News At A Glance

IOWA AND IRELAND: Sexual behavior between consenting adults is now legal in both these states.

MINNEAPOLIS: ACLU takes Baker-PcConnell marriage case to Supreme Court arguing that "the state has not shown any reason...for refusing to sanctify the marital relationship..." Similar court actions are taking place in Los Angeles, MilwaukC, Seattle, and Louisville.

SACRAMENTO, CALI.: Task force of 500 California Democrats urges a national parity platform which would forbid discrimination against homosexuals in government jobs, and in the armed forces.

LOS ANGELES, CA: Clergyman sentenced to 40-day jail term for propositioning a vice cop. ACLU Action Group reports: "Dr. Spock was here the other day, I asked my usual Gay rights questions bias of judge, and constitutionality of prohibiting 'association with known homosexuals' for three years.

LOS ANGELES, CA: Police Chief Davis refused to disclose anything with those who commit felonies. We are going to track the gay 116 groups the same way as female prostitutes—many of them are real criminals. A man who has fallen into their trap has many times been murdered, and many of the unsolved murders are of that nature."

WEST BERLIM, GERMANY: New law permits males to dance together—provided both partners are of the same sex. Many of the Unsolved murders are of that nature."

BUFFALO, NY: Mattachine appears on TV with a bi-weekly newsletter of the University of Rochester Gay Liberation Front.

The University of Rochester Gay Liberation Front is dedicated to the ongoing struggle for gay equality and freedom. We seek liberation from our own fears, and the bigotry and discrimination of straight society. Meetings are held every Sunday at 7:30 pm, Todd Union Music Lounge, University of Rochester River Campus.

The WORLD IS WHAT YOU MAKE IT, LET'S MAKE IT TOGETHER, COME OUT!
The GLF Anti-WU Clinic will be open for the next two Sundays—April 2 and 9, one hour before the weekly GLF meeting at the Todd Union Music Lounge.

**POLICE CLOSE DEViate HANGOUTS**

Rochester NY, April 1. In a series of swift, brilliantly executed raids, police raided several old ladies' homes along Alexander Street. "This area has been known to be a gathering place for this kind of person for years," said the arresting officer. "We then offered them something to eat and drink as a pretext to get inside."

As the old ladies were being hustled into a police van, they were offered the opportunity to change their lives. "We offer them a choice: to give up their old ways and start anew, or to remain in the same old rut."

"Some of them take it, some don't," the officer continued. "But it's always a refreshingly sobering experience for us."

**LOCAL GAY APPOINTED H.S. PRINCIPAL**

Rochester, NY, April 1. The Rochester R School Board appointed Mr. Hoover as principal of the city's newest high school, Alexander Street High. Mr. Hoover, a native of the area and a long-time resident, is well known for his progressive views on gay rights and his commitment to creating a safe and inclusive learning environment.

"I am instituting this day, a Select Service program for gay men and women to help them come to terms with their identity," Mr. Hoover said.

**HELP KEEP GLF GREEN**

If certain members of our office staff have green tongues, it may not be due to illicit activities with the Jolly Green Giant.

GLF is seeking donations of Green Stamps, and other trading stamps to get needed equipment including a color copier for meetings.

Here's your chance to help GLF without great expense or commitment of time. You can mail the stamps to the GLF office, or bring them to meetings.

**CHURCH GROUP GRANTS FUNDS TO GLF**

In the past, less than half of GLF funds have been supplied by the United Church. The remainder comes from fund raising projects, and contributions from private individuals. Supplementing individual contributions for this calendar year is a grant of $1000 from the United Methodist Fund for Reconciliation.

Members of the funding committee, representing Western New York, met in Buffalo 20 March and allocated $1000 to the Rochester GLF, and $1000 to the Federation of the Niagara Frontier (Buffalo). Earlier the same day, Representatives of Hochstein GLF endorsed and supported from the Rochester United Methodist Urban Work Committee, which aided in obtaining the Fund grant.

Under guidelines detailed in our expanded budget, no restrictions were placed on the funding. Buffalo's funds will be used for the various projects we have earmarked for the coming year.

Although other social agencies are being contacted, we will continue to rely heavily on contributions from individuals.

**GAY LITERARY MAGAZINE SEEKS MATERIAL**

It's a long, difficult road between admitting your homosexuality, and accepting it. And growing older in the gay world, the victim, you eliminate the victim, you eliminate the crime."

Asked where the philosophy of preventive arrest might lead, the officer replied, "Eventually, we would hope to lock up everybody, and release only those who can prove that they haven't committed a crime. But even these people shouldn't be much of a problem. Even those innocent of anything else always be re-arrested for loitering in their jail cells."

**SPEAKERS BUREAU NEWS**

GLF representatives recently appeared at Highland High School, speaking on the subject "Social Contributions of Minorities." Another recent engagement was at a Genesee Nursing Home, discussing the role of gay men in the health care field.

In the near future, speakers will appear on WUR radio, at Genesee College, and on a panel at the University of Rochester, one on the Psychology of women, and the other a sex education seminar.

**Distinguishing Fact FROM FANCY**

All articles bearing the dateline "April Fool" are fabrications of the editor's fancy. Prompted by the fact that this is our 13th edition, and it is April Fool, and what is not. The Police chief Davis article is fact, when it seems so incredible. Facts may wish to comment on adjusting the victim, or any other aspect of gay life, but not limited to the theme of admitting accepting homosexuality, displays of fancy should be stopped by 14 April to the GLF office, or through the local paper. Any information can be obtained by calling the GLF office 5-1om.