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TRYON LEADS IN CALAVERAS COUNTY RACE

By Bill Evers

As of presstime, Libertarian Tom Tryon is leading by one vote, 1309 to 1308, in the electoral cliffhanger of the year for California Libertarians. Tryon is a candidate for the nonpartisan office of Calaveras County supervisor.

Initial returns mechanically tabulated on Nov. 6 showed Tryon losing by 20 votes. The first recount by hand had the candidates dead even. A second recount on Nov. 10 has put Tryon narrowly in the lead.

Additional recounts and legal hurdles lie ahead. Final certification of the winner may take as long as two weeks.

Tryon is a 39-year-old rancher, who lives in Angels Camp--setting of Mark Twain's famed fictional frog-jumping contest.

He placed second in a fourway race in the June 5 election. The Nov. 6 election was a runoff between Tryon and the other leading candidate.

The main issue in the campaign was land-use controls. Tryon told the <u>Activist</u> that he forthrightly argued for "property rights and free market processes" as the solution to land use problems.

Tryon explained to voters that those who want scenic preservation, design review, historical preservation, or other land use controls should seek out subdivisions that offer such controls on a private property basis.

During the campaign, Tryon attacked governmental land-use planning as elitist, counter-productive, discriminatory, and infringing on self-expression. These comments were delivered with special authority since

Tryon is a member of the county planning commission.

Tryon comes from a pioneer Calaveras County family. His great-grandfather came to the region in 1848 seeking gold. That ancestor went on to become sheriff of Calaveras and Alpine counties in 1863.

Tryon has a B.A. in economics from the University of California at Berkeley and a business degree from the University of Chicago. He is married with one child and is an Army veteran.

Tryon first learned about the Libertarian Party shortly after Jimmy Carter's election in 1976. He became more familiar with the LP as a result of newspaper stories about the 1978 Ed Clark for Governor campaign. He attended the summer 1980 Cato summer school at Stanford.

If Tryon is certified as the winner, he will represent district four, covering southeastern Calaveras County.

Persons wishing to assist in paying off the campaign's debts should send checks to Tom Tryon for Supervisor, P. O. Box 1177, Angels Camp, CA 95222.

BURNOUT: LET'S NOT LET IT HAPPEN THIS YEAR

by Jorge Amador

(CA '84 Editor's Note: Mr. A mador is the Editor of Libertarian Penn, the newsletter of the Libertarian Party of Pennsylvania (LPP). Although this article was really written to be published before Election Day, and although right now the Libertarian Party does have "permanent" ballot status in California, we still have a great deal of work to do to gain freedom in California, and Mr. Amador's excellent article hits home here too.

Remember, as you read this article, that our push for 2 percent in at least one statewide race in California comes again in 1986. Let's take this article to heart and start working now to educate Californians for 1986!)

Another election is coming up, and with the campaign that precedes it comes also, to many Libertarians, the hope that "this will be it," that this will finally by the year we

break out of the minor-party mold and obtain enough votes to get recognized officially as a ballot-qualified party in Pennsylvania.

Few things would be more welcome than to be finally freed of the drudgery of having to expend thousands of dollars and man-hours collecting multitudinous autographs just so we can have our party's name printed on the election ballot.

As a veteran of three ballot drives myself (one as an extremely uncomfortable signature gatherer, two as a supporting actor), few aspects of partisan Libertarian activity would please me more than not to have this biennial ritual take place again.

Therefore, I can understand the eagerness of some, perhaps many, LPP members to push for

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the 2 percent or so of the Pennsylvania statewide vote that we'll need in the 1984 election in order to get automatic ballot status for 1986.

I can see how and why they would want to invest a lot of their activist capital in helping one of our statewide candidates do so. I comprehend their great interest in giving it all to achieve this goal this year.

However, I have also witnessed this very phenomenon occur with others who are no longer LPP activists.

For several months during the ballot drive and then the campaign, they would work like dynamos, totally dedicated to the goal of getting the LPP that elusive "permanent" ballot status, amazing the rest of us with their apparent commitment to, and enthusiasm for, the progress of liberty.

Then, when the vote totals came in and it became apparent that the voting public had not embraced the LP in the numbers they had expected, their enthusiasm dropped markedly, dampened by the disappointment of not having achieved the goal they had set.

Some of these people, prominent activists in the LPP only a year ago, have done nothing of note for either the Party or the movement since.

What happened? Their goal was unrealistic, arbitrary. They expected a much faster rate of public adoption of Libertarian ideas than could realistically have been expected.

One thing they forgot was that people do not come to agree with Libertarian proposals (or therefore decide to vote Libertarian) overnight or even during the course of one campaign, or two or three. For libertarianism to spread and gain support, sustained and continuous educational effort and outreach activity are necessary—not only just a couple of fall months' frenzied efforts every year or two.

Only through frequent contact with Libertarian views will people learn them and acquaint themselves with both the concepts and the movement, to the point that they no longer 1) view libertarians as merely a tiny, isolated bunch of

"kooks" who run a few hapless candidates in some elections; or 2) consider our views as farout, unheard-of rhetoric. Since our ideas are superior, in this case familiarity breeds respect.

Education is the other element these burned-out activists forgot. In their zeal to attain the desired vote totals, they paid little attention to spreading the ideas of liberty, and at times even the label "Liber-tarian."

I still remember one of them proudly describing his success at gathering signatures by telling unsuspecting passers-by that he was petitioning for "my aunt." The emphasis on the race for a statewide office was often laid on the candidate's "independence" rather than on the substance of his proposals.

One ex-activist who, when he was a student, told me he thought introducing Libertarian ideas to his fellow students was a "waste of time," later objected to an education-oriented Congressional candidate's brochure on the grounds that "nobody would read it."

If nobody will read Libertarian literature and Libertarians will not, like him, attempt to spread Libertarian ideas, then how the heck do we expect to gain support—and obtain ballot status, let along victory? What are we in this for? I can think of a lot more interesting hobbies to take up, if we're just in it to play politics.

Meaningful electoral progress, should we choose to continue on that path, will be one measure of our educational progress. It cannot precede public support for Libertarian ideas; instead it depends on this.

I want to "win" as much as anybody, but "winning" to me is achieving freedom, not making ballot status this year or even garnering more votes just because our candidates are female or "independent" or "better qualified" to make decisions for other people.

My sense of achievement and satisfaction grows as I see support for Libertarianism grow, and I see that happening as Libertarian ideas get more attention in the media and everyday discussion. It does not depend on voters' deciding to dump the present politicos

for an alternative that they do not understand and are likely to reject if a Libertarian office-holder then attempts to legislate it. It depends (and this is what I mean by "meaningful" electoral progress) on voters' voting for Libertarians because they agree with our ideas, not because they wish to protest in a vaque, general way.

I am in this movement to achieve liberty. Liberty will not come about overnight. We have a lot of education to do yet before enough people vote to make us get ballot status or win elections for Libertarian ideas. Therefore, I am in this for the long haul.

The question I wish to present you with at this point is, "If the vote tallies come in and they show we didn't make ballot status, will you still work for liberty?" I know I will.

Or will you feel disappointed or "burned out" after the election? I know I won't, and I hope you aren't either. There is too much at stake to let that happen.

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COMPLETE CALIFORNIA LIBERTARIAN ELECTION RESULTS

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4—Sacramento, Solano, Yo	olo
V. Fazio, inc. (D) 127,133 R. Canfield (R) 75,522 R.C. Pope (L) 3,934	62 36 2
5 — San Francisco 100% Precincts Reporting	
S. Burton, inc. (D) 137,763 T. Spinosa (R) 45,178 J. Fuhrig (L) 3,947 H. Clark (P&F) 3,512	24
6-Marin, San Francisco, Solano, Sonoma 100% Precincts Reporting	
B. Boxer, inc. (D) 159,727 D. Binderup (R) 69,518 H. Creighton (L) 5,488	68 30 2
9 — Alameda 100% Precincts Reporting	
F.P. Stark, inc. (D) 135,316 J.T. Eager Beaver (R) 50,711 M. Fuhrig (L) 7,315	70 26 4
10—Alameda, Santa Clara 100% Precincts Reporting	
D, Edwards, inc. (D). 100,368 R.P. Herriott (R)	62 34 2 2
12—San Mateo, Santa Clara Santa Cruz 100% Precincts Reporting	
E. Zschau, inc. (R). 150,144 M. Carnoy (D). 88,368 B. White (L). 5,663	61 37 2
13—Santa Clara 100% Precincts Reporting	
N.Mineta, inc.(D) 136,936 J. D. Williams (R) 69,180 J.R. Redding (L) 3,740	65 33 2
14 — Alpine, Amador, El Dorado, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, San Joaquin, Sierra 100% Precincts Reporting	
N. Shumway, inc. (R). 175,631 R. Carlson (D) 57,263 F.W. Colburn (L) 6,708	73 24 3
15 — Fresno, Mariposa, Merced, Stanislaus 100% Precincts Reporting	
T. Coelho, inc. (D) 106,518 C. Harner (R) 53,078 R.M. Harris (L) 3,067	65 33 2
16 — Monterey, San Benito, San Luis Obispo, Santa Cruz 100% Precincts Reporting	
L.Panetta, inc.(D) 149,252 P.S. Ramsey (R) 58,385 B. Anderson (L) 3,231	71 28 1
21—Los Angeles, Ventura 100% Precincts Reporting	
B. Fiedler, inc. (R) 168,765 C. Davis (D) 60,655 R.T. Leet (L) 4,250	72 26 2
22 — Altadena, Glendale, Monrovia, Sierra Madre, Sour Pasadena, Temple City	th
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23 — Beverly Hills, Century City, Encino, Malibu, Pacific Pallsades, Reseda, Westwood 100% Precincts Reporting

A.C.Beilenson, inc.(D) 136,110 62 C. Parrish (R) 80,523 37 L. Leathers (L) 3,374 1

24—Hollywood, Hancock Park, Los Angeles, Tolksca Lake 100% Pracinicts Reporting Votes K.A. Waxman, inc. (D) 93.811 64 J. Zerg (R) J. Green (P&F) 2,657 Z. Custer (L) 2,355 1	-
25 — Eagle Rock, East Los Angeles, Pasadena 100% Precincts Reporting	
E.R. Roybal, inc. (D) 71,756 72 R. D. Bloxom (R) 23,717 24 A. G. Bajada (L) 4,224 4	
27—Inglewood, Redondo Beach, Santa Monica, Torrance 100% Precincts Reporting	-
M. Levine, inc. (D) 101,922 53 R.B. Scribner (R) 83,719 44 T.L. O'Connor Jr. (P&F). 3,578 2 J. Avrech (L) 2,865 1	-
28 — Culver City, Inglewood, Los Angeles, Westchester 100% Precincts Reporting	8
J.C. Dixon, inc. (D). 109,753 76 B.M. Jett (R). 32,225 22 D. Federick (L). 2,818 2	
32 — Downey, Lakewood, Long Beach, San Pedro 100% Precincts Reporting	
G.M. Anderson, inc. (D) 99,472 61 R.E. Fiola (R)	
33—Claremont, Diamond Bar, Glendora, La Mirada, La Verne, Pomona, Walnut, Whittier 100% Precincis Reporting	
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D. Lungren, inc. (R). 171,142, 73 M.L. Brophy (D) 58,161 25 J.S. Donohue (P&F) 5,629 2	1
43 — Orange, San Diego 100% Precincts Reporting	
R. Packard, inc. (R). 159,315 74 L.E. Humphreys (D). 49,525 23 P. Avery (L). 6,608 3	
44 — San Diego 100% Precincts Reporting	
J. Bates, inc. (D) 97,467 70 N. Campbell (R) 38,961 28 J. Conole (L) 3,130 2	
45 — Imperial, San Diego 100% Precincts Reporting	
D. Hunter, inc. (R) 145,014 75 D.W. Guthrie (D) 44,420 23 P. Wright (L) 3,857 2	

California Senate

1 — El Dorado, Lassen, Mod Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sac mento, Sierra, Siskiyou, Sut Trinity, Yolo, Yuba	oc,
mento, Sierra, Siskiyou, Sut Trinity, Yolo, Yuba	ter,
100% Precincts Reporting Voted J. Doolittle (R)	44
R. Johnson, inc. (I) 109,596	41
J.C. Hornsby (D) 35,127 R.M. Murphy (L) 5,676	13
3 — Marin, San Francisco 100% Precincts Reporting	
M. Marks (R) 178,247	68 27
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13 — Santa Clara 100% Precincts Reporting	
A.Alquist (D) 128,328	65
B.S. Smullen (R) 62,527 K. Roberts (L) 7,294	4
23—Burbank, Hollywood, Angeles, Universal City 100% Precincts Reporting	Los
D Roberti inc. (D) 108.269	65
T.H. Russell (R) 49,268 S. Cruz (P&F) 5,512	30
T. Brown (L)	2
29-El Segundo, Redon	do
Beach, San Pedro, Torrance	%
R. Beverly (R) 170,016	69
S. Kelley (L)	2
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Assembly	
5 — Placer, Sacramento 100% Precincts Reporting	
J.Moorhead, inc. (D)	49
C. L. Carr (L) 4,246	
12—Alameda, Contra Costa 100% Precincts Reporting	1730au
T. Bates, inc. (D) 128,968 F.E. Foldvary (L) 10,756 L.J. Shireman (P&F) 5,956	89
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18—Alameda, Santa Clara 100% Precincts Reporting	04
M. Mehan (R) 32,471	32
McAlister,inc.(D) 63,966 M. Mehan (R) 32,471 J.H. Webster (L) 4,403	4
21 — San Mateo, Santa Clara 100% Precincts Reporting	
	67 29
R.W. Parlette (L) 2,865 F. De Sio (P&F) 1,584	3
22—Santa Clara	100
E. Konnyu, inc. (R) 85,309	63
G.R. Ott (D)	35
23—Santa Clara 100% Precincts Reporting	
Vasconcellos inc.(D) 75.430	88
D. De Amicis (L) 10,568	12

25—Merced, Monterey, San Benito, Santa Clara 100% Precincts Reporting

R. Areias, inc. (D).... 80,385 92

M. Hinkle (L)..... 7,354 8

40—Van Nuys 100% Precincts Reporting	
T. Bane, inc. (D) 69,336 H.R. Gabriel (R) 32,153 G. Bull (L) 1,595	67 31 2
41 — Glendale, Pasadena 100% Precincts Reporting	
P. Nolan, inc. (R) 79,168 J. Vollbrecht (D) 31,603 R.T. Gerringer (L) 3,123	69 28 3
43—Beverly Hills, Sherman Oaks, Studio City, Topanga 100% Precincts Reporting	
G. Davis, inc. (D) 85,079 R.B. Malouf (R) 45,082 T. Rhodes (L) 2,743	64 34 2
44—Century City, Malibu, Rancho Park, Santa Monica 100% Precincts Reporting	
T. Hayden, inc. (D) 62,232 D.M. Shell (R) 50,911 N. Donner (L) 3,301 J.A. Sommer (P&F) 1,353	3
45 — Burbank, Hollywood 100% Precincts Reporting	
A.E. Jelmert (R) 32,830 J. Johnstone (P&F) 3,856 G. Abrahams (L) 2,196	63 31 4 2
46—Los Angeles 100% Precincts Reporting	
M. Roos, inc. (D) 31,784 T. Knoll (R) 12,342 J. O'Brien (P&F) 1,409 M.K. Bates (L) 753	2
51 — Manhattan Beach, Rolli Hills, San Pedro, Torrance 100% Precincts Reporting	ng
G.N. Felando, inc. (R) 89, 145 D.G. Tate (D) 37,155 G.P. Gilmore (L) 3,832	68 29 3
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dino 100% Precincts Reporting	
W.Lancaster,inc.(R) 81,147 7 R. Santell (D) 30,235 2 M.McConnaghy(L) 4,914	0 6 4
78—San Diego 100% Precincts Reporting	
P.M. Boarman (R) 39.058 3	3
79—San Diego 100% Precincte Reporting	
P. Chacon, inc. (D) 51,651 6	67 29 4

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National Bergland Total: 238,962 (as reported by UPI)

California Totals

Richards (Am. Independent Party)	37,900
Johnson (Peace & Freedom)	25,089
Bergland (Libertarian)	48,400



Alaska

Measure 3 (Transport Deregulation) Yes 39,421 59.5

12,615 49.0

No 26,768 40.4 Tonie Nathan (Lane Co. Comm.)

(2-way nonpartisan)

4,233 25.0

Andre Marrou (State House #5A)

3,888 42.1 Jo deForest McIntyre

Oregon

John Davis (State House #5B)

2,040 23.5 (State Rep. #29)

18,943

Kansas

Marion Nunemaker (Reno Co. Comm.) (2-way)

Vermont

795 40.0

667 30.0 Ed McGuire (State Rep. #8) (3rd place in best 2-out-of-3 race)

Alabama

US SENATE

100% Precincts reporting: Howell Heflin* (D) 824,577 Albert Lee Smith (R) . . 485,297 S.D. (Yana) Davis (L) . . . 12,094

Arizona **Corporation Commission**

00% year term Marcia Weeks (D)

99% 440,054 437,406 2-year term

Renz Jennings (D) William Gibney (R) 437,406 Ken Sturzenacker (L) 34,999

Colorado

US SENATE

Precincts reporting: Nancy Dick (D) 428,665 William Armstrong* (R) 780,554 10,593

Idaho

US SENATE

Precincts reporting: 100% Peter M. Busch (D) . . . 105,487

James A. McClure* (R) 293,416

Donald B. Billings (L) . . . 7,366

US SENATE

Precincts reporting:	999
Paul Simon (D)	2,364,68
Charles H. Percy* (R)	2,290,02
Steven I. Givot (L)	58,74

Indiana GOVERNOR

Precincts reporting: 98% W.W. Townsend (D) . 1,003,182

Robert D. Orr* (R) . . . 1,109,898

James A. Ridenour (LP) . . 6,787

Mansas

US SENATE

Precincts reporting: James R. Maher (D) . . 210,816

Nancy Kassebaum* (R) 755,681

Douglas N. Merritt (L) . . 7,014

Michigan

US SENATE

100% Precincts reporting: Carl M. Levin* (D) . . . 1,926,426
Jack Lousma (R) . . . 1,733,648
Lynn Jehnston (L) . . . 7,951

Minnesota

US SENATE 100% Precincts reporting: Joan A. Growe (D) . . . 845,720 ✓Rudy Boschwitz* (R) . 1,192,056 Richard Putnam (L) 4,522

Montana

US SENATE

97% Precincts reporting: Max Baucus* (D) 197,956 Chuck Cozzens (R) . . . 143,967 Neil Halprin (L) 8,262

GOVERNOR

Precincts reporting:	X	1		97%
✓Ted Schwinden* (D)				246,200
Pat M. Goodover (R)			•	92,905
Larry Dodge (L)				11,353

Montana 94%

Secretary of State Jim Waltermire (R)*
Joe Tropila (D)
Atterney General
Mike Greely (D)*
Douglas Kelley (R)
William Dee Morris (L) 94% 192,076 127,957 ... 11,651

State Auditor State Auditor

Newell Anderson (R). . .

Andrea Hemstad (D) . .

Patricia Summers (L) . . .

New Hampshire

US SENATE

100% Precincts reporting: Norman D'Amours (D) . 155,451

Gordon Humphrey* (R) 222,233
S. H. Primack (L) 1,171

New Jersey

US SENATE

Precincts reporting:	100%
✓Bill Bradley* (D)	1,968,461
Mary Mochary (R)	1,074,220
Harold F. Lelendecker	(L) 6.703

North Carolina

U.S. SENATE

100% Precincts reporting: James Hunt Jr. (D) . . 1,066,581

Jesse Helms* (R) . . . 1,153,342

Bobby Yates Emory (L) . . 9,464

GOVERNOR

Precincts reporting: Rufus Edmisten (D) 1,007,478

James G. Martin (R) 1,204,597

H. Fritz Prochnow (L) . . . 4,514

Oklahoma U.S. SENATE

100% 103,920 Precincts reporting: David Boren* (D) 906,223
Will E. Crozler (R) 280,983
Robert T. Murphy (L) . . . 11,171

South Carolina

94% 133,436 173,835 U.S. SENATE

93% Precincts reporting:

Vermont

US HOUSE

99% At Large 99%
Anthony Pollina (D) . . . 58,497

V James Jeffords* (R) . . 145,259 Jim Hedbor (L) 9,208
P. Diamondstone (LU) . . 4,617

STATE HOUSE

Precincts reporting:	100%
∨Madeleine Kunin (D)	116,245
John Easton (R)	
William Wicker (L)	1,899
Richard Gottlieb (LU)	683
Marian Wagner (CP)	726

DORNAN BIDS FOR LP VOTERS

Republican Congressional candidate Robert Dornan (38th District, CA), in a close and expensive race against incumbent Jerry Patterson, sent a misleading mailing to registered Libertarian voters in his district.

The mailing consisted of two letters-one from Republican Congressman Ron Paul of Texas, the other from Reagan White House staffer Dana Rohrbacher.

The letter from Paul was addressed, "Dear fellow, Liber-tarian" (note the capital "L"-this falsely implies that Paul is a member of the Libertarian Party, which he is not, nor has he ever been).

The mailing also falsely portrays Dornan as a libertarian (small "l") when in fact he is a Moral Majority conservative who favors military intervention abroad and massive public works programs at home.

Ironically, shortly after winning the election, Dornan sued Patterson for \$10 million for supposedly misrepresenting Dornan's positions in his (Pat-terson's) campaign literature.

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Butte 4 to vastavous a store to sale	Chair, Harry Pendery	(916)	877-7652
Contra Costa	Chair, Hugh McLean	(415)	234-7809
Fresno 2nd WED, Nov. 14	Chair, Bob Subers		299-7294
	Chair, Dan Lucas		3666660
Kern 3rd WED, Nov. 21	Charly Dan Bacas	(000)	
Nov. 17 & 18, State Executive Committee			
Mtg. (see article elsewhere in this issue)	Chaire Daniell Coindle	(707)	994-4817
Lake every SAT, Literature table at Post Office	Chair, Randall Grindle		
Marin 1st WED, Nov. 7	Chair, Tom Jacobsen		924-5246
Monterey	Chair, Bob Ratto	(408)	
Nevada	Interim Chair, Jim Hosbein	(916)	2/3-91/4
Orange 2nd TUE, Nov. 13	Chair, Ray Cullen		754-4054
Placer 1st THU, Nov. 8	Exec. Dir., Jim McClarin		663-2568
Riverside 3rd THU, Nov. 15	Renaissance Books or	(714)	369-8843
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San Diego 3rd TUE, Nov. 29	Prog. Chair, Eunice	(619)	692-4305
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San Joaquin	Chair, George Schwappach		334-5948
San Mateo	Bill Wade, or		594-1125
	Chair, Dave Bell		365-9102
Santa Clara 3rd THU, Nov. 15, Business Meeting	Chair, Jim Wilson		CRY-FREE
Santa Cruz every WED, 7:30 P.M.	Chair, Tim Kilburn	(408)	688-1376
Solano	Chair, Mark Moberg		
Sonoma	Chair, Jim Oglesby	(707)	823-5261
	Chair, Hartune Neffian		732-5674
Tulare	Charly harcune werrian	(20)	,
San Fernando	Regional Message Center	(818)	705-6496
Valley-61 WED, Nov. 14, Bob Poole, "The High Fron-	Dinner Reservations		705-6496
tier," 6 PM cocktails, 7 PM dinner, 8 PM speaker, \$10 dinner, \$3 speaker only,	Dinner Reservations	(010)	703-0490
Plaza Suite Restaurant, Northridge			
WED, Dec. 12, Dick Boddie, "What it's Like			
to be a Black in the Libertarian Party"	7.6		
Jan. 9, 1985, Regional Convention & Electio	Obside Need Denner	(212)	477-6462
West LA-62	Chair, Neal Donner	(213)	4//-0402
Glendale-		(012)	057 0401
Pasadena-63	Chair, Steve Malmberg		257-9491
Central LA-64 2nd THU, Nov. 8, Ed Clark on the Election	Chair, Laurel Fest	(818)	241-1881
LA Press Club, 6:30 PM cocktails, 7 PM din-			
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Downey-65 2nd WED, Nov. 14	Chair, Terry Holloway	(213)	925-7235
South Bay -66 2nd THU, Nov. 8	Chair, Carolyn Treynor	(213)	546-2846
East San Joint meetings with Riverside County	Chair, Gail Lightfoot	(714)	599-1627
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STATE EXCOM TO MEET IN BAKERSFIELD

The Libertarian Party of California Executive Committee will meet in Bakersfield on November 17 and 18. High on the agenda will be planning and budgeting for 1985.

Saturday events will be held in the Hilton Inn conference room at 3535 Rosedale Highway, Bakersfield. The Sunday meeting will be held at the Red Lion Inn, 3100 Camino Del Rio Court.

The LPC's Membership Committee will kick off the weekend with a Membership workshop from 11 AM to 1 PM. All LPC regions are encouraged to send at least one representative to this meeting to help brainstorm with other regional representatives about how to increase regional membership, to keep your members happy, and to make sure they renew.

From 1 PM to 5:30 PM on Saturday, the Fundraising/Membership Committee, Budget Committee, and Contract Services Committee will meet. These meetings are open to all LPC members, and Executive Committee representatives are particularly urged to attend these preliminary meetings in order to be fully prepared for Sunday's meeting of the full Executive Committee.

Saturday night will be party time at the home of Steve and Sandy Martin. Besides the opportunity to meet with Executive Committee members when they "let their hair down," entertainment will be provided by magician Peter Graves.

Sunday's events at the Red Lion include credentialling at 8:30 AM sharp, with the meeting of the full Executive Committee beginning promptly at 9 AM. A luncheon will be available for about \$11, and will feature magician Peter Graves to lighten up the day.

Hotel rates for the weekend are quite reasonable: Red Lion single \$60, double \$68, the nearby Rodeway Inn single \$43, double \$46. The best nearby deal of the weekend, recommended by Kern County Executive Committee Rep. Bob Gaede, is the Hilton, with singles for \$37-\$47 and doubles for \$45-\$55. Motel 6, although several miles away from the meeting site, has singles for \$16.95 and doubles for \$20.95.

Call Kern County LP Chair Dan Lucas, at (805) 366-6660, for more information about the weekend, and to make reservations for Sunday's luncheon.

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LATEST PARTY STANDINGS RELEASED BY SECRETARY OF STATE

record 13 million Californians were eligible to vote this year, according to California's Secretary of State March Fong Eu.

Although Democrats hold the lead with 6,804,263 voters (52.05%), Republicans are gaining in California, with 4,769,110 voters (36.48%).

> Next comes the American Independent Party, with 163,236 voters (1.2%), followed by Libertarians with 64,299 (.49%), and Peace and Freedom with 45,742 (.36%). Miscellaneous other parties total .26% (33,736 voters), and the Decline to State category accounts for 9.1% (1,192,244).

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