California Public Supports Marijuana Reform Legislation Before State Senate

A recent analysis of public opinion on the marijuana laws conducted by the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws (NORML) shows majority support for reduction of penalties as provided for in major legislation to be voted on by the Senate Judiciary Committee next week.

The penalty reduction bill, Senate Bill 95, is authored by Senate Majority Leader George R. Moscone (Democrat-San Francisco), former Chairman of the Senate Select Committee on the Control of Marijuana. It will be heard at a Special Order of the Senate Judiciary Committee on Tuesday morning, February 11th, and is modeled after a similar law in Oregon.

NORML compiled a regional break-down of data originally collected by the Field Research Corporation in statewide surveys in 1969, 1972, and 1973 which found growing support for liberalized marijuana laws in all regions of California. The last survey conducted in November, 1973 — one year after the vote on Proposition 19 — showed 51 percent of all Californians favored liberalization of the present laws.

Three regions of the State — the San Francisco Bay Area, the South Central Coast, and most significantly, Los Angeles and Orange counties — shows solid majority support for relaxed laws.

"The regional break-down in Los Angeles, Orange and other counties in Southern California is especially encouraging," commented Gordon Brownell, West Coast Coordinator for NORML. "In each of the ten regions of the State, there have been dramatic increases in support for liberalized laws and equally substantial decreases among persons favoring tougher penalties. Since the last Field survey was taken fifteen months ago, the trend in shifting attitudes would indicate even greater support exists today for the moderate reform embodied in Senate Bill 95."

Under Senate Bill 95, penalties for possession of small amounts of marijuana would be reduced to an infraction, punishable by a $100 fine. While possession of even small amounts of marijuana would remain a crime in California, the practice of jailing persons charged with simple possession would be eliminated.

In Oregon, where a more liberal law has been in effect since October, 1973, simple possession of small amounts of marijuana is no longer a crime, and is punishable by a civil fine, with offenders receiving no arrest record. Two recently completed studies in Oregon, one by the Drug Abuse Council and the other by the Oregon Legislature, indicate the law is working well and that there has been no significant increase in marijuana use in the State since criminal penalties were removed for simple possession.

"While there as yet is no majority support in California for full decriminalization, which NORML is working towards," Brownell observed, "there is substantial consensus on all sides of the issue that individuals charged with possession of a small amount of marijuana for personal use should not be jailed and incarcerated. Though simple possession would continue to be a criminal offense under Senate Bill 95, it would end the most barbaric aspects of the present approach."

"Mere reduction of penalties to a misdemeanor is not a meaningful reform," Brownell added, "in that it would still clog the courts with close to 100,000 marijuana arrests annually and continue to take thousands of police officers off the streets to book simple possessors when they are needed on the streets and in the neighborhoods to combat the rise in serious crime against persons and property. As a practical matter, most simple possession cases are disposed of as

WIN $25

The Student Health Center is sponsoring its second blood drive for this year on Tuesday, February 11 from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in PS-121 between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. The Cops won the game, 71-68. For additional photos turn to Page 4.

Alcoholism Conference Planned at U.C.R.

By Owen Sheeran

For students who are planning a career in a medical or social science field, a conference on alcohol prevention, education, rehabilitation, medical aspects and alcoholism and the young. The purpose of the conference is to establish a broad base of knowledge about alcohol for professionals and students. Keynote speakers include, Katherine Pike, member of the Advisory Council to the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and
A.S.B. Corner

Day Care at CSCSB is not dead! Joe Sirna, ASB President, talked with Lt. Governor Dymally’s Educational Advisor Joe Bann, who was in Sacramento about the Board of Trustees’ action to block our day care center. In July 1974, the Board of Trustees denied a request of John Pfas, CSCSB President to waive the moratorium on temporary facilities (trailers) allowing CSCSB to operate a day care center on campus. Joe Sirna was disturbed by the action and promised that once all details were available to him, Lt. Governor Dymally, and Governor Brown, further action would be sought through influence on the Board of Trustees. So keep those anger letters and phone calls rolling in.

Beer and wine on campus may not be a reality. The CSUC Trustees were not about to permit the sale of beer and wine on campus, in fact they had resolved not to allow an already established task force to meet. Then Governor Brown got into the debate and voted (many other hands went up simultaneously) to at least let the task force meet and make recommendations to the Board in 60 days. During the discussion of this item, Governor Brown expressed his opinion that the campus president should be strong enough to make his own decision and if not then the person should be fired.

The Presidential Selection Advisory Committee (PSAC) is a Representative of Student Presidents Association was controversially discussed by the administration and then pressed to meet in Sacramento. A resolution to not allow student participation was made. Governor Brown was passed in the Staff and Faculty Affairs Committee. This was a defeat to the student presidents as currently Stanislaus campus is trying to select a new college president. Student presidents are attempting to place a student on the Selection Committee because students are directly affected by the Campus president. The matter was brought up before the full Board of Trustees the following day, and after much questioning by Governor Brown, the Board passed a resolution to add an extra seat for a student to the PSAC.

Disabled students meet this week

All students with a physical or a visual disability and all students on State Vocational Rehabilitation or Veteran’s Disability are cordially invited to attend the Avanti Club meeting on Thursday, February 14th, 9:30 a.m. in Room 25. The Avanti Club is an organization of disabled students whose primary purpose is to improve the campus environment for the handicapped.

Rehab Counselor Available

Do you need financial assistance while attending school? Do you have a physical or mental disability that would be a handicap to employment?

If you answered YES to the above questions, then the Department of Rehabilitation may be able to help you. John Burnett, Rehabilitation Counselor, is on campus on the first and third Wednesday of each month, in Room 160 of the Student Services Building, from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., to talk with you. Or, you may contact him at his office at 305 West Third Street, Room 100, San Bernardino, California 92401, telephone 383-4427.

 Classified ads

BACKPACKING BOOKS CATALOG FREE
A 36-page catalog of hard-to-find backpacking and trail guides of interest to backpackers, hikers, walkers, cross-country skiers—many of which can be obtained by sending a $1.00 stamp to backpackers, hikers, walkers, cross-country skiers—many of which can be obtained by sending a 10-cent stamp to backpackers, hikers, walkers, cross-country skiers—many of which can be obtained by sending a 10-cent stamp to

FOR SALE 16 Speedy Schwinn Varsity 12 almost new, $40.00, call 8 p.m. 9911.

Spring Fair Planned for May

Planning and co-ordinating is under way for a Spring Fair sponsored by CSCSB, sponsored by IOC. Developing an appropriate theme for this annual event requires the help of all those associated with the college. A contest is being held this week with the winning theme receiving a $5.00 cash prize. When submitting your entry, please consider the history of the area and any other factors that will add significance to our fair. Bring your entries to the Activities Office in the Student Services building by Feb. 5th.

This spring fair will be the greatest social event we have ever had. There will be a variety of fun for all, for a dance, a drama production, an art show, a lecture, refreshments and booths for games and food. The plans are being geared to the idea of having something for everyone to enjoy. It will be held on a weekend in May so that all students will be able to participate, whether they attend days or nights or want to bring friends or families.

If you want to help in any way, if you have ideas, if your club, dorm, sorority, or any group would like to enter a booth or exhibit, please contact a member of IOC or the activities office. Also, the call is out to some special someone to break a record for our school. By the way, research the Guinness Book of Records and find one we can break. This would be an excellent opportunity. We will work in lots of publicity.

Teaching Jobs Open in Australia

The Victorian teacher selection program will be conducting interviews for April, May or August departures. This year, the University of Melbourne in Australia will be the venue for the interview appointment at 7:00-9:30 p.m. To be sure to get your teacher application file and all transcripts with you to the interview. Check the status of your application. Teachers should be requested from Jan Hinkley in the placement office no later than February 15th.

Complete descriptions of the program are available in the career information center, SC-141.

L.R.A. Will Take Its Toll

According to Dan Ochoa, ASB Treasurer, this is What a budget cut would mean to the Associated Student Body. Percent Cut

Budget

50 $21,965.50
40 $23,936.20
30 $39,176.90
20 $44,773.60
10 $55,967.00

As of January 31, 1975 the Associated Student Body Government had allocated $44,382.05. Draw your own conclusions then vote YES to maintain the ASB FEE.

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Governor Brown's Budget includes Cal State cuts

By Skip Arden

ASB President Judi Jones was in Sacramento attending meetings which included discussion of the Governor’s Budget. She explained that the Governor’s budget cuts more than $70 million from the Trustees $130.2 million operating budget proposal; some $60 million from the construction budget of $77.8 and more than $10 million from the revised salary increase proposal.

“The cut that will effect students the most,” she said, “is the $2.5 million cut in Instructional Supplies.” All the Student Services offices come under this heading along with all items such as paper and chalk.

Judi says, “Right now the Material Office and the Trustees are working on how to cut that from the budget.”

The $2.5 million cut in Instructional Supplies is a major concern for Judi Jones. She explained that this is the $2.5 million cut in Instructional Supplies from the total $75 million required for the most important projects.

“The cut will mean that we have to reduce the number of students we can serve,” she said. “It will affect every student on campus.”

Judi noted that the Governor’s Budget includes $49,000,000 for support funding, $13,800,000 for Capital Outlay and $86,500,000 for salary increases applicable to the system.

Judi commented, “I remember when I was a student, tuition was not at all keeping with the costs of education.”

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LAPD COMES ON STRONG AND WHIPS THE COYOTES 71-68

Wednesday "B" League

Thunder rolled and lightning struck as the Second Coming raised for forty days and forty nights on the hapless Outsiders. The S.C. ran up a 15 point lead at the half and never looked back. Bill Peterson of the Coming led all scorers with 28 points, followed by Larry Lakes (SC) 18, and Rusty Shoup who had 14 for the Outsiders. The Outsiders only claim to fame was Pat Abbott, who took sole possession of first place in the Hatchetman Stats., by fouling out for the second straight week.

Wednesday "B" League

Steve Hesse and John Nagel powered the unbeaten Mother Truckers to a 66-38 victory over the Who Cares, J.V. The scrappy Who Cares display a tenacious defense in the first half, holding the Truckers to a 30-28 lead at intermission. The Truckers simply ran away in the second half as four players scored in double figures. High Scorers were Steve Hesse (MT) 19, John Finn (WC) 18, John Nagel (MT) 14, and Don Adams MT with twelve points. Inside sources attribute the Who Cares poor showing to the fact that they were demolished by the Who Cares Varsity in a scrimmage on the day preceding their game.

Wednesday "B" League

The Beefers game plan against the Dip Sticks last week was to stop Bob Blackey, and stop him they did. Blackey, who was all league last year, could manage but five points. Concentration on Blackey left Greg "Snake" Price open and he collected a game high of 30 points, matching the Beefers total for the game. Dave Decker chipped in with 14 points and Bob Stein kept active by committing four fouls. Jim Reilly and Steve Deever paced the Beefers with eleven points each.

Friday "A" League

The potent Headhunters capitalized on the fine passing and shooting of Mitch Mandel to defeat the Hustling Warriors 52-26. The Warriors never led in the game, but their five man squad did not quit. Mandel and Greg Guthrie sparked the Hunters with 14 and 10 points respectively and Ben Sinsay, one of the best shooters in the league scored ten for the Warriors.

Friday "B" League

The Derelicts, led by quick driving Jim Cassidy and Steve Perlut, raced to a 26-21 halftime lead over the defenseless Aztecs. Cassidy, with 12, and Perlut (16) accounted for all but four of the Derelicts points. Strong arm tactics by the Derelicts cost them the game, however, as they finished with only three men on the floor. Stan Keilman, who leads the league in scoring, with a 28 point per game average, did not play for the Derelicts. The Aztecs, now 2-0 in league play were led by James Vincent (13 pts.) and Tim Learned, who scored nine. The scorekeeper, Barbara Rakow, and Timer, Wch Plein were excellent at both ends of the scoring table.

Friday "A" League

The Family, a combination of last year's Dons and Have Nots looked impressive in their opening game last week. Strong rebounding by Steve Ramirez and pinpoint passes by Al Laragone enabled the Family to take a 49-41 halftime lead over the High Rollers. The Rollers hustled throughout the half but could not buy a basket. The Family continued to display fine team play in the second half as they won rather easily 73-34. The Rollers shooters began to warm up midway through the half and they did manage to close the gap. If they are to be a contender, however, they must shore up their defense and develop a passing game. One-on-one basketball will not produce many wins in the rugged Cal State "A" league. Scoring leaders for the Family were: Rich Price (18), Steve Ramirez (15), Rich Alio (14), and Al Laragone (14). The High Rollers were led by Raphael Brock and Willie Hamilton, who scored 10 points each.
Dumb, Dumber, Dumbness: The Extent of Functional Illiteracy

(CPS) -- What's it like in a world peopled with books, newspapers, magazines, forms and notices not to be able to read? What do you do if you can't understand your college textbook, figure out your income taxes or follow the qualification requirements in a help-wanted ad?

According to a number of recent surveys more and more Americans, much to their disadvantage, are finding out. "Functional illiteracy," or the inability to comprehend and accomplish tasks within a basic level of competency and clarity, has won a prominent place in the lexicon of contemporary American education.

And unfortunately its applications have been widespread, stretching across all levels of education and not confined to one race or family income:

One study, due for release in a few months, found that 36 percent of its sample, given an income tax form and information about dependents were unable to read, write or compute well enough to enter the correct number of exemptions in the appropriate block.

Another study of adults with 10-5 years average schooling found that their average reading and computation level equaled a fifth grade education.

A third survey of college department chairpersons found widespread, though not universal concern that "students are coming from high school with a far less firm grasp on fundamentals than before — middle class as well as disadvantaged students."

Results from this last study coincided with remarks from the executive secretary of the Modern Language Association, who stated, "My impression is that on a national level we have failed to meet the challenge of illiteracy among college-level students."

At Maine's Bowdoin College, increasing concern that students were "incapable of expressing a coherent train of thought in written form" led the school to request a written essay as part of its student application process.

The college's faculty and administration singled out athletes, middle class students from progressive schools and the poor from deficient high schools as those who most frequently comprised the group of inept writers. "One third of the papers and exams I receive," said one history professor, "are written by students whom I consider functionally illiterate. I simply cannot correct the work and for grammar." In a similar move the College Entrance Examination Board recently included a "Test of Standard Written English" as a regular part of the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT).

The tie to more specifically and accurately assess writing skills came after a general ten year decline in SAT mathematics and English scores.

Concern over poor writers and their ability to match personal qualifications to job requirements when shown a series of newspaper help-wanted ads, and one fifth cannot read an "equal opportunity" notice well enough to understand it.

In addition Bell said that about 39 million Americans could not locate the deduction for social security on a monthly earnings statement.

The study cited by Bell is the first national assessment of the performance of adults on a number of objective skills judged necessary to "survival in American society."

Bell expressed particular concern for those on the bottom of the "survival skills" ratings. "If they cannot cope now," Bell said, "the next decade will find them lower on the survival scale, and with them their families."

Think "how it must feel," the education commissioner said, "to be 25 years old and unable to fill out a work application, open a savings account or read instructions for an electrical appliance."

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by Neil Klotz

(CPS) — As factories close, workers pound the pavement, and President Ford WINs, students too have played a role in the economic passion play: they default their loans.

Last year almost 2000 students filed for bankruptcy, leaving $3 million in state, federal and institutional loans unpaid. But while student bankruptcies rose, they accounted for only about ten per cent of all loan evasions, according to the US Office of Education (OE). The other 90 per cent were ex-students who for some reason cannot or will not pay. In an effort to recoup some of their losses, the federal government and other lenders have undertaken a massive crackdown of bad risks. According to a new OE report, these chronic bad debts are usually poor, black males or older married students.

Parents who underreport their income to obtain loans for their children have been another target. Under pressure from participating schools, the College Scholarship Service (CSS), which administers parents' confidential statements, began to demand income tax forms from a random sample of more than a million families. Under collection pressure, the CSS recently agreed to quadruple the number of spot checks it does.

And for the first time, another bad actor in the default story began to receive heat from OE: the schools themselves.

The past several years, many fly-by-night proprietary schools have inadequately explained to students the liabilities involved in federal loans or have folded leaving students with an incomplete education, a huge loan debt and a determination not to pay for goods not received.

Understanding the regulations for the guaranteed student loan, all schools would be required to adequately explain loan provisions, to determine whether a student might reasonably profit from a course of instruction before he enrolls (for instance, no more blind people talked into air traffic controller’s school) and to establish equitable refund policies for student withdrawals as well as school closures.
"Godspell" has Limited San Bernardino Engagement

Friend and Relations, the "now" musical group which has appeared with such rock groups as The Animals and The Doors, will be providing the music for San Bernardino Civic Light Opera's production of the international musical hit, "Godspell."

"Godspell," the award-winning Broadway and London success, opens for a limited engagement, February 14 through February 25, at the California Theatre of Performing Arts in San Bernardino. Led by versatile Charlie Ziino, members of the Friends and Relations include Bill Finch, string section; Gary Finch, guitar and vocals; Norman Meinhardt, bass; and Michael Kravitz, drums.

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by WAYNE R. WHITE

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ZAP! YOU’RE A PAWPRINT REPORTER!

By John Whitehair

Newspapers are very funny entities. They play a prominent role in our society, keeping people plugged in with activities no one person could ever keep in touch with alone. One description of a paper which comes to mind is a scheduled, printed collective consciousness.

Papers are also very powerful. Some people even refer to them as the fourth branch of government. Recently the whole Watergate fiasco demonstrated this quite vividly. It is bizarre what the printed word can do.

For us working on a newspaper all of the above seems slightly unreal. We’re here day after day after day, reading through the paper looking for a group of people than so many pages of newsmatter.

We have our ups and downs like any other group of people and sometimes at the lower points it seems we barely perform simple motor activities, much less publish a newspaper once a week.

If you’re wondering where this editorial is headed, you almost there. What we want to do is let you in on some recent happenings with us.

We would like to invite some of you to help us. We have some jobs available and if you feel that you’re ready to get involved in some new activity you just might consider your student newspaper, The Pawprint.

One important job open right now is the position of ad salesperson. The printing and production costs are only partially paid for out of A.S.B. fees. If we are to continue to improve The Pawprint, we must increase the amount of incoming revenue.

A good ad salesperson, someone who is aggressive and a natural speed freak, could make over one hundred dollars per week dry commission selling ads. The position requires curiosity and trying to find areas concerns out in the local area who want to advertise in the Pawprint, however they must be contacted on a personal basis and it does involve a little time and traveling. Now here’s the best part, and sold the ad salesperson collects a 20 percent commission each time the ad is run. For example, if you sell a half page ad to Harry’s tacon stand, you would collect approximately fifteen dollars in commission.

Here are some other positions that you might consider. Our printing and production costs are only partially paid for out of A.S.B. trailer any weekday or call 887-6311 ext. 233 and we’ll personally answer any of your questions.

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At the conclusion of the current year, the citizens of the province promptly rose up and crucified both candidates while the people of the province continued to argue whether the citizens should be syndicated to any of the above. If you desire further information on any of the above, if you did neglect give us the word. Or if you want to write a feature article yourself, well now is your big chance to get it published!

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