

For Class 9

Please read for class:
"Reefer Madness"

I mentioned in class last time the dilemma that strikes me when thinking about legalization of marijuana: given the history of the tobacco, liquor, and pharmaceutical industries, which would likely capture the pot? And how exactly would you like to see the weed market developing industrially? Or not. Discuss online.

For Section, read:

The Scapegoat Generation: America's War on Adolescents "Doped on Duplicity"

"Becoming a Marijuana User"

Forces of Habit (Read Ch.2)

Discuss in a page the arguments that each makes as to how "youths" come to use marijuana. State clearly the kind of evidence that each uses. Why are they so different? Is one more right than the others?