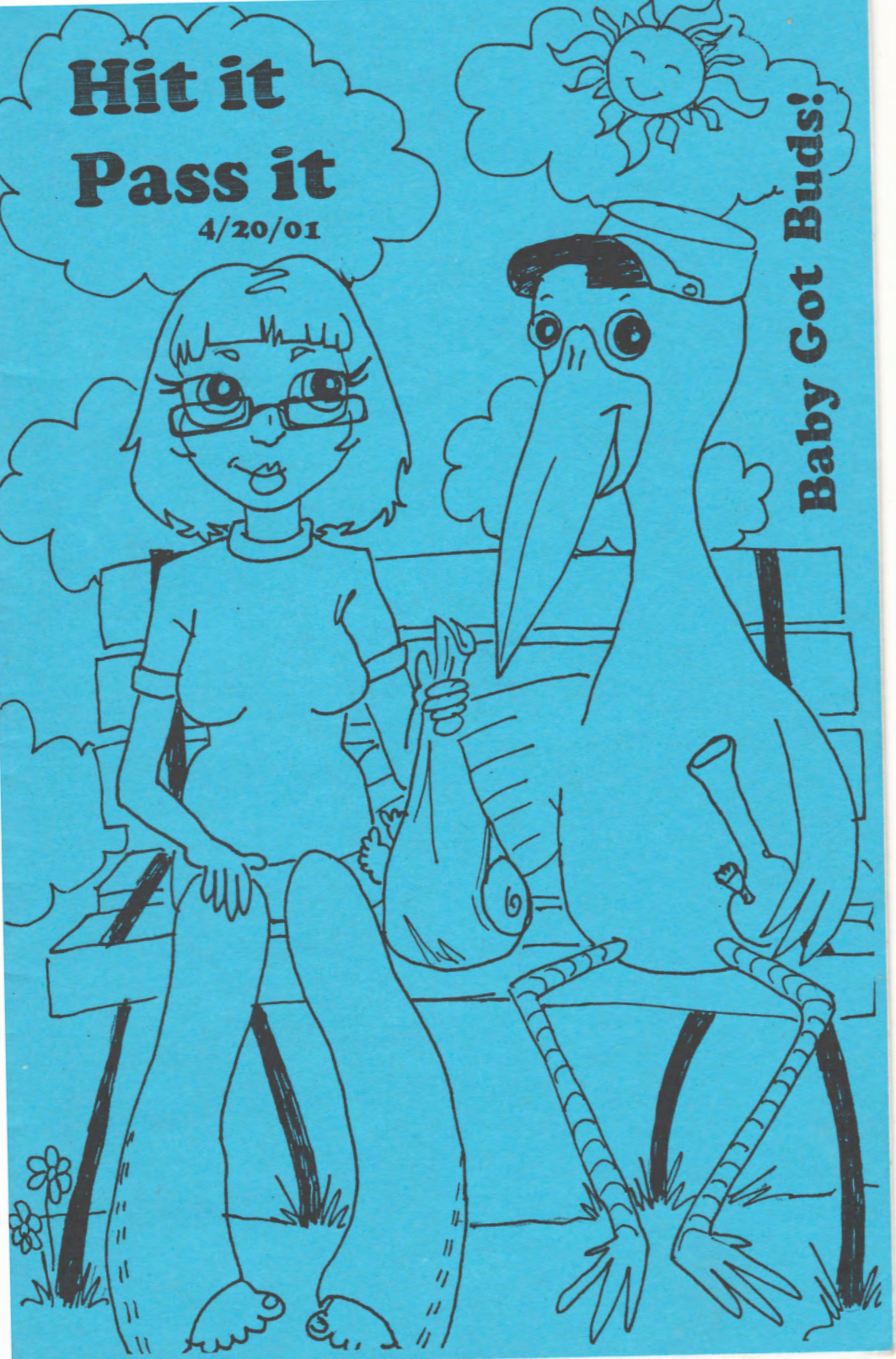


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**Baby Got Buds!**





# Tune in, turn off, drop out

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It seems everyone is searching in all the wrong places for answers regarding the rash of U.S. school shootings.

I have radical idea for parents and students in government schools -- drop out.

That's right. I know this idea goes against the grain of what you're being told by establishment politicians of the left and the right. I know it will make the National Education Association very angry. I know I will be called "irresponsible." I don't care.

The simple truth is clear. Government-run schools are not educating our kids. At best they serve as day-care centers. At their worst, they are the moral equivalent of prisons and political indoctrination camps.

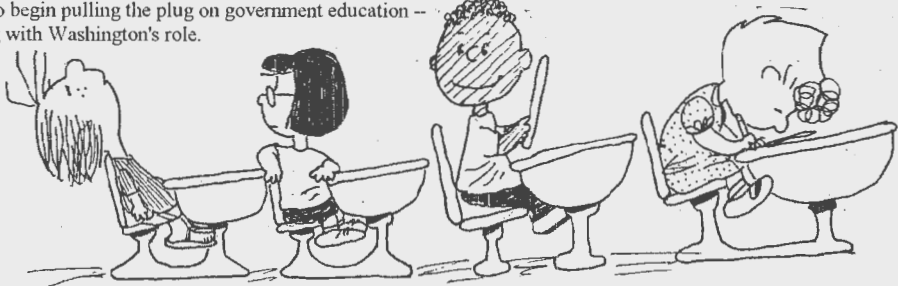
C. Bradley Thompson, an associate professor of history and politics at Ashland University, said it best in a piece that found its way into the Bangkok Post, of all places: "The explanation for all these shootings might very well be found in the destruction of the minds and souls of America's young people by an education establishment bent on using our children as guinea pigs for their bizarre experiments in schooling. The fact of the matter is that most U.S. public schools today are intellectual and moral wastelands."

Thompson relates a familiar theme heard from others who teach recent high school graduates:

students don't believe in much and are unwilling to make moral judgments;  
 students are taught to have artificially inflated opinions of themselves and are unwilling to tolerate criticism;  
 they are poorly educated;  
 they hate their high school experience;  
 "The result is an explosive mixture of nihilism, narcissism, ignorance and resentment," Thompson writes.

The solution is not more testing, more spending on schools, more centralization of authority, requiring students to spend more time in schools, nor repeating the mistakes of the past.

It's time to begin pulling the plug on government education -- beginning with Washington's role.



But privatizing education is a long-term process. If you want to save your kids, you need an alternative now. Almost any alternative is better than warehousing your children in government facilities and abdicating your authority over them to the state.

Encourage your kids -- especially those in high school -- to just drop out. I know this sounds crazy to many of you out there. But until parents and students just start saying no, there's no hope of extricating America from state control of every aspect of our lives.

Sure, you might be able to find a good private school in your area. But be warned: Many of them have become mired in the politically correct claptrap of the NEA and the government-education blob. The starting point for change is dropping out -- then searching for the right alternative.

I believe home-schooling is the best route. Many parents are afraid of it. They don't feel equipped to teach their own kids. Believe me, you can do no worse than the government -- and you will save your kids' minds and souls.

"When I talk to high school students they tell me, virtually to a person, the same thing: that high school is boring and unchallenging. It's not that they don't want to learn or that they find subjects such as algebra or history intrinsically boring," writes Thompson. "In fact, it's quite the opposite. When I press a little deeper, I learn that for most students the problem is that they have teachers who aren't particularly good at what they do: the teachers don't seem to know their subjects very well and they don't have a passion for teaching."

You can do better than that for your children. You have an obligation to do better than that for your children.

Don't wait for vouchers. Don't wait for George W. Bush to save you. Don't waste your time trying to work within the system. The system is corrupt from top to bottom, and you will only end up frustrated and burned out.

Start with your children. Make them examples of what parents can achieve without government intervention and meddling.

You can start by teaching them right from wrong -- something they will never learn in government lockup.

## Bhang Recipe

Flavors of India  
 2 cups water  
 1 ounce marijuana (fresh leaves and flowers of a female plant preferred)  
 4 cups warm milk  
 2 tablespoons blanched and chopped almonds  
 1/8 teaspoon garam masala [a mixture of cloves, cinnamon, and cardamon]  
 1/4 teaspoon powdered ginger  
 1/2 to 1 teaspoon rosewater  
 1 cup sugar  
 Bring the water to a rapid boil and pour into a clean teapot. Remove any seeds or twigs from the marijuana, add it to the teapot and cover. Let this brew for about 7 minutes. Now strain the water and marijuana through a piece of muslin cloth, collect the water and save. Take the leaves and flowers and squeeze between your hands to extract any liquid that remains. Add this to the water. Place the leaves and flowers in a mortar and add 2 teaspoons warm milk. Slowly but firmly grind the milk and leaves together. Gather up the marijuana and squeeze out as much milk as you can. Repeat this process until you have used about 1/2 cup of milk (about 4 to 5 times). Collect all the milk that has been extracted and place in a bowl. By this time the marijuana will have turned into a pulpy mass. Add the chopped almonds and some more warm milk. Grind this in the mortar until a fine paste is formed. Squeeze this paste and collect the extract as before. Repeat a few more times until all that is left are some fibers and nut meal. Discard the residue. Combine all the liquids that have been collected, including the water the marijuana was brewed in.

## Apple Pot

4 apples (cored)  
 1/2 cup brown sugar  
 1/4 cup water  
 4 cherries  
 1/3 cup chopped marijuana  
 2 tablespoons cinnamon  
 Powder the marijuana in a blender, then mix it with sugar and water. Stuff cores with this paste. Sprinkle apples with cinnamon, and top with a cherry. Bake for 25 minutes at 350 degrees

## MAD MAD MAD MUNCHIES



Add to this the garam masala, dried ginger and rosewater. Add the sugar and remaining milk. Chill, serve, and enjoy. It seems a bit labor intensive, but then it is meant as an offering to Shiva.

## CHEF RA's SUMMER TOASTIES

1 loaf whole-wheat bread  
 1 cup sliced avocado  
 1 lb farmer's cheese (a white, mild cheese)  
 2 tsp. ground hemp seed  
 1 tsp. basil  
 1/4 oz FINE SINISI  
 1 stick margarine or butter

To prepare Chef RA's Puna Butter, melt the butter or margarine in a double boiler and add the ganja, cooking over a moderate flame for 20 minutes. (Don't burn the butter!) Strain out the plant matter and set aside. For the toastie, place slices of cheese, then avocado, on a piece of bread. Sprinkle with hemp seeds and basil. For extra variety, add tomato slices and sprouts or sun-dried tomatoes, and garlic. Top with another slice of bread. Then drop a tablespoon of Puna Butter into a frying pan and grill the toastie on both sides, using low heat. Grill with as much butter as you can without burning the bread, covering the pan to melt the cheese. Get TOASTED, baby!

Mathew 9:35-38  
 35 Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness. 36 When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. 37 Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. 38 Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

# Philosophy Lesson With George Carlin

1. Don't sweat the petty things and don't pet the sweaty things.
2. One tequila, two tequila, three tequila, floor!!
3. Atheism is a non-prophet organization.
4. If man evolved from monkeys and apes, why do we still have monkeys and apes?
5. The main reason Santa is so jolly is because he knows where all the bad girls live.
6. I went to a bookstore and asked the saleswoman, "Where's the self-help section?" She said if she told me, it would defeat the purpose.
7. Could it be that all those trick-or-treaters wearing sheets aren't going as ghosts but as mattresses?
8. If a mute swears, does his mother wash his hands with soap?
9. If a man is standing in the middle of the forest speaking and there is no woman around to hear him... is he still wrong?
10. If someone with multiple personalities threatens to kill himself, is it considered a hostage situation?
11. Is there another word for synonym?
12. Isn't it a bit unnerving that doctors call what they do practice?"
13. Where do forest rangers go to "get away from it all?"
14. What do you do when you see an endangered animal eating an endangered plant?
15. If a parsley farmer is sued, can they garnish his wages?
16. Would a fly without wings be called a walk?
17. Why do they lock gas station bathrooms? Are they afraid someone will clean them?
18. If a turtle doesn't have a shell, is he homeless or naked?
19. Why don't sheep shrink when it rains?
20. Can vegetarians eat animal crackers?
21. If the police arrest a mime, do they tell him he has the right to remain silent?
22. Why do they put Braille on the drive-through bank machines?
23. How do blind people know when they are done wiping?
24. How do they get the deer to cross at that yellow road sign?



Colossians 2:2-10

2 My purpose is that they may be encouraged in heart and united in love, so that they may have the full riches of complete understanding, in order that they may know the mystery of God, namely, Christ, in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. 4 I tell you this so that no one may deceive you by fine-sounding arguments. 5 For though I am absent from you in body, I am present with you in spirit and delight to see how orderly you are and how firm your faith in Christ is. 6 So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him, 7 rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness. 8 See to it that no one takes you captive through hollow and deceptive philosophy, which depends on human tradition and the basic principles of this world rather than on Christ. 9 For in Christ all the fullness of the Deity lives in bodily form, 10 and you have been given fullness in Christ, who is the head over every power and authority.

# H O R R O R S



Aries 3/21-4/20 ←  
You're close to scoring the fat sack you've been waiting for but wait until it's in your hands before celebrating. Get ready for a whole new buzz.

Taurus 4/21-5/20 ←  
Your old connections aren't coming through like they used to. As things change, you've got to change too. It's the beginning of an exciting new adventure.

Gemini 5/21-6/21 ←  
You're feeling trapped but never fear, help is on the way if you're willing to accept it. How can someone know what you need unless you clue them in?

Cancer 6/22-7/22 ←  
If you walk the thin line of the law you can find the loopholes to get what you want. Just don't push it too far & you'll impress others w/ your attention to details.

Leo 7/23-8/23 ←  
Lately you've been stuck in "GO" mode just trying to get things done. Maybe it's time to talk about where exactly you're going.

Virgo 8/24-9/22 ←  
You're entire world is changing but you're equipped to handle it. Don't lose your creativity in all the chaos.

Libra 9/23-10/23 ←  
Sometimes someone has to get the schwag bag & unfortunately it's your turn. Let your bad luck be a lesson to everyone around you & they'll thank you for it later.

Scorpio 10/24-11/22 ←  
There's someone or something on your mind that's distracting you. If you figure out why you're so preoccupied before rushing into anything it will work out to your advantage.

Sagittarius 11/23-12/21 ←  
You've been draw into your lighter side but there's never been a better time to party. Let go of inhibitions & others will follow your lead.

Capricorn 12/22-1/20 ←  
Double check your figures, a miscalculation will be okay if you catch it now. New information may cause you to rethink your strategy.

Aquarius 1/21-2/19 ←  
Don't let your good connections go to your head. If you help someone out while they're struggling they'll be more likely to return the favor later on.

Pisces 2/20-3/20 ←  
Everything seems out of whack right now so don't even try to fix it, just try to stay flexible in the moment. Compromise is the key to getting the fat sack that you're dreaming of.



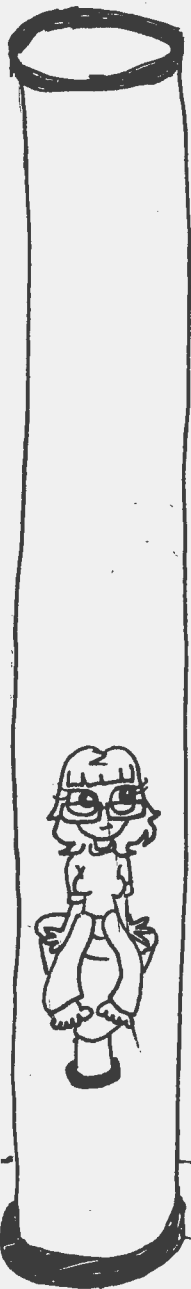
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## Trivial Time

1. Who said, "We have nothing to fear but fear itself"?
2. Monty Hall hosted what game show?
3. What radio station did Dr. Johnny Fever work for?
4. What kind of animal did Noah release from the arc after the flood?
5. How many primary colors are there?
6. Who lives at 742 Evergreen Terrace?
7. How long is a jiffy?
8. Which prime-time couple were the first to actually be shown in the bed together?
9. What was the name of Gen. Robert E. Lee's horse?
10. Who was the first billionaire in the US?

Dear Red,  
 I love your forum & read it all the time so I just had to write & voice my opinion. About 3 months ago I let my cousin move in w/ me, not because I needed the help but because he had nowhere else to go & I thought it would be the right thing to do. At the time he had a really good job & told me he'd help kick in with the rent & groceries & stuff. I told him to just do what he could since I knew he was struggling. Now days though when I come home from a hard day at work I find that he's just been sitting on the couch all day eating my food & smoking my bud! And then has the nerve to turn around & ask me to lend him some \$\$\$! When I ask him why he didn't go to work he's always got some lame excuse like he didn't hear the phone ring, or he didn't have the gas money, or he overslept. I even went as far as to buy him an alarm clock but that still doesn't get his ass moving in the mornings. The worst thing is I can't trust him around my weed. He borrowed my pipe & left it somewhere & is constantly pinching my bag. Sorry but I can't have that. He's out the door this weekend & I feel bad but you can't keep disrespecting someone like that & expect them to tolerate it forever.  
 Beat Bong  
 Hampton, VA



## Roman Red's Smoker's Forum

Roman Red:  
 I love you man! You the shit! Keep up the good work on the forum. I raise my bong to you, man!  
 Still Smoking  
 OBX, NC

- BAKED
- BLEND
- BLUNT
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- BOWL
- CHONG
- CREEPER
- G-THIRTEEN
- GANJA
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- PLANT
- POT
- PUFF
- RED HAIRS
- REEFER
- ROBUST
- SHOTGUN
- STASH
- STEAMROLLER

- STICKY
- STONED
- STRAND
- TAPE
- WEED
- WISH

Find All the Words Listed vertically horizontally -OR- diagonally

These friars were behind on their belfry payments, so they opened up a small florist shop to raise funds. Since everyone liked to buy flowers from the men of God, a rival florist across town thought the competition was

unfair. He asked the good fathers to close down, but they would not. He went back and begged the friars to close. They ignored him. So, the rival florist hired Hugh MacTaggart, the roughest and most vicious thug in town to "persuade" them to close. Hugh beat up the friars

and trashed their store, saying he'd be back if they didn't close up shop. Terrified, they did so, thereby proving that: Hugh, and only Hugh, can prevent florist friars.



# The History of the Non-Medical Use of Drugs in the United States

by Charles Whitebread, Professor of Law, USC Law School  
A Speech to the California Judges Association 1995 annual conference

## The Early State Marijuana Laws

But before we get to that next big piece of Federal legislation, the marihuana prohibition of 1937, I would like to take a little detour, if I may, into an analysis of the early state marijuana laws passed in this country from 1915 to 1937.

Let me pause to tell you this. When Professor Bonnie and I set out to try to track the legal history of marijuana in this country, we were shocked that nobody had ever done that work before. And, secondly, the few people who had even conjectured about it went back to the 1937 Federal Act and said "Well, there's the beginning of it." No. If you go back to 1937, that fails to take account of the fact that, in the period from 1915 to 1937, some 27 states passed criminal laws against the use of marijuana. What Professor Bonnie and I did was, unique to our work, to go back to the legislative records in those states and back to the newspapers in the state capitols at the time these laws were passed to try to find out what motivated these 27 states to enact criminal laws against the use of marijuana. What we found was that the 27 states divided into three groups by explanation.

The first group of states to have marijuana laws in that part of the century were Rocky Mountain and southwestern states. By that, I mean Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Montana. You didn't have to go anywhere but to the legislative records to find out what had motivated those marijuana laws. The only thing you need to know to understand the early marijuana laws in the southwest and Rocky Mountain areas of this country is to know, that in the period just after 1914, into all

of those areas was a substantial migration of Mexicans. They had come across the border in search of better economic conditions, they worked heavily as rural laborers, beet field workers, cotton pickers, things of that sort. And with them, they had brought marijuana.

Basically, none of the white people in these states knew anything about marijuana, and I make a distinction between white people and Mexicans to reflect a distinction that any legislator in one of these states at the time would have made. And all you had to do to find out what motivated the marijuana laws in the Rocky mountain and southwestern states was to go to the legislative records themselves. Probably the best single statement was the statement of a proponent of Texas first marijuana law. He said on the floor of the Texas Senate, and I quote, "All Mexicans are crazy, and this stuff (referring to marijuana) is what makes them crazy." Or, as the proponent of Montana's first marijuana law said, (and imagine this on the floor of the state legislature) and I quote, "Give one of these Mexican beet field workers a couple of puffs on a marijuana cigarette and he thinks he is in the bullring at Barcelona."

Well, there it was, you didn't have to look another foot as you went from state to state right on the floor of the state legislature. And so what was the genesis for the early state marijuana laws in the Rocky Mountain and southwestern areas of this country? It wasn't hostility to the drug, it was hostility to the newly arrived Mexican community that used it.

A second group of states that had criminal laws against the use of marijuana were in the Northeast, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York -- had one and then repealed it and then had one again -- New Jersey. Well, clearly no hypothesis about Mexican immigration will explain the genesis of those laws because, as you know, the Northeast has never had, still doesn't really, any substantial Mexican-American population. So we had to dig a little deeper to find the genesis of those laws. We had to go

not only to the legislative records but to the newspapers in the state capitols at the time these laws were passed and what we found, in the early marijuana laws in the Northeast, we labeled the "fear of substitution." If I may, let me paraphrase an editorial from the New York Times in 1919 so we will get exactly the flavor of this fear of substitution.

The New York Times in an editorial in 1919 said, "No one here in New York uses this drug marijuana. We have only just heard about it from down in the Southwest," and here comes the substitution. "But," said the New York Times, "we had better prohibit its use before it gets here. Otherwise" -- here's the substitution concept -- "all the heroin and hard narcotics addicts cut off from their drug by the Harrison Act and all the alcohol drinkers cut off from their drug by 1919 alcohol Prohibition will substitute this new and unknown drug marijuana for the drugs they used to use."

Well, from state to state, on the theory that this newly encountered drug marijuana would be substituted by the hard narcotics addicts or by the alcohol drinkers for their previous drug that had been prohibited, state to state this fear of substitution carried, and that accounted for 26 of the 27 states -- that is, either the anti-Mexican sentiment in the Southwest and Rocky Mountain areas or fear of substitution in the Northeast. That accounted for 26 of the 27 states, and there was only one state left over. It was the most important state for us because it was the first state ever to enact a criminal law against the use of marijuana and it was the state of Utah.

Now, if you have been hearing this story and you have been playing along with me, you think "Oh, wait a minute, Whitebread, Utah fits exactly with Colorado, Montana, -- it must have been the Mexicans."

Well, that's what I thought at first. But we went and did a careful study of the actual immigration pattern and found, to our surprise, that Utah didn't have then, and doesn't have now, a really

substantial Mexican-American population. So it had to be something else.

Come on folks, if it had to be something else, what do you think it might have been? Are you thinking what I was thinking -- that it must have had something to do with the single thing which makes Utah unique in American history -- its association with the Mormon church.

With help from some people in Salt Lake City, associated with the Mormon Church and the Mormon National Tabernacle in Washington -- with their help and a lot of work we found out what the genesis was of the first marihuana law in this country. Yes, it was directly connected to the history of Utah and Mormonism and it went like this.

I think that a lot of you know that, in its earliest days, the Mormon church permitted its male members to have more than one wife -- polygamy. Do you all know that in 1876, in a case called Reynolds against the United States, the United States Supreme Court said that Mormons were free to believe what they wanted, but they were not free to practice polygamy in this country. Well, who do you think enforced that ruling of the Supreme Court in 1876? At the end of the line, who enforces all rulings of the Supreme Court? Answer: the state and local police. And who were they in Utah then? All Mormons, and so nothing happened for many years. Those who wanted to live polygamously continued to do so.

In 1910, the Mormon Church in synod in Salt Lake City decreed polygamy to be a religious mistake and it was banned as a matter of the Mormon religion. Once that happened, there was a crackdown on people who wanted to live in what they called "the traditional way". So, just after 1910, a fairly large number of Mormons left the state of Utah, and indeed left the United States altogether and moved into northwest Mexico. They wrote a lot about what they wanted to accomplish in Mexico. They wanted to set up communities where they

were basically going to convert the Indians, the Mexicans, and what they referred to as "the heathen" in the neighborhood to Mormonism.

By 1914, they had had very little luck with the heathen, but our research shows now beyond question that the heathen had a little luck with them. What happened apparently -- now some of you who may be members of the church, you know that there are still substantial Mormon communities in northwest Mexico -- was that, by and large most of the Mormons were not happy there, the religion had not done well there, they didn't feel comfortable there, they wanted to go back to Utah where there friends were and after 1914 did.

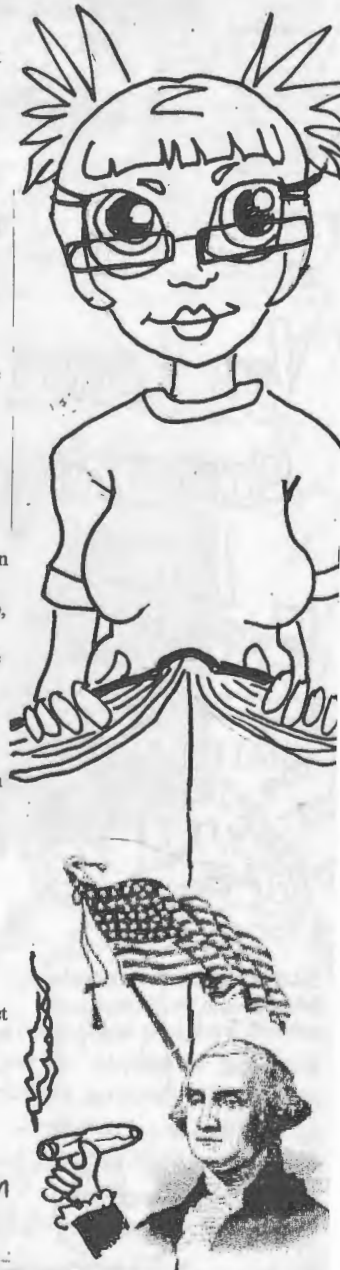
And with them, the Indians had given them marijuana. Now once you get somebody back in Utah with the marijuana it all becomes very easy, doesn't it? You know that the Mormon Church has always been opposed to the use of euphoriant of any kind. So, somebody saw them with the marijuana, and in August of 1915 the Church, meeting again in synod in Salt Lake City decreed the use of marijuana contrary to the Mormon religion and then -- and this is how things were in Utah in those days -- in October of 1915, the state legislature met and enacted every religious prohibition as a criminal law and we had the first criminal law in this country's history against the use of marijuana.

That digression into the early state marijuana laws aside, we will now get back on the Federal track, the year is 1937 and we get the national marijuana prohibition -- the Marihuana Tax Act

*the rest of this speech is a great deal of more information you can be found at:*

[www.druglibrary.org/schaffer/index.htm](http://www.druglibrary.org/schaffer/index.htm)

*I will try to pass on as much of it as I can.*



George Washington: "...and hemp is invaluable as a medicine," In his plea to congress to subsidize hemp farming.

o'ver-run/ v. spread out over  
 o'ver-sea(s) / a., adv. across  
 or beyond the sea  
 o'ver-see / v. supervise  
 o'ver-se'er / n.  
 o'ver-shad'ow v. be more  
 important than  
 o'ver-shoe / n. protective boot  
 worn over a shoe  
 o'ver-sight v. careless error  
 o'vert / (6-) a. open; public  
 o'ver-take / v. catch up with  
 o'ver-tax / v. put a strain on  
 o'ver-throw / v. n. defeat  
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 duction 2. proposal  
 o'ver-ture / v. turn over  
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 o'ver-whelm / v. sweep over  
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 n. too much work  
 o'ver-wrout' / (6-) a. too  
 nervous or excited  
 owe v. 1. be in debt (to) for  
 a certain sum 2. feel obli-  
 gated to give  
 owing (6-) a. due -owing  
 resulting from  
 owl / n. night bird of prey

own a. belonging to oneself  
 or itself -n. what one owns  
 -v. possess -own'er / n. -  
 own'er-ship / n.  
 ox / n. [pl. OXEN] 1. cud-chew-  
 ing animal, as a cow, bull,  
 etc. 2. castrated bull  
 ox'ford / n. low shoe  
 ox'i'de / n. oxygen compound  
 ox'i-dize v. unite with oxy-  
 gen -ox'i-diz'a-tion / n.  
 oys'ter / n. colorful gas  
 oys'ter / n. edible mollusk

pa / n. [Col.] father  
 pace / n. 1. a stop or stride  
 2. rate of speed -v. 1. walk  
 back and forth across 2.  
 measure by paces 3. set  
 the pace for  
 pac'i-fic a. peaceful; calm  
 pac'i-fic / n. (pas'-) n. oppo-  
 sition to all war -pac'i-fic  
 n., a.  
 pac'i-fy v. make calm  
 pack / n. 1. bundle of things  
 2. package of a set number  
 3. group of animals, etc. -  
 1. put (things) in a box, etc.  
 2. cram 3. fill tightly 4.  
 send (off)  
 pack'et / n. packed thing -  
 v. make a package of  
 pack'et / n. small package  
 pact / n. compact; agreement

15. Winston Churchill was born  
 in a ladies' room during a dance.  
 16. Maine is the only state whose  
 name is just one syllable.  
 17. There are only four words in  
 the English language which end  
 in 'dous': tremendous,  
 horrendous, stupendous, and  
 hazardous.  
 18. Los Angeles' full name is 'El  
 Pueblo de Nuestra Senora la  
 Reina de los Angeles de  
 Porciuncula'  
 19. A cat has 32 muscles in each  
 ear.  
 20. An ostrich's eye is bigger  
 than its brain.  
 21. Tigers have striped skin, not  
 just striped fur.  
 22. In most advertisements, the  
 time displayed on a watch is  
 10:10.  
 23. Al Capone's business card  
 said he was a used furniture  
 dealer.  
 24. The characters Bert and  
 Ernie on Sesame Street were  
 named after Bert the cop and  
 Ernie the taxi driver in Frank  
 Capra's 'It's a Wonderful Life.'  
 25. A dragonfly has a life span of  
 24 hours.  
 26. A goldfish has a memory  
 span of three seconds.  
 27. A dime has 118 ridges around  
 the edge.  
 28. It's impossible to sneeze  
 with your eyes open.  
 29. The giant squid has the  
 largest eyes in the world.  
 30. In England, the Speaker of  
 the House is not allowed to  
 speak.  
 31. The microwave was invented  
 after a researcher walked by a  
 radar tube and a chocolate bar  
 melted in his pocket.  
 32. Mr. Rogers is an ordained  
 minister.  
 33. The average person falls  
 asleep in seven minutes.  
 34. There are 336 dimples on a  
 regulation golf ball.  
 35. 'Stewardesses' is the longest  
 word that is typed with only the  
 left hand.

# My little Binger

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You Learn  
 Something  
 New  
 Every Day!

BRAIN BUSTERS



Scientists are actually re-  
 searching a procedure  
 where by they temporarily  
 disable a section of the  
 brain. The desired effect  
 is momentary artistic  
 genius, most resembling  
 the talents of an  
 autistic savant (like  
 Rain man). The thing that  
 blows my mind is they  
 actually have people  
 volunteering for this!

Think you know  
 everything?

1. Rubber bands last longer when refrigerated.
2. Peanuts are one of the ingredients of dynamite.
3. There are 293 ways to make change for a dollar.
4. The average person's left hand does 56% of the typing.
5. A shark is the only fish that can blink with both eyes.
6. There are more chickens than people in the world.
7. Two-thirds of the world's eggplant is grown in New Jersey.
8. The longest one-syllable word in the English language is 'screched.'
9. On a Canadian two dollar bill, the flag flying over the Parliament building is an American flag.
10. All of the clocks in the movie 'Pulp Fiction' are stuck on 4:20.
11. No word in the English language rhymes with month, orange, silver, or purple.
12. 'Dreamt' is the only English word that ends in the letters 'mt.'
13. All 50 states are listed across the top of the Lincoln Memorial on the back of the \$5 bill.
14. Almonds are a member of the peach family.

...Now you know everything...  
 You could be a TEENAGER

## Movies You Might Have Missed

The Vatican wanted a Pope w/ silver-haired good looks, & the charisma necessary to bring people back to the church. The underworld wanted a Pope w/ allegiance to the mob, & the larceny necessary to bring the churches abundant riches under their control. *No one* wanted the Pope to be an overweight, bumbling nobody like Father Albinizi...but due to a clerical error, Albinizi gets the job! Now the church is embarrassed...the mob is furious, & Albinizi is confused. He spends his days waving at crowds & dodging bullets...until he becomes a man a mission. He's going to clean up the church if it kills him! **The Pope Must Die** (originally titled **The Pope Must Die** & later changed after objections from the Catholic Church) is a madcap British comedy w/ few big names but a lot of recognizable faces. The comic genius is Heavenly & you'll die laughing!!

Two vultures board an airplane, each carrying two dead raccoons. The stewardess looks at them and says, "I'm sorry, gentlemen, only one carrion allowed per passenger."

Did you hear that NASA recently put a bunch of Holsteins into low earth orbit? They called it the herd shot 'round the world.

A three legged dog walks into a saloon in the Old West. He slides up to the bar and announces: "I'm looking for the man who shot my paw."



## Shutting legitimate stores won't stop drug use

Regarding "Drug paraphernalia or tobacco accessories?" (news, April 7): According to your story, police have shut down stores for selling items that "could" be for drug use, while owners claim they are not responsible for the intent of their customers and mark everything as specifically for tobacco use.

Disregarding the fact that tobacco is also a drug, if the police seized everything that could possibly be manipulated for drug use, we wouldn't have everyday items such as tinfoil or soda cans. Are they going to raid grocery and convenience stores next?

Officials say their concern is for the neighborhoods these stores are in and their effect on children. But most of the stores are in out-of-the-way locations, and their owners often separate this "questionable" merchandise from the rest of their wares and check IDs before allowing customers to even view these products. Yet children can stumble on alcohol displays most anywhere they go.

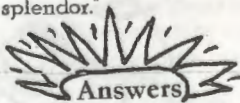
These stores are not dens of debauchery. Some are staples for local independent artists like myself. They pass out fliers to shows for music and art, they sell our hand-crafted clothing and accessories, and establish contacts for the new artist in town.

If the police really want to stop drug use, they should target the people distributing the drugs as opposed to legitimate business owners.



## Proverbs 4: 1-9

1 Listen, my sons, to a father's instruction; pay attention and gain understanding. 2 I give you sound learning, so do not forsake my teaching. 3 When I was a boy in my father's house, still tender, and an only child of my mother, 4 he taught me and said, "Lay hold of my words with all your heart; keep my commands and you will live. 5 Get wisdom, get understanding; do not forget my words or swerve from them. 6 Do not forsake wisdom, and she will protect you; love her, and she will watch over you. 7 Wisdom is supreme; therefore get wisdom. Though it cost all you have, get understanding. 8 Esteem her, and she will exalt you; embrace her, and she will honor you. 9 She will set a garland of grace on your head and present you with a crown of splendor."



1. Franklin D. Roosevelt
2. Let's Make a Deal
3. WKRP
4. a dove
5. 3
6. The Simpsons
7. one one-hundredth of a second
8. Fred & Wilma Flintstone
9. Traveler
10. John D. Rockefeller



## Disclaimer:

Sorry this issue is so sloppy but it was kind of a rush job to put it together before the baby is born. It will be back up to par again next time.

