practice deprives the government of revenue, throws heavier burdens on other taxpayers, and helps drive farm prices down so that family farm operators find it harder to make a living and stay in business.

Mr. McDonald has analyzed 1965 tax records with the following results:

Of the people with incomes greater than \$1 million yearly, 119 engaged in farming. But only 13 reported a farming profit. Of those who make from \$500,000 to \$1 million a year, 202 were in farming; 32 of these showed a net farm profit, while 170 did not."

If what Mr. McDonald states implies what we think it does, then it is the farm worker who really gets the short end of the stick. The only hope for the farm workers is the UFW. Support La Huelga!

ON EMOTIONS

by rogercbirosel

Pain and pleasure is the primal stream of consciousness (sense experience) of any living creature with a nervous system, i.e. performing action-reactions to these pain-pleasure experiences and memory capacity for potential direction of the latter for future experiences provide the mechanism for sophistication of a sense-experient's relation to the whole of which it is a part --nature. The fact of the physical consistency of nature, i.e. the sense-experient itself or the land on which it is treading does not undergo a transformation series--earth, water, fire, clouds, tree tops, etc. makes experience memories valid for coping with future experiences.

Man to date is the most sophisticated sense-experient. His communicative inventions were used not primarily physically mastering nature but mentally. This verbosity precipitated the sequence---mysticism, philosophy, ideology, organized ideologies (political, religious bodies, etc.) and science -- to control nature. Emotion is one outstanding result of this train of events. Emotion is a developed and later learned set of mental pain-pleasure experiences and appropriate physico-mental action reactions to physico-mental stimuli. These same emotions are transformed in verbal structures into values and value judgments. Nature which is amoral is transmuted by an (im)moral creature for (im)moral purposes. And the subsequent conflict of values ultimately translated into physical conflict is the singular profession of man. And he distinguishes himself from fauna by aspiring to be a human being?

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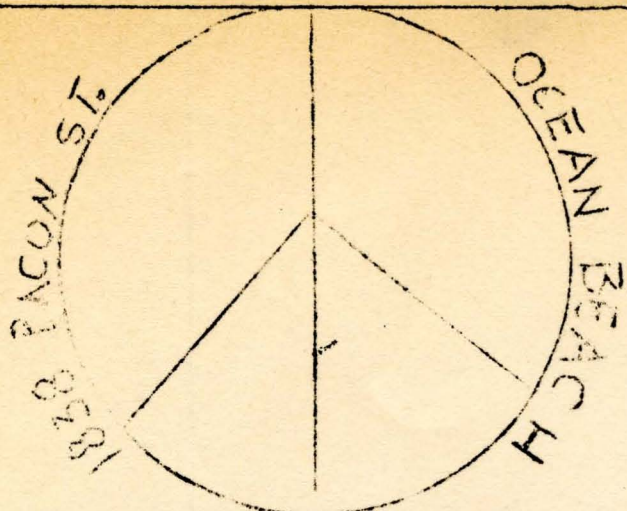
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