JAN 07 1977

Mr. James F. Dykes
P. O. Box 7460
131
Reno, Nevada 89510

Re: MUR's 272A, 272B (76)

Dear Mr. Dykes:

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A copy of the Commission's determination and the General Counsel's report is enclosed for your information. If you have any questions, please contact David Anderson (telephone No. 202-382-3153), the attorney assigned to the matter.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

William C. Oldaker
General Counsel

Enclosures

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JAN 07 1977

Janine Hansen for Congress
Committee
739 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431

Re: MUR's 272A, 272B (76)

Dear Miss Hansen:

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JAN 07 1977

Mr. Ken Haller
Chairman
Washoe County Democratic
Central Committee
1611 Clemson Road
Reno, Nevada 89502

Re: MUR's 272A, 272B (76)

Dear Mr. Haller:

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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
) MUR's 272A, 272B (76)
Janine Hansen)

CERTIFICATION

I, Marjorie W. Emmons, Secretary to the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on January 5, 1977, the Commission determined by a vote of 6-0, that there was no reason to believe that a violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, had been committed in the above-captioned matter.

Accordingly, the file in this matter has been closed.

Marjorie W. Emmons

Marjorie W. Emmons
Secretary to the Commission

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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	MUR 272 (76)
	)	
Janine Hansen	)	

GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT

I. Allegations

This matter arises out of a complaint filed with the Federal Election Commission on October 13, 1976, by Ken Haller, chairman of the Washoe County (Nevada) Democratic General Committee. The complaint alleged that The Northern Nevada Home ("The Home") was a phoney newspaper which was being used for the purpose of illegally soliciting funds to the Janine Hansen for Congress Committee ("the Committee"). To support his allegations, the complainant enclosed a copy of the second edition of The Home.

II. Evidence.

A staff review of the enclosed copy of The Home failed to reveal any evidence that the newspaper was being used for the purpose of soliciting contributions. It also was noted that the complainant did not present any facts to support his conclusion that The Home is not a bona fide newspaper. However, it was concluded that the

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genuiness of The Home was unclear since it: was quite new and only two issues had been published at the time the complaint was filed; contained no explicit information concerning who were The Home's publishers; contained only two small commercial advertisements in contrast with extensive and prominent advertisements for the Stop ERA Committee; publicized only the candidacy of Janine Hansen (Northern Nevada Chairman and State Newsletter Editor for the Stop ERA Committee) in the enclosed edition; provided editorial space to Janine Hansen (Northern Nevada Chairman and State Newsletter Editor for the Stop ERA Committee) in the enclosed edition; and provided editorial space to Janine Hansen so that she could express her views directly on why the defeat of the proposed Equal Rights Amendment is desirable. Accordingly, the Commission found reason to believe that The Home may constitute an expenditure for the purpose of influencing the election of Janine Hansen, in violation of 2 U.S.C. §§431(f)(4)(A), 434(b), 441b(a) and 441d. The Commission numbered this part of the investigation as MUR 272A (76) and sent letters to both the Committee and The Home to determine who owned or controlled The Home. The letters also inquired as to the nature of the relationship between The Home and The Northern Nevada Stop ERA Committee, the Independent American Party, Janine Marie Hansen, and the Committee. A letter also was sent to Mr. Hatcher, the complainant, which requested him to submit any evidence which

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he had on whether The Home was a bona fide newspaper, or owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate.

A subsequent independent review of the September 17, 1976 issue of The Home caused the Commission to also find reason to believe that an advertisement which appeared in the issue and invited the public to meet Janine Hansen and become involved in her campaign, failed to contain the authorization statement required by 2 U.S.C. §441d. The Commission numbered this part of the investigation as MUR 272B (76) and sent letters to the Committee and The Home to determine the identity of the purchaser of this advertisement.

The Committee was notified of the complaint on November 13, 1976 and Janine Hansen responded on November 17, 1976 on behalf of the Committee. (See Attachment #1.) Miss Hansen responded that to her knowledge The Home was not owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, candidate, or agent of any of these. She also stated that there was no relationship between the Independent American Party and The Home, except perhaps philosophically. She explained that she prepared the September 17th guest editorial solely at the request of The Home, that she received no compensation for the article, and that she has never had any editorial responsibilities with the newspaper. In

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addition, Miss Hansen noted that the advertisment which appeared in the September 17th issue of The Home was an in-kind contribution from the owners of the newspaper (James and Anna Dykes), which had a value of $44.50. (See Attachment #2.) She stated that this contribution would be duly reported. (This information did appear in the report filed by the Committee on December 6, 1976.)

The Home received notice of the complaint on November 17, 1976 and Mr. James F. Dykes (the editor of The Home) responded on the same date. (See Attachment #3.) Mr. Dykes stated that The Home is not incorporated, and is not owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate. He stated that the only relationship between The Home and the Northern Nevada Stop ERA Committee, the Independent American Party, Janine Marie Hansen, and the Committee "is a religious and political similarity in foundamental beliefs." Mr. Dykes also explained that The Home was first published on September 3, 1976 and that a total of three issues were published before the newspaper had to stop publishing due to a lack of funds. In addition, he stated that The Home (James F. and Anna M. Dykes) contributed $44.50 worth of advertising in the September 17th issue to the Committee and that the "advertisement was not labeled as required (2 U.S.C. §441d) due to the paste-up apparently falling off at the printers."

Mr. Dykes also enclosed copies of the three issues of The Home which were published before the newspaper's demise. (See attachment #4 for complete copies of the issues.) The issues appeared on September 17th, October 1st, and October 15th, with the last issue appearing approximately two weeks before the election. While the issues reflected a definite conservative, anti-ERA, anti-Federal government philosophy (and corresponding support for organizations and candidates who share these views), the issues also contained articles on local matters and on subjects of general interest to a family audience.

On November 10, 1976, the Commission sent the letter to Mr. Ken Haller, the complainant, which requested that he provide any evidence which he had that might show that The Home was not a genuine newspaper. While Mr. Haller received the letter on November 18, 1976, to date no response has been received from him.

III. Analysis and Recommendation

In numerous decisions the Supreme Court has recognized that

> [a] newspaper is more than a passive receptacle or conduit for news, comment, and advertising. The choice of material to go into a newspaper, and the decisions made as to limitations

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> on the size and content of the paper, and treatment of public issues and public officials--whether fair or unfair--constitute the exercise of editorial control and judgment. It has yet to be demonstrated how governmental regulation of this crucial process can be exercised consistent with First Amendment guarantees of a free press as they have evolved to this time. Miami Herald Publishing Co. v. Tornillo, 418 U.S. 241, 258 (1974).

This general freedom from governmental regulation of their contents has been afforded to newspapers because a major purpose of the First Amendment "was to protect the free discussion of governmental affairs. This of course includes discussions of candidates, structures and forms of government, and the manner in which government is operated or should be operated, and all such matters relating to political processes." Mills v. Alabama, 384 U.S. 214, 218 (1966). In order to insure that newspapers will freely discuss governmental affairs, the courts have consistently struck down statutes which regulate or dictate the contents of newspapers. E.g. Bigelow v. Virginia, 421 U.S. 809 (1975); Cox Broadcasting Corp. v. Cohn, 420 U.S. 469 (1975); Miami Herald Publishing Co. v. Tornillo, supra; Mills v. Alabama, supra; Gore Newspaper Co. v. Shevin, 397 F. Supp. 1253 (S.D. Florida, 1975). Thus, the courts have established the principle that "[t]he power of a privately owned newspaper to adv

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its own political, social, and economic views is bounded by only two factors: First, the acceptance of a sufficient number of readers--and hence advertisers--to assure financial success; and second, the journalistic integrity of its editors and publishers." Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc. v. Democratic National Committee, 412 U.S. 94, 117 (1973).

In accordance with these precedents, 2 U.S.C. §431(f)(4)(A) states that a newspaper could only be made subject to the Act's provisions upon a showing that the publication was owned or controlled by a political party, political committee, or candidate. Thus, the scope of the Commission's review herein is limited by the statute to determining the independence of the publication from ownership or control by any political party, political committee, or candidate.

In this matter both Miss Hansen and Mr. Dykes submitted to the Commission signed, sworn, and notarized statements which support a finding that there was only a philosophical connection between the Committee and The Home, that The Home was a genuine newspaper, and that The Home was not owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate.

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Furthermore, although The Home did publish only three iss in September and October, 1976, the content of these issues does appear to support the statements of Miss Hansen and Mr. Dykes. Since there is no clear proof of a connection between Miss Hansen and The Home and since such proof would be required to rebut the First Amendment presumption in favor of The Home, we are of the view that the continued allocation of staff resources on this matter is unwarranted. Thus, it is our view with regard to MUR 272A that there is no reason to believe that the respondents committed a violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended.

With regard to MUR 272B, we are satisfied with Mr. Dykes' explanation that the September 17th advertisement was an in-kind contribution by he and his wife, and that the 2 U.S.C. §441d notice was omitted only because of a printing error. Thus, it is our view that there appears to have been substantial voluntary compliance in this matter.

IV. Conclusion

We recommend that the matter be closed and the attached letters be sent.

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William C. Oldaker
General Counsel

Date: 1/4/76

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JANINE HANSEN for CONGRESS
INDEPENDENT AMERICAN
739 - 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431
358-5313

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ATTACHMENT #1

'76 NOV 22 AM 10:46

Nov. 17, 1976

John G. Murphy, Jr., General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
1325 K St. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

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Re: MURs 272A, 272B (76)

F.E.C. --John G. Murphy

This is in answer to the accusation of violation of F.E.C. Act of 1971 which I received Nov. 11, 1976. I shall answer questions as numbered in your letter.

1) (Q) whether to your knowledge, The Home is owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, candidate, or agent of any of these;
1) (A) NO--

2) (Q) whether any individual, who is an employee or volunteer for the Committee has editorial responsibilities at The Home.
2) (A) NO--

3) (Q) whether Janine Hansen has editorial responsibilities at The Home and:
3) (A) NO--I was asked some time between Sept. 9, 1976 and Sept. 16, 1976 to write a guest editorial which appeared in the Home in the Sept. 17, 1976 issue.

4) (Q) the nature of the relationship between The Home and:
a) The Independent American Party and any of its affiliated political committees;
b) Janine Marie Hansen; and
c) The Committee.
4) (A)
a) NONE--except perhaps philosophically
b) Some time after Sept. 9, 1976, I received a letter from James F. Dykes, Editor of The Home requesting permission to quote from the State STOP E.R.A. Newsletter. Because I did not know who James F. Dykes was, or what kind of a paper The Home was, I called him up and spoke to him and his wife Anna on the phone. That was my first introduction to The Home. I was pleased that they were interested in the Newsletter. Shortly thereafter I went to their residence and became acquainted with them. It was then, I believe, that they asked me to write a guest editorial on the Equal Rights Amendment and its affect on the Family. That guest editorial was printed in the Sept. 17, 1976 edition of The Home. I received no compensation for the guest editorial and held no editorial responsibilities paid or volunteer at The Home (nor do I hold any now). At the time I met with the Dykes, I also left them other information on E.R.A. and told them to use it at their disgression (which they did). (Please find letter referred to, enclosed).
c) Please find enclosed a copy of a bill dated Nov. 15, 1976 from The Home. James F. and Anna Dykes contributed the space for the "Meet Your Candidates" advertisement which appeared in the Sept. 17, 1976 edition of The Home. The

price of the ad was $44.50. The contribution will be duly noted in the Committee's Report. The disclaimer was inadvertantly left off.

In reguards to the confidentiality of this matter in accordance with 2 U.S.C. S437g(a) (3), I do not desire that the matter remain confidential. This is my authorization to that effect.

Sincerely Yours,

Janine Marie Hansen

WITNESSED LaVon M. Rassuchine 10/19/76

LAVON M. RASSUCHINE
Notary Public -- State of Nevada
Washoe County
My Commission Expires Mar. 14, 1978

enclosures: 1) Letter dated Sept. 9, 1976 from James F. Dykes.
2) Bill dated Nov. 15, 1976 from The Home.

ATTACHMENT #2

Northern Nevada
HOME
PO Box 7062
Reno, Nv. 89510
~~323-4255~~
826-7761
11-15-76

Miss Janine Hansen
739 16th Street
Sparks, Nv. 89431

"Meet The Candidate" advertisement, September 17, 1976 issue, page 4. 2 column X 5 inches =10 column inches @ $4.45 per column inch = $44.50.

James F. Dykes
Editor

Janine,

Please consider this advertisement as our contribution to your campaign for congress.

Jim & Anne

MUR #1070 (MUR 272)

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ATTACHMENT #3

'76 NOV 26 AM 9:30

November 18, 1976

Mr. David L. Anderson
Federal Election Commission
1325 K Street N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Re: MURs 272A. 272B (76)

Dear Mr. Anderson,

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In response to the information requested relative to the above case numbers, I submit the following:

(1) James F. and Anna M. Dykes
2295 South Virginia Street #131
Reno, Nevada 89502 702-826-7761

(2) James F. and Anna M. Dykes, or Northern Nevada Home, are not incorporated, not a political party, political committee, or candidates for any office.

(3) Anna M. Dykes is sole owner of The Home. Reno City business license # 5512, valid til 6-30-77.

(4) See # 2.

(5) James F. Dykes, Editor of The Home, is not a candidate, agent of any candidate, political party or Committee.

(6a) The nature of the relationship between The Home and the Northern Nevada 'Stop ERA Committee' and any of its subsidiaries is a religious and political similarity in fundamental beliefs and I question the concern of the Federal Elections Commission with this subject.

(b), (c), (d). The same relationship as 6a applies.

(7) The Home was first published 9-3-1976. Two subsequent issues were published, total three, before we went broke.

Northern Nevada Home, (James F. and Anna M. Dykes), contributed $44.50 worth of advertising, (page 4 - 9-17-76 issue), to the candidacy of Janine Hansen to Congress. The advertisement was not labeled as required, (2USC S 441d) due to the paste-up apparently falling off at the printers.

In the same issue we also contributed an advertisement worth $250.00 to the United Way. Our 9-3 issue carried almost $1,000 worth of donated advertising for the Muscular Dystrophy Telethon, our Atmospherium/Planetarium, the non-profit Reno Air Races, our State Fair and our local 4-H Clubs. No one protested - or even thanked us.

CC #102

Our 10-1-76 issue front pages an editorial endorsement of Byron D. Young, Independent American Candidate for the U.S. Senate. We hope this is not in violation of 2 USC $ 441d.

I trust this letter will satisfy the questions of the Commission.

Thank you for the copy of the Federal Elections Campaign Laws, it is very enlightening, (and quite discouraging also)

Respectfully,

James F. Dykes

James F. Dykes

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STATE OF NEVADA
County of Washoe } ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT

On Nov. 22, 1976 (Date) personally appeared before me, a notary public,

---James F. Dykes---, who acknowledged that he executed the annexed instrument.

James F. Dykes

James F. Dykes

Rita B. Eason

Rita B. Eason Signature

RITA B. EASON
Notary Public - State of Nevada
Washoe County
My Commission Expires Sept. 8, 1979

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ATTACHMENT #4

THE NORTHERN NEVADA HOME

Complimentary Copy

VOL. 1, NO. 1 | P.O. BOX 7062 Reno, Nevada | September 3, 1976

HOME HOPE

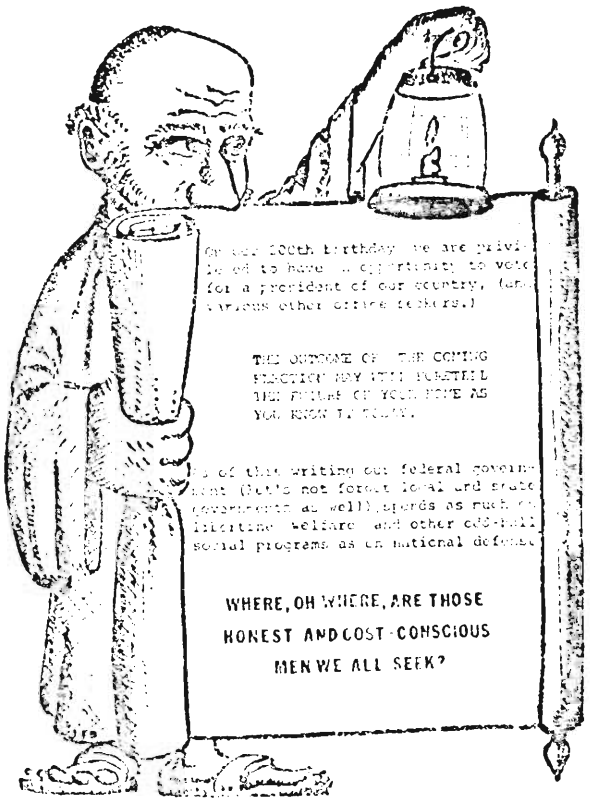
WITH THIS FIRST ISSUE OF THE NORTHERN NEVADA HOME, WE HOPE TO BECOME A PART OF YOUR HOUSE HOLD. Please do not wrap garbage in us too soon. There won't be another issue for two weeks.

We will strive to earn a place on yourcoffee table. You won't be offended or afraid to have your children browse through us because there is nothing here for us or you to feel is wrong.

The news we present is not late-breaking or hard-fact, but, rather, a considered reflection on how that hard fact affects our lives-our homes.
We will ask you to consider this news with us and then, as thoughtful Americans do something about it.

Here, then, is a voice. We ask you to use it. It's been too long since our voices were heard where it counts most.
GOVERNMENT.

It's about time we got back to US running the country. Not their running us. Their way is too expensive!



"...EXTREMISM IN THE DEFENSE OF LIBERTY IS NO VICE."
"...MODERATION IN THE PURSUIT OF JUSTICE IS NO VIRTUE."
BARRY GOLDWATER, July 16, 1964

HOME HEADLINES

** SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES RISING ABOVE INCOME TAXES. They must, in order to pay retirees under the present schedules.

** SEWAGE BOND ISSUE WILL BE ON THE NOVEMBER BALLOT. Like it or not, we need addition al facilities. WHAT KIND is the question.

** INCOME TAX RISE UNCERTAIN UNTIL AFTER THE ELECTION. Then watch out!

** FEDERAL GOVERNMENT BIGGEST EMPLOYER ON EARTH. And who pays?

*** DUPLICATED WEATHER EXPERIMENTS involving many federal agencies costs you more than 5 million $$ per year.

** SOCIAL SECURITY RETIREES in year 2001 will receive more per month than before retiring under the present schedules. And who pays?

*** FRESH WATER. A crime in the offing. The NOVEMBER SEWAGE BOND VOTE.

CAVNAR, TOWELL, CUNDIFF, CANNON. What is the Senate attraction?

SUPPORT THE SPACE PLACE

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September 7-12

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WASHOE COUNTY FAIR
A DISTINGUISHED EVENT!
SEPT. 8-9-10-11-12

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PRESIDENTS
WHO HELPED TO BUILD OUR NATION

Washington and Lincoln—The two presidents who gave us the cornerstones upon which our great nation is built. Integrity, honesty, freedom and individuality. The only way these great gifts can be kept is by placing them uppermost in our minds and using them day by day.

OUR Birthday CELEBRATION

THE NORTHERN NEVADA HOME

COMMUNITY COMMUNICATIONS

ADVERTISING

Establishments of eatned and maintained good repute will be welcome. Entertainment advertising will be restricted to "FAMILY TYPE" amusement. Any production with a coded rating other than "G" will not be advertised. Any material deemed by the editors to be unsuitable for children will not be printed.

NEWS

News items will be definitely restricted to coincide with the advertising policy of the paper. HOME does not compete with daily newspapers - thus is able to offer reflective views of news of concern to the family.

GENERAL

Be it known, The NORTHERN NEVADA HOME has definite Christian guidelines governing contents, and will not knowingly print material of any nature not conforming to the previously set forth policy.

We acknowledge we are human and solicit comment from our readers about anything appearing in the paper with which they may experience distasie.

We also solicit acknowledgement of pleasure with that which we do print.

Controversial items of local concern will appear and HOME will print comment from opposing camps in an effort to improve communications within communities. Notice similarity between the two words: COMMUNICATION - COMMUNITY

It is the aim of NORTHERN NEVADA HOME to bring two - and their meanings - closer together.

Guest Editorial

WAYNE MAYNARD

THE BILL OF RIGHTS GIVES US FREEDOM OF WORSHIP

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free excercise thereof..
— The Constitution of the United States

Freedom of religion, like all fundamental human rights, must be guarded by society...not taken for granted, or depended upon as an inviolable system that is self-sustaining. We're a busy nation, whose citizens are loaded down with debts and responsibilities, ambitions and the ever-increasing need for more entertainment; and we tend to rely upon government to guard our liberty. Recently, however, Americans have observed the veracity of an ancient axiom; Government takes on life-like characteristics, slowly forming into an entity separate from the people; it grows, octopus-like, until its tentacles eventually interfere with the corporate and personal affairs of society on every level; and government intrinsically demands the increasing authority to interrupt the liberty of individuals, corporations, all publics and states. Recognizing this ancient knowledge, Americans are confronted with a re-emphasis of yet another time-tested axiom: it is not the function of government to keep citizens from falling into error; it is the function of citizens to keep the government from falling into error. Those axioms apply to freedom of religion as much, if not more, as to all liberties.

During the 50's, before the masses became street-wise about internal and international politics, and when 20th century carpetbaggers like Spiro Agnew were perfunctorily extorting millions from business men and corporations under the principle of "common practice", the American sentiment was to elevate the religious ideology and suppress anything that appeared irreligious. In 1952 a thinking jurist commented on that sentiment in Zorach v. Clausor, 345 U.S.306,325:
"The day that this country ceases to be free for irreligion, it will cease to be free for religion."

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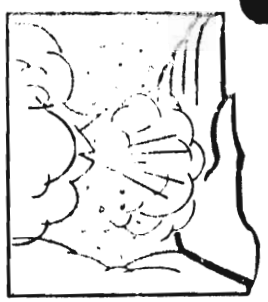
Heads Up! Autumn's Almost Here...
Summer slump? It's time to climb out. We have the boosters. Shape-up specials. Conditioner. Color. Cut. Look cool as a brisk Fall breeze.
Rick's Hair Fashions
WAREHOUSE MARKET SHOPPING CENTER
CARSON CITY



WEATHER OR NOT

JIM DYKES

This will be a column devoted to meteorology. I have maintained a keen interest in weather for over 30 years and I hope some of the information I pass along will show how weather affects your pocketbook.

For instance, our federal taxes have supported research and experiments, by some 7 different agencies, involved with weather modification, known to many as "cloud-seeding." For over 20 years, hundreds of millions of our tax dollars have encouraged self-perpetuated federal scientists to duplicate over and over again, weather modification experiments.

Enhancement of precipitation is a noble art to those needing and receiving same. Unfortunately, federal experiments are not designed to fill reservoirs, dampen corn fields or pack snow in the mountains for a definite return on our invested tax dollars. Research and experimentation are just not geared for this type activity. If our taxes ever do support such a project, it will be in direct interference and suppression of private, free enterprise weather engineering companies which excell at their work.

After hundreds of millions of dollars and some 20-odd years of study, research and experiments, one may wonder why 1976 is one of the most dry years on record for this area, especially since the area has been a prime target for federal weather modification experiments.
Research and experiments are not full-scale weather modification programs such as is needed and, such as a commercial weather engineering company could provide.

Also, a good, solid modification program should be geared up well in advance but our federal scientists refuse to believe the weather can be forecast more than 3 days in advance, while private forecasters are reaching out into the future 3-5 years with astonishing accuracy! In fact, our federal taxes, amounting to more hundreds of millions, are paying for research for federal scientists to forecast 3 weeks in the future. Long-range weather forecasting, obviously is a necessity to ascertain when and where to set up a weather modification program that will do some good.

Without an accurate long-range weather forecast our federal agencies can not predict what the stream flow will be next spring because they do not know who much snow will be in the mountains. Again, in contrast, private companies have been accurately predicting the stream flows as far in the future as their long-range weather forecasts will allow again with astonishing accuracy. There are many instances on record of weather modification programs set up on the basis of a forecast, actually breaking droughts. If these private companies were not commercially successful, they would not be in business very long, and some are over 30 years old.

"Every truth has two sides; it is well to look at both, before we commit ourselves to either"
AESOP, 6th c. B.C.

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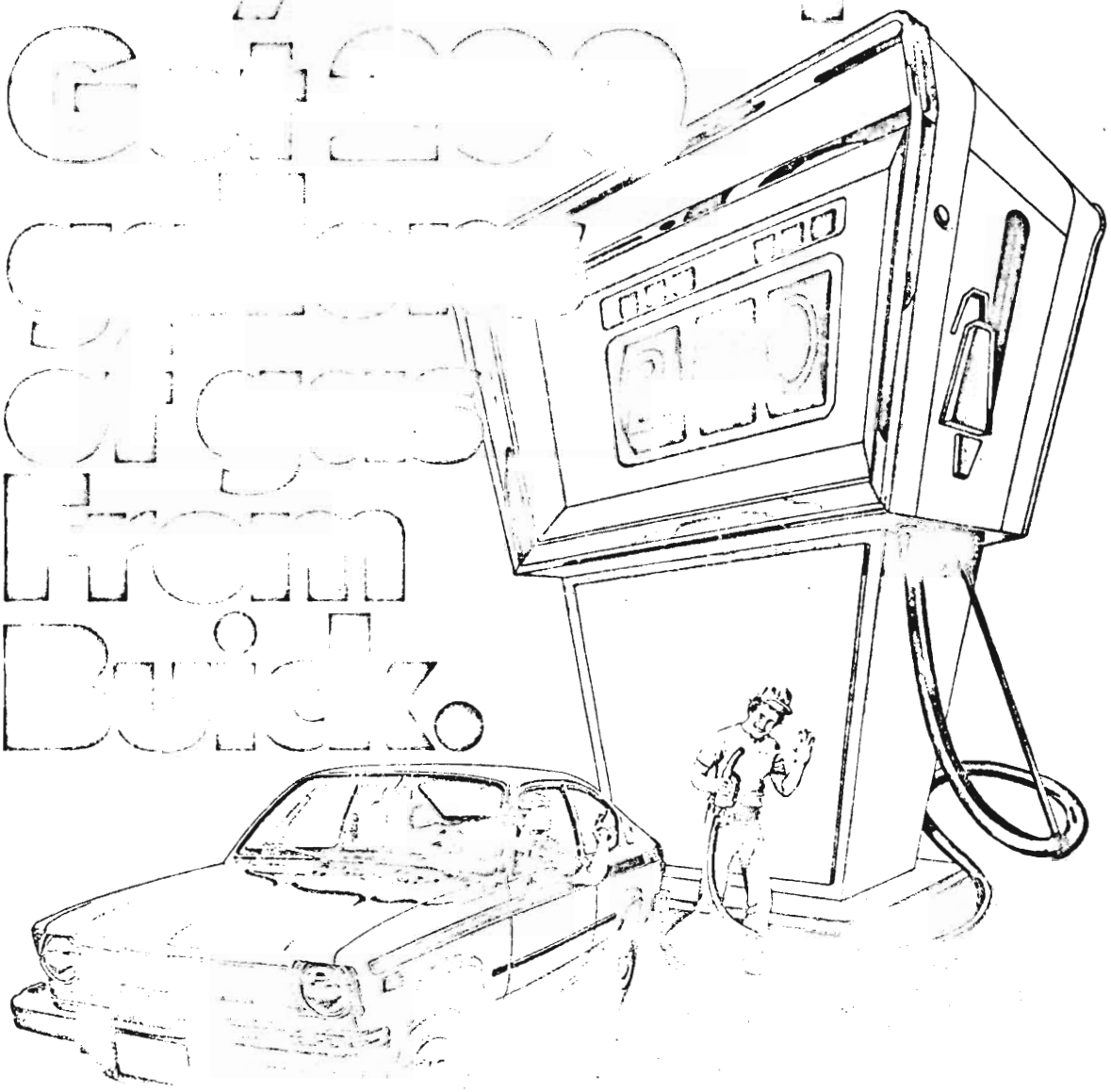

Buy an Opel anytime and you get a pretty sensational little car.

But for those of you with the foresight to buy one between now and October 31 there's a bonus to look forward to.

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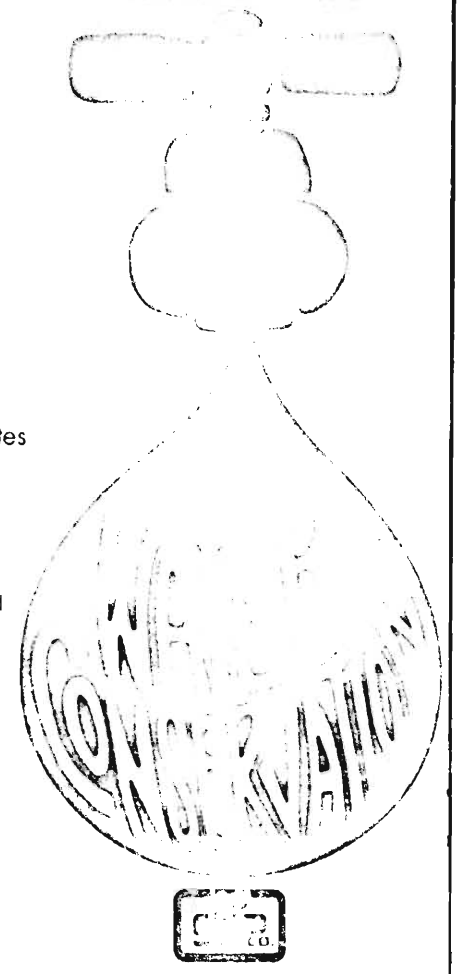

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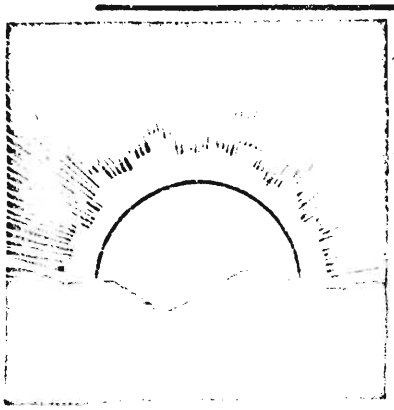
From 1776 to 1936, 160 years, our federal government wrote 2,619 pages of regulations in the Federal Register. During the period 1936 to 1976, 40 years, the Federal Register increased to 60,221 pages. In one quarter of the time it took to manifest 2,916 pages of laws, regulations, etc.,our modern federal representatives increased their regimented authority 23 fold! And, to think, some people insist more federal power is necessary. What will the next 40 years bring? Will one need permission of the Health, Education and Welfare Administration to go to the toilet?

Sanctified by authority and armed with power, error and usurpation bid defiance to truth and right ...
Josiah Quincy,1774



Whither shall I go from thy spirit?
Or whither shall I flee from thy Presence.
If I ascend into heaven, thou art there:
If I make my bed in hell, thou art there.
If I take the wings of morning,
And dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea
Even there shall thy hand lead me,
And thy right hand shall hold me.

VOICES FROM THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

ALL PRETENDERS TO GOVERNMENT WHICH HAVE NOT ULTIMATELY THE GOOD OF THE GOVERNED IN VIEW AND DO NOT AFFORD, OR ENDEAVOR TO AFFORD, PROTECTION TO THOSE OVER WHOM THEY PRETEND SUCH CLAIMS, SHOULD, INSTEAD OF THE RESPECTS DUE TO LEGISLATURES COURTS AND THE LIKE, BE ESTEEMED AND TREATED AS ENEMIES TO SOCIETY AND THE RIGHTS OF MANKIND.

Ethan Allen, 1780

The United States of America is a great country - make no mistake. One of the reasons for our greatness is our protected right to criticize government in all its forms and shapes - of which there are a multitude!
With this thought in mind.....
We have with us the year 1976.
A bicentennial year of celebration, hoopla, flag-waving, all sorts of trash trinkets, (made in Hong Kong?) and, most importantly, a year of national elections.
The past 200 years have seen increasing and ever-encroaching government control over our lives. Is this one of the facts we are celebrating? The past 200 years have seen our government become powerful, wasteful, neglectful and downright dishonest. Are these facts we celebrate?

The thoughts and intentions of the founding fathers have been completely reversed in Washington. Instead of a representative government serving the people we have a group of individuals, members of the so-called "most exclusive club in the world"(and for good reason),serving the self-perpetuation of a form of government that allows confiscation of our tax dollars to spend on nonsense programs that never end. Seems the only thing politicians do these days is think up new ways to pour our hard-earned tax dollars down an ever-widening hole we call government.Our childrens children will be working every other day to pay off what our fiscally irresponsible government is spending this year alone!

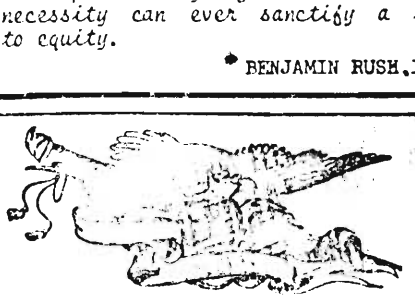
This 200th anniversary year allows us a rare time to reflect on what our government has wrought. It ALSO allows us an opportunity to vote to turn out some of the spendthrifts. The time has come when we can clean house and restore some sanity and order TO the house we call government.

One political party had more than a dozen men in our illustrious congress wanting to be prisedent - seriously considering themselves qualified for the highest office in the land! Any member of congress should be completely ignored for such office as an irrational squanderer of our taxes! It might be wise to consider any person who is remotely connected with the present Washington scene in like manner. They have not proven their sanity, much less their fiscal responsibility, a state of mind we need in government.

We bow our head in thanks for our great country.
Bow them also in shame at what we have allowed to come to pass in our government.

Nothing can be politically right that is morally wrong; and no necessity can ever sanctify a law that is contrary to equity.

BENJAMIN RUSH,1786



"As great a blessing as government is, like other blessings it may become a scourge, a curse, and severe punishment to a people."

REV. PETER WHITNEY, 1774

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The Committee For Clean Water was organized August 26, 1976, little more than two months before the vote on the sewage bond issue in November.

As might be expected, the organizers, a Reno business man and the manager of a plumbers union, support the bond issue. Citizens also supporting the bond issue have, finally, a "committee" in opposition to "Citizens For Responsible Growth" which is, generally, given credit for the defeat of the bond issue last Spring.

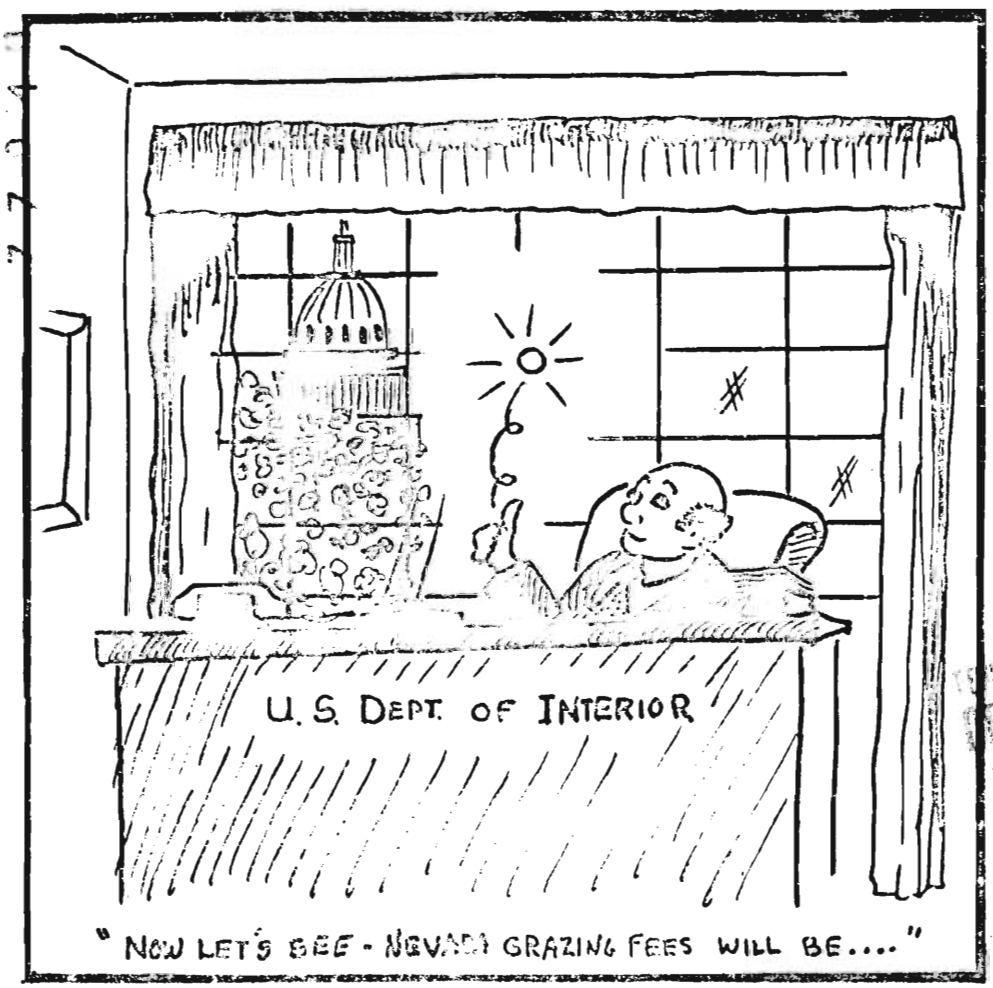
May we now expect a toe to toe slug fest between the two committees? Or may we expect intelligent debate between the two factions? Perhaps this new committee offers a here-to-fore unavailable opportunity. A Forum in which the two committees may debate the issue at say, the Coliseum, where the public may attend and obtain, (hopefully), intelligent information regarding the pros and cons of the sewage bond issue.

To be sure, the subject is complex enough by itself but when, as has been the case in the past, emotions are allowed to intrude on the essentially scientific/ecological problems digression from the basic issue becomes ruinous to any debate.

The city council has already demonstrated they are incapable of coping with the subject. Let us hope the two committees can illustrate some sensibilities in presenting their views so the voters have some hope of how to vote in November.

I hope one, or both, of the committees would institute investigation into alternatives of expanding the present water consuming sewage system. Both parties are concerned about the future of Reno and, as in most other debateable issues, there is, somewhere, a compromise satisfactory to most, if not all parties

I would like to see more attention applied to our fresh water supply inconjunction with the sewage issue debate.



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Since the basic economy of our area is based on tourism, it seems appropriate to offer congratulations to the Chamber of Commerce and that one individual who thought to attract the races here in the first place. The organization of the event is admirable compared to others attended down through the years; Miami, Ft. Lauderdale, back to Cleveland in the 30's. Reno obtains more publicity from the air races than they imagined they might.

In conjunction with this aviation mood it is appropriate to note the Air Mail Pioneers gathered here for their annual convention a few years ago. Reno-Sparks was one of the first service stops, back in the '20's, of the original Air Mail routes. It would be nice to see these Pioneers return for their annual convention. And it would be nice if Reno-Sparks designated an "Air Mail Pioneer's Day" for the event. Most of them are now in their '70's and '80's now and the group is growing smaller each year. They don't really ask much of a host town.

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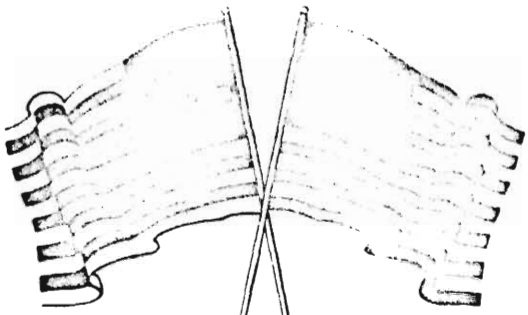

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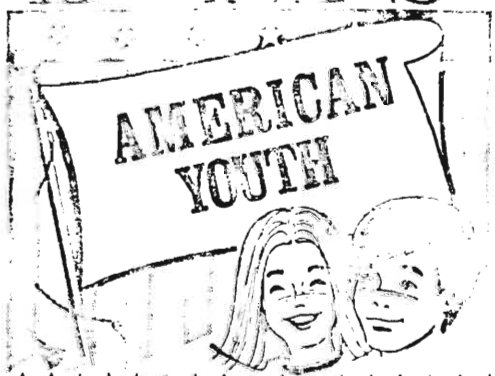

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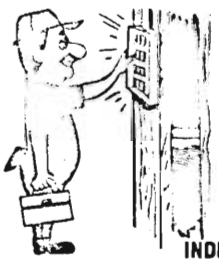

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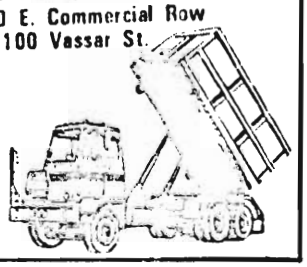

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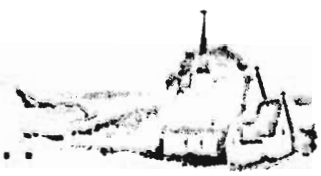

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POLLUTION

NOISE

With continued growth in the Reno basin will come increased pollution of all sorts.

One form already with us is noise pollution created by automobiles, trucks and motorcycles.

State law indicates mufflers are mandatory but even this innocuous requirement is, seemingly, ignored by law enforcement agencies. Circumvention of the muffler law is simple for those who enjoy revving their loud engines in residential areas. Pass-through or by-pass mufflers meet the requirement of the law. Do they meet the main intent of the law to lessen noise and protect our peace?

It is little pleasure to attempt to carry on a conversation in one's living room during an evening when one is continually barraged with ear-splitting noise.

Perhaps my residential area is, in truth, a speedway where the corner stop sign is an invitation to drag.

I suspect it will grow worse before, or even IF, it gets better. How about a crackdown?

MENTAL

Another form of pollution is the not so rare type I shall refer to as "government thinking(?)" It can be said that one form of pollution always leads to another and "government thinking (?) may well lead the long list of pollutants with which we are concerned.

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Our local government insists on expanding the Reno-Sparks Sewage Treatment Plant which is now polluting the Truckee River. "Government thinking(?)" in other words insists on increasing the pollution of the Truckee River.

Meanwhile, a branch of the federal government is reserving a certain amount of Truckee water flow to assist the spawning of fish. Will these fish spawn in effluent - laden water and then become edible?

And yet another branch of federal government is investigating how to increase water levels in Pyramid Lake (through cloud-seeding), while yet another of their federal agencies continue to divert water from the Truckee-Pyramid flow.

Well, it's our fault, folks.

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Could our own thinking also be polluted ?

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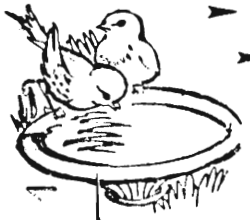

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5. By increasing natural precipitation you help lessen stream pollution by additional runoff; and more streamflow adds oxygen to existing water thus aiding fish and plant life. Precipitation is the mechanism wherein Nature actually cleanses the atmosphere, washes the air streams.

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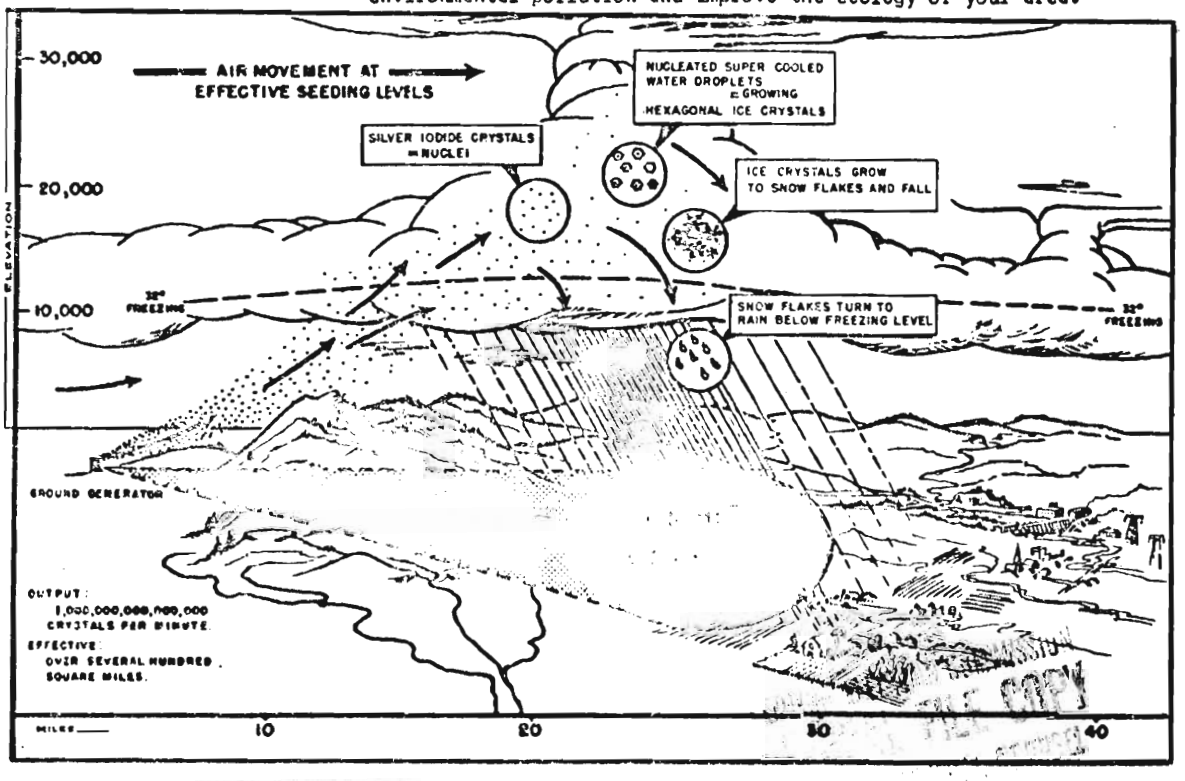
7. During weather modification operations the natural atmospheric conditions are such that the ventilation of the atmosphere is excellent. (Not in an inversion condition such as during smog alert)

8. Support for a Weather Modification Program actually helps you fight environmental pollution and improve the ecology of your area.



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The substance of his comment was and is true;and the reverse is also true; the day this country ceases to be free for religion, it will cease to be free for irreligion.
Most Americans will affirm that this concept is true, and that it must be maintained in American jurisprudence.Despite this general affirmation, the courts are systematically departing from the concept, and are leading up to an erosion of freedom of religion.

The direction of the pendulum isn't obvious because the threat to religious freedom is approaching through a series of back doors; but the main, though subtle, door is the constitutional provision relating to the separation of Church and State. Federal judges have intellectualized a fine constitutional provision designed to protect the church into an instrument of oppression,mostly in favor of the currently fashionable catchword "pluralism." In a pluralistic" society such as ours, we are told, no one group should dominate or impose its opinions on others. If equality could be effectively maintained, a free nation could easily accept that idea. That is,if we speak of pluralism in a context in which the religious and irreligious community have equal status as to the expression of religious ideals and morality, liberty would be intact in the constitutional sense.
But this is precisely what pluralism as currently understood does not do.
It never allows public institutions to reflect the views of the theistic and nominally Christian majority; in fact, it demands that they explicitly repudiate them. Somehow a commitment to pluralism permits one and inhibits the other.

Therefore,the Supreme Court in 1961,Engel v. Vitale, decided the recitation of a prayer in public schools constitutes an "establishment of religion" in the sense of the First Amendment.
But in fact, the Courts reasoning in that case was based on the contention that the state authorities of New York, in formulating or designing a prayer, were becoming "entangled" in a religious issue rather than on the obviously absurd contention that they were thereby establishing a religion. Many parents would appreciate their children praying in school---because they happen to believe in prayer; but their rights, through the force of an absurd ruling of the Supreme Court, are made subservient to the irreligious segment of society.

In another case federal judges took a vicious swipe at parents who prefer to have their children in religiously oriented schools. Meek v. Pittenger, 1975 ----- states are forbidden by the First Amendment (that's what the federal judge-king says, not what the First Amendment says)from providing services such as remedial reading therapy for slow learners in private, religious schools.
A state-paid therapist, working in a religiously oriented school, the court reasoned, might be subjected to certain pressures to conform to the religious orientation of the school. This would make it necessary for the state to act as a watchdog to provide the freedom of conclence of its therapists from such religious propaganda, and this watch dog role would then "entangle" the state with religious issues in an unconstitutional way.

State courts are following in the footsteps of their federal big brothers. On Skinners Butte, rising above the city of Eugene, Oregon, there is erected a plain, white un-obtrusive corss, which has been a landmark for more than 25 years. A group of six people filed suit to pull down the cross on the grounds that it is a religious symbol standing on public land, and therefore is an establishment of religion and a violation of the separation of church and state. A lower court affirmed and ordered the cross removed.The Eugene city council convened in a special meeting and officially designated that the cross was not a religious symbol, but a war memorial honoring men who died overseas. The issue went to the Oregon Supreme Court. Ignoring the obvious desire of the majority involved, arrogantly contemptuous of the attempt of the Eugene city council to reasonably compromise with the situation, the Oregon Supreme Court said the cross is a religious symbol regardless of how it is otherwise defined and ordered the cross pulled down.

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"G" ENTERTAINMENT

When the idea of publishing a list of "G" entertainment for you evolved it was met with enthusiasm. As work on the idea progressed a full page was narrowed down to a quarter page because we could not find enough "G" offerings we felt were suitable, as "G", to entertain the entire family.

We restricted ourselves by seeking out only what would be happening within the next two weeks - our period of issues. What you see below is what we found.

However, a much expanded list will be in the next issue. It will be a surprising list of "entertainment" we had not thought to include in this issue. What we come up with may well be much more entertaining than anything Hollywood or TV's vast wasteland can produce. It is up to you to see if you get more satisfaction from what we offer.

Stay with us - you might get involved.

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'CLIVE' HAS ARRIVED!

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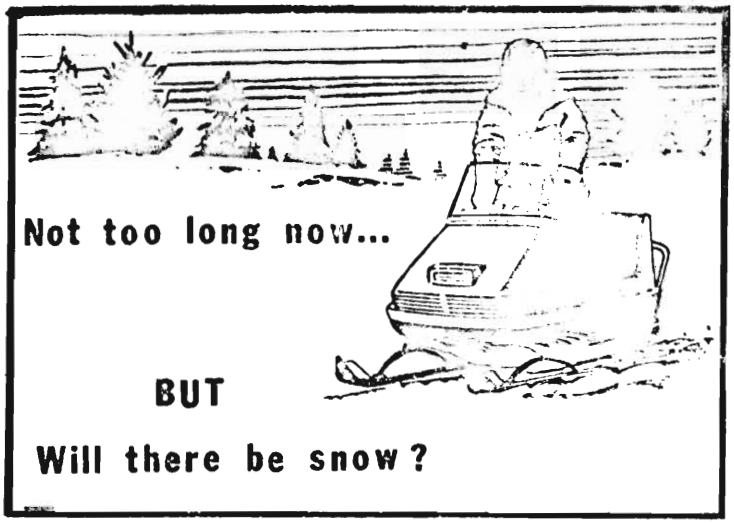

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Ironically, while the courts are nit-picking in the above mentioned areas to the detriment of the religious community, and all citizens, ultimately, they supinely allow Internal Revenue Service to pontifically grant and withold tax-exempt status to churches, depending on if a given religious organization meets their self-styled, bureaucratic criteria. This single dimension of authority, seized by the IRS contrary to the most elemental interpretation of the Constitution, is more dangerous to religious freedom than atheism. The absurdity of dis-allowing state-paid assistance to educationally handicapped children for fear of "entanglements" and simultaneously allowing unquestionable entanglements in religious affairs by the IRS boggles the imagination.

No American historian would seriously contend that the phrase "regarding an establishment of religion" in the First Amendment means anything other than what it says. It did not mean, in its conception, that nothing in public law or policy may reflect the convictions or insights of any church or religious ideal. And it certainly did not mean that the rights of the irreligious community should be interpreted to be superior to the rights of the religious community, and yet this is precisely what the courts are saying in their rulings, on the federal and state levels.

The relentless effect is to make religious people, who desire their ethical and moral views expressed in law and practice in society, second-class citizens.
Cases like Meek v. Pittenger and Engel v. Vitale are not interpretations of separation of church and state; they are implementations of a policy of suppression of the church by the state. At present, such implementations are mild and relatively innocuous. But all citizens, not just religious citizens, should recognize that this is where present legislative, judicial and regulatory trends are headed, and also recognize that, carried to their logical conclusion, they will result in the relegation of the religious community and their convictions to the fringes of their own society.

The greatest point of disturbance here is not myopic judges and legislators carrying on this detrimental trend. So far at least, they can be impeached, recalled and replaced. And they themselves are an extreme minority. What is particularly disturbing in all this is that the majority of citizens don't realize what is happening, and the ones who do fail to react with sufficient zeal to reverse the trend. Religious freedom is an inherent right....but not in the sense that it is automatic and need not be guarded - fiercely.

TO RADIO COMMISSIONERS A HOT BONE

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You may also be interested to learn the Environmental Protection Agency is funding studies of the alternative wastewater disposal systems in rural and suburban areas

If government is using our public funds to study these problems, it must certainly be surmised commercial free enterprise is way ahead of them and is now marketing perfectly acceptable systems.

Mr. Sim Van der Ryn, state architect, Sacramento, Ca. also has an interesting treatise, "What You Can Do About Building and Health Codes" at which, he might allow you to peek. Even if the illustrious commissioners are not desirous of furthering their education in a subject with which they should be gaining intimate knowledge, you, dear reader, are free and privileged to expand your own knowledge by sending for the mentioned publications.

Adaptation of some such system might well mean the difference of having or not having enough fresh water to drink within the very near future.

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How do we go about it? Well the local high schools mightsponsor "Atmospherium Ball Games" with donations, car washes also seem to generate some $$ around town now and again. Remember it takes only 85¢ per person per month to put this over.

Perhaps some of you, out there in reader-land have some good ideas. We'll publish them and help in any way we can.

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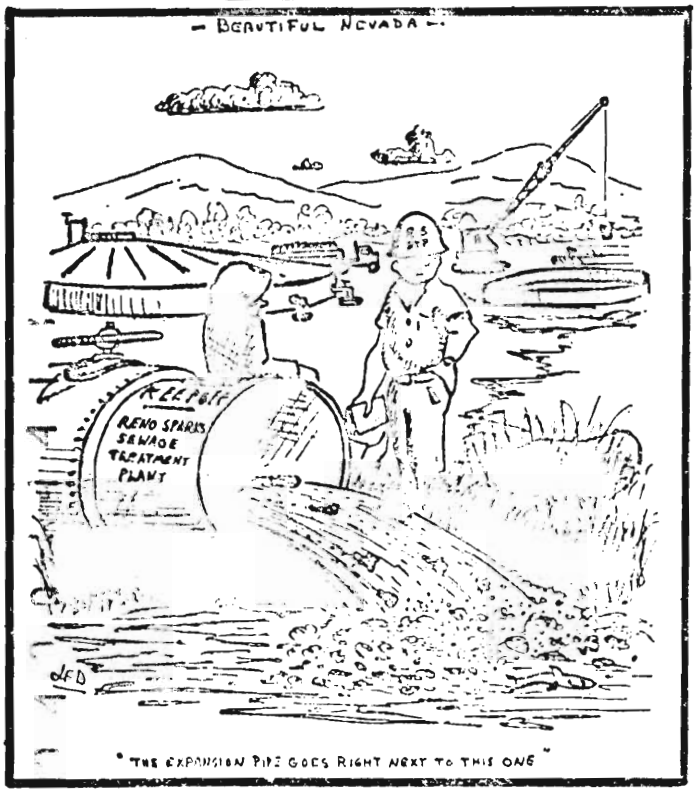

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Let us, however, take a look at some rough figures relative to the citizens saving water and the expansion of the sewage treatment plant: It is estimated 10,000 plastic bottles in toilet tanks will save 1.6 millionqallons of fresh water per MONTH. That round figure, 1.6 million, looks pretty impressive. It breaks down to .6 gallons per second, using a 30 day month. A tiny bit more than ½ gallon.

Compare that ½ gallon saved to the PRESENT consumption of the sewage plant of 600 million gallons per month or 230 gal per second. ½ gallon saved, 230 gallons flowing. They are requesting you to save ½ gallon per second while they will couble 230 to 460 gallons per second --- The consumption of the sewage plant.

The commissions ploy of 'environmental thinking' is just the pollution referred to as 'governmental thinking' in another article in this paper.

Would a resounding "NO" vote on the sewage bond issue force the commission to do what it should have done years ago? Take a hard, very hard, LOOK AT ALTERNATIVES AVAILABLE? Would they, in fact, PLAN AHEAD as they should have been doing for, lo, these many years?

More than several tax and water-saving sewage treatment systems are employed elsewhere in this country and more are being built. Why not Reno-Sparks? One wonders.

AS AMERICANS YOU'RE FREE TO VOTE YOUR GOOD COMMON SENSE!

"KEEP UP YOUR SPIRITS, AND GALLANTLY OPPOSE THIS ADVERSE COURSE OF AFFAIRS"
John Dickinson, 1768

"When a whole nation is roaring Patriotism at the top of it's voice, I am fain to explore the cleanness of its hands and the purity of its heart."

EMERSON, Journals, 1824

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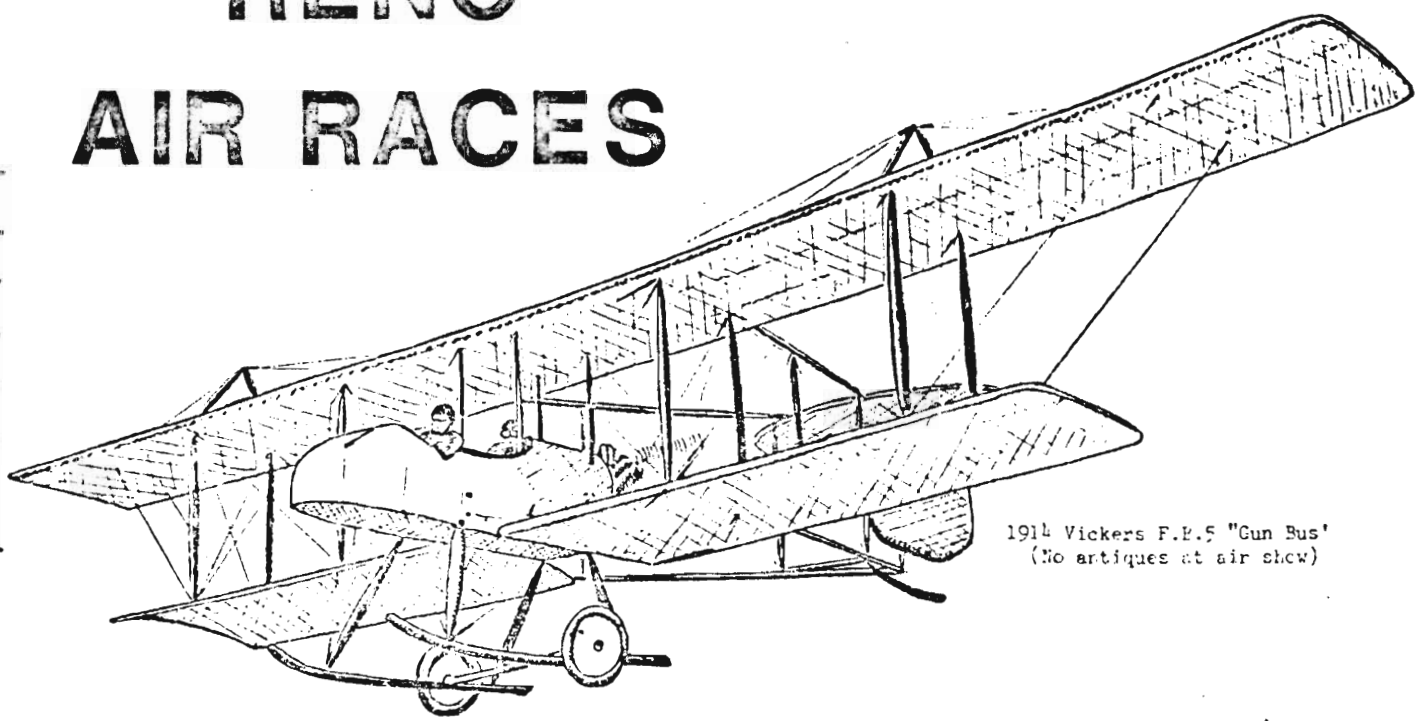

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CONSTRUCTION -

WAKE UP!

I suppose it depends on who is witnessing the wishy-washy city commissioners as to how they vote. A large contingent of construction people present at the meeting following the declaration of a 60-day moratorium, seems to have coerced the commissioners on changing their minds. Now a judge has decided for them, although limiting the moratorium to 15 days.

It is apparent some restriction must be accomplished in order to satisfy the insatiable consumption of our sewage treatment plant.

One wonders, when the city council cannot cope with the sewage situation, how is the construction industry going to overcome that which must be rectified. One wonders, also, how Truckee Meadows water supply will cope with un-limited development and expansion. Next year, Sierra Pacific Power will open a new 25 million gallon a day water treatment plant - where will THAT water flow?

It was reported in 1973 that Washoe County had enough water to support a population of 220,000 UNDER IDEAL CONDITIONS. Would that ideal condition be to spread out the expansion all the way to the Oregon border where Washoe County reaches its northernmost limit?

The whole thing boils down to one thing - WATER SUPPLY. Continued unlimited growth in this area may well see us run out of water as well as sewage facilities.

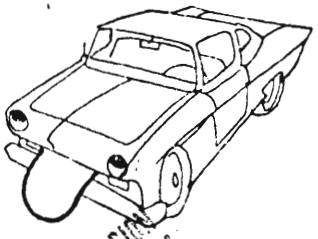
Obviously, Reno authorities refuse to investigate alternative sewage disposal methods, Isn't it about time the construction industry did the job for them instead of crying about un-employment? If the paper work had been started last year to have necessary code changes made in order to incorporate closed system or waterless sewage disposal in new construction, there would be no need of a building moratorium now. While local interests continue their fruitless battle for selfish interests the state is almost sure to step in with their own building cessation order. And that will be that.

"NOW - IF WE CAN'T SEE WHO IS IN THE AUDIENCE PERHAPS WE CAN GET AN UNBIASED VOTE!"

Free

Janine Hansen, Independent American Party candidate for U.S. Representative to U.S.Congress. See page 2.

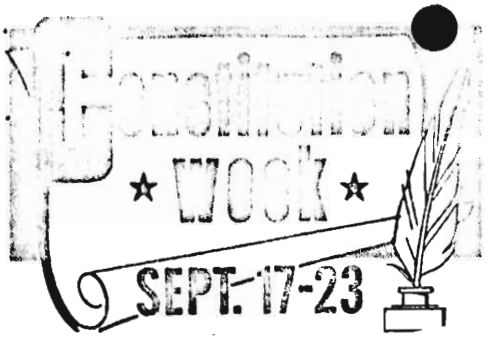
CONSUMER BREAKTHROUGH?!



Several major marketing companies are now offering, via national advertising, automobile batteries that are guaranteed for as long as you own your car.
They are sealed containers never needing water. This battery represents an important breakthrough for consumers. Although the predetermined date of failure of the product has been eliminated in the design.

One wonders how long the design has been kicking around the shelves and, also, how many other products, like automobile batteries, have designs lying around that do not mean to fail at a pre-determined date.
It would appear the battery companies, at least, are getting the message from the consumer.

Now, about that new office stapler we just bought.....



"Single acts of tyranny may be ascribed to the accidental opinion of a day; but a series of oppressions, begun at a distinguished period and pursued unalterably through every change of ministers, too plainly proves a deliberate system of reducing us to slavery."
THOMAS JEFFERSON, 1774

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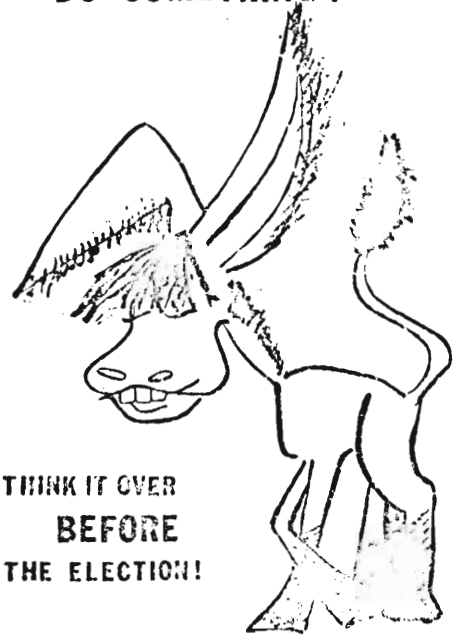

THINK IT OVER BEFORE THE ELECTION!

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GUEST EDITORIAL

B **Janine Hansen**

"A citizen of the Republic cannot do his duty and be an idle spectator." The words of former U.S. Secretary of Agriculture, Ezra Taft Benson should reach deep inside each of us.

One of the major problems we face in this nation today, is that good, honest men and women fail to make sacrifices necessary to become involved in the political process. The air we breath, the water we drink, our jobs, our schools and even our families are influenced and controlled in some way by government. If we allow others to make our decisions for us, then we must suffer the consequences of their decisions and we retain no justification for complaint.

U.S. Senator Sam Ervin, Jr. states, "the Equal Rights Amendment is the most destructive piece of legislation to ever pass congress."
What brings Senator Ervin to this conclusion? Perhaps the same understanding that brought State Senator Carl Dodge of Fallon to the conclusion that the consequences of E.R.A. "will be devastating upon the American Family unit."
"The demise of the home as the basic social unit could signal the demise of the greatest experiment in freedom in the history of mankind....." continued Senator Dodge in Nevada State Senate Hearings on E.R.A. 1975

E.R.A. is a major device being used to destroy the family and our basic liberties in the United States today.

In an interview with Betty Friedan, the "mother" of women's lib, Simone de Beauvoir of France, who provided the original inspiration for Ms. Friedan's book,'The FeminineMistique Madame de Beauvoir states, "No woman should be authorized to stay at home to raise her children.Society should be totally different. Women should not have that choice, precisely because if there is such a choice, too many women will make that one."

In other words,all children would be as Senator Dodge fears, raised bythe state in communal-socialistic child-care centers and that women would have only one option -the work force outside the home.

Yes, E.R.A. will hurt the family and the nation and it will affect you as an individual.Is there any situation association, relationship, organization, job or activity that cannot, by some stretch of the bureaucratic or judicial mind, be interpreted as not relating in some way or other to the fact that a person is a male or female? E.R.A. will allow the federal government into every aspect of our individual lives through bureaucratic and judicial interpretation.

I do not oppose equal pay for equal work, equal credit or equal educational opportunities for women. But these things are already guaranteed by state and federal laws such asthe Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 and the Equal Credit Act of 1974.Enforcement, if indeed it is a problem, is all that needs be corrected. We do not need E.R.A. to obtain these goals.

I oppose the fraudulent Equal Rights Amendment and its attendant evils. Our present Congressman, Jim Santini favors the E.R.A. In fact, he voted to finance the women's libbers with 5 million of our tax dollars. This money went to the International Women's Year Commission which voted 35-0 in favor of E.R.A.

What can we do to STOP E.R.A.?
We can vote for those who oppose the E.R.A. As voters, we don't get to vote on E.R.A. Only our State Legislators vote directly on E.R.A. -only our Congressman votes on appropriations for promoting E.R.A.

I encourage you to call STOP E.R.A. at 359-0808 or 358-9190 and find out which candidates oppose E.R.A. Then offer to help those candidates and STOP E.R.A. WE CAN WIN, if good men and women will do their part as citizens of this great land."

NNH interviewed Janine Hansen recently and immediately adopted her into the Dykes Clan which publishes NNH.

Miss Hansen, the Northern Nevada Chairman and State Newsletter Editor of STOP E.R.A. is currently a candidate for U.S. House of Representatives as an Independent American. She is a native Nevadan, an honor graduate of Sparks High School, and a graduate, magna cum laude, from Brigham Young University. She is the national committeewoman for the Independent American Party of Nevada and spoke at the Party's National Convention in Chicago on August 25, 1976.
On her birthday, October 31st, (Nevada Day), she will be 25 years old making her the youngest Congressional candidate in Nevada's history.

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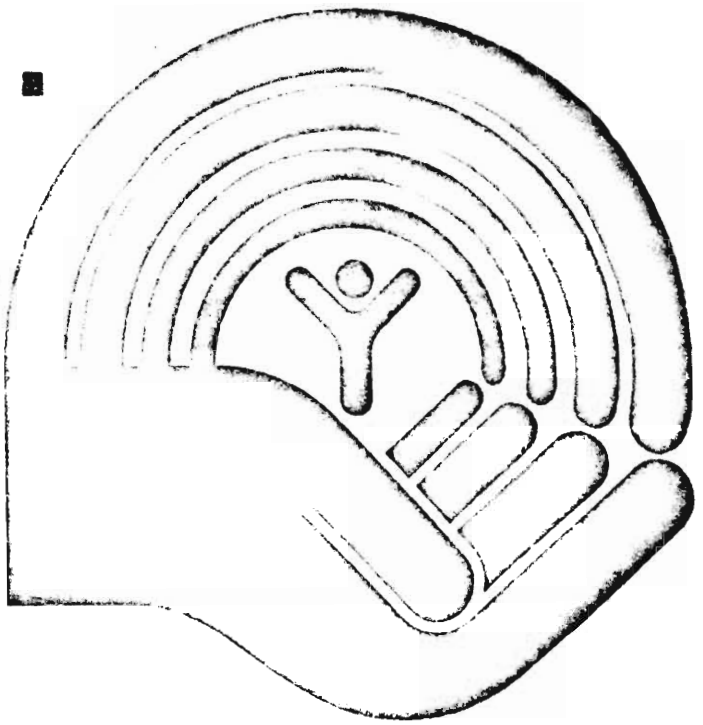

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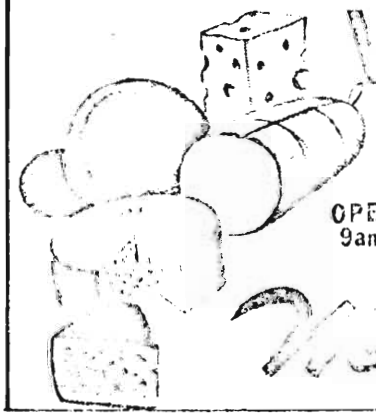

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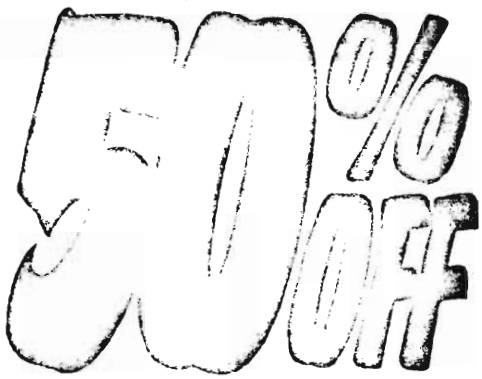

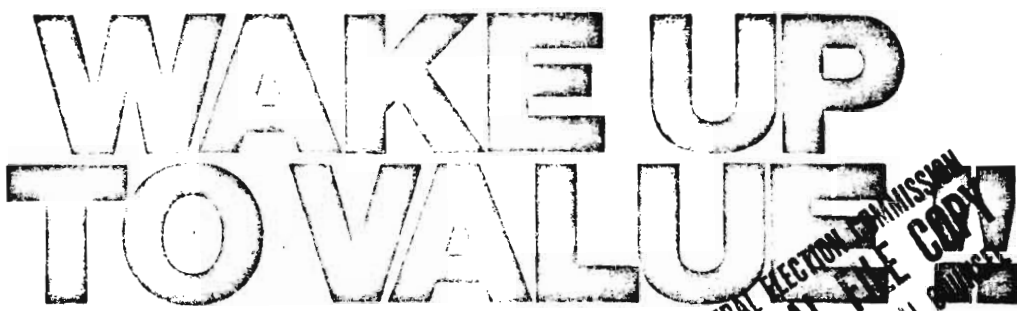

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GREENHOUSES

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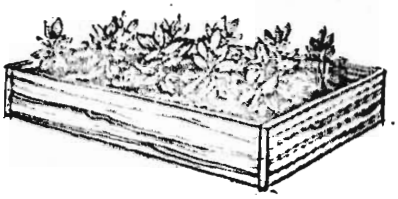
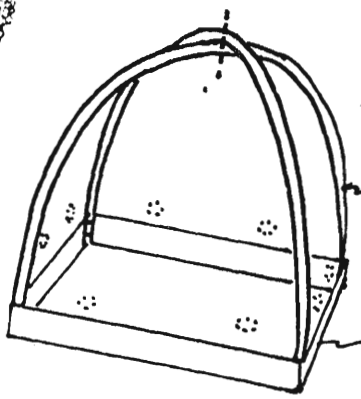


Family Ent

We are already into the greenhouse season. As a "G" rated family entertainment activity, green housing is, almost, unmatchable. A garden may be grown right through the winter, at very little cost. This can range from about 10 bucks up to several thousand, depending on your needs, and desires and financial abilities. Starting small to acquire experience is a good bet since none of the original material would be lost in any ex pansion in years to come.

Children can be easily interested in this project if allotted some space as their very own in the greenhouse. It may be best to sit down with pencil and paper and figure out how much space you want to cover, what you want to grow and include something for the children to grow as their own plants. Include the kids in this preplanning. If you have space along a south wall of your house or garage, plan for a lean-to type structure which can be put up at the low end of the cost scale. If you want only a few square feet covered, plan for even less expenditure with something like the number 1 plan shown below.



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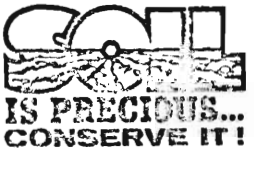
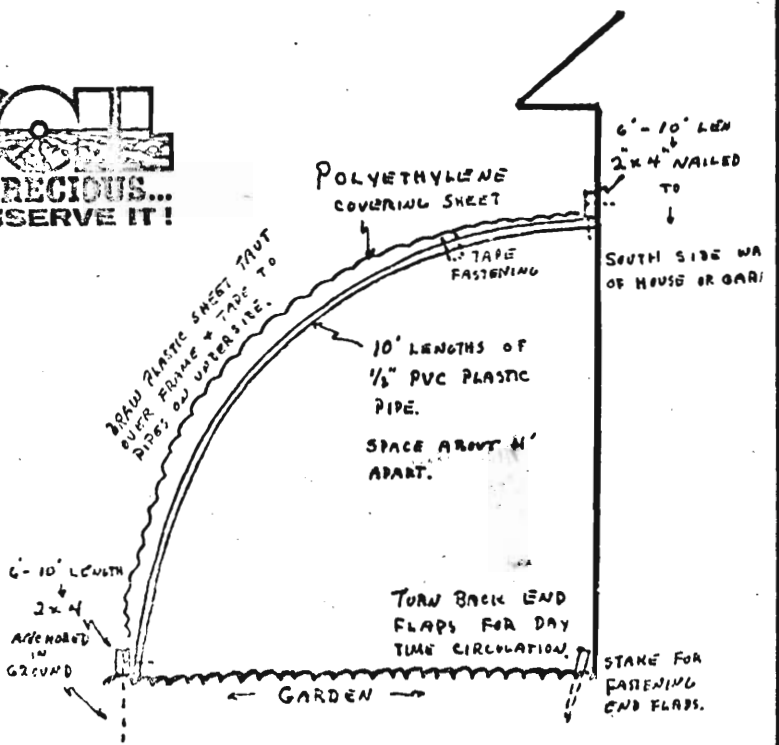
The main ingredients of these type coverings is PV plastic pipt, available at most hardware supply centers, and a large sheet of polyetheiene plastic. A few boards and nails or screws and you're almost in business. These coverings are very light in weight and an anchoring system of sorts must be devised to prevent wind from destroying what you have built.

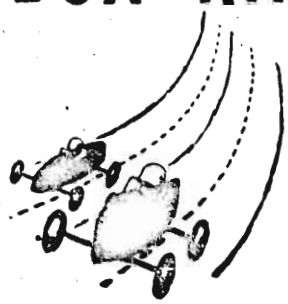
The two forms illustrated here are basic designs and many improvements and innovations are possible, and recommended. Remember, air circulation must be considered so end flaps in the lean-to type should be un-hookable to allow lots of fresh air through the structure. Small holes cut near the base of the other type, on all four sides, should be ample when it can not be removed altogether.

Here, then are the basic starters in which you may get started in greenhousing. It is not expensive, it will interest you and the children all winter and you may well have fresh, fresh vegetables to boot!





SOAP BOX RACERS



Northern Nevada Home would like to run pictures and brief articles on entrants as they pursue the construction of their cars. As you get going, let us know and we'll reserve space for you in future issues.

tainment

Instead of listing various "G" rated entertainment attractions our community has to offer, we are beginning a series of articles of "G" involvement activities in which the entire family may participate. The basic premise of NNH is the Home-Family unit, so naturally, we will attempt to stimulate family activities.

One such activity is Soap Box Derby Racers. Soap Box racing returned to Reno this past summer after an absence of 20 years. Mr. Lloyd Walker, an assistant professor at UNR, spear-headed the effort to revive this "G" rated sport.

Young Dan Lightfoot was sent to Akron, Ohio, to represent Northern Nevada, having won the local races in July. A parent and an official of the local races are required to attend the Akron event also, as chaperones to the boy and his car. Dan did not win at Akron, but he had thrills he would not have had if he had not built his car himself, which is required, and raced in so many down-hill events.

It is not too soon to begin planning and construct ing for next years races! A general meeting of the local Derby Association is being held soon to determine their general plans for the coming year. The primary subject will, of necessity, be finances It costs the association quite a bit to send three people and the car to Akron each year. Due to lack of funding, only the senior races were held in 1976 and, as of now, that's all that's planned for 1977 There is a junior division, (ages 10-12) which would mean doubling up all financing. Six people and two cars would travel to Akron and back and, right now, that appears impossible. Of course if some local vault were opened to the tune of some 5 thousand, it would ease things consicerably.
This first article is to acquaint you with Soap Box Racers and the Derby, in general, with time enough for anyone interested to get started on the project. The estimated cost for each car is about $100. This cost is spread over the period it takes the entrant to build the car.
Usually a child will take anywhere from 4-8 months to complete a racer so the money goes out in easy enough increments.

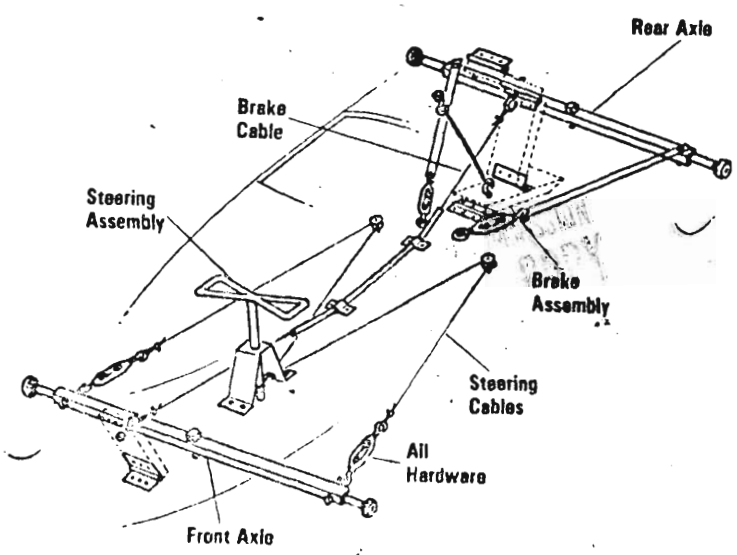
Sponsors sometimes defray the cost of cars for the privilege of having a company name emblazoned down each side of the car. It is little advertising investment considering the exposure achieved.
It is also tax deductable, as is any donation to the Derby Association.

A cut-a-way view of a racer here, shows the internal intracasies involved in the running and steering gear as well as the brake system. What is not shown is the fiber glass-covered shell, polished to the enth degree for less wind resistence.
Various finished forms are applicable ranging from that shown of the 1976 winner to arrow-appearing projectiles installed over the framework. Complete information on the requirements for the cars is available from the association, address below.
It should be noted the entrant, boy or girl, must construct the car by himself, as well as purchase all the materials. Limited assistence from parents is encouraged and these guidelines are also spelled out and enforced by the association.

Here is a family project which can introduce your youngsters to the values of craftsmanship, perseverance, self-confidence and good sportsmanship, besides developing closer parent-child ties.

This past July saw 17 entrants race down Ralston Avenue, 12 sponsors names, 5 sponsored by their families.

Additional information may be obtained by writing the Northern Nevada Soap Box Derby Association, 512 Spring Meadow #H, Sparks, Nevada 89431
Or call Lloyd Walker at 359-7933



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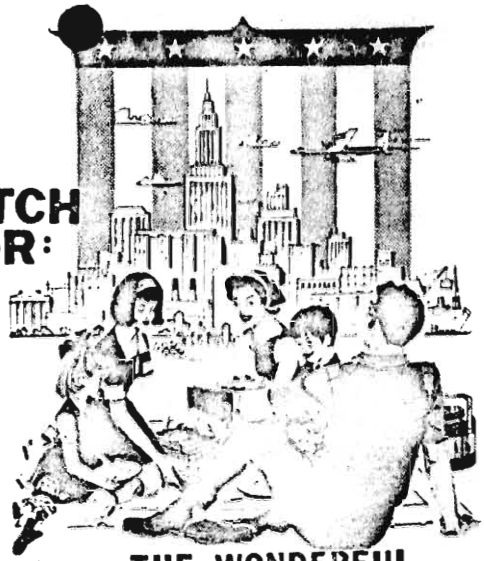

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The People Speak!
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Editor: I was just to the point where I was ready to throw the bathroom into the Truckee and head for the woods where I wouldn't need one! Now you mention an alternative. I didn't know there were any and if we DO have some, how is it the city fathers know nothing of them? Let's have some more dialogue on this subject.
Richard Martin

Editor: What's with all this G rate business? People who live in this area outgrew the G when puberty went. It's time you grew up too! This twosome will not be reading your paper.
Carol Jackson

Sir: Found your paper in a store in Sun Valley. You will find a lot of G rated kinfolks in Northern Nevada!
Dora Henry

Sirs: As a father of two small girls, I would naturally endorse the principles contained in your paper. But I am realistic. This is a town of X-rated movies, adult book stores, massage parlors, and prostitution. In the poshest clubs, the back-up shows, if not the headliners! are strip and sex-oriented. So how does one teach his daughters that the highest ideal in life for a woman is not the way of the stripper and prostitute? I seriously doubt you'll make it, but I wish you luck!
David Angelino

Editor: I live in Northern California but found your paper in Albertson's grocery store in Reno. Can I subscribe? I don't get to Reno too often, but would sure like to have the paper.
Flo Ryan

Editor: A friend brought me a copy to the hospital. It went the rounds. Keep up the "G"ood work.
J. Patterson

Editor: Didn't know the atmospherium was so bad off since they advertise on TV. Enjoyed the weather articles and look forward to the next issue.
Mary Ann Huff

Editor: Come on! "G" rated? In Reno? Who will read your slop? More do-gooders!
'Big Jim' Nichols
(Ed. We hope so!)

Congratulations on NNH. We've needed you for a long time. How about something on the scouting movement?
Mike Risso
(Ed. We'll try!)

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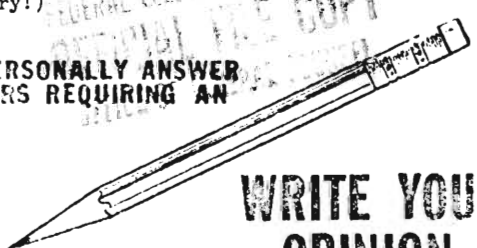

WRITE YOUR OPINION

THIS IS MY COUNTRY.....

If anyone needed proof positive of the degenerate society in which we abide, one has to go no further than Governor O'Callaghan's "COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF THE PEOPLE."

Eighty-four items such as liberalization of the laws on marijuana, prostitution, personal sexual conduct, and the like, were recommended by 17 of 33 members of the commission, the remainder did not care enough to attend the final meeting.

While the Nevada Legislature charged the commission ONLY with consideration of discriminatory laws, our governor went over their heads by ordering a very broad, interpretive review and kicked in an additional $1,500 on top of the allocated $5,000.

Was it just coincidence a Reno school principal recommended, just prior to the commissions suggestion of lowering mandatory school ages from 17 to 14, complete ABOLISHMENT of ANY mandatory attendence?

What is all this liberal nonsence?
OUTLAW SCHOOL, ENCOURAGE PROMISCUITY, AND RELAX DRUG LAWS!

From whence did these commission persons obtain their education? Certainly their Bibles were never opened when compiling their recommendations.

It is a sign of the times with America playing right into the hands of her enemies. The communists have declared their long-range plans of promoting the demise of our country through the undermining of both our educational system and national morals. Assisted by our elected officials, they appear to be doing exactly that!

Our federal government is bad enough at usurping the laws of God - now our own state of Nevada is sheepishly following in their footsteps.

"It is the duty of every good citizen to point out what he thinks erroneous in the commonwealth." JAMES OTIS, 1764

Here's where you'll save those dollars. . .

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AN IMPORTANT PRE-ELECTION

STOP E.R.A.

MEETING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY,

SEPTEMBER 21, at 8pm

AT THE HOME OF

STATE SENATOR MARGIE FOOTE &
HER MOTHER, MARIE FOOTE

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IF YOU ARE SERIOUS ABOUT STOPPING E.R.A.

THERE IS NO TIME TO LOSE!

IT'S UP TO YOU!

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BEAUTIFUL

LAKE TAHOE

"THIS IS NOT A SEASON TO BE MEALYMOUTHED, OR TO MINCE MATTERS; THE TIMES ARE PRECARIOUS AND PERILOUS." THE SENTINEL 1776

Happy Birthday!... VIV

5 GOOD REASONS TO PATRONIZE OUR CUSTOMERS

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5. **Our purpose is to bring the consumer and business together who have a common goal... preservation of the AMERICAN FAMILY and a clean environment for all to enjoy.**

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

The spray can rage affecting the world the past 10-15 years is slowly but surely deteriorating our atmosphere. Over the entire earth, each year, 1.5 BILLION POUNDS of spray can propellant, fluorocarbons, are released to rise 20-30 miles to interact with an ozone layer. Ozone has protected the population of the world from cancer-producing ultra-violet rays since time began.

A National Academy of Science report of a 16 month study recommends ONLY that another 2 years of study, research and experimentation is needed before definitive banning action be taken.

In another 2 years another 3 BILLION POUNDS of fluorocarbon will be released and who is to say that will not be the straw that broke the camels back? It is known an accumulation of fluorocarbons in our upper atmosphere breaks down ozone and may, in fact, cause severe climatic changes of the earth through additional heating from unfiltered sun rays reaching our planet. Perhaps the Academy has not noticed the unusual weather-related phenominon taking place the world over the past few years. Who is to say the accumulation of fluorocarbons above the tropopause, (in the stratosphere), has not already affected the plant?

What would be the effect of placing a ban on the use of the dangerous gas right now? It appears several profit-oriented manufacturers, duPont primarily, would lose some profit!! That's about it, except fluorocarbons would cease to infiltrate our atmosphere.

The National Academy of Science, of course, is funded with our taxes through congress, as a non-governmental entity. Hundreds of millions of our tax dollars are distributed throughout the world by the Academy for scientific research and experimentation by universities such as UNR.
Our national collegiate system is practically supported by such federally-oriented grants even though the net results returns very little on our investment. The outcome of such research is usually a report citing a need for additional study and research. In this manner much of our public fund supports private institutions for the self-perpetuation of research-minded scientists who perpetuate "need" for more research and the support of their institutions as well as themselves, at our expense.

It is sad to say many Americans actually believe a federal stamp on something makes it "official."

Such as the "official" weather forecast by the National Weather Service. "Official" has come to mean - to many of us Americans, "ONLY". The 'ONLY' forecast on which they can plan, the 'ONLY' opinion which says 2 more years are needed for study on a subject.

There are too many farmers who can out-foretell the National Weather Service any day of the week! There are too many scientists who disagree with the National Academy of Science. BUT their opinions are RARELY disseminated by acquiescent press.

Too many Americans think an Academy conclusion of 2 more years of study needed is the final word. FLUOROCARBONS SHOULD BE BANNED NOW! Research can continue, but insane polluting of our atmosphere should be halted immediately. Just as we should cease the insane polluting of the rest of our resources.

Once, again, the power lies in congress. Our federal representatives are constantly deluged with bureaucratic favors in order to perpetuate their own extravagant living at our expense. The National Academy of Science is not an exception. Too many of our tax dollars are bringing us no return on our investment. Can we take the chance another 3 BILLION POUNDS of fluorocarbons will not affect our atmosphere in a manner from which there is no turn-around?
The Academy should have recommended immediate cessation of fluorocarbon-charged spray cans. Perhaps it depends on how many dollars duPont and the like pour into the Academy and our Congress?

One thing is certain - no commercial company can [illegible] tax dollars OR OUR POWER OF NOT RESPONDING TO CONGRESS. THE IMBECILES WHO IGNORE THE OBVIOUS POLLUTION OF OUR [illegible] RESOURCES.

NORTHERN NEVADA WOMEN CAN SET AN EXAMPLE

REFUSE TO BUY SPRAY CANS THAT CONTAIN FLUOROCARBONS

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Who Opposes ERA?

- 18 State Legislatures.
- 3 State Referendums.
- Veterans of Foreign Wars.
- American Legion New York State.
- American Farm Bureau.
- National Council of Catholic Women.
- Knights of Columbus.
- Catholic Daughters of America.
- Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. (Social Concerns Committee, Commission on Theology & Church Relations).
- General Association of Regular Baptist Churches.
- Mormon Church.
- Church of Christ, dozens of congregations.
- Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations.
- Union of Orthodox Rabbis.
- Yeshiva University Alumni Association.
- Illinois PTA.
- Texas PTA.
- National School Boards Association
- Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs.
- Florida Federation of Women's Clubs.
- New York City Federation of Women's Clubs.
- Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs.
- Conservative Party of New York.
- League of Large Families
- Young Americans for Freedom.
- Young Republican National Federation.
- Women's Christian Temperance Union.
- Daughters of the American Revolution
- Women for Responsible Legislation
- Women in Industry
- American Legislative Exchange Council
- League of Women Voters.

For further information, write

STOP ERA
Box 618
Alton, Illinois 62002

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HE WHO PASSIVELY ACCEPTS EVIL IS AS MUCH INVOLVED IN IT AS HE WHO HELPS PERPETRATE IT. HE WHO ACCEPTS EVIL WITHOUT PROTESTING AGAINST IT IS REALLY COOPERATING WITH IT.

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"The PEOPLE, I say, are the only competent judges of their own welfare."
Josiah Quincy, 1774

WEATHER or not

Jim Dykes

As our population continues to grow, more and more persons are becoming aware of just how valuable our most important utility is. And our most valuable utility, of course, is WATER. Water is essential to our very survival, not to mention the many odd, water-provided amenities to which we have become accustomed.

Water is weather. Water is a natural cycle which circulates through our atmosphere, through our land, through our food, through our lives.

Which came first, the chicken or the egg? Similarly, which came first, the rain, the river or the ocean?
Someone once said there is no such thing as perpetual motion. I submit there is.....WATER.
Water continually cycles through the evaporation-precipitation process. Moisture is evaporated from bodies of water into the atmosphere tobecome clouds which eventually precipitates rain back to the ground and bodies of water.

Just as man has learned how to increase egg production, he has also learned how to increase the production of water. This is not to say the basic amount of water on the planet is increased, only the PRECIPITATED AMOUNT over a given point. To be sure, weather modification, or cloud seeding is a complex procedure, but, then, so is landing a complete laboratory on Mars!
Free enterprise companies have been filling dry reservoirs,extinguishing forest fires,and wetting corn fields for decades.

Immediately after WW 2, scientists discovered the basic principle of increasing precipitation and for the next ten years,research & experimentation sophisticated the principle to feasible reality. Hydro-electric power was increased in Spain and Mexico during the 1950's through augmented rain programs. Additional millions of tons of food have been produced through cloud seeding for over 25 years in this country alone.
One of the earliest private contracts let in this country was with a power company in the great northwest.
After over 23 years of successful operation, it remains the oldest continuing weather engineering program in existence.

During these development years, our federal government put their finger in the pie and attempted to grab the whole pium, spending hundreds of millions of our tax dollars in the process. They continue to research and experiment the subject while, for the past 30 years, private weather engineers have developed an international industry, with PROVEN methods and also with very attractive low insurance rates.
Anyone who owns a car will understand about those low liability rates and how they are attained... GOOD PERFORMANCE! Hundreds of millions of our tax dollars continue to support experiments which can never supply an adequate return on our investment much less, water where it is needed most.

And this leads us to the Walker Lake Story.

It is estimated Walker Lake will be 'dead' within 5 years. The Walker Lake Advisory Committee keeps tabs on dissolved solids in the lake and since 1955 growth of the solid measurements has grown from 6,850 parts per million,(PPM) to 10,300 PPM this year. A level of 11,500 would surrender the lake to death. One obvious reason for this solid growth is lack of water flowing to the lake, as well as lack of precipitation at the lake. Much of the water needed at the lake is diverted for farming irrigation purposes.
The 'death' of Walker Lake is stirring up controversy as factions of interest expound their views on the subject. Upstream ranchers, of course, don't care about the lake, per se, only the water flowing to the lake used for their irrigation.

Mineral County feels they need to save the lake in order to save the county.Mineral County is 98% occupied by federal forces and lacks the tax base to enhance their county to attract new and needed industry.

The U.S. Navy is the major employer with the ammo dump but is giving it to the Air Force after they phase out considerable work. No one, yet, knows what the Air Force plans are.

Important investigative work concerning Walker Lake and the reasons for its demise has been done by the Desert Research Institute for the past two years with a federal grant of 270,000 of our tax dollars. The research has now ended because the money is gone. New federal tax dollars are being sought by the institute.
Meanwhile, the Nevada State Legislature has appropriated 55,000 Nevada tax dollars for the institute to fund a 2 year cloud-seeding EXPERIMENT at the headwaters of the Walker River in an effort to produce more water flowing to Walker Lake.

An educated guess is those 55,000 tax dollars won't last two months supporting an aircraft operation of flight crews, ground crews, maintenance, insurance, instruments, ad infinitum needed for experimental work such as is planned.

What IS needed is a commercially-proven weather modification PROGRAM by state-certified weather engineers who have proven their worth many times over, the world over.

Experimental work is laudatory and needed, but in the case of the survival of Walker Lake, it is ludicrous to expend state tax dollars on experiments which have been duplicated year after year. How have such experiments assisted Pyramid?

During the 1960 8th Olympic Winter Games at Squaw Valley, the Olympic Committee contracted with a private weather engineer to provide long range weather forecasts and, if needed,cloud-seeding to enhance snow cover for the games.
They turned to private enterprise because our federal weathermen are not allowed to forecast the weather more than three days in advance. The proprietary forecast indicated that inadequate snow would hamper the games and the engineer tooled up for a weather modification program. In time, the Olympic Committee agreed with the engineer and gave the go-ahead for cloud seeding.
They said they would like the sun to shine on the morning of the ski events for TV coverage.
Suffice to say the Russian "observers" were incredulous when, as scheduled, on the morning of the ski events, the sun broke through the clouds on to 6-8 inches of new snow. Like clockwork. 16 years ago.
One can only wonder, if federal experimenters had their finger in the pie,would they still be there in their expensive aircraft, attempting to encourage more snow?

It appears too much government is, once again, hampering the commercial free enterprise development of an area in desperate need of such improvements.

Two years of experimental work in the Sierras will officially preclude the operation of any other weather modification work in the area.
Experiments will plod along for two years, IF additional tax money becomes available, while Walker Lake continues death throes and fresh water in Nevada continues to become more dear.

There are umpteen local, state, inter-state, and federal agencies controlling our fresh water and they will continue to finagle, boondoggle and otherwise dictate what is best for us, in their opinion, as long as they are allowed to do so.

Commercial weather engineers have proven they can extract additional water from the billions of gallons that flow over our heads, each day.

Why not use our public funds more wisely than on EXPERIMENTS?

"An army of principles will penetrate where an army of soldiers cannot."
Tom Paine, 1795

YOU CAN'T FOOL MOTHER NATURE

ERA Will Hurt The Family:

ERA will invalidate all state laws which require a husband to support his wife. ERA will impose on women the equal (50%) financial obligation to support their spouses (under criminal penalties, just like husbands).

ERA will impose on mothers the equal (50%) financial obligation for the financial support of their infant and minor children.

ERA will deprive senior women, who have spent many years in the home as wife and mother, of their present right to be supported by their husbands, and to be provided with a home.

ERA will eliminate the present right of a wife to draw Social Security benefits based on her husband's earnings. For a homemaker to receive benefits, her husband would be forced to pay *double* Social Security taxes on the *assumed* value of her services in the home.

ERA will compel the states to set up taxpayer-financed child-care centers for *all* children regardless of need. (See Ohio Task Force Report)

ERA will deprive state legislatures of all power to stop or regulate abortions at any time during pregnancy. ERA will give women a "constitutional" right to abortion on demand.

ERA will legalize homosexual "marriages" and permit such "couples" to adopt children and to get tax and homestead benefits now given to husbands and wives.

The Mischief Of ERA:

ERA is a big power-grab by the Federal Government. It will transfer jurisdiction over marriage, property rights, divorce, alimony, child custody, and inheritance rights out of the hands of the individual states and into the Federal bureaucrats and the Federal courts.

ERA will make women subject to the draft on an equal basis with men in all our future wars. ERA will make women and mothers subject to military combat and warship duty.

ERA will eliminate all-girls' and all-boys' schools and colleges. ERA will eliminate single-sex fraternities and sororities in high schools and on college campuses.

ERA may give the Federal Government the power to force the admission of women to seminaries equally with men, and possibly force the churches to ordain women.

ERA will deprive women in industry of their legal protections against being involuntarily assigned to heavy-lifting, strenuous, and dangerous men's jobs, and compulsory overtime.

ERA will require police departments to eliminate physical tests and to pass over qualified men so that women will be hired and assigned on a one-to-one basis.

ERA will eliminate present lower life insurance and automobile accident insurance rates for women.

What ERA Will *Not* Do!

ERA will **not** give women "equal pay for equal work," better paying jobs, promotions, or better working conditions. ERA can add nothing whatsoever to the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972.

ERA will **not** help women in the field of credit. This has already been mandated by the Equal Credit Opportunity Act of 1974. On the other hand, ERA will take away from wives their present right to get credit in their husband's name.

ERA will **not** give women better educational opportunities. This has already been mandated by the Education Amendments of 1972.

ERA will **not** help women in athletics, but will require sex-integrated coed nonsense such as the recent order by the Pennsylvania courts that all high schools must permit girls and boys to compete and practice together in all sports including football and wrestling.

ERA will **not** protect privacy, but instead will prohibit privacy based on sex in public school restrooms, hospitals, public accommodations, prisons and reform schools.

With so much to lose and nothing to gain, why take a chance?

ERA is a fraud. It pretends to improve the status of women but actually is a big takeaway of the rights women now possess.

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WONDERMENTS OF OUR SOCIETY

THE SEPTEMBER ISSUE OF NORTHERN NEVADA HOME CARRIED A FULL-PAGE ADVERTISEMENT PROMOTIONAL FOR "UNITED WAY OF NORTHERN NEVADA" AS A PUBLIC SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY FOR WHICH NNH RECEIVED NO REMUNERATION.

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS PRINTED IN DEFERENCE TO UNITED WAY OBJECTIONS TO ANY POSSIBLE INFERENCE THAT UNITED WAY IS IN ANY WAY CONNECTED TO ANY POLITICAL MOVEMENT. THEY ARE NOT. NNH - ALONG WITH UNITED WAY, ADVOCATES "PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE." NNH REGRETS THE POSSIBLE INTERPRETATION OF IMPLICATION BY ASSOCIATION THAT UNITED WAY SUPPORTS THE STOP-E.R.A MOVEMENT.

ONE WONDERS IF, PERCHANCE, SOME OBTUSE PERSON CARED TO INTERPRET A UNITED WAY PROMOTIONAL APPEARING IN OTHER PAPERS CONTAINING "X" RATED MOVIE AND "ADULT" MOVIE AND PORNO BOOK ADVERTISEMENTS AS IMPLICATIVE ASSOCIATION. NNH CERTAINLY HOPES NOT!

The key to good government is the electing of legislators who will represent our country, statesmen who will fight for wise and just principles, and seek to make them popular.

Return to the U.S. Senate:

- ★ *Integrity*
- ★ *Protection of our State's rights*
- ★ *Conservatism*
- ★ *Principles above expediency*
- ★ *A voice of the people*

Background Summary

NOT A LAWYER

Not a politician

Active Church Worker

A Business Man

University graduate with post-graduate work in Business Management and Economics.

BYRON D. YOUNG
Independent American
U.S. Senate

THE DRY FEDERAL FIEFDOM—NEVADA

Governor O'Calleghan has announced he will "go to Court" if a federal cloud-seeding project in the American River Basin in California adversely affects Nevada. How, pray tell, will the good governor know if Nevada is harmed by the experiment? And experiment it is!

No such threat emanated from the governor when the Nevada Legislature appropriated $5,000 Nevada tax dollars for a similar experiment at the headwaters of the Walker River.

It would behoove the governor to acquire expert guidance in the subject of meteorology since it is apparent he needs help. The entire state of Nevada needs help since the experts, and experts they are advising so far, are all, mostly, federally funded. Our taxes play a large part in perpetuating experiment after experiment which assists Nevada not at all.

Five years of such experimentation by the Desert Research Institute has produced no dramatic rise in the level of Pyramid lake. There is, undoubtedly, volumes of technical data produced by experiment - - BUT NO WATER.

While Nevada continues to suffer under such federal control other states have set up independent water districts to maintain control over their own destiny by contracting commercial weather engineers for augmented precipitation when they decide they need it. Such a program has been extremely successful in Oklahoma where additional rain has produced hundreds of millions of dollars of extra income for farmers whose investment is comparatively small. Even Oklahoma cities have resisted federal overtures of tens of millions of tax dollar largess and contracted with private companies to fill their dry reservoirs. Successfully!

Once drought-ridden Oklahoma fears a drought no more, and Oklahoma farmers have benefitted from a 120 to 1 cost-ratio-increase in their crops!

Until Nevada actually becomes NEVADA by removing the stigma of FEDERAL FIEFDOM CONTROL of our state, sets up independent water districts, such as Oklahoma, and gains authoritative management of the state, Nevada can continue to expect only experiments by federal forces which provides not one iota of improvement in the future of Nevada.

NORTHERN NEVADA HOME

Editorial

TOM PAINE

"THERE ARE PERSONS...WHO SEE NOT THE FULL EXTENT OF THE EVIL WHICH THREATENS THEM;
they solace themselves with hopes that the enemy, if he succeed, will be merciful. It is the madness of folly to expect mercy from those who have refused to do justice; and even mercy, where conquest is the object, is only a trick of war; the cunning of the fox is as murderous as the violence of the wolf and we ought to guard equally against both." TOM PAINE, 1776

J. Dykes, pub.

This issue of NORTHERN NEVADA HOME marks our second month of publishing Circulation in our first month was nearly 30,000, distributed from Fernley through Lake Tahoe, Carson City throughout theNorthern Valleys of Reno-Sparks.

This success is due to hard work on our part, cooperation of our guest editorialists and the dedication of advertisers who believe we fill the "G" void in our community, and also espouse the same Americantraditions which we believe and print.

That tradition is FREEDOM.
Simple, personal freedom.
Our freedom can flourish ONLY under a FREE ENTERPRISE without excessive government control.

Excessive government control is cur tailing our individual freedom of action.Although some form of govern ment, (as outlined in our Constitution) is necessary, we emphatically deny and protest the state is the highest realization of mankind.

During the past four decades, we have witnessed increasing encroachment of government, federal and state, into our individual,personal lives.The slow BUT SURE suffocation of our freedom continues in seeming ly innocuous but nefarious ways -- BREATH BY BREATH!!

THE un-EQUAL RIGHTS AMENDMENT IS A PRIME EXAMPLE.

What can be done about it?

As a publisher - and devotee of Tom Paine -there is only one course for me. PRINT THE TRUTH.

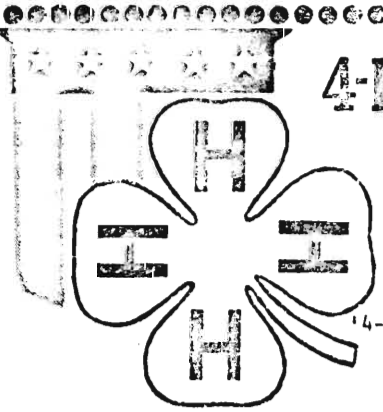
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN once said, "Where liberty is, there is my country." Tom Paine's retort was, "Where liberty is NOT, there is mine!"

Paine was, of course, an idealist. His writing of "COMMON SENSE" is generally given credit for inspiring Americans of the day to realize how their liberty was increasingly threatened by a far-away, tax-happy king.

Our own American situation is not far different today.Washington,D.C. has replaced London,federal bureaus have replaced the King,and our congress has replaced the foppishHouse of Lords.

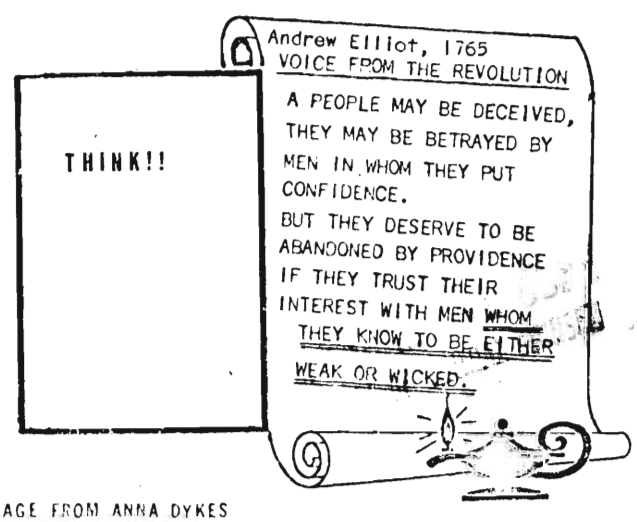
Northern Nevada Home is ajournal of opinion and advocacy as opposed to a daily newspaper,which has created a climate where the common man's viewpoint is not being represented. NORTHERN NEVADA HOME is designed to serve the people in presentingtruth We also strive to stimulate honest discussion of local problems within our community. We advocate less gov ernment - AT ALL LEVELS -as we also advocate defeat at the polls of the candidates who advocate more government by bureaucracy.

Read and consider our ideas,opinion AND FACTS. Whoever knew truth put to the worse, in a free and open encounter?



4-H WEEK
OCT 3-9

DURING NATIONAL 4-H WEEK, OCTOBER 3-9, WE JOIN IN PAYING TRIBUTE TO AN INFORMAL EDUCATION PROGRAM THAT PROVIDES UNIQUE OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH TO DEVELOP - PHYSICALLY, MENTALLY AND SPIRITUALLY - INTO PRODUCTIVE, CONTRIBUTING MEMBERS OF SOCIETY.



MESSAGE FROM ANNA DYKES

STATEMENTS ABOUT THE E.R.A. AND THEIR AIMS ARE SUBSTANTIALLY FROM DAILY NEWS RELEASES FROM ALL THE WIRE SERVICES, PHYLLIS SCHLAFLY REPORTS, NETWORK OF LETTER WRITERS, "WOMEN WHO WANT TO BE WOMEN" LIBBER MAG, N.O.W., AND STATEMENTS FROM LIBBERS MADE IN THE DAILY PRESS. THIS IS [illegible] WOMEN and moral, single women to write to their [illegible] OF THE GOALS AND AIMS [illegible] against the government and the E.R.A.

GOOD MORNING

WEATHER or not

Jim DYKES

WHERE DOES OUR MONEY GO WITH REFERENCE TO WEATHER?
No less than 15 federal departments, bureaus, agencies, commissions, administrations and foundations are involved with spending our tax dollars on the subject of weather. In addition there is the federal Council for Science and Technology which has an Interdepartmental Committee for Atmospheric Science which has 7 committees and panels interested in different aspects of weather.
It would be useless here to list the individual federal organizations spending our money on weather. It would be hopeless to attempt to ascertain a complete total of tax dollars spent by the federal government on weather because no such figure exists in any one publication. The following tax dollar totals are used as an example of an iceberg the real total of which is never revealed, for the year 1974.
The total increases every year.

Tax dollar expenditures on just the one subject, weather modification research, by 8 separate FEDERAL AGENCIES TOTALED OVER 17 MILLION DOLLARS IN 1974. Of this total, 3-1/4 million was distributed by the National Science Foundation, for the third consecutive year, to the National Center for Atmospheric Research for hail suppression research in northeastern Colorado. Each year, aircraft fly near storms to "seed" clouds with silver iodide or some such nutrient, to determine the feasibility of suppressing large hailstone growth. Hailstone damage to crops can exceed 4t million dollars per year so it can be easily seen why research into hail suppression is deemed important.

Meanwhile, back in commercial industry, from 1960 to 1968 a private weather engineer conducted hail suppression program in one of the four worst hail damage areas of the world, the wheat fields of Canada. The end result reflected a 70% reduction in hail damage to crops and a 30% increase in rain fall and resultant crop yields. The project covered about 3 million acres and dramatically reduced the insurance premiums paid by farmers over 80%! The program was ended by the Canadian government stepping in to conduct the project. After 8 years of government control the Canadian farmers have, this year, invited the commercial weather engineer to return and resume the program. It seems the farmers losses to hail and consequent increase in insurance premiums were regaining their astronomical proportions under government control
The 8 year PRIVATE PROGRAM had been successful to the extent that Russia sent their leading weather scientists to observe the hail suppression program

Eight years later in 1976, something in excess of 4 million of our tax dollars are being spent on federal research into hail suppression and how to accomplish that which was perfected 16 years ago!
In fact, as far back as 22 years ago in 1954, an experimental hail suppression project was operated by a private weather engineer in the pear-growing districts of southwestern Oregon and in Placer and El Dorado counties in the Sierra foot hills of California. During the 3 years of this operation growers were satisfied the experiment was successful because neither region suffered any severe or general hail damage. The cost to the growers was negligible because the weather engineer employed ground-based equipment and no aircraft.
THE NEED FOR EXPENSIVE AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS HAD BEEN DIS-PROVEN EVEN THEN.

Today, most of the weather modification research conducted with federal money insists on utilizing aircraft as the prime source of seeding clouds.
Muchof the weather modification research conducted with federal funds, (our taxes)today is duplicated effort on the part of separate agencies and redoing what was ACCOMPLISHED in the private sector many years ago.
In a local case, to bring home the point many thousands of our Nevada tax dollars will be used to conduct a weather modification experiment, over the next two years, at the headwaters of the Walker River. These experiments will, undoubtedly, duplicate those which have been conducted for the past five years in an attempt to alleviate the lowwater level in Pyramid Lake, to no avail.

Where does our money go with reference to weather? Only the tip of an iceberg has been revealed here dealing only with weather modification research.

Many hundreds of millions of our tax dollars are expended each year on various other weather subjucts such as weather forecasting research to enable bureaucrats to allow competent federal meteorologists to forecast three weeks into the future.

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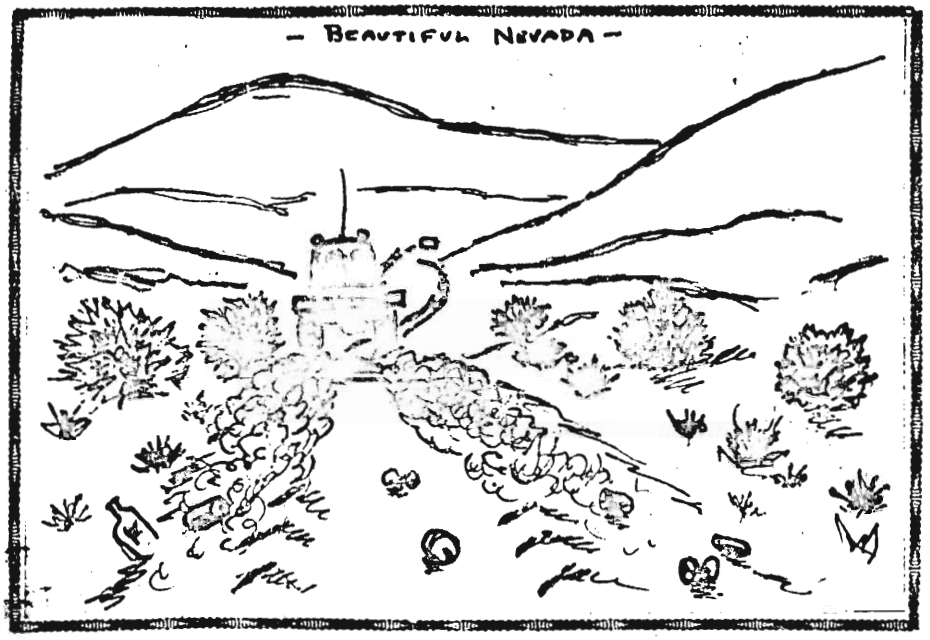

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The People Speak!

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Letters to THE PEOPLE SPEAK should be sent to the address above, as should all mail for this publication. Those signed with pen name or fictitious address will not be considered. The Editor.

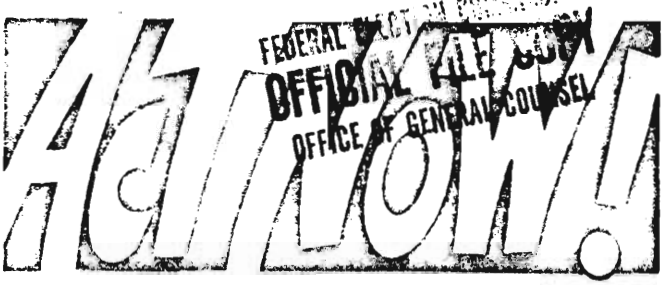
The origin of all power is in the people, and... they have an INCONTESTIBLE RIGHT to check the creatures of their own creation.
MERCY WARREN
1788

Dear Sirs: Regarding your "consumer breakthrough. In 1958 - 59, my husband worked for No. American Aviation, Inglewood, CA. And a fellow worker who had purchased a brand new Ford was bragging about the un-heard of 50 MPG he was getting. They told him, "couldn't be" and made bets, (tch tch!) on it. Allowing the car to idle away the last drop of gas, they put in one gallon and 4 or 5 men hopped into it and drove off 50.1 miles. A week later, Ford representatives at the man's home offered him $500 for quiet surrender or a court fight their patents could win to get the accidentally-released carburetor back. Our technology LONG AGO developed auto refinements. It is a chilling thought that those who control these inventions (and I'm sure most of the major manufactuerers hold patents on one type or other improvements,) it's a chilling thought that the patent controllers - probably the oil companies by now - can put personal greed for gain above world need. Another friend, a few years later, working for a carburetor company invented a refinement that gained several miles per gallon. He was told they did not want tnat improvement and was fired. Think about it.
Mrs. Ed Landon

To the Editor: I have resided in the Reno area for the past 25 years, and your paper is, without a doubt, the most refreshing news I have read. Not only because it is truthful, but because a lot of unnecessary trash does not appear in it. My compliments to you - and good luck.
Mrs. Pearl Price
P.S. I personally would love to see the complete school board checked out. Seems there is room for the public to improve this area.

Editor: Congratulations on Northern Nevada Home. At last I have found a paper that I enjoy reading. I have found every article to be true, and thank goodness you are not afraid to print it! We sure need you here in Reno - So hang in there!
G. Williams

Dear Sir: Your STOP E.R.A. issue was really an eye-opener! I never thought much about it until I read your paper, but now I'm a real STOPPER! And too think I had to journey all the way to Reno to find out what the real intent behind the E.R.A. actually is. We might as well ring down the curtain on America and personal freedom forever. That's what the SO-CALLED E.R.A. will do anyway. But please keep trying.
Mrs. Thelma Jones Antioch, California



YOUR OPINION WILL COUNT IF.... YOU LET IT BE HEARD!

CALL YOUR STATE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY CANDIDATES TODAY! MANY OF THEM FAVOR E.R.A. ONLY BECAUSE THEY THINK THE PUBLIC FAVORS E.R.A. GIVE THEM THE CHANCE TO REPRESENT YOU --- CALL AND LET THEM KNOW YOU OPPOSE!!!

in the interest of saving..WATER

The 'john' is dead. 'Clive' has arrived!
'Clive' refers to Clivus Multrum, a composting type toilet system used widely in Sweden for many years. "Clive" has gained popularity in this country during the past several years and more than one variation is being commercially produced. Clive uses the age-old principle of bacterial action to break down waste into fertilizer. It is flushless, thus waterless! All human and kitchen vegetable waste falls down into a closed box or trap in the basement where during a period of some months aerobic bacteria, (micro-organism supported by oxygen), devour the waste, composting it into a safe, granular, almost odorless fertilizer. It is understood earthworms hasten the process considerably.

With such furor over expanding the sewage treatment plant, a continuing (and perhaps disasterous)drought affecting our fresh water supply, along with the construction industries fear of un-employment, it would seem this type sewage disposal could alleviate many of our problems.

The cost of installing this system is negligible compared to sewer hook-ups, septic tank excavations. Any home garden would certainly benefit from the system also.

There are other aerobic sewage systems that can handle a community but they use quite a bit of electricity and water is necessary, so let's forget them.

In 1972, the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments instituted a wastewater management plan known as "208" which is receiving wide recognition, in other parts of the country, in creating considerable public awareness of the importance of water conservation. The past 4 years has seen nothing of this nature here in Reno, even with so many agencies, federal and otherwise, controlling our water supply. The lack of awareness of the subject, on the part of our elected officials, is appalling.

As mentioned in the last issue of the NNH, our officials are asking us to save 1/2 gallon of water per second through the use of plastic bottles in the toilet tank while they expand the water-consuming sewage treatment plant from 230 gallons per second to 400 gallons per second. Could this insistent view be caused by Sierra Pacific Power plans to open a new 25 million gallon per day water treatment plant next year?
Where will this water flow?

A closed/waterless sewage system, such as the Clivus Multrum, in new construction could help immensely with our water problems, be it supply or sewage. The largest water problem, of course, is supply. Only so much water can be pumped from the ground beneath us, without adequate stream-flow to recharge it, before widespread subsidence in the Truckee Meadows occurs.
Spotty 'sink holes' may show up any time now, because the usual amount of water is being pumped without adequate recharge of the aquifer, or storage/flow areas underground.

None of our officials, relying on federal weather forecasts, knows if the drought will continue through the coming winter, hence, they do not know what next springs stream flow will be from mountain snow melting. There is always that big IF in their statements regarding our water supply. There is always that big IF in their references to this coming winters snowfall. There is NO big IF, however, in the amount of water being extracted from beneath us, although they don't know when or IF it is - or will be - replenished.

The time to consider alternatives is not past, but it must be done soon. Construction changes would probably be necessary to incorporate the enclosed toilet systems in new building. These type systems save fresh water - much more so than plastic bottles - and they represent long range cures for our ever-worsening water supply problems.

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On September 24, 1976 in Reno, Nevada, about 300 Democrats paid from $10 to $50 each for an evening of snickering at America.

The evening was planned as a Santini Roast - an odd American custom of insulting a personality - in this case, obviously, to raise political funds for Congressman James Santini.
Governor O'Callaghan thought it humorous his taxes might be paying for a Santini Mistress. It is not clear if Mr. Santini, a married man with children, shared the humor.

A sense of humor and the ability to laugh at our own mistakes and foibles is considered an American trait. Well and good. But when such humor is twisted to the extent of laughing at DELIBERATE CRIME on the part of a SUPPOSED PUBLIC SERVANT it then ceases to be funny. The tax dollars paid to mistresses of public officials is immeasureable of course, but the dollar amount is small when one considers the IMMORAL INPUT to our laws and government that will affect not us only, but our children and their children.

TRUTH DAYS

"Since he's resigned we'll drop all charges. TAXPAYERS DON'T MIND BEING RIPPED OFF BY A PROSTITUTE!"

'G' rated entertainment

FLYING MODEL ROCK

The rated, family entertainment special in this issue is MODEL ROCKETRY. The outlying areas of Metro-Reno are particularly adaptable to this intriguing hobby. Our wide, open spaces and generally clear skies are ideal fro rocketry.

First off, LET'S ASSERT THE FACT THAT CERTAIN SAFETY RULES ARE NECESSARYsince model rocketry actually uses small rocket engines that burn fiercely just like their adult, full-scale counterparts.

Complete model kits with almost everything necessary to blast off are available at the hobby shops in town. Starter kit equipment includes a rocket model with engine mounts, recovery parachute system, launch control system, launch pad and rocket engine.A 6-volt battery is also necessary to ignite the engine. As an example of the built-in safety in these models, the launch cable sending electric spark from battery to the engine is usually 15-20 feet long AND ALL OF THAT LENGTH SHOULD BE USED!

Different size models, and applicable engines are available from less than 1 foot in length to over 3 feet. The higher power rocket can achieve altitudes in excess of two thousand feet where, at the apogee of flight, (that point where the rocket ceases to coast upward and turns toward the ground) a brilliant white and orange parachute is automatically deployed and the entire assembly floats gently to earth.

The hobby has advanced beyond merely sending aloft a model. Still and movie cameras, especially designed for the purpose, can be installed in the more powerfull rockets. Automatically, these cameras take the pictures as the rocket ascends. Also, small radio transmitters are available to send back temperatures, and various other data. Finding a temperature inversion can alert you to a possible air pollution situation. Or - put a beetle or other insect in the payload compartment and listen on the radio for the sounds they make as they rocket aloft.

There are 3 or 4 national companies offering model rocket kits with catalogs that will fascinate anyone. Want an aerial picture of yourself? - your ranch? There's an economical way to get one.

Complete starter kits start around $10.00, smaller rockets $1.00 and prices go up with the more complex flights you may desire.

It's a far cry from the old model airplane days..... WHICH ARE STILL A LOT OF FUN!

Age & Skill Level

Model rockets are recommended only for age 10 and up. Younger children should have adult supervision while building and launching.

Each Centuri rocket kit has a skill-level number in this catalog, and this symbol is found on most peckages.

TYPICAL SYMBOL:
"Lil' Herc" is Skill Level 1
SKILL LEVEL

1	2	3	4	5
Beginner		Intermediate		Advanced

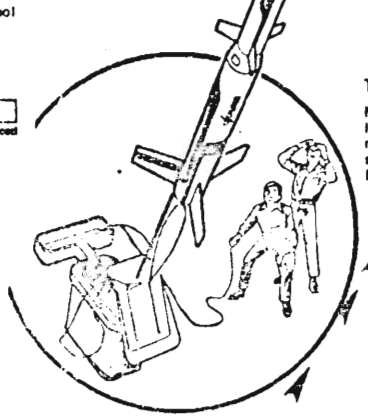
1 For the beginner who has no previous modeling experience of any kind.

2 Build & flown Skill Level 1 or have some experience in other modeling hobbies.

3 Experience in Skill Level 1 & 2 - Average modeling challenge.

4 Continued experience such as staging, boost gliders & scale model rockets.

5 Special configuration on high detail, multi-engine, or advanced gliding models requiring a solid background in model rocketry.



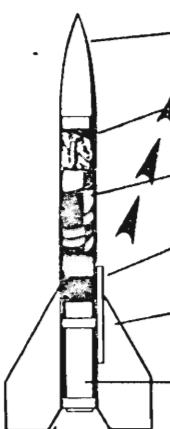
LEARN TO FLY MODEL ROCKETS

Don't miss out on this exciting new hobby!!

- How high do they fly?
- How does the chute pop out?
- How much do they cost?
- How many times can they fly?

WHAT IS A MODEL ROCKET?

A SIMPLE VEHICLE, CONSISTING OF:



NOSE CONE – cap for forward end, directs airflow smoothly around rocket.

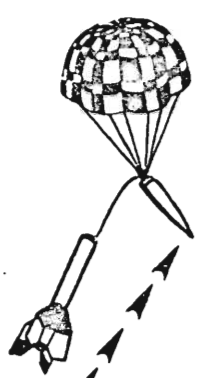
BODY TUBE – basic airframe to which all other parts are attached.

RECOVERY SYSTEM – a parachute or other means for returning rocket safely.

LAUNCH LUG – stabilizes rocket on launch rod for first few feet of flight.

FINS – at aft end guide rocket in a straight flight path.

ENGINE MOUNT – holds engine securely, transmits thrust to the airframe.



TOOLS & MATERIALS

Not all kits require all types of tools. Generally, the modeler needs a good X-acto type modeling knife, a ruler, scissors, a pencil & a small paint brush. Some kits, like "Screaming Eagle" require no tools at all!

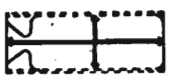
The best glue is an "Aliphatic" (Wilhold Titebond) or common "White Glue" like Elmer's. Kits with balsa parts require "Sanding Sealer" and a fine (220-400) sandpaper. Spray enamel is best for smooth painting. Most Centuri kits state which tools are required, right on the package.

What makes a rocket fly.

Centuri's rocket engines power the rocket to peak altitudes (apogee) and after a delay time provide ejection thrust to push-out the rocket's recovery system.

Here's why a rocket engine moves. It's called the action-reaction principle.

Engine at rest (no ignition). Equal pressure on all-sides – no movement.



AT REST

Engine Burning (Ignition). Burning gases escape only through nozzle. Pressure imbalance causes engine to move away from the open ended nozzle. The gases speed up due to nozzle restriction. Rocket engines do not need to "Push against the air" . . . or real rockets couldn't fly in outer space!

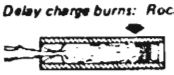
MOVEMENT

How a model engine works

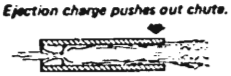
Propellant ignited electrically.

Rocket lifts off and accelerates.

Delay charge burns: Rocket coasts.



Ejection charge pushes out chute.



Safe and reliable

Model rocket engines are "one-shot" power packages . . . a new one is needed for each flight. They cannot be reloaded or re-used. Centuri engines are regularly tested by the National Association of Rocketry to meet exacting performance and safety standards. Look for the NAR emblem on Centuri engines. Incidently, engines are very safe to store in warehouses and hobby shops, as proven in several official fire department tests.

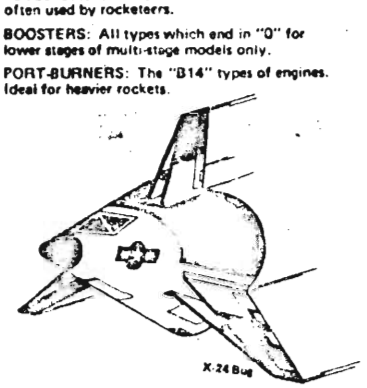
Safety Certified

Basic types

SINGLE STAGE: All types which end in a number other than "0". These are the most often used by rocketers.

BOOSTERS: All types which end in "0" for lower stages of multi-stage models only.

PORT-BURNERS: The "B14" types of engines. Ideal for heavier rockets.



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Model Rocketry: Safety

**PERIENCE JUST ABOUT EVERY-
ING FROM PAYLOAD EXPER-
ENTS TO THE CLUSTERED ENGINE
FT-OFF OF A GIANT ROCKET.**

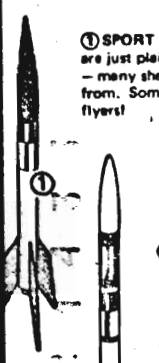
Throughout the past twelve years, over 25 million model rocket launchings have been made — most of them by young men 10 to 17 years of age . . . and establishing one of the best safety records of any youth activity. Why such an excellent record? Well, here are four good reasons.

FIRST, the rocket engines are self contained in non-metallic casings — no mixing of chemicals. Engine reliability and performance are tested continually at the factory.

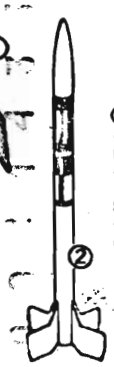
SECOND, the rocket itself is constructed of strong, but extremely lightweight materials such as balsa, paper, and plastic. And, the rockets contain recovery sysems which bring them slowly and safely back down to earth, to be readied for another flight.

THIRD, the engines are ignited electrically using special igniters and safety firing switches. No matches or fuses are used.

FOURTH, and most important, is the attitude of the model rocketeers. They look upon this hobby as being exciting and educational. They don't think of rockets as toys. Hundreds of thousands of rocketeers have promoted the safety of the hobby by following the Safety Code printed here. Read this code, follow it, and enjoy this exciting hobby.



①SPORT MODELS: These are just plain "FUN" rockets — many shapes to choose from. Some are extra-high flyers!

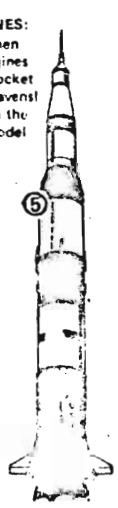


②PAYLOAD ROCKETS: These have special compartments to carry insects and the like. Study acceleration effects and see who can go the highest!

③BOOST GLIDERS: They blast off & up like a rocket and glide-return like an airplane. Hold a contest on who's stays up the longest!

④SUPER-SCALE: Exact replicas of the real thing! Some are very easy to build-others are a real challenge to the experienced modeler — ALL are rewarding!

⑤CLUSTER ENGINES: Realism at its best when 2 or 3 thundering engines ignite to lift a giant rocket slowly toward the heavens! Here's the ultimate in the fun & challenge of model rocketry!



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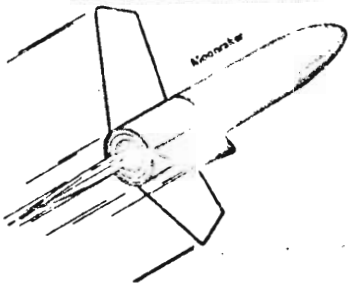

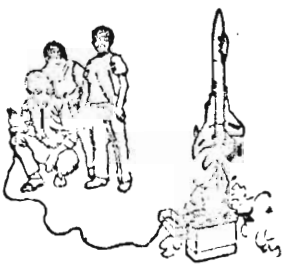

Safety code.

1 CONSTRUCTION — My model rockets will be made of lightweight materials such as paper, wood, plastic, and rubber without any metal as structural parts.

2 ENGINES — I will use only pre-loaded factory made model rocket engines in the manner recommended by the manufacturer I will not change in any way nor attempt to reload these engines.

3 RECOVERY — I will always use a recovery system in my model rockets that will return them safely to the ground so that they may be flown again.

4 WEIGHT LIMITS — My model rocket will weigh no more that 453 grams (16 ozs.) at lift-off, and the engines will contain no more than 133 grams (4 ozs.) of propellant.

5 STABILITY — I will check the stability of my model rocket before its first flight, except when launching models of already proven stability.

6 LAUNCHING SYSTEM — The system I use to launch my model rockets must be remotely-controlled and electrically operated and will contain a switch that will turn to "off" when released. I will remain at least 10 feet from any rocket that is being launched.

7 LAUNCH SAFETY — I will not let anyone approach a model rocket on a launcher until I have made sure that either the safety interlock key has been removed or the battery has been disconnected from my launcher.

8 FLYING CONDITIONS — I will not launch my model rocket in high winds, near buildings, power lines, tall trees, low flying aircraft or under any conditions which might be dangerous to people or property.

9 LAUNCH AREA — My model rockets will always be launched from a cleared area free of any easy to burn materials, and I will only use non-flammable recovery wedding in my rockets.

10 JET DEFLECTOR — My launcher will have a jet deflector device to prevent the engine exhaust from hitting the ground directly.

11 LAUNCH ROD — To prevent accidental eye injury I will always place the launcher so the end of the rod is above eye level or cap the end of the rod with my hand when approaching it. I will never place my head or body over the launching rod. When my launcher is not in use I will always store it so that the launch rod is not in an upright position.

12 POWER LINES — I will never attempt to recover my rocket from a power line or other dangerous places.

13 LAUNCH TARGETS & ANGLES — I will not launch rockets so their flight path will carry them against targets on the ground, and will never use an explosive warhead, nor a payload that is intended to be flammable. My launching device will always be pointed within 30 degrees of vertical.

14 PRE-LAUNCH TEST — When conducting research activities with unproven designs or methods, I will when possible determine their reliability through pre-launch tests. I will conduct launchings of unproven designs in complete isolation from persons not participating in the actual launching.

SAFETY FIRST!

This safety code is endorsed by:
The National Association of Rocketry
The National Fire Protection Association
The Hobby Industries Association of America
and All Model Rocket Manufacturers

ALL ILLUSTRATIONS AND INFORMATION FROM THE ROCKETRY CATALOG OF

SCHOOLS & CLUBS:
There are hundreds of independent model rocket clubs in the U.S., Canada, & Europe. Others are sponsored by groups like the Boy Scouts, YMCA, 4-H or Civil Air Patrol. Some are organized by school teachers or groups like Kiwanis or city Recreation Departments Ask around!

BOOKS & PUBLICATIONS:

Your local library probably has books on model rocketry. Ask the librarian to show you how to use the library's resources. Some hobby magazines (such as INTERNATIONAL MODELER) frequently have rocketry articles. Centuri produces many Tech Reports and booklets.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ROCKETRY (NAR)

The NAR is THE official non-profit organization working for the advancement of model rocketry nation-wide. Open to all serious rocketeers, membership includes competition sporting license, decals, insurance, and subscription to MODEL ROCKETEER magazine. For information, write:
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POINT OF VIEW:
Men say women can't be trusted too far.
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1st. fly: HUMAN BEINGS ARE FUNNY PEOPLE.
2nd fly: WHY DO YOU SAY THAT?
1st. fly: THEY SPEND A PILE OF MONEY BUILDING BEAUTIFUL CEILINGS, THEN WALK ON THE FLOOR.

I wouldn't worry if your son makes mud pies, said the psychiatrist. It's quite normal.
Well, said the mother, I don't think it is, and neither does his wife!

Two women friends ran into each other at the door of a psychiatrist's office.
Hello, there, said one. Are you coming or going?
If I knew that, was the reply, I wouldn't be here!

They told him, by golly, it couldn't be done-
With a smile he went right to it-
And tackled the thing that couldn't be done-
And, by golly! he couldn't do it!

The modern college is going to adopt a three-platoon system for football. One squad for offense, one for defense, and one to attend classes.

They used to say airplanes for the individual eventually would be as cheap as cars, but now they're working on making cars as expensive as airplanes.

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I will fear no evil, for thou art with me.—PSALMS

A Reno newspaper,(10-3-76)carried an interesting editorial comment by Foster Church, entitled "Religion and Politics Uneasy Mix In Nevada". The editorial commented about Norman McFarland, Catholic Bishop of Reno, being "very much opposed to the Equal Rights Amendment"; and continued, citing the Mormon Church as exerting strong opposition to the amendment although church policy is against becoming actively involved with political campaigns. Mr. Church observed the statement by the Bishop as one of the milder attempts by religious oriented groups to influence the elections this year. The editorial, as a whole, offered little to voters other than an obscure flavor that organized religion, in exerting their influence should observe the "separation of church and state."
NNH - to assist voters, with or without religious convictions - offers the following from "THE COORDINATING FORUM" a Journal of Eugene, Oregon.

RELIGION & POLITICS

MAURENE GIEBER

DO WE DARE MIX RELIGION AND POLITICS? Many of us have been taught not to.
We are familiar with the "separation of church and state."
That phrase is NOT found in our Constitution!It was first uttered in a U.S. Court decision and has become one of the best known cliches in America.
What the Constitution says, is... CONGRESS SHALL MAKE NO LAW ESTABLISHING RELIGION, NOR PROHIBIT THE FREE EXERCISE THEREOF.
Few...know of the latter phrase.
One dictionarys definition of religion is: "the beliefs,attitudes emotions, behavior that constitutes man's relationship with the power and principles of the universe; a essential part, or a practical test, of the spiritual life."
According to a textbook used at the University of Oregon,CREATIVE POLITICS by Allmar; "Politics is the single most important avenue for insuring mankind's survival.
Politics is individuals making and influencing choices.
Politics means the ways we control ourselves and others,and are controlled by others."

Therefore, we have politics which IS MAKING AND INFLUENCING CHOICES and religion, which is our attitudes, beliefs and behavior that POLITICS SEEKS TO INFLUENCE.

DO WE DARE TO MIX THE TWO?

Oregonians are proud of their reputation for being independent voters. The grassroots movement is growing because more and more persons are learning that they must SPEAK AND ACT ON ISSUES, but are taunted with "SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND STATE."
Church and State--"You can't speak that is a Baptist point of view--- or Lutheran or Catholic or Methodist viewpoint. Your views are not wanted. Shut up,Let us who believe ONLY in man guide this nation."

IF ALL OREGONIANS WHO BELIEVE IN A SUPREME BEING, WHETHER OR NOT THEY BELONG TO AN ORGANIZED RELIGION, LISTEN TO THOSE WHO CHARGE "SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND STATE" AT EVERY UTTERANCE IN VARIANCE WITH THEER OWN POLITICAL BELIEFS - AND INDEED KEEP QUIET - THE FUTURE DOES LOOK DARK.

Edmond Burke said, "Evil will triumph when good men do nothing."

Not since the 1930's when the Germans allowed Hitler to kill 5 million of their own people without protest,(later, the world was horrified to learn of nine million deaths of other nationalities in world war 2) has Burkes philosophy been so true.

WILL YOU BE THAT GOOD PERSON WHO DOES NOTHING?
WILL YOU LET POLITICS CONTROL YOU?

FAITH TEACHES US TO TRUST GOD INSTEAD OF MAN

Many of us have had the unpleasant experience of depending too heavily on someone for help, with the result that the person whom we had trusted failed us at the crucial moment. Although the vast majority of people will accept a responsibility with the best intentions, they often become the victims of faulty memory, an overcrowded schedule, illness, financial or other difficulties of their own, or any number of unforeseen circumstances that prevent them from giving us the help we had counted on. In Church, you will learn to place an ever increasing reliance on God rather than man for every kind of help, including the guidance you need in order to find your own solutions to many problems. You can depend on that.

A Poem of Comfort

Is there any heart discouraged as it journeys on its way?
Does there seem to be more darkness than there is of sunny day?
Oh, it's hard to learn the lesson, as we pass beneath the rod,
That the sunshine and the shadow serve alike the will of God;
But there comes a word of promise, like the promise in the bow,
That, however deep the waters, they shall never overflow.

When the flesh is worn and weary, and the spirit is depressed,
And temptations sweep upon it like a storm on ocean's breast,
There's a haven ever open for the tempest-driven bird,
There's shelter for the tempted in the promise of the Word;
For the Standard of the Spirit shall be raised against the foe,
And, however deep the waters, they shall never overflow.

When a sorrow comes upon you that no other soul can share,
And the burden seems too heavy for the human heart to bear,
There's a Burden-bearer ready if you'll trust Him with your load;
For the precious promise reaches to the depths of human woe,
That, however deep the waters, they shall never overflow.

When the sands of life are ebbing, and I near the golden shore,
When I see its waters rising and I hear its billows roar,
I will reach my hand to Jesus, in His bosom I shall hide,
And 'twill only be a moment till I reach the other side;
It is then the fullest meaning of the promise I shall know—
When thou passest through the waters . . . they shall never overflow.

Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness (*Isa.* 41:10).

The cause of America is in a great measure the cause of all mankind. 'Tis not the concern of a day, a year or an age; posterity are virtually involved in the contest, and will be more or less affected EVEN TO THE END OF TIME by our proceedings now.

Tom Paine, 1776
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WOMEN: PROTECT YOUR HOME AND FAMILY!!! *Please act now to help defeat it while there is still time!*

YOU, as a voter, WILL NOT have the opportunity to vote on E.R.A. Only your State Senators and Assemblymen will have that opportunity, and only your U.S. Senators and Representatives have the opportunity to vote for or against appropriations of tax money to promote E.R.A. and women's lib.

CONTACT the CANDIDATES in your Assembly and State Senate Districts now, and tell them that you OPPOSE the "so called" Equal Rights Amendment. Then VOTE for those on Nov. 2, who will VOTE AGAINST E.R.A.

This is your opportunity to make your voice heard. You may not get another chance to STOP E.R.A.

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YOUNG, CLIFF (R) 826-2874 --FAVORS

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 23
WEISE, BOB (R) 883-4909 --FAVORS
(unopposed)

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 24
BEAMAN, CHARLES (R) 747-1408 --NO RESPONSE
GOMES, NANCY (D) 747-0726 --FAVORS

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 25
WAGNER, SUE (R) 826-4363 --FAVORS
(unopposed)

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 26
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WHITEHEAD, BILL (R) 786-5775 --NO RESPONSE

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 27
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ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 28
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MURPHY, PATRICK (D) 322-7573 --FAVORS
WAUGH, ELEANOR (I) 786-5104 --FAVORS

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 29
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ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 30
MELLO, DON (D) 358-0736 --FAVORS
RAMSEY, LEE (R) 359-2677 --NO RESPONSE

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 31
CHRISTENSEN, CHET (D) 358-3031 --OPPOSES
WESTALL, PEGGY (D) 358-0907 UNDECIDED

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 32
BENKOVICH, BOB (R) 786-4595 UNDECIDED
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YOUR OPINION will count IF you let it be heard. CALL your State Senate and Assembly candidates TODAY! Many of them favor E.R.A. only because they think that the public favors E.R.A. Give them the shock of their political lives --CALL and let them know that you OPPOSE E.R.A.

CALL TODAY

PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS

ACTNOW!

"Not only would women, including mothers, be subject to the draft, but the military would be compelled to place them in combat units alongside of men."
– U.S. House Judiciary Committee Report, No. 92-359

Public Opinion Poll—

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To Vote On 19 Vital Issues

	YES	NO
Should 18-year old girls be required to register for the draft and be subject to military induction in future wars and national emergencies (just like 18-year old boys)?	☐	☐
Should women (including mothers) be assigned to military combat and warships equally with men (even though no civilized country does this not even Israel which has a manpower shortage)?	☐	☐
Should wives have the equal (50%) financial obligation to support their spouses (under criminal penalties, just like husbands)?	☐	☐
Should mothers have the equal (50%) obligation with fathers for the financial support of their infant and minor children?	☐	☐
Should widows be deprived of preferential tax, property, and homestead benefits?	☐	☐
Should homosexual "marriages" be legalized and such "couples" be permitted to adopt children and get tax and homestead benefits now given to husbands and wives?	☐	☐
Should women in industry be deprived of legal guarantees against compulsory overtime?	☐	☐
Should women in industry be deprived of legal protections against being involuntarily assigned to heavy-lifting, strenuous, and dangerous men's jobs?	☐	☐
Should wives not employed outside the home be deprived of their present right to receive Social Security benefits based on their husband's earnings?	☐	☐
Should wives not employed outside the home be denied their present right to get credit in their husband's name?	☐	☐
Should the Internal Revenue Service be given power to withdraw tax-exempt status from religious schools and other private schools that have a single-sex admissions policy, and from churches and seminaries whose doctrine specifies a different role for men and women?	☐	☐
Should State Legislatures and Congress be deprived of all power to stop or restrict abortions?	☐	☐
Should police departments be required to eliminate physical tests and to pass over qualified men so that women will be hired and promoted on a one-to-one basis, and equally assigned to patrol duties?	☐	☐
Should fraternities and sororities operating on college campuses be required to end their policies of admitting only one sex to membership?	☐	☐
Should all colleges, schools, military academies, and physical education classes be required to become 50/50 coed?	☐	☐
Should we invalidate all the state laws that make it the primary responsibility of the husband and father to support his wife and children and provide them with a home?	☐	☐
Should women's present lower life insurance rates and lower automobile accident insurance rates be raised to equality with men's?	☐	☐
Should prisons and reform schools be sex-integrated?	☐	☐
Do you favor transferring from the State Legislatures to Washington, D.C. the power to legislate about marriage, inheritance, child custody, divorce, alimony, family property rights, insurance rates, prison regulations, and protective labor legislation?	☐	☐

"My view that the ERA is the most destructive piece of legislation to ever pass Congress still stands. . . .
– U.S. Senator Sam J. Ervin, Jr.

"I call the Equal Rights Amendment the liftin' and totin' bill. More than half of the black women with jobs work in service occupations; if the Amendment becomes law, we will be the ones liftin' and totin'."
– Jean Noble, National Council of Negro Women

"I do not wish to see -- and to vote for -- a constitutional amendment which would require all women to be equally obligated with their husbands to support the family, even though millions of women may choose to do so."
– Congresswoman Leonor Sullivan

"Only those who are indifferent to the exacting aspects of women's industrial life will have the naivete or the recklessness to sum up woman's whole position in a meaningless and mischievous phrase about 'Equal Rights.'"
– Justice Felix Frankfurter

"I refuse to allow the glad-sounding ring of an easy slogan to victimize millions of women and children."
– Congressman Emanuel Celler

IT IS SOMETHING OF
A CONSOLATION TO
BE OVERCOME BY
LIONS,
BUT TO BE DEVOURED
BY RATS IS
INTOLERABLE.

BROADSIDE, *signed*
"RUSTICUS" 1773

If your answers are NO to these questions, then you are opposed to the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) because that is what it will do! Please act now to help defeat it while there is still time!

STOP ERA

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STOP ERA

NOTICE TO AMERICANS

BEWARE THE ERA

THIS AMENDMENT AFFECTS

SCHOOLS — HOSPITALS CHURCHES

The libbers believe that the greatest "inequality" between men and women is that women get pregnant and men do not. They want a constitution amendment guaranteeing a strict and doctrinaire equality which will permanently protect them against the anti-abortion laws. But ABORTION-ON-DEMAND IS NOT BY ANY MEANS ALL THEY WANT! They want a PRO-ABORTION PUBLIC POLICY implemented in the following way:

1) TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO TEACH ABORTION AS A METHOD OF BIRTH CONTROL **WITHOUT PARENTAL KNOWLEDGE OR CONSENT** (by including this requirement in H.E.W. regulations implementing Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972.)

2) TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO GIVE COUNSELING FOR ABORTION.

3) TO REQUIRE PRIVATE & PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS TO DO BOTH OF THE ABOVE. On the grounds that all schools must conform to public policy in order to enjoy a tax-exempt status. In August, 1974, the U.S. Supreme Court accepted such a rule in regard to discrimination on the basis of race in denying tax-exemption to the Bob Jones University. The opinion was written by Justice Harry Blackmun - who also wrote the Pro-Abortion decision.

4) TO REQUIRE CATHOLIC HOSPITALS TO PERFORM ABORTIONS On the grounds that they have received grants of Federal money under the Hill-Burton funds. Public hospitals have already been forced to perform abortions.

5) **TO DENY TAX EXEMPTION TO ANY CHURCH OPPOSING ABORTION**

Liberty can be won, by George

FROM COORDINATING FORUM Eugene, Oregon

By GEORGE BOLT
Executive Director, CCA

There are two characters often spoke of, and badly needed, for whom a search has been conducted for years and still continues.

One was sought for — mostly at night, I presume — for a lantern was used by Diogenes in his search for "the honest man."

The other character so constantly sought and so frequently relied upon, although not in evidence, is named "George."

He is the absentee, nominated for tasks which must be done, the doing of which is postponed while we wait to "Let George do it."

On the battlefields of swords, guns, cannons and slaughter, that created this United States and our freedoms there was no George. You fought, or you died.

Today, you better believe there is no George. You will fight to keep this nation a democracy with its freedoms or it shall be lost. And you will succumb to regimentation by a bureaucratic dictatorship, akin to socialistic or communistic controls.

"The phantoms of George," like the fairy tale books of our childhood, must be returned to the shelves.

We were born a proud, nation, created an environment which nourished the seeds of burning loyalty and independence and cradled the maturity of the greatness which is ours.

Now, after two hundred years, so complicated and profuse are the implements of threat, and so encircling, with ever-diminishing circumference, these subtle destructive forces, so glamorously deceptive in name, that the needed focus of resistance and the identification and locale of our enemy are almost indiscernible.

We must concert our efforts and find the handle that we may empty this nation of these self-serving, destructive influences.

What shall we do?

First, forget about George.

Realize that George is you.

Then find the area of work — not the most convenient — where you can do the most good. Volunteer to apply your thought and energies un ler organized leadership in the a my of dedication, to end the advance of these bureaucratic controls and to reestablish our freedoms.

Say it where they see it

in NORTHERN NEVADA HOME

Window on the World

IN A little church in the far south of Ireland, every window but one is of painted glass. Through that single exception may be seen a breath-taking view: a lake of deepest blue, studded with green islets, and backed by range after range of purple hills. Under the window is the inscription: "The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament showeth His handiwork."

— Robert Giblings, *Coming Down the Wye* (Dutton)

NONE OF THE ABOVE

BUT — DID YOU SAY WHO YOU WANTED?

OR?

WAS THERE EVEN A SPACE PROVIDED?

GONNA SPEND ALL YOUR LIFE LIKE THIS?

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We support the Holy Scriptures as providing the best code of moral conduct yet devised.

WE SUPPORT WOMEN'S RIGHTS, INCLUDING:

1. The right of a woman to be a full-time wife and mother, and to have this right recognized by laws that obligate her husband to provide the primary financial support and a home for her and their children, both during their marriage and when she is a widow.
2. The right to have local governments prevent the display of printed or pictorial materials that degrade women in a pornographic, perverted, or sadistic manner.
3. The right of a woman engaged in physical-labor employment to be protected by laws and regulations that respect the physical differences and family obligations of men and women.
4. We oppose ratification of the so-called "Equal Rights Amendment" because it is inconsistent with at least ten of the rights of women, families, and individuals spelled out in this statement.

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   c) use textbooks that do not offend the religious and moral values of the parents,
   d) use textbooks that honor the family, monogamous marriage, woman's role as wife and mother, and man's role as provider and protector,
   e) teach basic educational skills such as reading and arithmetic before time and money are spent on frills,
   f) permit children to attend school in their own neighborhood,
   g) separate the sexes for sex education, gym classes, athletic practice and competition, and academic and vocational classes, if so desired.
3. The right of employers to give job preference to a wage-earner supporting a family.
4. The right to defend the institution of the family by according certain rights to husbands and wives that are not given to those choosing different lifestyles.

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WE SUPPORT ALL THE RIGHTS OF INDIVIDUALS GUARANTEED IN THE U.S. CONSTITUTION, PLUS:

1. The right to equal opportunity in employment and education for all persons regardless of race, creed, sex, or national origin.
2. The right to life of all innocent persons from conception to natural death.
3. The right of citizens to live in a community where state and local government and judges maintain law and order by a system of justice under due process, and punishment that is swift and certain.
4. The right of citizens to have the Federal Government provide for the common defense against aggression by any other nation.
5. The right of society to protect itself by designating different roles for men and women in the armed forces and police departments, where necessary.
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7. The right of all religious bodies to designate different roles among their members for men and women.

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Janine Hansen for Congress
Committee
739 16th Street
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Re: MUR's 272A, 272B(76)

Dear Miss Hansen:

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A copy of the Commission's determination and the General Counsel's report is enclosed for your information. If you have any questions, please contact David Anderson (telephone no. 202/382-3153), the attorney assigned to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

John G. Murphy, Jr.
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Chairman
Washoe County Democratic
Central Committee
1611 Clemson Road
Reno, Nevada 89502

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AMERICAN REVOLUTION BICENTENNIAL 1776-1976

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	MUR 272 (76)
	)	
Janine Hansen	)	

GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT

I. Allegations

This matter arises out of a complaint filed with the Federal Election Commission on October 13, 1976, by Ken Haller, chairman of the Washoe County (Nevada) Democratic General Committee. The complaint alleged that The Northern Nevada Home ("The Home") was a phoney newspaper which was being used for the purpose of illegally soliciting funds to the Janine Hansen for Congress Committee ("the Committee"). To support his allegations, the complainant enclosed a copy of the second edition of The Home.

II. Evidence.

A staff review of the enclosed copy of The Home failed to reveal any evidence that the newspaper was being used for the purpose of soliciting contributions. It also was noted that the complainant did not present any facts to support his conclusion that The Home is not a bona fide newspaper. However, it was concluded that the

genuiness of The Home was unclear since it: was quite new and only two issues had been published at the time the complaint was filed; contained no explicit information concerning who were The Home's publishers; contained only two small commercial advertisements in contrast with extensive and prominent advertisements for the Stop ERA Committee; publicized only the candidacy of Janine Hansen (Northern Nevada Chairman and State Newsletter Editor for the Stop ERA Committee) in the enclosed edition; and provided editorial space to Janine Hansen (Northern Nevada Chairman and State Newsletter Editor for the Stop ERA Committee) in the enclosed edition; and provided editorial space to Janine Hansen so that she could express her views directly on why the defeat of the proposed Equal Rights Amendment is desirable. Accordingly, the Commission found reason to believe that The Home may constitute an expenditure for the purpose of influencing the election of Janine Hansen, in violation of 2 U.S.C. §§431(f)(4)(A), 434(b), 441b(a) and 441d. The Commission numbered this part of the investigation as MUR 272A (76) and sent letters to both the Committee and The Home to determine who owned or controlled The Home. The letters also inquired as to the nature of the relationship between The Home and The Northern Nevada Stop ERA Committee, the Independent American Party, Janine Marie Hansen, and the Committee. A letter also was sent to Mr. Haller, the complainant, which requested him to submit any evidence which

he had on whether The Home was a bona fide newspaper, or owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate.

A subsequent independent review of the September 17, 1976 issue of The Home caused the Commission to also find reason to believe that an advertisement which appeared in the issue and invited the public to meet Janine Hansen and become involved in her campaign, failed to contain the authorization statement required by 2 U.S.C. §441d. The Commission numbered this part of the investigation as MUR 272B (76) and sent letters to the Committee and The Home to determine the identity of the purchaser of this advertisement.

The Committee was notified of the complaint on November 13, 1976 and Janine Hansen responded on November 17, 1976 on behalf of the Committee. (See Attachment #1.) Miss Hansen responded that to her knowledge The Home was not owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, candidate, or agent of any of these. She also stated that there was no relationship between the Independent American Party and The Home, except perhaps philosophically. She explained that she prepared the September 17th guest editorial solely at the request of The Home, that she received no compensation for the article, and that she has never had any editorial responsibilities with the newspaper. In

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addition, Miss Hansen noted that the advertisment which appeared in the September 17th issue of The Home was an in-kind contribution from the owners of the newspaper (James and Anna Dykes), which had a value of $44.50. (See Attachment #2.) She stated that this contribution would be duly reported.

The Home received notice of the complaint on November 17, 1976 and Mr. James F. Dykes (the editor of The Home) responded on the same date. (See Attachment #3.) Mr. Dykes stated that The Home is not incorporated, and is not owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate. He stated that the only relationship between The Home and the Northern Nevada Stop ERA Committee, the Independent American Party, Janine Marie Hansen, and the Committee "is a religious and political similarity in foundamental beliefs." Mr. Dykes also explained that The Home was first published on September 3, 1976 and that a total of three issues were published before the newspaper had to stop publishing due to a lack of funds. In addition, he stated that The Home (James F. and Anna M. Dykes) contributed $44.50 worth of advertising in the September 17th issue to the Committee and that the "advertisement was not labeled as required (2 U.S.C. §441d) due to the paste-up apparently falling off at the printers."

On November 10, 1976 the Commission sent the letter to Mr. Ken Haller, the complainant, which requested that he

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provide any evidence which he had that might show that The Home was not a genuine newspaper. He was requested to respond within five days of the receipt of the letter. To date no response has been received by Mr. Haller.

III. Analysis and Recommendation

Both Miss Hansen and Mr. Dykes submitted to the Commission signed, sworn, and notarized statements which support a finding that there was only a philosophical connection between the Committee and The Home, that The Home was a genuine newspaper, and that The Home was not owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate. In contrast, Mr. Haller has provided no evidence which would support his allegation that The Home is not a bona fide newspaper. Since the respondents' statements are unchallenged, it is our view with regard to MUR 272A that there is no reason to believe that the respondents committed a violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended.

With regard to MUR 272B, we are satisfied with Mr. Dykes explanation that the September 17th advertisement was an in-kind contribution by he and his wife, and that the 2 U.S.C. §441d notice was omitted only because of a printing error. Thus, it is our view that there appears to have been substantial voluntary compliance in this matter.

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IV Conclusion

We recommend that the matter be closed and the attached letters be sent.

John G. Murphy, Jr.
General Counsel

December 13, 1976
Date

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MUR 573 CC# 1050

JANINE HANSEN for CONGRESS
INDEPENDENT AMERICAN
739 - 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431
358-5313

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ATTACHMENT #1

'76 NOV 22 AM 10:46

Nov. 17, 1976

John G. Murphy, Jr., General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
1325 K St. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

763788

Re: MURs 272A, 272B (76)

F.E.C. --John G. Murphy

This is in answer to the accusation of violation of F.E.C. Act of 1971 which I received Nov. 11, 1976. I shall answer questions as numbered in your letter.

1) (Q) whether to your knowledge, The Home is owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, candidate, or agent of any of these;
1) (A) NO--

2) (Q) whether any individual, who is an employee or volunteer for the Committee has editorial responsibilities at The Home.
2) (A) NO--

3) (Q) whether Janine Hansen has editorial responsibilities at The Home and:
3) (A) NO--I was asked some time between Sept. 9, 1976 and Sept. 16, 1976 to write a guest editorial which appeared in the Home in the Sept. 17, 1976 issue.

4) (Q) the nature of the relationship between The Home and:
a) The Independent American Party and any of its affiliated political committees;
b) Janine Marie Hansen; and
c) The Committee.
4) (A)
a) NONE--except perhaps philosophically
b) Some time after Sept. 9, 1976, I received a letter from James F. Dykes, Editor of The Home requesting permission to quote from the State STOP E.R.A. Newsletter. Because I did not know who James F. Dykes was, or what kind of a paper The Home was, I called him up and spoke to him and his wife Anna on the phone. That was my first introduction to The Home. I was pleased that they were interested in the Newsletter. Shortly thereafter I went to their residence and became acquainted with them. It was then, I believe, that they asked me to write a guest editorial on the Equal Rights Amendment and its affect on the Family. That guest editorial was printed in the Sept. 17, 1976 edition of The Home. I received no compensation for the guest editorial and held no editorial responsibilities paid or volunteer at The Home (nor do I hold any now). At the time I met with the Dykes, I also left them other information on E.R.A. and told them to use it at their disgression (which they did). (Please find letter referred to, enclosed).
c) Please find enclosed a copy of a bill dated Nov. 15, 1976 from The Home. James F. and Anna Dykes contributed the space for the "Meet Your Candidates" advertisement which appeared in the Sept. 17, 1976 edition of The Home. The

price of the ad was $44.50. The contribution will be duly noted in the Committee's Report. The disclaimer was inadvertantly left off.

In reguards to the confidentiality of this matter in accordance with 2 U.S.C. S437g(a) (3), I do not desire that the matter remain confidential. This is my authorization to that effect.

Sincerely Yours,

Janine Marie Hansen

WITNESSED LaVan M. Rassuchine 10/19/76

LAVON M. RASSUCHINE
Notary Public — State of Nevada
Washoe County
My Commission Expires Mar. 14, 1978

enclosures: 1) Letter dated Sept. 9, 1976 from James F. Dykes.
2) Bill dated Nov. 15, 1976 from The Home.

ATTACHMENT #2

Northern Nevada
HOME
PO Box 7062
Reno, Nv. 89510
~~323-4255~~
826-7761
11-15-76

Miss Janine Hansen
739 16th Street
Sparks, Nv. 89431

"Meet The Candidate" advertisement, September 17, 1976 issue, page 4. 2 column X 5 inches =10 column inches @ $4.45 per column inch = $44.50.

James F. Dykes
Editor

Janine,

Please consider this advertisement as our contribution to your campaign for congress.

Jim & Anne

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MUR #1070 (MUR-72)

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ATTACHMENT #3

'76 NOV 26 AM 9:30

November 18, 1976

Mr. David L. Anderson
Federal Election Commission
1325 K Street N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Re: MURs 272A. 272B (76)

Dear Mr. Anderson,

7633361

In response to the information requested relative to the above case numbers, I submit the following:

(1) James F. and Anna M. Dykes
2295 South Virginia Street #131
Reno, Nevada 89502 702-826-7761

(2) James F. and Anna M. Dykes, or Northern Nevada Home, are not incorporated, not a political party, political committee, or candidates for any office.

(3) Anna M. Dykes is sole owner of The Home. Reno City business license # 5512, valid til 6-30-77.

(4) See # 2.

(5) James F. Dykes, Editor of The Home, is not a candidate, agent of any candidate, political party or Committee.

(6a) The nature of the relationship between The Home and the Northern Nevada 'Stop ERA Committee' and any of its subsidiaries is a religious and political similarity in fundamental beliefs and I question the concern of the Federal Elections Commission with this subject.

(b), (c), (d). The same relationship as 6a applies.

(7) The Home was first published 9-3-1976. Two subsequent issues were published, total three, before we went broke.

Northern Nevada Home, (James F. and Anna M. Dykes), contributed $44.50 worth of advertising, (page 4 - 9-17-76 issue), to the candidacy of Janine Hansen to Congress. The advertisement was not labeled as required, (2USC S 441d) due to the paste-up apparently falling off at the printers.

In the same issue we also contributed an advertisement worth $850.00 to the United Way. Our 9-3 issue carried almost $1,000 worth of donated advertising for the Muscular Dystrophy [illegible], our Atmospherium/Planetarium, the non-profit Reno Arches, our State Fair and our local 4-H Clubs. No one protested - or even thanked us.

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Our 10-1-76 issue front pages an editorial endorsement of Byron D. Young, Independent American Candidate for the U.S. Senate. We hope this is not in violation of 2 USC § 441d.

I trust this letter will satisfy the questions of the Commission.

Thank you for the copy of the Federal Elections Campaign Laws, it is very enlightening, (and quite discouraging also)

Respectfully,

James F. Dykes

James F. Dykes

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STATE OF NEVADA)
County of Washoe) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT

On Nov. 22, 1976 (Date) personally appeared before me, a notary public

---James F. Dykes---, who acknowledged that he executed the annexed instrument.

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James F. Dykes

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RITA B. EASON
Notary Public - State of Nevada
Washoe County
My Commission Expires Sept. 3, 1979

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1325 K STREET N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Mr. Ken Haller
Chairman
Washoe County Democratic
Central Committee
1611 Clemson Road
Reno, Nevada 89502

Re: MUR 272A(76)

Dear Mr. Haller:

On December , 1976, the Commission voted to terminate its inquiry into alleged violations of 2 U.S.C. §§431(f)(4)(A), 434(b), 441b(a), and 441d by the Janine Hansen for Congress Committee and the Northern Nevada Home. The Commission determined that there is no reason to believe that the respondents committed a violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Accordingly, the Commission intends to close its file on this matter.

A copy of the Commission's determination and the General Counsel's report is enclosed for your information. If you have any questions, please contact David Anderson (telephone no. 202/382-3153), the attorney assigned to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

John G. Murphy, Jr.
General Counsel

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1325 K STREET N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Mr. James F. Dykes
P.O. Box 7460
131
Reno, Nevada 89510

Re: MUR's 272A, 272B(76)

Dear Mr. Dykes:

On December , 1976, the Commission voted to terminate its inquiry into alleged violations of 2 U.S.C. §§431(f)(4)(A), 434(b), 441b(a), and 441d by the Janine Hansen for Congress Committee and the Northern Nevada Home. The Commission concluded with regard to MUR 272A that there is no reason to believe that the respondents committed a violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. With regard to MUR 272 B, the Commission concluded that there appears to have been substantial voluntary compliance. Accordingly, the Commission intends to close its file on this matter.

A copy of the Commission's determination and the General Counsel's report is enclosed for your information. If you have any questions, please contact David Anderson (telephone no. 202/382-3153), the attorney assigned to the matter.

Sincerely yours,

John G. Murphy, Jr.
General Counsel

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1325 K STREET N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Janine Hansen for Congress
Committee
739 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431

Re: MUR's 272A, 272B(76)

Dear Miss Hansen:

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Sincerely yours,

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MC #1070 MUR 272

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November 18, 1976

'76 NOV 26 AM 9:30

Mr. David L. Anderson
Federal Election Commission
1325 K Street N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Re: MURs 272A. 272B (76)

Dear Mr. Anderson,

763861

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MC #1070

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Respectfully,

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James F. Dykes

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STATE OF NEVADA)
County of Washoe) ss.

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---James F. Dykes---, who acknowledged that he executed the annexed instrument.

James F. Dykes

Rita B. Eason
Signature

RITA B. EASON
Notary Public - State of Nevada
Washoe County
My Commission Expires Sept. 8, 1979

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JAMES F. DYKES
P.O. BOX 7460
#131
RENO, NV. 89510

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ATT: MR. DAVID L. ANDERSON

NINE HANSEN for CONGRESS
INDEPENDENT AMERICAN
739 - 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431
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Nov. 17, 1976

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John G. Murphy, Jr., General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
1325 K St. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: MURs 272A, 272B (76)

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In reguards to the confidentiality of this matter in accordance with 2 U.S.C. S437g(a) (3), I do not desire that the matter remain confidential. This is my authorization to that effect.

Sincerely Yours,

Janine Marie Hansen

Janine Marie Hansen

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LAVON M. RASSUCHINE
Notary Public - State of Nevada
Washoe County
My Commission Expires Mar. 14, 1978

enclosures: 1) Letter dated Sept. 9, 1976 from James F. Dykes.
2) Bill dated Nov. 15, 1976 from The Home.

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Northern Nevada
HOME
PO Box 7062
Reno, Nv. 89510
323-4255

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September 9, 1976

STOP E R A
739 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431

Dear Madams:

We have recently viewed the August Newsletter published by your organization. Our compliments.

Permit me to advise you of our fledgling bi-weekly paper, (1st issue, 9-3-76) Northern Nevada Home.

As the title denotes, our editorial policy is heavily weighted toward the family unit - Home. Our primary concern is government and all its intricate fantasies and how it affects the home pocketbook. Equal concern for the home is our refusal of any advertising that does not have a "G" rating, any child can brouse through our paper without a parent having to worry about the context.

There are biblical quotations which may raise questions, but any adult familiar with their bible should have no trouble or qualms in explaining. That is what we believe the home is all about - living and teaching Christian philosophy.

May we quote from your newsletter occasionally? Due recognition will be given. I feel we are sort of in the same battle.

Sincerely,

James F. Dykes
Editor

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Northern Nevada
HOME
PO Box 7062
Reno, Nv. 89510
~~323-1253~~
826-7761
11-15-76

Miss Janine Hansen
739 10th Street
Sparks, Nv. 89431

"Meet The Candidate" advertisement, September 17, 1976 issue, page 4. 2 column x 5 inches =10 column inches @ $4.45 per column inch = $44.50.

James R. Dykes
Editor

Janine,

Please consider this advertisement as our contribution to your campaign for Congress.

John & Anne

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JANINE HANSEN for CONGRESS
INDEPENDENT AMERICAN
739 - 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431
358-5313

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John G. Murphy, Jr., General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
1325 K St. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20465

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Mr. Ken Haller
Chairman
Washoe County Democratic
Central Committee
1611 Clemson Road
Reno, Nevada 89502

10 NOV 1976

Re: MUR 272A (76)

Dear Mr. Haller:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your complaint dated October 9, 1976, alleging certain violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act") by the Northern Nevada Home ("The Home"). We have numbered your complaint as MUR 272A (76). Please refer to this number in all future correspondence.

The Commission requests that you submit within five days of the receipt of this letter any evidence which you have on whether The Home is a bona fide newspaper, and whether The Home is owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate. (See 2 U.S.C. §431(f)(4)(A).) For your information, we have enclosed a copy of the Act.

This matter will remain confidential in accordance with 2 U.S.C. §437f(a)(3). The unauthorized disclosure of this matter is subject to the fine provided in 2 U.S.C. §437g(c).

The attorney assigned to this case is David L. Anderson (telephone no. 202/382-3153). Please contact him if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

Signed: John G. Murphy, Jr.

John G. Murphy, Jr.
General Counsel

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Ken Haller

3. ARTICLE DESCRIPTION:

REGISTERED NO.	CERTIFIED NO.	INSURED NO.
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I have received the article described above.
SIGNATURE ☑ Addressee ☐ Authorized agent
Ken Hall

4. DATE OF DELIVERY NOV 18 1976
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6. UNABLE TO DELIVER BECAUSE: CLERK'S INITIALS

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Janine Hansen for Congress Committee
739 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431

Re: MURs 272A, 272B (76)

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that the Federal Election Commission has received a complaint, which we have numbered MUR 272A (76), in which it is alleged that The Janine Hansen for Congress Committee ("the Committee") has violated the Federal Election Commission Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). A copy of the complaint is enclosed. The subsequent review by the Commission of the September 17, 1976 issue of The Northern Nevada Home ("The Home") has also revealed a possible violation of 2 U.S.C. §441d which we have numbered MUR 272B (76). Please refer to the appropriate number in all future correspondence.

With regard to MUR 272A (76), the Commission has reviewed the September 17, 1976 issue of The Home and has concluded that there is no evidence that The Home is soliciting contributions for the Committee. However, the Commission has found reason to believe that The Home may itself constitute an expenditure for the purpose of influencing the election of Janine Hansen, in violation of 2 U.S.C. §§431(f)(4)(A), 434(b), 441b(a) and 441d. (For your information, we have enclosed a copy of the Act.) Accordingly, we request that you submit a signed, sworn, and notarized statement which fully states:

(1) whether to your knowledge, The Home is owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, candidate, or agent of any of these;

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(2) whether any individual, who is an employee or volunteer for the Committee has editorial responsibilities at The Home;

(3) whether Janine Hansen has editorial responsibilities at The Home; and

(4) the nature of the relationship between The Home and:

(a) The Independent American Party and any of its affiliated political committees;

(b) Janine Marie Hansen; and

(c) The Committee.

With regard to MUR 272B (76), the Commission has found reason to believe that the advertisement published on page 4 of the September 17, 1976 issue of The Home (a copy of which is enclosed) fails to contain the authorization statement required by 2 U.S.C. §441d. We would appreciate your informing us within ten days of the receipt of this letter as to whether this advertisement was authorized by Janine Hansen, her authorized political committees, or their agents. In addition, if the September 17th advertisement was so authorized, the cost must be reported as an expenditure.

This matter will remain confidential in accordance with 2 U.S.C. §437g(a)(3) unless you notify the Commission, in writing, that you wish the investigation to be made public. The authorized disclosure of this matter is subject to the fine provided in 2 U.S.C. §437g(c).

The attorney assigned to this case is David L. Anderson (telephone No. 202/382-3153). Please contact him if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

Signed: John G. Murphy, Jr.

John G. Murphy, Jr.
General Counsel

Enclosures [The Act, complaint, advertisement]

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cc: Compliance Section
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2. ARTICLE ADDRESSED TO:
Janine Hansen

3. ARTICLE DESCRIPTION:

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The Northern Nevada Home
P. O. Box 7062
Reno, Nevada 89510

Re: MURs 272A, 272B (76)

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that the Federal Election Commission has received a complaint, which we have numbered MUR 272A (76), in which it is alleged that The Northern Nevada Home ("The Home") has violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). A copy of the complaint is enclosed. The subsequent review by the Commission of the September 17, 1976 issue of The Home has also revealed a possible violation of 2 U.S.C. §441d which we have numbered MUR 272B (76). Please refer to the appropriate number in all future correspondence.

With regard to MUR 272A, the Commission has reviewed the September 17, 1976 issue of The Home and has concluded that there is no evidence that The Home is soliciting contributions for the Janine Hansen for Congress Committee. However, the Commission has found reason to believe that The Home may itself constitute an expenditure for the purpose of influencing the election of Janine Hansen, in violation of 2 U.S.C. §§431(f)(4)(A), 434(b), 441b(a), and 441d. (For your information, we have enclosed a copy of the Act). Accordingly, we request that you submit a signed, sworn, and notarized statement which fully states:

(1) the name, address, and phone number of the company, organization, or individual which publishes The Home;

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(2) whether this publishing company, organization, or individual is an incorporated entity, political party, political committee, or candidate;

(3) the name, address, and phone number of any individual, company, or organization which owns or has a controlling interest in or over the company, organization, or individual which publishes The Home;

(4) whether any owner or parent company or organization is an incorporated entity, political party, political committee, or candidate;

(5) whether any individual with editorial responsibility at The Home is a candidate or the agent of any candidate, political party, or political committee ;

(6) the nature of the relationship between The Home and: (a) The Northern Nevada Stop ERA Committee and any of its subsidiaries;

(b) The Independent American Party and any of its affiliated political committees;

(c) Janine Marie Hansen; and

(d) The Janine Hansen for Congress Committee; and

(7) the date the first issue of The Home was published and the number of issues published to date.

The conduct of this investigation would be further faciliated if you also would submit copies of all issues of The Home which have been published to date.

With regard to MUR 272B (76), the Commission has found reason to believe that the advertisement published on page 4 of the September 17, 1976 issue of The Home (a copy of which is enclosed) fails to contain the authorization statement required by 2 U.S.C. §441d. Accordingly, we request that you submit within ten days of the receipt of this letter the name and address of the person, political committee, organization, or other entity who purchased this advertisement.

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The attorney assigned to this case is David L. Anderson (telephone No. 202/382-3153). Please contact him if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

Signed: John G. Murphy, Jr.

John G. Murphy, Jr.
General Counsel

Enclosures [The Act, complaint, advertisement]

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DATE AND TIME OF TRANSMITTAL: NOV 3 1976

NO. MUR 272 (76) Oldaker

REC'D: 10/13/76

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, D. C.

Complainant's Name: Ken Haller, Chairman, Washoe County, (Nevada) Democratic Central Committee (Notarized)

Respondent's Name: The Northern Nevada Home; Janine Hansen for Congress Committee

Relevant Statute: 2 U.S.C. §§431(f)(4)(A), 434(b), 441b(a), 441d

Internal Reports Checked: All reports filed by Hansen and Hansen's Committee

Federal Agencies Checked: None

SUMMARY OF ALLEGATION

Alleges that the Northern Nevada Home ("The Home") is a phoney newspaper which is being used for the purpose of illegally soliciting funds to the Janine Hansen for Congress Committee ("the Committee") To support his allegations, Complainant enclosed a copy of the second edition of The Home.

PRELIMINARY LEGAL ANALYSIS

(1) A review of the enclosed copy of The Home fails to reveal any evidence that the newspaper is being used for the purpose of soliciting contributions. The complainant also has not presented any facts which support his conclusion that The Home is not a bona fide newspaper. However, a question arises as to the genuineness of The Home since it: is very new and apparently has only had two issues published; contains no explicit information on who are its publishers; contains only two small commercial advertisements in contrast with extensive and prominent advertisements for the Stop ERA Committee, publicizes only the candidacy of Hansen (Nothern Nevada Chairman and State Newsletter Editor for the Stop ERA Committee) in the enclosed edition; provides editorial space for Hansen to directly express her views on the need to stop ERA (see attachment #1); and impliedly endorses Hansen's candidacy (cont.)

RECOMMENDATION

(1) Dismiss solicitation allegation; (2) find reason to believe that [illegible] (cont.)

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Janine Hansen for Congress Committee
739 16th Street
Sparks, Nevada 89431

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Mr. Ken Haller
Chairman
Washoe County Democratic
Central Committee
1611 Clemson Road
Reno, Nevada 89502

Re: MUR 272A (76)

Dear Mr. Haller:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your complaint dated October 9, 1976, alleging certain violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act") by The Northern Nevada Home ("The Home"). We have numbered your complaint as MUR 272A (76). Please refer to this number in all future correspondence.

The Commission requests that you submit within five days of the receipt of this letter any evidence which you have on whether The Home is a bona fide corporation, and whether The Home is owned or controlled by any political party, political committee, or candidate. (See 2 U.S.C. §437(7)(4)(A).) For your information, we have enclosed a copy of the Act.

This matter will remain confidential in accordance with 2 U.S.C. §437f(a)(3). The unauthorized disclosure of this matter is subject to the fine provided in 2 U.S.C. §437g(c).

The attorney assigned to this case is David L. Anderson (telephone no. 202/382-3153). Please contact him if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

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General Counsel

Enclosure

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The Northern Nevada Home
P. O. Box 7062
Reno, Nevada 89510

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General Counsel

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NORTHERN NEVADA HOME

GUEST EDITORIAL

By Janine Hansen

ATTACHMENT - 1

"A citizen of the Republic cannot do his duty and be an idle spectator." The words of former U.S. Secretary of Agriculture, Ezra Taft Benson should reach deep inside each of us.

One of the major problems we face in this nation today, is that good, honest men and women fail to make sacrifices necessary to become involved in the political process. The air we breath, the water we drink, our jobs, our schools and even our families are influenced and controlled in some way by government. If we allow others to make our decisions for us, then we must suffer the consequences of their decisions and we retain no justification for complaint.

U.S. Senator Sam Ervin, Jr. states, "the Equal Rights Amendment is the most destructive piece of legislation to ever pass congress." What brings Senator Ervin to this conclusion? Perhaps the same understanding that brought State Senator Carl Dodge of Fallon to the conclusion that the consequences of E.R.A. "will be devastating upon the American Family unit."

"The demise of the home as the basic social unit could signal the demise of the greatest experiment in freedom in the history of mankind....." continued Senator Dodge in Nevada State Senate Hearings on E.R.A. 1975

E.R.A. is a major device being used to destroy the family and our basic liberties in the United States today.

In an interview with Betty Friedan, the "mother" of women's lib, Simone de Beauvoir of France, who provided the original inspiration for Ms. Friedan's book, 'The FeminineMistique Madame de Beauvoir states, "No woman should be authorized to stay at home to raise her children. Society should be totally different. Women should not have that choice, precisely because if there is such a choice, too many women will make that one."

In other words, all children would be as Senator Dodge fears, raised bythe state in communal-socialistic child-care centers and that women would have only one option -the work-force outside the home.

Yes, E.R.A. will hurt the family and the nation and it will affect you as an individual. Is there any situation association, relationship, organization, job or activity that cannot, in some stretch of the bureaucratic or judicial mind, be interpreted as not relating in some way or other to the fact that a person is a male or female? E.R.A. will allow the federal government into every aspect of our individual lives through bureaucratic and judicial interpretation.

I do not oppose equal pay for equal work, equal credit or equal educational opportunities for women. But these things are already guaranteed by state and federal laws such asthe Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 and the Equal Credit Act of 1974. Enforcement, if indeed it is a problem, is all that needs be corrected. We do not need E.R.A. to obtain these goals.

I oppose the fraudulent Equal Rights Amendment and its attendant evils. Our present Congressman, Jim Santini favors the E.R.A. In fact, he voted to finance the women's libbers with 5 million of our tax dollars. This money went to the International Women's Year Commission which voted 35-0 in favor of E.R.A.

What can we do to STOP E.R.A.? We can vote for those who oppose the E.R.A. As voters, we don't get to vote on E.R.A. Only our State Legislators vote directly on E.R.A. -only our Congressman votes on appropriations for promoting E.R.A.

I encourage you to call STOP E.R.A. at 359-0808 or 358-9190 and find out which candidates oppose E.R.A. Then offer to help those candidates and STOP E.R.A. WE CAN WIN, if good men and women will do their part as citizens of this great land."

NNH interviewed Janine Hansen recently and immediately adopted her into the Dykes Clan which publishes NNH.

Miss Hansen, the Northern Nevada Chairman and State Newsletter Editor of STOP E.R.A. is currently a candidate for U.S. House of Representatives as an Independent American. She is a native Nevadan, an honor graduate of Sparks High School, and a graduate, magna cum laude, from Brigham Young University. She is the national committeewoman for the Independent American Party of Nevada and spoke at the Party's National Convention in Chicago on August 25, 1976.

On her birthday, October 31st, (Nevada Day), she will be 25 years old making her the youngest Congressional Candidate in Nevada's history.

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AT THE HOME OF CAN AND RAYOLA McBRIDE,

1752 MEADOWDALE WAY, SPARKS.

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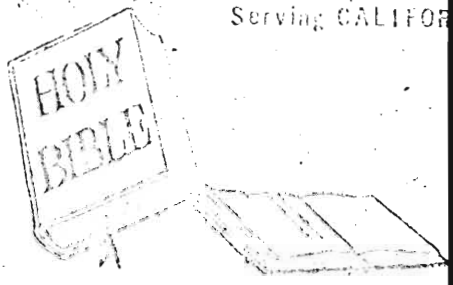

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Mr. Vernon W. Thomson, Chairman
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JANINE HANSEN

Why this Independent American should be our next Representative to the United States CONGRESS!

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Mr. Vernon W. Thomson, Chairman
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Dear Mr. Thomson:

Enclosed is a copy of a brochure obtained from Janine Hansen's campaign booth at a shopping center on October 16, 1976.

We charge and complain that Janine Hansen is purposefully violating Chapter 14 of the Federal Election Campaign Laws.

Sincerely,

Ken Haller

Ken Haller, Chairman

CONNIE L. CATER
Notary Public — State of Nevada
Washoe County
My Commission Expires Mar. 21, 1978

This 27th day of October
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Dear Mr. Thomson:

Enclosed with this letter is a copy of a publication which is circulating in the Reno/Sparks area of Nevada. The enclosed copy was distributed at Albertson's Food Center No. 747, 2150 Oddie Blvd., Sparks, Nevada, 89431. A stack of these papers were available for customers. Other stores in the area also have copies available, and according to reports to the undersigned, some copies have been received in the US mails.

We charge and complain that Janine Hansen, candidate for the U.S. House of Representatives, is illegally soliciting funds with this phoney newspaper.

Sincerely,

Ken Haller, chairman

Ken Haller

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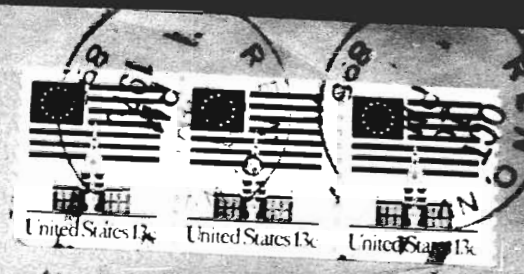

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1. Memo to file from D. Anderson - 11/18/76

2. Memo to file from D. Anderson - 11/17/76

3. Memo to Oldaker from Emmons - 11/4/76

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Signed Kurt Bulkhart

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