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DEDICATED TO STATES RICHTS ...

no longer will our right to trample upon the rights of others be trampled upon...

RABBLE UNDERGROUND

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WHITE MAN

Awarded monthly to those white men in Mississippi who have proven themselves to be stalwart men of vision and intelligence. Among past recipients of the Award are Baron La Beckmit, Charles Ills of the Jackson CARRION-WEDGER and Freddy Boss of the welfare department. We will continue to recognize men like these who are outstanding personalities in their respective fields.

This month we are pleased to award the honor of White Man of the Month to a distinguished member of the state legislature, Representative Weak of Porupa, Mississippi. Representative Weak was selected by the judges in recognition of his efforts to place illegitimacy on an

illegal basis.

The bill introduced by Mr. Weak in the House would make the birth of more than one illegitimate child a felony. This felony would be punished, under his bill by either three years imprisonment in the state penitentiary or sterilization of the offending parent - presumably the mother, since the child would not be illegitimate if the father could be found.

As introduced, the bill has been lauded by fellow legislators and prominent lawyers as being "tolerant and fair." Spurred on by the enthusiasm created by the bill, Representative Weak now has plans afoot to amend it slightly in order to go a few steps further in this area, in order to promote the general welfare of the citizens of the state.

Representative Weak stated to the awards committee that he and Representative Earl Mammon from South Mississippi were now drafting several proposed amend ments. He explained that the bill now only punishes the results of unlawful cohabitation. He said that he felt a slight increase in the authority of the expanded police powers bill asked by the governor would enable the state to set up a special department that could get

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to the very root of the problem.

On further questioning, Representative Weak declared that a department for the investigation of suspected illegal procreation could be created. His plans call for the head of the department to be appointed by the governor for a twoyear term of office. The department, officially known as the Police Examiners for Errant Procreation (PEEP), would be empowered to make investigations into suspected violators and to apprehend and bring to trial these enemies of society. The crime of illegal procreation would be punishable as a felony. The burden of proof would fall on the defendant to show non-intent to procreate. It has been suggested that the punishment of first offenders would be a one-week all expense paid trip to Sunflower County, Mississippi and the second offense would bring a twoweek trip into Humphreys County. A third offense would constitute a ruling of habitual procreation. The offender would be held at the University Medical Center in Jackson to be used for lung, heart, and brain transplants for experimental purposes, in lieu of a shortage of prisoners from the state penitentiary.

Ideas for a special school in the new police academy for the PEEP department were also revealed. It was quite self-evident that advanced criminology methods would be needed to catch this latest loathsome criminal. Advanced courses in Kama Sutra and Kinsey Reports would be offered to those outstanding officers who show special promise in this field. A knowledge of sensitive electronic devices would also be required.

These thoughtfully laid-out plans were essentially the brainchild of Representative Weak, with invaluable assistance from Representative Mammon. We are sure that Mississippians will feel a new burst of pride for their American Way of Life

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white MAN OF THE MONTH (continued)
andguardian of our precious liberties.
Again, we salute you. Representative
Weak! Your type of vision is what has
made and kept Mississippi great!

O SOVEREIGNTY

O Sovereign State:
Dear Homeland:
Stand ye firm in these crisis days.
Let not Truth confuse thee;
God is on our side...

O Sons of Mississippi...
Remember your mothers!
Remember your fathers and
grandfathers.
Remember your greatgrandfathers
and great aunts.
Remember and salute...

How, in this wilderness, they wowed
And we reap what they sowed.
It is all for us, the Sovereign
State
Of flowing rivers and happy
Delta land.

Across thy fertile plains,
tell mansions rise;
Built with foresight and gentility
Every tiny crumbling shack
has a flowering rose bush.
We are an happy people.

O Sovereign State; pure and white.
O Sovereign State, where might...
makes right.

O Mississippi...our words are trite But Thou art precious in his sight.

Overheard in Dr. Silver's classroom and dutifully reported to the white citizens council:

"If Vandenburg wants to see what a real undernourished junior college looks like, he should see Rust."

THE PASSING SEEN

Politics today is a pale imitation of its former excellence. Our Pa's remember back in 17 when Vardaman was running for office - that he once had himself towed into Jackson clad in solid white, by twelve solid white oxen, surrounded by numerous vestal virgina.

Seems to us that if the campus administration would get smart, they would take their requests for appropriations...not Hat in Hand to the legislature...but with drama, thusly:

WHY NOT stage a pageant...re-enacting uh annually the glory and honor of Ole Miss students as they took their stand against federal rape of the campus?

The law students and future state politicians could play SOUTHERN TRADITION, nobly defended by the flower of southern manhood

AH...but where would we get marshals???

REPRINTED FROM CARRION WEDGER, March 17
quite without permission...
Dear Editor:

My heart is filled with pride and hope after reading the excerpts from the "Rebel Underground" papers from Millsaps and Ole Miss in Mr. Hill's column. It is good to know we have youth who are dedicated enough to speak out their beliefs and to expose those persons who are seemingly trying to destroy even our belief in God. It is sad to think that we have to depend on our young people to initiate and fight this fight for our adults who are either afraid of what someone might think of them or too busy with selfish trivial things to be concerned.

I am very proud of the students who are risking so much to expose these facts and sincerely hope and pray that all adults will join them in ridding these two schools of these professors. I only wish I knew of something more I could do to actively join in the fight."

"I am a member of the rabble...in good standing."

-Hitler

from the pen of Johnny RAB:

Now that the liberty amendment is sure to pass, giving private enterprize a crack a federal boondoggles, we can see already the line forming for purchase of the TVA, the Post Office, etcetera,

BUT Johnny Rab's been saving his coins to purchase a little curio that has glittered in his mind's eye for some time now: THE F B I

BECAUSE the FBI would compete with the JUSTICE DEPARTMENT, which he assumes would be grabbed up by PBJ for a song, and naturally wishing to avoid any conflict with hose boys, he would use his newly purchased toy to investigate certain Goin's On at Ole Miss.

THE CAMPUS HANKY PANK is not news any more. A certain intrepid journalist in the capitol, ever vigilante, has exposed the role of the administration in the Howard K, Smith "infamy,"

NATURALLY all us Right Thinkers assumed they would fire those responsible for the "black mark" on our fair institution. We articipated the yelling and kicking and trying to hide behind ACADEMIC FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE FROM POLITICS.

WHO CARES if the accrediting board takes away our accredited status and makes our degrees worthless? Or if the Medical School, which even some Yankees admit is one of the best, is destroyed because of state politics? We never want to leave Mis'sippi anyhow.

NAW. We don't need accredited colleges. There aren't but one or two accredited Negro colleges. The State will take care of that in time and then nobody will have accredited colleges. That will be fine. We demand separate but equally non-accredited.

This brings ole Rab right back to the point. Since PBJ'S Man on Campus calldn't get to the bottom of the dastardly deed, this looks like a job for Super-Fed.

AND IF we are judicious, boys, private enterprise ... that's us ... can gain control of the FBI. We can then clean up this campus and go ahead with our normal carefree pursuits of drinkin', fraternizin' and jes' general liberty-lovin'.

yores....JOHNNY RAB

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS FOR YOU FROM THE UNDERGROUND

Dick Gregory - noted comedian, will be on campus! Outdoor performance. April 1. on the steps on the Lyceum Building. Gregory was recently named comedian most (***initiated in Fall of 1962 as a suplikely to succeed Ross Barnett. Lena Horne - will sing for the Kappa Alpha's at their Rosegarden Breakfast

on Saturday. George Wallace - received standing ovation from Ole Miss for his recent decision to charter the U. of Ala. NAACP chapter.

Cassius Clay - was honored by S. C. 's Strom Thurmond as Thurmond nominated Clay for the 1964 OXFORD PEACE PRIZE*** plement to Nobel) THE ORDER OF THE RIFLE AND BAYONET will meet in Room 1, Lyceum, April 1, for the annual candlelight initiation ceremony. On May 1, midnight, the yearly duel between the frosh and sophomore units of the KNIGHTS OF MINT JULEP will be held downtown Oxford.

COMING ATTRACTIONS OF IFC LET THE CHIPS FALL

Beginning next Sunday and continuing on through April, the Inter-Fraternity Council will present its Seminar for Southern Students. IFC announces the following seminars:

"Was Cleopatra Really a Negro?" - study of the socio-anthropological character istics of Egyptians during the reign of Elizabeth Taylor.

Lecturer: Miss Simple Certain

"Flora and Fauna of the Mississippi Delta" - special emphasis will be placed on the sex life of the southern boll weevile and the close correlation between the blooming of magnolias and the mating habits of jackasses.

Lecturer: Baron de Leflore

"The Rise and Shine of the Fourth Reich" beneath that bluff exterior beats a a study of Mississippi politics since 1850 heart as pure as Silver.

Lecturer: Jimmy Davis. esq. **An open debate will follow the lecture. Resolved: That Mississippi should NOT rejoin the Union. All are invited to agree. All who disagree are invited to leave.

Panel Discussion: Senator James O. Eastland versus Congressman Adam Clayton Powell on the topic: "Are Communists . Promoting Flouridation of the Yazoo River?

*IFC has allowed this special program to be sponsored jointly by the Youth for John Birch and the Sweethearts of Sigma Chi.

"Bird Mixing: As in Redbirds and Bluebirds" - a lecture by the foremost orinthologist. Edwin Walker. . This very special program is sponsored by IFC to gether with ROTC whose cadet colonel asks all bird lovers to be present with this highly favorable comment on Gen. Walker: "He is for the birds."

Since the seminars are functions of the University, in accordance with policy ... everybody will be admitted ... as long as they are guests. So, everyone bring one!

LATE ANNOUNCEMENTS!!!! Sonny Liston - just named 1964 Owl Man by Chi Omega.

Young Women's Auxiliary of the House and Garden League has been indefinitely postponed.

Alas! Where will it end? First, the faculty. Then, the administration, Now. the students - defacing our campus reputation.

How many of you innocents know that the Journeymen, so warmly praised by no less a vessel of truth than the Mississippian and cancelling out their appearance at Ole Miss March 19, were also the first in a series of entertainers who cancelled engagements in Jackson because of segregated seating policy?

Recollect that it was around last Thanksgiving when the Journeymen, along with Glenn Yarborough, et. al., instead of performance as scheduled in Jackson. went about 8 miles north to the Mix. And, we hear; a good time was had by all.

Nice work, ASB. We always knew that

PLEASE...O PLEASE...BRER RABBIT

As R. U. goes to press, we contemplate our future in Mississippi belles-lettres.

Will we receive recognition as budding young Mississippi Authors, and take the consequences of our proper place in the Mississippi Room?

We frankly feel a little wistful about the prospects of Arrival. Trapped, what? By a giant man-eating plant, yes...we are to be like a tiny insect...inside the hot house? Like all hardy perennials who hope to survive unstunted, we prefer the fresh air ... of the outside.

TO TELL THE TRUTH, we are nervous because fame may come too soon and spoil what might have been a promising literary future.

THE RABBLE UNDERGROUND

Charlie Hill down in Jackson has said better than anybody, why the Underground has to stay underground. It's because... we are an unpopular minority.

The minority always has to respect the

rights of the majority.

SO, EVEN IN MISSISSIPPI, where there is free speech and all that, you can't just go around saying and thinking things the majority don't like. Out of respect for THE MAJORITY, we'll stay Right where we are. (Besides, what do you take us for???Idiots??????)