

Carl Robinson Warden

Alexander Cybulski
Assistant Warden
Operations

## STAFF ADVISORS

Jokn Reardon

James Singer Assistant Warden Treatment<br>James Singer Assistant Warden Treatment<br>James Singer Assistant Warden Ireatment<br>

## WEEKLY SCENE STAFF TEAM

| Henry Frye | Patrick Petrocelli |
| :--- | :--- |
| Editor | Assistant Editor |

Salvator Cueci Typist \& Artist
(Clifford Knight

The Weekly Scene is an inmate publication produced ky and for the inwates located here at the Connecticut Correctional Institution, Somers, Conn. The views expressed herein are intended to be chose of the contributors, with supervision of the Staff Advisory Board and do not necessarily reflect
 NOTICE

## PROJECT P/PREP AGENCIES

If you have gone to the Parole Board and if you have received a Parole Release date you should contact the Vocational Counselor concerning P/Prep Agencies... If you need help when you get out, he will contact a P/Prep agency for you....

What do P/Prep Agencies do? ? ? ? ? ? ? P/Prep Agencies can help you:

1. Find a jot.
2. Find a job training program.
3. Finish your education.
4. Find a sutable living arrangement.

How cen P/ Prep Agencies help you, and how do you get that help? ? ? ?

1. If you are at the Correctional Center in Somers contact your counselor and he will contact the proper and appropriate agency.
2. Within (3) weeks, you will be visited by a counselor from a P/Prep agency.
3. If any new developments occur prior to your release date, (for example a change in your release date, an enrollment or completion of a course or procram, a transfer, etc. ) contact your P/Prep agency counselor by mail immediately. 4. After the interview, your P/Prep agency counselor vill keep you informed of his or her progress by personal visits or by mail.
4. Once you have met the P/Prep agency counselor, if you have any further questions or concerns, it is your responsibility to contact your P/Prep counselor by mail and tell them about it.

Jesse DeLoach Vocational Counselor "

Anyone who would like help with their Income Tax Return contact Mr. Healey in the school.

Protestant and Christan Science Religious discussions will be held at the school every Sunday from 9:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. Everyone is welcome

The bookfair this year will be held on Honday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, March 14, 15, and 16, 1977. The rules are as Pollows:

1. The actual sale of books to inmates will take place from 5:30 p.m. to $8: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. on eack of these days.
2. Inmates vill come to the bookfair only on the night when their block is scheduled. Inmats wishing to attend the bookfair will not te released from their cells at tre kerinning of the evening recration period. Instead, they will ke released when the library is ready to accomodate them.

THE SCHEDULE IS AS FOLIOWS:
Monday Ni ht _ $\ldots$ Q1, Q2, Q3, and Q4 Blocks
Tuesday Night .... B, C, D, and E Blocks Wednesday Night - - - H, J1, and J2 Blocks
3. The library will be closed all day on the days of the bookfair. Likrary books cannot ce ckecked out of the likrary on these days.

1. The cost of the books will be deducted from the inmate's account. Books may not ce cought on credit.
2. There will be discouncs ranging from $15 \%$ to $30 \%$ on all books.
3. All sales are final. kooks may not ke returned once they kave keen purchased.
4. No one will be allowed to kring any of their personal belogings into the licrary when the cookiair is in session. This includes coats, jackets, cooks, notebooks, bass, etc.
5. Paperback kooks, only, will be sold. Hard cover books will not ce availacle at tre cookfair.
6. Inmates should place their suscestions for the bookiair in a "Suggestion box" which will ke placed near the front entrance to the likrary.

Paul Rosa, Librarian

La venta de libros este ano sera el lunes, martes y miercoles, Marzo 14, 15 y 16 de 1977.
Las reglas son las sistientes.

1. Ia venta de libros se llerava acobo las $5 ; 30$ p.m. a $8: 30$ p.m. zada uno de estos dias.
2. La poblacion vendra a esta de licros solamenta la nocke que se senale para su respectivo block. Las personas que dèseen venir a esta venta. No se les permitica salir de la celda al comiento de la recreacida en la trade. So les permitra cuando la ciklioteca este lista para atenderlos.

EL HORARIO ES EL SIGUIENTE:
Lunes en la nocke.......................... Q1, Q2, 63 y $Q^{\prime}+$
Martes en la noche......................... B, C, D y $Z$
Miercoles en la nocke..................... H, J1 y J2
3. La biblioteca estara cerrada durante todo el dia cuando se lleve a cabo la venta de likros.
4. El precio de los libros sera duducido de la cuenta de cada persona. No se podra comprar libros al credito.
5. Habran deccuentos de el $15 \%$ a el $30 \%$ en todos los libros.
6. Todas las ventas seran finales. No se podran devolver los libros. una vez que ya se hacan comprado.
7. No se permitra traer ningun objeto personal en la biklioteca, cuando se este llevando abrigos, chaquetas, libros de notas, bolsas.
8. Solamente se venderan los libros sin cubierta.
9. Personas que tengan suzestiones pars esta venta de libros, dekeran depositorlas en la caja de sugestiones, que estara ubicada cerca a la puerta de entrada de la biblioteca.

The Prophets and Founders of the worlds great religion have assured their followers of the existence of God and have led them to belleve love, and worship Hin. Thus, for thousands of years, throughout the various ages until the pree sent day man's efforts to understand his Creator have been illuminated by the lives and teachings of these great beings.

Allah, as the Creator stands above His creation, and man, by virtue of having been created, can never ascend to such heights as to understand the essence of his orm Creator. Any discription, image/or 11 keness which mat be attributed to the essence and nature of God can only be discribed as man's imagination. For how can the infinite be comprehendedby, and remain within, a finite mind? "To every discerning and illuminated heart," "it is evident that God, the unknowable Essence, the devine being, is immensely exalted beyond every human attribute, such as corporeal existence, ascent and descent, egress and regress.... He standeth exalted beyond and above all seperation and union, all proximity and remoteness."
But God's, whose essence is unknowable, clearly manifests His attributes in His vast creation, both physical and spiritual. The mineral-the lowest form of life and yet the pivot around which all other forms of life on this earth revolve-manifests some of the attributes of God: but this is the lowest form of their manifestation. For instance, cohesion, a characteristic of the mine. eral, is indeed the manifectation of Gods attribute of love in this kingdom.

The vegetable, driving its roots forcefully into the soil and taking away the mineral for its own life and growth, stands above and dominates the mineral kingdom by its power of growth. The attributes of God manifested within the vegetable kingdom are fuller and mpre potent than those appparing in the mineral. The seed, the flower, andthe fruit are all manifestations of divine power.
The next degree of miliestatben appears in the animal kingdom which rules over the vegetable and the mineral. In this kingdom some of the attributes of God find their expression on a higher level. To cohesion and growth is added the power of the senses, which are the manifestations of divine attributes within this kingdom. For instance, sight and hearing are inadequate reflections on this earhiny plane of the attributes of the "All-seeing; All-hearing God"

Man, physically an animal, is endowed with all the attributes of god, manifestinc them on a much higher level than the animal. He is the apex and purpose of creation and rules over the entire range of life in this, world. Yet, although created in the image and likeness of Godmeaning that ail the attributes of God are manifested within him-man can never transcend the bounds of limitation which are impesed upon him the freator.
The manifestation of the attributes of God does not end here. The nextdegree of manifestation appears within the realm of the Prophets and Messengers of God. Though physically human, and possessing human souls like the rest of mankind, the Messengers ofGod are endowed, in addition, with the Divine Spirit and, consequently, manifest the attributes of God to the highest degree of perfection.
Throughout this vast agedion a lower kingdon always remains blind to a higher one. The vegetable world cannot comprehend the existence or qualities of the animel, por can the animal appreciate the manifold of the Suman mind. In like manner, no man, however capable, can ever hope to attain throuch his efforts the Exalted Station of the Manifestations of God, nor can any human mind, however brilliant, ever ascend to such helehts as to comprehend Their essence and attriCon't on next page....

Con't from previous page....
butes. The Manifestations of God, by virtue of the Holy Spirit which animazes then, dwell in a kincdom of their own far above the world of humanity and domin-ate the destiny of mankind. Though basically human, they abide in the realms of the spirit-beyond the reach of man. This station can be described as that of the Sadratu'L-Muntaha", which can be translated as "The tree beyond which there is no passing!?

In the recorded history of mankind there have been only a few such Manifestations of God. They have appeared at intervals of about a thousand yeass. Krisha, Buddha, Zoroaster, Moses, Christ, Muhamad, the Bab and Baha'u'1lah-each has founded a religion for the people of His own age and like a perfect mirror, has refected the licht of God to them. His words are, spoken with the authority of God. Each is the Lord of His age and His teachings, which become the gpirit of the are, are promulated in accordance with the capacity of the people amone whom He appears. He releases to the world of humanity spiritual energies designed to advence the hurian soul in its journey to God.

All created things, whether tangiblefor intangible, come into being as a result of the intercourse between two-elements which assume the funtions of male and female. This pattern is followed throughout the whole creation and birth of a religion is no exception. Consi er a table which comes into beind when a carpenter chooses a plece of wood to work on. In this operction, the piece of wood assumes a female role and is shaped to the carpenters design. The table-the child born of the intercourse between the mind of the cacpenter and the piece of wood-combines within itself the characteristics of both its parents. Its style, its beauty and proportions, its shape and construction all represent the art and craft of its father, the carpenter; whereas its colour, quality and consistency are inherited from its mother, namely, the piece of wood.

A similar principle governs the birth of a civilization whose founder, by imparting his ideas and principles to a society, plays the aprt of the nale. The society, the recipient his teachings, acts on the other hand as a femala agent. The child of this mystical intercourse is a new civilization which refects the characteristics of the founder as well as those of the society within whose wormb it was conceived.

Religions are born as a result of the spiritual intercourse between God, on the one hand, aad the person of the Manifestation of God, on the other. In His inscrutable wisdom, God chooses one of ties servants from among humanity and makes Him the Recipient of His Rexppient of His Revelation. He relaases within the soul of His chosen One the Spiritual Forces of His REvelation, while the person of manifestation, emptying Himself of the self and human qualities and submitting Himself entirely to the will of His Creator, becomes a worthy reciplent of these spiritual energies.

Once this relationship is established, as a result of the intercourse between God and His chosen mouthpiece, the child of the new religion is conceived and the Manifestation of God, in the fulness of time, by declaring His mission gives bitth to this child and presents it to humanity.
Every religion embodies within itself, on the one hand, the characteristics of God in the form of spiritual teachings which are eternal and, on the other, the characteristics of the Prophet in the form of human and social teachings which vary from age to age. The advent of the Manifestation of God is accompanied by the release of spiritual energies into hunan society. Like the rays of the sun in springtime which give new life to this physical world, these energies bestow a new capacity upon mankind and enable it to attain a higher state of spiritual and material development. Through His Revelation, (the glory of Godd The Supreme Con't on next page....

Con ${ }^{7}$ t from previous page....
Manifestation Of God For This Day, has released in the world of man the forces of universality and the oneness of mankind. These forces are exerting pressure upon humanity and their intensity increases day by day. Those who have regonized the Glory of God and follow Him are, in a mysterious fashion, propelled forward in the direction taken by these forces and are assisted, through His divine power, in their task of erecting the franework of His new World Order for mankind. Those who, whether conciously/or unconciously, oppose these forces-and they contitute the majority of mankind, its rulers and wise men bave set up, within the ir various societies, forces of reaction which by their very nature are destruck- tive and are responsible for the breaking up of the old order(negative mind, and old world).

Today the Revelation of the Glory of God has vouch-saved to humanity trmendous potentialities-potentialities which will, in the fullness of time, transform the human soul into a noble being and will establish, upon this earth, the Kingdom of God promised by the Messengers and Prophets of Old. . . .

Surely We have created everything according to a measure. 49 chapter 54: section 3 s 49, Holy Guran. ..

Footnote-2402-s0 that even nations and people can not go beyond a certain limit. . . .

Say-He is God, the One and Only God, the eternally besought of a.ll. He gives no birth/nor is He born. And there is none like unto Him. (Quran, II2才).

None can comprehend anything of His knowledge/save by His permission.



There is no need for you to write a memorandum of law arcuing that jurisdiction under 1331 is proper when you first file your complaint. If the court dose not accept jurisdiction under 1331, it can either dismiss your complaint for want of jurisdiction, or in most cases, it will treat your complaint as a petition for a writ of heabeas corpus. In either case, the first action that you must take is to file a Motion for Reconsideration of the order denying you jurisdiction under 1331.

In your motion for reconsideration of the order you should argue:
(1) To the extent that the rights that you assert are peculiar to indigent federal prisoners, the 10,000 jurisdictional amount constitutes an arbitrary monetary hurdle to access to the courts in violation of the princples of the equal protection clause, as embodied in the due process clause of the Fifth Amendment. Support for this argunent can be found in Rosado V. Wyman, 304 F. Supp. 1356 (E.D.M.Y. 1959 rev'd on other grounds, 397 U.S. 397 (1970).
(2) It would violate Article III of the Constitution to fail to provide a federal junical form for the resolution of serious constitutional claims. Support for this proposition is found in Murray V. Vaughn, supra, and in Oestereich V. Selective Service System, 393 U.S. 233 (1969). Also, Bivens V. Six -Unknow Federal Narcotic Agents, sppra; Panzarella V. Boyle, 406 F. Supp. 757 (D.R.I. 1975).
(3) If you are forced to proceed as a habeas corpus or mandamus petitioner you would be deprived of the same opportunity to present your case to the court as a state prisoner complaining under s 1983 since habeas and mandamus litigants are not entitled to use the full provisions of the Fed. R. Civ. Proc, , and especially the discovery Rules.
(4) Insist that your damage claims are made in good faith and that niether habeas corpus or mandamus can provide you with the damages that you are entitled to as a matter of law.
(5) Under the habeas or mandemus statutes you cannot recover danages and cannot use the Fed. R.Civ. Proc, . You are therefore being arbitrarily disccriminated against solely on the besis of your statuts as a federal priaoner------which means solely because you were convicted in federal and not state court.

If the court denies your motion for reconsideration you can recuest leave to take an interlocutory appeal in forma pauperis. It would be proper, and save you time, to style your motion for reconsideration as MMotion for Reconsideration or In the Itternative Motion for Leave To Take An Interlocutory Appeal In Forma Pauperis." Your motion would be the same except at the end of the motion when you request relief you sinply add "or in the alternative grant petitioner leave to take an interlocutory appeal in forma pauperis". You can also go to the Court of Appeal and request a writ of mandamus against the district court judge ordering him to hear your action under 1331.

If the district court denies your recuest for leave to take an interlocutory appeal, aftor you combined it with your motion for reconsideration, you will have to file a notion far leave to appeal in forma pauperis with the clerk of the Court of appeals at the time you file your petitioner for a writ of mandamus.

## C.C.I.S. GAVEL CLUB

Anyone interested in the Gavel Club, please fill out the form below and return it to The Weekly Scene, via the mailbox in the main corridor, or the mail slot in the block. Some of the skills that can be learned at a meeting of the C.C.I.S. Gavel Club Are:

1. Tips on becoming a more effective and articulate speaker.
2. Improving Grammar while you build your vocabulary.
3. How to prepare and deliver a well constructed speech.
4. How to evaluate a speech.
5. The learning experience of growing growing together as a group.
6. To better prepare yourself in the art of communication, which is a valuable asset both inside and outside of this institution.
 am interested in receiving a visi-

March 12, 1977
SURVIVE:!! RATED - R
On Friday, October 13, 1972, a plane carrying a college rugby team crashed in the Andes mountains. The survivor's struggle to stay alive is retold in this movie. 26 survived, and with the supervision of the pre-med students, went about the business of burying the dead, and rationing of the Foon. Taken fram a Merkley-Medallion publication, this epic is aaid to be "The most shacking episode in the bistory of Human Survival. (There were no stars listed other than a wrecked sirliner and a blizzard.)

HOW MANY OF THE FOLIOWING CARTOON CHARACTERS CAN YOU REMEMBER???????

1. Mickey Mouse's Dog.
2. The little bird chased by Sylvester.
3. Donald Duck's rich uncle.
4. The friendly ghost.
5. Mickey Mouse's two nephews.
6. Popeye's girlfriend
7. The little man who hunts "Wabbits."
8. Mickey Mouse's sidekick.
9. Popeye's mortal enemy.
10. The cat, in PINOCCHIO. (a star for the right answer.)
***** TURN PAGE OVER FOR ANSWERS*****
[^0]
## जTHO NTMAD ,8.1.0.3

## 

## LENTEN SERVICES

"Due to an oyersicht, this article should have appemred in the Weekly scene tow weeks acge. We will contirue with the schedule as it relates to the Lenten Season wher this article appears.

Lent begins with Ash Wednesdoy, February: 23, 1977. the Mass will be Celebrotoc in the chapel at $8: 15$ a.m. followed by the distribution of Ashes.

There will be a Mass each Friday at $1: 15$ p..n. Pollowed by stations of the cross. The time of Daily Lenter Nasses will be anounced each Surday. . The observance of Lenter fast and Abstinance will be as follows: Ash Wedresday and Good Friday are days of Fast and Abstinarce. As, you all know, abstinance is a time without meat; Fast consists of one full neatless rieal and tow (2)light meals. all Fridays during the Lenten Season are days of abstinance.

Lent is a tine for all Christians to draw closer to Chisist. Not only through iast, abstinerce, pentance and sacrifices but also by perfoning spiritual works of Eercy. This means taking apositive attitude toward the holy season
of lent by frowing in love and charity toword our brothers and sisters.
you should periform dally acts of kindness, patience, understanding, concern for others and overalllove for your fellow man. the sacrifice of Christ, by His death on the cross and His slorious reserrection on Easter Sunday should be a constant reminder to us of our daily sufferings, joined with Christ's sufferircs should lead us to a much happier and holier life. As an anterthought, we are all meminded that there are many things in life which conspire to do us ill. Cumaings says of the Cambridge they live in furnished souls and are unbeatiful wth confortable ninds. All of us want to be beautiful whether we will admit that facit of our personality or rot... Do you know that all people are beautiful to God?

Let me fot preach to you because, if yourre like me, you're a little tirerd of that. But, if you want to furmish your souls with better dressings, visit us In the Catholic Chapel end let us provide you with a design. We invite all peoples to peritake of our Nasses and reflect upon our cospel.
there are no cure-alls in life, ror guarantees; so we don't cater to your ephemeral whins, however, if your lookine for a. little sprituel corfort then, by all reans, we welcome you.

Rev. Matthew R. Shanley
Catholic Chaplain

$\square$
:5954. 1muxe
hanna: blamet

From a poverty shadowed life In the night of my lone distress I sing unto you, my hoped-for wife My treasure of Queenliness I paint my hours of dreaming with flying brush, till the lines of your haloed features are gleaming
On a background of shadowy pines.
With pink of the cranberry bright
Your wistful mouth I've expressed With soft masses, red and white Have hinted your throat and breast From birch-leaves in Autumn turning I caught the right shade of your hair But your smile has a touch of yearning I could never capture there...

You dwell in a splendor of light
You float as music on strings
But you love the sigh of deep night
And the song the wild wind sings From empty display that overpowers From pleasures that cloy without cease You long for the grasses, the flowers For silence, oblivion and peace.

When your will is on fire some day And doubt may no longer restrain You'll come of yourself in the fateful way, you can never retrace again. I sing, I exalt at the meeting My glad heart leaps on its throne We melt at the passionate greeting For all our lives into one...

From a poverty-shadowed life
In the night of my lone distress I proudly cry "Will you be my wife, Then count not the more, but the less
Your beauty in that sweet hour
Will really adore our nest
For happiness is your power
Your morning gift is rest

*     *         *             *                 *                     *                         *                             *                                 *                                     *                                         *                                             *                                                 *                                                     * 

Written by: "Someon I Love..."
If when you give the best of your service
Telling the world the Savior has come,
Be not dismayed when men don't believe you,
He will (God) understand and say well-done...

Submitted by: Henry Frye, Editor

We do not have dreams
Dreams are like flowers
We cannot afford
Whoes petals will ither
and fall
As would dreams die
If we are foolish enough to
Chequish dreams
The reality we know
Has no time for flowers or dreams
Caeti claws clutching flesh
Blessoms of our nightmares
The weight of chains heavy
on backs
Dispelll dreams for reality's stead
To lay in flarered fields
Dream-dazed illusionist
Unmindful of corrupted laws
Is not a state we share
Reality demands we rid ourselves
of all chains
Then perhaps we shall Indulge in
Flower-filled dreams...
Written by James Matthews (Guardian of
February 9, 1977)
Submitted by Muhammad Zakee
(William McNair)

* $* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *$

I MISS YOU
When we first met I never knew
All that we'd be going through
For now our bodies are apart,
But you're with me dear, you're in
my heart
Especially when it's time for bed
Thoughts of you stay in my head
This is what we call a poem
We won t need these when I get home
I just can't wait to hug and kiss
*you...
What $I^{*} m$ trying to say is how much
I miss you...

## By Moose

*     *         *             *                 *                     *                         *                             *                                 *                                     *                                         *                                             *                                                 *                                                     *                                                         *                                                             *                                                                 *                                                                     *                                                                         *                                                                             *                                                                                 * 

I walked the road of sorrow
A roed so dark with care, So lonely, I was certain That no ene else was there. But suddenly around me Were beams of light, so wide, And then I say that someone, Was walking by my side...


TOTAT, DTS
31
22
15
14
31
22
15
14
31
22
15
14
31
22
15
14

## High

Ramos
Gifford
Grant
Carmen Jones

$\begin{array}{cc}C E L & E I C S \\ 3 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 \\ 1 & 6 \\ 2 & 6 \\ 3 & 19\end{array}$


21
16
$1 ?$
11
8 7

The $76^{\prime} \theta=s$ defeated the celtics by a score of 88 to 75.


The Knicks defeated the Drug Group by a score of 75 to 61


There will be a Pollow up on the games to publish each weeks game scoes and statics.


The Winners in this weeks C.C.I.S. Inmate Sweepstakes are :

| DONALD LESSE | $\# 22938$ | Q-3-43 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| GREGORY DAVIS | $\# 36493$ | G-22 |
| ANTHONY SANDRI | $\# 48083$ | JD2-85 |
| GEORGE WHITE | $\# 60469$ | D-2 |




[^0]:    
     Submitted:

    Dennis Vennard

