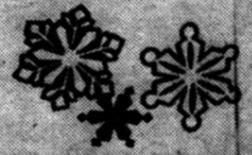


# Season's Greetings



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### LaRouche loses!!! People WIN!!!

by Ted Sahl

Hundred of gays, lesbians and non gays gathered at Mitty High School in Santa Clara to celebrate the defeat of Proposition 64, the LaRouche Initiative.

Referred to as the "draconian initiative" which would have called for mandatory testing of anyone suspected of being infected with the AIDS virus, it is now a dead issue.

It was a smashing defeat for LaRouche and a victorious win for the good people of California, gay and non gay alike who realised they do in fact need each other; and that acting together, homophobia can be destroyed.

City Councilwoman, Iola Williams received BAYMEC's community award for special service to the gay community for her help in defeating LaRouche.

Williams was honored for her participation in the fight to defeat prop 64 by organizing her colleagues to join the fight against LaRouche.

It was a night of awards: a plaque was presented to Wiggys Sivertsen along with Williams; but it was more than awards it was a night of saying thank you



Pictured (L to R) Ken Yeager, campaign manager of NO ON 64, Iola Williams, San Jose City Councilwoman and Wiggys Sivertsen, Chair of BAYMEC. Photo by Ted Sahl

to everyone who worked on the campaign.

Ken Yeager received flowers and BAYMEC thanked the whole darn crowd of over 400: the volunteers, the letter writers, phnoe bankers, those who gave any and all from money to time.

A big thanks to those who registered to vote and Paul Wysocki of Goosetown Realty (finance chair) along with organizations and the bar owners who made a lot of it happen.

Speeches were kept to a minimum. Sivertsen said, "we sent out a clear message to a—who might think of trying that again, (referring to LaRouche and his cohorts)." she added, "it could be attempted again, we must remain vigilant!"

Councilwoman Williams warned: "we live in difficult times, times that call for an ever watchful eye."

The spaghetti dinner was great, the company outstanding and it really felt good to win one.

We needed that! I for one say thank you BAYMEC! You should've been there.

### Homophobia at SJSU

by Ted Sahl

#### INTRODUCTION

Once again the name of Paul Ewing, San Jose Police Department undercover vice officer is involved in questionable circumstances.

Edmundo Gonzales, a former employee for San Jose State University as a custodian for Facilities Development and Operations charges that officer Ewing allegedly harassed him as he was working at his assigned work station in the Science Building on the SJSU campus.

The bizarre story was revealed in an interview Gonzales requested when he read OUR PAPER's recent article exposing vicious attacks of homophobia against gay men and lesbians employed by the university.

Gonzales said, "Officer Ewing came into my building around one o'clock with a leather jacket over his left arm; that's where he hides the microphone to his tape recorder.

"He (Ewing) cruised the first floor of the science building three or four times, going out of the building and returning in a circle.

"Finally Ewing walked down the hall stopping in front of the door to the men's room, he didn't go in like he had to go to the bathroom.

"Ewing stopped, looked back at me and then went in; I was



Edmundo Gonzales Photo: Ted Sahl

scared sh—less."

#### INTERVIEW

E.G. "I'm here to talk about the sexual harassment I experienced while working as a custodian for San Jose State University," Edmundo Gonzales said.

"When I appeared for my interview, dressed in levis, jacket and sweatshirt the following people were present: James Jackson, Ms. Nona Johnson, Ms. Bobbi Patterson, and Dick Quizenberry.

"After I was hired, I found out when I left the interview the

comment was made, 'I think he's queer.'"

O.P. How do you know that?

E.G. "I was told that. Once I was on the job, I asked my foreman, Ms. Nona Johnson, 'you were present at the interview, could I ask you a question? She said, 'sure' I asked her was it or was it not stated the minute I walked out of the office, 'I think he's a queer!' and she said, 'who told you that, how do you know that?'"

E.G. "Her final answer was, 'yes, the comment was made the minute you left the office, I think he's queer.'"

O.P. You are charging that while working as a custodian for the university that you were sexually harassed because it was assumed that you were gay, tell us about that.

E.G. "While working at my station, my foreman Nona Johnson walks up to me with a brown paper bag in her hand, she motioned to me to go into the supply closet. After we entered, she pulled out three pornographic homosexual magazines.

"She said, 'do not tell anyone I gave you these magazines, because I will get fired' those were her exact words."

O.P. Were you offended?

E.G. "Of course, I'm very conscious of my health. It is not my habit to look at or have that kind of material in my locker. It is morally repugnant to me."

O.P. What did you do after your foreman gave you the pornographic material?

E.G. "I went to my union representative, Martha O'Con-

nell and filed a complaint."

"After that incident, she, Johnson felt free to open conversations about anything. On one occasion I was working in the science lab, there were three small dishes of white powder, each had a small spoon, I jokingly said, 'Oh Coke', she quickly asked, 'do you do that?' I answered, NO, she said, 'Oh that's ok, I do dope and I smoke grass.'"

O.P. Are you sure that's what she said?

E.G. "As God is my witness, I am not into drugs: marijuana or anything like that and I was offended by her insinuating that I was."

O.P. Why do you suppose she said that to you?

E.G. "She probably assumes that all gay men participate in open sex, and drugs."

O.P. Did you complain to anyone?

E.G. "Yes, I told my union representative Martha O'Connell. Then Martha, myself, James Jackson, supervisor of crew 5 and Mr. Louis Waddy, Custodial supervisor 11, went to Nona Jackson's office to file a complaint."

O.P. Did you actually file charges of sexual harassment against Nona Jackson?

E.G. "Yes, I did, nothing happened. It took four or five months even after another meeting with the same people present. Finally it was said that my foreman did admit to supervisor James Jackson of crew 5 that she supplied me with pornographic material, but she would not

admit it to anyone else."

"Time after time we request disciplinary action be taken against Ms Johnson, not only Mr Jackson's office, but also Mr Waddy's office.

"We requested disciplinary action against Johnson in front of Quizenberry, chief of custodial services. Mr. Quizenberry laughed in my face, ridiculing me when I was asking for help.

"Nothing ever came of it outside of Nona Johnson being taken off our crew and transferred to another station."

O.P. Were you an openly gay man when you were applying for work at SJSU?

E.G. "I came to SJSU looking for employment only, looking for a means to support myself with food and a roof over my head. It was after I was employed here, as I stated before.

"When I walked out of the interview, it was stated, 'he's a queer,' from that point they took control of me and my personal life in their hands, talking about me to other people.

"They exploited me, they forced me to come out, it got to the point I had to say 'yes, I am a homosexual.'

O.P. Did you have any more trouble after you were forced to come out, admitting you were gay?

E.G. "We used to get off work at 1:30, I was working at my station in the science building on the particular day Paul

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**'Night of 1000 Gowns' March 28 in NYC**

New York-The Imperial Court System of North America will be honored at "Night of 1000 Gowns," a tribute to the pioneering role of drag in the lesbian and gay communities, Saturday, March 27th in New York City in the Grand Ballroom of the Waldorf Astoria.

This first national charity ball hopes to attract 3,000 attendees from throughout the United States and Canada and raise \$500,000 for several national gay and lesbian organizations primarily concerned with AIDS funding and gay civil rights.

"This is the first such major charity event in the national gay and lesbian community that salutes impersonators and 'our sisters in drag' who added both color and grass-roots political clout to the movement," said Vivian Shapiro and George Dudley, coordinators of the event.

"We are also pleased to be honoring The Imperial Court System of North America.

"With 10,000 members, the organization has raised tens of thousands of dollars to support AIDS organizations and community charities."

Proceeds from the ball will be distributed evenly among the AIDS Action Council, The March on Washington Committee, The Human Rights Campaign Fund, National Gay and Lesbian Task Force and the New York Gay and Lesbian Community Center, which is serving as the local sponsor.

The Empress Nicole of San Diego, one of the leaders of the

**Homophobia**  
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 Ewing came into the my building."

O.P. What did you say? Are you talking about officer Paul Ewing, the San Jose undercover vice squad?

E.G. "Officer Paul Ewing (undercover) came into my building approximately at 1:00 with a large leather jacket wrapped around his left arm. That's how he hides the microphone to his tape recorder. He cruised the first floor of the science building 3 or 4 times, going out the building and circling, coming back in."

O.P. What do you mean he was cruising?

E.G. "He was a total queen, swishing his ass, acting like a 'Bitch' walking down the hallway."

O.P. Why do you think he was doing that?

E.G. "That's his job. Ewing was trying to get me to follow him into the men's room, to entrap me. He didn't just go into the bathroom like he had to go to the bathroom, Ewing stopped in front of the door and looked back at me and then entered."

O.P. Did you complain to anyone?

E.G. "Again, Martha O'Connell filed a complaint with university police, asking why officer Ewing was harassing me and why was he even in the building."

"I feel Ewing was in that building to especially harass me. I can't believe Ewing was in that building as part of his general patrol. I took the incident as a personal threat... because I was scared sh--less."

O.P. How did you know that person was Officer Paul Ewing?

E.G. "Everyone knows Officer Ewing, and everyone knows you don't make eye contact with him."

O.P. As a former employee of SJSU, how would you describe your experience working for the university, as a gay man?

E.G. "You are basically on your own here. I can't say anything more except to cover your back, because no one else will."

O.P. Are you saying it's dangerous working for the university if you are a gay man or a lesbian?

E.G. "It could be physically, yes, mentally also, the strain. I feel a person could be put through, being a gay man especially, if you are working for Facilities Development and Operations."

"You give them even the slightest chance or reason, you will be fired. I am here to tell my story. I'm not a fabricator. I feel I have been more fair to them because I gave them more than they gave me."

**Royal Investiture**



by Ted Sahl  
 On November 22, 1986 The Imperial Gran Lion Court of San Jose made it official with an Investiture of Rachel as Empress IX and Bob Colton as Emperor XVIII. You should've been there! photo: Ted Sahl

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**December 3, Arline case to U.S. Supreme Court**

**Background**  
 The U.S. Supreme Court will hear oral arguments in *School Board - vs. Arline* today.

The case involves an elementary school teacher, Gene Arline who was fired because she had tuberculosis.

Attorneys for Ms. Arline contend that tuberculosis is a handicap under federal discrimination law and that her dismissal was illegal.

The School board has argued that communicable diseases cannot be "handicaps" and, along with the U.S. Justice Department, has repeatedly raised the issue of AIDS.

Many legal commentators believe that the Supreme Court's decision to hear the case was based largely upon their concern about AIDS.

National Gay Rights Advocated, the California based public interest law firm, joined with the Employment Law Center in filing an *amicus curiae* brief in the case.

The brief argues that federal handicap discrimination law protects people with many communicable diseases, especially those, such as AIDS, which are not casually transmitted.

To support this argument, the brief cites extensively a national survey conducted by NGRA which shows that most state agencies reject the idea that communicable disease cannot be handicaps.

**Comments**  
 Benjamin Schatz, director NGRA AIDS Civil Rights Project: "The School Board and the Justice Department are using AIDS to scare the court into ruling that communicable diseases cannot be handicaps."

"In fact, a rational approach to AIDS requires the opposite

**Wm. F. Buckley retracts "AIDS Tattoo" proposal**

William F. Buckley Jr., the editor of "National Review," has retracted his "AIDS Tattoo" proposal, following a meeting with representatives from the Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation and the Gay Men's Health Crisis.

His proposal first appeared on the March 18 New York Times Op-Ed page and in his nationally-syndicated column.

"Everyone," Buckley wrote, "detected with AIDS should be tattooed in the upper forearm, to protect common-needle users, and on the buttocks, to prevent the victimization of other homosexuals."

Buckley's suggestion evoked angry reactions from health care professionals and civil rights activists across the country, particularly among gay men and lesbians.

He reportedly held up GLAAD's letter and demanded to know "how anyone would

dare accuse him of proposing Nazi-like solutions to AIDS and homosexuals."

The meeting with Buckley was termed a "qualified success," even though Buckley did not evidence an immediate change of heart.

Buckley refused to admit the basic inhumanity of tattooing human beings for any reason, but did concede that it was an impolitic solution and was probably impractical.

Several weeks after the demonstration and meeting, Buckley publicly retracted his proposal on ABC TV's Nightline.

A pro-gay article subsequently appeared in the September issue of the National Review.

Most recently, Buckley made an appearance at a well publicized AIDS benefit at Mortimer's Cafe in New York to benefit AMFAR.

The Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation is a national anti-defamation organization committed to countering public misrepresentations about the lives of gay men and lesbians.

**NGLTF hires director of Privacy Project**

The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF) has hired Boston lesbian activist Sue Hyde as director of its newly created Privacy Project.

Ms. Hyde will assume her duties on December 9th.

The Privacy Project was created by the Task Force to organize for the repeal of sodomy laws at the state and local levels.

The Project will develop educational materials, work with state and local gay organizations to develop model strategies to achieve sodomy repeal, and will build coalitions among a variety of gay and non-gay organizations which have an interest in the issues raised by such laws.

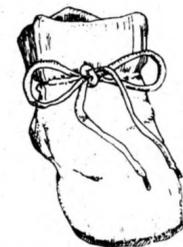
"We are delighted to have Sue on board," said Jeffrey Levi, executive director of NGLTF. "She brings to the Privacy Project an outstanding record of community organizing and coalition building."

"We conducted an aggressive national search and are very pleased that it yielded us a candidate who is superbly qualified to meet the challenges presented by the Project."

Ms. Hyde has extensive experience in grassroots organizing, political campaign development and writing in the gay and lesbian communities of both St. Louis, Missouri and Boston, Massachusetts.

She is the former News Editor of *Gay Community News*, a

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### Take commitment and and vows seriously

by Rev. Larry J. Uhrig

We live in the most mobile society in human history. Have you ever tried to update a mailing list?

No one stays put for very long any more.

With this great shifting of human mass, we have all learned to expect change and shift.

Now, there is nothing wrong with mobility, and I for one, love people on the go, "movers and shakers".

There is, however, at least one piece of negative fallout from all this mobility: we have learned to create brief relationships, we have learned to expect nothing to last.

Indeed, we have grown up with a motivational principle of immediate gratification, and when our needs aren't met when we want them in the way we want them, we simply move on.

For mobility to be a creative force, there must also be constancy, dependability, a sense of purpose or direction.

People who are movers and shakers seem to know where they are going, and how they will get there.

Without this kind of "directness" and "purposefulness", movement for movement's sake alone is simply wandering from pillar to post, aimlessness.

Within the gay community, I have seen a large body of people who float about from job to job, city to city, event to event, cause to cause.

There is a nomadic flow of young people, and often older people, who seem to follow the tide for gratification's sake alone.

While I do not want to nail down everyone to a job or place, I would certainly like to advocate that we take a new look at our wanderings.

If a relationship, an organization, a church, a cause, or a political movement is going to achieve its goals, it needs people who are in it for the long haul.

It needs dedicated, committed, and dependable people who stay put.

As much as you and I want our lovers to be there when we need them, so also our community needs us to be there.

One of the wonderful things about life is also one of the simplest and most often overlooked: having the same person steer the ship for a consistent period of time, the same voice at the end of the phone, the same address to write to, the same face on the pillow beside you.

The phenomenon we more often see is "the dating game". People flirt with an organization, or a cause.

They try it out, "have a few dates", maybe even express a hope for fuller commitment, perhaps join the church, club or organization.

Sometimes, they pay their dues and vote once or twice before disappearing.

It's almost as if they are saying, "Well, I've done that!"

Someone recently told me that they had noticed people committed to the Church one Sunday and rugby the next.

My response was immediate and required little thought. "I am in this for the long haul. I can't give all my gifts at

one."

After I said that, I realized that it was the secret of survival and success, and just maybe reflected some maturity and wisdom.

Life-long relationships are not as much romantic as they are workable and creative.

Go make yourself some! If the dating game goes on in every group and organization, then we have a lot of wasted energy, false expectations and mutual disappointment going on which can only feed out sense that nothing will last, no one will stay.

When our expectations grow limited and we become cynical about the commitment of others, we end up creating an environment which does not expect, and therefore cannot encourage deep commitment.

We must allow and enable people to move beyond the "dating" stages of relationships to the committed stage expressed in mutual bonding and deep investment between individuals and the organizations they are a part of.

What I am suggesting is longerlasting relationships at home, of course, but at work too, and especially in the volunteer, not-for-profit organizations which make up such a large part of our communities.

How can we get beyond the "dating game", beyond the shiftless search for some fantasy, beyond the "grass is always greener" syndrome?

Here are a few viewpoints and directions that may help:

1. You must have a vision of the long-range goals or a desired end if you are to understand and cope with the day-to-day. People without a vision perish; they just do not succeed.

2. When an individual in an organization's leadership disappears you, don't generalize that failure to the entire organization.

3. Define your problems specifically, and address them individually.

4. Leaders, be specific in what you expect from volunteers.

5. Assess your own talents and gifts as well as the time commitment you can afford - accurately! Don't overextend yourself. (Overextending generally reflects an attempt to prove self-worth; this is a dead-end street for those with low self-esteem.)

6. Seek professional guidance to determine your skills and abilities.

7. Divide large tasks into small, achievable parts.

8. Don't sit and stare at the negative; you will be blinded to the positive.

9. Absolutely nothing is as bad as it feels, looks or as people say it is.

10. Take commitments and vows seriously, and renegotiate them as needed. Don't run away from a promise; renegotiate it.

Ten is a good, round number to end up with, so I think I'll stop here.

I'm sure you understand the general drift.

I shared a personal story at a recent public event.

A friend commented later, "I didn't know that about you! How come you never told me before?"

## LETTERS

Dear Ladies and Sirs:

I would like to thank you for your AIDS supplement that appeared many weeks ago. It covered many different aspects of AIDS.

I've meant to write you this note since the articles appeared by I've developed procrastination to a fine art.

There was an omission of a growing area of concern about AIDS.

No gay directed paper has presented any information about these aspects to my knowledge.

I am referring to the synthetic nature of AIDS.

More and more I hear radio reports, discussion and talk shows that present a plethora of evidence that indicate AIDS as a product of recombinant DNA research developed by American military/intelligence agencies.

Some evidence points to Army intelligence developing AIDS at Fort Dietrich, Maryland which has since been taken over by the National Cancer Institute which were the very same laboratories where the AIDS "virus" was "discovered" by Dr. Gallo and friends.

Jonathan and David

Dear Editor:

A visit to St. Paul's Episcopal Church adjacent to Lake Merritt in Oakland's Adams Point clearly shows that Pope John Paul II and other antigay Christians do not read their bibles carefully.

The Jonathan and David stained glass window, designed and executed by Harrold Cummings of San Francisco in 1947, incorporates into its design this inscription from Samuel (Chapter 18, Verse 3): "He loved him as his own soul."

If a philosopher tried for a century, he or she could hardly articulate a wiser definition of homosexual love - and this definition is right out of the bible itself.

There are in excess of a hundred tax-exempt gay non-profit charitable organizations serving the Bay Area.

Only a small few of these are Agencies with budgets in the six figure range, usually with numerous volunteer help, meeting the specialized needs of our diverse community.

Many of these groups spend tremendous amounts of time raising bare survival funds even though more often they are better experts in directly providing these specialized services.

Without funding help, an incredible percentage of the

### NGLTF plays pivotal role in gaining TV coverage

the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force played a pivotal role in securing the first television network coverage of the growing problem of anti-gay violence.

Both ABC World News tonight, and the CBS Evening News aired segments on anti-gay violence on Tuesday, October 21, 1986.

These shows represent the first time that network news has covered this issue.

NGLTF Executive Director observed, "The reports on ABC and CBS reflect hours of hard work by a number of gay organizations including NGLTF, the Philadelphia Lesbian and Gay Task Force and the Atlanta Gay Center.

"I think it is important for our community to know that such gay-positive coverage in the mainstream press is not something we can take for granted.

"It is the result of on-going

The disease is not caused by a single virus.

It is said to be caused by a cross-vectoring of two or more organisms that are supposed to not be pathogenic unless occurring simultaneously.

The disease was somehow introduced (probably by the CIA) into the populations of Zaire, Haiti, and gay ghettos of LA, New York and San Francisco and isolated areas elsewhere like Granada and a small town in south Florida.

I've always been skeptical about AIDS being a germ warfare agent, which was an opinion expressed by a few people ever since AIDS appeared.

Now in segments of the press, extensive investigative reporting and analysis is producing more data and evidence pointing to the synthetic nature of this disease.

I'm a layman in medicine, but common sense says that if the true nature of this disease is understood, a cure would come quicker.

In addition, I would think most Americans would have great interest in evidence that their tax dollars are being spent to kill them.

growing trend: people are no longer coming together so much along family ties or religious beliefs; instead, it's more along the lines of mutual experience.

Over the next few weeks through your employer, the Bay Area United Way will solicit you to donate some portion of your hard earned dollars toward worthy cause.

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I hope all people, especially journalists who are gay, start investigating and digging into more information and expose this scandalous, even treasonist behavior of our military/intelligence services.

There's plenty to dig into. I can't give more specifics since this is a short letter to the editor, but I've included below information of a tape duplicating service which offers copies of a radio broadcast which I implore you to listen to and spread the word.

You'll then understand this letter better.

The cost is little more than tape costs and the authors of the tapes make no money on them.

I have no dealings with Davkore whatsoever.

Sincerely,  
Mark Osborn  
San Jose

Taped program number 16 of KFJC's Radio Free America Series titled "AIDS: Epidemic or Weapon of War?" (about 4 hours long on 3 cassette tapes) is available from: Davkore Cp. 1300-D Space Park Way, Mt. View, CA 94043 (415) 969-3030.

effective groups have collapsed within the last 5 years.

In response, our local Community may support the following Foundations: Golden Gate Choral Foundation, Bay Area Physicians for Human Rights Foundation or the GGBA Foundation.

However, since 1978 the number of organizations has tripled in the Bay Area.

So there are probably many groups you're not familiar with.

Here are some you may not know about: AIDS Emergency Fund, Community Women's Center, Delta City Family, Gay Fathers-SFBA, Gay Youth Community Coalition, Girth and Mirth Club of SF, Galaxy, Marin AIDS Support Network, San Francisco Sex Information, Touch Circle.

All of these are qualified but for a more complete updated list of community organizations consult the following gay publication: Gay Book, Coming Up! resource guide, "We Are Here" community guide, San Francisco Lesbian Resource Directory, or call your favorite gay organization or switchboard for assistance.

Sincerely,  
Michael Nulty  
San Francisco

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"Sure."

"Great! I can't wait to see what you're like."

"Let's talk about anything but . . ."

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# Theatre Review



## Punker for Christ

by Rick Rudy

If *Godspell* weren't such an uninteresting work in and of itself, the current updating and dynamic efforts of San Jose Rep might be worth while.

this 1971 gospel-rock musical by Stephen Schwartz features Jesus (played by Michael J. Levesque) preaching to the people, telling parables, enumerating rules, and generally sounding like a wanderer from the Los Gatos Christian Church.

They even "pass the plate" for more Rep subscriptions during the intermission calling it a "pledge break."

For those who may find such a regurgitation of biblical quotes refreshing or enlightening, this production could be fun.

SJ Rep director David Lemos has updated the 60s rock sound to the the 80s MTV style with the assistance of keyboard wizard Lem Jay Ignacio.

He has also dressed the cast in Road Warrior Punk outfits.

But it is really hard to disguise the soul of this show which has its roots in the 1967 love children of *Hair*.

Levesque and the rest of the players do their best to be

animated and energetic, tumbling around the construction site set, and falling in and out of the scaffolding and a "Dempsey Dumpster" which is parked center stage.

A few of the musical numbers will wake you up: "All for the Best" with a soft shoe routine; "By My Side"; and the dancing "We Beseech Thee."

But not enough to make the evening satisfying.

Even the well known "Day by Day" has lost its punch.

Most of the score is uninspired, and the choreography soon becomes repetitive.

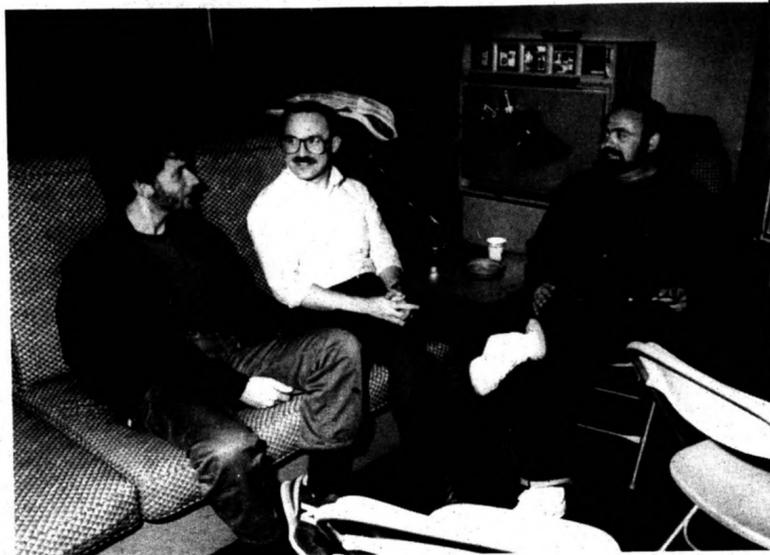
An annoying technical problem is the hand-held mikes which a re poorly used; the performers screeching at one moment and unintelligible the next.

If only the tremendous energy onstage could be transferred to the audience, this would be a knockout.

But the show itself keeps getting in the way, diffusing the light.

*Godspell* continues at the Montgomery Theatre through December 7. Call (408) 294-7572 for tickets.

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### MCC installs new Pastor

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The Reverend A. Austin Amerine from Emmanuel Metropolitan Community Church in Spokane, Washington will be presiding.

Reverend Amerine is a former District Coordinator for the Northwest District of UFMCC.

He is the founding Pastor of the MCC Churches in Portland, Oregon and Spokane, Wash-

ton.

The new Pastor of MCC-San Jose, Reverend Denis Moore, moved to San Jose from Portland, Oregon, where he has lived since March of this year.

Prior to that, he lived in Honolulu, Hawaii, where he was Senior Pastor of the MCC of Hawaii for five years.

Reverend Moore was presented as a candidate for Pastor of MCC-SJ on September 21st and was unanimously elected by the congregation.

His pastoral duties officially began on October 16.

In addition to the Installation

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## ANNOUNCING

**City Lights:** joins San Jose's Works Gallery and the First Strike Collective for a two day benefit on December 19 and 20. Tickets are \$7.50 for members/subscribers of City Lights Theatre Co., Works Gallery and the First Strike Collective per night. General admission is \$9 per night. Festivities begin at 8 p.m. For more information/tickets call 408/295-8318.

**Silicon Valley Gay Men's Chorus:** will present "Let the Holidays Be Gay" on December 5 and 6 at 8 p.m. in the Unitarian Church, 160 North Third Street in San Jose. The program begins with a focus on American song. A more traditional approach to holiday music makes up the second part of the program. Well known and not so well known carols mixed with sacred reading will tell the holiday story. Ticket prices are \$3.50 for Friday and \$5 for Saturday. There will be a no host reception on Saturday following the program for the chorus and the audience. The Saturday event will benefit ARIS.

**Mercury News writer:** needs your help. Ray Alavareztorres is writing about Silicon Valley Companies' response to employees with AIDS and ARC. He needs to talk with someone about their experiences at work, how big an issue is it, etc. If you can help contribute, please call Ray at (408) 920-3629.

**Feminist Lesbian Social Group:** meets once monthly for a potluck. To receive the FLS News, which announces the potluck as well as other activities of interest to women in the South Bay, send \$12 for a one year subscription to FLSG, POBox 7033, Sunnyvale, CA 94087. December 20th, Saturday, FLSG potluck at the Whileaway Cottage behind Valley Fair. Call (408) 248-9610 for directions. Mistletoe provided.

**Slightly Older Lesbians:** December 9: Pizza night at Georgio's, 4445 Foxworthy (near Cherry) Call Ginny (408) 749-1688 to reserve your space. Will meet at 7 p.m. Every Tuesday night SOL meets at the Billy DeFrank center for an informal discussion/support group. Call (408) 293-4525 for information. Newcomers are always welcome.

**International Ms Leather Contest:** The San Francisco based "MST. Enterprises" in association with "Up Your Alley Productions" will present *Black Elegance*, a benefit for the 1st Annual International Ms Leather Contest. To be held Wednesday, December 10 from 7 to 10 p.m. at 3749 17th St., S.F. A donation of \$15. will be requested at the door. Call 415/558-9941 for more information. The Contest itself will be held Saturday, March 21, 1987 at the Club DV8. All proceeds from this event will benefit the AIDS Emergency Fund, Coming Home Hospice, AIDS Alternative Health Project, AWARE, and Women's AIDS Network.

**Beer Bust for Ms Leather:** The International Ms Leather steering committee will be hosting a beer bust at the High Chapparrel, 2140 Market Street, S.F. from 3 to 7 p.m. on December 6. Admission is \$5. The use of International Ms. Leather is with permission of International Mr. Leather, Inc.

**Peer Counseling Training:** A 40 hour training for AIDS Project of the East Bay peer counseling volunteers is scheduled for January 30 through February 1 and February 6 through February 8. Deadline for applications is January 5, 1987. Ethnic minorities and people who are fluent in other languages are encouraged to apply. People of all backgrounds, skills and origins are needed. The training will be held at Merritt-Peralta Town Court in Oakland. For more information please call: 415/420-8181.

**AIDS Project of East Bay:** is seeking applicants for the new Speakers Bureau training scheduled for January 30. Because of the number of community requests for educational presentations increasing, the project hopes to expand the number of speakers available. People fluent in other languages are encouraged to apply. More information is available by calling 415/420-8181.

**San Jose Poetry Center:** received a \$50,000 grant from the Walter S. Johnson Foundation of Menlo Park for the Center's Writers in the Schools and Community Program. The grant will be disbursed over a three year period. The grant will help fund a literary education project jointly sponsored by San Jose Poetry Center and the San Jose Unified School District. The grant will also provide funds for nationally and internationally known guest poets to make presentations to students and to more thoroughly acquaint teachers with contemporary poetry through teacher-in-service classes.

**Sunnyvale Community Players:** announce auditions for a new production of "As You Like It," Shakespeare's most popular comedy. Auditions will be held on January 5 and 6 from 7 to 10 p.m. each day at the Sunnyvale Performing Arts Theatre, 550 E. Remington Avenue. Roles are available for 8 white and 10 black men aged 18 to 70 and 2 white and 2 black women aged 18 to 25. For more information call 408/749-8146 or 408/733-8525.

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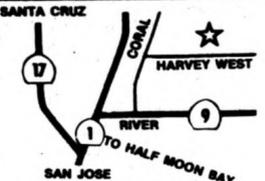
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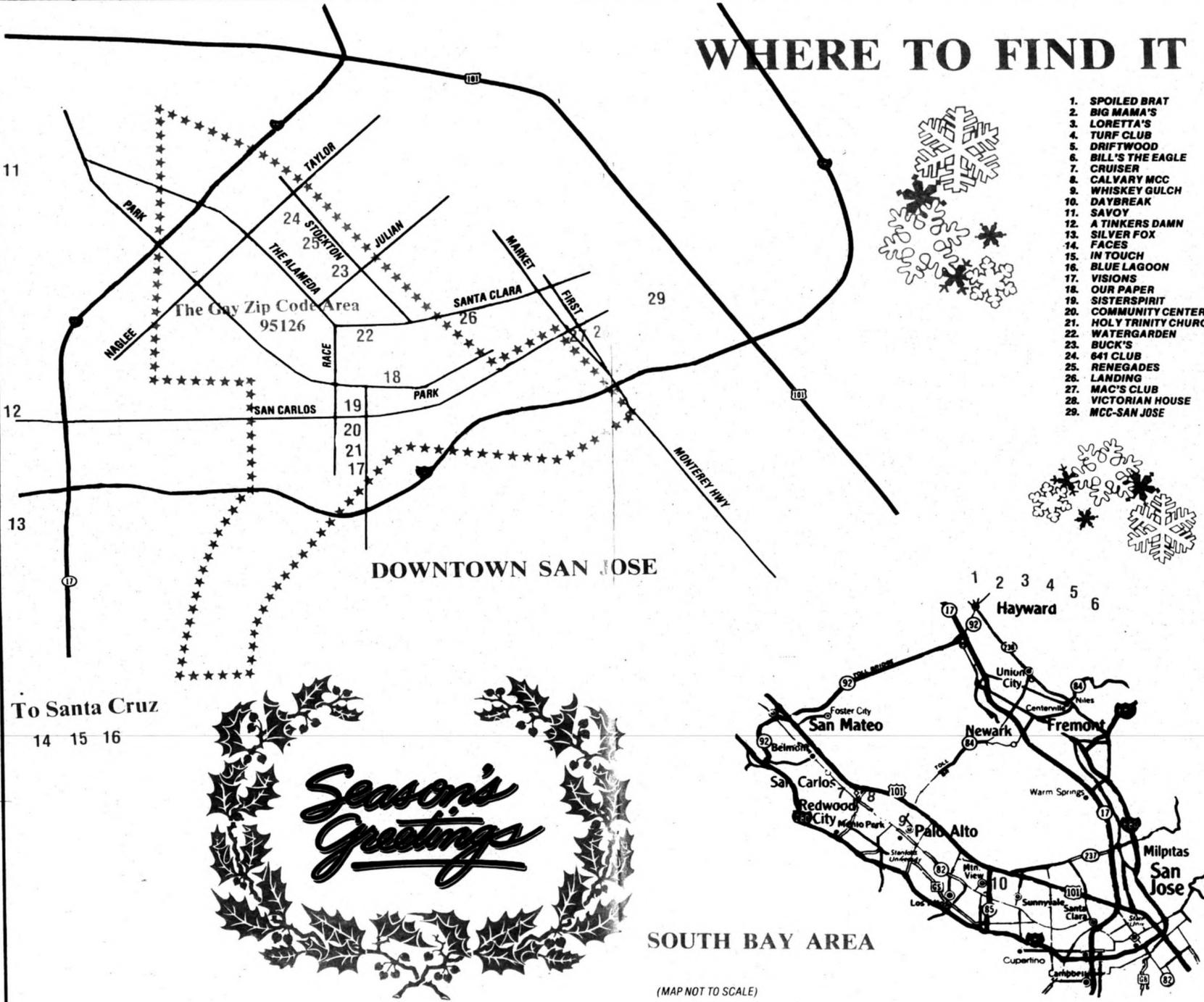
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 The vote will take place on Thursday, December 11 at the NAIC's annual meeting in Orlando, Florida.  
 The prohibition was proposed unanimously by the NAIC's "AIDS Advisory Committee," whose members include state insurance commissioners, spokespersons for major insurance companies, and representatives of National Gay Rights Advocates and the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force.  
 The commissioners will also debate the issue of HIV antibody testing by insurance companies.  
 Gay community representatives will strenuously oppose testing, while insurance industry advocates are expected to urge that insurers should be allowed to require applicants to take the test.  
 Benjamin Schatz, director, AIDS Civil Rights Project, National Gay Rights Advocates: "The NAIC guidelines will be an important tool in combatting unfair discrimination by insurance companies."  
 "They not only prohibit discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation, they also prohibit insurers from using proxies such as gender, marital status, occupation, living arrangements and zip code to determine whether applicants are gay or lesbian."  
 Jean O'Leary, executive director of NGRA: "We have worked very hard to convince the insurance industry to sup-

**GLAAD forms "700 And One Club"**  
 The Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation, (GLAAD), has formed its "700 And One Club," a fundraising effort designed to help GLAAD protest misrepresentations of gays and lesbians in the local and national media.  
 The Club is based on a fundraising concept, the "700 Club," used by televangelist Pat Robertson, the right-wing, homophobic tv/personality who controls the world's largest religious broadcasting empire, the Christian Broadcast Network.  
 "The 700 and One Club" members will contribute \$10 or more each month for one year to raise money to identify and respond to public expressions of homophobia and discrimination against gays and lesbians," according to Darrell Yates Rist and Marcia Pally, GLAAD spokespersons.  
 This "accurate image" media effort has already successfully countered the New York Post's homophobic editorial posture.

and William F. Buckley's recommendations that "AIDS carriers be tattooed."  
 GLAAD has also led protests aimed at increasing public awareness about the Supreme Court's discriminatory sodomy decision, and organized a national protest against California's Prop 64.  
 For more information about the "700 And One Club," contact the GLAAD office (national headquarters) at 718/237-4141.  
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# FORTUNES

By Tycho

**ARIES (March 21 - April 20)** By simply being your usual dynamic self you'll make a great impression on those you want or need to impress. Being conservative with a flair is how to proceed on this path of advancement. A major accomplishment now will bring happiness in the future.

**TAURUS (April 21 - May 20)** Plan a Christmas party for co-workers. Combine the fun and the practical and come up with something that will not only be enjoyed by, but will benefit all. You'll be nicely surprised by a meeting of the minds that occurs.

**GEMINI (May 21 - June 21)** Bah, humbug! If you get the holiday spirit it probably won't be until the week before Christmas. Other issues of great importance just don't allow many thoughts of comfort and joy. Do face the issues that challenge. Then sing hallelujah!

**CANCER (June 22 - July 22)** The big holiday question for Cancer is whether to stay where you are or travel. Family at a distance may beckon and the lover who is near is very dear. Is there a third way? You'll make the best and happiest choice.

**LEO (July 23 - August 22)** Party, party, party. If you're not giving one you're going to one. While it is the time to be jolly, you may get into some rather heated discussions. The spirit of the season will make even those seem like fun.

**VIRGO (August 23 - September 22)** Virgo is staying right where Virgo is, thank you. Let others flit around, going higher and yonder. You've got a wonderful case of the rocking chair syndrome. And if anything is missing you'll be only too happy to fantasize it.

**LIBRA (September 23 - October 22)** You've probably finished your Christmas shopping before reading this. Would it be possible to be more organized or prepared? Now you're only too happy to help others who don't share your talents. And do offer some of that wonderful cheer.

**SCORPIO (October 23 - November 21)** The most intense sign of the zodiac reaches new heights of intensity in the area of sex and relationship. When you say you never knew it could be like this you'll mean it. Don't question this joy out of existence.

**SAGITTARIUS (November 22 - December 21)** Pay close attention to your inner self. Don't let distractions keep you from the discovery of a deep and abiding inner truth. What you've been anxiously awaiting is here. You can't see it but you can definitely feel it.

**CAPRICORN (December 22 - January 19)** It's that time of year when thoughts of family become paramount. Enjoying and treasuring memories will bring great pleasure but words written and spoken will mean more than anything. The ties that bind, nourish and comfort.

**AQUARIUS (January 20 - February 18)** Now aren't you glad you didn't do anything drastic last month. You were ready to go crazy and throw security to the wind. Now you're feeling comfortable and just a little zany. A friend with the blues needs your good humor.

**PISCES (February 19 - March 20)** Don't delude yourself. It would be too easy now to approach life as an enticing dream. Check in with reality. The word caution keeps popping up. Heed the call and then enjoy the merry and the happy that love you.

## Gay man gets life insurance after eight month battle

North American Life and Casualty Company has been forced to reverse itself and accept an application for life insurance from a gay man.

Edward Miller of San Diego was rejected by the Minnesota-based company because he named a "unrelated" male as his beneficiary.

North American also cited an investigative report by the Hooper-Holmes investigative agency, which criticized Mr. Miller's "poor morals" for living with another man.

National Gay Rights Advocates, representing Mr. Miller, filed a formal discrimination complaint with the California Department of Insurance against both North American and Hooper-Holmes.

The Department ruled in favor of NGRA on both counts.

"California law specifically prohibits life and health insurers from rejecting applicants because they are gay or lesbian," declared Benjamin Schatz, Director of NGRA's AIDS Civil Rights Project.

"We're not going to let insurers get around these laws by

using polite euphemisms about "morals" or "marital status," he added.

"As long as the insurance industry uses AIDS as an excuse for discrimination, NGRA will continue to fight it," said NGRA Executive Director, Jean O'Leary.

"If they think gay people are going to sit back and play victim, they're in for a surprise."

In addition to telling Mr. Miller that his lover (who is also his housemate and business partner) had "no insurable interest in his life," North American had also originally rejected his application because he would not submit to a blood test.

They repeatedly refused to say what tests would be performed, responding only that Mr. Miller is in a high risk group for "blood disorders" because he is a single male between ages 20 and 50.

Mr. Miller finally received his insurance in October - nearly eight months after he first applied.

## NGRA wins

### Michigan employer has to pay

San Francisco-National Gay Rights Advocates, the California based public interest law firm, announced that it had won an award of several thousand dollars in an AIDS employment discrimination suit.

The case, Tureman vs- Advanced Underwriters, was one of the first in the country to go to court.

The \$16,000 award was ordered by a court-appointed arbitrator as compensation for civil rights violations.

Tim Tureman, an insurance agent for Advanced Underwriters, was summarily fired after his boss discovered Tureman had AIDS.



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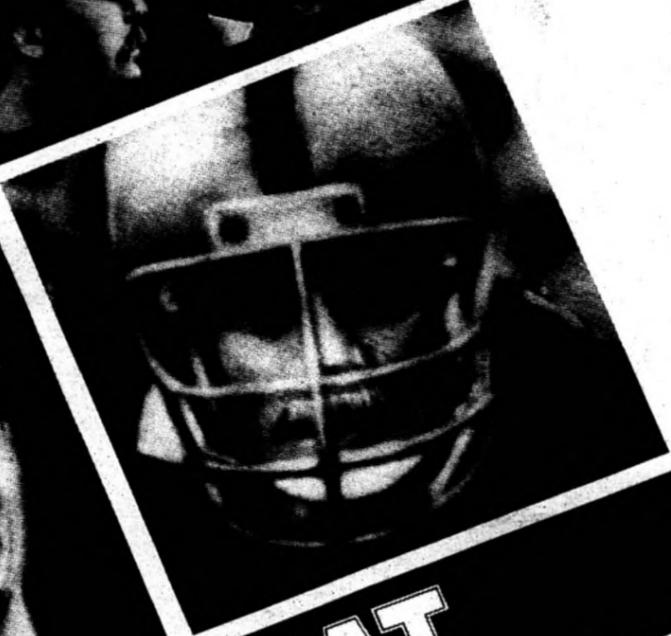
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Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
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