

LA LAZA



CPA special Tierra Amarilla



UMAS PROTESTS TUITION

The Free Speech areas of UCLA and Cal-State will be the scenes of rallies by the United Mexican American Students (UMAS) chapters at both schools. Tuesday, January 16, at 12:00 noon at Mayerhoff park, UCLA, UMAS will protest the impending raise of fees at all UC campuses. It is expected that similar demonstrations will take place when the Regents meet at Berkeley Wednesday morning.

Wednesday, January 17, in support of their carnales and carnalas at UC, Cal-State UMAS will have a rally at noon also. Speakers at that rally will be Prof. Ralph Guzman, Carlos Muñoz, Francisco Martinez, and Maria Baeza.

The United Mexican-American Students demand a rejection of the fee increase proposal. We remind the Regents of their responsibility to secure the traditional principle of free educational opportunity in our state. The denial of education may be the drop that overflows the cup of patience.

Less than 2% of the student population in the state is Mexican-American, (while they represent 10% of the general population) a gross disproportion. Economic position is a major determinant for this under-representation. Only recently has the Mexican-American begun to partake in the educational opportunities provided by all for all. The increase of fees is a hostile move to deny legitimate educational aspirations, a move to insure the present status. Rhetoric to make the fee hike palatable is hypocrisy: there are no special scholarship or stu-

dent loan programs planned or projected. Another facet of the American dream has become a nightmare.

\$156 per year increase in student fees has been proposed and will be considered by the Regents of the University of California on Wednesday, January 17th, at UC Berkeley. A fee increase is certain. This will be in accordance with past Regent practices and with the public statements of the Governor. Fee increases are also projected for the state colleges. California will have the dubious distinction of having the fourth most expensive state university system in the country. Though all students will be affected, the students from the economically underprivileged minorities will suffer most immediately. Making prohibitive the cost of education can only be interpreted as a blatant effort at suppression.

SHERIFFS HARRASS

COFFEE HOUSE

THE Piranya

5338 E. Olympic Blvd. Corner of Goodrich

During the last several weeks police harrassment at the Piranya Coffee House has reached alarming proportions. Customers and members of the Coffee House on their way in and on their way out have been stopped, questioned and illegally searched by the "peace officers" of the East L. A. Sheriffs Department. The Police frequently drive past the Coffee House and shine their search lights into the Coffee House as another means of harrassment.

The people at the Coffee House feel that this increase in harrassment is due to a demonstration against police brutality at the East L. A. Sheriff's office on December 27. Many of the more than 100 demonstrators were members of the Brown Berets a chicano youth group that hangs around at the Coffee House. About an hour after the demonstration was over, the fuzz swarmed all over the Coffee House stopping and questioning everyone wearing brown berets.

Last Friday night as four members of the Brown Berets were leaving the Piranya, they were stopped by a Sher-

iff's Deputy who called on his radio for three more Sheriffs cars and five highway patrolmen from the highway patrol office next door to the Coffee House. The patrol officers rushed around the corner with their hands on their guns and their riot sticks drawn. They illegally searched the youth's car. They took they keys from the driver and opened the trunk even though the Brown Berets warned them that this was a violation of their constitutional rights. The cops said f---k the constitution and they spent 20 minutes searching the whole car. When one of the Brown Berets attempted to take a picture of the highway patrolmen, one of them said, "Take a picture of me Mexican so I can shove that f---king camera up your a--."

This is just one of many similar incidents that have occurred at the Coffee House since its opening. If you are tired of the cops harrassing chicanos in East L. A., and if you want to do something about it, see your local Brown Beret Recruiter at 5338 E. Olympic Blvd.



EMPLEO is the organization of Mexican-American inmates inside San Quentin who are developing new methods of aiding Mexican-American inmates in applying for and finding jobs once they are released.

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Chicanos are getting organized even in San Quentin. Sometime last year, students in a class on "Communication Problems of the Spanish Speaking Adults" in San Q. decided to organize themselves into an educational and mutual aid organization. After 8 months of planning and negotiations with the "authorities" the group was able to become a recognized organization.

EMPLEO meets for orientation and discussion meetings at which they have been allowed to have a Mexican flag donated by Father Garcia. They have guest speakers from outside--free men--like Atty. Bob Gonzales and Bert Corona, from MAPA. But the main aim of the group is to aid incoming inmates in learning how to deal with prison life, and to orient them to a productive life after their release. VIVA LA CAUSA, CARNALES!!

BROWN BERETS

picket sheriffs

Once again, on Dec. 27, angry young chicanos, especially YCCA, picketed the Sheriff's Department in East L.A.

This was the third time in one month that pickets have protested the brutal and inhuman policy which the sheriff's employ against Chicanos in the community.

The particular incident which aroused and angered the community against the Sheriffs was the case of the Santoyo family. The Santoyos, father, mother, and daughter, were beaten, the father into unconsciousness. He was kicked, slapped, pushed, pulled by the hair, and insulted verbally with terms like, "Mexican animals!" Two innocent bystanders, Freddie Bravo and Tommie Ramirez, were arrested because they protested the brutal conduct of the sheriffs.

These five brothers were later tried and convicted. The women, Mary and Terry Santoyo were convicted of battery and interference. George Santoyo was convicted of resisting arrest. Tommie and Freddie were convicted of interference. The sheriffs, of course, were acquitted of any misconduct.

This is the type of justice which chicanos are given! This is the type of justice which chicanos have always been given! The chicano is always the criminal. Actually the chicanos just doesn't have a chance, the courts see to that. This injustice, this inhuman disregard of people's rights is what the picketing is all about.

The picket on Dec. 27 was represented by well over 50 young chicano brothers. Their militancy was symbolized by the brown berets which they wore and the anger which their faces and voices expressed.

The sheriffs apparently disapproved the constitutional right of the pickets and began to harass the brothers. Three sheriffs came out of the station and proceeded to obstruct the picket line by bodily blocking, which is against the law-interference with the movement of the pickets. Two of the officers elbowed the pickets as they went by. They were actually trying to provoke the young chicanos to violence so that they could have an excuse for breaking up the picket.

The sheriffs would have succeeded in their efforts to provoke violence considering the just anger of our people, if they, the sheriffs, hadn't suddenly moved out of the way. They stopped one of the pickets and demanded identification. The brother complied and showed his selective service card. The sheriffs took the card and returned to the station without giving it back.

David Sanchez, head of YCCA, protested to the person in charge of the station at that time. Of course the incident was denied and David was promptly dismissed.

Now it is fairly obvious that the sheriffs do not intend to pay attention to the growing anger of the community. Their policy of abuse of the rights and dignity of all chicanos can only lead to a violent but actually quite just and long awaited explosion!

VIVA LA CAUSA, CARNAL!



LET'S

HAPPENING

What's happening? Education is Happening! Higher education, that is. It's the fastest growing fad in the country-but unlike others it's here to stay. This is why "Educational Happening" is bringing together the core of people who can help you join higher education.

Kenneth Washington, Director of Educational Opportunity Program UCLA, says, that if you have the grades he has resources (money) enabling you to attend... UCLA. "Jose Rodriguez and Rene Nuñez are ready to give you "helpful" tips on how to make the best of resources available in any college or university anywhere. How does the

community aid education? Pat Sanchez, United Council of Community Organization, is there to answer. What do Parents organizations do for higher education? Margaret Wright, United Parents Council, will have the answer. Richard Calderon, Field Representative for Congressman Brown Jr., will summarize Legislation for higher education.

Participate in this "Educational Happening" and join us at the Piranya Coffee House 5338 E. Olympic at 8:00 p.m. Music will be provided for your entertainment. More information, call 735-1574 or 262-2197. Remember the date--January 19th.

Yes, I am interested in learning more about existing financial opportunities so that I may continue with a college career. (Please Print)

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1228 W. Jefferson Blvd. Los Angeles, Ca.
TEL. 735-1574 90007

OR

EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES INFORM. SERV.
2415 E. Whittier Blvd. East Los Angeles, 90023
TEL. 262-2197 or 262-2198



From the flight of El Gavilan:

Perhaps you have wondered just what agencies such as Cleland House and Plaza Community Center are supposed to be doing. They sit in the middle of the barrio and around them there is poverty, discrimination, crooked merchants, inferior schools, police brutality, unemployment, etc., etc. The settlement houses sponsored by the Presbyterian and Methodist churches have, very simply, only one main purpose for existing-to organize the community for real social action. That is, assist people in solving their own problems. Letting them make changes on their own. Teaching them how to deal with the power structures around them. In other words, turn them loose! If one asks the directors of

these "community vacuums" about community action, they break out in a rash, a cold sweat, and their knees knock in 3/4 time. Hernandez and Olivas are the original flower children Mexican style and if you examine their agencies you will find them to be centers for welfare handouts, sewing clubs, cake baking clubs, various and sundry mothers groups, and other "henhouse" groups. And God help those that behave aggressively or deal with nitty-gritty issues because these two pacifists serve as Head Lambchops for the local merchants, politicians, and school administrators. To rock the boat is to jeopardize their positions as Showcase Mexicans. Incidentally, check into Plaza's staff and you will find the absence of Mexicans in key positions is scandalous!

Chicano Press Special:

by staffs of El Papel & La Raza

Tierra Amarilla

TRIAL BY HEADLINES

Witness in Raid Beaten to Death

Gov. David F. Cargo said, "This is nothing more or less than a brutal murder. It's terrorism, and I won't have it."

Wants Defendants Held

Cargo said he is asking that all 21 defendants freed on bond after the June 5 raid on the Rio Arriba County Courthouse be returned to custody. "I'm going to ask that they retest these bonds either that or revoke them, and I prefer that they revoke them," the governor said.

He said that goes for Reies Lopez Tijerina too. Tijerina is said to have participated in the June 5 raid by members of his land-protector movement.

CHICANO PRESS

Primary purpose of the Chicano Press Association is to promote La Raza Unida

Member newspapers exchange stories, cartoons, and photos at cost. Writes Ramirez, editor of COMPASS in Houston, "The Chicano Press Association is bound to service and dedication to the Mexican American people and needs the help of la Raza since we must go against the tide of political power, against discrimination and all such injustice."

Names and addresses of the member newspapers for subscriptions are as follows:

COMPASS
1209 Egypt St., Houston, Texas, 77009

LA VOZ NORTENA
PO Box 26, Dixon, N.M. 87527

LA RAZA
2808 Altura St., Los Angeles, California 90031

EL MALCRIADO
PO Box 1091, McAllen, Texas, 78501

EL GALLO
1265 Cherokee St., Denver, Colorado 80204

CARTA EDITORIAL
PO Box 54624 Terminal Annex, Los Angeles, California 90054

LADO
1306 N. Western Ave., Chicago, Illinois 60622

LA VOZ MEXICANA
PO Box 101, Wautoma, Wisconsin, 54982

EL PAPEL
PO Box 7167, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87104.

It's 'Brutal, Terrorism,' Cargo Says

Police Vow: 'We Are Going To Get Guy' Who Killed Jailer

Tijerina, 17 Aides Jailed Here

Key Tierra Amarilla Raid Witness Found Dead After Beating

Slain Jailer Would Have Had Large Part in the Trial of Reies Tijerina

Asks Judge to Revoke Bonds of Raid Suspects

Governor's View: Keep Them in Jail

Charge 2 in Jailer's Death

THE NEW MEXICAN
The State's Oldest Newspaper
TODAY, JANUARY 4, 1968
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THE TRIBUNE
PRICE: SEVEN CENTS
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TIERRA AMARILLA - State Police fanned out across the snow-covered ranches of Rio Arriba County today in a manhunt for the killers of Jailer Eulogio Salazar.

"We're going to get the guy who killed Eulogio," vowed State Police Chief Joe Black. "That's my direct order. We'll stick with it until we get him."

Every available state officer was pressed into the search for those who abducted a key witness savagely beat him to death.

A key target in the investigation was the Political Confederation of Free City States, formerly known as Alianza Federal de Mercedes, a militant land grant group.

Two top officials of the Alianza, now called the Political Confederation of Free City States, have been charged with being accessories to the murder of Salazar and as material witnesses in the case.

They were held on \$10,000 bond in the case were Cristobal Tijerina, 26, and Felix Martinez, 22.

All the officers were very dubious at the appearance of Martinez at Tierra Amarilla Monday morning. They said he was from Tierra Amarilla and had been living in Albuquerque and had been driving a pickup. The officers were driving a pickup which Martinez said was owned by the Alianza. Salazar was killed because he was a key witness in the raid and also because he was recently a civil suit against some of the Alianza members.

EDITORIAL

EL PAPEL deploras the brutal murder of Eulogio Salazar and we hope that the killer is apprehended soon, no matter who it is. We do not believe that the Alianza or any of its leaders were involved in the slaying. We will always believe that someone is innocent until he is proven guilty or at least until there is some good solid evidence.

The Spanish-American movement will suffer from the Salazar killing. But it is in times of crisis that the truth sometimes reveals itself. We know now that it is not what people say, but what they do--and how they react under pressure that exposes them for what they are.

We know now that state officials and the police can panic and that they and the courts are willing to suspend the constitution of the United States when it suits their convenience. We know that they are willing to remove all legal process from those who would question their wisdom and conscience.

We also know what the Anglo press really thinks of Spanish-Americans--how anxious they are to make us barbarians when every day their world and newspapers are full of so much violence. We know better how worried they are and how unsure of themselves they must be to resort to such extreme reactions. And we know better now, how to plan for the future.

LAWLESSNESS IN NEW MEXICO

GOVERNOR

On the night of January 2nd, Eulogio Salazar, 54, jailer in the courthouse of Tierra Amarilla, disappeared.

Early the next morning, his wife notified the sheriff of his disappearance and a search began. The body of Salazar was found about 11:00 a.m. in his car, off the road some 15 miles west of Tierra Amarilla. He was presumed beaten to death.

Within the hour, Governor David F. Cargo went on the air, des-

cribing Salazar's assailants as a "large group of men" who abducted him from in front of his house and beat him. "It's brutal terrorism and I won't have it," he said. In the next breath, the governor went on to announce that he was requesting the District Attorney to file a petition asking for revocation of the bond of Reies Tijerina and 20 of his Alianza members charged with the June 5th raid on the T.A. courthouse. In this raid, Salazar had been shot and was to be a key witness for the State in a hearing on that raid coming up at the end of January.

The next few hours following the governor's emotional radio broadcast, were hours of lawlessness, slander and terrorism on the part of State officials, First District Judge Angel, Chief of Highway Patrol Joe Black and the major newspapers of the State of New Mexico. Cargo's apparent assumption from the beginning was that Tijerina or members of the Alianza under his direction formed a lynch mob and murdered Salazar so he couldn't testify against them at the hearing. Besides disregarding the consti-

tutional guarantee that suspects are "innocent until proven guilty in a court of law", the Governor went on to overlook some basic facts when he made his charges. First of all, there were no witnesses who give basis to the description of the 'abduction' as the action of a 'large group of men.' Perhaps more than one man was involved, but no one, not even Salazar's wife can attest to how many men were involved. Use of words like "brutal terrorism", "large group of men" etc., provided fodder for the mild hysteria which swept the state, infecting mostly policemen. Descriptions of the emotional state of mind of Joe Black ranges from coldly angry to him screaming in rage, "This is the worst goddamn beating I've seen in 30 years as a police officer...Regardless of the fact he was only a jailer, he was a brother officer." Headlines intoned, "TEARS--ANGER" after the finding of the body. Reading further into the story one finds the anger attributed to various policemen and the tears attributed to the county tax assessor. The

slain man was never described in headlines by just his name or occupation but as "WITNESS IN RAID BEATEN TO DEATH"... "KEY TIERRA AMARILLA RAID WITNESS FOUND DEAD AFTER BEATING" (January 4th (Albuquerque Tribune). Although Salazar was a key witness for the state against Tijerina and the Alianza, he made his charges over 6 months ago. From that time to the time of his death, even his own wife and co-workers admitted that he had received no threats, nor had ever been approached by any of the Alianza members about being a witness for the prosecution. There are other possible motives for the murder. Salazar was for many years a jailer at the T.A. Courthouse and is not known by T.A. Residents as particularly humane or gentle in this discharging of duties. Sometime ago four men escaped from the T.A. jail and in their recapture, three of them were badly beaten by Salazar. In talking to residents of Rio Arriba County about Salazar, con-

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versation nearly always gets around to the contention that Salazar has been responsible for three "murders" in the past in that northern New Mexico area. The State Police and D.A. Sanchez are well aware of Salazar's past, yet newspapers carried such blatant statements as "We would be the most surprised people in the world if Alianza people are not involved in Salazar's death," State Patrolman Martinez. Or, "I told (Judge) Angel this would happen if he let them out on bond...I predicted this" District Attorney Sanchez. The Albuquerque Journal notes in a January 4th article that "The (investigating) officers seem to feel Salazar was killed because he was a key witness in the raid and also because he filed a civil suit against some of the Alianza members."

Within this atmosphere of emotionalism and irrational reaction, a round-up of the 21 Alianza members began immediately after the finding of the body. Patsy Tijerina, witness to the pick-up of her husband Reies, his 18 year old daughter Rosita and Jerry Noll, says that the 6 men who entered the Alianza office in Albuquerque never identified themselves or displayed any warrants. She had no idea what, if any, charges were being placed against her husband or what agency the officers were from. She further states that Reies was not given time to call his attorney. Other of the 20 picked up were picked up on their jobs, and many in the process were fired from these jobs without justification.

The interesting fact about this round-up was that ALL PERSONS PICKED UP ON JANUARY 3rd WERE PICKED UP BEFORE 6:00 P.M. when Judge Angel signed the court order. He signed this court order without a proper hearing to determine if the conditions of the bond had been broken by those 21 people. Furthermore the grounds accepted by the Judge as reason for revocation of the bonds raises serious doubts as to the competency of the First Judicial District of the State of New Mexico. The warrant reads in part: "On verified motion of the district attorney that the bonds of the defendants be withdrawn and revoked and that warrants be issued for the immediate arrest of said defendants and the court having examined the photographs of the death of Eulogio Salazar and having duly considered the matters contained in the verified motion of the D.A. and having kept abreast of the events transpiring in Rio Arriba County in the vicinity of Tierra Amarilla and other towns and villages in that area and being fully advised in the premises now finds that the bonds of the defendants should be withdrawn and revoked... The Court further finds that justice and the public interest requires this action." There are mystics who claim that by looking at a photograph they can receive impulses or perceptions pertaining to the subject and events surrounding the taking of the pictures. If that be the case, then the photographs of the death of Eulogio

Salazar seem to be the most concrete evidence contained in the court order. Everything else is hearsay.

The same lack of due process and civil rights surrounds the arrest of Christobal Tijerina, (Reies' brother) and Felix Martinez for the murder of Salazar. They happened to drop into the laps of the State Patrol by walking into the T.A. Courthouse 15 minutes after the body was found. Martinez lives in T.A. and was up there to file for his unemployment compensation. It would have looked kind of silly to have to announce that the suspects were apprehended as they walked into the Tierra Amarilla courthouse, so they were sent to Chama to find the man who processes the compensation applications. On

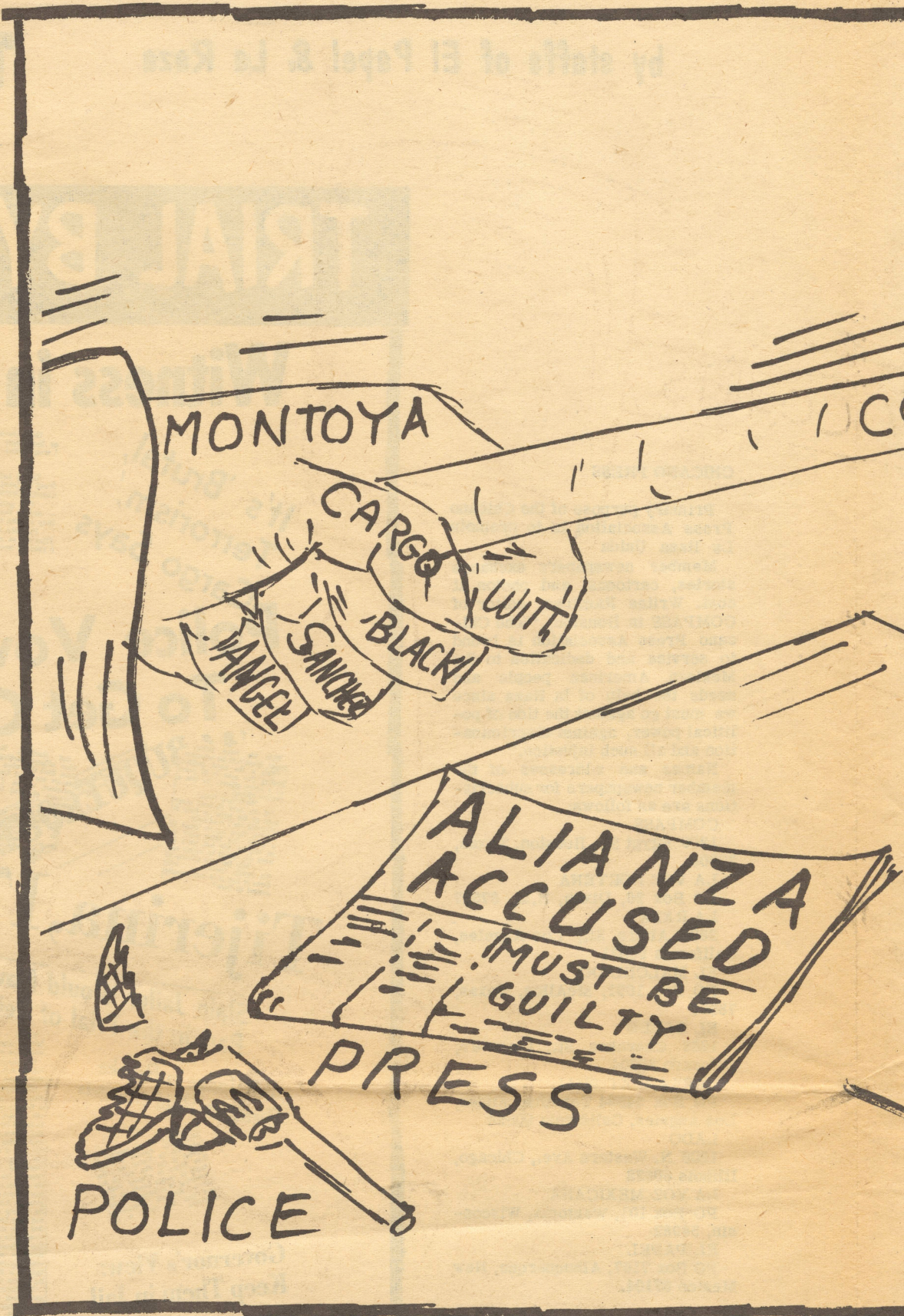
their way back from Chama, they were finally picked up by the police. You might think that they were immediately placed under arrest, but that doesn't seem to be the New Mexico style. Officers Jaramillo and Holder rode them around for almost three hours. Ordinarily an arresting officer might ask, "Where were you last night...do you have any witnesses". Instead, Jaramillo, his intuition working overtime, said, "Why did you kill Eulogio" and other niceties like "We're going to give you just what you gave him...pistol whip you and then shoot you down like dogs."

After this display of professionalism, the arresting officers took them to a J.P. in Tierra Amarilla for arraignment (without counsel, or course) and then on to Santa Fe for charging (without counsel, of course.)

Now, two reporters from the New Mexican filed stories that they saw Chris and Felix leaving a restaurant in Santa Fe around 9:00 the evening of January 2nd. (Santa Fe is about 2-1/2 to 3 hours from Tierra Amarillo). Disappearance of Salazar is fixed by his wife at about 8:30 p.m. The coroner places time of death from between 8:30 to 9:30 p.m. These reporters had to put their stories in the newspaper because D.A. Sanchez wasn't accepting any alibis for the two Alianza staff, that day. In fact, when the reporters brought to the D.A.'s attention that they had seen the two in Santa Fe, they were told something like, "It doesn't matter" (or...get lost).

According to Martinez the only basis for their charges against himself and Chris Tijerina as the state's contention that this was an "Alianza killing" and the two men were being charged because they were "top Alianza officials" and happened to be in the area.

Charges were dropped on Martinez and Tijerina for lack of evidence (the judge didn't even show up at the hearing). The governor finally had to stop describing the murder as done by a large group of men as there were and still are no witnesses and Joe Black finally had to admit publicly that he hadn't a shred of evidence in the slaying.



LA JUSTICIA: NUESTRO

LA TIERRA: NUESTRA HERENCIA

POLITICAL MURDER

By Tony Rey

The highways that criss-cross the town are lined with the decaying remnants of a once-bustling farming community. Closed restaurants, a dilapidated, shuttered motel, a gutted movie theater, a couple of general stores long ago out of business emanate silence. Tierra Amarilla is like a dozen other towns in northern New Mexico. Its citizens, like its scattered buildings, are quiet and somber.

For the second time in six months this town of Tierra Amarilla is being recognized throughout the country. In June of last year Tierra Amarilla was identified as the place of the courthouse raid. The wire services carried the name throughout the world. The people in the town were described only in terms pertinent to the writing of a story about the raid. Today Tierra Amarilla is being heard from again, and again the news stories talk about violence in Tierra Amarilla. The reporters are saying that the silence, the detached aire of its citizens is the aftermath of a murder. They are wrong.

What the sophisticated gringo reporters interpret as fear is

not caused by the June raid or the murder of Eulogio Salazar. What the police and state officials describe as blatant disregard for the law and terrorism are the spasms of a community refusing to die.

To prevent the death of Tierra Amarilla and several other towns like it in northern New Mexico some of the residents of the area are desperately jumping into the political arena. The vehicle has been the Alianza Federal de Mercedes. Slowly, more and more of the residents of northern New Mexico have come to see the Alianza as the only hope for survival. The impact of the Alianza Federal de Mercedes in northern New Mexico is profound. The impetus of the movement is felt throughout the state. The legitimacy of the Alianza is recognized by political activists throughout the country.

The Alianza has given hope to the Spanish-Americans of northern New Mexico. Moreover, it has given them pride in their hispanic past. It has begun to erase the inferiority that has been engendered by the gringo in the minds and hearts of these people.

The established politicians of New Mexico long ago recognized the threat of the militant, grass roots political movement. At first they ignored Reies Tijerina and the Alianza. Then came the ac-

cusations of "charlatan" and "opportunist." These were followed by the labels "Castroite" and "Communist." The reaction culminated with the accusations of insurrectionist and traitor.

The actions and reactions of the establishment politicians fitted their degenerating changes in attitude. At first they tolerated the demonstrations and marches. Then they criticized the rallies and conferences. Then they began outlawing the meetings. This was followed by an investigation of the organization. Then came the wholesale arrests of the Alianza leadership and wild, criminal charges, blatant violations of civil rights and complete disregard of human rights.

The investigations and prosecutions continued and the Alianza members and other militant Mexican-American activists began to accept this as a way of life. Then came the murder of Eulogio Salazar.

The reaction of the State was totally unexpected and, by any standard, unwarranted. At the suggestion of Governor Cargo, the bail of the Alianza members charged in the June incident was revoked. No cause was given. No connection between the Alianza and the tragic death was demonstrated. Cristobal Tijerina and Felix Martinez were arrested, charged and arraigned on what the Albuquerque



LEMA

Governor David F. Cargo
State Capitol
Santa Fe, New Mexico

We strongly protest the attempts at political assassination of Reyes Tijerina and the Alianza Federal.

Through your illegal revocation of bonds, you have created a climate of mass hysteria and therefore attempted the destruction of a fellow movement of human rights.

We demand immediate release of Tijerina and the rest of the 20 illegally detained.

Continued retention of these political prisoners reveals the conspiracy of the power structure of the State of New Mexico to attempt to crush the leadership of an organization moving legally and rightfully to regain their ancestral lands.

H. RAP BROWN
S.N.C.C.

The STUDENT NON-VIOLENT CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE (SNCC) is a co-signer of the treaty with the Alianza Federal.

MAPA (Mexican American Political Association) represents over 20,000 Chicanos throughout California working for greater political power for La Raza.

Governor David F. Cargo

Thousands of Mexican Americans and other freedom-loving Americans are aghast and indignant about the continued gross violation of the civil and constitutional rights of Tijerina and other leaders and members of the Alianza Federal de Pueblos Libres by the authority of the State of New Mexico. We respectfully and strongly urge that you guarantee and implement true justice and equal treatment under the law for these gallant and valorous fighters for the American and democratic tradition for the Spanish-speaking people of New Mexico. Our organization stands 100 percent in support of Tijerina and the Alianza and we will use all means at our command to guarantee the rights of these our brothers.

Bert Corona
M.A.P.A.

BROWN-BLACK UNITY COUNCIL is a council of leaders in the Black and Mexican-American communities of Los Angeles, aiming at coordinated programs against the Man, and for the mutual welfare and self-determination of both peoples.

Governor David F. Cargo

We are protesting the use of New Mexico courts to stifle the movement of hispanos to regain their land and cultural rights under the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo. We would like to remind Governor Cargo that "El Respeto al derecho ajeno, es la Paz."

Brown-Black Unity Council

SANTIAGO ANAYA (54) Vice Presidente de la Alianza de Pueblos Republicas Libres.

Por parte de la Alianza, hay que ponerle un respeto al fallecido, Eulogio Salazar, La Alianza siente muchisimo el nodo en que le toco morir, pero estamos seguros que no fue por parte de la Alianza.

Los derechos civiles de esos miembros arrestados han sido violados asi tambien como sus derechos constitucionales. Las autoridades y el gobierno del Estado pusieron los ojos en la Alianza para directamente incriminarnos, mandando a arrestar a derecha ya izquierda y revocando las Fianzas a miembros neustros envueltos en otro caso en que ellos reclamaban sus derechos a la Merced de Tierra Amarilla.

Como anteriormente, se ha tratado de derrotar a nuestra organizacion, porque el gobierno no quiere que como pobres hispanos mexicanos grasosos--como somos considerados--demandemos nuestra justicia. Pero, cuando tratan de derrotarnos, ganamos mas terreno y asi esperamos que en el presente caso, tenga el mismo resultado que otras veces en que nos has guerido hacer lo misino. Nuestra gente agarra mas armonia y se juntan mas solidamente, micutras mas nos atguen.

RAFAEL DURAN

Como lo veo yo, tocando a la policia del Estado, esto es una conspiracion en contra de la causa. Joe Black puso el dedo en lo que ellos quisieron, ellos estan convencidos de que Reyes Lopez Tijerina es la amenaza porque en lugar de investigar nuestra causa y la justicia del Tratado de Guadalupe Hidalgo lo que estan tratando es de mocharnos el pescuezo.

Estoy ideciso acerca de Salazar, porque no sabemos como y porque sucedio, pero, tocante al Governor se me hace que fue un equivoco cuando pidio se revocaran las fianzas. No se a fondo que pasos se van a tomar, pero tendremos que llevar neustro caso aun mas alla de la Corte Suprema...a las Cortes Interncionales si es necesario.

La moral de la gente esta mas alta que nunca...la moral se ha levantado porque a lo que se deja ver todo--segun el sentimiento de la gente--no hay justicia ye todo esta fuera de la ley...y nos confirma en la creencia de que nosotros y nuestra causa es la justicia.

WILFRED SEDILLA

Reies Lopez Tijerina, with clean and honest hands, has lifted the lid of the political garbage can in this "land of enchantment." For this, Governor Cargo is calling for the keeping of him in jail until the trial.

I think that the people are determined not to let this type of action scare them. It gives them more courage to keep on because the injustice is so obvious. Imagine taking an 18 year old girl off like she was some kind of murderer. Only a stupid wouldn't see the injustices committed here this week.

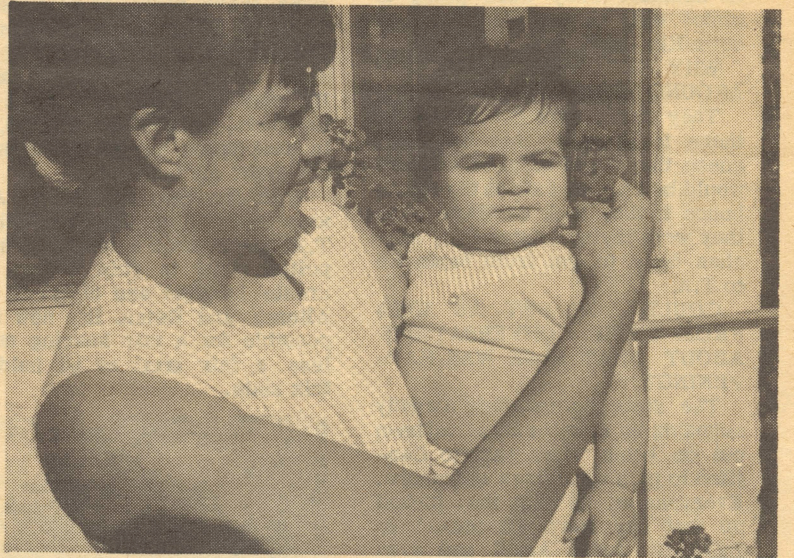
It is a shock to all people whenever a murder is committed. This is a crime against humanity. Persons responsible should naturally be punished. However authorities shouldn't pick on just anyone to appease those yelling for justice. And politicians should keep their hands off and quit trying to make hay while the blood runs.

PATRICIA TIJERINA

I saw my husband in the Santa Fe Jail and he was calm and in good spirits. I hadn't seen him since they had taken him, like mad dogs... four or five of them, without warrant or identification. Reyes is confident that the truth has to come out and his innocence will be made public.

I think that all of this is a conspiracy to incriminate my husband, to ruin his reputation and to destroy the Alianza. The police have no clues and no evidence, but they tried to use this to attack the organization and my husband. The crime was probably done by outsiders.

They should investigate Senator Montoya. He was here the day before the crime at the Luncheon Club and attacked Reyes. The following day he was gone and they came to arrest my husband even before the judge has signed the order. Montoya is afraid that all the dirt about him will come out.



THE CRUSADE FOR JUSTICE is a militant organization of Chicanos in Denver, which last summer sent a large delegation to Albuquerque to help the Alianza fight against the attempts of the state to put it out of business.

Govenor David Cargo:

Your latest actions and statements concerning the revocation of bonds of the Alianza defendants waiting trial, can only be interpreted as an attempt to create hysteria and division among the people of New Mexico. The denial of due process of law and violation of constitutional rights of the defendants by the use of police state tactics and your own statements have incriminated the defendants and prejudiced any possibility for a fair and impartial trial. Your wanton disregard for the legal sanctity of those accused has wiped out any form of legal protection and judicial justice. You have turned your state into a police state plagued by fears and uncertainty for all the citizens of New Mexico. When charges are openly made or insinuated by political lackeys and police officers that the Alianza is involved in the slaying of Eulogio Salazar you are condemning without evidence an entire people in attempting to destroy their dreams, their goals and their right to self determination. Let me assure you that the beautiful people of the Alianza are not alone in their battle. Ours and many militant organizations pledge our support to see that justice be done. In your future evaluations you might consider other groups who have shown a tremendous interest in the affairs of the Alianza: the John Birch Society, phoney politicians, rich ranchers and the U.S. Government. No man has the right to violate the rights of the people and all oppressed people have the right to revolution.

Rudolpho Corky Gonzales, Chairman

CPA exclusive: Interview with FELIX

FELIX MARTINEZ

Felix Martinez and Christobal Tijerina, staff members of the Alianza Federal, were arrested and charged for the murder of Eulogio Salazar. The charges were dropped two days later because witnesses placed them in Santa Fe the time of the disappearance of the Tierra Amarialla jailer.

WHEN DID YOU FIRST HEAR ABOUT THE MURDER OF SALAZAR?

We didn't know about it till they picked us up at about 12:15 p.m. Wednesday afternoon. We had been in a meeting in Santa Fe the night before and then had gone to Espanola to stay the night. The next morning we went to T.A., had breakfast with my mother, and then went to the courthouse so I could file for my unemployment.

WHEN DID YOU GET TO THE COURTHOUSE?

About 11:15.

HAD THEY FOUND THE BODY?

Yes, they found the body at 11:00.

IT MUST HAVE SHOOK THEM UP TO HAVE YOU DROP IN THEIR LAPS 15 MINUTES AFTER THEY FOUND THE BODY...

Yeah, I guess they didn't know what to do. They were acting kind of fishy, but we ignored it. They didn't say anything to us at all about anything that was going on.

SO YOU DIDN'T EVEN KNOW THEN THAT SALAZAR WAS DEAD?

Right. Then they told us to go to Chama to find the man to register for unemployment. So we left and went to Chama. On our way back from there they picked us up.

DID THEY TELL YOU THAT YOU WERE UNDER ARREST?

No, they just had us get in their car and rode us around for about three hours.

WHAT DID THEY SAY TO YOU?

The first question they asked was, "Why did you kill Eulogio?" WHO SAID THAT?

Officer Jaramillo. Then he said that they were going to do the same thing to us that happened to Salazar. They were going to pistol whip us and then shoot us down like dogs.

WHY DID THEY RIDE YOU AROUND SO LONG?

They didn't want the people up there to see that they had us. I guess they were afraid that there would be another raid on the courthouse if they took us there. Also they were trying to give D.A. Sanchez time to get from Santa Fe to T.A.

COULD YOU GET AN IDEA FROM THEIR CONVERSATIONS ABOUT WHAT ELSE WAS HAPPENING?

The State Police were already rounding up members that had been out on bond. They went to Canjilon to pick up Moises and others. Everyone of us that they picked up that day were all picked up BEFORE Judge Angel had even signed the order revoking the bond.

SO ALL THOSE PICK-UPS WERE ILLEGAL.

You mean all those kidnappings. Sure. First of all the Judge had no business revoking bonds since none of the conditions of these bonds were broken. He didn't even have a hearing to find out if conditions had been broken. Secondly, regarding Chris and me, they had no probable cause for charging us with murder. Absolutely no evidence of any kind to link us with this thing. We just happened to be in that area...which just happens to be my home town. If we were in anyway involved in that thing we certainly wouldn't do a stupid thing like walk right into their arms the day after.

DID THEY EVER ADVISE YOU OF YOUR RIGHTS OR LET YOU SEE A LAWYER.

No, we were never advised of our rights. We were arraigned in T.A. without a lawyer, even though we asked for one. When we got to Santa Fe to be charged, I called Tappia (lawyer) but they didn't give him time to get there and kept on with the proceedings.

SO YOU NEVER HAD ANY COUNSEL DURING ANY OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

Just myself. Chris kept quiet and let me do all the talking. (I have a big mouth.) We refused to enter any pleas because we didn't have counsel. They didn't know what to do then, cause they never had anyone do that before to them. So the judge entered pleas of not guilty for us.

IN ALL THIS TIME IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE THEY WERE INVESTIGATING ANY OTHER MOTIVES FOR THE MURDER. WHAT KIND OF OTHER MOTIVES MIGHT THERE BE? WHAT KIND OF MAN WAS SALAZAR? BENNY NARANJO SAID IN THE PAPERS THAT HE WAS THE KINDEST, GENTLEST MAN HE KNEW.

Two weeks ago there was a jail break where four guys escaped. Three of them were brutally beaten by Salazar. He was a shady character...and has been linked to three murders in the past.

HOW LONG HAS HE BEEN CONNECTED WITH THE JAIL AND LAW ENFORCEMENT.

On and off most of his life. He's had enough time around that jail to gain a few enemies. Some of his own relatives said last June that he should have been shot a few more times in the court house raid..

WHAT ABOUT ALL THE TALK RECENTLY ABOUT TROUBLE BREWING IN T. A. DURING CHRISTMAS?

Well they hear this gossip and then Joe Black brings 27 of his State Patrol into T.A. and that right there is asking for trouble. I hold Montoya and the whole Santa Fe ring responsible for violence in the North. What with Montoya's statements and the presence of all those troopers, they're asking for trouble.

WHAT IS THE SANTA FE RING AND WHAT WOULD THEY GAIN BY THE TROUBLE.

The Santa Fe Ring are the original stealers of our land. They are a hook-up of lawyers, real estate agents and politicians who see to it that their thefts are protected by their so-called law. Montoya himself claims title to 1/8th of the land of New Mexico. He owns every piece of real estate where a Piggly Wiggly market is. He also owns 49 percent of the stock of the Piggly Wiggly chain. He uses his office to protect his interests. In 1959 he owed \$80,000 in back taxes but has never been convicted for tax evasion.

With the hearing for the Alianza coming up January 29th in T.A. the Santa Fe ring and their police stand to gain if they can create incident and discredit the Alianza and Reies. It's now impossible for a fair hearing much less a fair trial to be held in this state.



The car in which Salazar's body was found Wednesday morning is inspected by Dist. Atty. Alfonso Sanchez, State Police Capt. Hoover Wimberly and Asst. Dist. Atty. E. E. Chavez.



Felix Martinez and Cristobal Tijerina were arraigned before a justice of the peace in Tierra Amarilla

THE POOR SEEK JUSTICE

FELIX MARTINEZ

Blame to the violence in the State of New Mexico can be laid to the many ambitious politicians, such as Joseph M. Montoya, Al Sanchez, Boston (half) Witt, Bobby Mayfield and others. All of the above named individuals have the power to settle all questions. Instead they choose to capitalize on the troubles and miseries of the poor to further their distorted political ambitions. A poor man has never been known to get his day in court in the State of New Mexico. The poor who are unable to defend themselves, either because of poverty and or poor educational backgrounds, of necessity they must depend upon the state officials for protection. In New Mexico this is an impossibility, especially with OFFICIALS as named above. There are many poor people charged in the T.A. incident. Attorneys have been provided, but they are not given adequate resources to properly investigate facts so as to be able to defend the individual. In short the whole process is merely to go through the motions and convict, despite the fact that many innocent persons will go behind bars. If the courts do not protect us on the strength of the constitution, I ask you Mr. Citizen who is? We are not criminals, I have served my country in the armed forces, subjected my life to preserve freedom and the constitution and rights granted us as citizens. Jose A. Madril who is now in the penitentiary as a result of the mass arrests by D.A. Sanchez also served his country and was awarded the PRESIDENTIAL CITATION, 3 SILVER STARS, 2 BRONZE STARS AND OTHER MEDALS FOR BRAVERY. I ask you Mr. Citizen Who is protecting his rights civil human and constitutional today. I believe the courts of this state and nation can certainly do something to curtail the ambitions and works of the over zealous prosecutors such as D.A. Sanchez, who have no regard for rights of individuals. This is exactly how HITLER started, and dictatorships and police states begin. Does our constitution allow prosecutors to abduct, arrest and imprison people without probable cause, or without affording them due process of law. The case of the Alianza is not the only example. It has been tried against, Highway commissioners, employees of state, who are also persons of integrity, except they are not poor like most members of the Alianza, at least they can well afford to defend themselves. Are you next to be persecuted Mr. New Mexican? Fortunately there are still members in the legal profession who are still willing to help the poor at the risk of their own HONOR AND DIGNITY. Where is Joseph M. Montoya now that the people of northern New Mexico are being intimidated by police agencies and government officials. Joe is more interested in feathering his own nest and that of his CLAN. WHO IS INVESTIGATING HIS WONDROUS RAGS TO RICHES CLIMB AS A SERVANT OF THE PEOPLE. New Mexicans would be better off if he remained in Latin America. Mr. Citizen, I have posed many questions...You think them out, and I already know your answer. If you as citizens and voters do not stop this corruption in government...NO ONE ELSE WILL!!!!

WHAT WOULD YOU SAY HAS BEEN THE GENERAL REACTION OF MEMBERS OF THE ALIANZA TOWARD ALL THIS TROUBLE?

They are stronger than ever. Even non-members stopped me on the street in Santa Fe after I got out of jail and said how proud they were of us and that they were behind us all the way. Within a few hours after I was out, I got at least 20 phone calls from different members reassuring us of their confidence in the Alianza and that they were behind us more than ever now. Even some gringo's that we met for the first time at that meeting for Senator McCarthy went down to our lawyers voluntarily and said they would give signed statements providing us with alibis. This thing has turned more people than ever for us.

I UNDERSTAND YOU HAD SOME TROUBLE COMING BACK FROM SANTA FE YESTERDAY TO ALBUQUERQUE. WHAT HAPPENED?

The daughter-in-law of ex-senator Hatch and her 16 year old daughter offered to bring me back to Albuquerque from Santa Fe. Our truck was still in T.A. About 11 miles north of Albuquerque, two 1968 Dodge pick-ups tried to box us in...one cut in front and one tried to get to the side of us. The passenger in the one that cut in front had pulled out a revolver as they were passing, but he couldn't get a shot away.

DID ANY OF YOU GET LICENSE NUMBERS?

No, the women were too scared and I was too busy with the gas pedal to notice.

WHEN DID THEY DROP THE CHARGES?

Late Friday morning. The judge didn't even show for the hearing. He didn't have anything to show for...the whole thing was a farce. They dropped the charges on both of us but kept Chris cause he was one of the 20 out on bond.

WHAT CONCLUSIONS WOULD YOU DRAW ABOUT THIS WHOLE THING?

They'll do anything to kill the Alianza. They have attempted to try and convict us through the press, but they are so incompetent and so emotional and over-anxious that they bungled the whole thing. They have been exposed for what they are before the whole state and the nation.

eastland CAP caught-NAPPING

On January 4, a General Board Meeting of Eastland Community Action Project (CAP) was scheduled. Many community people came. Not one board member showed up. Many who came expecting a meeting stayed around discussing what should have been discussed at the meeting. Why is the Neighborhood Participation Project (NAPP) being closed down by Eastland CAP?

Not long after the Conference on Mexican-American problems in El Paso, Pico Rivera councilman, Mr. Terrazas stated publicly that Pico Rivera is in great need of more of the federally funded programs. This is especially true since so many community services are not available locally.

If this is so, why did Eastland CAP vote to get rid of NAPP? People from the various have expressed the opinion to us that NAPP is one of the few federally funded programs that reaches the whole family. Mr. Marty Martinez, who was Program Director of Eastland CAP until October, explained, "The NAPP program was not considered even though I recommended con-

tinuation of the program without basic changes. I strongly urged Mexican-American sponsors to insure better local control."

In spite of community and administrative feeling, NAPP was closed down on Dec. 31. This January more than forty heads of households who were being trained under the new-career concept (now accepted nationwide) are out of work.

Community members have fought the decision. Fernando Del Rio, Director of Eastland CAP, has been picketed. NAPP staff members have continued to work on a voluntary basis after the official closing.

Councilman Terrazas on the one hand screams for more federal funds while Fernando Del Rio and the Board close down NAPP and put scores of community people out of work. Maybe the NAPP staff was doing too good a job? In the opinion of Mr. Hayashi, presently unemployed, it is "clearly a deliberate attempt to cut off neighborhood development." So what's new in the War Against the Poor?

Basic English

Dr. Octavio Romano, Professor at U.C., Berkeley, is greatly concerned about the problem of teaching English to Mexican-Americans.

"Do you know," he exclaimed, "that there are some Mexican-Americans who have lived in the country for 10, 20, 30 or more years, and they still do not command enough English for such simple things as 'Go to Hell, you blood-sucking vampire!'"

To remedy this linguistic problem, Professor Romano envisions a plan to set up language workshops throughout the Southwest in order to teach Basic English to Spanish-Speaking Mexican-Americans. Such workshops, he says, should follow current tutorial procedures.

Similar to other such programs, these Basic English classes should begin with the teaching of simple practical phrases which Mexican-Americans need to use in their everyday life, and then proceed to the teaching of more complicated verbal communications. They can begin, for example, with teaching Spanish-Speaking Mexican-Americans such simple and practical phrases

as 'pay me, "don't push me," "don't yell at me," "I want a raise," and "I quit."

In these workshops, the Mexican-Americans will be strongly urged to speak English without a foreign accent.

As the students progress in their linguistic training, they will be taught slightly more complicated phrases, such as "pick your own damn grapes," "let's investigate the Texas Rangers," and "fill out your own stinking questionnaire."

Finally, students will be encouraged to attempt even more complicated English. They will be taught how to say "No, I am not an informant. I'm a consultant on Mexican-American life. Pay me." Or, "Obviously you are not acquainted with the fair wage law of this country, you chiseling jackass."

"The situation is grave," Romano concludes, "and such workshops should go a long way toward solving the language problem of Mexican-Americans, even though much, much more research on Mexican-Americans is needed before we can come to a definite conclusion."

L.A. BOARD of EDUCATION "operates" on community

History's sixth and seventh heart transplant operations were recently performed by the Los Angeles Board of Education's "carniceros". The E.L.A. community was the "unwilling" victim of both transplant operations. The sixth operation took place when the Board of Education created an Educational Task Force to provide more dialogue between the community and administrators. "Carniceros Incorporated" saw fit to carry out their operation without notifying the community and further exceeded their authority by acting as the sole power in the selection of task force members. Fortunately, E.L.A. has successfully survived the operation by rejecting this "foreign organ". The people in the community feel that they will not cooperate with the Task Force, headed by John Leon, since the community was not directly involved in the creation or selection process.

LEONARD CHUECO.

The community was just recuperating from Task Forcitis when "Carniceros Incorporated" decided another "operation" was called for. They searched in the closets and restrooms of CMAA and found Leonard Pacheco still on a witch hunt. Since the Council of Mexican-American Affairs Project Headstart is

rapidly crumbling under Chueco's direction, it was decided he would become the new shaft to transplant in E.L.A. Chueco's job will be to develop the Educational Complex Program which will be centered at Garfield High School. The program will encompass the pre-school through adult educational levels and will stress the participation of the chicanos in the community.

The Board of Education is consistently reliable in selecting "Brown-Nosers" to head any part of their, not our, educational programs. First it was Reggie Murphy to Lead Garfield, next John Leonitis to Lead the Task Force, and now Leonard "Chueco" Pacheco to Aid the Educational Complex. When and where will it end? It will end when we, as Chicanos, form a united front and take over our schools. That is the only way we are going to be able to have a voice in our children's education. As things stand now, the key to the success of the Educational Complex is intensive involvement of the community both in the policy making levels and parent participation levels. We are now barely involved at the parent participation levels. Attend the community meeting, scheduled for Jan. 29 at 7:30 at Garfield and demand that Chicanos have a voice in policy-making decisions.

NAVA scores...again?

After weeks of silence, the Board of Education made public the reading scores of Mexican-American youngsters. As expected, they were significantly lower than anybody else's. As expected, Principals in the Eastside blamed the "language handicap" confronting the Mexican-American pupil. Dr. Julian, like the chimp, gave all the reasons why the "tests" were wrong, according to "an independent elementary school principal." Here is the response of a Mexican educator.

Dear Editor:

As a loyal supporter, as a loyal precinct worker, as a loyal precinct captain for Dr. Julian Nava of the L.A. City Board of Education (elected in 1967), I am ashamed about Dr. Nava's remarks printed in the East Los Angeles Tribune about our children's reading scores. The issue that you must know clearly is whether or not your child is reading or not reading at grade level; not excuses about words, testmarks, or different or foreign type, cloudy day, one principal's analysis, etc., etc.

You must realize that if your child is not reading by the 3rd grade, he will have problems in school. He will be denied the most useful tool needed to learn. He will become a statistic. He will become a problem at school and at

home too. Most subjects that will determine his getting into college require good reading skills. Don't accept the popular teacher excuse that your child is a "Late Bloomer". Recent educational findings printed in the NEA Journal concluded that "Late Bloomers" don't bloom at all.

Finally, you are, as a parent, investing a lot of money and time to educate your child; schooling isn't free. If your child has reading problems, don't blame yourself. You are not the teacher; you are not paid for teaching; you did not take any courses in college to teach; the teacher did. You can help your child and maybe even save him if you ask his teacher as early as the 2nd grade about his reading.

Ernie Gutierrez

¡Viva La Raza Unida en San Antonio!



El día 28 de Octubre de 1967 La Raza Unida fué proclamada en El Paso, Texas. La primera ciudad que ha respondido a esa llamada ha sido San Antonio. El día 6 de Enero más de 2,000 chicanos se juntaron en el auditorio de la Escuela Secundaria John F. Kennedy, para discutir los problemas de los México-americanos en Texas y sugerir programas para resolverlos.

Con gritos de "Viva la Raza Unida," "Viva la Causa," y "Viva la Huelga," la Chicana respondió entusiastamente a los discursos de líderes de Texas y de otros estados. Dr. Ernesto Galarza, Bert Corona, y Hernan Gallegos fueron algunos de los representantes del estado de California. Galarza señaló la importancia de la Conferencia diciendo "Es una pausa, ... todavía nos es la lucha... todavía no es proyecto, ... todo eso vendrá más tarde." El Dr. Galarza añadió que los barrios están despertando de inferioridad que nos ha mantenido en la apatía está transformándose en un nuevo movimiento. "La Raza Unida" añadió Galarza-"es nuestra respuesta a provocaciones, es una protesta que pide soluciones, no a paso de tortuga sino a paso-doble."

Bert Corona dió un reporte de las actividades políticas en California. Corona dijo que "por primera vez en nuestra historia los México-americanos no están en el bolsillo de los Demócratas o de los Republicanos." En la opinión de Bert Corona cerca de un millón de México-americanos en el estado de California votarán en las próximas elecciones, pero que esta vez van a votar y trabajar "por sus propios candidatos."

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