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Police Seize Mailing List FREE FORUM BOOKS RAIDED

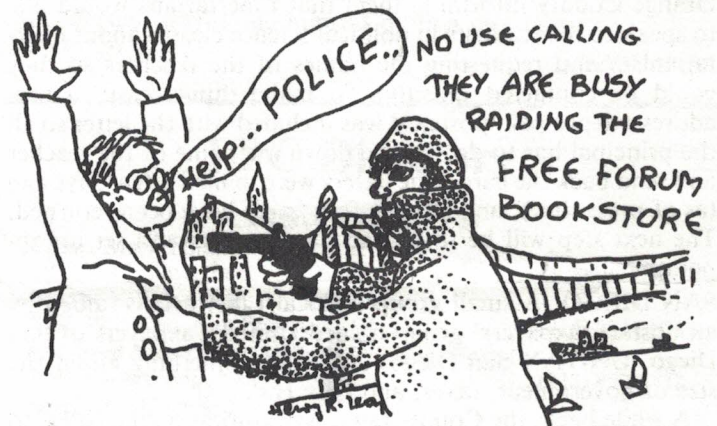
SAN FRANCISCO: Free Forum Books, one of two bookstores in the state specializing in libertarian material, was raided by the San Francisco Police on Friday, Oct. 23. No charges have been filed against owner Jim Peron, chair of the San Francisco/Marin County LP, or against the store, but important items confiscated during the course of the raid have not been returned.

Armed with a warrant, the police arrived Friday morning, at about 10:00 a.m. to arrest a part-time employee, David Simons, on "morals charges." They claimed to be looking for kiddie porn, pictures of juveniles, and "sexual devices" all said to belong to Simons. Although they discovered none of these, they did find and take Jim's address book, the petitions to Gov. Deukmejian requesting a pardon for Norma Jean, pledge cards for Groundswell (the movement to establish a free market society in South Africa), the mailing list for the bookstore itself, the audio tapes of the Libertarians for Gay and Lesbian Concerns Convention, the video tape of the Ron Paul TV commercial and the *New Enlightenment* video tapes. His attorney observed that the warrant reads like a warrant for an adult bookstore, but what they took was definitely political.

Jim was not even told the raid was in progress. Friday is his day off, but he always calls in to see how things are going. That day he called at about 11:00 a.m., and a police woman told him there was no bookstore at that number. When he identified himself as the owner she put him on hold, then never came back. He drove to the store, saw what was happening, and promptly contacted a lawyer. The police spent seven hours at the store, "going through everything," says Jim. "It's bizarre. They found nothing illegal, we don't sell anything illegal, but they took things anyway."

Jim notified the *Bay Guardian*, a left-wing paper in Berkeley that always professes outrage against political harassment and First Amendment violations. His report to the editor raised barely a murmur: "Oh, yes, I'll hand it along to the reporters, and if anyone wants to cover it they'll phone you." So far, no one has. "You know," says Jim, "if the cops raided the local Marxist bookstore and took a pamphlet you'd hear the screams clear to the Supreme Court."

He plans to press charges against the San Francisco Police Department on grounds of illegal search and seizure, but



meanwhile has to get his possessions back. The police won't simply hand things over to him with an apology. Jim has to file through the court and that will cost at least \$2,000. Donations are desperately needed. Please help. Address: Free Forum Books, 1800 Market St. San Francisco, 94102. Tele: (415) 864-0952.

Future of Freedom Conference

The Constitution in Crisis is the theme of the 15th Future of Freedom Conference, to be held Friday, Nov. 13, through Sunday, Nov. 15 at the Pacifica Hotel and Conference Center, Culver City (near L.A. Intl. Airport).

This year's speakers include well-known libertarians Barbara Branden, Peter Breggin, L. Neil Smith, Jeff Hummel, George Smith, Alan Bock, Butler Shaffer, and Peggy Poor (ed., *Upright Ostrich*) and Andrew Melechinsky (ed., *Constitutional Revival*).

Highlight's include a mock-Constitutional Convention debate portraying Federalists and anti-Federalists and a "trial" of public education between libertarian attorney Don Cook and Ron Apperson, attorney for the L.A. Unified School District. Guests of honor at the gourmet banquet (Sat. evening) will be Barbara Branden and Peter Breggin.

For more information, please see the ad in last month's *CLNews* or contact Dagny Enterprises, (714) 531-1807.

News and Events from the Regions

ExCom Meeting

The Executive Committee of the Libertarian Party of California will meet in Visalia, November 7 and 8, at the Holiday Inn on Park Plaza, next to both the airport and State Highway 99. A dinner is planned for Saturday evening (\$10), and a luncheon will be available Sunday (\$12).

Saturday is set aside for various committee meetings, with the full ExCom meeting on Sunday. All meetings are open to members of the LPC. For more information, call your regional chair or Melinda Pillsbury-Foster, (818) 892-5418.

Here and There

ORANGE COUNTY: Many high school teachers welcome outside speakers to present different points of view. With this in mind, Orange County Libertarians have started a speakers program for high schools. The first step has been to send a letter of introduction to the principals of all 74 high schools in Orange County informing them that Libertarians would like to speak to the students in political science classes about libertarianism and requesting the names of the teachers so they could be contacted directly. To make things easy, a pre-addressed/pre-paid postcard was included with the letter so all the principal has to do is write down the name of the teacher and send back the card. The letters were mailed a few days ago (as of press time), and already four cards have been returned. The next step will be to contact the teachers and set up appointments.

SAN DIEGO: A small group of local Libertarians (aided by an upstart taxpayers' group named United Taxpayers of San Diego, UN-TAX San Diego) are doing something about the size of government, taxes, and City Hall.

A while back, the County put a proposition on the ballot to raise the sales tax to fund new jail construction. The politicians and the "establishment" were for it, but Libertarians rallied and took the opportunity to write a ballot argument in opposition to the proposition. With no money and little effort, the proposition was defeated. Those few well-reasoned paragraphs and Libertarian signatures convinced 49% of the voters to reject the politicians' scheme. Thanks to Prop. 13, the proponents needed to have the proposition pass by a two-thirds majority, and therefore the effort was foiled.

Unfortunately, the politicians are back, like a bad cold. They want to increase the sales tax in the county from six% to 6½% for 20 years. It's called Prop. A. This time the hard-

hitting UN-TAX/Libertarian ballot argument was rejected by the Registrar of Voters in favor of a wishy-washy one by a "slow-growth" group.

But voters in the city of San Diego will be seeing officers of the LPC and UN-TAX as signatories of the ballot arguments in opposition to Prop. B and C — two massive bond issues for Balboa Park and Mission Bay Park. A good portion of the money will not go to maintain or improve the park, but instead to maintain and improve the buildings that are used by the museums, offices, and restaurants that should be self-supporting, not subsidized by taxpayers.

Fortunately, Prop. 13 is still in force in San Diego, and these bond issues will require a two-thirds approval. History is on our side in that, since Prop. 13, no bond issue has been passed in that city.

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Alameda County Fights Back

Marion McEwen

Hold on to your seats. Alameda County has put together an 11th-hour campaign against the County's Measure C which would raise the spending limit set by Gann's Prop. 4 in 1979. There is no opposing argument in the Voter Pamphlet, and the argument in favor is signed by the president of the Alameda County Taxpayers Association. So we are up against the people who might normally be on our side. We have several things going for us: 1. It is very late in the game (the election is Nov. 3), so little can be done to oppose our efforts; 2. Alameda chair Mike Tejeda has a good letter-to-the-editor campaign started and one of the editorial staff on the Oakland Tribune is a libertarian; 3. We have raised just barely enough money for 750 professionally printed signs to be posted 10 days before the election; and the big 4 — Nobody, it seems is expecting any opposition. Mind you, 750 signs is a small number for a county-wide issue, but we have high hopes. Election results at 11 — no, I mean in the next issue.

November Hikes

LOS ANGELES: Saturday, Nov. 14, 9:45 a.m., Sam Merrill Trail to Echo Mountain. Before the turn of the century, Echo Mountain was known as the White City. Visitors to two hotels and the Mount Lowe Observatory were hoisted up on an incline railway. We'll hike up to the ruins of White City, and if the day is clear there's a magnificent view of Los Angeles clear to Catalina Island. Plenty of rest stops and shade. Contact: Alan Pendleton, (213) 392-2181, or Ed Ogawa, (805) 373-2483.

BAY AREA: Saturday, Nov. 14, 10:00 a.m., Las Trampas Regional Park. The park is between Danville and Oakland and features panoramic views of the San Ramon Valley. Oak forests, grasslands, and chaparral. 4-5 miles round trip. Contact: Brian Marrs, (415) 825-3230.

SAN DIEGO: Because of the Thanksgiving Weekend, the hike will be held the first Saturday in December. Details next month, or call Sara Baase, (619) 460-9136.

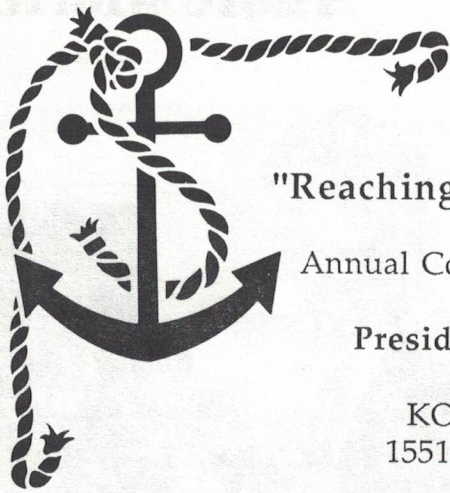
• **Important Disclaimer:** These hikes are not an officially sponsored activity of the Libertarian Party. Each person's safety is his or her own responsibility. So step carefully and resist that urge to run barefoot through poison oak.

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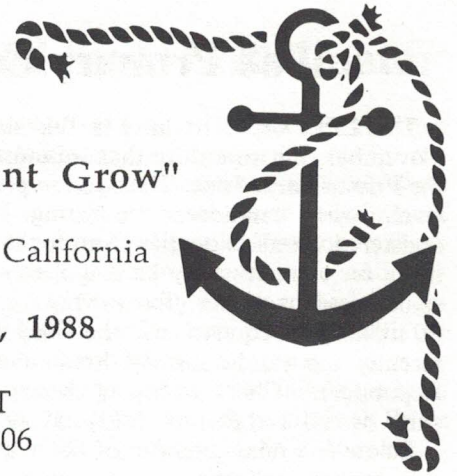
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1988 Primary Calendar

The LPC hopes to have a full slate of candidates next November, but to ensure that we must run our candidates in the Primary next June. The election process begins at the local level, with candidates collecting enough signatures of registered voters to qualify them for the ballot. There is also a filing fee, but this may be completely or partially off-set by signatures of voters eligible to vote for the office. The number of signatures required and the filing fees are calculated differently for candidates of the smaller parties than for the Republicrats. Check with your county registrar, your regional chair or call Ted Brown, (213) 257-8922, for details.

Below is a mini-calendar of dates and deadlines for taking out papers, collecting signatures and getting them to the registrar of voters.

January 1 through February 25: Period for securing signatures in lieu of filing fees (or at the time of filing Declaration of Intention or taking out Nomination Papers)

February 1 through February 10: Period for filing Declaration of Intention (Judicial and Legislative offices)

February 16 through March 11: Period for obtaining and filing nomination documents (all offices)

June 7, 1988: Election Day

NOTE: Because the Registrar of Voters Office will be closed January 1 through 3, candidates may obtain master petition forms for signatures in lieu of filing fees on December 31, for use on or after January 1.

Break the Education Monopoly

The LPC is backing an important initiative to be placed before the voters in Nov. 1988. It's the Education Tax Credit Initiative, developed by Richard Arnold, an ExCom member, whose profession is organizing signature gathering efforts both in California and nationwide.

Arnold has formed an organization — Californians for Quality Education (CQE) — to field the initiative, and he is the Executive Director. In August, the state ExCom formally endorsed the proposed initiative and advanced \$1,500 to get it started. David Bergland, LP presidential candidate in 1984, has been working on the final draft. Perry Willis, former LP National Director, has signed on as a Deputy Director of CQE. Fundraising by David and Perry is already underway, and the professional firm of Alexis Thompson and Associates has been recruited to do phone fundraising.

Arnold writes: "Aside from fund raising our most important concern is grass-roots organizing. You can help in several ways." CQE needs endorsements of various groups and committees which libertarians may belong to. CQE would also like to hold a reception in your area to explain the initiative, recruit volunteers and raise money. Volunteers are also needed for phone polling now and signature gathering in January when the drive begins. Space in newsletters is also being requested.

If you can help or for more information, contact Californians for Quality Education, 1020 Second St., Encinitas, 92024. Tele: (619) 753-9192 or 753-8359.



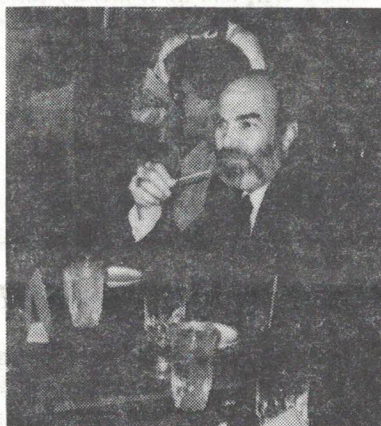
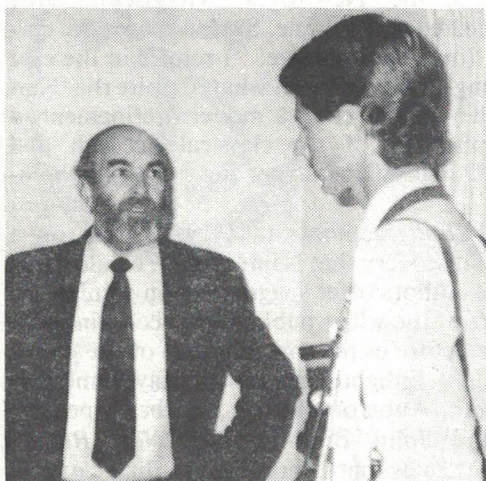
Andre Marrou with reporters and friends, Ventura Co.
Photo Credit: Sandi Webb

In early October LP Vice Presidential Candidate made an early whistle-stop tour through Southern California, making media appearances and meeting with local Libertarians.

In San Diego, first stop on the tour (Oct. 9), he was guest of honor at a cocktail party at the home of Dick Rider, where several hundred dollars were raised. During his stay he was interviewed by the *San Diego Union*. Next evening, there was a fundraiser at the home of Ed and Alicia Clark in San Marino, where about 40 Libertarians gathered for a delicious buffet dinner. Over \$1,000 was collected for the campaign.

A specially arranged meeting with Norma Jean Almodovar at Frontera Prison was a highlight of the tour, on Sunday. Although Norma Jean been allowed few visitors, it took only three days after formal application for the prison officials to cut the red tape and permit Andre a few hours with her. Andre had met Norma Jean under happier circumstances at the Illinois State Convention earlier this year. This time, accompanied by Larry Leathers (who helped cut some of the red tape at the prison), he was able to talk with her for several hours, although it took about two and a half just to get into the prison enclosure where they were to sit. Cameras and tape

Visits Southland



Daniel Named State Coordinator

Bruce Daniel, former chair of Placer County LP, has been asked by Alicia Clark, National Coordinator Liason for the Ron Paul for President campaign, to serve as California State Coordinator — the liason between state local coordinators and the Ron Paul campaign headquarters in Houston. "There are jobs for everyone in the campaign," says Bruce, and he is asking for the names of local activists willing to be local coordinators. They would handle local events, contacts with the media, etc. The goal is to have a local coordinator in every county and city in the state. Anyone interested in being a local coordinator or in other work on the campaign can reach Bruce at P.O. Box 165, Loomis, 95650; tele: (916) 663-2568, eve.

Update on Almodovar

Norma Jean Almodovar has been moved from Frontera to a low-security facility at nearby Norco, which is primarily a drug rehabilitation center. She's expected to take a number of classes and has chosen word processing. As of presstime *CLNews* has not learned her new address, but letters to her can still be sent to the one at Frontera: Norma Jean Almodovar, W27022 Miller A 43 L, 16756 Chino Corona Road, Frontera, 91720.

According to Larry Leathers, chair of Friends of Norma Jean Committee, she can receive books, magazines (not more than one or two at a time), stationary and pre-stamped envelopes. Please don't send her money. She's not permitted to accept it. Her appeal is in progress, and both money and volunteers are urgently needed. Everything, it seems, costs money. Not only attorney fees, but things like xeroxing of documents can really run up a tab. To help, please phone Larry, (213) 3921914, or her brother Neil Wright (213) 389-4495.

3,000th Caller Rings Liberty Bell

The number of callers to Liberty Bell passed the 3,000 mark at the end of September. That's the computer bulletin board service (BBS) of the Santa Clara County LP. Those of you with a modem are encouraged to make use of Liberty Bell. It can be reached at (408) 243-1933. Use "8,N,1" parameter; 300, 1200, and 2400 baud service is available. Liberty Bell is part of the Fido Network: Fido 143/6.

The editors of the *Freeman Magazine* have kindly made numerous articles and op-ed pieces available to Liberty Bell users. They are available for your reading or down-loading pleasure. In addition, you can read announcements of upcoming events and pending legislation (often more timely than can appear in this newsletter), discussion of libertarian and general political issues, and miscellaneous information. Donations are always needed to keep the Liberty Bell ringing. Send to LPC/Santa Clara County; 2156 The Alameda, Suite B; San Jose, 95126.

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recorders were prohibited. How is she doing? "She seems to be keeping up her spirits — she's adapting pretty well," Andre reports.

In Ventura County Libertarians went all out in arranging media coverage. Andre was on the move both Monday and Tuesday, and was interviewed by the six daily papers in the county, plus there was a 70-second piece on Channel 63 News. Monday evening a special reception was held at home of Saul Rackauskas.

It was a highly successful four days, and plenty of thanks is in order: to the Riders, the Clarks, and the Rackauskas for the use of their homes for the fundraising events; to Libertarian caterer Stan Nathanson, (818) 341-4698, who provided the wonderful food at the Clarks (Stan donated the liquor and charged only for the food itself — not for the labor that went into its preparation); to Pat Wright, the Clarks, and Dan Weiner and Sandi Webb — for providing comfortable accommodations in their homes; to Sandi Webb and Gail Lightfoot who provided transportation on Sunday and Monday; and to Melinda Pillsbury-Foster for coordinating much of the weekend schedule.

The Book Shelf

The "New Right" Enlightenment

Richard A. Cooper

The following review is extremely abridged from the original. We apologize for being unable to publish it in its entirety due to space limitations, but felt it was of sufficient interest to run even in truncated form. — Editor.

The "New Right" Enlightenment: Young Writers on "The Specter Haunting the Left," Arthur Seldon, ed. Sevenoaks, Kent, England: Economic and Literary Books.

Distributed by the Alternative Book Shop, 3 Langley Court, Covent Garden, London WC2E 9JY, England. \$9.00 surface mail inclusive; \$13.50 air mail inclusive.

"Today a spectre is haunting the political 'Left.' Throughout Western Europe and North America the traditional, socialist Left is in retreat before a new political movement. In the war of ideas, socialism is losing ground and is increasingly lacking in confidence and intellectual vigour." This challenge laid down by Stephen Davies, Lecturer at Manchester Polytechnic, typifies the contributions in *The "New Right" Enlightenment* — erudite, confident, and lively.

The spirit expressed in this work boldly defies socialism and Toryism. Most of the essayists champion libertarianism, the new political movement to which Stephen Davies alluded. These British libertarians form a young, witty, and well-educated group of diverse social and ethnic backgrounds.

The thesis advanced by these young writers is that the Left is bankrupt, both in Britain and elsewhere. The check was presented and the promises of the Left gone unsatisfied. . . Britain tried socialism, Keynesianism, and "One Nation" Toryism. All these statist, corporatist, and collectivist nostrums of yesteryear have failed to make a better world. Instead, their legacy is an injured society. The authors suggest that the welfare state produced unintended consequences, which were both undesirable and unforeseen, at least by the statists.

The "New Right" tag is rejected by most of the essayists, who note that it is a pejorative label coined by their opponents on the Left. Chris Tame points out that in his lifetime the "New Right" label has been fastened on a motley collection of intellectual and political tendencies which include: Chicago School economics, the French "New Philosophers", sociobiologists, the Moral Majority of Jerry Falwell, Irving Kristol's conservative welfare statists, and libertarians. . .

Norma Jean

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The story has yet another ironic twist. Not long ago the local historical society awarded (posthumously) a local madame for special "services" to the community during World War II — which included, but was not limited to, taking trays of sandwiches to the waterfront for the sailors on shore leave. Madame Fifi ran a full-scale operation, with one brother who was an obstetrician and another brother, an attorney, who was able to arrange adoptions.

So, Madame Fifi is honored by the community, Ms. Black — in the same line of work — has her property ripped off, and Norma Jean must forfeit three years of her life because she's writing a book about the LAPD. Is there a moral anyone?

Arthur Seldon's Institute for Economic Affairs played a leading role in the rise of the "New Right." He assembled the young writers who created this volume. Seldon places the current movement in historical perspective: "I rejoice in the ease with which these young people write on what, despite the 'New Right' in the title, they and I see as a modern refinement, a sharpening and application of the classical Scottish and English Scottish and English liberalism: the New Enlightenment."

The "New Right" Enlightenment takes the reader on a voyage of intellectual discovery that is interesting, exhilarating and provocative. The authors offer suggestions on gaining the attention and support of the wider public which contain some promise. . . We have before us the contributions of the young writers of a New Right Enlightenment who may some day rank with Adam Smith, Auberon Herbert, Herbert Spencer, Richard Cobden and John Bright. *The "New Right" Enlightenment* demonstrates that libertarianism, like classical liberalism, has international appeal.

Richard Cooper holds a degree in European intellectual history. His reviews have run in the *San Francisco Review of Books*, *Midstream*, *The Washington Times*, etc., and he is literary editor of *Humanist Century* (P.O. Box 84116, San Diego, 922138; \$10/year).



But Can They Cook?

Liberated Cooking, edited by Marty Zupan and Lou Villadsen. Reason Foundation, 2716 Ocean Park Blvd., #1062, Santa Monica, 90405. \$8.95 (California residents, add 6% sales tax).

Lou Villadsen and Marty Zupan of *Reason Magazine* have compiled a collection of favorite recipes of libertarian luminaries from all over the world. "It's meant to be fun for the libertarian movement," say the co-editors, who obtained recipes for the favorite dishes of Ron Paul, Ayn Rand, Murray Rothbard, Bob Poole, Ed Clark, Milton Friedman, and Robert Heinlein, and many others.

There's sure to be something for every kind of cook in this unique cookbook. Recipes range in complexity from an "untitled" contribution from Karl Hess (a self-described "kitchen klutz") to Zupan's own three-page recipe for a fabulous chocolate-hazelnut tort.

Recipes are arranged under headings such as "Anarchist Appetizers", "Enterprising Entrees", and "Buyer Beware Breads", and are accompanied by humorous, historical and heartfelt comments from the libertarians who cook and consume these liberated combinations.

Rock Group to Organize

Do you play lead guitar, back-up, bass, drums? How about singing or songwriting? Musicians are wanted to form a libertarian (objectivist?) pop/rock group to publicize libertarian ideas in the entertainment industry. Possible gigs at the San Diego LPC Convention in February. For more information contact Kim Goldsworthy, (818) 280-5633.

Norma Jean and the Redondo Beach CRA

A Story of Networking

Sarah E. Foster

What connection does Norma Jean Almodovar have with the community redevelopment agency of Redondo Beach? Well, none directly, but the following account shows the strange ways our lives can overlap and how one thing leads to another

On Oct. 6, I received a call from one Tom O'Leary of Redondo Beach (a city in Region 66) asking if I'd like to address the Redondo Beach city council/redevelopment agency which was meeting that very night to discuss a proposed redevelopment area. I agreed, despite the short notice. And how did Mr. O'Leary get my name? He had called the LP national office, which referred him to Region 66 chair Sam Treynor, who referred him to me. Why? because Mr. O'Leary had recently heard about the Libertarian Party and thought we might be against "too much big government in our lives." Word does get around.

Before the meeting I looked at the agenda and the various memos and realized that I was expected to speak out on a rather fine point of redevelopment law which I knew to be over my head. However, I was able to contact a sympathetic attorney who supplied Mr. O'Leary — at 8:00 p.m. — with the information necessary to side-track the local redevelopment pushers, at least for a time.

Back home, there was a call in from Larry Leathers, chair of the Friends of Norma Jean Committee. Larry had learned of some goings-on in, of all places, Redondo Beach. Seems that on a commercial street called Aviation Blvd., a woman named Jennifer Lin Black had for 15 years operated a business called Stardust Studio for nude modeling and body painting. She had about nine women working for her and owned the property (a 10,000-square foot lot) the building was on. With a little help from D.A. Ira Reiner's office, the Redondo Beach cops had recently raided and closed her establishment, charging Ms. Black and her employees with a total of *81 felony counts*, including pandering, pimping, soliciting, "lewd" acts, you name it. Ms. Black was looking at a possible jail sentence of 54 years in the slammer. The other women faced similarly Draconian sentences.

Ms. Black never spent a day in jail, nor did her employees. She pleaded no contest to the charges and, after paying a fine and promising to get out of the business of running a brothel, was released on three years' probation. Isn't it strange that Mr. Reiner didn't demand that she be given the mandatory sentence for pandering (three years imprisonment) he insisted upon in Norma Jean's case for only *one* felony count?

But there's more. According to the local newspaper, Ms. Black's business on Aviation Blvd. just happened to be in the proposed redevelopment zone. Also, it just happened that city councilman Archie Snow knew a developer, Wayne McNeill, who was all heart. Knowing Ms. Black needed money for legal fees, McNeill was kind enough to step in and buy her property at what he describes as "a favorable sales price." He plans to build a 6,000-square-foot office building on the site. A photo in the paper shows Snow attacking the building with a sledge hammer while McNeill looks on, proud of having successfully won a fight against "blight." A cynic might suggest that the whole brouhaha against Ms. Black was motivated, just maybe, by the fact that her property was in a proposed redevelopment zone and would be soon highly valued, and that McNeill was doing himself quite a nice favor.

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Alameda	Thu., Nov. 12	Program to be Announced	Mike Tejada	415/531-0760
Butte			Mark Sweany	916/345-9970
Contra Costa		No Meeting Scheduled for November	John Corl	415/223-4112
Fresno			Tim Salzer	209/233-4393
Kern			Craig Gifford	805/832-6231
Lake			Randall Grindle	707/994-4817
Los Angeles County (Regions 61-67)				
-61, San Fernando Valley	Thu., Nov. 12	Marshall Fritz: How Libertarianism Can Win	John Vernon	818/780-9943
-62, West L.A.	Thu., Nov. 19	Kim Goldsworthy: The Inside Story of the Constitution	Neal Donner	213/477-6462
-63, Foothills	Tue., Nov. 17	George Ogawa (Japanese-Amer. League): Why Reparations are Just — a Response to the Sept. Speaker	Kim Goldsworthy	818/280-5644
-64, Central L.A.	Thu., Nov. 12	Education Tax Credit Initiative: Speaker TBA	Ted Brown	213/257-8922
-65, Downey		Call County Chair for Program Information	Lee Connelly	714/994-3256
-66, South Bay	Thu., Nov. 19	Sarah Foster: Redevelopment Agencies in the South Bay	Sam Treynor	213/546-2846
-67, East San Gabriel Valley			Gail Lightfoot	714/623-5067
Marin	Wed. Nov. 4	George Smith: The Constitution — A Revolution Betrayed? (Free Marin Forum)	Dan Dougherty*	415/457-1411
Monterey			Bob Ratto	408/424-9346
Orange	Thur. Nov. 12	Call County Chair for Program Information	Lee Connelly	714/994-3256
Placer		Jeff Hummel: The Culture of Liberty (Liberty Forum Supper Club)	Jack Dean*	714/871-0371
Riverside/San Bernardino Counties			Dennis Schlumpf*	916/525-6202
Sacramento			Ron Holman	714/684-5218
San Diego	Tue., Nov. 10	Michael Gore: The Private Police of Imperial Beach	Roger Pope	916/921-1776
	Fri., Nov. 17	Business Meeting	Dick Rider*	619/276-7166
San Diego (No. Co.)	Tue., Nov. 24	Ed Gillet: Quest for Freedom	Pat Wright	619/295-9510
San Francisco/Marin Counties	Wed., Nov. 11	Video Tape: Title to be Announced	Paul King*	619/433-7252
	Sat., Nov. 14	Free Exchange: Topic and Speaker TBA	Jim Peron	415/864-0952
San Luis Obispo			George O'Brien*	415/731-3031
San Mateo			Clyde Steele	805/541-8892
Santa Barbara			Lyn Sapowsky	415/368-8148
Santa Clara	Wed., Nov. 25	Business Meeting	Brian Garrity	805/928-0311
Santa Cruz			Steve Alexander	408/554-1119
Solano			Bill Anderson	408/476-9753
Sonoma			Mark Moberg	707/864-1673
Tulare			Jim Oglesby	707/823-5261
Ventura	Thu., Nov. 5	Harry Pollard: Why the Free-Market Always Fails	Vicky Daley	209/688-4159
Yolo			George Hasara	805/525-6321
			Bryce Bigwood	916/756-9283

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