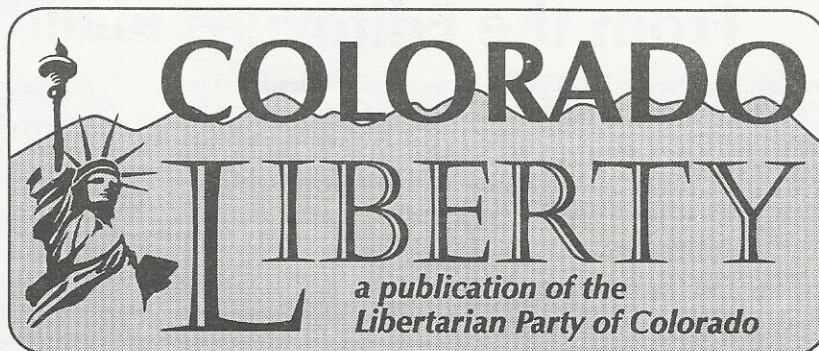


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Libertarian Party Membership at All-time High

by Larry Hoffenberg, LPC Membership Director

Any way you slice it, membership in the Libertarian Party is booming. Here's a recap of how fast we've been growing and where we stand at year-end 1995. More details can be found on the charts on pages 6 and 7.

★Total dues-paying membership in the National Libertarian Party is at an all-time high, surging to 13,658 at December 31, 1995—up 28.4% from year-end 1994.

★Dues-paying members in Colorado reached 432 at December 31, 1995—up 23.8% from year-end 1994. Colorado places 11th among the 50 states.

★Using a more relevant measure, *Colorado ranks third in dues-paying members as a percent of the state's total population*, with 118 members per million population. Colorado is a national Libertarian stronghold!

★Colorado is the only state to show year to year gains in paid membership in each of the past six years. While other states have had their ups and downs, only Colorado has achieved this unbroken six-year streak of paid membership gains.

★Libertarian voter registrations in Colorado are also at an all-time high, expanding to 2,130 at December 12, 1995. This level represents two small but noteworthy achievements—reaching the 2,000 mark for the first time, and also breaking through the important 1/10 of 1% of total registered voters level.

★In the past two years, total voter registrations in Colorado have increased by 11%. During that period, Libertarian registrations are up 27%, Republican registrations are up 15%, and Democratic registrations are up only 3%. We've grown

see **Party Membership**, page 6

Dilger, Riggs, and Donze Help Smash Goal

Successful "Each One Reach One" Project Extended

by Richard G. Combs

The LPC's "Each One Reach One" membership growth project has more than doubled its modest but realistic original goal, thanks to the enthusiastic participation of a few "over-achievers" who've sent in many names. Because of their efforts, Membership Director Larry Hoffenberg plans to continue the project and aim for a new, higher goal.

"I guess Deron Dilger inspired some people," said Hoffenberg, "and I'd like to see if their outstanding contributions will inspire others, too."

Hoffenberg said that, after last month's issue reported Dilger's contribution of eleven names to the project, Kenton Riggs submitted 16 names and Terry Donze sent in 50. "I want to thank all three of them, especially Terry Donze," Hoffenberg said. "Between them, they account for 77 of the approximately 100 names we've received. Thanks to their efforts, this project is already a big success."

The original goal of the project was to collect the names of 40

see **Each One Reach One**, page 5



From the Editor:

Last month, Dennis Polhill's front-page article introduced you to a worthy initiative, the Petition Rights Amendment. As he mentioned, PRA petitions are being circulated jointly with Doug Bruce's tax credit initiative. This measure consists of a single sentence of 75 words—let's see them accuse Bruce of being too complex and convoluted this time!

The tax credit measure simply establishes a \$60 annual tax credit, not to exceed the amount owed, for every ownership tax, personal property tax, telephone tax, income tax, abatements and refunds levy, and local social services and courts levy. The credit goes up by \$60 (per tax) per year. The fiscal impact is to *slow spending growth*, which is not as desirable as reversing it, perhaps, but it's a start. Please check out the insert in this issue and resolve to help these worthy causes. Either donate your money or your time, or get your local group together to petition for pay as an easy Libertarian fund-raising effort!

NEWS FLASH! I've just learned Harry Browne has taped an appearance on the Phil Donahue Show! The air date is uncertain, but is likely to be in the first half of February.

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To the Editor:

I, for one, was not satisfied with Harry Browne's response to Christine Shock on the issue of abortion. With one comment he grants me my freedom, but with another he takes it away. He says he does not advocate government restrictions on abortion, yet he, as President, would not oppose state laws preventing abortions. "An individual can escape what is wrong in his state by moving to another state..." so, I guess women enslaved by one state could move to another. I think there is a role for the federal government to protect personal liberty. Browne's position is equivocal because it implies that he would accept state regulation of female reproduction. Of course, he quickly gets past this touchy issue to use most of his response promoting his book and campaign (maybe he does have a talent for politics).

I long for a candidate with the balls (or ovaries) to stand up for the rights and freedom of women. I'd like someone to say women are not government cows—not federal cows, not state cows. We need not make abortion the primary issue of a Libertarian campaign, but I am tired of being dismissed as a disruption to the cause by focusing on "disagreements about wording, tactics, or the eventual destination."

Regulation of reproduction is an issue of personal enslavement for women. Speaking as a woman, I wish I received half the respect "pro-lifers" give embryos.

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————— Arapaho County —————

Rick Shaw has moved to Arapaho County and is interested in getting some things going there. Please call him at (303) 771-1920 (or e-mail to shaw.rick@tcinc.com) if you'd like to help.

————— Denver County —————

Long-time activist and Denver LP Chair David Segal has stepped down in order to devote his time to the new organization he helped form, Denver Parents for School Reform (DPSR). The group elected Campaigns Director Bert Wiener as the new Chair at the January meeting.

Segal continues as a regular host of Channel 12's "The Body Politic" on Sundays at 2:30 p.m. Watch for his interviews of interesting public figures (Harry Browne appeared last month); his own clear libertarian point of view is never lacking.

As part of its ongoing effort to restructure, the group's Executive Committee has announced a change sure to please those with a low boredom threshold: no lengthy business meeting at the regular monthly gathering!

Instead, the Executive Committee will conduct business on the Sunday before each meeting and report briefly to the membership. Wiener emphasized that the Sunday business meetings are open to any member who wishes to attend. They are tenta-

tively scheduled to be at David Aitken's condo. Call Wiener, (303) 934-3245, or Aitken, (303) 831-4334, for details.

In addition, the group will be having a cocktail party once a month beginning in February, also at Aitken's condo. Denver LP members can expect a mailing with all the details.

————— Routt County —————

Robert Jahelka and his group did an outstanding job with a coalition to defeat a \$104 million dollar school bond issue. The polls showed 1/3 for, 1/3 con, and 1/3 undecided. They raised money, ran radio ads, wrote letters, provided information (which the school board printed) on the long-term economic effects of the tax on individual wage earners, including renters (who did not think the tax would affect them).

The forces of reason prevailed, and the bond was defeated with a 60% vote, despite the fact that the good guys were outspent by 6 to 1! Big contributors supporting the tax included Bigelow & Co. (who would have underwritten the bond issue had it passed), and, big surprise, the CEA (Colorado Education Association). Congratulations to all of you!

————— San Luis Valley —————

Bob Johnson is pleased to report that the group, while still small, has tripled in size! They are busy planning activities for the spring (in particular a booth at a festival in Alamosa, and collecting signatures to get candidates on the ballot). Call Bob at (719) 379-2767 for more information.

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"Each One Reach One" Project Off to Good Start

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or more potential libertarians referred by existing members. "We wanted to set a modest, reachable goal," Hoffenberg explained. "We knew that, despite our best efforts and the best intentions of our members, many people just won't get around to sending in a name. We hoped a few would send us two or three, but we didn't anticipate the kind of commitment these three gentlemen have made."

"Thanks to them," Hoffenberg continued, "we've more than doubled our original goal already, and we've decided to continue the project. We hope their example will inspire others, and we hope to get a total of at least 150 referrals."

LPC Chairman David Aitken added his thanks to everyone who has participated, especially Dilger, Riggs, and Donze. "I hope," he continued, "that their example will inspire many others. Ask yourself, 'If Deron Dilger can send in 11 names, can't I send at least one? If Ken Riggs can send in 17, can't I think of two? If Terry Donze wants to share his convictions with 50 people, couldn't I share mine with five?' Think of the time and money Terry Donze invested; then, please, do your part—it only takes a minute to put the name and address of a friend, relative, or co-worker on the form, address an envelope, and slip a buck inside."

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Starting in January, we're initiating a special effort to expand our paid membership base. We've got 400 prime candidates in mind: lapsed members. With the help of several activists, we'll be phoning and asking each of them to rejoin the party. We're aiming for 100 membership renewals from this group.

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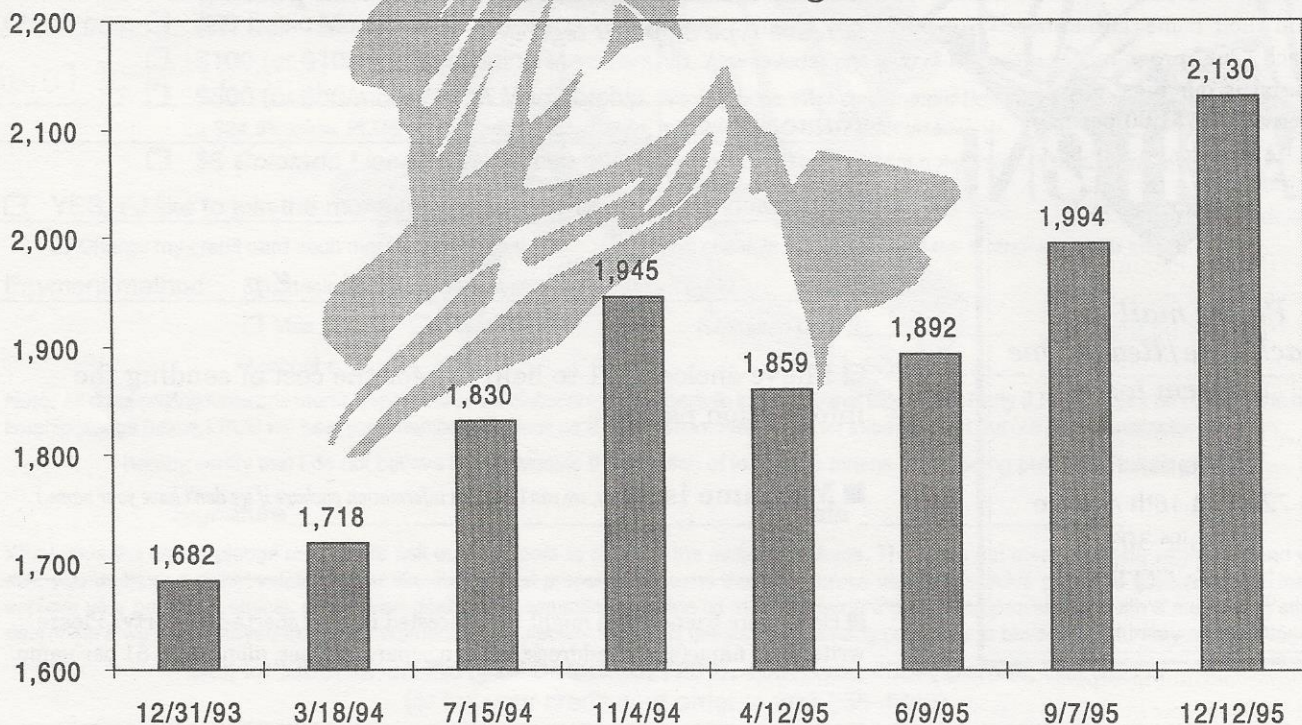
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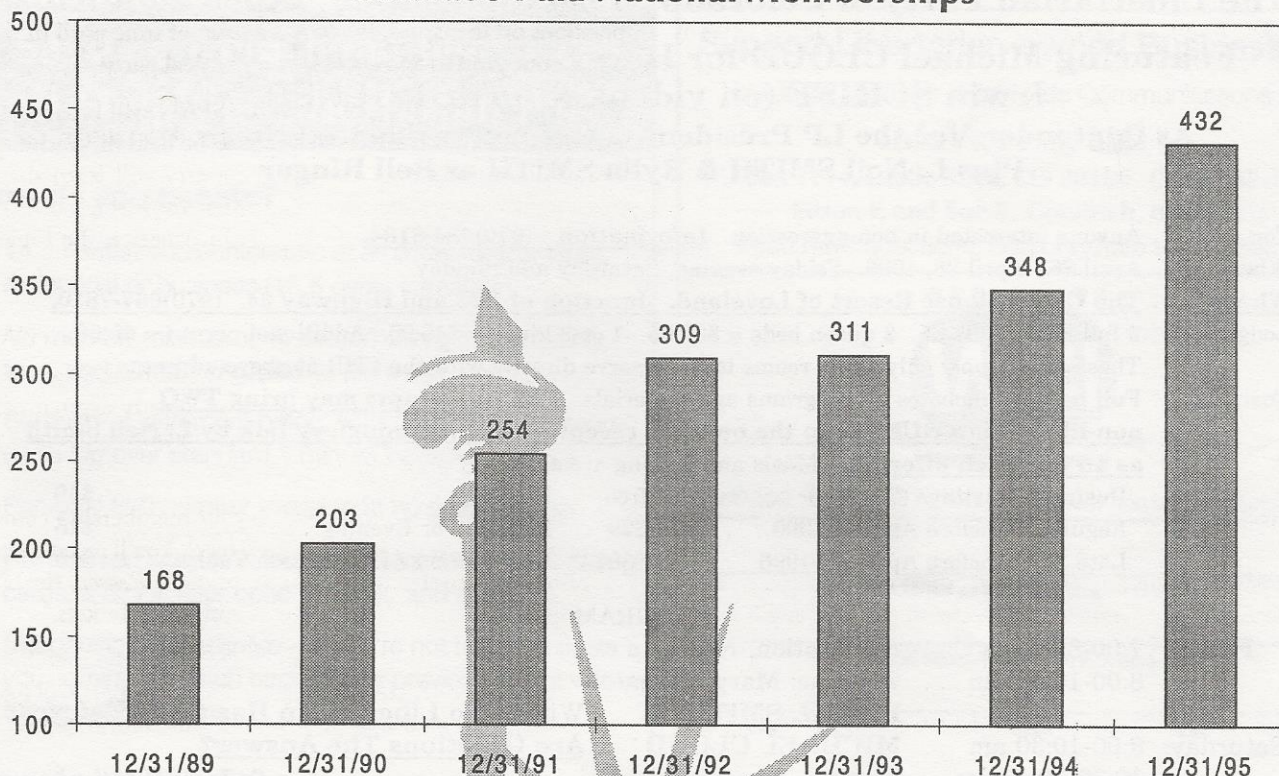
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12/12/95

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Green	249	0.012%
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Populist	21	0.001%
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1:30-2:30 pm . . . **MICHAEL CLOUD for HARRY BROWNE** Campaign Briefing: Issues & Progress

2:30-2:45 pm . . . break

2:45-3:45 pm . . . **RICK TOMPKINS** Key Issues

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Plan Now to Attend the '96 LPC Convention!

The annual state convention of the Libertarian Party of Colorado will take place April 26 to 28 at the Coach House Resort of Loveland. Now is the time to make plans to attend. See the full-page ad on page 8 for complete details.

As is appropriate for a presidential election year, the focus of this year's convention will be on the LP's candidates for national office. Presidential candidate Rick Tompkins and Vice Presidential candidate Jo Jorgensen will appear in person. Presidential candidates Irwin Schiff and Harry Browne have scheduling conflicts. Schiff will appear on video tape, and Browne will be represented by Michael Cloud, a long-time Libertarian campaign consultant, speech writer, and humorist.

Libertarian cheapskates (you know who you are!) will be pleased to see that the early registration fee is a paltry \$29 for the entire three days. Those who want to participate in the party's business meetings (always free), but not anything else, will find it more convenient this year, as all business will be conducted on Sunday, instead of being spread over two days.

Be forewarned, however, that you're short-changing yourself if you skip the introductory talk Friday evening by L. Neil Smith, the irascible, amusing, and challenging Libertarian science fiction author and head of the Libertarian Second Amendment Caucus. And you'll regret missing Michael Cloud's funny and eye-opening presentation Saturday morning on communicating libertarian ideas, "Are Questions the Answer?"

AARP Convention in Denver

The American Association of Retired Persons, which some describe as the single largest lobby for socialism in the U.S., is having its convention in Denver from May 21 to 23. If you'd be interested in participating in anti-AARP political activity, such as picketing or leafletting, contact:

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Miscellaneous Political Stuff

We still need volunteers to serve on our Constitution and Bylaws Committee and Platform Committee. Apply now to the Board of Directors, in care of the LPC office.

Anti-IRS crusader and presidential candidate Irwin Schiff is planning a trip to Denver in the next few months. Due to a scheduling conflict, he won't be able to attend the state convention, but will visit the area at some other time. Details later.

Kudos to...

Kenton Riggs, who sent 16 names and Terry Donze, who submitted 50 names to our "Each One Reach One" project! Wow!

Terry Donze also had a letter in both the *Denver Post* and the *Rocky Mountain News* pointing out that the Republicans had compromised their budget to the tune of \$390 billion in con-

cessions, while Clinton had moved \$36 billion farther away.

Dann Hayes, whose letter in the *Denver Post* set them straight about Lyndon LaRouche—he is not and has never been a Libertarian. Dann's letter, which included our phone number and urged readers to contact us for information about the LP, generated a flurry of calls. Thanks also to David Aitken, who quickly contacted the reporter responsible for the error and got a retraction in the next issue.

Everybody at the January Denver LP meeting, who helped with the (much-delayed) January *Colorado Liberty* mailing and with the mailing of about 700 fund-raising letters. Thanks, gang, we really appreciate your help!

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Clark Marley, (303) 420-8175.
- 6 Ft. Collins 1st Tue. Breakfast Club, Tony's, 224 South College,
7 a.m. Speaker. Pat Hartman, (970) 224-3116.
- 7 & 21 CSU Campus Libertarians, CSU Student Center.
Bruce Lockhart, (970) 223-7504.
- 12 & 26 Aurora LP, Shoney's, 13700 E. Mississippi, 7 p.m.
Doug Newman, (303) 363-4172.
- 13 Denver LP, Knights of Pythias Hall, 1127 S. Tejon, 7 p.m.
Bert Wiener, (303) 934-3245.
- 13 Summit County LP. Call John Sabal at (970) 262-6369 for time
and location.
- 14 Adams County Libertarians, Coco's at Northglenn Mall, 104th &
I-25, 7 p.m. Speaker: Jeffrey Newton, promoter of concealed
carry initiative. Earl Allen, (303) 254-4978.
- 14 & 28 Routt County Common Sense Club, Overlook Lodge, Steamboat
Springs, 7:30 p.m. Robert Jahelka, (970) 879-4127.
- 18 LPC Board of Directors meeting, Old Train Depot, 30th & Pearl,
Boulder, in conjunction with Boulder LP meeting, 5 p.m.
All party members are welcome to attend.
- 18 Boulder LP, Old Train Depot, 30th & Pearl, special meeting with
LPC board at 5 p.m., outreach meeting at 7 p.m. (303) 443-1870.
- 19 Ft. Collins 3rd Mon. Dinner Club, China Dragon Restaurant,
1401 W. Elizabeth, 7 p.m. Mary Margaret, (970) 484-8184.
- 21 San Luis Valley LP meeting, Forbes Park, 6:30 p.m.
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