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CITIZENS NEWS

'Coits' and Cops

The president of a Russian River resort has been arrested and accused of allowing a group of San Francisco-based homosexuals known as the "Coits" to throw a wild vice party at his place early in October according to charges filed Oct. 21 by the District Attorney of Sonoma County.

The San Francisco Examiner alleges, "The Coits", a group of about 30 homosexuals use San Francisco's famed Coit Tower as their em-
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BIGGEST HALLOWEEN

From what appeared to be a dull, dreary Halloween two weeks ago, the San Francisco scene has changed to promise the greatest celebration yet. Not only is there to be a grand ball at the Sheraton Palace but another is announced for the Hilton Hotel.

The Hilton Hotel affair is being sponsored by the Tavern Guild of San Francisco and is being held in the Continental Ballroom of this newest of San Francisco hotels.

The Tavern Guild is a non-profit corporation formed to conduct various public service projects on behalf of the metropolitan community. Proceeds from the ball, after expenses will be used to further social action projects.

As in all other affairs of this night costumes are encouraged but are not an absolute necessity. At the Tavern Guild Annual Beaux Arts Ball masks will not be permitted. Costumes will be judged and prizes will be awarded. Well-known personalities will be on hand as hosts.

Tickets are available at all Tavern Guild establishments and through several organizations. Since the admission is a donation and the ball is not open to the general public there will be no tickets available at the door and no one will be admitted without a ticket, therefore advance purchase of tickets as soon as possible is advised.

The Tavern Guild Annual Beaux Arts Ball is not in any way connected with the Costume Ball being given at the Sheraton Palace as announced in the last issue of the CN. This affair is independently sponsored and has announced a total of \$4,500 in prizes, including two prizes of one thousand dollars each. One of these prizes is to be given to the best costume worn by an entry sponsored by one of the bars of this area; the other is being awarded to a winner out of the elimination between the Best Costume, Most Original Costume and the most beautiful costume. This is in addition to \$3,500 worth of other prizes including one of \$250 for the most impres-
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ECHO CONFERENCE

The major organizations concerned with the homosexual in the East Coast area met in Washington, D.C. on the 9, 10, and 11 of October to discuss "Civil Liberties and Social Rights". The meeting was held at the Sheraton Park Hotel, one of the most staid in that city of staid hotels.

According to the participants the conference was an outstanding success with an attendance beyond the expectations of the planners.

A telephone call was received at the conference from the Nazi Party and the Washington police sent a plain-clothesman. It was a novel experience for the officer who was hostile at first. Soon after he started listening to the array of attorneys, doctors, etc., he displayed an air of high interest in the proceedings.

The threat from the American Nazi party materialized in the form of one storm trooper (?). He entered the hall saying "I've got an emergency shipment for queers and kikes.", this seemingly appropriate for him since a

rabbi was on the religious panel. He carried an enormous card board carton with a red ribbon bow lettered, "Vaseline for fairies and Jews."

The conference passed a resolution commending LIFE Magazine for "Its courage in blazing a much-needed trail by printing an honest and objective feature-article on homosexuality in its June 26, 1964 issue reading, "The East Coast Homophile Organizations commend LIFE Magazine for its courage in printing a fair article on homosexuality, for being honest enough to approach the subject objectively, and for not indulgent in the half-truths, cliches and distortions usually inherent in articles on this topic."

"Through honest reporting and a respect for the facts, LIFE has performed a service to the nation, to the homophile movement and to the individual citizens of America."

ECHO also commended the Honorable John Dowdy of Texas as "The Public Official who has done the most for the
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sive entrance. The Sutter Club in Oakland is also having a big affair on this night with prizes being awarded in the contests and fun and favors all night long. The Sutter Club is the newest addition to the Oakland scene and has extremely lively crowds most of the time with immigrants from San Francisco making up half the business.

Then too, The Gilded Cage is having a contest with none other than Charles Pearce and Rio Dante alternately exceeding the affair.

The Chuckkers, run by that way out one, Carlos, is planning on opening their new and very large room to be called "The Headhunters Room" on Bitch's Christmas. Carlos and Chuck formerly operated the Headhunters on the Embarcadero.

Naturally most of the costumes will also be seen in some of the bars of the city with buses, chariots, sedan chairs, etc., etc., being used for transportation as in the days of the Black Cat.

Strait and Associates had previously announced the publication of a pictorial history of San Francisco from Halloween to Halloween 1964 but has abandoned the project and instead announces that 4

to 8 pages of the Citizens News in the first issue after Halloween will be devoted to pictures of the occasion. In the issue following that an equal number of pages will be devoted to pictures of Halloween all over the country.

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Homophile Movement in the Year 1964". The resolution read: "By bringing before Congress a bill, HR 5990, which was intended to limit the right of homophile organizations to raise funds, Representative Dowdy provided the homosexual community with the use of the Congress of the United States as a forum in which to plead its cause. He thereby provided the homophile movement with publicity to a degree which it could not have obtained under any other circumstances, thus eliciting the support of many individuals for the homophile cause and also spurring changes in the attitudes of many public officials.

"The East Coast Homophile Organizations, therefore, salute the Honorable John Dowdy for his endeavors, which have provided the homophile movement with a harvest of desirable results."

Un Chant d'Amour

UN CHANT D'AMOUR

San Francisco rarely feels the weight of the censors insensitive heel but the movie "Un Chant d'Amour" was confiscated on its first showing here. After due deliberation and viewing by every assistant DA and interested party in this city it was released and was shown three times at the Sheraton-Palace.

San Francisco Opposition and SLATE, an off-campus social action group at the University of California at Berkeley then secured the 34 minute movie by Jean Genet and offered it to the general public at Stiles Hall on the 16th of October.

It is easy to see why the censor felt that this movie was "beyond contemporary standards" as some of the intimate shots depicted masturbation as a part of prison life with four different and very clear depictions.

The story was of two men who were caught in a sex act and were jailed in adjoining cells in solitary confinement. The 'chant' was kept in time by the swinging of a garland being transferred between cells and by the swaying of the bodies.

At no time was a sex act depicted (except masturbation) but there was little to be left to the imagination.

so this reviewer there was only one scene that could be considered as appealing to the prurient interest and it was of two nude men in an apparent approach to the act. Other shots depicted heads on thighs and loins and the swelling of the phallus under the stimuli of the chant.

The film, was so full of symbolism that it was almost beyond comprehension. The showing of the jailer as a peek-freak until he decided which one of the prisoners was to go down on him ended in a 45 automatic symbolizing the penis.

When the police of San Francisco confiscated this film they found that the owner was well within his rights in that the film was not "totally without redeeming features." The story of sex in prison is one that sorely needs to be told.

We waited in line for two hours to see this film along with about 800 others. Some of these were turned away because time was not provided for all to see it. The crowd that waited was only lightly sprinkled with homosexuals. It was in fact about 50% female and predominately young.

Privacy

SEARCH

Judge Joseph G. Kennedy of the San Francisco Municipal Court spoke to the Fifth Annual Law Seminar Sunday Oct. 18 on "Search and Seizure as Related to the Invasion of the Rights of Privacy".

Judge Kennedy said that the nation's courts are attempting to achieve a balance between the rights of the group on the one hand and the rights of the individual on the other. And this "because the courts have developed a judicial awareness" of methods used by law enforcement authorities in combatting activities in these modern times especially "ultra candelastine activity such as drug addiction and homosexuality. The Judge said that while both of these must be considered as "morally depraved," they cannot be dealt with by using methods which "undermine the right of privacy."

Judge Kennedy emphasized that "it is more important that the rights of privacy be respected than it is to bring these criminals to justice."

"The concept of privacy is the basic emodiment of liberty-the right to be left alone. Any undue invasion of privacy tends to destroy the concepts of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. "To give law-enforcement officers the right of spying to uncover illegal activities or eavesdrop so they can discover some illegal plot..... is to put every citizen in the hands of every unscrupulous member of the citizenry be he authority or not," he admonished.

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When bars are operated in such a loose fashion, it is generally done to stimulate business and because it may seem to be such a camp. Often it is done because many operators and bartenders either simply don't care, or they are so naive' as to think that nothing will happen.

The worst features of such an operation are: 1) Such an operation outrages the public if they happen to see or hear of it, and if the police step in, it has a tendency to turn heat on all over and 2) It makes it difficult for the other bars to control their customers because of the bad examples created.

Now to the political angle, it would seem to me that Manly J. Bowler who is running for D.A. here most be completely nuts, because in my opinion he is committing political suicide. To all that I have heard, and which I most certainly encourage, everyone in the community is planning to vote for his opponent. If all of us get out and vote, it will be very simple to demonstrate that public officials will have to consider our group. Most of us here in L.A. feel that any change will be an improvement, and that certainly things can't get any worse.

The main thing that we must thoroly and completely understand, is that a political change is not carte blanche for wrongful behavior. Many persons feel that if the right people are in office we will then all be able to live completely and totally irresponsible and bohemian lives. If these Cretins, or at best, morally retarded persons would only realize that we not only do not deserve nor would we get complete sexual liberty, which it appears most of us want. NO ONE, homo or hetero will ever or should ever achieve this.

We must also get it into the heads of the community, that if California had a Model Penal Code such as Illinois now has, this is not an open door to free sexual conduct, and that lewd conduct, solicitation for a lewd act and 1001 other sex crimes under the Illinois Penal Code are indeed crimes and are punished as such.

We must ALL understand that our daily behavior must meet with the approval of the entire society, and that we must conduct ourselves in the bars and on the streets in the same way that we do at our jobs or any other place that we wish to be socially acceptable.

We must also recognize the fact that even if California did have a Penal Code even more liberal than that of Illinois, there are many people both in and out of the police departments that are sick and hate "queers" with a consuming passion, and that therefore our personal action and attitudes will have to be closely controlled.



—Engelhart in St. Louis Post-Dispatch
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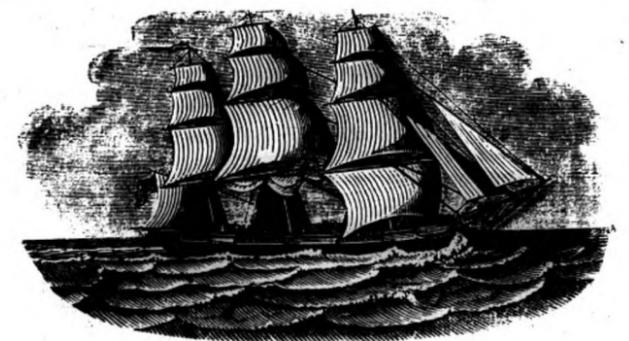
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lie is discovered. To the partner who carries the lie, is added a needless burden. To the partner who finds out, is added the burden of distrust which may take years to cast aside.

If you have a weakness for clothing, for a particular fattening food, with a credit card, for alcohol, for long distance phone calls or inviting people to dinner without notice - you had better explain that weakness from the very beginning. And then both partners begin working to correct it or learn to live with it.

There is the problem of being too honest about the conflicting points between personalities. No two people get along perfectly immediately nor will they get along perfectly ten years later. This natural friction can be kept to a minimum if you openly discuss annoying faults.

Above all, don't drive these annoyances to the back of the mind. There they fester and grow and suddenly burst out in a torrent, surprising your partner with the number of things you dislike about him. Singly, these can be dealt with and corrected. Together they form a barrier which can lead to the breakup of a friendship.

The foregoing discussion leads naturally into another point on the subject of honesty. Don't deceive yourself as to the truth about your new partner. In your rush to form a friendship and make it last, human nature again has a way of deceiving. You may blindly accept a person with far too many faults or if not too many, at least pretend you don't see the barriers which these present.

This frequently comes about when the physical attraction is upgraded over all else. If for example, a few common grounds do exist for the friendship, there can be distorted all out of proportion if the physical attraction is exceptional. You may find yourself giving in to every demand, until a point is reached when little is left of your own personality. The point then can be raised as to how attractive you remain - a man without challenge or character of his own.

There is the other extreme along this line which must be pointed out at the same time. The other person may turn out to be quite a bit less than what you had hoped for. Don't be too hasty about cutting off the friendship there. Frequently, a person's best characteristics are hidden and only come out with time and development of love. So often the fear of being hurt may cause a person to withdraw inside his own shell and only sincere love will loosen the shell

so that it may be discarded, revealing a very different and wonderful person.

One final question should be asked of yourself in the new partnership. This vital question comes usually just before a decision is made as to whether this friendship should now go into the stage of living together. IS THIS REALLY THE KIND OF PARTNER YOU WANT?

Many people will grab the first friend who seems likely to make a reasonable partner. This desperateness so often causes reasonable restraint to be tossed aside like a candy wrapper. "Better to have someone than to live the next six months alone" is the common excuse.

Unfortunately, the torment suffered in three of those six months can distort completely your ability to compromise and adjust to another friendship - perhaps the one that could be permanent. Three or four of these "quickie" friendships can harden your outlook to such a point that you let real opportunity pass by with nothing more than a "c'est la guerre."

In fact, the easy availability of quickie friendships may be the very reason for so few long lasting ones ever developing. At the first sign of conflict, the friendship is broken and you really have failed to learn one lesson about the truth of love and life. On the next time around, you are deceiving yourself if you think you are a veteran and can bring experience into the game. Rather you bring only a negative attitude as your contribution and the game begins with one stroke against you.

When answering the question of whether your new partner is really the type you want, think first of yourself. Selfish? Not at all. Ask yourself first - will he aid your development and growth? Can he help you become a better person through understanding yourself? Is he the type of person you would be proud to introduce to friends. Will he probably make life happier for you?

If you can answer yes to the above questions, then you will be an asset in his life as well, for you serve him and yourself best when you are happy. Thus you weren't being selfish but rather honest in the best way possible. He too will realize, all that remains in forming the perfect friendship is to have answered the same questions truthfully and came out with the same score of all "yes" answers. (Next week - Jealousy and the Partnership)

BIG PARTY IS AT THE SHERATON

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River Resort Accused Of Gambling, Vice Party

blem according to the Examiner.

The charges against the operator of the resort were based on observations and on photographs made by the officers of the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control and plainclothes agents of Sonoma County Sheriff's office on October 3rd.

According to a Sheriff's Sgt., up to 200 men were at the party, many dressed in women's clothing or scanty attire.

Also observed was illegal gambling and after-hours alcoholic consumption.

The Examiner alleges, "The resort, apparently the scene of several previous "Coits" parties, had been under sur-

veillance for some months.

"The club, which reportedly has its own constitution, by-laws and officers, has its own T-shirts, which are emblazoned with a print of Coit Tower. Several such T shirts were reported seen at the Oct. 3d party."

No arrests were made by any law enforcement officer during the progress of the party or afterwards, leading observers to believe that this action was one of retaliation or revenge. retaliation by the ABC for allowing alleged homosexuals to gather anywhere.

This action was directed by a recent appointee of Gov. Brown, our great civil rights leader.

Merry-Go-Round

Homosexuality In the Capital

Drew Pearson



THE BELIEF THAT A HOMOSEXUAL PER SE IS A POOR SECURITY RISK BELONGS IN THE SAME CATEGORY OF TALES AS THE ONE ABOUT THE STORK BRINGING BABIES.

AFTER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY OF SERVICE WITHOUT SECURITY LEAKAGE

It would appear to be a fact that Walter W. Jenkins has been found unfit to serve his country. Such persons as Richard M. Nixon have called him "sick." Representative William E. Miller seeking votes in San Bernardino has tried to give credence to the myth of blackmail saying, "anyone who is this type of person is a great subject for blackmail and the easiest sort of prey for any Communist agent."

Senator Goldwater has stayed strangely silent regarding the actual fact of the matter.

Or perhaps his silence has not been so strange after all. Perhaps Goldwater realizes that the rantings of his cohorts is a slap in the face to millions of Americans who would also be called 'sick' by Nixon are also voters and know that the myth that Miller is bringing to life is no less a myth because the subject happens to be a Democrat.

The newspapers of the country have been largely silent in their editorials. A survey of the major daily papers of the country reveals that only the Chicago Tribune cares to editorialize on the subject. The Chicago Tribune is about the most Republican paper in the country and is opposed to anything that any Democrat could do even if it thought that such a thing was right and proper. The Chicago Tribune says, "The case of Walter Jenkins involves issues of public morality, White House ethics, and official discretion." "It is established Russian tactics to seize every opportunity of homosexuality, drunkenness and loose character as means of blackmail to obtain secret information."

WITH CLOSED EYES AND EARS

Both Nixon, Miller, and the Chicago Tribune know that what they are saying is pure, simple, unadulterated hogwash. May we consider the record of those who have defected to the Russian cause and try to find how many of them were homosexuals? So far as the record permits us to know there have been only three. But to the contrary how many fit in the pattern of deceit as outlined by the Chicago Tribune? Damn few. Most of the persons who have been involved in spying, security disclosures, etc., have done so for purely monetary gains and not at all thru blackmail. Look up the record of Julius and Ethyl Rosenberg and try to find deviation, drunkenness or loose living. Quite to the contrary they were indeed very moral people.

ONE CASE OF BLACKMAIL

Drew Pearson has disclosed one of the very few cases of blackmail every to come to light regarding homosexuality in high places. Please note that the blackmail was perpetrated by two Republicans then in Congress and not by Communist agents attempting to subvert an honest American. We must note that this blackmail was performed by two highly moral men, 'protecting America'. Good old honest Mr. Pearson does not give the name of the other person in the administration of Mr. Eisenhower. Strangely silent for Mr. Pearson.

THE STORY of homosexuality in Washington is completely bipartisan and has no respect for people in high places. In the early war years, a cabinet member was framed in an old, unoccupied building immediately opposite Lafayette Park and the White House by an ex-convict, who had a confederate surprise them in the act and then extorted \$50,000 of blackmail from the cabinet member.

In the early days of the Eisenhower Administration, Ike was informed that his closest assistant had homosexual problems and could not pass a security test.

The assistant was bright, intelligent, a great asset to Mr. Eisenhower because of his intimate knowledge of Washington. Furthermore, he had been assistant to his father, a Senator who had access to all State Department diplomatic and security secrets. The son had access to them also.

He was scheduled to become No. 1 assistant to the new President; but at the very last minute someone went through his security file and he was eased out. Washington.

THERE was also the tragic case of Senator Lester Hunt (Dem-Wyo.), who

shot himself when his son was arrested on a morals charge by Washington police.

I broke the unfortunate story and am familiar with how Hunt was threatened by two Republican Senators, the late Styles Bridges of New Hampshire and the late Herman Welker of Idaho, that they would reveal the facts regarding young Hunt unless the Senator, a popular Democrat, agreed not to run for re-election.

Senator Hunt, upset over the browbeating by his two Republican colleagues and distressed over his son's predicament, committed suicide.

WHATEVER led Walter Jenkins to go over to the YMCA, just two blocks from the White House, at 8:30 o'clock on the night of October 7, no one may ever know. But what is known is that if he had chosen to contest the arrest he would have been acquitted, for the arrest, as now admitted by the police, was based on conversation heard from over a transom in the basement of the YMCA.

Contesting these cases obviously is more embarrassing than forfeiting collateral, and Jenkins chose the latter alternative. He has six children.

JENKINS HAD TO GO

There is no doubt in anyone's mind but what Mr. Jenkins became a liability to Johnson and with Goldwater, Miller and Nixon insulting millions of Americans with their stupidity Mr. Johnson is fast turning this incident into an asset. This might possibly be wrongly stated, because Mr. Johnson appears to be doing nothing.

SEX LIFE IN PUBLIC

Mr. Lyndon Johnson has known Jenkins over a period of years and has found him to be reliable, honest, and a man of loyalty. This naturally has nothing to do with his sexual proclivities. Most people will agree that Mr. Jenkins was not a very intelligent man in his sex life. Almost all will say that he might deserve what he got. Not for his sexual desires but for his method of expressing those desires. Transferring this from the field of morality to the field of intelligence it would be necessary to replace Mr. Jenkins. Anyone who takes their sex life into public with them can expect to suffer the consequences. Even the homosexuals who cruise the toilets know that this is a dangerous game.

TAKE THE BLACKMAIL ANGLE

Mr. Jenkins was highly subject to blackmail or coercion on a number of counts having nothing to do with homosexuality. Of course the easiest way to get to Mr. Jenkins would be thru his children. What would have been the reaction of this man to a threat against his children? Would he have given in to threats regarding disclosure of his dealings with Bobby Baker? Would he have given secrets in exchange for silence regarding the TV advertising on insurance? What a tempest in a teapot over homosexuality! The Citizens News questioned 100 persons on the streets of San Francisco regarding Mr. Jenkins plight asking if the finding of a homosexual among Mr. Johnson's aides would effect

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their vote. Below are the results:

Would effect their vote-----21
Would not effect their vote-----56
Made no difference-----23

Of those whose vote would be effected the below is how it would effect their vote:

Changed from Johnson to Goldwater----- 1
Changed from Goldwater to Johnson-----20

SILVER LINING

The disclosure of homosexuality in the White House via Jenkins is not without a silver lining. This has brought to the unknowing American a number of facets that seem to escape the attention of most of them. Mr. Jenkins has shattered the stereotype of the homosexual, but then it is necessary to defend Mr. Jenkins in that he is obviously not a homosexual, he is nothing more or less than sexual. He is one of the majority of American males who have in their adult life sought out the sexual companionship of the same sex. We have heard time and time again how the sex deviates seek out the youngsters. This time it was a man in his 60s that was the target. We have heard that homosexuals do not have the ability to concentrate and hold down responsible positions. Mr. Jenkins has shattered this. We have heard that sex deviates are men of violence and of low and morbid intelligence. Mr. Jenkins was undoubtedly stupid in his search for a sex companion, but it is evident that he was not of low intelligence. It can undoubtedly be said without fear that Mr. Jenkins has brought the issue of sex deviation to the front to such a degree that no one can afford to ignore it and this provides the silver lining to the cloud of ignorance that surrounds Washington, Sacramento and the other capitols of the United States.

JENKINS WAS A FOOL

FINALLY SOMETHING THAT IS NOT BLAMED ON THE HOMOSEXUALS

THE WARREN REPORT

"The Commission has investigated rumors that Jack Ruby and Lee Harvey Oswald were both homosexuals and, thus might have known each other in that respect. However, no evidence has been uncovered to support the rumors, the closest acquaintances of both men emphatically deny them, and Ruby's nightclubs were not known to have been frequented by homosexuals." The Report of the Warren Commission of the Assassination of President Kennedy, Bantam Books, Page 338.

Further investigation, not in the realm of the Warren Commission, would probably bear out the fact that all of the principles of the tragic episode were strongly anti-homosexuals.

The following we know to be the truth:
The major blame for the possibility of such assassination is laid to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

POLITICAL OPINIONS

(The below is not calculated to win friends and increase subscriptions. It would be prudent to refrain from any endorsement of any candidate or any thoughts other than those usually voiced by the majority. However, it is not in the nature of the editor to be prudent. If he were prudent he would not be publishing this paper.)

GOLDWATER OR JOHNSON

The editor considers Mr. Goldwater to be an honest, sincere man. Many of the programs of Mr. Goldwater have high appeal to a man who is tired of bureaucracy, interference in personal life and the continued growth of strong governmental influences.

The editor has had the pleasure of voting against Johnson for several years. It was this influence that forced many Texans to vote for Mr. Nixon. I do not consider Johnson to be either an honest nor a sincere man.

YET, my vote must be for Mr. Johnson because:

1. Altho Mr. Goldwater has consistently spoken of doing away with bureaucracy he has, at the same time, spoken of morality. Whose morality? The morality of the First Baptist Church of Dallas where sex is still a dirty word? The morality of Mr. Nixon who said that "all misfits must be driven from California?" The morality of Mr. Miller who says sex deviates are sick? On the question of morality I must vote for Mr. Johnson.

2. With Mr. Johnson we oftentimes wonder where our mail is from time to time. It only takes 7 days for a parcel post package to get from San Francisco to Los Angeles. The post office is at its lowest ebb of efficiency but we do not worry too much about wholesale stop-checks to see if we are complying with Big Brother's idea of obscenity. Now Jenkins has come into the picture and the man who is scheduled to be the postmaster general under Goldwater is making such a to-do about it that you would think he may be a latent homosexual himself. Even if it takes a week to get mail from Los Angeles I will have to forego the rare experience of Mr. Goldwater's postmaster general.

But to the contrary it is unfair to attribute to Mr. G all the things that have been heaped on his shoulders. He is called a war-monger, a John Bircher, a super-patroit, a fool, and about every other thing that can be imagined. It cannot be true. Altho the editor will vote for Johnson, we strongly urge that all readers examine the real issues, forgetting the fatuous rantings and ravings of the opposition and cast a vote with real issues in mind.

MURPHY OR SALINGER

Mr. Murphy has nothing to commend him for the office of United States Senator. So far as we can see at least Mr. Salinger does know what the game is and almost what the score is. We do know that Mr. Salinger can be approached with problems without going thru channels. The issue of being a 'carpetbagger' seems to be overplayed. We did not worry too much about this when we elected Mr. Shelly mayor of San Francisco who then had to locate living quarters when he won. Mr. Salinger again, knows what the score is and the problems of all the players.

STATE PROPOSITIONS

California is blessed with a legislative device called the initiative. With this device interested persons can circulate petitions for legislation and if about 500,000 people sign these petitions a bill is put before the electorate for them to decide whether this is what they want or not. In many states this is not necessary because issues are brought out in the open and sincerely discussed. In California we have gutless wonders sitting in our legislature and about the only way that interest can be generated is thru the use of the initiative.

Bless the little pin-headed recent legislature, the citizens of the state of California are allowed to decide of two issues whether they prefer the frying pan or the fire. These two issues are contained in Proposition 14 and Proposition 17.

PROPOSITIONS AND PROPOSED LAWS

Proposition 1: Provides for additional cash to buy and develop lands for state parks. The editor will vote NO because this is identical with an issue almost identical that was defeated last year. Thousands of acres of land have been previously acquired for parks and money voted for their improvement but improvements have not been made. This administration has made enough boodle on this. Leave some for the next administration.

Proposition 2: Name your own poison.

Proposition 3: This is a low figure for elementary and secondary schools. The editor will vote YES.

Proposition 4: This would limit claims for veterans benefits. As a veteran that would be denied these benefits the editor will still vote yes.

Proposition 5: This would increase the amount of tax exemption granted to widows of veterans. Veterans are not entitled to any further benefits. The editor, a veteran, will vote NO.

Proposition 6: Concerns insurance companies from out of state. Name your own poison.

Proposition 7: Concerns giving the legislature to invest the funds of quasi governmental agencies. I do not trust the legislature of California with 2c. The editor will vote NO.

Proposition 8: Removes the names of certain judges from the ballot if unopposed and they are elected per se. The type of judges that compose the judicial bench of California should be subjected to question regardless of whether they are opposed or not. The editor will vote NO.

Proposition 9: Technical matter-vote YES

Proposition 10: Provides for ear-marking of certain funds for schools. The editor will vote no on the basis that no funds should be ear-marked.

Proposition 11: A technical matter, vote yes.

Proposition 12: Provides for tax relief in areas that are declared as disaster areas by the Governor. The argument that says that collective disaster is greater than individual disaster does not merit acceptance. The editor will not support this measure, and will vote NO.

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- Would effect their vote-----21
- Would not effect their vote-----56
- Made no difference-----23

Of those whose vote would be effected the below is how it would effect their vote:

- Changed from Johnson to Goldwater----- 1
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SILVER LINING

The disclosure of homosexuality in the White House via Jenkins is not without a silver lining. This has brought to the unknowing American a number of facets that seem to escape the attention of most of them. Mr. Jenkins has shattered the stereotype of the homosexual, but then it is necessary to defend Mr. Jenkins in that he is obviously not a homosexual, he is nothing more or less than sexual. He is one of the majority of American males who have in their adult life sought out the sexual companionship of the same sex. We have heard time and time again how the sex deviates seek out the youngsters. This time it was a man in his 60s that was the target. We have heard that homosexuals do not have the ability to concentrate and hold down responsible positions. Mr. Jenkins has shattered this. We have heard that sex deviates are men of violence and of low and morbid intelligence. Mr. Jenkins was undoubtedly stupid in his search for a sex companion, but it is evident that he was not of low intelligence. It can undoubtedly be said without fear that Mr. Jenkins has brought the issue of sex deviation to the front to such a degree that no one can afford to ignore it and this provides the silver lining to the cloud of ignorance that surrounds Washington, Sacramento and the other capitols of the United States.

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FINALLY SOMETHING THAT IS NOT BLAMED ON THE HOMOSEXUALS

THE WARREN REPORT

"The Commission has investigated rumors that Jack Ruby and Lee Harvey Oswald were both homosexuals and, thus might have known each other in that respect. Nowever, no evidence has been uncovered to support the rumors, the closest acquaintances of both men emphatically deny them, and Ruby's nightclubs were not known to have been frequented by homosexuals." The Report of the Warren Commission of the Assassination of President Kennedy, Bantam Books, Page 338.

Further investigation, not in the realm of the Warren Commission, would probably bear out the fact that all of the principles of the tragic episode were strongly anti-homosexuals.

The following we know to be the truth:
The major blame for the possibility of such assassination is laid to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

POLITICAL OPINIONS

(The below is not calculated to win friends and increase subscriptions. It would be prudent to refrain from any endorsement of any candidate or any thoughts other than those usually voiced by the majority. However, it is not in the nature of the editor to be prudent. If he were prudent he would not be publishing this paper.)

GOLDWATER OR JOHNSON

The editor considers Mr. Goldwater to be an honest, sincere man. Many of the programs of Mr. Goldwater have high appeal to a man who is tired of bureaucracy, interference in personal life and the continued growth of strong governmental influences.

The editor has had the pleasure of voting against Johnson for several years. It was this influence that forced many Texans to vote for Mr. Nixon. I do not consider Johnson to be either an honest nor a sincere man.

YET, my vote must be for Mr. Johnson because:

1. Altho Mr. Goldwater has consistently spoken of doing away with bureaucracy he has, at the same time, spoken of morality. Whose morality? The morality of the First Baptist Church of Dallas where sex is still a dirty word? The morality of Mr. Nixon who said that "all misfits must be driven from California?" The morality of Mr. Miller who says sex deviates are sick? On the question of morality I must vote for Mr. Johnson.

2. With Mr. Johnson, we oftimes wonder where our mail is from time to time. It only takes 7 days for a parcel post package to get from San Francisco to Los Angeles. The post office is at its lowest ebb of efficiency but we do not worry too much about wholesale stop-checks to see if we are complying with Big Brother's idea of obscenity. Now Jenkins has come into the picture and the man who is scheduled to be the postmaster general under Goldwater is making such a to-do about it that you would think he may be a latent homosexual himself. Even if it takes a week to get mail from Los Angeles I will have to forego the rare experience of Mr. Goldwater's postmaster general.

But to the contrary it is unfair to attribute to Mr. G all the things that have been heaped on his shoulders. He is called a war-monger, a John Bircher, a super-patroit, a fool, and about every other thing that can be imagined. It cannot be true. Altho the editor will vote for Johnson, we strongly urge that all readers examine the real issues, forgetting the fatuous rantings and ravings of the opposition and cast a vote with real issues in mind.

MURPHY OR SALINGER

Mr. Murphy has nothing to commend him for the office of United States Senator. So far as we can see at least Mr. Salinger does know what the game is and almost what the score is. We do know that Mr. Salinger can be approached with problems without going thru channels. The issue of being a 'carpetbagger' seems to be overplayed. We did not worry too much about this when we elected Mr. Shelly mayor of San Francisco who then had to locate living quarters when he won. Mr. Salinger again, knows what the score is and the problems of all the players.

STATE PROPOSITIONS

California is blessed with a legislative device called the initiative. With this device interested persons can circulate petitions for legislation and if about 500,000 people sign these petitions a bill is put before the electorate for them to decide whether this is what they want or not. In many states this is not necessary because issues are brought out in the open and sincerely discussed. In California we have gutless wonders sitting in our legislature and about the only way that interest can be generated is thru the use of the initiative.

Bless the little pin-headed recent legislature, the citizens of the state of California are allowed to decide of two issues whether they prefer the frying pan or the fire. These two issues are contained in Proposition 14 and Proposition 17.

PROPOSITIONS AND PROPOSED LAWS

Proposition 1: Provides for additional cash to buy and develop lands for state parks. The editor will vote NO because this is identical with an issue almost identical that was defeated last year. Thousands of acres of land have been previously acquired for parks and money voted for their improvement but improvements have not been made. This administration has made enough boodle on this. Leave some for the next administration

Proposition 2: Name your own poison.

Proposition 3: This is a low figure for elementary and secondary schools. The editor will vote YES.

Proposition 4: This would limit claims for veterans benefits. As a veteran that would be denied these benefits the editor will still vote yes.

Proposition 5: This would increase the amount of tax exemption granted to widows of veterans. Veterans are not entitled to any further benefits. The editor, a veteran, will vote NO.

Proposition 6: Concerns insurance companies from out of state. Name your own poison.

Proposition 7: Concerns giving the legislature to invest the funds of quasi governmental agencies. I do not trust the legislature of California with 2c. The editor will vote NO.

Proposition 8: Removes the names of certain judges from the ballot if unopposed and they are elected per se. The type of judges that compose the judicial bench of California should be subjected to question regardless of whether they are opposed or not. The editor will vote NO.

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ADVICE FROM LOS ANGELES

(Editors Note: The following letter is written to the CN by a bar operator who has had a varied experience over the years and lays the cards on the table. He is not slamming another bar when he says that some operators just don't give a damn about their customers and will allow them to place themselves in jeopardy. We bring to mind the "Ensign Club" of years back in San Francisco where 30 full beers might be on the bar (without a single customer in sight. They were all downstairs in the T Room. The owner was not at all disturbed when the PD cleaned out the whole crowd because there would be a new batch along within the hour. The writer of this letter has been active in the political field and knows whereof he speaks in this category.)

LETTER FROM LA

"First of all, to correct the rumor that you have heard NO bar has had 68 arrests made in or around it since the opening for business, and this includes any bar or bars that have been open for five years or more.

The truth of this report is that 8 persons were arrested on a single premises in a period of 4 days. Of these 8, one was arrested for common drunk and 6 for lewd conduct. However, I might point out that there is a very strong possibility that a total of 68 arrests have been made in an aggregate number of bars in a weeks time, since the police frequently take 3 and 4 persons at a time out of the bar they happen to be persecuting at the time.

I must, in all honesty state here that although there is indeed a tremendous heat wave here that is unparalleled in my experience, that MOST of the persons who have been arrested have, by their actions, contributed strongly to their arrest. It seems that these people will never realize that what is accepted heterosexual affection is not acceptable or tolerated by the PD in gay bars. As a point in fact, just last night I was forced to 86 (Ed. Note.: To '86' is to throw out and off-times to ban a person from the premises.) a person for kissing another customer

(which is an extreme by not unusual case), and in the past several weeks have observed customers in other bars being too friendly with their hands. Now, I ask you, in view of all the heat and the attendant publicity, wouldn't and shouldn't any responsible, thinking adult know better?

While I most heartily am in accord with your belief that the police make many frivolous if not downright false arrests, and that they will bend over backwards to do so, I must also state that in all my eleven years of experience in this field, at least 90% of the persons who have been arrested in bars have contributed very strongly to their own arrest. More often this is simply a failure to recognize the most basic rules of common decency, self-respect and of pride, not to mention a total disregard for the license, investment or safety of the premises on which they have been arrested.

Therefore, do we not only have to educate the law enforcement agency and legislative bodies, we have got to knock some sense into our ridiculous, irresponsible and disgusting compatriots. While these foregoing invectives are used advisedly, I do not by any means imply that they apply to the community as a whole, but rather to the 90% of them that talk and act themselves into an arrest.

Another stage of education for our cause might well be the education for bar owners and bartenders, since I have also, on many occasions seen bars operated in the most loose fashion, allowing practically everything except actual intercourse. (As a matter of fact, I have heard even of this, but don't know first-hand.)

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Below are the arrest statistics for the period Sept. 30 to October 15 in San Francisco. The dates listed are the dates for initial appearance in court, therefore September 30 period would run from 6AM Sept 29 to 6 AM Sept. 30.

The crimes in question are briefly as follows:
 Sec. 286 Penal Code-Anal intercourse
 Sec. 288a Penal Code-Oral intercourse
 Sec. 647a Lewd Acts
 Sec. 647b Prostitution (figures include only male prostitution).
 Sec. 647c Loitering in Public Toilet
 Sec. 647e Failure to produce identification when wandering from place to place
 Sec. 650½ "Conduct unbecoming a civilian."

The following statistics are public record and are published for the purpose of quieting rumors.

	Sept 30	Oct 1	Oct 2	Oct 5	Oct 6	Oct 7	Oct 8	Oct 9	Oct 13	Oct 14	Oct 15
286											
288a								2			1
647a	2	3							2	1	1
647b			1	1							1
647c					1					1	
647e		2	1	3	1		1	1			1
650½		1	2	1					2	1	1
Tot.	2	6	6	5	2		1	3	6	3	7
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THE HOMOSEXUAL ETHIC AND LIVING WITH YOUR FELLOW MAN

Part 2-Deceit and the Partnership

There is a moment of truth at the beginning of a partnership which determines the whole future course of that relationship. How successful you are in building the partnership so that it will both last and be beneficial, hinges on the honesty you display during that initial meeting.

Within the first minutes to even hours of a new friendship, the average person attempts to show his best features. He naturally doesn't want to display his faults lest this kill the friendship in its earliest stage. But when a person goes beyond his real character and presents an imitation, then there is trouble.

All too many persons present an imitation of the real self for others to see and look at. For the average public, this seldom presents any problem. They are not interested in the character below the surface. In fact, today's world almost demands that you present no more than a facade to those around you or to fellow employees at your work.

If you present this facade to a potential partner, however, you will undoubtedly end up with months, even years of explaining it away. The suspicion left may never completely disappear and rather remain like the ghost who lurks in everyone's closet.

No single factor is more important when forming a relationship than this one. It determines the design, governs the building and gives the shape to the friendship for as long as it lasts.

As an example, suppose that when you meet someone, you are aggressive, orderly, cooperative, happy and very much in command of your destiny. Fine. This is exactly what the other person is looking for in a friend, may even need. But underneath, you are anything but this. You fail to provide the leadership that your partner wants and needs, you fail to provide the help and advice. You really think mostly about yourself and desires - from entertainment to eating. You presented your friend with one person and then suddenly, a few weeks later, let him meet the other real self.

Or you like a life full of entertainment, eating at the best places - a fast life. Within a few weeks, your new friend realizes that you can't afford this, you may not even fit into his group because you lack the cultural background and education. Why pretend? You are going to lose a potential friend shortly and shatter that dream of moving in all the "right" circles. There are many ways of rising above your present situation, easily too, but this isn't one of them. You've just deceived yourself and a friend as well.

Or you present a picture of the individual who has a common clerical job but has great plans for the future. You are seething with all sorts of creative urges, the artist in you seems almost ready to burst out. You are going to begin learning a profession and make something of your life - with the help of a new friend.

After a few weeks, you show that you lack any real drive and your artistic urges go as far as painting the kitchen

red and green and you know little and care less about art. The strength of the man is shown in doing, not the talking. Be honest. Would you not have been better off to profess an interest in those things but admit you need training and help.

Admittedly, it is impossible to live a completely honest life. Diogenes supposedly spent a lifetime wandering about the earth with his lantern, looking for and failing to find an honest man. No one expects either to find such a person.

If you can begin your new friendship however, by presenting as honest a portrayal of your self as possible, you have cleared a hurdle. You need never regret what you are for that is the person you have presented, for better or for worse. And you bein there to improve it it is necessary, not at some higher point from which you will fall back in confusion and turmoil.

There is another kind of deceit which occurs once you have agreed on a union. This is the failure to be honest on a day to day basis even if that honesty sometimes throws your friendship into great jeopardy.

Lies begat lies. Lies bring suspicion and with suspicion, you begin to doubt and distrust each other. In a relationship, there are so many problems to overcome - from merely making a living to the burden of living in a society which does not approve - that you can't add distrust between each other. There is no room for this element in your life.

Distrust often arises from foolishly planned objectives. The most apparent is fidelity. For two people to swear fidelity after years of promiscuity, is asking for trouble. It can be achieved with work but not within one single day. Thus when the weaker partner breaks the vow, he is forced to tell a lie to cover his tracks and sooner or later that

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One of the cardinal principles that activates the Citizens News is the right of a man to operate a business or to conduct his life as he sees fit. This will always be a guiding principle for this newspaper.

Therefore we can find no fault with those bars who removed the last issue of the Citizens News from their establishments. And we trust they will also grant us the right to accept advertisements from whomever we choose even if they are in competition to some of the plans of one or many of the bars of this city.

(The case in point was the removal of the Citizens News from the racks because they carried a story plus an advertisement for the Costume Party to be held at the Sheraton-Palace and not for the Tavern Guild which plans had not yet been finalized at the time of the publishing of the News.)

We would ask that our supporters also respect the men who felt it better that the paper be removed. We would ask our readers who had previously patronized these establishments to continue to do so. We feel that they are good places to go. Had we not felt this way we would not have accepted their patronage ourselves.

Our only regret is that the readers who customarily picked up the CN at these establishments were deprived of information that could save them years of heart-ache over arrest matters.

Again the right of a man to operate his business as he sees fit is paramount-whether this business be a gay bar, an after-hours coffee shop-or a newspaper.

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ROVING REPORT

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Let it be understood right now that we want no more approbation heaped on the heads of the hair fairies for after waiting in line for two hours across the street from the University of California at Berkeley let it be known all over the country that this is merely the "collegiate type." Either that or the old style collegiate has gone hair fairy.

Undoubtedly you read the joke in Charles Denton's Examiner column: Like for instance when the guy went to register at a hotel and gave his business address as the White House executive offices, the desk clerk cracked, "What's the matter? They throw you out of the YMCA?"

Over at the new Blighs Bounty the truth of the old saying was realized. Just chase them from one place to another. The Bounty is not quite finished in its decor with still more additions to add to the comfort of the patrons. Suggestions about changing that unshaded bulb in the backroom have been rejected. Timmy the owner is the guy you see being so busy with a million things to do. Introduce yourself he would like to know you.

If you happen to be going down Stockton Street close to Market be sure to allow a few minutes to stop in at the Card and Candle Gallery. John and Michel have a collection of Christmas Cards and little oddities (and we do mean oddities) that may be of interest. One of the most clever booklets of the season is entitled, "My Son The Daughter." So apt for the season.

Bill Riquy is back in the City after cruising back and forth across the continent and enjoying some of the big

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spread on LIFE magazine. Saw Momi Starr catching a bus the other day after a long days night at the place they call The Bridgeway or some such in Saucylyto. And speaking of that fair city there is talk about importing Jenkins so they can keep their title in Sausalito. What title you say? Let it suffice to say that during the days of WWII that town was put off limits to all service men. The whole damn town. Now of course they are merely eccentrics and won't even vote for the finest madam that ever operated a den of ill repute for mayor or even for city council. For shame!!!

Since Herb Gaen stopped his snide remarks concerning the gay element the circulation of the Chronicle has slumped. Watch for some new real corkers. You know, the older they get the bitchier they get and Herb is almost as old as this tired editor. The tickets to the Tavern Guild Ball read til 4 AM but they tell me that it will be over at 2 AM instead.

Blighs Bounty is starting something a little new for San Francisco - A Royal Fizz Hour with the fizzes going for four-bits starting at 9 PM on Saturday and Sunday and continuing way on into the night.

S.I.R. had a real nice meeting the other night. We went down Redwood City way to see Colonel Norman Fitzgerald. Sorry we have to say that the Hula Shack is getting along quite well without him. And he is apparently getting along well without the Hula Shack for he is looking better than he has in years. Ron is running the Shack while Norman is hospitalized. This is likely to be for some time so books, physique shots and

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anything else that may make a person feel more at home in an absolutely square hospital should be taken to the Shack for Norman.

Shed a few more tears for another place has bit the dust. It was formally called the Edgewater. Informally it was called the Bilgewater Hilton, The Kimbal Hilton, and the East Wing of the Embarcadero YMCA. Possibly it was the latter that closed its door when the Y became such a notorious place

Confirmed San Franciscans always say, "Don't ever let the sun set if you are in Oakland." But the Sutter Club there at 14th and Jefferson has seen more than a few on hand when the sun sets. And still some of them left when the sun comes up.

We know that it would be nice to tell you of the various costumes, entourages, and stunts that are planned for Halloween but those secrets are more closely guarded than Ft. Knox which all goes to prove that they can keep secrets even in bedrooms. So there Mary Edgar! But nevertheless it is impossible to tell you what is going to

worn but the next issue of the CN will carry 6 or 8 pages of pictures of Halloween in San Francisco and in the issue following that will have pictures from Halloween in other major cities of the country. If such pictures are made available. CN will have photographers at all the major places in San Francisco. Copies of that issue will be available at The Bounty, The Tool Box, Mr. B's, Leo's, The Casa Blanca, The Sutter Club, The Hula Shack, Billings Almost Roundtable, and Leo's and a dozen or so newsstands in San Francisco plus all the bars that regularly get the CN out of San Francisco. Single copies will be 50c each by mail and plans for the San Francisco '64 have been abandoned

and money is now being refunded. The press run of those two issues will be in the vicinity of 8,000 in case you want a thousand or so copies better order NOW.

Been over to Billings Almost Roundtable? The Reason? It is simple for Bill always has a back room full of nice people and they are always drinking coffee and eating goodies such as Ice Cream, Cake and so forth. Anyhow with this room full of nice people it is about to break friend Billings so he has made a charge on the coffee and the only table in the place is almost round. There is nothing at all square in the place. Voila!! Then it becomes the Almost Roundtable.

Naturally enough after the big affairs there is to be an exodus to the coffee shops in the neighborhoods and Mr. B is braced for the invasion from the Sheraton. Those big and delicious burgers will be ready, willing and able.

There have been some phone calls to the Palace by someone who is evidently opposed to the affair. Some of the

voices have been recognized and could be most embarrassing to the stupid jerk. San Francisco is big but not stupid.

Viewing the Johnson Parade from the apartment of Mac Tee was a bevy of this town's favorites led by THE Michelle. Believe me there was more drag in that parade than in any other to my knowledge. The Simian Society were practically all in low and comic drag and set all that set looking at the price of monkeys so they can make a sort of pre-Halloween appearance in the Columbus Day parade next year. Now if you will be sure to keep it a secret I will tell you that the Simian Society is in every parade.

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THE LILTIN' HILTON

This year Halloween in San Francisco exceeded the wildest dreams of some of the old timers.

Who would have thought a few years back that the scene of the climax of Halloween would change from the front of the Black Cat to such places as the Hilton Hotel and the Sheraton Palace?

Far fewer people viewed the entrances and parades of the elegantly and not-so elegantly dressed ladies and gentlemen who rode the escalators at the Hilton and walked with high dignity in the Garden Court of the Palace.

The affair at the Palace was not an outstanding success; except for those who came away with the prize money. The room there was so huge as to dwarf the five or six hundred people who turned out. This party was the victim of some irresponsible pre-party gossip about inability to give the prizes, police raids, and general bad-mouth.

The affair at the Hilton was an outstanding success. The arrival of the participants was by way of escula-

tors—one from the ground entrance to the first floor and then again from the first floor to the second floor.

Spectators lined the approaches to the ground entrance until a train drove all but the hardy away. At the top of the flights of the escalators there was gathered a goodly crowd of spectators, both from the local scene and regular guests of the hotel. At the landing on the third floor there was an even larger crowd swelled by the entire party of the Chinese Golfers Association who were having a dance. It was not an outstanding success since practically all of the Golfers kept busy on the outside admiring the arrivals to the Tavern Guild Ball.

Also swelling the attendance on that floor was one of the largest delegations of police since Johnson came to town. With about a dozen in uniform, including one Captain of Police, there was such a multitude of plain-

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T-ROOM CLOSURE

The Washington Young Men's Christian Association closed the now famous T Room where Walter Jenkins met his Waterloo.

The manager of the Y made the announcement 5 days after the president's aide was arrested for making enticing motions to a doorman from the Old Soldier's Home.

According to Mr. Empleton, the manager, the closing is to be only temporary because, "after all, it is there for the convenience of the public," he said. It was this consideration that forced the reopening of the T Room more than a year ago after a two month shutdown. At that time the shutdown was made necessary because the room had become such a notorious gathering place for the deviates.

The room, in the basement of 1736 "G" Street NW is accessible only by way of the street-floor lobby and a flight of stairs.

While the police of the Morals Squad have reportedly found the men's room to be frequented by homosexuals, the manager said that neither he nor any member of his staff ever discovered

any such activity. Empleton said that his staff was under strict orders to report any such activity to him.

Empleton acknowledged that he knew of the peephole where the peep freaks had observed the room from time to time but he was unaware that any of the peep freak were also policemen. "The peephole was not put there by us," he said.

Mr. Empleton has gone on record with the newspapers of Washington, D.C. that the T Room in his establishment is to be watched when it reopens in the future.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is to notify all persons that the former photographer of the Citizens News has been fired for incompetence and gross negligence in that not one single shot of the 100 photos taken on Halloween was any good. He has therefore been banished in a condition described as UD, as a photographer.

The former official photographer was Guy Strait.

OPINION AND ANALYSIS

It would appear that the Walter Jenkins case amply demonstrates how particular actions become suddenly approved by groups of people. To those persons writing the volumes of print that was expended on the subject, homosexuality was on one day unmentionable and abhorrent and then suddenly it was a case of 'overwork and intoxication.'

Then too it might well demonstrate how papers such as the Chicago Tribune can vilify a man because he was caught in the act yet previously canonize yet another because he chose suicide, for altho DDE cannot remember any similar scandal in his administration it is common knowledge that a cabinet officer was involved. Only the fear of reversal because of name association has kept this secret.

Then too it might well demonstrate (and this is written before the results of the election are counted), how millions of Americans are either homosexuals themselves or who do not believe that this particular sexual expression is particularly contrary to the national welfare.

It is definitely a fact now when checked out by the head of the FBI that a homosexual, per se, does not constitute a security risk.

A big question is now raised: Since it has been proven that homosexuals do not constitute a security risk what can a government which has mitigated and persecuted homosexuals in the armed services do to repay the damage they have done to the persons who have received undesirable discharges and suffered considerably thereby.

Or is it merely a case of those homosexuals who know the President of the United States who shall be spared undesirable discharges?

Below are extracts from most of the papers of the United States. Practically every major paper in the country was read for the days following the outbreak of the scandal.

One of the strangest developments regarding the editorial comments around the country was the strange silence of Dave Heyler of the Hollywood Citizens News (a deviate hater of some repute). Not one editorial graced his pages even though he supported Goldwater.

The New York Post: "In tones reminiscent of the darkest McCarthy hours, Goldwater has reverted to the cry that 'security risks' infest the State Department. As in the McCarthy era, the frenzy seems unsustained by facts."

Newsweek: "The Jenkins matter is only one more piece of evidence of an amoral climate which shrouds this government, the nation's capital, and, measurable, the nation. This has been felt only once or twice before in our history."

Hartford, Connecticut Courant: "The Walter Jenkins case sent a tremor through the political apparatus of both major parties in Connecticut. Both sides admitted it was a plus factor for the Republicans and a minus for the democrats."

Dallas Morning News: "County Republican Chairman John (Continued on Page Four)"

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WHAT WE DO IN CHICAGO

By Roby Landers
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The latest bar to add to your list is "The Showtime". It is indeed a show place. The rooms are large with a balcony and a doorman. The Showplace features female impersonators. If you are in Chicago it is a must. Tony Midnight our foremost designer of drag makes all the costumes for the place.

The Chesterfield Club was robbed last week during business hours. Two very attractive young men held up the club while 60 or more "men (?) customers" looked on nervously. If two very attractive men show up in your vicinity spending money like it is going out of style, be careful the next bar may be getting your money. One was blonde about 5'9" between 135 and 145 pounds. The other fits the same description except with black hair.

Across the street from the Chesterfield is the Century Book Store. Practically all the merchandise there would be of interest to you. I believe that it is a girl and a guy running the place, I believe.

Another new bar is "The Orange Cocatoo," located at 2832 North Clark. A very nice quiet bar also under friendly management. When you go there just ask for Tupie or Don, you won't be disappointed, take my word.

A shall we say, 'straight club' is now featuring Gale Sherman and Cris Cross. Gale Sherman is the talk of Chicago because of his article in a nation-wide magazine, entitled, "I Want To Be A Woman," believe me he should be. Gale and Cris are appearing nightly at the "Blue Dahlia," 5600 West North Avenue.

Mitzi Monnet, featured dancer at the Club Chesterfield is writing an article in answer to Gale Sherman. It's called, "Why Can't I be Butch Just Once." All I can say is that in a dress it is difficult.

The CN publicity has increased the business at the restaurant at State and Randolph by 20% they tell me.

At the present time we are having no trouble with what Los Angeles calls 'nelly blue skirts!', (here it is called) the CPD) and we hope to keep it that way.

Your correspondent - Roby

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The men from the Orange Ogre have been busy preparing for the fabulous Orange Ogre Halloween Pageant. Forty-two entries were received and prizes totaling \$78.42 will be awarded.

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NEW ORLEANS-

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The action was taken on the basis of evidence which was presented to the council pertaining to alleged advances being made in the bar by persons of the same sex.

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JENKINS: Editorial comment around the country

Leedom said President Johnson "should have faced up to the situation" after Jenkins, his White House aide and long-time administrative assistant, was first arrested on a morals charge in 1959.

"County Democratic Chairman William H. Clark III described Jenkins as "an extremely capable worker, a fine man and a good American...."

Richard Morehead writing in the Dallas Morning News: "The Walter Jenkins case will have a devastating effect on President Johnson's campaign."

"President Johnson as quoted in the Washington Star: "Walter Jenkins has worked with me faithfully for 25 years. No man I know has given more personal dedication, devotion and tireless labor. Until late yesterday (Oct. 15), no information or report of any kind to me had ever raised the question with respect to his personal conduct..."

"Editorial in the Washington Star: "Sympathy must be the first reaction to the Walter Jenkins story..."

"Max Lerner writing in the New York Post: "What then becomes of the supposed unfailing "special vulnerability" of homosexuals to blackmail, and, therefore, their special weakness as security risks..." "The nub of the problem of blackmail and security is not any sexual behavior style but character structure. A man who betrays his country may succumb either by needing money, or being flattered and made to feel important, or being framed with a mistress, or being threatened with exposure of some homosexual episode, or coming to believe that the wave of the future rides towards another type of political system. In every case he betrays his country through weakness at the point of a showdown."

"If he is a weak character, the threat to expose him as a homosexual may be effective, especially since our society has come to regard that with a special horror."

"Arthur Krock writing in the New York Times: "There is no shred of evidence that Jenkins revealed any national security secret to anyone. And most of those who know him at all share the certainty of his intimates that this pitiful victim of what is properly accorded as an authentic mental disease never has."

"The New York Times-"The Walter Jenkins case is likely to have a profound political effect in the Dakotas, a region that has not voted for a Democrat in a Presidential election since 1936."

"Houston Post: "Whatever the security aspects of the case it is a personal tragedy for Jenkins, his wife, and six children. Our deepest sympathy goes to them."

"Buffalo Courier Express: "As for Mr. Jenkins and his family, only the self-righteous can fail to view their predicament without compassion. He is ill in the same sense as the alcoholic or the narcotics addict and must be treated as an ill person."

"Marquis Childs in the New York Post: "Walter Jenkins, with the help of a psychiatrist and a priest-he is a devout Roman Catholic who has missed Sunday mass only once in his adult life-is struggling to survive. The President has told

him that everything he has is at his disposal. Conceivably the survival of more than an individual-the survival of a rational, fair political system-is at stake."

"In the Arkansas Gazette in a New York Times dispatch. Vice Presidential Candidate William E. Miller is quoted as saying: "We all know how susceptible these people are to blackmail. If Barry Goldwater is elected president, there is going to be on January 20 in the United States of America a dawn of a whole new era of law enforcement."

"The Commercial Appeal (Memphis) quoted an unidentified speaker: "President Johnson turned out the lights in the White House. Now we know why."

"Robert S. Bird, National Correspondent for the New York Herald Tribune writing from Rawlins, Wyo., while interviewing a former Air Force colonel: "Jenkins doesn't mean much to me because these things happen in both administrations." and while interviewing a younger man, "Things like the Jenkins could happen very easily anywhere."

"Holmes Alexander writing in the Arizona Republic from Phoenix: "Walter Jenkins, with a police record since 1959 of homosexual indecency in public places, has been at large in this city (Washington) that is notorious for high-echelon perverts. He has been as close as any non-elective official can be to the center of national power and secrecy to say nothing of his having been for more than 20 years an executive, a virtual junior partner, in the Lyndon Johnson Enterprises as well as an intimate friend of the first family."

"Not for one instant do I believe that Mr. Johnson protected Jenkins or ever suspected him of sexual deviation, and I say this as one who has seen something of them both down the years. But Jenkins has had another sort of protection which, in this town's atmosphere, shields the homosexualist, the disloyalist and the common criminal under the same umbrella of tolerance."

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THE HOMOSEXUAL ETHIC

Jealousy and the Partnership

If a survey were to be made of the top ten major causes for partnership friction or failure, jealousy would probably not make the list. Yet, in an honest appraisal following the breakup of a partnership, it reluctantly will nearly always gain a rightful place near the top of that list.

Jealousy is a quality which can seldom be pinned on any individual. The average person is far too intelligent to be jealous. By common consent it has come to mean a childish characteristic which is not present in the adult. To admit being jealous, is to admit being a child.

Perhaps part of this can be attributed to the fact that jealousy is the most shallow of all partnership troubles and at the same time, the most abstract. It never involves the concrete as physical moods, over-extending one's credit, too short an engagement, the lack of communication or, too little in common. These can all be explained as tangibles, readily understood by most people.

If two people recognize a failure in one of these categories, it can mutually be defined, almost given physical form. If there is too little in common, both parties will know the situation exists without going into it further. Either they seek to correct the fault, or break the friendship eventually.

Another simpler reason exists for jealousy not being allowed out in the open. This is the self-evident fact that jealousy frequently is only a vehicle for transmitting an inner feeling which you do not want recognized. Take for example the state which exists when you have grown too possessive of a person. Certainly you can't admit this for you do not own your partner. Yet, look at the hundred small petty ways in which a person will express displeasure when an outsider even talks a little "too long" with the partner.

Or again, note what happens when you covet a partner's success because you lack any or have little of your own. The many small remarks which slip out to underrate that success and the lack of interest you show when being told of success. These small indications of jealousy may not be obvious to you but they are to outsiders. Many a person has made a fool of himself at a dinner by his attacks on his partner, and probably lost many good friends as well. The attacks may have had nothing to do with his success but that was the motivation. Those subtle little digs haven't been so subtle after all!

In order to understand this abstract word a little better, let us examine several different kinds of jealousy. There is the jealousy over the attentions your partner gives someone else. This is the most frequent and most severe type.

MARGO AND SUNDAY

AT THE HILTON

On Page 5 Margo and Sunday are shown arriving at the Hilton Hotel in San Francisco where Margo was the winner of the "Most Convincing" contest. The affair at the Hilton was undoubtedly one of the most successful ever given in this area.

Since the photographer for the Citizens News was not able to get pictures of other contestants, and those not entered in contests we must rely on our readers to supply photographs so the rest of the United States can see that in San Francisco We Had A Ball. We will attempt to publish each and every photograph submitted. We are able to shade out the faces of bystanders and those who are reluctant to have their pictures published.

Why should this make you angry? Have you ever really stopped to consider that question? You cannot completely possess another's body and soul. If you are building a good relationship, why should your partner throw you over for someone else? Why should he want to begin again all the problems of forming a partnership? In most cases, he doesn't and the attention is no different than the need for a little variety in the food you consume from day to day.

Are you really angry because of his interest in that person or angry that you didn't make out? If you lack the ability to accept this as a possibility, then you may be blind to many other faults within yourself. As said before, keeping a partnership going is not easy, especially the degree of honesty you can focus on your weaknesses.

Jealousy of the attention a partner pays to an outsider, is only an indication of the uncertainty you have about your friendship. It is natural. It is present in any friendship in the early stages but it can do more harm than good if your friendship doesn't grow rapidly and replace this fear with security. If you have a good union based on many factors, jealousy need not exist. It won't exist. It exists only where you have rushed into an unsound partnership, perhaps the kind based simply and only on infatuation with nothing else to support it.

Jealousy also frequently occurs when the accomplishments of a partner far exceed yours. Often this happens when the other person has a far superior education, or cultural background, superior athletic ability or masculinity. It is a foolish mistake to try and compete in fields where you are obviously far outdistanced.

Forget about competing with a partner. Instead, bring your own abilities, meager though they seem, into the partnership to add and complement the union. Take pride in the fact that together you form a good team. If you were the possessor of sufficient ability to equal that of two people, you might not need someone else. And remember too that often one ability, as say organizational ability, will balance a half dozen supplied by the partner. Without your contribution, his are meaningless.

It is possible to love a person and still be very jealous over his good looks. But good looks and fine physical form are shallow attributes, very perishable. How much better it is to have a fine personality. As proof of this, recall the times you have met two people and immediately been attracted to the one with good looks. The second possessed a fine sense of humor and cordiality. Which of the two eventually became a friend, even attractive over a long period of time.

Beware of strangling your partnership by closing the doors against the outside world. This occurs when jealousy prevents you from even showing a new partner to your friends. Perhaps you've lost a previous partner to aggressive friends and the mistake is not going to be repeated. The error then, as now, is yours again! If you form a friendship which is so perishable, with so little to hold it together, so little in common, no locked doors will hold him.

A stranger kind of jealousy occurs when you first realize that your partner can seemingly get along without you. By some strange stroke of the imagination, many people come to believe that in their absence, the other person cannot be happy, cannot sleep, smile or even cook a meal. They are totally unprepared, on their return, for the fact that he got along very well, even enjoying himself.

This can occur even when the partner takes in a movie by himself or perhaps goes to a party alone. We remain individuals no matter how close a friendship we build and this should be so - within the friendship framework. Being apart occasionally strengthens, rather than weakens a union. It serves as a reminder of what life would be like alone again. It teaches confidence in your union by putting you both on an honor system, which works, you may find surprisingly.

This honor system only serves to underline another point. The strongest kind of friendship occurs when each person is motivated from within to maintain it, not forced from without to adhere to a strict standard.

SMUT HUNTERS IN CHICAGO

(The Chicago Daily News has taken the lead in the factual survey of the fight on 'smut'. We here publish Part 8 of that series.)

Do Dirty Books trigger sex crimes?

Is there any provable link between reading and bad behavior? And if there is, does it apply only in the case of a one-in-a-million nut?

If there is no substantial proof of a connection, then a good part of the case against so-called obscene literature may rest on dubious notions.

This observation will shock many decent citizens. Nonetheless, Americans as respected as the late Judge Jerome Frank have pictured the whole obscenity war as inflated and phony.

Their view deserves careful study in light of the City of Chicago's controversial blitz on 'filthy' books.

The dangers of censoring so-called smut far outweigh the effects of the smut itself, Judge Frank and many others have warned.

Censorship has a history of tending to go too far. And once "dirty" ideas are declared verboten, why not political and religious ideas next?

And yet many people who oppose censorship hold that obscenity must be had on the face of it. At the very least, it's bad for the young nearly everyone would say.

Most psychiatrists and child-care authorities, in fact, see little connection between morality and reading.

"The whole thing has been tremendously exaggerated," said Dr. Eugene Falstein, Chicago psychiatrist.

"I have studied the research literature on this subject and find that few criminals are readers."

Marie Johoda, New York University researcher, also concluded:

"There is no evidence to justify the assumption that reading about sexual matters or about violence leads to delinquent acts."

Most juvenile delinquents read less than do good boys and girls, she pointed out. This was shown in studies at the University of Chicago, where it was found that delinquents, as a group, had trouble in reading.

Sheldon and Elanor Glueck

of Harvard University made a classical study of juvenile crime. They do not even list reading as among the nearly 100 major causes.

The main ones they found were poor schooling or family background, culture conflict, abuses such as gambling, or drinking and personal inner twists formed long before the reading age.

Even the normal lad who gets hooked on lewd girls magazines can develop a twisted mind, according to some persons. The furtive shuffler through sex books could be fueling a rape, according to this view.

"In the case of sex murder, the killer is usually an avid reader of lewd books and magazines," a Chicago Police training bulletin has stated flatly. "Sex criminals ... are clearly influenced by it."

But statements like that are just a theory, according to Sgt. David Coffey, who head the police departments obscene matter unit.

"I know of no particular case where a sex offender who was picked up had a history of reading pornographic literature," Sgt. Coffey said.

It is agreed among many moralists that the sicker kind of erotic books and magazines peddle a warped view of sex and love.

But do these publications affect our manners and morals or merely reflect the world as it is? And even if they promote sick ideas, can we ban ideas?

The late Dr. Benjamin Karpman, a noted psychiatrist held that obscenity cannot undermine morals. It appeals

he said, only to those neurotic people who are already tilted in that direction.

Not all the psychiatrists would agree with Dr. Karpman. Dr. Nicholas G. Frignito, for example, links smut and "the increase in sexual offenses.

We don't really know beyond doubt the long-range effects of vulgar books and pictures on society - and ours is now flooded with such material.

But does it really trigger action - is it merely the kind of junk that attracts minds already warped?

Unfortunately, we have but scratched the surface in our look at the varying kinds of jealousy. But on examining some of these aspects of it, an awareness can be developed which makes you able to recognize it more easily.

Being shallow and close to the surface, jealousy is thus difficult to cure. Like the common cold, it comes in many forms and has such diverse characteristics as to make it difficult to classify. No one knows where to begin.

Certainly if the specialist has no more luck with this than with the cold, the individual cannot be expected to go very far either by solving it. We cannot all be expected to comprehend our complex personalities.

If however, you really desire a long, lasting friendship, jealousy need not be so difficult to understand and overcome. It requires only one true antibiotic - an ingredient known scientifically under the name of "humility." By dictionary definition, this is the state or quality of being humble in spirit; freedom from pride and arrogance. The ability to say, "I was wrong."

If you can swallow your pride and admit that your partner makes out easier than you - you have taken a giant step forward. If you can admit that your partner is better looking, possessor of greater intelligence, a better educated man, a finer personality and able to balance his check-book while you can't - you are making progress.

If you admit that one individual really belongs to another, by decree or decision, your understanding is broadening. It is up to you to make that other individual sufficiently happy so that he seeks no other intimate company. Or at least, only a small amount of it for variety's sake.

If you build a friendship of a foundation based on many things in common, there should never be the fear that your partner may give you up some day. We all seek security and the security of a good friendship will not be thrown over just for a physical infatuation that is here today and gone tomorrow.

The humble person realizes early in the new partnership that nothing is gained through the rash action brought on by jealousy. He controls his pride, his hurt pride sometimes when realizing he must share his partner with someone else, if only for a movie. And with this understanding - that a union is formed not to satisfy the will of two people but for the good of all society - comes happiness.

(Next Issue - Fidelity and the Partnership)



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More on Jenkins (Continued from page 4)

"This is the town where it's 'McCarthyism' to mention what everybody knows: that homosexuality at the State Department since the days of Sumner Welles and as recently as the communization of Cuba has been a national disgrace and a swelling disaster."

Betty Beale writing in the Washington (D.C.) Evening Star of sympathetic messages said, "Not the least of these messages was a verbal one that came to his (Jenkins) sick-room at the hospital with a bouquet of flowers. The message with the flowers came to him only with the understanding that he show the card to everyone who came to his room. The card read-J. Edgar Hoover."

The Chicago Daily News Service said, "The Walter Jenkins case has not hurt President Johnson's standing with the voters, according to the latest polls rushed to the White House."

Syndicated columnist William S. White: "Campaigns of surpassing bitterness do dreadful things to men's values. They have done this today, in the spectacle of Goldwater shrugging off as a mere slight acquaintance the man who for years served shoulder to shoulder with him, as both a friend and full colonel, in the Air Reserve unit which Goldwater as a major general commands. This mere slight acquaintance, a close senior fellow officer, is Walter Jenkins."

In the Boston Traveler: "One of the first public expressions of sympathy and compassion came in a statement from Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, who said her heart ached for Jenkins and his family, friends of the Johnsons for many years."

In the Minneapolis Star: "What a sad commentary on American politics it would be if this year's presidential election were to be decided on the basis of the Jenkins Affair."

James J. Kilpatrick writing for Newsday Services, "My guess, for whatever it may be worth, is that the Jenkins affair will carry a decisive weight with a great many voters who have turned up in the polls as 'undecided.'"

The Minneapolis Star quoting an AP dispatch: "President Johnson has increased his lead over Sen. Barry Goldwater in the past two weeks, a South Dakota Poll showed today. The pollis conducted by the Sioux Falls Argus-Leader, Aberdeen American-News and the Watertown Public Opinion, dated 22 October 1964."

Editorial in the New York Daily News, "Jenkins had access to a lot of confidential and security information going to the President; and persons who are peculiarly sex-wise are notoriously vulnerable to blackmail by foreign agents."

Barry Goldwater speaking in Chicago on 21 October, "We must never forget that the freedom to associate means the same thing as the freedom not to associate."

Max Freedman writing in the Washington D.C. Evening Star: "For myself, regardless of what the rest of the campaign may bring, I prefer to think of Jenkins not with his career in ruins but with his years of valiant service building a refuge for him against the uninvited and exaggerated calumny. He did so much good, and he did it with such chivalry of manner and respect for the rights of others..."

In The Arkansas Gazette a copyrighted story from the New York Times News Service quoting Representative Miller in Oakland, California, (How round about can you get?), "We all know how susceptible these people are to blackmail. If Barry Goldwater is elected president, there is going to be on January 20 in the United States a dawn of a whole new era of law enforcement."

William S. White in the Charlotte, N.C., Observer.... "Let he who wishes cast the first stone. But any man who tries to make capital of this man's tragedy will forever lessen himself in the eyes of a judgment that is infinitely more important than a mere political judgment-the judgment of decent humankind."

THE HARRIS POLL in the Los Angeles Times: "Does the case of Walter Jenkins, aide to President Johnson arrested on a morals charge, make you think less of Presi-

dent Johnson, more, or doesn't it make much difference one way or the other?

	VOTING FOR		
	Total Voters %	Goldwater	Johnson
Think Less of Johnson.....	21	51	9
Think More of Johnson.....	1	1	1
No Difference.....	78	48	90

"Walter Jenkins saw some top secret reports of the government. Does this make you feel that the security of the United States might have been placed in danger or don't you feel this way?"

	Total Voters %
Security placed in danger.....	25
Not in danger.....	59
Not sure.....	16

Robert S. Bird, National correspondent for the New York Herald Tribune writing from Rawlins, Wyoming, "As to the Jenkins case, all the ranchers I spoke with felt the same thing could happen on either side in a political campaign and so, in their opinion the matter was irrelevant to the election."

RICHMOND NEWS LEADER: "Jenkins is hospitalized. We do feel compassion for him; and in a quieter time, we would like to comment on the absurdity of laws that make voluntary homosexual acts between adults a criminal offense. In a more tolerant society, Jenkins would not have been arrested at all." (CN Editors Note: The Richmond News Leader did not support Johnson for President.)

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Roving Report

Old columnist never die, they just keep making more and more mistakes...take the case of 'pore old Jack Rosenbaum' who insisted that some defenders of the faith-blue skirts made a massive arrest over Oakland way on Halloween because some of the boys were busy being girls-not only was he incorrect he was wrong as all hell-for the big party there was well attended and enjoyed by all the various segments of society-even the nelly blue. The blotter over in the two east bay counties show no drag arrests.

Then there is the case of San Francisco's would be Walter Winchell (same vintage). Dear Herb reports that the winner of the TGSF Ball was a woman who was awarded the prize for the affair. The woman who won the prize was not a woman and if Herb is not a little more careful Mel is going to sue for non-defamation of character.

Then there is the case of Robert Strebeigh who wrote the story for the Chronicle making the same old mistake saying, "Although it is a misdemeanor to impersonate the opposite sex, it has become a San Francisco tradition for the police to relax enforcement of the law on Halloween." Not so, Bobby, for when the Supreme Court of the State of California preempted the law regarding sex it made the enforcement of the San Francisco Municipal Code unconstitutional. Read the CN Bobby and find out the score before you write about the ball game.

Then there was the case of the unfinished dress---It was minutes after the Red Bus was to have left on its appointed rounds (Each bar was notified when the H'Burners would arrive there) and still one of the leaders (the leader?) of

our society was not clothed, for the dressmaker had not completed his job. It just was not finished until after parking a few minutes around the corner from the Cadell Place.

But Halloween was just not the same without the Nightingale of Montgomery Street-Jose' Julio Sarria who is still in NYC. Pure rumor of the grossest sort that he is a guest of the Chief of Police there. It is just not so for our informants demand he is just trying to do everything there is to be done in NYC and we know that is a big job.

The Sutter Club had such a big Halloween that all the staff is just barely dragging around. With the inflated prices in SF for the big day they held the prices down in this place. Such a crowd.

At Bligh's Bounty the big day passed with very little costumery. A few sailor like numbers dropped in hoping to find Mr. Christian but he was downtown. Dick, formerly at the D'Oak Room is holding down the fort there with the same smile we have become accustomed to these last few years. The Red Room is about to be preempted by persons of more hard drinking demeanor at this place.

Much the hassle between a group that was disappointed at the Gilded Cage when it was unable to accomodate them.

A. Gooch did not make the bus ride this year-says he looks like hell in red.

Notably missing this year was Haku who was the Queen of Siam last year and one of the all-time best costume winners. Probably the best of the other costumes was a show girl dress at the Sheraton Palace; A tall, tall girl with a Russian Wolf hound; Two or three Jolly Green

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Giants; The man from Mars at the Hilton; Nefrititi at the Sheraton who collapsed and had to be taken to the emergency hospital; and a host of others.

The crowd from the Hula Shack took away \$1,750 in prizes from the Sheraton. The winner of the best costume was "The Return of Dracula" with the pine box, Vampira, and six black draped pallbearers.

Market Street is ordinarily blocked off for the big celebration but there is so much pre-election tension in the air that it dampened the night-not to mention a rain that fell fairly early in the night.

The only letter to the editor in any of the major papers concerning Walter (YMCA) Jenkins was in an Albuquerque Newspaper written by a well versed person. Naturally she was a reader of the worlds best read Newspaper-The Citizens News.

Up in Reno the Reno Bar there at 4th street has more than a few of SF numbers in a gathering of real estate people. The place had never heard of the CN-SIN yes-CN-NO.

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Our hat is off to those ministers from the Council on Religion and the Homosexual who braved the 'slings and arrows of fortune' to judge the contest at the Hilton. We need more brave men such as these. Kinda makes you want to go visit them sometime?

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San Francisco's Community is considered to be one of the most forward-looking in the entire nation. The whole world looks to see what we do and how we do it. Smallness, childishness and rancour hardly becomes that segment that has repeatedly proven itself capable of doing anything they wish.

Projecting ourselves into the coming year there is so much to do that none of us have time to bicker and bother with those who want to bicker and back-bite.

It is far too much to expect non-conformists to conform to any particular pattern and the editor questions whether or not such conformity is even desirable. But it is not too much to expect all of us to use our intelligence and our vast combined knowledge of the world and its workings for the good of the community.

There is no field but what is represented in the Community. There is no school of thought-political or social-but what is represented. But we have one thought in common: Sex relations between consenting adults, in private, is a matter solely between those adults.

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clothesmen as to make it appear that they were still on the lookout for the young man who earlier in the year bought a wig and then allowed a bank in Oakland to make a \$184,000 contribution to his old age security. He was not there.

Not only did San Francisco have these two huge affairs, but several others were in progress at the same time, including the regular bar celebrations. The other top affairs were held at The Gilded Cage and The Chukkers.

The Gilded Cage affair was emceed by the top entertainers in San Francisco-Charles Pierce and Rio Dante.

The Chukkers was easily found on Halloween because of a searchlight secured for the occasion by the indomitable Carlos who took this occasion to open a new huge room in his place called "The Head-hunters Room." This will remind many of the old place Carlos had down on the Embarcadero.

Conveyances were not one of the big attractions this year altho the H'Burners did arrive all in Red in a East Bay Transit Bus. Cadillacs were the order of the day with uniformed drivers. One of the top attractions of the night however arrived in a convertible as his own driver together with his 24" escort-this naturally being one of the showmen of San Francisco-Franklin. He was so unusual that even the CN was unaware of his identity until several hours had lapsed.

Herb Caen-sometime reporter on the scene-has said in his column that the best costume award was made to a woman who is an entertainer at one of the local spots in the city. Might be but she was hardly convincing, for the most convincing was not a woman.

The San Francisco Chron-

icle wrote the story up in a fair manner but continued the old wives-tale that the wearing of the dress of the opposite sex is a misdemeanor. It is decidedly unhealthy with all the trouble in town but hardly illegal.

But San Francisco has not seen such a Halloween before and altho different from the years before the Tavern Guild Ball was undoubtedly the most outstanding event of the day. Was the election issue decided on the basis of "Better fruits than nuts"?

The "Homosexual Ethic" is left out of this issue since we wanted to run the pictures of the costume parties in San Francisco. The next installment in next issue.

And after the Balls were Over the mob still out at 2 am retired to several of the Coffee Houses. We attempted to get into Mr. B's place at 2:30 and there was no room. Not even standing Room and so like all good fairies we retired.

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It costs \$46,000,000 a year for hospitalization of syphilitic psychotics.

There are currently 4,000 veterans in VA hospitals suffering from syphilitic psychoses. The VA estimates the cost of care for these patients will average \$40,000 each.

Of untreated syphilitics, one on two hundred will become blind, one in fifty will become severely mentally ill, one in twenty-five will become severely handicapped, and one in fifteen will suffer severe heart disease.

All of them will suffer these things because they failed to go to their public health clinic for a checkup.

The eradication of venereal disease is possible, but it will certainly not come unless we redouble our efforts medically, morally and educationally in an all-out attack on this major public health problem.

These are long range and national problems but the immediate problem is that VD interferes with the average joe in his enjoyment of social life. Sex becomes a nightmare when you are incapacitated by your own negligence.

If you are a resident of San Francisco you should get in the swing of things by cooperating with SIR in their attempt to have everyone get a checkup at 33 Hunt Street; if you live elsewhere there is a clinic that will give a free examination without undue embarrassment.

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