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.....WARREN-FOREST SUN.....

(7-22-69, Detroit) With the possibility of twenty years imprisonment facing him, John Sinclair, Minister of Information/White Panther Party and his attorneys began their defense in the retrial of Brother John's third dope case. Last month, Judge Colombo of the Recorder's Court Bench in Detroit declared a mistrial after prejudicial remarks were given by the chief prosecution witness, undercover scum pig patrolman Vahan "Louie" KAPIGan. Not only is John on trial for "possession of marijuana, third offense", but the defense team is also challenging the constitutionality of marijuana laws. The challenge is based on the "cruel and/or unusual punishment" for possession of the benevolent weed and the fact that Cannabis Sativa is harmless anyways. (Back in the thirties when marijuana was classified by the federal government as a narcotic, scare tactics and bizarre ruses were given to the unsuspecting American public through the bogus establishment news media, creating a demand for the prohibition of grass which followed.)

No one can really speculate exactly how John's trial can last or what the outcome will be. All we know is that the Detroit pig structure, the local fascist force, is out to get him but his excellent team of revolutionary lawyers, Ravitz, Cockrel, Segosta, etc..., are out to save him (and you too, brother) Dig it, man! You're sitting at that very same table, listening to every word in that very same courtroom because your freedom is on the line, too. Running out to the beach in the early morning with a lid of tokes forgetting about what's going on in Detroit or anywhere in the universe is like scheduling a heart transplant for yourself and going to see a movie on coronary diseases instead.

Get a carload of your friends together, head down to Recorder's Jest Court at 9:00 am and learn. Watch what's going on. We are next. We can't get fucked when our turn comes up. Support John. He is our BROTHER really.....

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

MARIJUANA TO EVERYONE WHO WANTS IT

GET DOWN

(7-22-69) DETROIT -THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN SALUTE JOHN SINCLAIR-WEDNESDAY, JULY 23, 1969-GRANDE BALLROOM- 7TOLL-2.00-PROCEEDS GO TO JOHN'S LAWYERS FOR THEIR TIRELESS EFFORTS AND COSTS IN LEGAL WORK- NO REVOLUTIONARY PERSON CAN MISS THIS-KEEP HEROIC BROTHER JOHN SINCLAIR FREE- - -

Featured at the benefit will be Newsreel movies, a people's trial and high energy jams by the MC5, the Tate Blues Band and hopefully the long awaited return of the UP. Also returning to the scrutinating public eye after getting over gland trouble contacted from a bizarre Zenta experience with the Demon Douse.

On trial for conspiracy to attempt murder and conspiracy to rape the Spirit of Detroit" will be Vahan KAPIGan, the scum narc who befriended then busted Sinclair, Warren Stringfellow and Joseph Brown, Key X narcotics squad ponks who organized the conspiracy. The judge, who really does know about judges will be Kenny Cockrel. People's prosecutor will be Chuck Ravitz, John's court lawyer in the mockery of justice that the pigs are currently presenting every morning at the Recorder's Court.

If the past benefits are any indication of the tempo of this one it Promises to be really bizarre as were the Open City and LSD, benefits of earlier this year. Cosmic Energy and good times are bound to be in the air at the Grande as the bands KICK OUT THE JAMS.

If you don't have the bread, just tell Dave the ticket taker, give what you can afford, walk in and get down. Be there.

COMMUNITY UNITY WILL KILL THE OPPRESSOR'S MORBID SPIRIT- - -

-- - -AND STRENGTHEN OUR LIVING SPIRIT

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