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Apparently Pesonen & Company are entering new areas of combat, but keeping an eye on Bodega.

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MORTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION TO PR RVE BODEGA HEAD AND HARBOR, IN P.O. Box 964 Berkeley, California

December 14, 1964

Dear Friend of Bodega Bay:

Between the years 1957 and 1961, when the Bodega controversy was taking shape, there was a point at which a strong posture by the administration or the faculty at the University of California might have stopped PG&E and made our long and difficult fight in subsequent years unnecessary.

But, for various reasons, the University bowed to PG&E's interests; the faculty was given to understand that it was not to oppose FG&E; and few of us will forget the humiliating performance of the Chancellor's representative at the Public Utilities Commission hearings in 1962. All too often the administration seemed to fulfill a policy described in Clark Kerr's book, The Uses of the University: "If we can't have the best at least we can avoid the worst.

Whatever pressures were brought to bear on the administration (and whether they came from the AEC or PG&E is not important here), it is likely that they were effective only because the faculty involved in the Bodega Marine Laboratory was divided, uncertain, and, most importantly, subservient to the administration.

Thus perhaps the most important and far-reaching consequence of the recent events on the Berkeley campus is that the faculty has reaffirmed (and, in a very real sense, reacquired) a dignity, courage and moral insight that is rare in any university. The faculty has shown a profound sense of its rightful role in the conduct of the University -- a role that was cruelly denied at Bodega. It would be tragic if this outgrowth of the Free Speech Movement were to evaporate through a public (or Board of Regents) misapprehension of its nature, cause and consequences. It is indeed a matter of free speech -- but the larger benefits may be in the area of freedom for the faculty rather than in freedom for the students.

There is a possibility that in a few years PG&E will again attempt to build a nuclear power plant on Bodega Head, after the present opposition has dwindled and dispersed. But at this moment the University is constructing the Bodega Marine Laboratory on Bodega Head, while PG&E would have to start from scratch to build another power plant. I am confident that if the present sense of freedom and dignity in the faculty can be sustained, the principal opposition to a revival of PG&E's plans on Bodega Head will come from the faculty at the Bodega Marine Laboratory.

Thus this association has a deep stake in the "bonus" effects of the Free Speech Movement, if not directly in the central objectives. For this reason the recommendations of the Academic Senate adopted on December 8th are our best insurance against a revival of the Battle of Bodega Bay in four or five years' time. And it is for this reason that we are enclosing the position paper of the FSM for your information.

David E. Pesonen, Executive Secretary

P.S. The Association has incurred no costs in connection with the mailing of the FSM enclosure.

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per year. BUT, the lause out to terminated by the company at the company's option on 30 days' notice. And the county is specifically pro-nibited from declaring the land dedicated to purlic upe.

Why toes FORE want to retain title to land that was conformed specifically for a power plant? Why did the supervisors of the sounty shout down requests for a delay to study the lease before approving it? Officially, the supervisors had only a few minutes to review the lease provisions, but it seems clear that the meeting was arranged in secret by FO&I

ani the pounty long beforehand.

After a discreet delay FOLE could easily attempt again to fucild a nuclear power plant at Bodega Hear. As sannot let this happen. A state park is the only certain way to incore that our hard work and the years of expensive

grief shall not be in vain.

Letters niw to be Onarles JeDura, Director of the Department of Tarky and Regrestion for Lacramento are urgently needed -- insisting that the study now under way for acquisition of Bodega Hend under the provisions of the Fark and Recreation Bond Act include 1 recommendation that the state's power of sonderna-

tion be used to acquire Bodega Head.

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