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UC Free Speech Unrest May Spread

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The Marxist dominated Free Speech Movement, the ultimate objectives will be the same.

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And again the nucleus will be the working coalition, already existing at Berkeley, of the Progressive Labor Movement, the DuBois Clubs and the Young Socialist Alliance, all of which are Communist inspired and Communist dominated, according to government sources.

Once more, as in Berkeley today, non students may be called upon to play an active role.

One such individual, who has been photographed on campus in Berkeley, is Hilbert J. Coleman. He is not a student at UC.

Coleman is the man who crashed the Republican National Convention in 1964.

While planned agitation at other west coast colleges and universities may not take the operational title of Free Speech Movement, the ultimate objectives will be the same.

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tional Convention at the Cow Palace and was escorted out by police after attempting a lie-in in front of the speaker's podium.

He was charged with assault and battery when arrested at the first Sheraton-Palace Hotel incident. He was arrested at the Cadillac agency demonstration on March 14 and again in the Auto Row disturbances on April 11. He gave his occupation as "unemployed photographer."

Duran Bell, another Free Speech demonstrator, while a sophomore at UC in 1955 refused to sign a statement of loyalty required of all ROTC prospective candidates.

Returning from a sojourn in San Diego in 1957, he rejoined the Young Socialist League.

CUBA COMMITTEE

Bell is something of a confidant of Robert Kaufman, a teaching assistant at UC who in turn is an associate of Albert J. "Micky" Lima, Northern California chairman of the Communist Party, and Roscoe Proctor, high ranking Communist Party functionary in the East Bay.

Bell has been photographed on campus with Jack Weinberg—the non-student "cause celebre" of the FSM.



PHOTOGRAPHED TOGETHER ON CAL CAMPUS DURING DISORDERS
In foreground, Robert Kaufman, Art Goldberg and Steve Plageman

A sometime co-ed active in the FSM is Helen Schiff, a leader in the Student Committee for Travel to Cuba. She was among those arrested at the Cadillac agency last March 14.

Miss Schiff has been photographed on campus during the FSM demonstrations in company with George Myland.

Myland, who has attended both Stanford and UC, in 1956

was a discussion leader with the Mark Twain Club, identified as an affiliate of the Young Socialist Alliance. The YSA in turn is the youth section of the Socialist Workers Party.

OFFICIAL SPONSOR

In 1959 Myland was an official sponsor of Joan Jordan, the Socialist Workers Party candidate for Mayor of Berkeley.

In 1961 he was an official

sponsor of Hayden Perry, SWP candidate for supervisor.

An advertisement in the Militant (SWP paper) for April 15, 1963, listed Myland as a scheduled speaker at the Militant Labor Forum on the subject, "The Moscow-Peking Dispute."

Also photographed on campus (simultaneously) during the disorders were Steve Weissner, Robert P. Kauf-

man, Art Goldberg and Steve Plageman.

Weissner is a teaching assistant at UC and served as initial chairman of the Graduate Co-ordinating Committee, which group he now represents on the FSM Steering Committee.

CHESSMAN CASE

Kaufman's background was published in yesterday's Examiner.

Goldberg was one of the eight students suspended following the initial demonstrations.

He was arrested outside the gates of San Quentin during the Caryl Chessman demonstration on May 2, 1963. He is a former chairman of SLATE, a leftist organization which was placed off campus two years ago.

Goldberg also was among those arrested at the Sheraton-Palace Hotel on two occasions.

Plageman, in a recent TV appearance, said the objective of the "UC Revolution" was the abolishment of grades and scheduled courses.

While employed by the U.S. Geodetic Survey in Menlo

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Park during 1960, he participated in picketing the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

A former member of SLATE, Plageman in 1961 wrote a letter to the Palo Alto Times charging that the "United States is building a garrison state with hysterical rapidity." He held that the Berlin crisis had been engineered to assure the outcome of the election in West Germany.

On Nov. 8, 1963, shortly before the late President's assassination, he attacked Kennedy's foreign policy and the CIA.

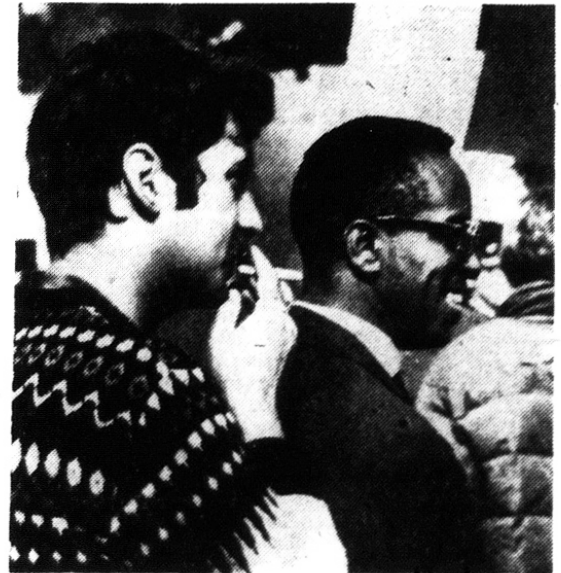
In the campus newspaper last May he wrote an article objecting to U.S. action in Vietnam, denouncing the use of helicopters and biocides (chemicals to kill off foliage) and maintained the Viet Cong have wide popular support.

Also active in the FSM demonstrations is Jacqueline "Jackie" Goldberg, sister of Art Goldberg.

Miss Goldberg has been associated with the Communist-infiltrated Women for Peace. She also was among those arrested at the Sheraton Palace Hotel, and participated in the sit-in demonstration at a Berkeley fall-out



HELEN SCHIFF AND GEORGE MYLAND
Photographed during the demonstrations



JACK WEINBERG, LEFT, AND DURAN BELL
Together at the Free Speech sessions

shelter last Feb. 26.

Having attended the Women's International Democratic Federation Conference in Moscow, Miss Goldberg returned to address a group on the significance of the conference in a public appearance on Oct. 24, 1963.

The Women's International Democratic Federation has been cited by the House

Committee on Un-American Activities and by the Senate Internal Security Committee as a Communist front organization.

Another active participant in the FSM demonstrations has been John W. Thomas, onetime Oakland City College student whose last known occupation was that of postal worker in Oakland.

Thomas was among the student visitors to Cuba who defied the Government travel ban and has been actively

active in the Committee to End U.S. Intervention in Vietnam.

DEFIED BAN

With Philip Abbott Luce, Thomas co-authored an article titled "New Student Youth Organization Established," which appeared in the September Vol. 3, No. 2 issue of the Marxist Leninist Quarterly. The article deals with the formation of the W. F. B. DuBois Clubs of America, the background of which as initially disclosed by FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, was published in Tuesday's Examiner.

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Free Speech at U. C.

The Question of Marxism

SANTA BARBARA — (Special)—The University of California's student Free Speech Movement is Marxist led, a young spokesman for the movement has admitted here.

The report of leftist orientation was made by Evan Alderson of San Francisco, a graduate student at the UC Berkeley campus and one of three speakers dispatched by the Berkeley Free Speech headquarters on recruiting drive on the Santa Barbara UC campus.

Alderson and his co-speakers addressed 200 students at

a rally Tuesday night in South Hall. The key answers came in a question and answer session following the routine proselyting speeches by the trio.

"Is the Free Speech movement Marxist led?" a member of the audience queried the 26 year old graduate student.

"It's true it has been and it's unfortunate it has been because the administration has used this fact as a smoke screen to hide the real issues," Alderson replied.

In answer to another question, Alderson replied, "FSM (Free Speech Movement) is Marxist led but not in a Marxist direction."

BROAD SPECTRUM

Its leaders, he added, "represent a broad spectrum of political philosophy."

"Kerr (University President Clark Kerr) has enlisted the support of the public — which does not like Communism—against students in general," observed Alderson.

"The university should not

spend so much time protecting the public from the students," he added. "The students need some protection from the public."

Alderson also noted the free speech "fight has just begun" and explained that members of FSM "will deliberately break regulations to get a test case."

The speeches and Alderson's replies were broadcast by the Santa Barbara cam-

pus radio station.

Last night, Alderson told The Examiner that the questions of Marxist leadership had come from the audience but he denied making the answer's attributed to him.

A spokesman for the Berkeley FSM headquarters said another authorized spokesman will be dispatched south to confer with the movements voluble unauthorized spokesman.

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Statement By Kerr

President Clark Kerr of the University of California yesterday clarified statements he made at separate press conferences last month concerning the Free Speech Movement demonstrations on the Berkeley campus.

In a letter to newspapers, Kerr said

At a press conference held in conjunction with a speech before Town Hall in Los Angeles on Oct. 6 and in response to a reporter's question, I said

In the estimates of experienced on-the-spot observers, the hard core group of demonstrators—those who continued as part of the demonstrations through the night of Oct. 1—contained at times as much as 40 percent off-campus elements. And within that off-campus group, there were persons identified as being sympathetic with the Communist Party and Communist causes

On Oct. 2 at a press conference held in connection with a meeting of the American Council on Education, I said

I am sorry to say that some elements active in the demonstrations have been impressed with the tactics of Fidel Castro and Mao Tse-tung. There are very few of these, but there are some