

## TAX IS THEFT!

On April 14, across the United States, libertarians will show their convictions to the inhabitants of this country. Formally and spectacularly, they will withdraw their sanction from the Highway Robbery legitimized by their neighbours. In Ithaca and Salt Lake City, Philadelphia and Houston, White Plains and Mount Pleasant, Los Angeles and Detroit, San Jose and Hartford, Wichita and Honolulu, Cleveland and Atlanta, St. Louis and Poughkeepsie, and in other cities, libertarians will demonstrate. Demonstrate their unshakeable belief that a man's property is his by right. Demonstrate their unswerving devotion to justice which is not subject to the capriciousness of others around. Demonstrate their undeniable conclusion that TAX IS THEFT!

And the eyes of the Establishment will focus on New York City.

New York, the brain casing of the Media. New York, the nation's largest metropolis, and hence likely source of the largest turnout. New York, the Big Apple, where the action is. And what will the world see?

That depends on YOU! The Libertarian Alliance is "organizing" the demonstration — a grouping without membership requirements, statements of principle, or dues — one to which no one can have reasonable objections to "associating" with. The largest action-oriented libertarian groups are formally participating — the New York Libertarian Association, Free Libertarian Party radical caucus, Student Libertarian Action Movement, and the Libertarian Tax Rebellion Committee, with the Society for Individual Liberty co-ordinating the demonstration nationally. But that is paper — fodder for the press. Where will YOU be?

Complaints abound about Library Libertarians: those who talk freedom but fail to act for it. How many times have YOU complained? Now is YOUR chance to distinguish YOURSELF from these movement drones. Now is YOUR chance to show the movement and YOURSELF that YOU are willing to fight for freedom, not just bore people with a memorized litany. Now is YOUR chance to be a Man, to be a Woman — not a cringing, complying cipher who is allowed to say naughty words like "laissez faire" if he is otherwise well-behaved. NOW is YOUR chance!

10 AM, Saturday, April 14, we assemble in front of the IRS Centre, 120 Church Street in Southern Manhattan. We shall have pamphlets and run guerrilla theatre throughout the day. Bring your own slogans and placards, and whatever else you dream up — you are an independent, creative individual. Kenneth Kalcheim (LTRC) will bring a literature table and set it up in the Monster's Lair. Kenneth Kalcheim will ignite his IRS Tax Court Summons and raze his tax records. Ken is putting his life on the line for his right to it. We'll be there with him. And YOU?

New York will turn out the biggest all-libertarian demonstration in history — and YOU shall say in future years, "I was there on April 14 — when it all began!" Or it will fail, and "laissez faire" and "property" will vanish from the Newspeak at the stroke of a thought-controller's pen.

There will always be the next demonstration, of course. The one which begins with the front door splintering under the jack-boot, the muzzles facing you and the leather-covered arms locking into yours. Then you can defiantly whisper, "But you...you can't...I have a right..."

"Silence, 301-26-4904. This and you are the State's. April 15 is here."

But you will have struck first, April 14, with us. See you there.  
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— Samuel Edward Konkin III for LA, FLPrC