

# Readers Speak Out On What Bothers Them

### Narrow View

**EDITOR:**  
The many supporters of Jerome Dupont for the Democratic nomination for U.S. Congress in the Second Congressional District were greatly disturbed by the narrow view of his candidacy presented by Tim Richard in the Mail a few weeks ago.

While Dupont does advocate an end to the war in Vietnam and a re-evaluation of American foreign policy, Richard does a disservice by calling our candidate a "peace" candidate. Dupont has expressed views on all of the major issues, and the Mail has been kind enough to give attention to many of these positions. Dupont's is by no means a one-issue candidacy. Richard also stirs our candidate by mentioning support only from the Ann Arbor student community. Readers might be interested in the broad support indicated by the persons on Dupont's campaign committee last released last March: Albert F. Schneider, M.D., Professor, Wayne State University; candidate for Mayor of Ann Arbor, 1963; Chairman of 1964 Hart for Senator Committee and 1966 Perency for Governor Committee, Washenaw County.

R.F. Burlingame, D.D.S., practicing dentist in Milan, Geraldine Greeth, Ann Arbor housewife and Democratic precinct chairman.

Robert W. Farnsworth, Instructor at Monroe Community College; candidate for Monroe County Board of Supervisors; 1968 Monroe Citizens for McCarthy chairman.

Garold E. Faye, Instructor at Oakland Community College; 1964 candidate for U.S. Congress; 1964 Co-Chairman Michigan Citizens for Johnson Humphrey; 1968 member Michigan Kennedy for President Committee.

J. Theodore Hefley, Professor at Eastern Michigan University; Chairman EMU Vietnam Committee.

Donald E. Hoff, compositor at Ann Arbor News, member International Typographical Union; 1962 candidate for Ann Arbor City Council.

ALAN H. JONES, Professor at Eastern Michigan University; chairman of Ann Arbor Democratic Party for two terms; Secretary of Michigan Conference of Concerned Democrats.

Nicholas D. Kazanoff, Professor at The University of Michigan; candidate for Ann Arbor Board of Education; chairman of Council for Democratic Direction.

Janet Klaver, Ann Arbor housewife and Democratic precinct chairman.

J.C. Matthes, Professor at The University of Michigan College of Engineering; 1964 District Coordinator for Vivian for Congress campaign; 1966 chairman Washenaw Volunteers for Cavagagh.

Thomas J. Murray, Professor at Eastern Michigan University; Democratic Ward Chairman in Ann Arbor; member Washenaw County Democratic Executive Board; 1968 Executive Director Washenaw Kennedy for President Committee.

Bruce Neal, Executive with Ford Motor Company.

Edward C. Pierce, M.D., in general practice in Ann Arbor; former Ann Arbor City Clerk; 1967 Democratic candidate for Mayor of Ann Arbor; 1968 Chairman Citizens for McCarthy Committee, Second District.

Lauretta Talago, wife of Adrian College Professor; 1968 Lenawee Citizens for McCarthy chairman.

James R. Walter, Professor at Eastern Michigan University; Chairman of Second District Michigan Conference of Concerned Democrats.

Gene B. Wilson, Librarian, Ann Arbor; 1967 candidate for Ann Arbor City Council.

I BELIEVE this list, including persons from all walks of life and all aspects of Democratic party experience in our Congressional District, indicates the general ground-swell of support that Jerry Dupont is enjoying this year in his campaign for Congress.

I hope that Richard's future articles on the campaign will take cognizance of this fact.

ROBERT A. CUMMINS  
Wayne II Coordinator  
Dupont for Congress Committee

### Affluent Slums

**EDITOR:**  
Do you recognize it? It is where you live. This affluent slum is a neighborhood a mile from the city center. It's a beautiful, attractive enclave, bounded by

churches. Homes, the owners are proud to boast, are now selling higher than ever before. From \$18,000 to \$30,000. There's a summer recreation program for children from six to 14, and pools in at least one of the backyards.

Stunt? Certainly not the usual description of such. But, remember, this is the affluent slum, because there's nothing for the boys 14 to 16 to do, maybe 18 to 18, as well. Slum, because there is no place to go. No place, except to that modern little elementary school, where bottles can be broken, beer bottles can be smashed, paint can be sprayed. Where there's a little privacy with their own kind.

SLUM, BECAUSE in many cases both parents work, to remain affluent to be sure. Slum, because children on the street with nothing to do, Pansied recreation rooms, pool tables, ping pong tables, but "nothing to do." Dellingquent? Not one of them. Realists? Yes, Bored? Yes, Bad? No.

What ever happened to moving the lawn? Trimming the trees? Washing the windows? What is wrong with knowing where your child is? Who are his friends? What are they doing?

Windows were broken at Vandenberg School by rocks and mud, probably at others, too. Thrown, no doubt, by boys (and girls) who live in this "affluent slum," who loved and were proud of their school when they attended it.

Where is their love and pride now? Where is their responsibility to their neighborhood and to society? Where are their parents? We are their parents!

POST SCRIPT:  
Where should they be? Why are we not reaching them? In this concerned society, can we supply them with a "private pad" where pop can be consumed, where drums and guitars are welcome?

This affluent society provides the means for much pleasure but not the place. Surely there is an empty store, a church game room, a school gym that can be turned into a "teen pad." Or, how about at home?

They might even sit down occasionally and discuss how they can be useful in our society, rather, in "their" society. Doesn't the future rest with them?

IRATE CITIZEN

### Doubts Findings

**EDITOR:**  
If 24 per cent of Garden City's household heads received high school diplomas and 33.1 per cent have college training compared to suburban Wayne ratio of 21.6 per cent with high school graduates and 27.7 per cent with college training, then why do seven out of 10 Garden City household heads, or 67.1 per cent, have blue collar jobs compared to suburban Wayne County's 56.4 per cent?

Either Garden City residents are getting the short end of higher education or they are smart enough to know that the man with the blue collar makes more money.

Perhaps TALUS has a better explanation or they should take another look at the color of shirts worn to work.

STANLEY GLAMB

### Hospital Thankful

**EDITOR:**  
The St. Mary Hospital staff wishes to commend the Livonia Fire Department, the Department of Public Works and the Detroit Edison Company for the prompt and efficient cooperation they rendered St. Mary Hospital during the recent flood.

I had the appeal for help from our loyal and devoted employees and volunteers been delayed or denied, a situation would have arisen which would force the hospital to evacuate patients and to discontinue all emergency and elective medical services.

With civic pride and truly sincere appreciation,  
SISTER MARY COLUMBINE,

Administrator,  
St. Mary Hospital

### Share Taxes

**EDITOR:**  
I would like to talk to Charles C. Lockwood, who wrote a letter on "Poor People Pay." We can all talk a lot about the unfairness of this situation, but I'm asking what can we do about it?

I don't think the poor people should continue to bear this burden. Taxes should be shared equally by everyone in this country, no matter who you are and what you earn.

MRS. W.F. GREEN  
P.S. Mail United for Sane Thought must be thinking. Stay with it.

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