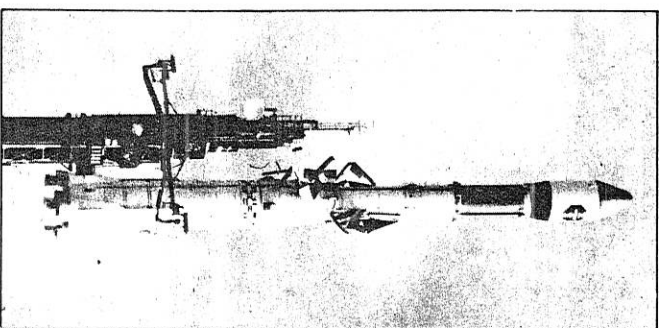


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look for alternatives and prepare for a new age of discovery and freedom.

**SPEAKERS**

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**Gary Hudson** has been an active participant in the space industrialization field for the last 12 years. In 1980 he started G.C.H., Inc., an engineering research and development corporation based in the San Francisco Bay area, to design and prototype launch vehicle systems for commercial use. Educated in physics and medicine, Hudson will soon publish a book entitled *Beyond Earth: A Personal View of Space Civilization*, as well as a textbook on the physics and economics of space transportation systems. Hudson was responsible for the design and construction of the much-publicized "Percheron" launch vehicle.

**Jeffrey R. Hummel** is a contributing editor of *Free Texas* and *Galber*. Hummel is a Ph.D. (History) candidate at the University of Texas, and a former tank platoon commander in the U.S. Army. Currently, Hummel is working on a book dealing with foreign policy and national defense.



Jeff Hummel

**Robert LeFevre**

**Robert LeFevre** has been a fountainhead of the west coast libertarian movement. With an extensive career in both broadcasting and journalism, LeFevre is the founder of the Freedom School in the Colorado Mountains (later renamed Rampart College). LeFevre has authored over half-a-dozen books, and writes a weekly newspaper column for the Freedom News-papers, Inc. chain.



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Wendy McElroy

**James Gallagher** has been a computer consultant for seven years. A former Green Beret, Gallagher has given seminars on the computer industry and economics. He is president of James Gallagher & Associates and was a candidate for California Assembly in 1978 in the 73rd District. He attended the University of Maryland and the University of California, Irvine.



Jim Gallagher

**Anthony Hargis** was born and raised in El Paso, Texas. Author of several books on gold accounting and business trusts (*In Gold I Trust*, *Law v. Freedom and The Measure of Freedom*). Anthony established a business trust company in 1976 in California.

**Sarah Foster** is a professional writer for several magazines, including *Reason and Libertarian Vanguard*. She has a BA in anthropology from Berkeley and a MA in folklore and mythology from UCLA. Active in the California Libertarian Party. Sarah has written extensive articles about the New Hebrides.



Sarah Foster

**Spencer MacCallum** did his undergraduate work at Princeton and later received his MA from the University of Washington in social anthropology. Director of the Heather Foundation, MacCallum has written one book entitled *The Art Of Community* which explores the field of proprietary communities.

**Samuel E. Konkin III** is editor of *New Libertarian* and *The Smart Set*. Author of *New Libertarian Manifesto* and *Counter-Economics*, Konkin earned his MS in Theoretical Chemistry at New York University. Born in Canada, Konkin is the founder of the Libertarian Alliance, and a leader in the New Libertarian Alliance.



Samuel E. Konkin III

**Carol Moore** studied science and economics at Ohio Wesleyan and Wayne State University. She has been active in non-violent action groups such as the Coalition for Direct Action at Seabrook and Dr. Gene Sharp's non-violence movement in New York. She is a former activist in the New York Free Libertarian Party.



Carol Moore

## SCHEDULE

### 9:00-9:30 am.—Wendy McElroy

Many non-government communities were built in 19th century America, most noticeably by Josiah Warren. (*History of 19th Century Libertarian Communities*).

### 9:30—10:00 am — Sarah Foster

The main support for the revolt in the New Hebrides came from libertarians in the 1970's and '80's. The largest island in the New Hebrides chain almost became independent, and might have developed into a libertarian freeport (*Why the New Hebrides Failed*).

### 10:00—10:30 am.—Spencer MacCallum

**Spencer MacCallum** will speak about a little-known free country movement call the Atlantis Project. Werner Stiefel, owner of a multinational corporation, built concrete foundation on a Caribbean reef to begin an "Atlantis Corporation" in the 1970's (*Lessons Learned from the Atlantis Experiment*).

### 10:30—11:00 am.—James Gallagher

Most of the California coastal islands south of Santa Barbara are still claimed by Mexico. Several of the islands are owned entirely by private individuals. Gallagher will speak about an interesting movement that is trying to persuade owners of these islands, including Catalina, to break with the U.S. (*Independence Movement for California's Coastal Islands*).

### 11:00—12:00 noon — Gary Hudson

The concept of floating cities has been around for years. Hudson has worked on such concept, considering especially the question of how to make such an enterprise profitable. Some of Hudson's ideas include a floating city off the coast of Los Angeles, which would provide fresh water, food and energy for Southern California, and possibly serve as a base to launch commercially oriented rockets into space. (*Free Port of Earth: The Case for Floating Cities*)

### 12:00—12:30 pm.—Reception

No-host bar

### 12:30—1:15 pm.—Luncheon

### 1:15—2:00 pm.—Robert LeFevre

Well-known for his wit and charm, LeFevre's speech is entitled "We Did It Before".

### 2:00—2:30 pm.—Anthony Hargis

Hargis has been in the forefront of gold accounting and free market communities designed to be built within United States. By using his techniques, Hargis believes that most of the government's regulations and controls can be circumvented (*Individual Seession*).

### 2:30—3:00 pm.—Film

**Karl Hess: Towards Liberty** is an Academy-Award winning film (1980) that deals with personal liberty, decentralism, and do-it-yourself, small-scale technology. Hess, who built his own home, was a speechwriter for Sen. Barry Goldwater in the 1960's before becoming decentralist.

### 3:00—4:00 pm.—Round Table Discussions (Audience Participation)

For 60 minutes, the audience will gather around tables marked with topics to be discussed. Each table will have a different topic or concept; for example, Freeports, Space Colonies, Non-Government Currency.

### 4:00—5:00 pm.—PANEL: Jeffrey Hummel, Samuel E. Konkin III and Carol Moore

Each panelist will talk of alternatives to defending a free, non-government community from outside invaders (*How to Protect A Free, Non-Government Community from Governments*).

An informal party is scheduled afterwards (7:30 pm.) at a private residence in Lakewood (BYOB).

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