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## Tony Award-Winning Harvey Fierstein Looks at Success, Gay Life

By Steve Warren  
Via Gay Press Association Wire Service

Playwright/actor Harvey Fierstein once went through a two and one-half year period of voluntary celibacy. "It was great—I got so much work done!" he half-jokes, beginning a story that must someday find its way into a play.

It didn't begin by choice. "What happened was I didn't have enough money to take a subway into Manhattan (from Brooklyn) to get laid; so that created a situation of celibacy. And if I did have the 75 cents to get into Manhattan, I didn't have the dollar to buy the beer to stand in the bar, and they would throw me out."

Then the struggles to get *Torch Song Trilogy* staged without compromise paid off, providing a modest but steady income. After Tony awards for Best Play and Best Actor, that income has multiplied with the addition of a national touring company, an Australian company and soon a London company in which Fierstein may star.

*Torch Song Trilogy* will become the inevitable "major motion picture" in the spring of 1985, Fierstein says. "I'll write it and probably star and maybe even produce." It will be an independent production so he can retain control and keep his three and one-half hour play from being cut.

While *Torch Song* was working its way to Broadway and trying to build an audience there, Fierstein's talent was recognized by Allan Carr, the flamboyant film producer (*Grease*, *Can't Stop the Music*) who owned the American stage rights to *La Cage aux Folles* and had been trying for years to mount a musical version.

Like Yenta the Matchmaker on a good

*'I'm Cinderella and hopefully midnight won't come too soon.'*

day, Carr brought together Fierstein (book), Jerry Herman (songs) and Arthur Laurents (direction) and turned them loose on Jean Poiret's original French script. Fierstein says Carr never bothered them until they had completed the first act. When they read that for him, he loved it and let them finish the show without interference.

Not expecting to like it, Fierstein had avoided seeing the movie. Now he says he would never have accepted the assign-

ment if he had seen it. When he finally did after his own script was completed, he was so upset by Albin's self-hatred, he says, "I went home and called Arthur Laurents at like three in the morning and said, *La Cage aux Folles* the play will have to run for 20 years to sold-out houses to undo the damage that *La Cage aux Folles* the movie is doing."

While he didn't derive the satisfaction from adapting someone else's work that he gets from creating something himself, Fierstein enjoyed the collaborative process: "The three of us worked day and night together. I loved that relationship and had a ball doing it and now have two closest friends in the world...but as far as artistic satisfaction it's a little bit better to go home and jerk off."

As for George Hearn and Gene Barry, who play the leads in *La Cage aux Folles*, announcing their heterosexuality in every interview, Fierstein believes "the press went out for that angle." He's pleased that

Hearn finally tired of it and "said the other day, 'I'm not letting anybody say I'm heterosexual anymore.'"

He wouldn't insist on a gay actor playing the lead in the film version of *Torch Song Trilogy*, Fierstein says, denying that he rejected Richard Dreyfuss for that reason: "I just think that when it comes to playing *Torch Song*, that it's a hell of a lot easier to play it if you're gay....

"If I play it, I'll have to turn gay!"

Because Fierstein created the role of Arnold Beckoff for himself, it's widely assumed that the play is autobiographical. He says this isn't true—"any more than *A Streetcar Named Desire* is autobiographical." A lover did leave Harvey for a woman, but he didn't come back as Arnold's does. Nor did Harvey ever have a lover who was killed by fag bashers. And the mother, he says, is not his mother, though he thinks any gay man will relate to their confrontation.

It becomes apparent at the San Fran-

cisco press conference—the first he's ever held, incidentally—that the most recognizable part of Fierstein in *Torch Song Trilogy* is his philosophy—an extremely conservative one favoring committed relationships and even a gay version of the nuclear family.

"Marriage, family commitment, love—are not heterosexual words," he declares. "Those are human experiences and have got to be taken as such."

"I am not against one-night stands and living that kind of life. I'm against it at the

*'I would like to show all the life choices there are. You can live any way you like, but know that the choices are there.'*

moment, because we've got a disease that we've got to control and we've gotta take very seriously.

"I am very FOR setting your life goals. I don't see how—for me anyway—that I could have continued my life by running around a lot and gotten my work done." (I told you he was just half-joking before.)

Fierstein carries his crusade a step further: "I would like politically to get past the point where we discuss whether homosexuality is a sickness, is a condition, is a 'born with,' is a—whatever. I don't think all those arguments get you anywhere."

"Once you accept homosexuality, there's a great role...I think gays can play—and that is in adoption. I know many gay homes that would love to adopt children; and we could—if they would...finally accept us as loving human beings....

"We've got the money to take in the unwanted children—the severely retarded, the (physically and) emotionally handicapped—and I think it's time we were allowed to play our role in the this world. We could close down every orphanage in this country, maybe the world—if it was allowed. Those children have a right to be in loving homes instead of being in institutions. I think it's time to let us give it a try."

Although this message comes across in *Torch Song* and—except for the adoption part—*La Cage*, Fierstein says he doesn't

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Harvey Fierstein



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## Joe Baker's Column

## White's New Prison Term Will Last Rest of His Life

By Joe Baker

Somewhere in Los Angeles amid the seven million people who live and work there is a man who virtually got away with murder.

In the dark, still of the night, he wonders if that noise he hears outside his bedroom window is that of his executioner.

Driving along one of California's busy freeways, he feels uneasy because that car behind him is following so close. The car has been following him for miles. Why doesn't it pass, the man wonders?

In a neighborhood grocery store, a group of men are staring at him. "I know they've got to be gay," he says to himself.

When he answers his telephone, no one speaks. All that can be heard is heavy breathing.

One night a rock is thrown through a window in his house. Attached is a note. It reads: "We know where you are. Your life isn't worth this rock. Your days are numbered."

Everytime he puts his keys in his car's ignition, he stops and thinks. "Is it rigged to a bomb?" "Will this be the end?"

He doesn't feel safe in his home. He doesn't feel safe in public. Crowds scare him, but so does being alone.

On Friday, Jan. 6, Dan White ended one prison sentence and began another. This one will last the rest of his life. White's new prison is one of fear—a fear that someday, sometime when he least expects it, someone will take away his life.

White, the killer of San Francisco Mayor George Moscone and openly-gay Supervisor Harvey Milk, is afraid that he will be the target of a killer.

Life has become a living hell for him. For a long time—maybe never—there will

be no peace. He can no longer depend on the protection of a safe California prison.

There are no walls in White's new prison. There is no one to protect him.

Maybe White's life has not gotten to this point just yet, but it soon will.

White, who was released from prison after serving only five and one-half years for the murders of the two San Francisco public officials, was placed in Los Angeles for his one-year parole term.

The exact location on his whereabouts was not revealed because parole officials believe his life is in danger.

The fact that Los Angeles is so spread out—seven million people living within 4,000 square miles—was the chief reason

prison officials chose it.

But because Los Angeles is the media capital of the West Coast—and is home to more celebrities than any other city in the world—officials admit that it will be almost impossible to keep White out of the public eye for very long.

It won't be long before White is spotted. It won't be long before White's place of employment is found out. It won't be long before White's home address is circulated throughout gay communities across California and the country.

Yes, then White's second prison term will really begin. But even now his life must be most uncomfortable.

On the day last month that White was released from prison, thousands of gays in San Francisco and Los Angeles held large demonstrations to protest this great miscarriage of justice.

The men and women wanted to express their anger over the light sentence White had received and his parole from prison. In the air was a very strong mood for revenge.

People wore "Dan White Hit Squad" buttons and sang: "Oh, Danny Boy! Where're gonna go? Someone's gonna find ya, wherever ya go!"

There are a lot of people—both gay and straight—who would like to see White become the victim of a killer—"an eye for an eye" philosophy.

But that really is too easy of a way out for White. That's an even lighter sentence than the one he originally received.

I have no doubt that somebody is going to try to kill White, though, and maybe the person will even succeed. I really think that would be unfortunate.

The worst punishment and sentence White could receive is the one he began on Jan. 6 when he was paroled. To have to live the rest of his life in fear is the only suitable way for him to live. The "not knowing when" is the most desirable method of revenge.

I hope White has a long—and fearful—life. I hope it is filled with stress and anxiety. I hope he is never able to completely relax.

White deserves this punishment—not only because of his two murderous acts—but moreso because he has yet to show any remorse for the killings.

He is not sorry for what he did and still maintains that he was the real victim. The gay movement drove him to his brief moment of insanity, he says.

When White shot Moscone and Milk, he was in actuality aiming at the gay movement. One of the speakers at a protest rally in San Francisco probably said it best: "Dan White failed. He missed. We've come out of this even stronger and more unified."

## DGA to Focus on Gay Side of Love and Money

February's general membership meeting of the Dallas Gay Alliance will concentrate on the gay side of love and money at their meeting to be held Monday, Feb. 13, at 7:30 p.m. at the MCC Building, Reagan at Brown.

A certified public accountant will address the issue of tax information and planning for gays and gay couples, and should prove especially valuable to couples who share incomes or who wish to invest money together.

And since the meeting is scheduled for the day before Valentine's Day, five members of the community will present their views on, "What Is This Thing Called Love?"

For more information, call Bill Nelson at 521-8919 or 826-7467 (evenings).

## Ready for the Perfect Roommate?

How do you find the ideal roommate? Ask Scott Orbach: he got so many clunkers in college that he wrote a book on the subject, reports the *Denver Post*.

*How to Get a Great Roommate* suggests you make a list of what you are looking for in terms of cleanliness, pets, bills, furniture, food, politics, drugs and social life.

Take your time, Orbach says, and interview only those who fit your minimum personal preferences.

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The official press is full of horror stories like the one about the fishing boat crew who were so overcome by Western materialism they sold their nets for Levis and whiskey.

Radio Moscow says it's nothing less than "ideological sabotage," and the Kremlin is fighting back with indoctrination classes to put the seamen on their guard.

Among other temptations to avoid: religious crosses, cigarette lighters, and that perennial enemy of the state, rock 'n' roll.

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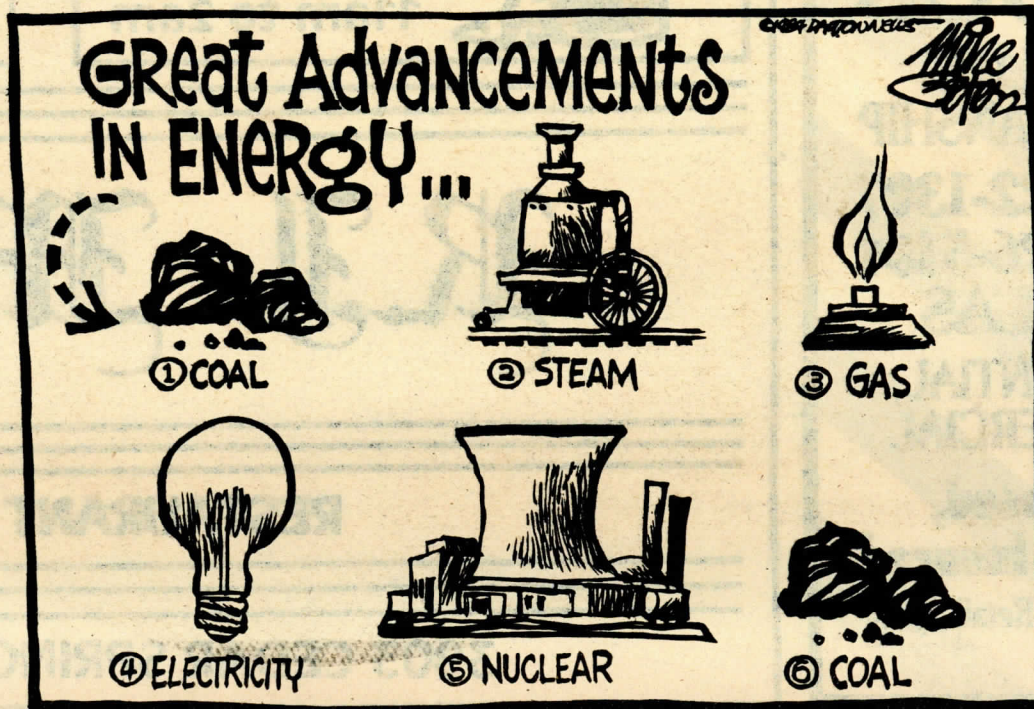
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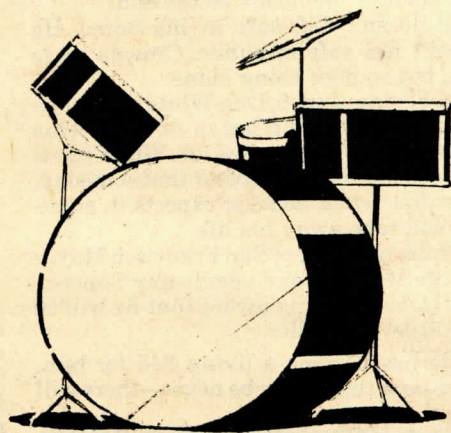
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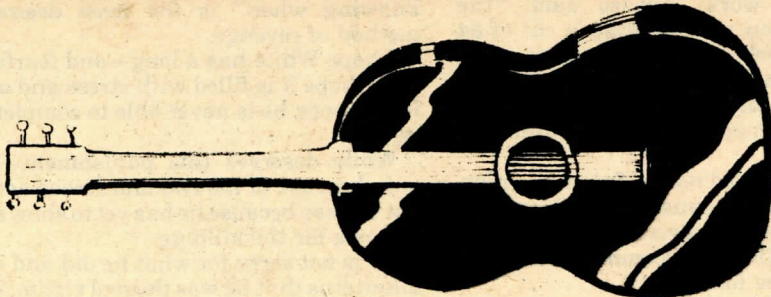


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## Dallas Gay Community Launches 'Pride III '84'

By Don Ritz

"Pride III '84" was adopted as the title in an open forum at the Old Plantation on Sunday, Feb. 5, for the three gay pride events planned for this year.

The three events include National Gay Pride Week, the 21.06 Freedom Celebration and the Texas Freedom Festival.

Plans made for Pride III '84 were developed by its steering committee, which includes representatives from Dallas Tavern Guild, Dallas Gay Alliance, Oak Lawn Symphonic Band, Caven Enterprises, Human Rights Campaign Fund, Friends and Relatives of Gays, Gay and Lesbian Student Support Organization (SMU), Gay Hispanic Task Force, GRACE, LAMBDA, Oak Lawn Counseling Center, Oak Lawn Softball Association, Oak Lawn Tennis Association, Pegasus Volleyball Association, Razzle Dazzle Dallas, Safeplace and various retail businesses and services, social clubs, women's bars and interests.

With the slogan "Unity and More in '84," which has been adopted nationally, Dallas will celebrate National Gay Pride Week during the week of June 23-30.

Gay Pride Week started as a commemoration of the riot at the Stonewall bar in Greenwich Village, New York City, on June 27, 1969. The riot marked the first defiant stand taken by gay men and women against police harassment and social injustice.

Activities that have been planned for Gay Pride Week include musical entertainment on Saturday, June 23, with the participation of Turtle Creek Chorale, Community Productions, Little Feather Productions and Oak Lawn Symphonic Band. Turtle Creek Chorale will also have concerts on June 26, 29 and 30.

G.R.A.C.E., an umbrella organization of many gay religious groups, will coordinate a candlelight service on June 27 in commemoration of the Stonewall riots. Dallas bars will sponsor events on the same night.

Oak Lawn Softball Association will sponsor a tournament on Saturday, June 30. Razzle Dazzle Dallas will occur later that same evening.

The 21.06 Freedom Celebration will be held Aug. 17-19. This weekend of events will honor the anniversary of the date on which Section 21.06 of the Texas State Penal Code was ruled unconstitutional. (Section 21.06, the "homosexual conduct" law, was overturned by Federal District Court Judge Jerry Buchmeyer on Aug. 17, 1982).

A cocktail party at 4001 and a banquet on August 17 have been planned.

The Texas Freedom Festival will occur the week of September 16-23. "The Big Event," a carnival sponsored by the Dallas Tavern Guild, will be on Sunday, Sept. 16. The Texas Command Performance, sponsored by the Dallas Gay Alliance, has been tentatively scheduled for Sept. 21. The date of the Human Rights Campaign Fund Dinner has been tentatively set for Sept. 22. The Texas Gay Pride Parade and Rally will occur on Sunday, Sept. 23. The members of the Dallas Tavern Guild will be sponsoring events each day of the week.

Any organization which wishes to promote its events as part of Pride III '84 may

do so by contacting a member of the publicity committee or a representative of the Pride III '84 Steering Committee. Members of the Publicity Committee include Charles Armstrong, Joncy Mundo, Laurie Hewitt and Mike Stewart.

Tentative deadlines for promotion are May 15 for activities in June, July 15 for the 21.06 Freedom Celebration in August, and Aug. 15 for the Texas Freedom Festival in September.

The publicity committee is also soliciting proposals for themes and logos for each of the events.

The meeting on Feb. 5 was well represented and open to all interested individuals. The next scheduled open forum is March 18, 2 p.m., at the Round-Up Saloon.

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## Americans Still Crave Dessert

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Says a spokesman for Nick's: "Our customers aren't concerned about calories."

Adds one happy diner: "I be damned if I'm going to get fat for a mere Hershey bar."



## 'We Don't Rent to Faggots,' Some Landlords May Say

By Dan Bradley  
Via Gay Press Association Wire Service

Recently a very angry man stopped by the office with a complaint against the owner of an apartment building. Tom (not his real name) was a certified public accountant and was in the process of moving to Miami from Chicago. He had recently accepted a position with a large accounting firm.

For several days, he had searched the *Miami Herald* looking for an apartment. After inspecting several buildings, he finally found the perfect apartment and went to the rental office to complete the application. Before he completed the forms, the resident manager arrived, asked a few questions and said, "You are wasting your time. We don't rent to faggots."

After a few heated words, Tom left and called my office for an appointment. Still very angry, he stated that he wanted to take legal action against the manager. Tom was even more upset when I informed him that unfortunately there was nothing that he could legally do.

The simple fact is that lesbian and gay people have almost no legal protections against discrimination in housing. (Austin is an exception here in Texas). We may be denied the rental of an apartment solely because of our homosexuality. Only two states and several large cities have passed laws protecting gay people against bigoted landlords.

During the past hundred years, Congress has passed several laws prohibiting discrimination in housing. All of these laws were passed to protect people from discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, natural origin and sex. However, Congress has not passed a law protecting gay people from discrimination. There is now pending an amendment to the 1964 Civil Rights Act extending legal protection in certain areas to gay people, but there is no possibility that it will pass in the near future.

California and Wisconsin are the two states which have passed laws protecting gay people, as have the cities of Madison, Columbus, Ann Arbor, Austin, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Washington, D.C.

Throughout history, landlords have had almost total discretion in making rental decisions, and they could discriminate against anyone for any reason. But the laws cited above now protect countless persons from arbitrary discrimination.

If you are both gay and a member of a group that is protected by existing law, you can take legal action but only on the basis of your membership in a protected group. For instance, if you can prove that you were denied an apartment because of your race or religion, it would make no difference whether or not you are gay. In summary, until the laws change, lesbians and gays can be denied an apartment solely because of our sexual orientation.

However, as gay people we do not have some legal protection if we have already rented an apartment and the landlord discovers that he/she has a gay tenant. If you have a valid written lease, the landlord normally cannot evict you unless you have violated some provision of the lease. Whether or not you can be evicted depends on the provisions of your rental contract. If you are faced with an eviction, please read the fine print of your lease very carefully.

You will find that in many standard leases the landlord has more rights than the tenant. The lease usually gives the landlord the right to approve pets in the apartment; it may also limit the number of persons living in the unit; and it may require that only married or family members live in the apartment. If your lease contains a limitation about relatives only living with you, then the landlord can evict you if your lover moves into the apartment.

If you are living in an apartment and the landlord decides to evict you, he must

obtain a court order. He cannot simply order you out of the apartment. You must be given a notice of eviction action, and you have the right to appear in court and contest the basis for the eviction. Again, the court will decide your eviction based on the written lease and whether or not you are in violation of the lease, and not on the basis of your sexual orientation.

If you and your lover plan to rent an apartment together, it is recommended that both of you sign the lease so that there can be no confusion with the landlord over who is living in the apartment.

Please keep in mind one very important item. If you and your lover both sign the rental agreement and the relationship suddenly ends, who is responsible for the rent? Unless you have specifically agreed

with the landlord and it is contained in the written lease, both you and your lover are each responsible for the entire rent, and he can take legal action against either one or both of you for nonpayment.

A few words of advice. Whether you plan to live alone or with a lover, you should carefully review the rental contract. If you do not understand the legal terms, consult your attorney. Since the law does not specifically protect gay people, the only legal protections you will have are those which are contained in the written lease. Before you sign, make sure that you understand your rights and obligations.

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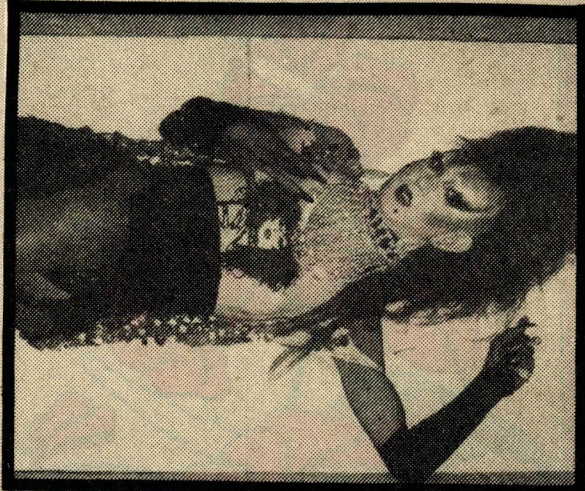


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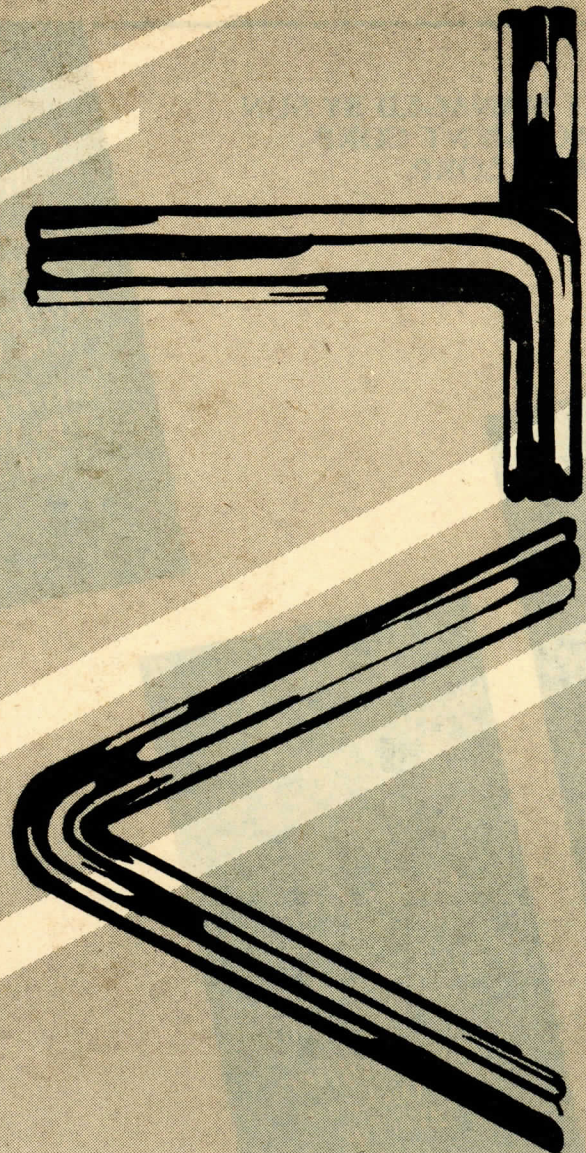


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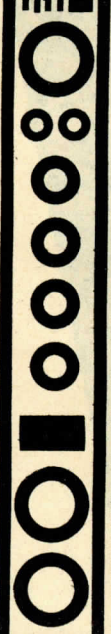


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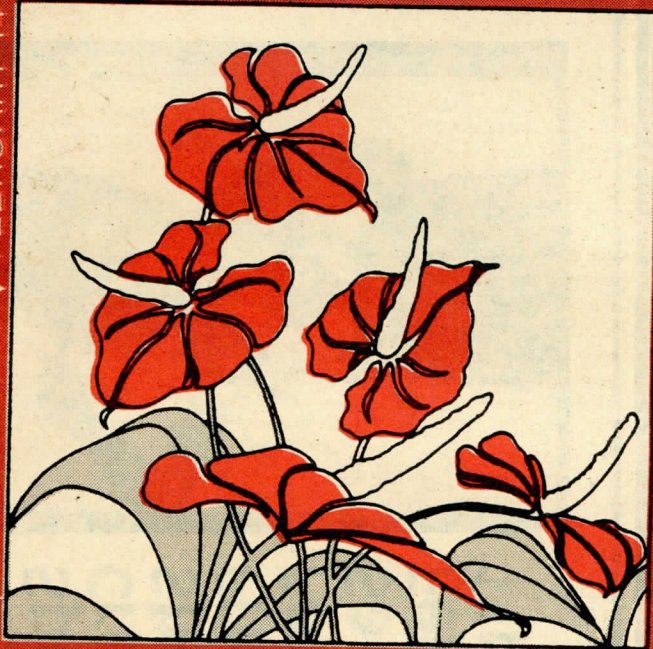


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# 1983 Frisky Awards—Part I

By Randy Alfred

**SHOW BUSINESS:** Don't Pry for Me, Argentina award to Werner Proner, the Austrian theatrical producer convicted of hiring two thugs to beat up the star of the German-language version of *Evita* so his girlfriend, the understudy, could take over the part.

Parental Pressure award to Ron Reagan the younger for leaving the Joffrey Ballet to pursue unspecified "other interests."

Fire the Set Dressers award to the producers of two Stephen King flicks. In *Cujo*, filmed in California but ostensibly set in Maine, Coors and Olympia beer cans and boxes made their first visit downeast. In *The Dead Zone*, supposedly set in New Hampshire, a car crashes on U.S. Highway 40 which runs from Atlantic City to San Francisco.

Publicist of the Year award to then-Secretary of the Interior James Watt for his work on the Beach Boys account. Rest in peace, Dennis.

**MEDIA:** Victorian Lace award to *Newsday* which reported Fran Lebowitz' argument over smoking in an East Hampton, New York, theater: "She called him a protological term. All politeness was abandoned at that point."

Flip award to the S.F. *Examiner's* Burr Snider for suggesting Queen Elizabeth and Prince Phillip visit Hamburger Mary's and The Stud on Folsom Street and be put up at the Beach Motel in San Francisco and in a six-man tent at Yosemite.

There'll Always Be An England award to the Conservative Party's ad agency that translated a slogan into Punjabi: "The country's most important discovery since the advent of circumcised bread."

Man Beats Dog Headline award to the S.F. *Chronicle* for "Man Gets Year in Jail for Beating Dog."

I've Waited Years To Write This Headline award also to the *Chronicle* for a story on the nutritional value of earthworms, "Chinese May Face Diet of Worms," printed 15 days after Martin Luther's 500th birthday.

Lincoln's Doctor's Dog Headline Buzzword Award to the *Chron* for "Kan-

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dinsky Widow's Chalet Auctioned" and "Millionaire's Mistress Gets Life for Champagne-Bottle Murder."

Home Stretch Headline award to the *Examiner* for this eight-column gem above four lines of type: "CCSF's schedule imposes rocky road including battle against College of San Mateo's Oakland Invaders influence."

Deck The Halls Headline award, also to the *Ex*, for these four like-sized heads over a column of like-sized stories: "Warning on student loans," "Warning on child support," "Warning on airline oxygen," and "Warning for dizzy elderly."

To Hell With The Details award to the *Chron* for identifying the White House as the Capitol in a photo caption.

Vroosh! Vroom! award to KCBS radio for its blanket coverage of a July 4 aerobatics show. Will mime and photography be next?

Morley's Believe It Or Not award to 60 Minutes' Mr. Safer for his artfully arranged April hit job on San Francisco politics which, in the continuing tradition of the CBS News approach to the subject, neared the limits of journalistic ethics (from the outside).

Priorities, Boys, Priorities! award to the Cable News Network for curtailing their coverage of midnight mass at St. Peter's Basilica to present the sports scores.

Creative Ad Placement award to SIN, the Spanish-language network, which showed all of Pope John Paul's procession around the basilica, the pontiff placing a statue of the baby Jesus in the creche and kissing its feet, and the recessional. SIN

then cut without announcement to a commercial for Luv's disposable diapers.

**RELIGION:** The Pope Does Not Wear Lacoste Shirts award to Jerry Frockt, who lost his job as county tourism director after Borward County (Florida) commissioners learned he had been kicked out of Vatican City for wearing an alligator costume.

The Eyes Have It award to Selma, Alabama, housewife Anita Bryant, who launched a line of "Silent Witness" Christian sunglasses.

Turn The Other Cheek Non-violence award, a three-way tie: 1) the Stockton, California, minister who shot and critically wounded a church deacon who objected loudly to his sermon; 2) Youth for Christ, the teenage program founded by Billy Graham, which uses an electrified

"hot seat" as "a great programming tool"; and 3) the Montreal priest who bit the hand of an anti-Reagan demonstrator outside the American Legion convention in Seattle.

**PRIVATE SECTOR, PUBLIC SECTOR:** Them's That Have The Gold Make The Rules award to Ronald Reagan, who said the budget could be balanced sooner "if all of us simply tried to live up to the Ten Commandments and the Golden Rule."

Trickle Down award to Detroit's Renaissance Center, site of Reagan's triumphant 1980 nomination, which went bankrupt in 1983.

Whose Side Is The Supply On? award to Emanuel Savas, a top aide suspended by the housing secretary amid charges that Savas used government staffers to type,

edit and proofread his privately published book, *Privatizing the Public Sector—How to Shrink Government*.

Left Hand, Right Hand award to the Army Corps of Engineers for granting an emergency permit to pump off flooded farmlands in Tulare Lake, thereby endangering the San Francisco Bay fishery, when the land's corporate owner was already receiving a subsidy to keep the acreage idle.

Creative Financing Award to the City of Berkeley which proposed selling its city hall and leasing it back from private investors who could write it off on their taxes. You can't fight city hall, but you can buy it, lease it and write it off as a tax loss.

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# Young Frenchman Great Literary Influence

By Patrick Franklin

Some lives move in such straight, direct lines against incredible odds that they take on the quality of a parable whose lesson can't be discerned. They burn with a brightness fueled by the energy of sheer will and little more.

Raymond Radiguet was only 20 when he died. His career lasted barely more than five years, but the work of this intense teenager left a mark on French literature and even on the consciousness of the world.

Radiguet was born on June 18, 1903, in a small town outside of Paris to an ordinary middle-class family. He had a brief and ordinary education. His ordinary parents allowed him to play ordinary games with ordinary children.

Yet somehow, from that unremarkable beginning came what Jean Cocteau called "the dreariest kind of conventionality mixed with an extraordinary chaos." And, for reasons unexplained in any source, Radiguet escaped from his humdrum home when he was not quite 15, bringing with him poetry that stunned the salons of Paris.

He first appeared at the offices of a literary review called *Fantasio*, naively secure in his belief that he could support himself with his poetry. The editor sent him to see the poet-painter Max Jacob; a strange referral, since Jacob was known to have tastes for young boys, and Radiguet at the time is described as a "beautiful child, with affectionate mouth and chapped lips."

But this strange line of fate was, after all, the right one. Jacob may or may not have been physically attracted to young Radiguet, but he certainly realized the value of the boy's poetry. It was work out of time; it ignored all the current fads and fancies of literary fashion, driving directly to genuine and touching expression.

Radiguet, childishly fearful of the roaring of the lions in the Bois de Boulogne zoo, hated to walk to his home at night and began living with Jacob. It took only a short while for him to meet another lion, one far more dangerous to his host than to the boy. Jean Cocteau met and immediately loved Raymond Radiguet.

The year was 1917, and by that time Cocteau was infamous as the creator of *Parade* and other pieces more conventional Parisians found irritating. But Radiguet was not intimidated by his new lover's fame. Strangely, it was the teenager who became the artistic leader in the relationship, whose pithy and succinct words influenced the older man.

"Forget you are a poet and let the phenomenon occur." "The mechanism of masterpieces is invisible; one learns to write from books which are no such thing." Radiguet cut to the quick of meaning, ignoring styles, isms and literary niceties.

This simplicity, new to Cocteau and his friends, changed their approach to literature. Cocteau, under the influence of the boy, wrote *Thomas the Imposter*, while Radiguet in the next room wrote his first novel, *The Ball at the Count d'Orgel*. Both found immediate success.

But for all the wisdom in artistic matters, Radiguet was still only a boy. He experimented sexually, at one point engaging himself to the woman who became later the wife of director Rene

Clair. Cocteau had introduced him to the great gay bar of that time, Le Boeuf sur le Toit, a name immortalized by the music of Darius Milhaud.

But the bar only encouraged Radiguet to further excesses. He had countless affairs and drank heavily. Cocteau's memoirs credits him with a quart of gin and a quart of whisky a day: perhaps an exaggeration, but a real indication of alcoholism.

It became difficult for him to work at all. Cocteau often locked him in a room, forcing him to write, until one day Radiguet jumped out of the window to escape.

But something was coming of this. Radiguet was, by bits and pieces, finishing a masterpiece of French literature, one we know as *The Devil in the Flesh*. Still in his teens, he was writing about adolescent love in a manner that had never before

been achieved and finds few if any equals since. Since its publication, it has never been out of print, and at least two movies based on the novel have been made.

Radiguet was not to know about this, however. In December of 1923, he contracted typhoid fever; with his constitution weakened by drinking and dissipation, he didn't last long. He died on December 12 at just over 20 years of age.

Neither he nor Cocteau had any money; all had been spent on vacations, drink and pleasure. Radiguet's hospital expenses and his funeral were paid for by an old "family" friend, Coco Chanel. Cocteau was wrecked by the death, mourning over "Monsieur Bebe" (his pet name for Radiguet that means "Mister Baby"). Correcting the proof of *Devil in the Flesh* occupied his time for a few weeks, but after that, he

found solace in his first experiments with opium.

Drug addiction plays a large part in Cocteau's later writings, but Radiguet's influence was far wider than that. This young man's voice of simplicity and directness colors all of Cocteau's best work and of an entire generation of French writers as well.

Aldous Huxley, Gertrude Stein and even the crusty old Somerset Maugham have praised and in some cases acknowledged their literary debts to a boy barely six years beyond short pants. We mourn Schubert's death at 31, Mozart's at 35. What can we make of the influence of this bright flame that sputtered out at 20?

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Bad news for engineering students hoping to catch the gravy train to riches: while members of the class of '82 could practically write their own tickets, this year's graduates are facing a 50 percent drop in job offers—and starting pay, reports the *College Press Service*.

Also down are openings in chemistry, agriculture and earth sciences.

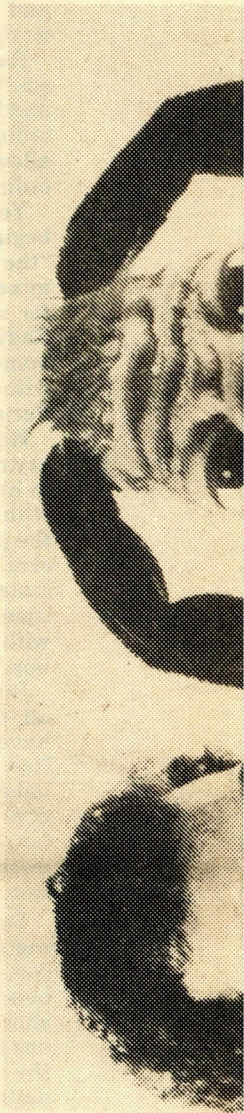
The hot new fields are math, biology and, of course, computer science.



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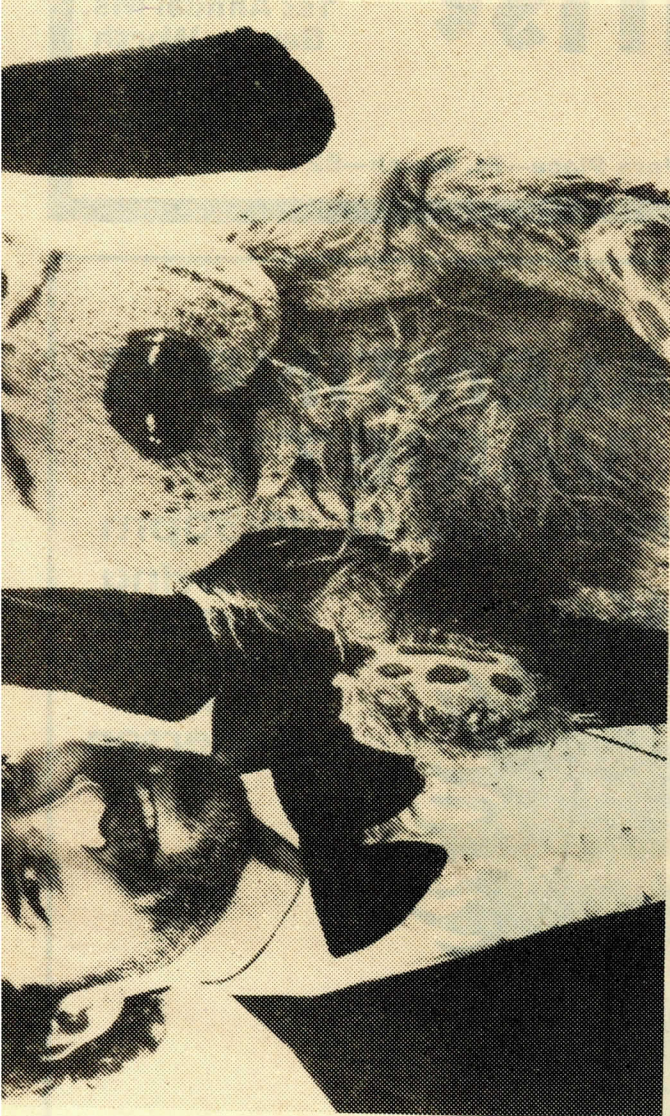


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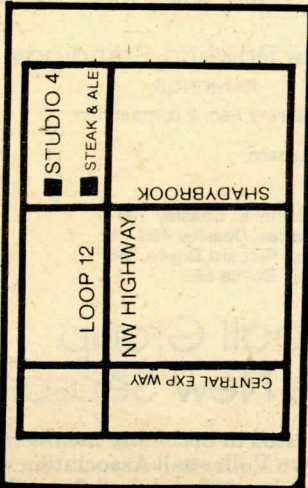
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## Sports

## Oak Lawn Softball Seeks New Members

The February membership drive of the Oak Lawn Softball Association (OLSA) is underway. According to Eugene Cross, treasurer and membership drive co-chair, throughout the month of February, officers will accept names and answer questions every Saturday and Sunday afternoon at the Crossroads Market, located at the corner of Cedar Springs and Throckmorton.

## 'Boyfriends' Have best Bowling, So Far

After three weeks of competition in the second half of the Oak Lawn Bowling Association season, Division C's Impotential New Boyfriends have the best record with 11 wins and 1 loss.

The Round-Up Dancers, Alley Oops and 10-Pin Ballers are tied for top spot in Division A with 9 wins and 3 losses each.

Slow and Easy leads in Division B, also with a 9 and 3 record.

Bill McKnight had the high game of the evening with a 247 score.

The league bowls starting 8:30 p.m. each Monday at Bronco Bowling Lanes in Oak Cliff.

## Oak Lawn Bowling Association

Winter League Team Standings  
as of Feb. 6, 1984

| DIVISION A         | W | L |
|--------------------|---|---|
| 1 Round-Up Dancers | 9 | 3 |
| - Alley Oops       | 9 | 3 |
| - Ten Pin Ballers  | 9 | 3 |
| 4 Can We Talk?     | 8 | 4 |
| - Bentley's        | 8 | 4 |

High Game: Ken Stewart 234  
High Series: Al Felt 581

| DIVISION B        | W | L |
|-------------------|---|---|
| 1 Slow and Easy   | 9 | 3 |
| 2 Socialites      | 8 | 4 |
| - No Holes Barred | 8 | 4 |
| - La Cage Balls   | 8 | 4 |
| 5 La D' Dahs      | 7 | 5 |

High Game: Al Aaron 224  
High Series: Aaron 646

| DIVISION C                   | W  | L |
|------------------------------|----|---|
| 1 Impotential New Boyfriends | 11 | 1 |
| 2 Boot Scooters              | 10 | 2 |
| 3 Beauty School Dropouts     | 9  | 3 |
| - \$2 in the Jukebox         | 9  | 3 |
| 5 Round-Up Saloon            | 8  | 4 |

High Game: Bill McKnight 247  
High Series: McKnight 592

## Two Tie for Top Spot

The Alley Cats suffered their first loss of the season while the Snake Pit Aspens won four out of four Feb. 2 in the Lambda Bowling Association Thursday League.

That put the two teams tied for the top spot at 11 and 1.

Richard Boyce had the men's high score with a 256. E. Beasley again had the women's high score, this time with a 190 in the mixed league competition.

They bowl each Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. at Circle Bowl, 10011 Denton Drive.

## Lambda Bowling Standings

## RANKINGS

Following Feb. 2 competition

|                    | W  | L |
|--------------------|----|---|
| 1 Snake Pit Aspens | 11 | 1 |
| - Alley Cats       | 11 | 1 |
| 3 Roho's           | 9  | 3 |

Women High Game: E. Beasley 190

Women High Series: Beasley 460

Men High Game: Richard Boyce 256

Men High Series: Boyce 662

## Volleyball Group Begins New Season

Those interested in becoming members of the Oak Lawn Volleyball Association will be able to get in on the ground floor when the group begins practice for the new season on Feb. 15, 7 p.m., at Riverchon Recreational Center on Maple.

All new players will begin developmental sessions stressing United States Volleyball Association Rules, then after four weeks, teams will be formed for league play to consist of competitive "A" or recreational "B."

For further information, contact Jim Goodwin at 526-6433 after 6 p.m.

OLSA is looking for players to fill projected eight-man and six-woman teams (15 persons per team).

Interested men should contact OLSA secretary, Bill Smith, at 521-7525; interested women should contact Val Mastrianni, OLSA co-ordinator and Women's Division chair, at 559-2819.

In addition to the returning teams sponsored by the Round-Up Saloon and Dallas Steel, new teams for the '84 season will include Studio 4, Hidden Door and OLSA's first co-sponsorship, Crews Inn/No Name.

According to OLSA official Jerry Wells, OLSA will accept new sponsorships until Feb. 21.

OLSA wishes to thank all sponsors for their enthusiastic support.

League play will begin on April 15.



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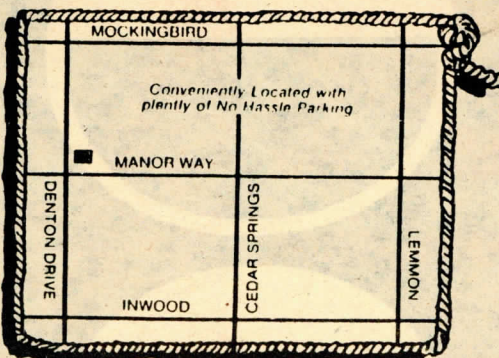
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# Tony Award-Winning Harvey Fierstein Looks at Success, Gay Life

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intend to push it in all his writing: "I would like to show all the life choices there are. You can live any way you like, but know that the choices are there."

He admits that he told *Newsweek* San Francisco is "a sexual Disneyland." Of the visible part of the Castro scene, he adds, "If this (is) the true meaning of gay liberation, then we've been fighting for very little."

Not that New York is any better. "The Village is worse, but the Village is smaller. Christopher Street now is all straight kids

**'I don't like Broadway. I think Broadway is too damned expensive.'**

selling drugs." The barscene isn't going to change, he says—not while "it's more profitable for the Mafia to keep us alcoholic.... It's a whole marketing thing the Mafia has done to us."

Speaking of marketing, Fierstein is apparently becoming aware in that area. His San Francisco press conference was sandwiched between television appearances with Barbara Walters and Johnny Carson.

Lest we think the acceptance of the playwright and his work signals an end to homophobia in the media, he points out that Frank Rich, senior theatre critic of the *New York Times*, "has only once in the two years *Torch Song Trilogy* has been running, mentioned the words *Torch Song Trilogy*. That was (in) his review of *La Cage aux Folles* and what he said was, '*La Cage aux Folles* makes *Torch Song Trilogy* look like pornography.' He wrote a whole article about the Tony nominations, never mentioned it; he wrote a whole article about the Tony winners, never mentioned it—or me; as if the Best Play award was not given out, the Best Actor award was not given out."

A woman had agreed to write a story for *Cat* magazine about two *Torch Song* cast members and their pets, but it was rejected when the magazine learned that the play is about homosexuals. "Who does she think she's writing for?" Fierstein asks. "I told the *Post*, 'I don't know a heterosexual who owns a cat!'"

The royalties from *Torch Song* and *La Cage*, which should be enough to keep Fierstein in style indefinitely, have merely freed him to be more selective about what he works on. He's turning down all offers to do musical adaptations—"There's a big pressure to repeat your hits"—but would like to collaborate with Jerry Herman again sometime on an original—"if he's

gonna start cranking 'em out again, and I think he is."

*Spookhouse*, a play he wrote between *Torch Song* and *La Cage*, will open off-Broadway, "this season hopefully but otherwise next season." The story of a gay social worker's impact on a family he's trying to help, its author describes it as "the dark side of *Torch Song Trilogy*."

Coming out of the "Theatre of the Ridiculous," Fierstein prefers working off-Broadway. "I don't like Broadway. I think Broadway is too damned expensive." He's proud that *La Cage* has \$10 balcony seats, even though the orchestra costs \$45.

Plans are already being made to tour *La Cage aux Folles* and to open it in London. The American company will start in Los Angeles, Fierstein says, because "I think they sorta promised Gene (Barry) that he

could go home and show 'em."

The busy writer has two television projects in the works. "Kaddish and Old Men" is a PBS teleplay Fierstein is trying to finish about two old men who live together in an old-fashioned neighborhood. Everybody thinks they're brothers until one of them dies and the other comes out.

More significantly, Fierstein has been commissioned by NBC to write and star in the pilot for a series about "a gay man just coming out of one relationship, just beginning another." Perhaps he's just trying to avoid disappointment later, but he expresses little hope for the show: "It is my personal feelings it will never get on the air.... I just think it's time to try."

One thing about Harvey Fierstein hasn't been changed by all this success:

"I'm not what you'd call sexy." Still somewhat chubby at 200 pounds and 29 years, he's not finding himself surrounded by groupies and twinkies. "Pretty boys still do the same thing they always did to me, which is take me on the side and say, 'Oh, you know that guy over there—could you help me—?'"

It's easy to joke about at the moment, because he's been in a relationship for nine months and that's more important to him. If this should be the one that lasts, that enables him to make a home and adopt children, it will mean more to Fierstein than all the money and fame he's garnering.

Time will tell about that. In the meantime, he's enjoying the fruits of success: "I'm Cinderella and hopefully midnight won't come too soon."

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### Porno Video Sales Off

Hard times are hitting the video porn business. Skin flicks used to dominate the home video market, grabbing 63 percent of total sales as recently as 1979. Today, their share has shrunk to 42 percent, reports the *San Francisco Examiner*.

Worried pornographers point to several reasons: many video stores are dropping raunchy cassettes to avoid offending their family trade. Others have been scared off by fear of obscenity prosecutions.

But the real villain appears to be Hollywood itself: movie moguls who used to look down their noses at the home video market are now rushing into it with their own blockbusters. *Raiders of the Lost Ark*, for example, is selling a half-million copies per month. That's 10 times the number of *Debbie Does Dallas*, the current leader among hard core tapes.



## Dallas Soap

By Heda Quote

### Wear a Heart On

If you don't have one already, you'll want to have a heart on this weekend. Cupid is up to his tricks (at least someone has some tricks) and is out to start some romance for you in the coming week. Now, if Cupid's arrow doesn't stick you, maybe someone else will. If you need some help, you're in luck—the bars have big plans for Valentine's that you'll love.

The Snake Pit is starting out the fun on Saturday. You can "eat your heart out" beginning at 10 and dance to the music of Rob Greene while searching for love. Bob's afterhours music was exceptional last Saturday, and the men are sure to put you in the mood.

Ernie from Bentley's, I've got to hand it to you, when it comes to finding love, you're on top. It's a shame your confused friend lost his bearings in the dark and almost broke your thumb. Fortunately, you can mend a broken thumb easier than a broken heart. And Jim, since we have the true story, whose drawers did he get his thumb slammed in?

The Crews Inn's pre-Valentine's Ball on Monday will provide several ways to get lucky. There's the raffle for the lucky at heart, the handsome men for the lucky at love, the midnight happy hour for the lucky to have any money left after the weekend, and a Saintly decor for everyone to enjoy.

Oak Lawn had a heart last Sunday as the crowd filled the 4001 for a special benefit. The Oak Lawn Counseling Center joined me in a beer pour-off to raise money for the fight against AIDS. We tangoed to the music of Dan Moore and Aaron Kirby. Howie and Candy served the suds with Kevin, and I made myself at home behind Donnie's bar.

There's a Tiger loose in Houston that we'll miss at the OP. And Paul, glad we met. I enjoyed our visit last week.

Valentine's Day will bring some special events. At JR's, it's the second annual Leather and Feathers party. Everyone in Leather and Feathers costumes will enjoy happy hour prices all night.

For a touch of glamour, there's the Miss Fraternity House contest on Tuesday, featuring Dion Martel, Ginger Taylor and Sherry Tyler.

From our "beached whale" department—a special thanks to Autumn Leaves for the postcard from Ft. Lauderdale. Hope you enjoyed your fun in the sun—we missed you.

Randy at the Spinnaker, if the meal is on you, then the dessert is on me—okay?

The second annual Bartender's Reunion begins at 9 at the Round-Up on Monday. Special awards will be presented at 10, and Bill Huber will be making his farewell appearance as host before going to Austin to help open a new bar. The evening, sponsored by the Dallas Tavern Guild, will benefit Pride III '84.

You might be a star—the camera has been scanning the crowd at the Ranch and will be on their big screen. That's right, you may be the star of Ranch Raunch, coming soon.

If you live in Dallas, I know that you have asked many times, "Here's the bun; where's the beef?" Well, the beef will be on the TMC patio beginning at 7 this Sunday. We're talking big, all-beef weiners served hot on the patio for a nominal charge. Larry promises to serve them up hot, the way you like 'em, but you have to find the right bun.

The Hideout will have a gay Family Feud on Valentine's night with provocative questions posed to celebrity families. Famous athletes like Sonja Tracy, Muffie Metcalf and Blanche Wells will be on hand for the show which will benefit the Hidden Door's softball team's uniform fund. The Oak Lawn Softball Association is having a membership drive, so if you can swing a big stick or catch a fast ball, then be sure and sign up.

Drew, pimping and rearranging boxes are no longer done in privacy in the back room at

JR's. One question though: "Was rearranging the box a big job or a small one?"

Ray Martin's High Country drew a festive crowd last Thursday for its fourth anniversary party. I enjoyed visiting with Kathy Jack, Dee, Diedra and Lisa. And Kathy, I see from the picture that you have replaced your favorite toy from Christmas with a beer bottle.

Phil, are you a-Ware that Robert, or is it Melba, wants Moore? You remember him; he's the one that was making lipstick smudges on the mirrors in his bedroom last Saturday. And Robert, I saw your picture in an Oak Lawn paper for an on-the-street interview. When they asked, "How do you feel about the Dallas Cowboys Football Team?" I expected you to say "With both hands!"

Bentley's has some great changes on the way which will include an atrium dining area. The Unicorn is also planning some major remodeling, and the plans look great and will include a bar you can really get around.

It's Lilly White week at the OP. Lilly White is the original punk rocker who was ahead of her time. She will present her show, "The Rock 'n' Roll Bitch Who Lived Through It All."

Rich, your fan club missed you at the 4001 last Sunday. And Dale of Crews Inn fame, I noticed your new car is missing two wheel covers. Has Frank borrowed your car lately?

Dwight, sorry I didn't have a bottle of champagne to christen the new apartment, but that's not all that was missing from the evening—at least we drew a crowd.

Ernie has discovered the best slot machine in Vegas. He explains that it is at a "heavenly" book store. You're a winner everytime you put a quarter in the slot. And speaking of faraway places, Randy at JR's, how was the cruise?

The Sundance afterhours were hot all weekend. One of the best parts was getting to visit with Dan at the door and David downstairs.

Tragedy Ann's one-man show brought together a fun, if not friendly, crowd at the OP last Saturday night. Larry, you know exactly what I mean by friendly crowd.

## Ft. Worth Soap

By Louella Lye

### Cupid is Really Louella Out of Drag!

Valentine be mine. It's that wonderful romantic time of the year. Time to tell your sweetheart how much they really mean to you. And if you don't have a sweetie, it's time to get a hold of Cupid's arrow and get one! Myself, I tend to stick to tradition and go for the box of candy. I just love to open boxes and see what they are filled with. Anyway, here's hoping that your Valentine doesn't turn out to be mine! Happy hunting!





Peter M., after hearing about your boyfriend, I don't care if you really do what you do best. I have always had this taboo about dating married or semi-married men. I wouldn't even call them anymore. Of course, if they should happen to call me, who's to say what a girl would do, even a decent one such as myself! I'm waiting!

Poor Rudy has got both hands full at the Come Along Inn. As if Lee wasn't enough, now Brian (Lee's twin brother) has moved to Cowtown! Rumor has it that Lee has been overjoyed at his recent reunion. Oh, he was glad to see Brian, too!

The Lumber Company will be presenting their Valentine's show this Saturday with Ginger Taylor, Autumn Leaves, Gina L'Tate and the divine director of shows at the TLC, Lynn Christopher!

What's new? The Other Place has added even more to its already huge light show (it made me have a good time). They are also busy working on the new back bar that TJ tells will be opening very soon. TJ also told me that he was on the prowl for new dancers for shows on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Ginger Taylor, I'm still waiting along with Lillie R., you know who. Give me a rendezvous and you get a flawless dress.

Terry Abshire, DJ at the Lumber Company, I'm tired of purple, but I'll never get tired of your music. Why don't you try a light chestnut tone for the remaining winter months?

The Corral has been having its share of fun lately. Larry, aren't you taking this slave business just a bit too far? I hope that your new master will pay your bills for the next two weeks. And while I'm at it, Larry, you also bring a whole new meaning to "taking the bull by the horns!"

Chuck, Foxie Roxie wanted me to ask you, now that you have had everybody in town, when was it going to be her turn? I wonder what John thinks about this? Don't worry, sweetie. I told Rosie that you haven't quite had everybody. I'm free next Wednesday.

The Tequila Sunrise will be presenting the first Ms. Gay Ft. Worth on Feb. 15 at the Tequila Sunrise. If any of you ladies think that you have got what it takes, don't miss this chance to prove it. The current Ms. Gay Dallas, Judy Christopher, will be on hand to entertain you. I've seen Judy perform before, and this is one hot lady that you won't want to miss. Call the Tequila Sunrise for more details at 927-9861.

Craig, I haven't quite been on top of things lately, and I think that it has something to do with my diet. What would you suggest that I use to sort of make life more interesting?

The Come Along Inn is busy getting ready for its Valentine's party. Along with drinks at special prices, they will be having special shows and contests throughout the evening.

Mike P., even though my lips are sealed, my ears are not. Don't you know that you can't

keep secrets in this town? But yours is safe with me!

The 651 in Arlington has definitely rounded up a new bartender. John, formerly of the Round-Up in Austin, is ready to serve you and make your nights on the town memorable ones. Be sure to stop in and ask for John, and tell him that Louella sent you!

Gary of the 651 Arlington, thanks. Was it good for you? How quickly they forget.

When I heard what happened to Many Quinn at the Come Along Inn I was hurt at first. But then I realized that it was better this way. Yes, Many now has a new career as a high fashion model. Good luck, Many, and Trixie Vicious told me to tell you that she would wait for you if you wanted her to. Just don't tell her about our brief encounter; I don't think she could handle it!

Richard, of somewhere around South Jennings Inc., thanks for that wonderful conversation that we had last Friday night. It meant so much to me, and it's nice to be able to talk to someone with such depth and knowledge. Just one question, if I may? What were you talking about???

David, it really is about these Tuesday night club meetings. Speaking of the subject at hand, your club could be compared to Grandma's cookies. They're thick and rich and it's all in the wrist!

Brooke Elliot, I finally heard that your comeback had an early departure. I think that boredom hit one drag queen in four every 20 minutes! When was the last time you got hit?

Don't forget about the Court of the Golden Lion's Red and Black Ball to be held on the 18th of February at the Royal Tokyo Inn on Lancaster at Henderson. The fun starts at 8:30 and lasts until midnight. Tickets are only \$5. If you have any questions, give Rosie a call at 927-5652.

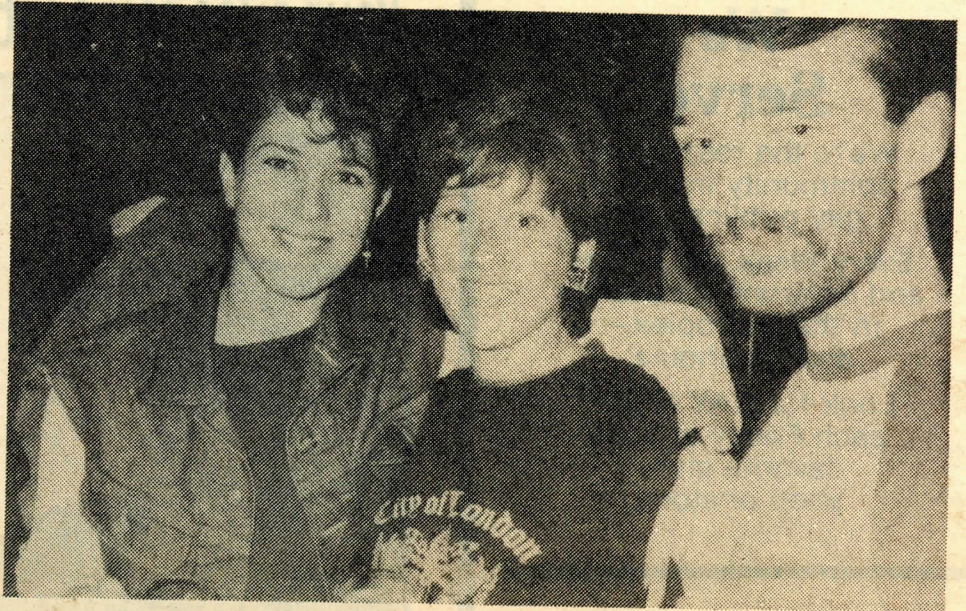
Happy Birthday to the 651 Club. I know that they have been around for a long time; Raina has shown me pictures! Check them out this week as they will be celebrating by showing you a good time. Business as usual I'd say! And be sure to ask Lou, "Where's the beef?"

Don't walk, run to Sir Bud's this Saturday for the first contest for females only. Sir Bud's wants to elect a Prince and Princess of Sir Bud's! With trophies and cash prizes, you need to look into this. (I wonder if I could fool them?) For entry info or other questions, call them at 877-5326.

Just another warning that the Nasty Nympho Sisters are going to be making a special appearance at the Tarrant County Mining Company on Feb. 18th. I hope that my tailor at Goodwill has all my outfits ready. Heda and Butchella have been manning the sewing machines, even after I suggested that they take their wigs to a salon instead! Whatever, brace yourselves!



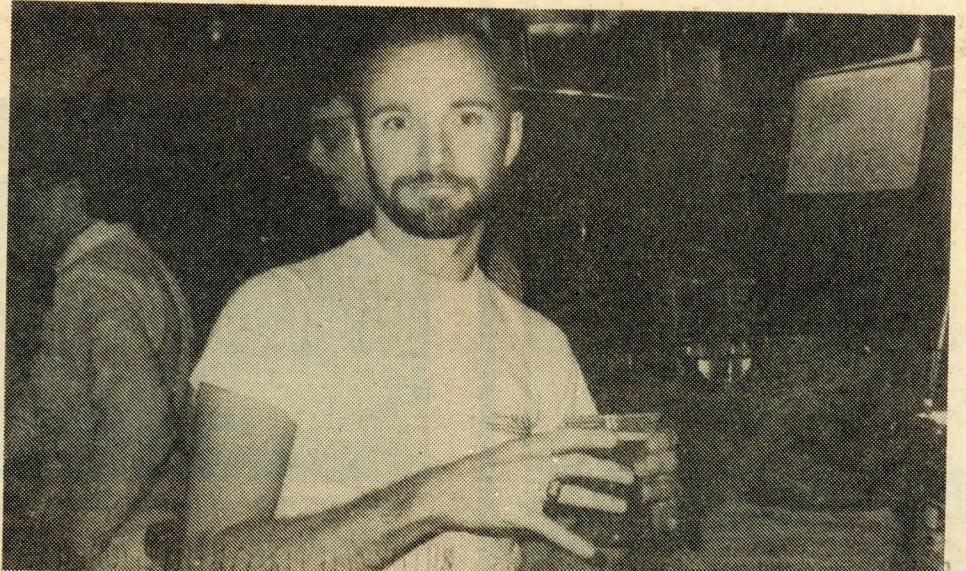
*Festive crowd at the High Country's anniversary*



*Party-goers at the High Country's birthday party*



*Howie Daire (left) of the Oak Lawn Counseling Center at benefit at 4001 on Feb. 5*



*Heda Quote serving suds at 4001 benefit for OLCC Feb. 5*



*Kathy Jack, manager of the Unicorn, learning how to drink at the high Country's 4th anniversary party*



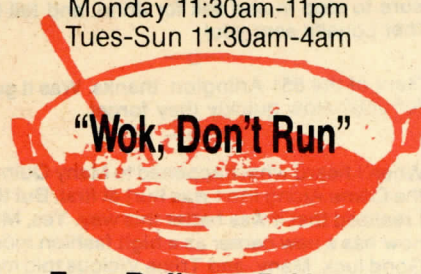
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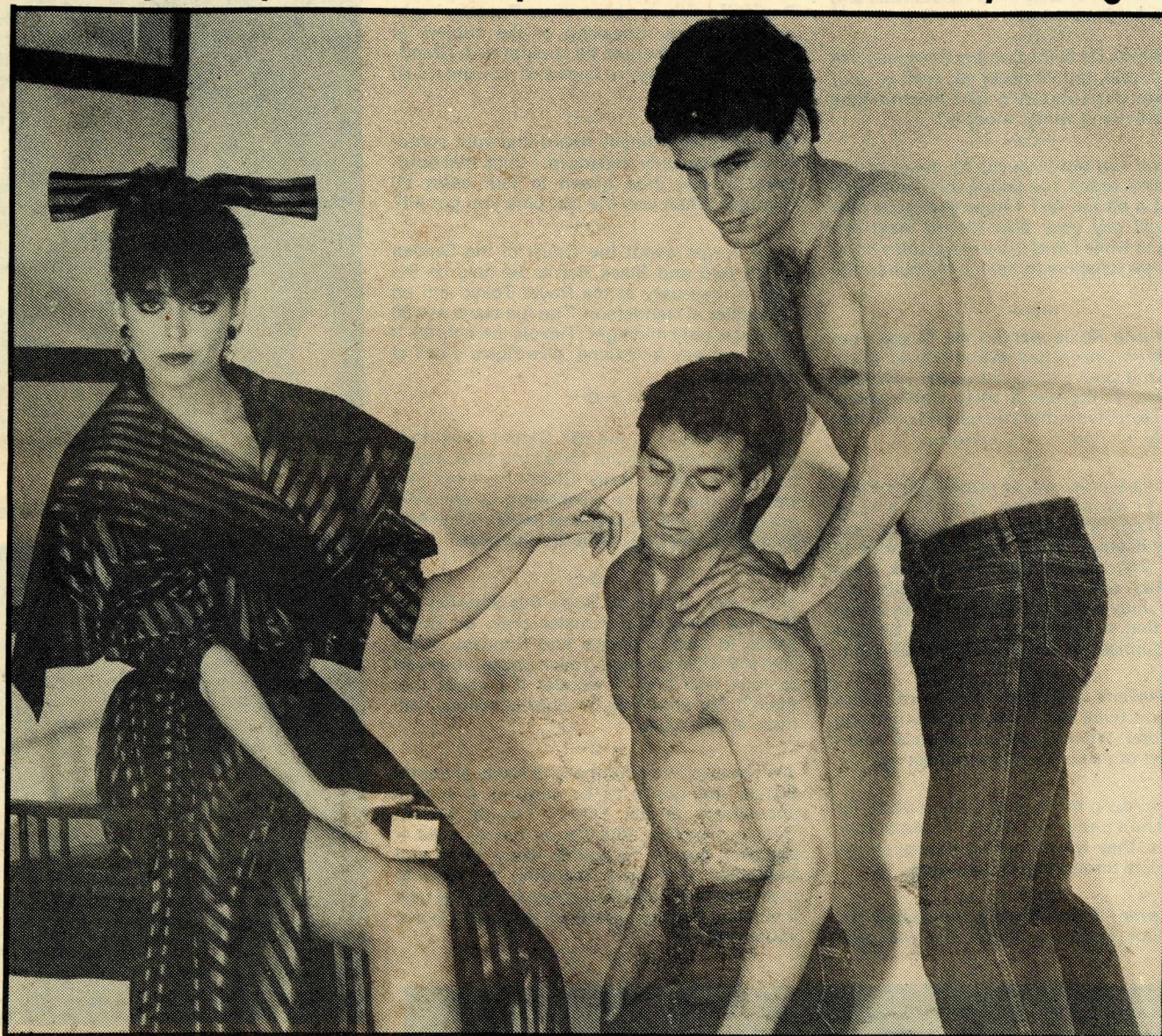


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## Selected Events through 7 Days

■**SATURDAY:** Dallas Girth & Mirth meets Feb. 11

■**SUNDAY:** Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12

■**SUNDAY:** Oak Lawn Tennis League play, noon, Cole Park Tennis Courts, Dallas

■**SUNDAY:** "Lambda Weekly," gay radio, KNON, 90.9FM Dallas, 12-1pm

■**SUNDAY:** Affirmative meets 3pm Feb. 12, Dallas

■**SUNDAY:** Oklahomans for Human Rights meet 7:30pm Feb. 12, Hilton Inn Northwest, Oklahoma City

■**SUNDAY:** Blueboy's 6th Annual Man of the Year Contest, Feb. 12, College Bar, 110 E. 14th, New York

■**MONDAY:** Dallas Gay Alliance meeting, 7:30pm Feb. 13, MCC, 2701 Reagan

■**MONDAY:** Oak Lawn Bowling Assoc. league competition at Bronco Bowling Lanes, Oak Cliff, 8:30pm

■**TUESDAY:** Valentine's Day, Feb. 14

■**TUESDAY:** Oak Lawn Symphonic Band meets 7pm, MCC, 2701 Reagan, Dallas

■**WEDNESDAY:** Pegasus Volleyball Assoc. practices 7-9pm, Reverchon Recreational Center, 3505 Maple, Dallas

■**WEDNESDAY:** Oak Lawn Tennis Assoc. meets 7:30pm at Cole Park Tennis Courts, Dallas

■**THURSDAY:** LAMBDA bowling, 7pm, Circle Bowl, 10011 Denton Drive, Dallas

■**THURSDAY:** Dallas Gay Alliance honors Terry Tebedo, Cracker's Restaurant, Feb. 16

## Selected Events in Future Weeks

■**IN 1 WEEK:** Friends and Relatives of Gays meet Feb. 18

■**IN 1 WEEK:** Imperial Court of the Shooting Stars meet 2pm Feb. 19, 5534 Merrimac, Dallas

■**IN 1 WEEK:** Imperial Court of Ft. Worth/Arlington meets Feb. 19, 2412 Lipscomb, Ft. Worth

■**IN 1 WEEK:** Dallas Gayline meets 7:30pm, Feb. 19

■**IN 1 WEEK:** Washington's birthday, Feb. 20

■**IN 2 WEEKS:** Ft. Worth Dignity meets Feb. 29, Catholic Renewal Center, 4503 Bridge

■**IN 1 WEEK:** Integrity/Dallas meets 7:30pm Feb. 23, St.

Thomas the Apostle Church, Mockingbird at Inwood

■**IN 2 WEEKS:** Gay/Lesbian Student Support Group meets 9:30am Feb. 25, MCC, 2701 Reagan, Dallas

■**IN 2 WEEKS:** Oak Lawn Counseling Center AIDS Forum, 7:30pm Feb. 27, MCC, 2701 Reagan

■**IN 3 WEEKS:** Community Productions & Gayline present author-Drs David McWhirter & Andrew Mattison workshop 7:30pm Mar 2, Adolphus Hotel

■**IN 3 WEEKS:** Ft. Worth Gay Pride Assoc. meets Mar. 5

■**IN 3 WEEKS:** Mardi Gras Fat Tuesday, March 6

■**IN 3 WEEKS:** Tarrant County Gay Alliance meets Mar. 6, Center for the Community, Ft. Worth

■**IN 4 WEEKS:** Dallas Motorcycle Club meets Mar. 14, Hidden Door, 5025 Bowser

■**IN 5 WEEKS:** St. Patrick's Day, March 17

■**IN 5 WEEKS:** Lambda Bowling League hosts St. Patrick's Invitational, Circle Bowl, Dallas, Mar. 17-18

■**IN 7 WEEKS:** April Fool's Day, April 1

■**IN 8 WEEKS:** 9th Annual Southeastern Conference of Lesbian and Gay Men, "Pulling Together and Reaching Out," Holiday Inn-Medical Center, Birmingham, Ala., opens, Apr. 12-15

■**IN 10 WEEKS:** National Gay Health Education Foundation 1st Southeastern Lesbian/Gay Health Conference, Apr. 21, Atlanta

■**IN 12 WEEKS:** Fiesta

climaxes, San Antonio, April 28-29

■**IN 12 WEEKS:** First primary party elections in Texas and party precinct conventions, May 5

■**IN 13 WEEKS:** World's Fair opens in New Orleans, May 12-Nov. 11

■**IN 14 WEEKS:** Texas Senatorial District Party Conventions, May 19

■**IN 15 WEEKS:** Gay Press Association 4th National Convention, May 25-28, Los Angeles

■**IN 15 WEEKS:** Memorial Day, May 28

■**IN 16 WEEKS:** Run-off party elections in Texas, June 2

■**IN 18 WEEKS:** Texas Democratic Party Convention, June 15-17, tentatively Houston

■**IN 18 WEEKS:** 1984 Gay Pride Week begins in many areas, 15th anniversary of Stonewall uprising, national slogan "United & More in '84"

■**EARLY JULY:** Lesbian and Gay Bands of America concert, Los Angeles

■**IN 18 WEEKS:** National Gay Health Education Foundation's 1st International Lesbian/Gay Health Conference, "Toward Diversity," New York, June 16-19

■**IN 19 WEEKS:** Dallas Gay Pride Week begins, June 23-30

■**IN 22 WEEKS:** Democratic National Convention, San Francisco, July 16-19

■**IN 24 WEEKS:** "Hot Men.

Hotlanta," annual raft race down Chattahoochee River, Atlanta, Aug. 3-5

■**IN 26 WEEKS:** Texas Gay Freedom Celebration, Dallas, Aug. 17

■**IN 26 WEEKS:** Castro Street Fair, Aug. 19, San Francisco

■**IN 26 WEEKS:** Republican National Convention opens, Dallas, August 20

■**IN 27 WEEKS:** "Series 8," Gay World Series Softball Tournament opens Memorial Park, Houston, Aug. 26-31

■**IN 29 WEEKS:** Texas Gay Freedom Festival opens, Dallas, Sept. 12-23

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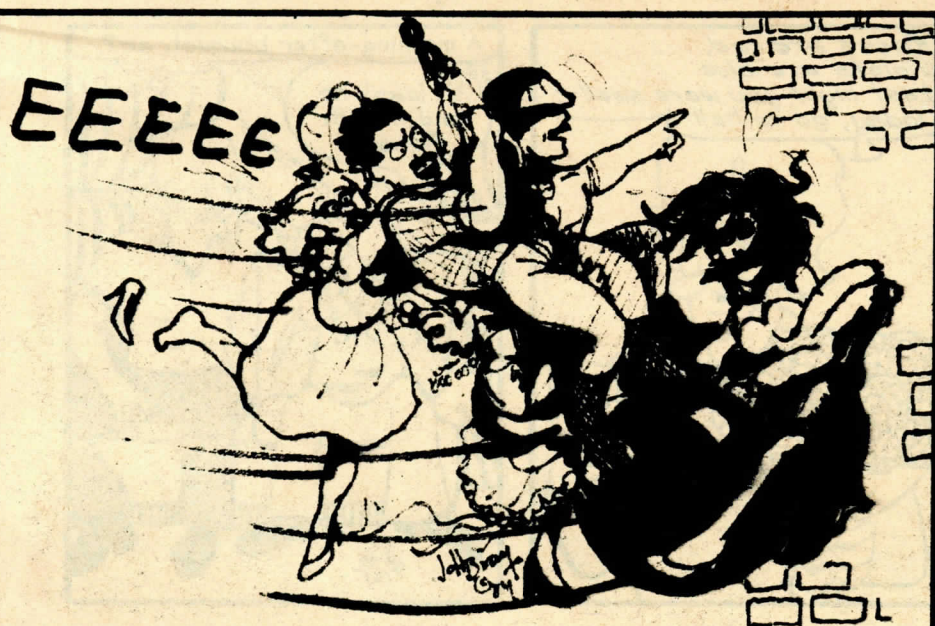
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## ORGANIZATIONS

### SELECTED NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS—

- Gay Press Association—POB 33605, Washington, DC 20033—(202) 387-2430
- Gay Rights National Lobby—POB 1892, Washington, DC 20013—(202) 546-1801
- Human Rights Campaign Fund—POB 1396, Washington, DC 20013—(202) 546-2025
- Lambda Legal Defense—132 W 43rd, New York, NY 10039—(212) 944-9488
- Media Fund for Human Rights (Gay Press Association)—POB 33605, Washington, DC 20033—(202) 387-2430
- National Association of Business Councils—Box 15145, San Francisco, CA 94115—(415) 885-6363
- National Association of Gay & Lesbian Democratic Clubs—1742 Mass Av SE, Washington, DC 20003—(202) 547-3104
- National Gay Health Education Foundation—POB 784, New York, NY 10036—(212) 563-6313 or Dr Greenberg at (713) 523-5204
- National Gay Rights Advocates—540 Castro, San Francisco, CA 94114—(415) 863-3624
- National Gay Task Force—80 5th Av, New York, NY 10011—(212) 741-5800
- NGTF's Crisisline—(800) 221-7044 (outside New York State)

### DALLAS—

- Affirmative—528-4913: meets 3pm 2nd Sun
- AIDS Action Project: affiliate Oak Lawn Counseling Center
- AIDS Information Line—c/o Oak Lawn Counseling Center, 3409 Oak Lawn—528-2181 24 hours
- Black & White Men Together—POB 36133, 75235
- Church of Christ gay support group—Kerry Dees at 522-5115
- Citizens on Patrol (COPs)—526-5313

Community Productions & Community Arts Foundation—3331 Knight suite D—521-2037, 824-1263; author-Drs David M McWhirter & Andrew Mattison workshop Mar 2 in conjunction with Community Resource Center

Dallas Dinner Committee—521-8919

Dallas Gay Alliance—Box 190712, 75219—528-4233

Dallas Gay Historic Archives—6146 St Moritz, 75214

Dallas Gay Political Caucus—political action committee of Dallas Gay Alliance

Dallas Gay Republicans—4209 Bowser #115—521-9638

Dallas Girth & Mirth—POB 190811, 75219: meets 2nd Sat

Dallas Motorcycle Club—POB 190525, 75219: meets 2nd Wed at Hidden Door, 5025 Bowser

Evangelical Concerned—2901 Knight #111/75219—522-2061

Friends and Relatives of Gays—530-9358: meets 3rd Sat

Gay Academic Union of N Texas—POB 2402, 75221—821-5833

Gay & Lesbian Student Support Organization—Box 1636, SMU, Dallas 75275

●Gay Community Center—3920 Cedar Springs—528-4233: employment, housing, voter registration, tourist info; open 12-8pm Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat

Gay Jewish group—Jeff at 827-9161

Gay Pride Week '84 Planning Committee: Dallas Gay Pride Week June 23-30; Texas Gay Freedom Celebration Aug 17; Texas Freedom Festival Sept 12-23

Gay Unitarians of Dallas: meet 2nd Sun, 7:30pm, First Unitarian Church of Dallas, 4015 Normandy, University Park

Gayline/Community Resource Center—POB 190835, 75219—748-6790; author-Drs David M McWhirter & Andrew Mattison workshop Mar 2 in conjunction with Community Productions

Grace Fellowship in Christ Jesus, Grace Ministries—POB 29729, 75229—243-2924

Hispanic Task Force: subgroup of Dallas Gay Alliance

Holy Trinity Community Church—4402 Roseland—827-5088: services 11am, 7:30pm Sun

Imperial Court of the Shooting Stars—POB 26666 75226—827-9216: meet 2pm 3rd Sun, 5534 Merrimac

Integrity/Dallas—521-5560, 522-6305: meets last Thurs of month, 7:30pm, St Thomas the Apostle Church, Mockingbird at Inwood

La Nuit Chaud—POB 140213, 75214—526-8060

Ladies and Men Bowlers of Dallas Association (LAMBDA)—Circle Bowl, 10011 Denton Drive—Paul 526-7453, Alicia 620-2385: 7pm Thurs; St Patrick's Invitational March 17-18, Circle Bowl

Lambda Group of Alcoholics Anonymous—4525 McKinney—487-7667 24 hours: meetings Mon-Sat 8am, noon, 6pm, 8pm & 11pm; Sun 1pm, 6pm, 8pm, 11pm

Lambda Weekly—c/o Dallas Gay Alliance: 12-1pm Sun, KNON, 90.9FM

Lutherans Concerned/DFW—POB 881, Bedford 76021—(214) 526-2553

Metropolitan Community Church—2701 Reagan—526-6221

Oak Lawn Bowling Association—Jim Beck at 528-2963: plays at at Bronco Bowling Lanes, Oak Cliff, 8:30pm Mon

Oak Lawn Counseling Center—3409 Oak Lawn #202—528-2081

Oak Lawn Forum—3635 Lemmon Av, Suite 215, POB 191187, 75219—521-4597

Oak Lawn Semi-Literary Society—Box 191354, 75219—526-8294

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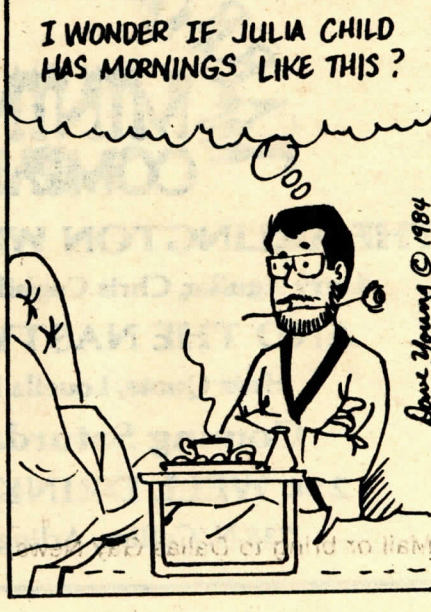
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Texas Human Rights Foundation—3128 Lemmon Ave E #304—522-5991

Trash of America—POB 36235, 75235—521-3221

Turtle Creek Chorale—POB 190806, 75219—368-5500, 821-3086

#### DENTON—

Texas Gay/Lesbian Task Force—POB AK, 76201—387-8216

#### FT WORTH—

Agape Metropolitan Community Church—4615 SE Loop 820—535-5002

Center for the Community—2412 Lipscomb—926-3521: meet 7:30pm Tues

Dignity—Catholic Renewal Center, 4503 Bridge—283-8588: meets 1st & 3rd Mon

FW Gay Pride Assoc: meets 1st Mon

FW Sports Assoc—332-2091

FW Tavern Guild—c/o Downtowner Club, 3208 W 7th—332-0335

Gay Hot Line—926-3521

Imperial Court of FW/Arlington (Court of Golden Lion)—870-2470: Meets 3rd Sun monthly at 2412 Lipscomb

Lambda Group of Alcoholics Anonymous—332-3533: meetings 8pm Mon-Sat & 2pm Sun

Lutherans Concerned/DFW—POB 881, Bedford 76021—(817) 595-1176

National Lambda—POB 470282, 76147—478-2872

Tarrant Co Gay Alliance—2412 Lipscomb—870-0080: meets 1st Tues at Center for the Community

Texas Gay Rodeo Assoc—Jack Guthrie at 877-0781

#### AMARILLO—

Metropolitan Community Church—POB 1276, 79105—373-8239

#### LUBBOCK—

Lubbock Gay Alliance—POB 64746 79464

Metropolitan Community Church—POB 64574, 79464—792-5354

#### MIDLAND—

Metropolitan Community Church—Rt 2, Box 427—687-5447

#### NORMAN, OKLA.—

Gay and Lesbian Activist Alliance—329-7758, 329-6877, 360-3640

#### OKLAHOMA CITY—

Dignity—3901 SW 29th—842-0518

Gay Community Center—2135 NW 39th—232-1312

Metropolitan Community Church—1900 NW 17th—521-8352

Oklahomans for Human Rights—POB 207, 73101: meets 2nd Sun, 7:30pm, Hilton Inn Northwest

OHR Gay Helpline—232-1312

#### SHREVEPORT—

Gay Pride Committee—POB 16, 71161

Metropolitan Community Church—1134 Shreveport-Barksdale Hwy—221-8875

#### TEXARKANA—

MCC of the Pines—POB 3012, TX 75504—773-4373: Services 7:30pm Sun

#### TULSA—

Greater Tulsa Business Guild—POB 2405, 74101—747-2339

Metropolitan Community Church—1623 N Maplewood

Oklahomans for Human Rights—POB 52729, 74152—592-5086

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#### By Tycho

For Friday evening, February 10, 1984, through Friday evening, February 17, 1984:

**ARIES**—Your head and heart feel strong and true, and you're working on your dream with all the willpower you're so well known for. New thoughts, ideas and plans come fast and furious. You take them as they come and know just what to do with them. Power and inspiration are key words.

**TAURUS**—You would like to share the good health and feelings that you're personally enjoying with your No. 1 Love, but unless you live with another Taurus, it will just look like a lot of work. Friendly persuasion works best. Caring and sharing is what you're tops at right now.

**GEMINI**—The ball keeps on rolling, and you're on top, keeping your balance just fine, thank you, and doing a bit of cruising when there's time. The exotic has a special appeal for you. Someone or something you never cared much for before turns into the item you suddenly like the best.

**CANCER**—Bringing the workaday world and your personal life together may be as simple as having a party. Aren't you glad you figured that one out? Get everyone together and see what happens. It involves taking a chance, but the results look very promising.

**LEO**—In trying to get out of bluesville, you may move into a state of tension—not very pleasant, but a necessary evil. Pushing and pulling require some strain, after all, so keep on pushing and pulling until you get it right. Relax at week's end, and say "Aaah!"

**VIRGO**—Your heart sings. The results of last week's sure thing should be paying off already, and now your romantic side can benefit from the same treatment. Making the right move—a deposit or a withdrawal—could bring an extra interest or a heavenly dividend.

**LIBRA**—The hot and heavy dish that was making last week so special still bubbles. Watch out for any big promises made or offered. Take this one strictly on a day-to-day basis, and let things shape themselves without forcing them. It may come out alright in the end, so appreciate now.

**SCORPIO**—An argument at home may be just that: so leave it at that. Basic disagreements are a natural occurrence in any relationship, so don't blow this one out of proportion with a heavy dose of your driving intensity. Is it possible for you just to let it be?

**SAGITTARIUS**—That ghost may still be hovering around, trying to scare you out of enjoying the present. However, your personal power is increasing rapidly, and the light in your eyes should frighten the spectre away. An outrageous sense of humor serves you well in the process.

**CAPRICORN**—Your heart is an open book, and the need to make a decision about a serious commitment is now out of your hands. It's fate's turn to decide. Your vulnerability and receptiveness favor allowing the right thing to happen, and it will happen to you.

**AQUARIUS**—For someone who is usually so easy-going, you're turning out to be terribly rigid when it comes to a big ethical question in your life. Figuring out what was important to you should have convinced you of a need to bend with the wind. How about some grace under pressure as well?

**PISCES**—Your attractiveness is gathering a crowd, and you may be asked to take a power position or a place of honor. The sudden appearance of this good fortune may throw you for a loop; be accepting of what happens, and you'll be even more attractive. Don't stop the music.

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