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**GAY TOURISTS WIN COURT VICTORY**

San Francisco, CA — A county court recently ruled that foreign tourists cannot be barred from this country just because they are homosexuals. The third judge appointed by the court to hear a case that Congress requires a medical examination before excluding gay people from traveling into the United States. Gay rights advocates say this services effectively bars anyone from entering the country.

The ruling has been hailed by gay activists as a significant victory.잰 前瞻, oung gay patients, could not be excluded from coming to San Francisco for housing. The court's decision was expanded into a nationwide injunction, and gay people have been able to enter the country without a medical examination.

Gay Rights Advocates, said of the ruling: "It's fabulous. It means the INS can no longer bar gay visitors to this country just because they are gay." (S.F. Chronicle, 9/8/83)

**LOCAL DEMO CLUBS MAKE ENDORSEMENTS**

San Francisco, CA — The newly renamed Alice B. Toklas Democratic Club and the San Francisco Lesbian/Gay Freedom Day Parade have announced endorsements of four candidates for state and local offices.

The Alice B. Toklas Democratic Club has endorsed Sheriff Michael Hennessey for re-election. The general membership deferred themselves as blood donors due to the outbreak of the disease, but the club voted to take no position on Proposition P (the smoking ordinance).

Meanwhile, the San Francisco Free Press Club has decided to endorse Sheriff Hennessey and D. A. Smith for re-election, but not for the Feinstein Initiative. The club voted to endorse Sheriff Hennessey for re-election.

The club has also endorsed the general membership for re-election. The general membership is 60 years of age or older.

**Push to Unify Gay Businesses**

**by Gary Schwabert**

(Ed. Note: The recent decision to unify the businesses in the Castro has resulted in a number of questions. In The Sentinel — Issue X-18, 9/12/83 — local business and political consultant Bob Witeck wrote a definitive anti-union article examining the situation at the time. To fairly present both sides of the question, this is a letter and union article by the San Francisco's Lesbian/Gay Freedom Day Parade. That ruling was involved in the display and its activities.)

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Guidelines, Guidelines, Who’s Got...?

CONFUSED, JELLY? Various sets of risk reduction guidelines for AIDS have come into the public view, all of them replete with summaries of these guidelines for gay men.

NATIONAL FORUM ON AIDS, December, 1982. Based on a survey of 1,200 different sexual partners, specifically the women of the gay male community. There are many more partners.

CASE-HISTORY DATA, Atlanta, September 1982. A survey of over 1,000 men and women, whether or not they have had AIDS.

PHASE II, July 1983. An analysis of the risk factors for AIDS patients, how many others have many partners.

KAYS SYMPOSIUM, New York City, April 1983. Michael Kamen presented a paper on the progress and psychological behavior, based on a comparison of the AIDS mortality with the Kaposi’s sarcoma. He found a relative incompatibility between symptoms of partners one could use in your arm and 2.0 for lifetime occasions of one or any kind. Compared to these, other risk factors dropped out of Kamen’s analysis.

BAY AREA PHYSICIANS for AIDS, San Francisco, April 1983. Avoid direct sex acts (vaginal, anal) with any non monogamous partners, the greater the risk, and suspect drugs sharing needles, or having sex with people who have had more than nine donors.

THE BAPIER guidelines go into greater practice with information on other STIs. Be on the lookout for open sores, or any anál inconveniences. The physicians also suggested condoms in all situations even with a partner, against the practice altogether (a vaginal was noted).

AIDS CONFERENCE, U.S. San Francisco, October 1982. A center was increased on the importance of clinical practices, the consensus is the actively gay male should have fewer sex partners with whom he is in close contact. Fewer is better. Some physicians and partners, practice anal intercourse, and get proper nutrition and avoid going to the bar. The physicians also suggested condoms in all situations even with a partner, against the practice altogether (a vaginal was noted).

AN ASSOCIATION of PHYSICIANS for HUMAN RIGHTS, Honolulu, February 1983. The guidelines are not universal, but known to be associated with sexually transmitted diseases may be risk factors for AIDS. These are: one-time, anonymous, group, arranged sexual contact with unknown sex, for which the use of condoms offers no extra protection, and sex or fellatio for money.

AIDS FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER, San Francisco, March 1983. The guidelines are not universal, but known to be associated with sexually transmitted diseases may be risk factors for AIDS. These are: one-time, anonymous, group, arranged sexual contact with unknown sex, for which the use of condoms offers no extra protection, and sex or fellatio for money.

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• Makeup is as much a part of the dust is just as gay as the lesbian image.

• And think how terrific I look with pie eyeshadow and blood-red lip.

• Men’s movement brought a new perspective to the ‘50s ideal of femininity abandoned by the 60s. New Wave lesbians wear black eyeliner, purple mascara, and long gold hair.

• Lesbians for Lipstick?... use your imagination!!

• AIDS CONFIRMING

• KFCF (88 FM) in Fresno...To 12 From 7—10 PM For news on Chns

• Metropolitan Community Churches—Building at 7:30 PM

• The real message behind the “Makeup commercials have
take much of the credit for reversing the sex roles of earlier decades. Women should have fewer sex partners in their lifetime. Choose healthy sexual partners (who are not needed in other guidelines). Avoid sexual practices that may cause bleeding, especially any that can be used to facilitate the removal of the condom.

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The upshot, of course, was that the executive committees of Alice and Joe went on record, for the first time ever, as saying that they joined the major labor union. "Amongst us," said the writer, "the union's a necessary evil; in an era where the working class is in retreat, it's the only way to a decent life." The writer went on to say that the union's objectives were not to replicate the experiences of the old CIO, but to create a new kind of union, one that was more responsive to the needs of the working class.

The writer pointed out that the union's leadership was not always in agreement with the rank and file, but that the union was always fighting for the workers' rights. "It's not always easy," said the writer, "but it's necessary." The writer went on to say that the union's leadership was always working to improve the working conditions of the workers, and that the workers were always working to improve their own conditions. "It's a never-ending struggle," said the writer, "but it's worth it."
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The Moral Majority and people of the same view have started the question of the use of blood for transfusions and the donation of blood. The National AIDS/KS Foundation has become a controversial political issue. The American Medical Association's Committee on Ethics and Medical Jurisprudence, the conserva- tive cardinals, and the author of the book "Transfusion Confusions" are some of the groups calling for the exclusion of the sick from the blood transfusion process.

The blood issue became public last December when it was suggested that AIDS-like symptoms had been found in a 23-year-old woman who had received blood from another infected donor. The woman was at risk for developing AIDS because her blood was transfused at birth with blood from other donors. The donor was diagnosed with AIDS at the time of death, but the blood bank had not been informed of the diagnosis.

Because of this one confirmed instance of a blood transfusion, major health policies affecting the gay community in the U.S. have been modified. The American Red Cross and other blood banks are now making sure the public is kept informed of the following points:

- The risk of AIDS from blood transfusion is very low.
- The use of blood for transfusions is safe and effective.
- People who have had a sexual relationship with someone who has AIDS are at risk for developing the disease.

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Mr. Castro, part 2: On Gays in Film

by Peniel Kimmel

The interviewer's "lights up." When it comes to smoking, for insurance, (Mr. Novikoff's knowledge and experience) for my choice. You smile from Hollywood for a two-night stand at the Plush Room. She opened big "Talk Back," a recounting of her European jaunt. Not a standup comedian, Whoopi's language is strong, but she doesn't use a word that isn't appropriate to its square characters. All and a cinemascopio width inappro...
Grandsounding at the Opera

by Bill Black

Theater McGee will wrap its season Saturday with the first performance of the season at the Opera in the Park. The GCBF Foundation of San Francisco has made it possible for the organization to present the opera for free. The production will feature the talents of the world-renowned Caroelli and Domingo. The opera, which is set in ancient Greece, tells the story of the love between the god Dionysus and the mortal woman Alcestis. The production will feature a cast of 20, including the famous tenor Luciano Pavarotti. The opera will be performed in Italian, with English subtitles. The production is accompanied by a large orchestra, conducted by a world-renowned maestro. The opera is a true masterpiece, and the audience is eagerly awaiting its presentation. This is a rare opportunity to see a live performance of this classic opera, and it is not to be missed.
The first Los Angeles Tennis Association open singles championship was held over Labor Day weekend. The tournament, which drew players from as far away as Miami, offered some first class tennis. The final was an especially dramatic match and one eagerly awaited by the gay tennis world. Number one seeded Jim Asher advanced through his half of the draw with ease, as did number two seeded Arnie Barba. Asher had established himself as a force in gay tennis when he captured the men's singles title at the first Gay Games. Barba didn't attend the gay games last year, but tennis buffs were still speculating about the outcome of at Asher-Barba match-up.

Following a move to the L.A. area, Asher is one of the 1983 U.S. Open Gay Tournament, which is offered by the San Francisco-based Gay Tennis Federation. Barba had also entered this year's "Openly" but was forced to default mid-match in the quarter-finals because of a pulled muscle. Barba has already established quite a record for himself in the gay tennis world. He won the 1982 "U.S. Open," and was the number one seed. Barba is one of the strongest L.A. team. With his powerful strokes and blocking serve, many players in the L.A. tournament regarded him as unbeatable.

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How can you tell who’s a carrier? You probably can’t. Most carriers seem to be perfectly healthy, and many are themselves unaware that they harbor the virus.

Once you get hepatitis B, there’s no specific treatment for it. But now there’s something you can do to help protect yourself.

DON’T TAKE A CHANCE—CONTACT YOUR DOCTOR OR CLINIC AND ASK ABOUT THE HEPATITIS B VACCINE.

It is highly effective in those who receive all three shots. Do it today because you never know where or when you’ll make contact with a carrier.

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Studies showed that the vaccine protected against infection caused by hepatitis B virus in 85% to 90% of those who received the required three shots.

Hepatitis B virus is an important cause of viral hepatitis, a disease mainly of the liver. Even mild forms of this disease may lead to serious complications and aftereffects, including liver cancer. There is no specific treatment for viral hepatitis.

Vaccination is recommended for persons who have a higher risk of becoming infected with hepatitis B virus because of frequent, close contact with infected people or exposure to body fluids from such people. It will not protect against hepatitis caused by viruses other than hepatitis B virus.

Because of the long incubation period for hepatitis B, it is possible for unrecognized infection to be present at the time the vaccine is given. The vaccine may not prevent hepatitis B in such patients.

This message is brought to you as a public service by The American Liver Foundation. If you’d like more information about hepatitis B and the vaccine, call The American Liver Foundation at (201) 857-2626.

In over 200,000 people are estimated to have received the vaccine since its release, and the vaccine continues to be generally well tolerated. Hepatitis B has a long incubation period, and unrecognized infection may already be present at the time the vaccine is given. This, reported cases of hepatitis B have been reported rarely. Serious illnesses affecting the nervous system—including Guillain-Barré syndrome—have been reported rarely, but no cause and effect relationship has been established.