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Accusation Denied By Community

ORLEANS, Mass. (AP) — Defectors claim a Cape Cod religious community has forced congregants to kick, slap and spit on one another for breaking rules, but the order denied the accusations in a report published today.

John T. Sorenson, 32, a former member of the Community of Jesus and son of founder Judy Sorenson, reportedly told the Cape Cod Times of Hyannis that he and other members had kicked two men in the buttocks during a punishment session in the past week.

He said the men were accused of rejecting the community's guidelines. Margaret Guyer, 36, who left the Cape Cod community last month with her husband, Arthur, 48, told the newspaper that other members argued for her husband, the Times said.

She did so, she said, although she had never slapped him before.

She said she was forced to remain silent — except to protest — one day a week for six months when she was sent for "rehabilitation" to a Bermuda organization linked to the community.

"We do not know of any physical, emotional or threat of physical abuse," Barbara S. Manton, the community's executive secretary, said in a statement reported in a Times two-part series ending today.

"No one has ever been forced to do anything in the Community of Jesus," 14 courts, it claims to concern to be misunderstood and misquoted. However, negative criticism does not make us bitter or self-defensive, nor does it even set us from the path that God is calling us to walk."

Legal Notice

The Finance Committee of the Town of Orange will hold its budget hearing for use of Revenue Sharing funds at the regular meeting April 27, 1985 at 7:00 P.M. in the Town Hall. The amount of Revenue Sharing funds available for appropriation is \$124,512.66. The proposed budget may be examined on weekdays at the Town Clerk's office between 7:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M. Any citizen has a right to submit written or oral comment on budget allocations.

Summary	Total of all funds	Revenue Sharing funds
General Government	258,800.00	0
Protection of Persons & Property	529,812.00	0
Health and Services	20,748.00	0
Highways	222,275.00	0
Water and Sewer	42,400.00	0
Education	2,362,520.00	0
Library Dept.	14,400.00	0
Recreation and Unclassified	206,770.00	0
Enterprise and Commission	206,770.00	0
Interest and Debt	\$2,200,000.00	\$150,000.00

From: Finance Committee
 Date: April 10, 1985
 Orange Finance Committee



FINNISH FOLK DANCERS—The Finnish Folk Dancers of Fitchburg will perform Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in Whitney Hall, South Royalston. The program is presented by the Royalston Arts Council and funded by the Royalston Academy. Admission is free and refreshments will be served.

Western Mass. Briefs

SHOOTING—Springfield, Mass. (AP) — Springfield Police Chief Paul J. Preston has identified the officer who critically wounded a burglarly suspect, but has declined further comment pending completion of a departmental investigation.

Preston said Patrolman Norman Charest, who joined the department in December 1982, shot John B. Barrows, 24, wounding him in the arm and abdomen following a confrontation Sunday on a porch in the Indian Orchard section of the city.

The chief said Tuesday he has assigned Charest to drink duty pending receipt of the department's report by Hampden County District Attorney Matthew J. Ryan Jr.

Barrows, who remained in critical condition under police guard at Springfield Hospital, was charged with nighttime burglary and larceny in a 1-30 a.m. bust at an Indian Orchard sporting goods store about three blocks from the home where he was shot.

Detective Capt. Ernest Bostar said Barrows was arrested at the time of the shooting, but four rifles taken from the sporting goods store were recovered before a nearby house.

PRINCIPAL—High school students Tuesday night for a meeting in which school administrators backed off and said students can wear just about anything they want as long as it does not disrupt the classroom.

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School Officials Back Off

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Officials at St. Ann's Anthony Junior High School on Tuesday night backed off a ban on "punk" hairstyles, studded bracelets and studded clothing that sparked a protest demonstration by hundreds of students.

Four students were arrested during the March 28 demonstration to protest the ban.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT DEPARTMENT
OF THE TRIAL COURT,

TO HELEN J. MARK and ROSE B. MARK, both of Franklin County, both of said Commonwealth, and all persons entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers and Sailors Civil Relief Act of 1942 as amended: **KENNETH A. WHITE and SIOBHAN D. WHITE**, both of New Salem, Franklin County, both of said Commonwealth, claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in said Commonwealth.

Mark and White, given by Helen J. Mark and Rose B. Mark to plaintiffs, dated July 8, 1982, recorded with Worcester County Worcester District Registry of Deeds, Book 706, Page 302, have filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner provided by said statute and to receive for any and all proceeds and surplus of the property.

If you are notified in the benefits of the Soldiers and Sailors Civil Relief Act of 1942 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court of Boston on or before the thirtieth day of May 1985, or you may be forever barred from asserting your defenses in a proceeding under said act.

Witness: WILLIAM J. BARNHALL, Chief Justice of said Court this twenty-second day of March 1985.

Charles W. Trumble, Jr., Recorder
 April 10, 1985

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