



A REPORT OF THE FRESNO FREE COLLEGE
FOUNDATION COVERING THE PERIOD
MARCH 1968 THROUGH AUGUST 1972

STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

During the past five years repressive forces have been present on our campuses and in the larger community. These forces have proscribed constitutionally guaranteed rights of expression. The Fresno Free College Foundation was a response to these forces.

The Board of Directors believes that the Foundation's full effectiveness in the Fresno community has not as yet been realized. The Foundation has had an impact on the academic community at California State University, Fresno but its impact on the wider community has been indirect and connected to the Foundation's support of certain legal cases involving professors and students.

Since its inception the Foundation provided 87.5 per cent of its funds to campus grievance hearings and to court cases, 6.5 per cent to educational projects, and the remaining 6.0 per cent to operating expenses. These funds have been obtained from individual contributions, community organizations, the United Professors of California (AFL-CIO), a faculty organization, and in 1968 money was raised through sales of Favors, Robert Mezey's book of poetry. Other fund raising activities have included, text book sales, sponsorship of the film, "Carry It On" with Joan Baez, a folk singing and poetry reading, social events, and personal solicitation.

The Board of Directors has the responsibility for raising the money needed to maintain the Foundation and to meet its various commitments, and it is aware of the difficulties in raising money for the activities it wishes to engage in. For this reason the Board will continue its efforts in seeking contributions from individuals, but is now exploring fund-granting foundations as a possible source of monies.

The Board of Directors is confident that it will be successful in finding the necessary support from individuals and organizations that believe the Foundation's work is worth sustaining, and that it can have a strong impact on the community it serves.

This is the first report to be issued by the Board of directors to friends and contributors of the Foundation. It, therefore, covers the activities of the Foundation since its inception in 1968. In August, 1973, the Board will publish an annual report.

Alex Vavoulis

September 7, 1972

A REPORT OF THE FRESNO FREE COLLEGE FOUNDATION
COVERING THE PERIOD FROM MARCH, 1968 THROUGH AUGUST, 1972

ORIGIN

The Fresno Free College Foundation was created in the spring of 1968 by a group of professors at the California State University, Fresno* to raise legal funds to defend the academic freedom of their colleague, the poet Robert Mezey, who was fired from his teaching position because of his exercise of his right of free speech. In its formation, the Foundation also adopted broader purposes to include the encouragement and promotion of intellectual and cultural growth in institutions of higher education and in the wider community.

The first act of the Foundation was to absorb the "Mezey Defense Fund" which was initiated by students at CSUF responding to the firing of Mezey. The Foundation was able to provide a writing fellowship of \$600.00 per month for Mezey from August, 1968 through August, 1969. Some of this money was raised from individual contributions and through the sales of "Favors", a book of poetry authored by Mezey. The fellowship was necessary to sustain Mezey and his family during the time the ACLU tried his case in court. The case is not yet resolved and individuals have continued to contribute to the Mezey Fund, including a recent donation of \$3,000.00.

The Foundation's obligation to Mezey had not been completed when another case involving many similar issues arose on the state

*The previous name of the institution was Fresno State College. The name change occurred on June 1, 1972. The new name or, its initials (CSUF), shall be used throughout this report.

The accompanying newspaper articles are an integral part of this report.

university campus. In the Fall of 1969 Marvin X (Jackmon), a young Black playwright, was offered a position in the CSUF Ethnic Studies Department. The issuing of his letter of appointment was delayed by the administration until well after Marvin X began his teaching assignment. At this point the Chancellor of the California State University and Colleges* ordered Marvin X off the campus. One of the reasons given by the Chancellor for refusing to approve the letter of appointment was that Marvin X was a member of the Black Muslim faith. The Foundation was also concerned that the Ethnic Studies Department was being denied the right to its own staff and the right to create an appropriate balance within that staff--a right not denied to other departments of the state university.

The case was taken to court with the Black Student Union providing funds for legal defense. During a five month period the Foundation provided Marvin X with a \$200.00 fellowship grant each month. The purpose of the grant was to provide him with financial support until the court case was resolved. The Superior Court in Fresno ruled against Marvin X claiming that Marvin X was never hired since his letter of appointment was not sent and, therefore a contract was not completed. The decision of the Superior Court was not appealed by Marvin X.

CSUF now seemed to move from crisis to crisis. The Black Student Union, being aware of rumors that the administration was moving against the Ethnic Studies program, began to press for equitable treatment of minorities. Some 50 students and a professor met with a Dean to question him about the rumors. The meeting resulted in the

*The events discussed in this report occurred when the system was known as the California State Colleges. The new name was adopted June 1, 1972.

Dean's filing charges against the students and the professor, both on campus and with the District Attorney. A hearing was held on campus for the students and the Foundation provided financial support. The hearing panel ruled that the students did not hold the Dean captive and subsequently a Municipal Court Jury found the students innocent of this charge. The faculty member, black chemistry professor Dr. Joe Toney, was suspended from his classroom for 30 days by Acting President Karl Falk of the State University. Several months after the incident, the Municipal Court requested that the District Attorney dismiss all charges against Toney on grounds of lack of evidence and in the interest of justice.

At the Fall 1970 registration at the State University, a group of Chicanos demonstrated against cancellation of the La Raza Studies courses by the administration. Upon request for assistance the Board of Directors reaffirmed its deep commitment to both the concept and reality of the La Raza Studies program at the State University, and committed \$200.00 to a legal fund for legal cases connected with the registration demonstration.

THE SECOND PHASE

In December, 1970 six members of the faculty at the California State University, Fresno were fired by the administration after being recommended for retention at lower levels. There was strong evidence that the firings were politically motivated. All six were outspoken critics of the CSUF administration, all were vocally opposed to the war in Vietnam, and all championed the cause of minority rights. A class action suit was filed in federal court by the six professors seeking reinstatement, and a permanent injunction against the Chancellor's grievance procedures which denied due process to some

10,000 faculty members in the California State University and Colleges system. In cooperation with the Fresno Local of the United Professors of California, the Foundation established a legal fund to carry the financial burden of the legal case. The suit met with immediate success as the U.S. Court in San Francisco issued a temporary restraining order in the firings.

As of this writing, four of the six faculty have been reinstated; one left California, and the status of the remaining faculty member, Professor Rendall Mabey, is still pending. One of the four reinstated is Dr. Joe Toney whose firing can be traced to the incident described earlier. After the District Attorney dismissed the charges against him, Toney filed a damage suit against the University. When he was fired in December, 1970, the Fair Employment Practices Commission and the Civil Rights Division of H.E.W. conducted independent investigations of the firing. Both agencies concluded that the State University administration racially discriminated against Toney. Furthermore, after Toney was fired the administration prevented him from securing a teaching position with Atlanta University. Because of this interference, Toney filed another suit against certain members of the administration. The Foundation has supported Toney in both these court actions which have not reached the trial stage.

Four days after the six professors were fired, the Fresno community was confronted with the following front page story:

"DEPARTMENT CHIEF AT FSC IS FIRED: DOORS BOLTED"

"The Fresno State College English Department
Chairman was fired late yesterday and campus

police immediately rushed in and bolted shut doors of the department. The unusual method used in firing Dr. Eugene Zumwalt, 46, also included stationing campus policemen on the roof of the building, the entrance landing and inside the main offices."

The Fresno Bee
December 5, 1970

Dr. Zumwalt requested financial assistance from the Foundation in order to take his case to court. The Board supported this request and used the resources of the FSC Legal Fund. The Fund has provided about \$800.00 for this case and more will be required if, as expected, the case goes to the California Supreme Court. The Superior Court in Sacramento ordered Zumwalt reinstated as chairman of the English Department but the Chancellor has chosen to appeal the decision.

The Foundation engaged the San Francisco law firm of Penrod, Himelstein, Savinar, and Sims for the Federal Court action and the Zumwalt case. The experience gained in these litigations made it possible for the Foundation to assist in two other cases involving faculty members in the California State University and Colleges.

(1) In January, 1972, the Foundation assisted Professor Peter Bohmer, Department of Economics, California State University, San Diego, who was charged with unprofessional conduct by the administration of that institution. Dr. Dale Bush, Chairman of the Foundation's Legal Committee, prepared a 13 page memorandum for Bohmer's attorney, Penrod, Himelstein, Savinar, and Sims, provided telephone consultation and legal documents at the request of the Foundation. Bohmer won his case with a campus hearing panel and the president

reversed himself. The Chancellor, who has final authority in the system, then fired Bohmer even though the institution honored Bohmer with a teaching award.

(2) Dr. Dale Bush assisted in the case of Raymond Kappe, Chairman of the Architecture Department at California State Polytechnic College, Pomona. The legal defense in that case followed the pattern established in the Zumwalt case, and the fired chairman won his case in Superior Court.

Up to this time in its history the Foundation was almost completely engrossed in legal cases. Three educational projects were undertaken, however. (1) The publication of a booklet called "The Slow Death of Fresno State College" which chronologically documented the various events from the Mezey case to the firing of the six faculty members in December, 1970. The purpose of the publication was to enlighten the wider community about the arbitrary exercise of legal authority by the Administration at CSUF. The booklet was sent to individuals in Fresno and it was also distributed throughout California and the nation. (2) An anonymous gift made it possible for the Foundation to produce a 10 minute film on these same events for archival purposes.

A third project which was primarily educational was the Foundation's decision to supply the President Pro-Tempore of the student body at FSC with legal counsel to advise him in his unfortunately, unsuccessful efforts to secure approval by the Student Senate and the FSC Association for the establishment of a \$5,000.00 legal fund to test the constitutionality of the College president's authority to suspend students on the basis of Penal Code 626.4. This action also

included a testing of the Chancellor's student disciplinary procedures which denied students due process.

THE THIRD PHASE

The Foundation continues its support of the federal court action initiated by the six fired professors, and also of Zumwalt's efforts to win reinstatement. The Foundation is committed also to the two Toney suits. In pursuit, though, of broader educational objectives, the Board has supported the following activities:

(1) The Foundation established a Merit Scholarship Fund and individual contributions to this Fund enabled the Foundation to provide Miss Carol Bishop, the first recipient, with \$200.00 per month for the Spring semester, 1972. This enabled her to complete graduation requirements.

(2) During the spring of 1972, 450 books and 300 magazines were collected and sent to the Tulare County Correctional Center for a newly formed library as gifts from the Foundation.

(3) The Foundation signed an agreement with Dr. Kenneth Seib, Professor of English, California State University, Fresno, for the rewriting and updating of "The Slow Death of Fresno State College." It is hoped that a book will result from this collaboration with Seib, and that a major publishing house will publish and distribute it.

(4) Dr. Heyward Moore, Jr., a member of the Fresno Planning Commission, was fired from his position by the Fresno County Board of Supervisors because he made statements charging that the majority of the Board had not acted in the public interest in planning matters and that the majority of the Board was controlled by a prominent developer. Moore filed a suit and legal expenses were paid through contributions to a citizens group called the Committee for Responsible

Government. The Foundation supported Moore by paying telephone expenses and assisting in the preparation of affidavits required for the trial. The Superior Court in Fresno has ordered Moore reinstated.

(5) An amicus brief was filed in Los Angeles Superior Court on behalf of five foreign students who were seeking to enjoin the California State University and Colleges system from increasing fees for foreign students. J.V. Henry, a Fresno attorney, wrote the brief for the Foundation. The students have appealed the decision of the Superior Court and the Foundation's brief will be used in the appeal process.

(6) The Foundation presented the Universidad de Aztlan in Fresno, California, with a gift of about 160 text books which were solicited from faculty members at CSUF.

PROSPECTS FOR THE FUTURE

It is the intention of the present Board of Directors to continue to commit the resources of the Foundation to projects consonant with those purposes outlined in its recently published brochure:

(1) a genuinely open forum in the class room, public lectures, cultural events, and publications in which all ideas, opinions, and research findings, however controversial, may be expressed;

(2) the development of new curricula, for all ages and intellectual levels, designed to encourage academic excellence and the exercise of intellectual freedom in the arts and sciences;

(3) support for research, educational and community action projects to discover and preserve those humane values which sustain men in their efforts to prevail in the face of adversity;

(4) the development of means by which the mass media can enhance

the intellectual development of the community;

(5) the legal protection of those individuals and groups who seek to serve their fellow men through the exercise of free inquiry, free speech, and social action.

The Board will continue to channel contributions to the following established funds as requested by the contributor: (1) FSC Legal Fund, (2) General Fund, (3) Toney Fund, (4) Merit Scholarship Fund, (5) Mabey Fund, and (6) Mezey Fund. The Board may establish other funds as it deems appropriate.

At the present time the Board is considering and exploring the following projects as a means of carrying out the purposes of the Foundation:

(1) bringing into the Fresno area the radio signal of KPFA-FM. This Berkeley station is a Pacifica radio station and operates through subscriptions. There is no advertising and the programming includes the best in art, music, readings, and social and political commentary. No such programming now exists in Fresno;

(2) publishing a journal of art and literature. The publication would focus on the creative talent of individuals in the San Joaquin Valley;

(3) sponsoring films, plays, and lectures that would otherwise not be shown in the Fresno area.

SUMMARY

The above is an outline of the more important activities of the Foundation. There are a significant number of successes of which the supporters of the Foundation can feel honestly proud. Your Board of Directors is hopeful of your continued support.

The legal status of the Foundation is indicated under Corporate

Data below, and the report is completed with a financial statement.

CORPORATE DATA

LEGAL STATUS

Federal

The Fresno Free College Foundation is exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Donors may deduct contributions to the Foundation as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to the Foundation are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes under sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

State

The Fresno Free College Foundation has satisfactorily complied with the requirements of the Attorney General, Registry of Charitable Trusts. The California Tax Board has ruled the Foundation exempt under the Revenue and Taxation Code, Section 23701 (d).

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1970

special benefit performance! SUNDAY, NOV. 22

Two Showings — 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.

"Carry it on" BY ATTENDING THIS SPECIAL
SHOWING: PROCEEDS WILL SUPPORT THE IMPORTANT
WORK OF

The Rippey Draft Challenge Fund
Fresno Free College Foundation
Women's International League for Peace
The Switchboard



Henry G. Saperstein presents The New Film Company Production.

Joan Baez · David Harris

"Carry it on."

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Joan sings the title song and a dozen more.

Students &
Children 2.00

Non-students 5.00

**COUNTRY
SQUIRE
THEATER**
ADMISSION — FREE

Advance tickets Fri.,
Nov. 13 & Fri., Nov.
20 at Box Office or
FSC Religious Center

Baez, Harris film to aid four groups

Four local organizations will present a benefit showing of "Carry It On," a new film starring singer Joan Baez and her draft resister husband, David Harris.

Sponsors for the benefit said funds raised from the program will be used for "a variety of projects designed to support students and professors in their efforts to protect their rights to due process."

Participating organizations are the Rippey Draft Challenge Fund, designed to protect the constitutional rights of draft-age men and challenge unconstitutional practices of the selective system; The Fresno Free College Foundation, engaged in the defense of academic freedom and due process on campus; The Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, which maintains a draft counseling service for Fresno youth, and The Switchboard, which provides a variety of services for youth of the surrounding community.

The benefit showings are scheduled for 7 and 9 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 22 at the Country Squire Theater.

Tickets, priced at \$5 for adults and \$2 for students, can be purchased at the FSC College Religious Center beginning tomorrow. Remaining tickets will be sold at the door.

Additional information can be obtained from Dr. Alexander Vavoulis, 487-2270 or 222-2619.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1970

FSC legal fund is established

The Fresno Free College Foundation and the campus chapter of the United Professors of California have announced creation of a "Fresno State College Legal Fund."

"The purpose of the fund," said UPC President William Cowling, "is to explore every possible means of seeking redress from continued and gross violations of administrative regulations; from an administration which represses basic constitutional rights; and, with the support of the Chancellor and the Trustees, deprives the faculty of a fair hearing of grievances through a corruption of academic due process."

In a press release yesterday, the FFCF stated that they believe most of the firings by Baxter were "political in nature" and not based on "accepted standards of faculty evaluations of competence and professional qualifications."

"The deliberate and admitted spying on faculty in classrooms is an intolerable situation," the release stated. "The welding of

doors, the barring of faculty from their departmental offices, the dismissal of entire secretarial staff from a department, and the placing of armed police guards around a departmental office is abhorrent and cannot be explained away as 'normal procedure' when these actions are unprecedented in higher education."

The FFCF was established in 1968 with the firing of Robert Mezey. Members of the foundation include faculty, students, and members from the Fresno community. The FSC Legal Fund is a subsidiary of the FFCF, a non-profit educational organization to which contributions are tax deductible.

A spokesman said checks may be made payable to: "FSC Legal Fund," and mailed to Fresno Free College Foundation, P.O. Box 4364, Fresno, California, 93744.

A fund raising cocktail party for the Fresno State Legal Fund is scheduled this evening from 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. at Cowling's home, 1626 N. Adeline Avenue.

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MONDAY, MAY 10, 1971

Free College establishes fund to aid Dr. Toney's legal hassles

The Fresno Free College Foundation is a non-profit organization which has established a Toney Legal Fund. The purpose of the Fund is to assist Dr. Toney in the financial burden required in order to achieve redress of grievances in the courts.

On October 20, 1970, Dr. Toney was unanimously recommended by the tenured faculty in the Department of Chemistry for reappointment to a third year. Following long established procedures of the department and the college, Dr. Toney was evaluated on his academic preparation, teaching effectiveness, as an advisor and counselor, and for his personal contributions to students, faculty and the community. In each of these areas he was rated either excellent or outstanding by the Department of Chemistry.

On October 21, 1970, following the recommendation of the department, Dr. Toney's reappointment was recommended by Dr. Burke Zane, acting Dean of the School of Natural Sciences.

On November 25, 1970, Dr. Toney was terminated by President Baxter, effective June, 1971. No explanation was given and at no time has information been given to Dr. Toney or the Department of Chemistry that might affect his reappointment.

On January 6, 1971, the Senate of the School of Natural Sciences, after an investigation by one of its committees, "urged President Baxter to reconsider his decision and to retain Dr. Toney in the interests of preserving the integrity of the college and faculty, the legitimacy of the administration, and justice for faculty members.

On April 27, 1971, an article

appeared in the Fresno Bee reporting an investigation of the Toney Case by the Civil Rights Division of HEW (Department of Health, Education and Welfare). Their conclusion was that "the Fresno State College administration racially discriminated against Dr. Toney, a black faculty member, in releasing him from his job."

Dr. Toney has filed suit in Superior Court to achieve redress of grievances. These grievances include loss of professional reputation and economic benefits, and humiliation suffered before the college and Fresno communities.

Persons wishing to make tax-deductible contributions to the Toney Legal Fund make checks payable as follows: Toney Legal Fund (FFCF). Mail checks to Fresno Free College Foundation, Box 4364, Fresno 93744.

Free College Foundation aids foreign student suit

The five foreign students bringing suit against the California State College Board of Trustees received support yesterday from the Fresno Free College Foundation, which has applied to enter the case on the students' behalf as a "friend of the court."

Intent to file the amicus brief in Los Angeles County Superior Court was announced yesterday by Fresno Free College Foundation President Alex Vavoulis, associate professor of chemistry at Fresno State College.

The foreign students' suit is attempting to prevent the California State Colleges from levying foreign student fees which are more than three times the minimum rate set for non-resident American students. Foreign student fees were increased from \$225 to \$600 a year for the 1970-71 academic year, and from \$600 to \$1,100 for the current school year.

The suit alleges that higher fees for foreign students are discriminatory under the 14th Amendment, that the State College System broke its promise that no additional fee increases would be made after 1970-71, and that the jump in fees has created an unfair hardship for foreign students with limited incomes.

Major points raised in the "friend of the court" brief prepared by James V. Henry, attorney for the Fresno Free College Foundation, are:

—That section 23754 of the California Education Code, which

the Board of Trustees used as its authority in levying the foreign student fees, is unconstitutional. According to the brief, the Supreme Court has held "that a state statute which discriminated between citizens and noncitizens in the provision of public benefits was unconstitutional on its face."

—That "... the international student makes an invaluable contribution to his college and to the community served by his college. This is particularly important in an isolated area such as Fresno, which has otherwise limited international input into its community life."

—That "... the 4,780 foreign students in the California State Colleges ... are generating \$23.2 million in foreign exchange and federal aid to our state, and providing employment for over 2,300 Californians. The 421 stu-

dents at Fresno State alone are paying over \$2 million annually and generating 200 jobs. These expenditures for rent, clothing, food, books and services are important in Fresno with its high unemployment rate."

Commenting on the brief, Vavoulis said that he found it "incredible" that the Board of Trustees placed such little value in the presence of foreign students on campus.

"The loss of these students," he added, "will harm everyone and benefit no one, not even the taxpayer. Both educationally and economically, the imposition of discriminatory foreign student tuition fees is a penny wise and a pound foolish."

"It can only contribute to the further deterioration of higher learning in California," he concluded.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1971

Fresno Free College Foundation Awards Scholarship To Carol Bishop

Miss Carol Bishop, a senior at Fresno State College, has been awarded a \$1,000 merit award scholarship by the Fresno Free College Foundation.

Dr. Alex Vavoulis, president of the Foundation, announced today that the board of directors of the Fresno Free College Foundation has established a Merit Award Scholarship and that its first recipient is Miss Bishop.

Dr. Vavoulis said that the Foundation has established the Merit Scholarship Award for the purpose of giving recognition to individual college students who have made meritorious contributions to their academic community, either through academic achievements or through participation in the life of the academic community.

The members of the Free College Foundation board make nominations for this award, the basis of which is not through application but through contributions to higher education.

According to board member Dale Bush, the board selected Miss Bishop as the first recipient of this merit scholarship on the basis of her outstanding contribution to the development of educational opportunities for minority students in the San Joaquin Valley.

"Her work over the last four years at Fresno State College has contributed significantly to the expansion of educational opportunities for minority students in higher education," stated Bush.

Dr. Vavoulis said that her work on the Educational Opportunity Com-

mission, the Ethnic Studies Commission, and her efforts as coordinator of the E.O.P. Summer Institute Program, as well as her tireless work as a tutor and counselor to minority students has earned Miss Bishop the recognition as one of the leaders in the development of minority education programs at FSC.

Speaking for the board, Dr. Vavoulis observed that Miss Bishop's tireless and selfless contributions to these important educational projects, often times placed her in the center of controversy on the campus. And, as a result, she has found it difficult to maintain employment in the City of Fresno. The consequential financial hardships have prevented her from completing work toward her B.A. degree in English at FSC.

The Foundation board feels it would be a tragedy if Carol Bishop, who has contributed so much to the educational opportunity of others, would herself be denied the opportunity to finish her own college education. She has eight units to finish her degree

and the board awarded her a \$1,000 cash stipend to cover the cost of tuition and living expenses in order that she may obtain her B.A. degree in June 1972.

Dr. Vavoulis said that of all the Foundation activities he has been privileged to participate, this award to Miss Bishop is by far the most gratifying.

Miss Bishop, when contacted by The

Advocate, was enthusiastic. Asked her first reaction upon learning of the scholarship said that she was "simply overwhelmed."

"The most important significance of this award," she said, "is it shows that a student can be actively involved on the campus and in the community without the college controlling the financial destiny of that student."



MISS CAROL BISHOP

The Foundation board urges any citizens who may wish to contribute to the Fresno Free College Foundation merit scholarship program to send their checks to the Merit Scholarship Program, P.O. Box 4364 Fresno California 93744.

FRESNO FREE COLLEGE FOUNDATION
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES

CALENDAR YEAR, 1968

Receipts:

| | | |
|---------------|--|------------|
| Contributions | | \$4,251.45 |
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Expenses:

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|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Mezey Fellowship | \$1,700.00 | |
| Health Insurance (Mezey) | 115.45 | |
| Printing of Favors | 348.50 | |
| Operating Costs | <u>744.13</u> | <u>2,908.08</u> |

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| Excess of receipts over expenses | | \$1,343.37 |
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CALENDAR YEAR, 1969

Receipts:

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|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Balance from previous year | \$1,343.37 | |
| Contributions | 3,504.36 | |
| Sales (Favors) | <u>199.00</u> | <u>5,046.73</u> |

Expenses:

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|--------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Operating Costs | \$112.00 | |
| Charitable Disbursements | 4,733.05 | |
| Fund Raising Costs | 98.45 | <u>4,943.50</u> |

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| Excess of receipts over expenses | | \$103.23 |
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CALENDAR YEAR, 1970

Receipts:

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|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Balance from previous year | \$103.23 | |
| Contributions | <u>8,975.75</u> | <u>9,078.98</u> |

Expenses:

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|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Operating Costs and fund raising | 294.45 | |
| Charitable Disbursements | <u>7,740.64</u> | <u>8,035.09</u> |
| Excess of receipts over expenses | | \$1,043.89 |

CALENDAR YEAR, 1971

Receipts:

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|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Balance from previous year | | \$1,043.89 |
| Contributions to- | | |
| General Fund | \$6,708.40 | |
| FSC Legal Fund | 4,253.20 | |
| Toney Legal Fund | 1,174.50 | |
| Mabey Fund | 280.00 | |
| Lewis Legal Fund | 167.03 | |
| Student Legal Fund | <u>300.00</u> | 12,810.58 |
| Other income | | <u>176.97</u> |
| | | 14,031.44 |

Expenses:

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|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Operating Costs | \$832.64 | |
| Charitable Disbursements to- | | |
| Federal Court Suit | 4,499.66 | |
| Zumwalt Suit | 285.63 | |
| Toney Suits | 1,232.06 | |
| Robert Mezey | 3,100.25 | |
| Fresno Five(students) | 500.00 | |
| Moore Suit | 62.89 | |
| Lewis Case | 167.03 | |
| Rendall Mabey | <u>156.00</u> | 10,003.52 |
| Fund Raising Costs | | <u>110.44</u> |
| Educational Projects | | <u>1,242.17</u> |
| | | 12,188.77 |
| Excess of receipts over expenses | | \$1,842.67 |

CALENDAR YEAR, 1972
(January 1 - August 31)

Receipts:

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|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Balance from previous year | | \$1,842.67 |
| Contributions to- | | |
| General Fund | \$1,726.00 | |
| FSC Legal Fund | 1,724.95 | |
| Toney Legal Fund | 245.00 | |
| Mabey Fund | 660.00 | |
| Merit Scholarship Fund | <u>435.00</u> | 4,790.95 |
| Other income | | 38.57 |
| | | <u>6,672.19</u> |

Expenses:

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|------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Operating Costs | | |
| Typing | \$56.00 | |
| Duplicating Services | 123.47 | |
| Maintenance of Equipment | 25.63 | |
| Office Supplies | 53.99 | |
| Telephone | 108.70 | |
| Mail Box Rent | 10.80 | |
| Postage | 16.00 | |
| Attorney General Registry | <u>5.00</u> | 399.59 |
| Charitable Disbursements to- | | |
| Federal Court Suit | 2,365.06 | |
| Zumwalt Suit | 500.00 | |
| Toney Suits | 362.50 | |
| Robert Mezey | 300.00 | |
| Moore Suit | 52.47 | |
| Rendall Mabey | 804.00 | |
| Foreign Students | 261.50 | |
| HEW Report(Toney) | 176.78 | |
| Carol Bishop(scholarship) | 1,000.00 | |
| Professor Bohmer Case | <u>72.56</u> | 5,914.87 |
| Fund Raising Costs | 124.01 | |
| Educational Projects | <u>38.57</u> | <u>6,477.04</u> |

Excess of receipts over expenses \$195.15

TABLE OF CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARITABLE DISBURSEMENTS

| YEAR | CONTRIBUTIONS | CHARITABLE DISBURSEMENTS |
|---------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 1968 | \$ 4,251.45 | \$ 1,700.00 |
| 1969 | \$ 3,504.36 | \$ 4,733.05 |
| 1970 | \$ 8,975.75 | \$ 7,740.64 |
| 1971 | \$12,810.58 | \$10,003.52 |
| 1972(to date) | \$ 4,829.52 | \$ 5,914.87 |
| Total | \$34,371.66 | \$30,092.08 |