City Attorney Withdraws Challenge to S.F. Gay Rights Ordinance

Larry Bush (Atlanta, Georgia) U.S. health officials called the week a "total disaster" in the battle against Kaposi's Sarcoma, a rare form of disease, and the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, now being monitored by a special Task Force and being given a high priority by the federal government.

This week is the 350th anniversary of the St. John's Cancer Ordinance. In the year 2000, the city council in San Francisco will be considering whether to repeal the条例, or to make it more effective.

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Agnost adds that his objections are not based on the ordinance itself, but on the fact that it has been amended several times.

Supervisors Harry Britt, Carol Ruth Brown, and Rodger Shaw, and Matt Coles, who, coincidentally, was present, all spoke in favor of the ordinance.

Agnost also scoffed at Agnost's defense that the ordinance was "merely a fine imposed by the city."

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Gay Democrats Plan Fall Conference

Larry Bank

Washington, D.C. Gay Democrats in the national capital plan a Fall conference attended by more than 250 local and national parties. This conference was designed to discuss the problems of the Gay Democratic Task Force and the National Gay Task Force (NGTF). The conference will be held on October 26th and 27th at the National Hotel in San Francisco. The purpose of the conference is to bring together Gay Democratic clubs and organizations to discuss the current political climate and to develop strategies for the future. The conference will focus on the issues of civil rights, economic justice, and social welfare.

Agnostix Nixes Police Reform Move

San Francisco City Attorney George Agnostix announced that the city's police department would not implement a proposed reform policy that would have made the police more responsive to the needs of the gay and lesbian community. Agnostix said that the policy, which would have required the police to provide special services for gay and lesbian individuals, was not in keeping with the city's policy of non-discrimination. This policy was enacted to protect the rights of all individuals, regardless of their sexual orientation.

Gay Task Force Publishes Corporate Survey

New Delhi, India - The National Gay Task Force (NGTF) has published a corporate survey that revealed that many businesses were discriminating against the gay and lesbian community. The survey found that 70% of the businesses surveyed did not have a policy against discrimination based on sexual orientation. The NGTF recommended that businesses adopt a policy of non-discrimination and that the government take steps to ensure that businesses comply with such policies.

MCC Conference Sparks Heated Debates

New Orleans - The McC Convention, which is the annual gathering of the Metropolitan Community Church (MCC), was marked by heated debates over issues such as sexuality and religion. The conference was attended by thousands of MCC members from around the world. The debates focused on the issue of whether religion should be based on love and forgiveness or on strict moral codes. The MCC is a denomination that advocates for the integration of all people, regardless of their sexual orientation, into the mainstream of society.

Vaccination Program Could Wipe Out Hepatitis B

Oakland, California - The Vaccination Program, which is run by the Vaccine Research Foundation, is using a new vaccine to fight hepatitis B. The vaccine, which is produced in test tubes, can be distributed to those needing it. It is estimated that perhaps 70% of the people who contract hepatitis B could be cured by the vaccine. The vaccine is expected to be available to the public by the end of the year.

Commission Settles Johnson Case; Orders Discrimination Probe

New York, New York - The Commission on Human Rights has settled a discrimination case involving a gay man who was fired from his job for being gay. The commission ordered an investigation into the case and recommended that the employer provide training on non-discrimination. The employer was also required to pay the man $15,000 in back pay and interest.

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GRA Legal Director Resigns

GRA's Director of Legal Services, Dr. Walter J. Lear, has resigned after nearly seven years with the organization. Lear's departure comes as GRA is facing financial difficulties and a leadership transition.

"I remember when I first started working here," Lear said. "It was a very difficult time. The organization was struggling to find its footing, and I was glad to be a part of the team that helped to turn things around."

Lear's resignation is effective immediately, and he will be replaced by a new director in the coming weeks. GRA's board of directors has already begun the search for a new legal director.

"We are grateful to Dr. Lear for his many years of service to GRA," said board member Art Agnos. "He has been a true leader in the fight for equality and justice for all."
ON LIVE

FAIR WEATHER: That was the only Fair. It got a bit too foggy a bit too.

BLUE WAVE: It seems to be getting this year at the May 21 ravv at Cifv

ON THE WAVE:

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That would be an appropriate finish to Tuesday, September 1, at 8:55 P.M.,

Rhinoceros, and other groups airs in the Movies,

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should be a place of support and

fragments: "I heard that one who feels himself inferior will . . ." What this

is the need for an interracial support
group. "One of the leaders of the Moral Majority or other religious

groups, says Michael Emrys, is

the Homosexual (CRH), told the San Francisco's Council on Religion

and Feelings, things begin to clear up

In your letter you wrote, and then

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"Hollywood has always been the principal cheerleader for heterosexual role playing as the inevitable norm. Everything else is queer. Homosexuals cannot be real men, and real men cannot be homosexuals. We all have been taught this, and the movies have reinforced us at the truth."

— Vito Russo, The Celuloid Closet

Ironically, it was selection that delivered to us our movie heritage. Before the early 1950s, movies were simple programmers designed to survive. Sexuality in the Movies (Harper & Row, 276 pp., $7.95 paperbound), gay film material provided a way for the financially strapped studios to sell off their eighty-year hatred of the homosexual. With this exhaustive study, Russo has come close to providing another landmark gay revisionist work, along the lines of Jonathan Katz's Screening the Sexes (now out of print), Tyler's is a

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breakneck cutting, in some ironically Fassbinder challenges us to be knowing exactly how to feel or react—his or ours. Rather, we are left to see how intimately I know every director seems to be whispering, "look at..."

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Billboard Music Awards
- Announced this past weekend.
- Barbra Streisand, who has won the same award for 10 years running. (But you knew that, didn't you?)
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