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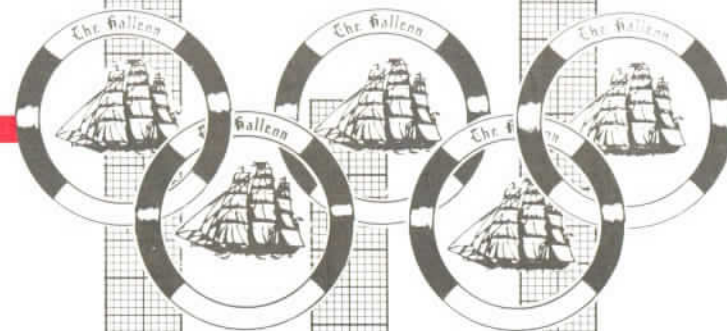
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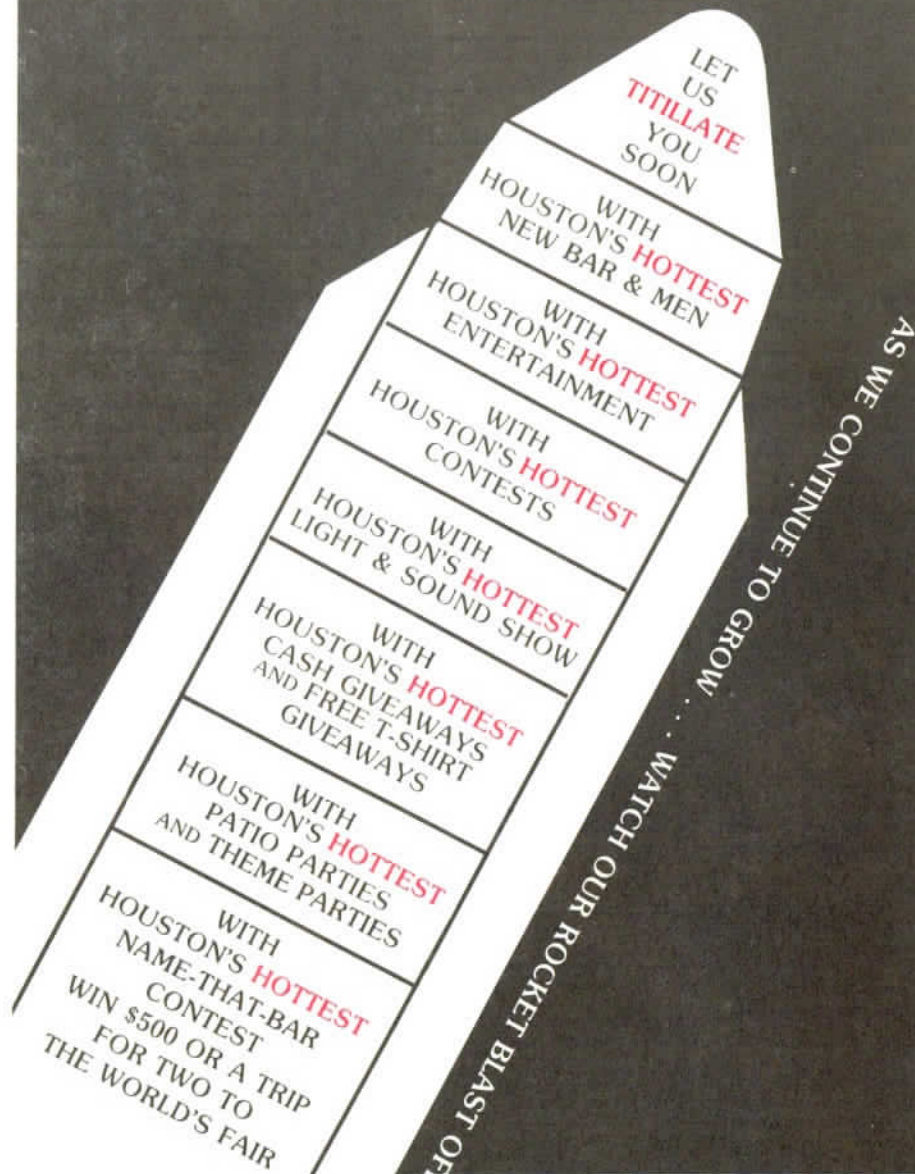
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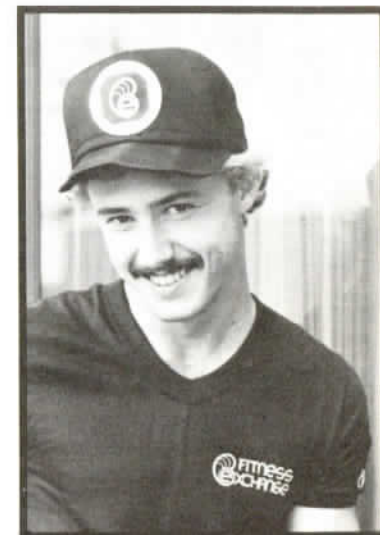
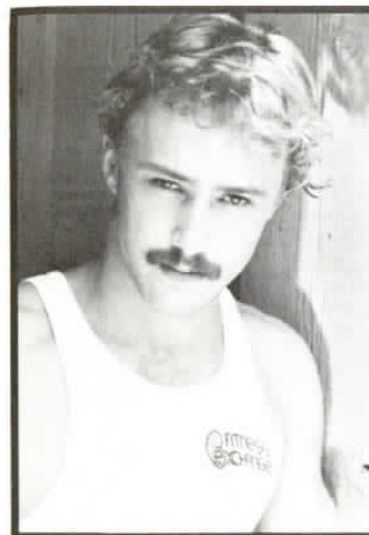
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DGA RUSHES 5,000 POSTCARDS TO REAGAN

DALLAS — A five-point plan of action aimed at visitors and the local community is at the heart of plans just prepared by the Dallas Gay Alliance in preparation for the August 20-23 Republican National Convention to be held in the city's Convention Center next to Reunion Tower.

The first of these projected goals is to make postcards available over the next two weeks to be signed by Dallas area voters. DGA President Bill Nelson revealed to Alan Gellman of TWT NEWS/Dallas that the postcards would read: "Mr. President: I urge you to lead the Republican Party back to its traditional concern for individual liberties, non-interference by government in the private lives of its citizens, and respect for all persons regardless of their race, gender, color, creed, sexual orientation, national origin, or handicapped status. I also urge you to resist the attempts of the Moral Majority and of the Texas State Republican Party to deny these liberties to any persons." It will be a massive mail-out effort as over 5,000 of these postcards are to be presented to President Reagan during the GOP convention, Nelson added.

Terry Tebedo, director of DGA's Social Justice Department confirmed that there will also be a large tent set up at the corner of Cedar Springs and Throckmorton to be known as the Trinity River Bottom Annex Fruit Pavillion. This tent will be a focal point in the Oak Lawn area during the convention and will also be a communications/socializing center for the gay community during the convention.

"Fresh fruit at reasonable prices and information about local activities will be available on the other side of the 'green fence,' similar to the one surrounding the Convention Center in

downtown Dallas, and adjacent to the Mayor A. Starke Taylor 'memorial Port-A-John,' " Tebedo said.

Meanwhile, at the Dallas Gay Community Center, conference rooms will be available for meetings and caucuses for those attending the convention, both delegates and press, DGA's Davie Jones said. "Several groups have already indicated that they will be using the Center as a communications focal point." For instance, the Gay Cable Network of New York City is to work out of our DGA center to tape proceedings of the National Republican Convention.

PRO-FAMILY FORUM IS ANTI-GAY

DALLAS — There is no question that the Pro-Family Forum to be held in this city on the eve of this month's GOP National Convention will not be friendly towards the homosexual lifestyle. Pro-lifers and pro-family supporters are certain to whack away at the pro-gay planks in the 1984 Democratic Platform at the August 17 event.

There is also no question that your tax money is to foot the bill for this extravagant affair featuring Jerry Falwell of the Moral Majority and Phyllis Schlafly of the pro-life movement. Anti-gay action will indeed be the focus of this Republican-type event.

TWT NEWS/Dallas believes that the Republican Party supports the Pro-Family Forum because of the scheduled appearances of two administration officials. They are Alfred S. Regnery, director of the office of Juvenile Justice at Reagan's Justice Department, and William Bennett, chair of the National Endowment for Humanities in the Reagan administration.

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Clearly they are Reagan officials.

To urge the Republican Party to overtly show its divorce from this August's Pro-Family Forum in Dallas, Bruce Decker, chair of the conservative Concerned Americans for Individual Rights, sent a telegram recently to the White House asking that the appearances of the two Reagan officials be cancelled. To date TWT NEWS has learned of no reply from Washington.

DALLAS GAYS COUNTER PRO-FAMILY FORUM

DALLAS — During the week preceding the GOP Convention and on the day preceding the Pro-Family Forum, this city's gay community intends to counter the anti-gay rhetoric spewing from right-wing extremists with a Pro-Human Rights Rally in Lee Park.

"The rally is planned partly to counter the negative publicity to be generated by the Jerry Falwell-Phyllis Schlafly presence in our city at the same time," Mike Richards, DGPC Director explained to Alan Gellman of TWT NEWS/Dallas.

Speakers will include both representatives from the national and local organizations. Following the rally, a free outdoor showing of the movie *Bedtime for Bonzo* starring Ronald Reagan will round off the evening of information and unity," Richards added.

Plan now to attend the Pro-Human Rights Rally in Lee Park on Thursday, August 16, beginning at 8:00pm, it was strongly urged.

Then, the following Tuesday, August 21, on the second day of the GOP convention, there will be a reception for gay Republican delegates, attendees, and the press at Club Menage. The event is co-sponsored by Concerned Ameri-

cans for Individual Rights (CAIR), the Metroplex Republican Society (MRS) and the caucus (DGPC), Richards reminded.

"Menage will provide the food and there will be a cash bar," Stan Aten, president of MRS stated. The reception begins at 5:00pm and will conclude at 7:00pm.

GIVE \$19.84 TO ALAMO CITY SOS

SAN ANTONIO — In order to help raise money this election year for the Human Rights Campaign Fund, the Alamo City chapter, the S.O.S. '84 Committee, has announced a Summer and Smoke party for this Saturday night, August 4.

It is hoped that enough money can be raised to support pro-gay rights candidates in order that San Antonio can raise itself above its current twelfth place positioning among cities in the United States in amount donated, it was explained to TWT NEWS/San Antonio.

The party featuring beer and barbecue will begin at 7:00pm at the home of sponsors Rudy Gonzalez and John Mitchell, 602 Burnett. Guests are asked to give the amount of the year, \$19.84 or more, which is partially tax deductible up to \$100.

CHE HELPS CUH WITH DONATIONS

HOUSTON — The August general meeting of Citizens for Human Equality will be held on Tuesday, August 14, at Birraporetti's, 1997 West Gray. Cocktails from a cash bar will be served from 7:30pm until 8:00pm.

A buffet dinner will be served at 8:00pm followed by a program and short business meeting. "Members, their guests, and the general public are invited to attend, CHE President Sam Canzoneri stated. Donation is \$17.50. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to the Committee for United Houston (CUH). Reservations can be made until August 7 by calling (713) 680-3346 or 266-3680.

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DOLLAR TO DOGGETT DRIVE STARTED

DALLAS — Citing homophobic statements by State Sen. Lloyd Doggett's opponent in the 1984 Texas Senate race, members of the Dallas GPC have called on homosexuals across the state to send a one-dollar bill to Doggett's campaign headquarters in Austin, in a statewide effort of \$700,000 to support Doggett.

According to Mike Richards, director of the Dallas Gay Political Caucus, "The fundraising endeavor which has already begun, encourages gays in Texas to send \$1 or more. Of course, we're not going to be disappointed if someone wants to send more," Richards said.

The goal is to show Sen. Doggett some support and to respond to his opponent's frightening beliefs regarding civil rights. "Senator Doggett's rival has chosen to make gay rights an issue in this campaign, and since Senator Doggett is going to be criticized for our support anyway, we may as well give him as much help as is possible," Richards told TWT NEWS/Dallas.

The latest statistics prepared by the U.S. District Court in 1982 show there are approximately 700,000 gays and lesbians in Texas, more than enough to have an impact in the Senate race.

"Gays are facing a bleak six years if Senator Doggett loses. In fact, we believe civil rights in general will suffer," Richards said. He added that other gay organizations across Texas were being contacted and that advertisements would be placed in the gay media encouraging gays to register to vote and to send \$1 to Doggett's headquarters, 406 W. 13th, Austin, Texas 78701.

GRAMM ATTACKS MALE STRIP SHOW

SAN ANTONIO — Republican Senate nominee Phil Gramm continued last week to attack Lloyd Doggett, his Democratic opponent, for his support from the gay community of Texas. Vying for a U.S. Senate seat with Doggett, Gramm assaulted Doggett at a regional leadership conference sponsored by the Republican National Hispanic Assembly.

Pulling few punches, Gramm chided Doggett for an "all male strip show" held in May at a San Antonio gay club to raise funds for Doggett's campaign.

Earlier, the *San Antonio Light* newspaper reported that a Gramm campaign worker in the Alamo City had distributed to reporters copies of a flyer advertising "a Lloyd Doggett Benefit Show featuring among others, Mr. Gay Apollo of 1984." Gramm's show-and-tell quip brought laughter from the Hispanic Republicans, TWT NEWS/San Antonio observed.

Gramm continued his gay baiting as he ripped into Doggett for "endorsing affirmative action for homosexuals [in hiring] in return for the endorsements of all gay and lesbian groups in the state."

It is the opinion of TWT NEWS that Gramm's campaign is sounding like Kent Hance's recent unsuccessful campaign—full of gay-baiting. In fact, Gramm has confirmed that he is seeking the vote of those Democrats who voted for Hance. Ironically, however, Hance has endorsed Doggett, staying true to his own party line.

Has not Gramm's gay-baiting riled the wrath of the gay voter?

ANTI-PORN PICKETS AT TEXAS STORES

AUSTIN — During the summer session of the Texas Legislature last June, our gay rights lobby on Capitol Hill uncovered information that showed plans for anti-pornography supporters to pick-

et one of the state's largest chain of convenience stores, the 7-Eleven shops.

TWT NEWS/Austin has now learned that the thrust of the anti-porn movement will begin this month as over 300 cities are targeted for demonstrations in August. The movement is to operate under the umbrella of the National Federation for Decency.

In an announcement made last week, the Federation said it is trying to persuade the Southland Corporation of Dallas, 7-Eleven's parent company, to quit selling adult magazines such as *Playboy* and *Penthouse*. "That's nothing more than wishful thinking," Southland spokesperson Doug Reed responded.

In Houston, loud supporter Geneva Kirk Brooks appeared on television advising citizens to bag a large basket full of groceries, dump them on the counter, and then walk out saying, "I see you also sell smut."

Speaking from his Dallas office, Reed said he had alerted 7-Eleven employees about the planned disturbances and

demonstrations and had advised employees to treat anti-porn shoppers "with the same courtesy and respect regular customers receive."

PETITION NAMES LIKELY VALIDATED

HOUSTON — It appears that Councilman John Goodner's anti-gay Committee on Public Awareness has enough signatures on petitions to force this city's new job discrimination ordinance to a public vote—a referendum—on the third Saturday in January, 1985.

After a hectic 'round-the-clock five days of verifying signatures, City Secretary Anna Russell presented her validation report to city councilmembers at 7:00pm Wednesday night, July 18, meeting her appointed deadline.

Using standardized sampling techniques, Russell checked 6,512 of the 61,400 signatures against a list of qualified voters in the city. She said her staff found 5,387 of those signatures to

be verified as duly registered voters, but some 644 of them to be in "split" precincts.

In plain English, "split" means that those registered voters in question may live outside the city limits. She added that she had not made any attempt to check whether those addresses were within the city limits. She also found that some 266 of the verified signatures were on petitions that were not properly notarized. Russell stated that her staff had found more than 170 of the petitions not to be notarized.

The Committee on Public Awareness needed 28,126 signatures. Russell's staff verified 61,400 on the petition to repeal the ordinance and 59,044 on the petition to repeal the resolution concerning affirmative action.

Meanwhile, defenders of the ordinance, the Citizens for United Houston ran its own verification check of signatures last week at a local computer center and found more incorrect names and addresses of registered vo-

ters than did the city secretary. Their report was to be made available to council showing that the number of people calling for a referendum was not as large a public mandate as claimed by the Committee on Public Awareness. The CUA verification report paid close attention to out-of-city names on the petitions.

The next step in the process, TWT NEWS/Houston learned, was for city council to stringently investigate the matter. Council would have two choices. It could either repeal its previous ordinances rather than put the city through an extremely costly and bitter referendum or decide to set a date in January, 1985 for the referendum to be held.

"However, no one expects the mayor or any councilmember to change his or her vote, which means the issue will go before the voters in January, the next date available for such an election," Emily Grotta of the *Houston Post* accurately concluded.

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New Referendum Fund

Dear TWT:

I am writing about a concern I have over the way certain organizations are talking about financing the potential referendum which is before us. Friends of mine have been approached by representatives suggesting that they give money for the referendum. I strongly suggest that these people do not give any organization funds until all organizations can arrive at a consensus as to the handling of these funds. This is the only way to be assured that your money will actually be spent on the referendum and not another political agenda.

I also feel it is important that a central fund be set up involving all major organizations in the referendum coalition. It is ridiculous and presumptuous for any single group to think that they are going to orchestrate the referendum single-handedly. It is only through a comprehensive and combined effort that the several hundred thousand dollars which will be necessary to fight the referendum will be spent wisely. If any organization refuses to combine efforts and work together, the referendum will undoubtedly be a disaster.

Brian Keever
Houston, Texas

To set the record straight, what you have suggested has been agreed upon. There is a new central fund to which one can donate monies.

The newly created fund has been set up by the newly formed 15-member Steering Committee of the newly formed Citizens for United Houston. It is not affiliated with HGPC, CHE, C-PAC, MCCR, Dignity, MSA, Integrity, MCS or any other political, religious or social organization.

Citizens for United Houston informed TWT NEWS that they would soon announce a permanent address complete with box number so that donations can be properly accepted.

Thank you for your concern over the important matter of funding.— Editor

SARRA

Dear Twt:

For the purpose of this letter, let me introduce myself as Sarra, a name I derived from the initials of five little people who, because of their ages, have no rights to protest injustice. And who, because of my sexual preference, have been (at least temporarily) taken from me. All but one.

I can only thank God that my oldest child refused to spend the night with "daddy" at Grandma's that terrible weekend. It seems as though centuries have passed. Only months.

Soon after "daddy" left to move in at his parents' home, they (dad, g-ma & g-pa) asked for all of the kids to spend the night. Against my better judgement I agreed. When I went to pick up the younger ones, the world was beautiful. All of my dreams were becoming reality. Beautiful large family, college, on my own once more. On that sultry day my world darkened. My dreams became a nightmare from which I have not yet awakened.

They (Ft. Knox) hired a former judge as their attorney. Divorce papers were filed, charging that my "repeated lesbian affair" had "worsened, causing the defendant to completely shirk her parental responsibility," placing the children in "obviously a dangerous situation of irreparable harm." Hog wash. . . .

They hired a private investigator who cut my screens, tapped my phone, taped private "conversations" through open windows, stalked me both day and night. He is today a very prominent part of my life. He is my shadow.

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What kind of judicial system do we have that says because you have made love with a woman you are no longer fit to raise your children? Not a just one.

I would like to conclude, stating one truth not told by their side. Others, beware. My husband knew of my sexual preference PRIOR to our marriage. He saw me to be a fit mother then. He not only approved of, but encouraged me into non-heterosexual relations. I guess he started feeling threatened; maybe he just started to care; I don't know what happened. But he kidnapped my life away from me. Sarra Texas

So, You're an Artist?!

Dear TWT:

The Montrose Art Alliance met on Monday, July 23, and with the task of Gay Pride behind us, look enthusiastically to the upcoming months!

The agenda consisted of plans to partake in the upcoming Heights Festival, Westheimer Arts Festival, a Seminar on the Arts (i.e. photography, sculpture, painting mediums) and Art Auction, in time for the upcoming holidays.

Currently, we are also trying to expand

our outreach, and any persons (artists or patrons) interested in joining our organization may call the phone numbers listed below or, quite simply, join our next meeting to be held Monday, August 6, 740 E. 19th St. (Heights), 8:00pm (868-9314). Or call Roz at 521-2461, Carl at 694-1732 or Joey at 869-5332.

What more positive way for us to unite and show the beauty we represent in our community, in these trying times of adverse publicity and the upcoming referendums, which always seem to overshadow all the creative forces we give to our community!

All the members of the Montrose Art Alliance extend to everyone an invitation to our meeting, and we hope to see many new faces in the very near future. . . . So, you *really* are an artist! Montrose Art Alliance Houston, Texas

Arty

Dear TWT:

Thank you for the constant improving qualities of your gay publication.

In particular I have been impressed with the addition of your new ART feature. We in the gay community also enjoy culture that enriches our lives, and it is good to see art handled in a gay magazine with such knowledge.

Thank you for always improving. Robert J. Newton Deer Park, Texas

High Caliber Training

Dear TWT:

I want to express my appreciation of the KS/AIDS Foundation of Houston, Inc. for allowing me to participate in their first weekend training seminar. The experience was wonderful. I have been a registered nurse for twelve years and never have I participated in a program so timely, moving and necessary. The weekend will always be an integral part of my professional and personal life.

I encourage all concerned members of the community to contact the foundation and volunteer. The content, delivery and experience of the weekend training is of the highest caliber and free to all interested. Let us unite together and confront this devastating disease process. Daniel Moreschi, RN, BS Houston, Texas

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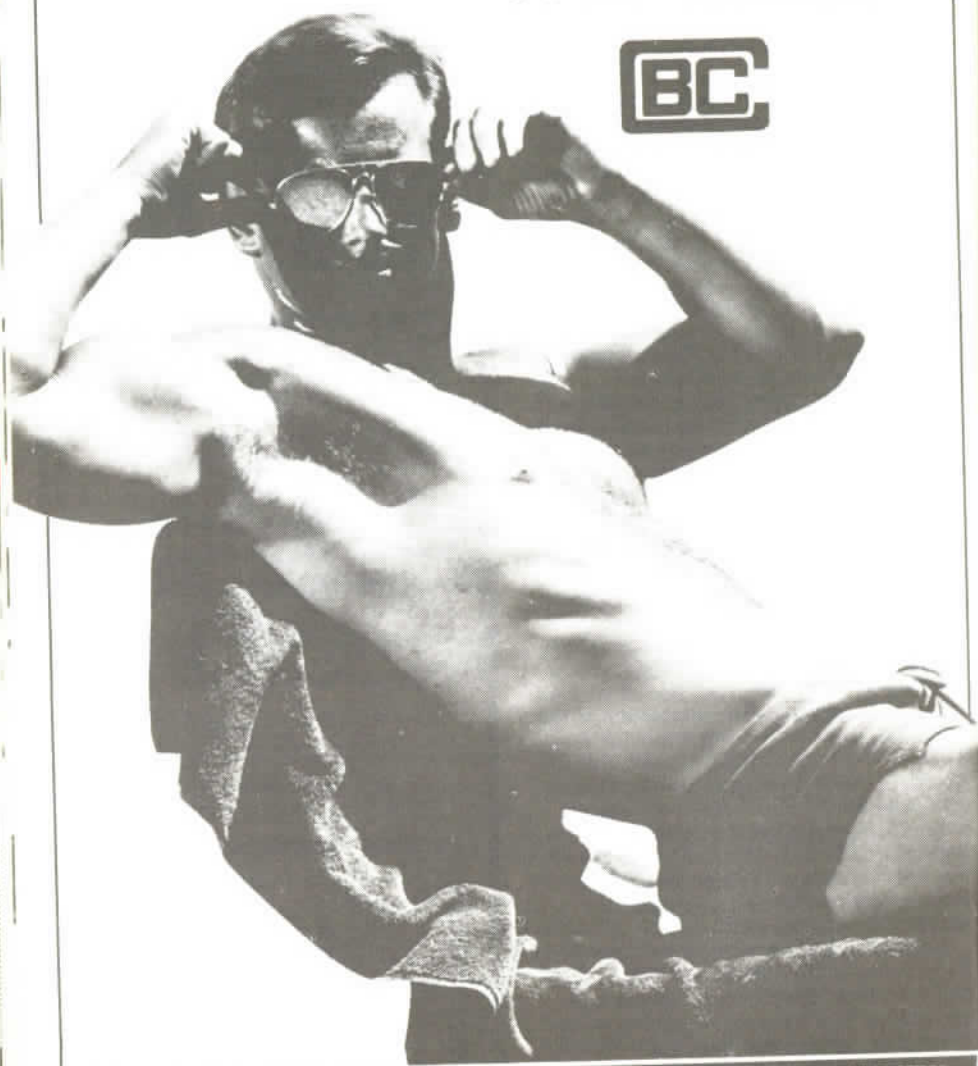
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Terry Tebedo

DALLAS POLICE STILL DON'T HIRE OPENLY GAY OFFICERS

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by Terry Tebedo

As a representative of the Dallas Gay Alliance and director of its Social Justice Department, I recently had the opportunity to meet with Captain Squier of the Dallas Police Department on July 17 to discuss some of the concerns Dallas gays have regarding their relationship with the police in our city.

Many topics from crimes against gays to equal treatment and enforcement of the laws were addressed. What surprised me was the candor with which Captain Squier addressed the issue of police hiring.

Currently the Dallas Police Department asks both in the written portion and during the lie detector test the sexual orientation of applicants. Captain Squier, who has been helpful and supportive as liaison to Oak Lawn's gay community related that although he was "not afraid of it [homosexuality], there are probably those out there that feel that it is contagious." Both Captain Squier and other representatives of the Dallas Police Department agreed that it could be 2 to 10 years before the timing is right to eliminate such barriers.

Even after pointing out to them the anger that blacks and women would feel when told that their barriers would last that long I suspect they still feel justified that the time is "not right." What the City of Dallas and the Dallas Police Department must come to realize soon is that the only time that is not right is the time for legitimized discrimination.

When a press representative pointed out that he knew of a gay officer and would like to publish an interview with him, the consensus of those present was that although there would not be a witch hunt by the city administration, fellow police officers would search out and make life uncomfortable for any gay officer.

The city of Dallas and its police department cannot possibly serve all of its citizens fairly and equally when they condone eliminating 10% of its population strictly out of unfounded fears and non-work related criteria.

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HIGHLIGHT

NO HUMAN HAS CONTROL OVER HOW THEY ARE BORN ... THAT'S GOD'S BUSINESS!

Members of the Texas clergy are not the only persons upset with Bishop Morkovsky's recent anti-gay statements. The president of the Houston chapter of Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays, Freda L. Jerrell, is also disturbed. "I am angry with the bishop," she told TWT magazine. "My husband, Frank, and I have been members of Dignity for quite a while."

Mrs. Jerrell, who is also the Southern Regional [Texas to California] Director of PFLAG, wrote the following letter to his Excellency, Rev. John L. Morkovsky, bishop of the Houston-Galveston Diocese. She and her husband requested that their response be reprinted.

Your Excellency:

Let me say that, as a Catholic, I am very aware that you speak for the "Church." That is as it should be. Let me also say that my husband and I are very disappointed that you spoke to the press stating that you are in favor of petitions against gay rights.

This is not a gay issue. It is a human issue. All gay men and lesbian women are, after all, human beings with the human and civil rights granted to the population of this country. We have no right to deny these human and civil rights to homosexuals. We should all make sure that they have these equal rights. That is all they are asking for.

Now when you discriminate against this segment of society I feel sincerely that you have overstepped your office and I disagree with you.

I know a lot of gay men and women. Sexual "orientation" is the only thing

that makes them different from heterosexuals. You need education on that. They do not choose to be gay; they are gay and come to realize that sometime in their life, whether as a youth or later. What "causes" some people to be gay is unknown as it is also unknown what "causes" other people to be heterosexual. No human has control over how they are born. That is God's business.

Having been employed for a while at a Catholic parish I know also that there are many gay priests and sisters. You also know that. Does that make them any less a priest or sister than heterosexual priests, sisters or nuns? Some of the best and most spiritual people I know are homosexual. On the day of Judgement we may be surprised to see them accepted to God's bosom while some of us are turned away. Only God knows them. And only He knows how gays have suffered because of their

discrimination from society.

And what of the David and Jonathon story? They lay together. They loved each other. We know how that is interpreted but there is a possibility that they were in love. Perhaps David was expected to take a wife because Kings were expected to pass on heirs to rule their kingdoms. In any event Jonathon was still around.

These are my own personal thoughts and feelings and I feel comfortable expressing them. I am far from being a theologian but I believe in "live and let live" and that I can judge no person other than myself. I also believe that God makes no trash and that He loves everyone and everything that He creates.

I believe that there is a purpose in God's plan for homosexuals to be on this earth. I *do not* believe that homosexuality is against God's plan. There are good and bad people of both sexual orientations and society must have laws governing criminal acts, but let us not make criminals of people only on the basis of a natural and normal orientation as homosexuality.

What of all the parents of homosexuals? Do you feel that you have comforted them only by discriminating against their sons and daughters? I would think that it makes them feel guilty where they should not. Shame on you. Respectfully,
(Mrs.) Freda L. Jerrell

NOT ALL CATHOLIC PASTORS ANTI-GAY

PRESENTING ANOTHER DIALOGUE OF
DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN A PASTOR
AND THE BISHOP OF HIS DIOCESE

The following letter, made available to TWT magazine, was sent to all the pastors of the many Catholic Churches in the Houston-Galveston Diocese by their bishop, John Morkovksky. The letter urged all pastors to encourage their congregations to sign the anti-gay job discrimination petitions which were circulated in Houston recently.

To the Pastors in Houston, greetings. The Houston City Council recently passed an Ordinance which singles out homosexuals for special protection of job opportunities with the city. As Christian citizens we are certainly in favor of equal civil rights, and against any unjust discrimination in employment.

However, there is reason for concern when a special organized group appears

to exercise political power in a matter on which voters should have the right to express themselves. Equal job opportunity seems to be already sufficiently protected by law. Special groups scarcely need special laws which may cause concern to many citizens.

According to our moral code, homosexual acts are a perversion and are seriously sinful. Some people may be homosexually oriented by birth, and

such persons should not be objects of unjust discrimination. However, this is not to say that discretion may not be necessary in certain situations.

We repudiate the bigoted hatred of the Ku Klux Klan. At other times their hatred was directed against Catholics, Jews, and Blacks.

I consider the Council's action in need of more deliberation since it concerns a moral issue; it should be presented to the voters of Houston. I urge our people to work and pray for the promotion of virtue—Justice, charity, peace—in our community.

I ask the pastor to make sure that your people know the Church's moral teaching on this matter. You may read this letter to the people on this weekend, and, if possible, give them the opportunity to sign the petition being circulated, asking the City Council to withdraw the Ordinance in question, or to give to the citizens an opportunity to vote on the matter in the next city election.
Sincerely yours in Christ,
Most Rev. John L. Morkovsky,
Bishop of Galveston-Houston.

Response among clergy to the bishop's letter has not been totally favorable. Some Texas Catholics disagree as did the Most Reverend John Gabriel, bishop of South Texas. His pro-gay response was printed last week in TWT magazine.

This week, a member of Houston's Catholic clergy, Rev. Michael Corrigan of St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church, takes issue with the bishop. Printed below is the letter he wrote in response to Morkovsky's anti-gay views.

Dear Bishop Morkovsky:

I want you to know that I have the deepest respect and even love for you. You are a man of faith, honesty and courage. In view of this understanding and appreciation, I am surprised and disappointed by your letter of July 12, 1984 concerning the City Council's effort to protect the civil rights of homosexuals. I was active in voter registration in the early '60's and can remember very clearly when Bishops and Priests took the same position regarding the civil rights of black people. Your letter indicates that you may have the same

misunderstanding regarding the civil rights of homosexuals. Homosexuals are indeed and in fact discriminated against. As a priest I have counseled many homosexuals, I have homosexual friends and I can assure you from my own personal experience that when and if discovered to be homosexual they have been fired from their jobs, some have been beaten and otherwise abused and disenfranchised of their civil rights.

In your letter you say: "Equal job opportunity seems to be already sufficiently protected by law. Special groups scarcely need special laws which may cause concern to many citizens." Why do you single out just homosexuals? The ordinance reads to include race, color, religion, sex and sexual orientation. Why are you not equally concerned by the inclusion of these other "special" groups of people? We don't tell people they can't hire people who use birth control, who practice adultery, etc. Why homosexuals? We are all sinners. Are you saying homosexuals should be treated differently? Is adultery, etc. more acceptable? Why single out homosexuals? This is not a similar issue, it is exactly the same issue of sexual morality. Furthermore, I feel that the Church must be very cautious about who she unites herself with based only on the surface impression of their position. Unchristian hate can and does mask itself with superficial scriptural exegesis. The issue that concerns the City Council is the civil rights of "special" groups of people within the City of Houston and not the morality or immorality of homosexuality.

In your letter you mentioned the moral code of the Church. The supreme truth of the Gospel is that God is love and that each and every human being is infinitely loved and valued by Him unconditionally. Jesus does not impose a set of demands and/or expectations to be met. Rather, He simply accepted people as they were and gently invited them to live lives of love. We, as His followers are invited to do likewise. We, the Church, are asked to struggle against our tenden-

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cies of making Christianity burdensome by incasing it within our own rigid moral certitudes. Jesus ate with tax-collectors and those counted as "sinners" by the religious establishment of His own day. I have always found it interesting what many in the Church have done to and with Jesus and His teaching—what we do toward the social/moral outcasts of our society. How we have made the Church exclusive instead of inclusive. We seem to have a talent for using Christianity which is meant to be a relief, as a means for multiplying our burdens. Many of us are like the Pharisees. Jesus had a tremendous compassion for the sinner, the weak, the struggling—all of us. He was constantly on lookout for the victims of repressive moral, social, political and economic systems—those people who thought themselves better and morally superior—the moral majority of His day. Jesus invited people to show the presence of God in their lives, to love as the Father loves, to love

without discrimination. The Gospel indicates that He had favorites in His Kingdom—those who had been excluded, persecuted, oppressed. Like Jesus, we are invited to accept people as they are regardless and by our own lived example invite them to the richness of life truly lived by the standards of love and justice.

I know Jesus well enough to know that if He were walking the streets of Houston as he did two thousand years ago in Nazareth, He would be outraged by any form of racism and bigotry including the insidious kind that hides behind Scripture, Church teaching and the preservation of family life.

I know you to be a man of love, faith, honesty and courage. I am afraid that your letter may be misconstrued by some misguided and hatefilled people as sanction to further discrimination against homosexuals.

Respectfully Yours in Christ,
Rev. Michael Corrigan

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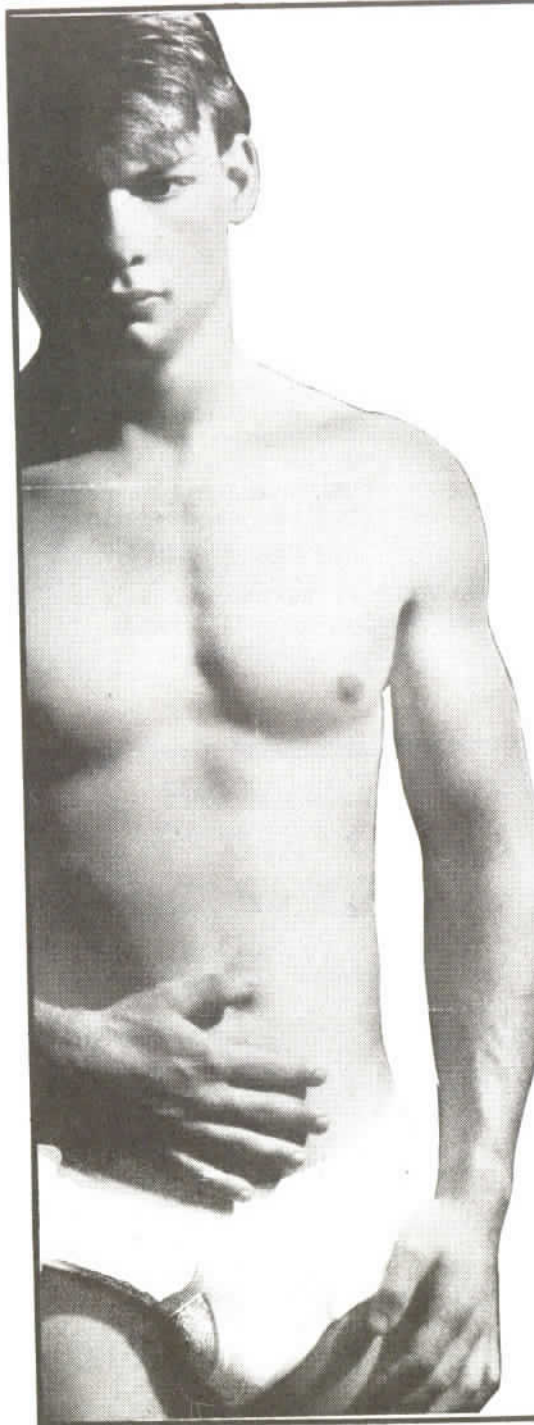
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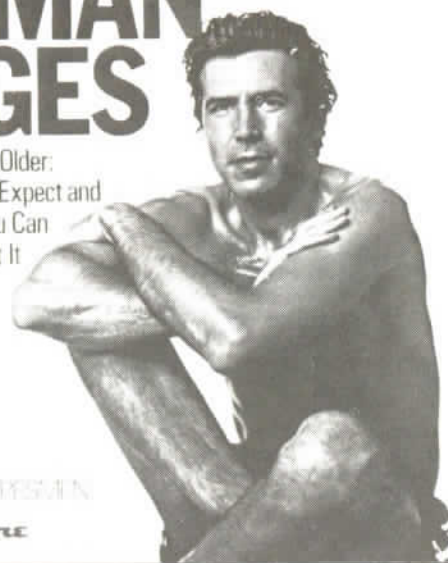
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How A Man Ages by Curtis Pesmen and the Editors of *Esquire*; non-fiction; notes and sources, bibliography, index; 226 pp.; A Ballantine/Esquire Press Book, Ballantine Books, New York; softcover, \$7.95.

Reviewed by David Fields

There are several reasons why people exercise. Most companies in the fitness industry sell their product as a way to develop a sexier, more appealing body, and this is especially true for most gay gyms. But the emphasis is on preserving that "youthful" look.

How A Man Ages by Curtis Pesmen reminds us and re-emphasizes that exercise is to better continue an optimum level of mental, emotional and physical agility and ability as we age. Rather than focusing on the static state of preservation, he concentrates on the dynamic state of a constantly changing body and how to adjust to this.

"What might not yet be appreciated is that many physical aspects of aging

are indeed modifiable and not the inevitable result of growing older." Pesmen makes this statement early in the book. Just as there are many myths and misconceptions about gays, so too are there myths about the aging process. Though we can do nothing about the immutable physical realities of aging, we *can* change our thinking about aging and vastly improve our ability to minimize its effects.

Curtis Pesmen is not a doctor himself but he and the editors of *Esquire* who sponsored this book, have consulted over 100 medical professionals in the creation of this book. Some of the information comes from the vast number of articles in *Esquire* magazine on medical perspectives on men. Each chapter zeroes in on a particular of a man's body and lists what changes can be expected to occur.

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The material is comprehensive and extensive. His (Pesmen's) writing style is clear, straightforward and non-technical. Ten chapters concern themselves specifically with the various organs and components of the body, including the skin, bones and tissues. Sexual potency as one ages is discussed as well as new information about the heart. Published this year, *How A Man Ages* is an up-to-date compendium of the latest findings about the process of aging in a man's body.

The last chapter concerns longevity in general. More than anything, the various theories of why we age are discussed. The chapter begins with Groucho Marx's experience through an anecdote. Life-extension with bionics, replacing body parts with artificial components, is discussed. The book is well-documented with notes, sources, a bibliography and an appendix. *How A Man Ages* is a very readable and thorough "how-to manual" on the male body.

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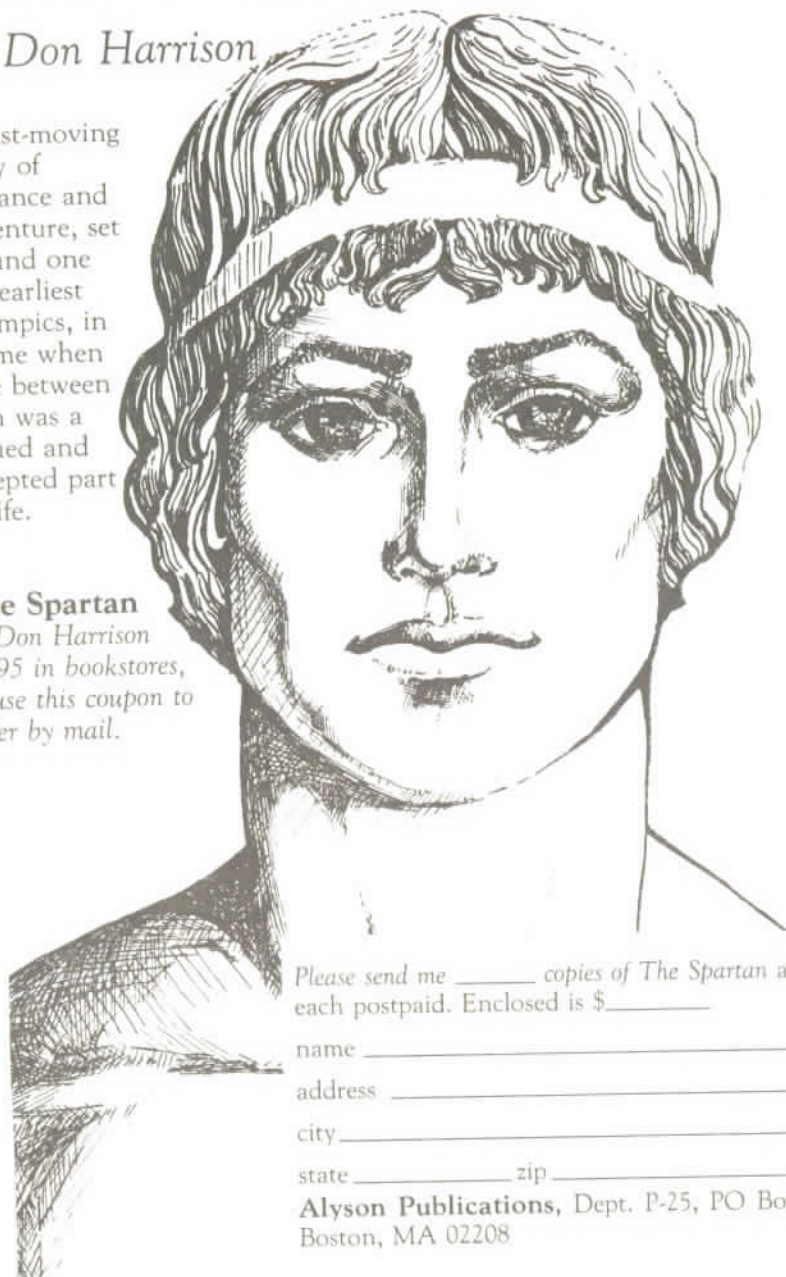
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Reviewed by O. Flores Alvarez

This Summer's Hot Move Movie

Weeks after the soundtrack has been tearing up the charts, Prince's new movie *Purple Rain* has finally been released and it's no let down. An autobiographical story about his own difficulties at home and on stage, this is a bold movie. Prince isn't afraid to let the audience see him make mistakes, or suffer from a frantic family life.

Of course, one of the highlights of the movie is the music and rightly so; there is no Prince story without the music. But unlike so many other movies with lots of music in them, the music is used to tell the story, and there is a real connection between his tunes and his life (he writes the title song for his father after his suicide attempt). The soundtrack may be a little too acid for some people until they see the movie (or the videos)

and then the songs are more familiar and likeable. "Doves Cry" and "Let's Go Crazy" are both fun tunes that are topping the charts, and the soundtrack can only do better now that the movie is out.

The acting (it's mostly Prince and his girlfriend, Apollonia) is solid. Prince is nice on screen—warm, vulnerable, a far cry from the stage image that he so impeccably maintains. And Apollonia is gorgeous. She doesn't do much but cry and react to Prince, but she does it all real well.

Much to his own credit, Prince is always in control on screen. He looks and sounds wonderful. His concert scenes are some of the most well produced stage scenes to hit the screen since Barbra Streisand did *A Star Is Born*. And if you have never seen Prince in concert, this is a must see. The man has the coolest moves in the business—hot, erotic moves that never get in the way of the music.

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RAMBLING ROSE — You may have noticed that *Where the Boys Are*—the 1960 version—has recently been released as a videocassette and is being promoted by some as “the original beach party movie.” And you may be interested to learn that **Dolores Hart**, who starred in that film with **George Hamilton**, **Jim Hutton**, **Paula Prentiss**, **Yvette Mimieux**, and **Connie Francis**, has lately been trying to establish an “actor’s sanctuary” on 22 acres of land in Bethlehem, Jordan, which she examined on a recent trip through the Holy Lands. In case you didn’t know, Dolores Hart left Hollywood in the early sixties to become a nun. She is now Mother Dolores of the Benedictine Abbey of Regina Laudis in Bethlehem, *Connecticut!* . . . A group with the unlikely name of **Frankie Goes To Hollywood** is one of the most popular music acts to invade British record charts in several years, but I wonder if they have what it takes to invade the hearts, minds, and wallets of American record buyers—as so many have done before. The group has already had a couple of singles banned by the BBC-TV *Top of the Pops* program, and one of the singles—“Two Tribes”—is claimed to be the first “genuine protest song” of the last eight years. In other words, Frankie Goes to Hollywood gets a lot of attention on their own turf, but that may

not be enough to make it over here. The name, incidentally, was suggested by the headline on an article about **Frank Sinatra** in an old movie magazine. . . . Don’t expect a sequel to *Gone With the Wind* any time soon. In the mid-seventies there was a lot of talk about such a project, and rumors have occasionally popped up since then. However, a federal court in Atlanta recently ruled against MGM/UA Entertainment Co.’s claim of ownership of the sequel rights to **Margaret Mitchell**’s novel. Oh well, maybe you can content yourself with reading **Anne Edwards’** *Road to Tara: The Life of Margaret Mitchell*, which was recently published in paperback. Miss Edwards, you may recall, published the well received biography of **Vivien Leigh** in 1977.

IN STORE — Can it be that the extraordinary **Faye Dunaway**, at age 43, is trying to become the new High Priestess of Camp? It certainly seems as if she is heading in that direction. For example, consider Faye’s dead serious exhumation of the **Joan Crawford** persona for *Mommie Dearest*, a film which may well represent Camp’s finest 129 minutes of the current decade thus far. I mean, can any actress—male or female—surpass

the sheer majesty of Faye’s “Dooooon’t fuck with me fellas”? Perhaps only Faye can top Faye. Anyway, word has it that she’s pretty far over the edge in *Supergirl*, which we will finally get to see at Christmas. In *Supergirl*, Faye portrays Selena, a wicked sorceress who plots evil and various mayhem in her mountain castle. One of Faye’s best lines in this one is “Never send a man to do a woman’s job”—you get the pic-

Come up and see me sometime.

Oh, blow it out your ass
you superficial bitch.



IN MEMORIAM — I was rather surprised to find that a certain newspaper I read gave such scant attention to the death of British actor **James Mason**, while an obituary for **George Gallup** was given considerably greater space. James Mason, I think most moviegoers will agree, was one of the truly great actors, even though he was never a matinee idol on the order of Gable and Redford. In fact, his mere voice was a cinematic icon. A rundown of his film appearances could go on and on for pages, but I think a short list of highlights would have to include: *The Seventh Veil* (1945), *A Star is Born* (1954), *20,000 Leagues Under the Sea* (1954), *Lolita* (1962),

and *Unfaithful* (1999). Unfortunately, Selena meets her match in *Supergirl*—a cousin of *Superman*—and **Helen Slater**, in the title role, is already being discussed as the “find” of the year. Also involved in the proceedings are **Brenda Vaccaro** (Selena’s assistant), **Mia Farrow** (*Supergirl*’s mother), and **Peter O’Toole** (*Supergirl*’s mentor). Expect *Supergirl* to be a worthy alternative to the other major Christmas gift—2010.

CHOICE QUOTE

Although **Cary Grant** appeared in a number of films before starring with **Mae West** in 1933’s *She Done Him Wrong*, Mae gave herself credit for discovering the suave and sexy British actor. The two also starred together in *I’m No Angel*. At 80, Cary is still suave and sexy in spite of white hair and a few wrinkles, but is he gallant? During one of his extremely rare lecture appearances, he recently told an audience in Schenectady, New York:

“I don’t have a fond memory of Mae West; she did her own thing to the detriment of everyone around her. I don’t admire her superficiality.”

Georgy Girl (1966), and *The Verdict* (1982). Mr. Mason received Academy Award nominations for *A Star is Born*, *Georgy Girl*, and *The Verdict*. He died July 27 at age 75. And George Gallup, of the famous Gallup Poll, also died that day, at age 82.

James Mason accidentally backhands Judy Garland in 1954’s *A Star is Born*.



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BACKSTAGE

TEXAS by Rob Clark

LA WANDA DOES CORPUS — I know. You're wondering, how did **La Wanda Page** find her way from L.A. to Corpus Christi? Glad you asked. It seems when RFD Productions of Corpus Christi heard that La Wanda was about to go on tour, they called her manager and talked her into starting the tour two weeks early in . . . you got it . . . Corpus.

La Wanda told **BACKSTAGE** after her show, that she found Corpus Christi to be small but pretty, and she's on her way to Houston to rest up for the remainder of her tour. Rest in *Houston*?

While at the restaurant in the Marriot Hotel, La Wanda stepped aside when **Aunt "Sanford and Son" Esther** claims to have found a hair in her food and proceeded to launch into a very loud tirade concerning that "fact." Alright girl!

MUSIC STAFF — Here's a quick run-down of who's doing what, where

they're doing it and when, (but not necessarily who they're doing it with!):

Rascals in Houston presents the fabulously refreshing **Samantha Samuels** through August 11. Sam comes to Houston along with manager **Steven Shore** and musical director **Eric Vetro** to debut her first album, *All Dressed Up*.

Patrick's in Dallas brings the oh-so-GERgeous **Bubba and Bear** to the stage through August 18 on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. You may recall, B & B backed **John Day** up on his Gay Pride Week record, "Unity and More in '84."

Baja's in Houston is holding over for this weekend, **Cal Younger** and **Jim Anderson**, and I have no idea what performer will be at **Bentley's** in Dallas, 'cause Mizz Ryan didn't call and tell me. Snap, Gem!

Sir Bud's in Fort Worth presents the Western-Dynamo **Dena Kaye** on Satur-

day, August 4. For information on the show, call the club at (817) 877-5326.

And finally, **Club Menage** brings **Claire Voyance** (I can't believe that name) to their stage August 10 and 11.

BITCHY STUFF — I am on my soap-box, and we all know what that means. Buckle your seatbelts.

I am so bored with R-U-D-E drunks talking loudly and laughing obscenely during the middle of a cabaret singer's set. Now don't get me wrong . . . there's nothing wrong with friendly . . . tastefully quiet . . . chatter amongst yourselves, but to scream, "Hey Mary" across the whole room when one of your few friends walks in the door is deplorable. And . . . (yes, there's more) at one particular club I was at, the bartenders were louder than the singer. Come on jerks . . . consider the people around you, above all, the performer. Or you just may end up wearing your cocktail (after the set). Okay, I'm over it until next time.

PINES '79 — The play currently on stage at the **Pink Elephant** in Houston, *Pines '79*, is such a hit, it's being held over on Monday, Tuesday and Friday through August 17. Check it out.

DALLAS BAND — With the Pride III parade less than ten weeks away, the **Oak Lawn Symphonic Band** of Dallas is seeking new members. **Charles Dunnam**, one of the founding members of the band, tells us the band needs new members who play a musical instrument. He also adds, "There are no auditions, just come any Tuesday to the Metropolitan Community Church, 2701 Reagan in Oak Lawn and join in." The band also has some musical instruments for those who need them. Women are especially needed and wanted. For further information, call (214) 522-3551.

ALLEY STUFF — **The Alley Theatre** in Houston is currently presenting their annual summer chiller, *Angel Street*,



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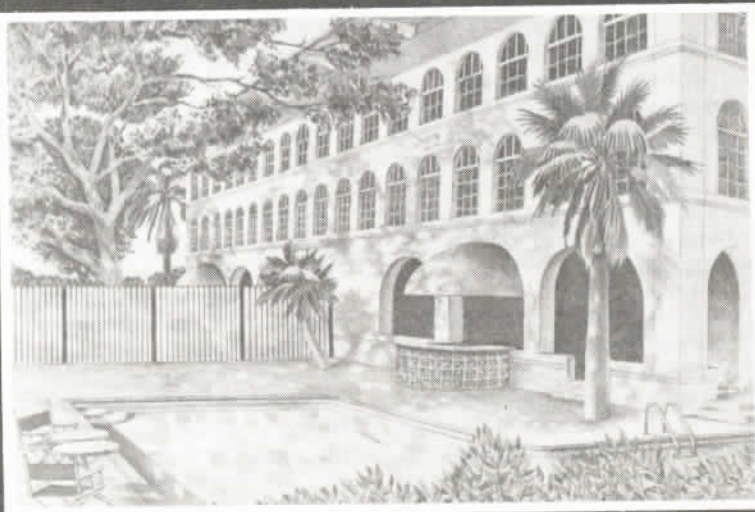
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through August 26. Set in turn-of-the-century England, the play is the basis for the 1944 classic film *Gaslight*, which starred **Charles Boyer** and **Ingrid**



A scene from *Angel Street*

Bergman. The film, one of six to be shown on Tuesdays and Wednesdays in a series entitled "Ladies of Intrigue," will be screened on August 21 and 22. For ticket information, reservations or film schedule, contact the Alley Box Office at (713) 228-8421.

GRECO-ROMAN — The Fourth Texas Greco-Roman Festival will run five weekends, September 1 through September 30. It is a celebration not unlike those held in ancient Greece and Rome, complete with chariot racing, Greek-style wrestling, entertainment (over 100 shows each day), Greek and Italian food, arts and crafts, and various Olympic games.

The festival is located East of Rockwall, Texas, 30 miles northeast of Dallas. From Dallas, take I-30 east (across Lake Ray Hubbard) to FM 205 Exit. Go right on 205 for 1 block. Turn left on FM 276. Go 12 miles to FM 1565 and turn right, go 5 miles to the Festival. For further information, call (214) 222-2207, or (214) 563-0110.

WHERE THE BOYS ARE — A select group of video buffs will get to look back more than 20 years when Houston's **Audio Video Plus** throws a real-live, old fashioned, 1960s-style beach party. "There will be only one thing missing," says AVP manager, **Susan Gee**. "Water." Gee went on to explain that there'll be no water because the party—complete with sandy beach and palm trees—will be held on the video store's parking lot, 1225 Waugh Drive at West Clay. "We wanted to dig a channel and bring some of the gulf, but there wasn't enough time," she joked.

The Sunday, August 5 party is given for AVP's VIPs—regular customers who enjoy AVP's colorful style of merrymaking and promoting of new video movie titles. This party will celebrate MGM United Artists Home Video release of the popular 1960 film, *Where the Boys Are*, which featured several stars—including **George Hamilton**, **Barbara Nichols** and **Yvette Mimieux**—and introduced **Connie Francis**. Gee explained that this movie was important because "it introduced a whole era of 'beach party' movies that became a dominant influence on the lifestyle of youth in the decade of the sixties."

The party—from 7:00 until 10:00pm—will be full of 1960s nostalgia. "We will have some really 'live' contests. We plan a beachwear style show and contest—which includes men's and women's beachwear and hats, a limbo contest, and, of course, a contest for the dance sensation of that period—The Twist!," Gee reported, adding that there will be prizes for the daring and talented winners. "Refreshments," Gee noted, "will also be reflective of the 'beach party' lifestyle. Of course they'll include hot dogs, Italian ices, beer and pop and an old-fashioned marshmallow roast."

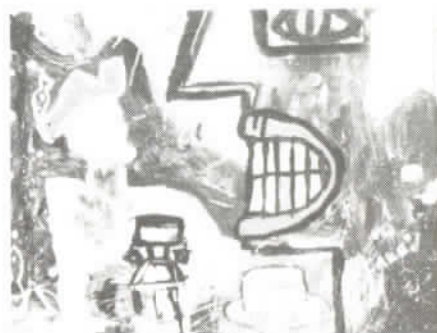
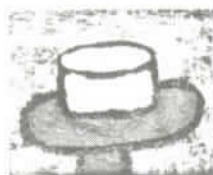
Gee explained that this is typical of the lengths they go to at AVP when it's time to introduce a new video release to Houston. "We've got a great group of regulars who are on our mailing list. Of course, those who want to attend, but were not mailed an invitation, may stop in the store and pick up one at the rental counter."



Art for the past thirty years has provided us with an everchanging endless series of movements. Within this profession we see reaction as a repeating catalyst. Today we may view the works of James Bettison of Houston, evolving, producing work that is contemporary of our times and reflecting the current ever changing art in America.

A man that did not forget how to paint, is being productive beyond belief. He projects in his work familiarity with the unknown, a corpus ripe for the future and a supreme gift spurred from within for the present. His style may be defined as now current—the American—as opposed to the styles of realism, abstraction and non-objective. This does not say realism, abstraction and non-objective qualities are obscure. The artist's work is influenced by Jackson Pollock to William de Kooning, but handled with the exuberance, vitality and expressiveness of today and the future. He proves over and over that painting is a joy and being an artist is indeed noble.

This movement is named Expressionism. Expressionism exploits a graphics style of complex ideas from political to social, dramatized with oppression and violence about everyday events. The



For the one that left the cake out in the rain. Mixed media, 8"x10" and 16"x20"



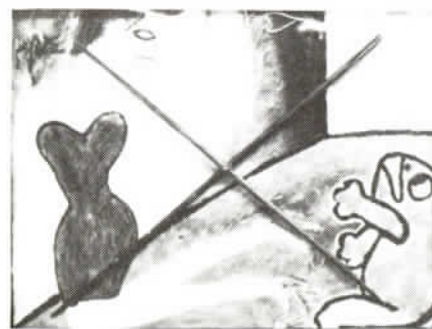
Still life from Mars. (the night little Bobby saved Icaras) Mixed media, 18"x24"



He got tired of running. Mixed media, 18"x24"

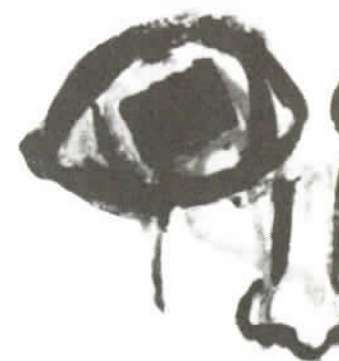


Still life from Mars. Mixed media, 18"x24"



The night he took her name and heart from the wall. Mixed media, 18"x24"

Please note the above photographs of the original art are shown in black and white.



painter's self-indulgent reveling is a curiosity which suggests humor of artistic sophistication and distorted values of today's modern world. This avant-garde movement has a collective identity and has become a major marketing tool in the art world. Assimilated by social life, the conflict of modernism continues. The cultural economy and cultural industry of urban subcultures resist and analyze differently. Improvising, the artist must collect these differences and use them as identifying marks of Expressionism.

Within the birthing of this movement, Houston's Mr. Bettison keeps pace with the East Village when he produces yet a new mode of sculpture. In part, the sculpture is collected, painted, assembled and/or constructed. This becomes a three-dimensional representation of the Expressionism movement. But most noteworthy are the paintings—some of which are photographed on these pages.

This past month the works of James Bettison have been on display in four galleries in Houston: Little Egypt Enterprise, The Drawing Room, and The Houston Art League, and Boulevard Gallery.

For more information about this artist, one may contact Mr. Bettison at his studio, (713) 270-9056.

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So anyway, I cried myself to sleep. It probably started in eighth grade, reached its zenith sometime during my high-school years, and didn't trail off until college.

Sometimes I cried because I was gay and I didn't want to be. But more often I cried because I was lonely.

I cried and I prayed. I prayed to God to send me a friend. Someone I could talk to about my homosexual feelings. Someone with whom I could share my fantasies about the guys in gym class or my favorite movie stars. Someone I could joke with and not have to worry about what I said or how I said it.

Someone, anyone, who was like me.

Sometimes I was bolder. I would pray for a lover. A guy—one guy, any guy—I could touch and hold and kiss. Someone who would accept the affection and love I had to share and would give me a little in return.

Years later, I finally came out. And years after that I found myself on a typical Saturday night drinking my usual light beer in my usual bar. But a most unusual thought, almost a revelation, sprang into my mind.

Looking around, I realized that somehow in the past few years God had seemingly answered my prayers. By every

measure, it seemed, I was no longer alone.

I had asked for a friend, and by God I certainly had my share now. Any of a half dozen would have gone out with me that night if I had asked. And I ran into a few anyway. The entire week before consisted of nights spent with friends: at the gym, at a movie, having dinner.

As for lovers, Lord knows I had had my share. Short-term and longer-term; sincere and fraudulent. And while I could still recall names and faces, it put a strain on the brain to do so, and pen and paper were increasingly useful.

Light years ago I was a lonely kid convinced he was an aberration. Now I was crushed to the walls of a disco-bar whose patrons had exceeded the fire department's maximum occupancy allowance hours ago. A few weeks earlier I was equally squashed as New York City's Gay Pride March flooded the streets with a hundred thousand other guys like me.

And realizing all this, what did I say to God? Did I say thank you? No. In all honesty, my brain cried out, "Lord, why am I still lonely?"

Why indeed. I asked for a friend and received dozens. I asked for a lover and got—well, let's not get tacky. I certainly felt a part of a community, a movement, a culture, a history—but I still felt a loneliness as intense as the one I experienced in high school.

Although I know it's wrong, sometimes I think God is like the proverbial genie who grants you your wish only to

demonstrate how improper a request it was. Should I have prayed, instead, to become a better person, say one who recognizes that true happiness comes from within and is not brought to you by pals or lovers?

Or maybe God granted me all my wishes and I was just too ignorant, or too shallow, to recognize the gifts. Or maybe I was too greedy. Feed a starving man and his next request is not for more oatmeal, but for steak.

Maybe what God gave me was the opportunity to fulfill my prayers. A true friend and a right lover didn't come on a silver platter—I had to earn them the hard way. Was I complaining because what I wanted wasn't coming easy?

God didn't answer me that night, or for countless nights afterward. And although I didn't cry, I kept waiting for an answer, if not from God, then from inside myself or from my community.

It's a cliché to speak of crying myself to sleep as a kid, or of praying to God for a friend and a lover. But I think it sounds so much like a cliché because it's something so common to so many gay men.

I wasn't the only one who cried and prayed. And I wasn't the only one to find, years later, that his prayers were answered, but that inside he was still crying. Inside he was still praying. Inside he was still lonely.

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DRUMMER TEA — Sonny Cline (see above), a 22-year-old garage mechanic from San Francisco and the current Mr. Northern California Drummer walked away with the 1984 Mr. Drummer title at the annual finals held during Gay Freedom Day weekend in San Francisco. The always-smiling Sonny captured the largest number of votes in the spectacular leather event that capped ten regional Mr. Drummer contests during the year including Mr. S.W. Drummer '84 won by Riche Mullen of Houston. The competition had been the stiffest of any Mr. Drummer finals as the 5'9" and 145-pound Sonny was pitted against men nearly twice his size and age. The best example was first runner-up Ken Bergquist (Mr. Southeast Drummer) who stood an impressive 6'2" and weighed in a muscle-packed 185 pounds, making him the tallest of the 1984 Mr. Drummers. John Rush (Mr. Southern California Drummer) took the second runner-up slot. As is usual with the Mr. Drummer finals, the contest was a multi-media event played out before an audience of over 2,000 leathersmen from all over the world.

CORPUS CHRISTE — He and She Productions has announced the winners of two big contests held last Sunday in the sparkling city. At Miss Gay LaFitte's, Lisa King won hands down the Miss Gay Texas Preliminary with Malissa Mychaels and Rhonda as runners-up... At the Mr. Hidden Door contest, hot J.C. Wood won the Mr. Texas preliminary with Jim Newman and Keith Hoovencant placing as runners-up... meanwhile, this city is still buzzing over the X-rated show put on by LaWanda Page at the recent grand



HOT TEA

opening of the beautiful New Orleans Room. In the **CRUISE CAMERA** photo below by TWT's Greg Oliveira, Aunt Esther was caught backstage after the show with Paul Albrecht (l) and George Haines of the club. For the untold story about the no-holds barred entertainer's stay in Corpus, refer to Rob Clark's **BACKSTAGE** column beginning on page 42.



MIRACULOUS TEA — Happy birthday to Eva-Mari of Dallas' Hair Revue who, incidentally, is Prez of APC of Texas, of which Vonda DeLaine recently became a member, thanks to the miracles of modern surgery!



TEXAS TELETYPE — Ty Boles (c) of Fort Worth is the new Mr. Gay Abilene. In the annual contest held July 8 at Philip's Walnut Street Pub, Doug Christoff (r) was first runner-up and Terry Bruton (l) rounded out the top three... in Odessa at the Carousel on July 28, Tiana Taylor of San Angelo won Miss Gay Midland/Odessa with Sybil Kane of Ft. Stockton and Tierra Miquells of San Angelo as runners-up... and in Fort Worth, the Buddy Jones calculator indicates that Cowtown's Gay Pride Week is solvent to the tune of one grand, even after donating a hundred-dollar bill to each of the local non-profit organizations. No other pride committee in Texas can likely make such a juicy financial statement.

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ALICE DOES DALLAS — The Red Dress Party (see photo above) last week at the Hideaway raised over \$1,000 for the Oak Lawn Counseling Center. . . . Over at Bentley's where Jim Ryan is strictly enforcing his "no sunglasses-on-a-string" dress code, the new fern bar is open and features the infamous Nick Rakagis as bartender, so check it out. Speaking of Bentley's their recent CAIR reception was a huge success and has definitely put the club on the Republican's "Scotch and Water" tour in August



. . . Drop by J.R.'s this week and see handsome bartender Doug Hoskins (shown above) serving up Drew's weekly pot luck dinner on Monday night. . . .



Due to the larger-than-expected turnout, the Metroplex Republican Society has moved their 7:00pm meeting to this Wednesday, August 8 to the Gay Community Center, 3920 Cedar Springs, reports Prez Stan Aten. . . . Meanwhile over on Fun Fitzhugh, valet parker Jim, Jr. (see left) will park your car for you at the Crew's Inn.

RUMOR OF THE WEEK: — Look for popular Patrick's to relocate to a new and larger location in the near future. "All I know is that it's in Oak Lawn," Alice Does Dallas said. And what will become of the old Patrick's location? "Well, the only thing Miss Howard at the

Crew's Inn doesn't have is a quiet bar!" Alice quipped.

NAME DROPPER — The rich and famous: In honor of Spanky's birthday party next Thursday, August 9, the Dallas entrepreneur will uncork the free booze, by invitation only, for an hour starting at 8:00pm. . . . a very talented newcomer, Hummin Helen, wowed the judges at Ron Souix's Talent Search at Miss Alabama's Outlaws last Friday to win the Houston prize with her *Victor*, *Victoria* production. . . . and the KS/AIDS mascot, Albert, reports that a generous, anonymous donor has opened the door for the Foundation to soon open a residence for people with AIDS at 1004 California in Montrose, U.S.A.



HOUSTON HOteALINE — Nearly \$1,000 in cash and pledges was raised for Granny's kids at the Christmas-In-July fundraiser held at the Midnite Sun on July 20. In the **CRUISE CAMERA** photo above, Granny (l) is shown on stage with Sun star, Rita Boulevard filling up Granny's mason jar—oops, we mean bucket—for the 32nd annual benefit. During the event, Granny memorialized the late Peaches for past emcee assistance. "Nobody could raise money like Peaches," she said. . . . if you haven't made it over to the Stouffer Hotel in Greenway Plaza on the weekends to see the live production of the *Rocky Horror Show*, **HOT TEA** strongly suggests you clear your schedule for a midnight showing. Advance tickets are not needed. Just be there by 11:30pm for a "time warp" good seat. Riff Raff and Brad steal the show, "Damn it, Janet!"

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AUSTINteaCIOUS — John Wood (l) and Robert Weaver announce they are now in business at the corner of Sixth and Red River with their new fashionable High Style clothing store—indeed, good things are worth waiting for . . . Jim Smith announces that popular Jimmr is now appearing in the mornings at Dirty Sally's. Sounds like fun and savings . . . Soon to be appearing in the morning with Chuck at the Crossing is Granny. If true, they better lay in a new supply of mason jars

. . . at Backstreet they're getting ready again to howl under the August 11 Full Moon . . . across the street at Oz, the Miss Capitol City pageant is slated for next Thursday, August 9 . . . speaking of titles, "Mother Suzie of Sixth Street" (see left) continues her reign over the downtown Rivercity Newstand—we're talking legends



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ALAMO ACTION — Timmy's Tea: Gene Howle announces that the all new Copa/SA is nearing completion as his partner (l) Lynn Ganey and manager (r) Rafael Velesco are shown supervising construction. After a lavish August grand opening, the Copa/SA will host the Miss Gay Texas pageant with over 66 contestants . . . as one club gets set to open, another, Faces, apparently has closed. . . . Downtown SA has begun its Wednesday night Amateur contests . . . Louis Romani, popular t-shirt designer, is now docked at the Galleon as the club's newest bartender . . . over 100 coconuts have been purchased by the Queenpin for Roomer's August Hawaiian Luau theme party . . . and, the movers and shakers of the SOS '84 Committee present a "Summer and Smoke" party this Saturday night, August 4, 7-11pm at 602 Burnet. \$19.84 gets you in to the HRCF fundraiser.

WORTHY TEA — Cowtown Contests and Coronation: Busy, busy, busy—Tarrant County has been just that this past week. The candidates for the Court have been campaigning very hard all week and the results are in. Absentee voting was held at the South Jennings Conference Room and with all the banners along the buildings at the Crossroads you would have thought you were at the Democratic Convention in San Francisco. TWT's Buddy Jones supplied the conventioners with lots of food and drink served up on the patios at both his 651 and Lumber Company all day long, July 15. All this effort put forth on the election, ended on Saturday, July 21 at the Green Oaks Inn with Dale Glenn elected Emporer VI, and Raina Lea Emporess VI, Michael Robinson Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Delphine Gomez. Visiting Courts from Dallas, San Diego, Denver, and Lexington, Ky. were in majestic presence at this sixth year Regal Coronation . . . 

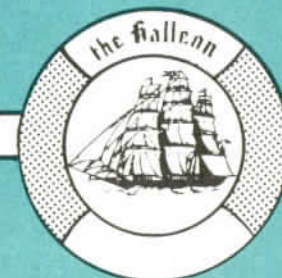


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HOUSTON — The coveted 1984 title of city champs of men's softball for the city of Houston belongs to Dirty Sally's. The victory not only marks the third consecutive year for the team to win the championship, but also marks the right for Sally's to again represent Houston at the Gay World Series later this month.

The road to the championship began with the playoffs last Saturday, July 28 when Sally's beat Rich's 5 to 1. In consolation games Rich's was shut out by the Voice 2 to 0. Earlier the Voice had beaten the Copa 9 to 7.

The shake-out on the ball diamond before an exuberant crowd of softball fans at Levy Field, left only two teams—Sally's and the Voice—in the final playoffs.

It could have been all over in the first game of the championship double header had Sally's beat the Voice. But they didn't. In game one, the Voice took an early 2 to 0 lead. However, Sally's came back in the sixth inning to go ahead 3 to 2. In the tense game it



The moment of victory for Sally's in the Montrose Sports Association men's softball playoffs.

SPORTS



A flip of the coin (above) before the championship game determined the top of the batting order. After it was all over, the losers congratulated the winners (below).

TWT SPORTS photos by Scot Roberts



was all tied up 3 to 3 in the bottom of the seventh and final inning until the Voice slugged its way into a winning run.

Double elimination determined a second game. The entire season had come down to one big game! And a determined Sally's zip-ped into an early first inning 5 to 0 lead. In the bottom of the third inning the Voice scored its only run. Both teams remained defensively scoreless in the fourth, fifth and sixth innings, until the top of the seventh when Sally's cracked its bat to put one more notch on the scoreboard. TWT SPORTS/Houston listed the final tally as Sally's 6, the Voice 1.

Under the expert pitching of Danny Webber, the green and white shirted players of Dirty Sally's were victorious.

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Series to be held in this city. The eighth annual national competition, known also as Series Eight, will run August 26 to September 2. Houston will play host to 16 out-of-town teams, tournament director, Gene Russo told TWT SPORTS/Houston. The list of visiting champs is impressive: Dallas, Atlanta, Pittsburgh, Long Beach, New York City, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Chicago, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Seattle, Toronto, Minneapolis/St. Paul, Birmingham, Boston and southern New England.

For tournament information regarding Series Eight, the biggest gay sporting event to be held in Houston's history, contact (713) 728-2929 or 520-1365.

HOGS MEET

HOUSTON — A group of wilderness enthusiasts recently met and organized themselves into a group called the Houston Outdoor Gays, called HOGS for short.

The goal of the group is to organize one or two outings each month for a variety of experience levels, TWT SPORTS/Houston was advised.

Those wishing to learn more or to be put on the group's mailing list should call Bob at (713) 529-0971 or Don at (713) 522-7809.

BARN ON TOP

HOUSTON — In the MSA Pocket Billiard League, the Sharp Shooters of the Barn remain in first place followed by Al's Two and the Ranch Hands. There was no change in the top three from last week.

TWT SPORTS/Houston reminded pool fans of this Sunday's meeting at the Barn. All league members are invited to the August 5 meeting.

GALVESTON RUN

HOUSTON — On August 19, Frontrunners will hold their weekly Sunday morning run in Galveston instead of Memorial Park, TWT SPORTS/Houston has learned.

Several groups will be leaving this city on Saturday to stay in hotels or to camp out on Galveston Isle rather than drive down to the coast on Sunday morning.

As in previous group runs, the pace will be easy and relaxed with the distance being from 1 to 6 miles, depending on individual interests and abilities.

The run will start at the Stewart Beach concession stand at 8:00am and progress along the seawall. Afterwards, runners will be spending most of the day on the beach enjoying the surf and sand of Galveston Island. **WWT**

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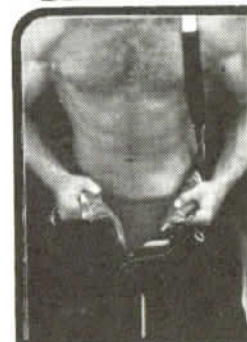
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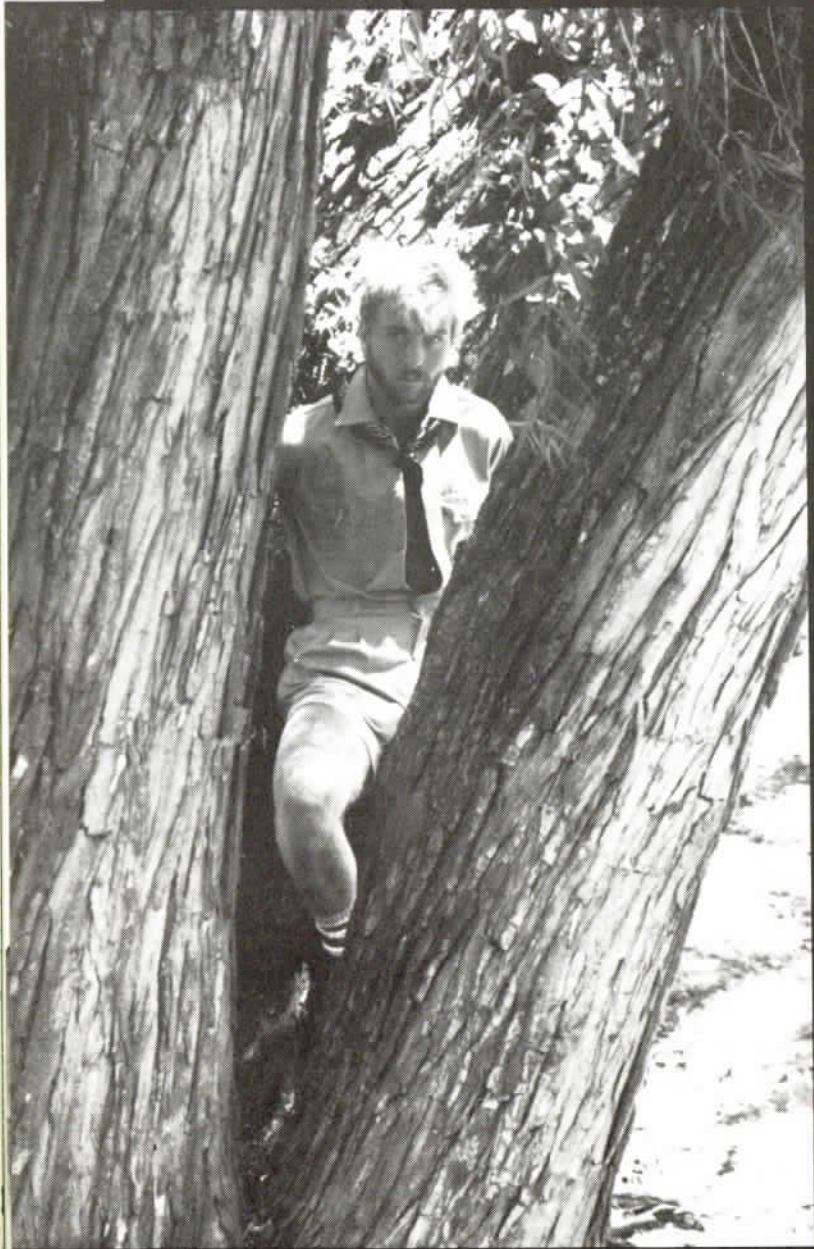


GAYLAN ZANT

Gaylan is a 22-year old Virgo who was born in Lubbock. College in Abilene led to Dallas where he is a D.J. at Studio 4. Gaylan also does freelance hairdressing and his favorite hobbies are swimming, hiking and boating.

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YOUR AUGUST LOVESCOPE

AUGUST SKY - As the month begins, the dynamic Sun is in Leo along with Venus. However, Venus the planet which rules your LOVESCOPE --- leaves Leo and enters Virgo on August 8 causing a major shift in your romantic viewpoint. Mars, ruler of your sex drive, begins the month in sexy Scorpio but shifts into independent Sagittarius mid-month on August 18.

Meanwhile, four planets --- Mercury, Jupiter, Uranus, and Neptune --- are still in their retrograde mode. This backward motion hinders progress in communication, dampens the efforts of lady luck, and causes unusual illusions. And Pluto enters dangerous Scorpio on August 28.

This month's Full Moon occurs on Saturday, August 11 and this month's New Moon comes on Sunday, August 26. Thus, the stage is set in the Texas sky for your August LOVESCOPE.

LEO: (Jul 23-Aug 22) Although August begins on a high note for personal romance, the shift of Venus, the planet of love, from your first house into your second house of money next Wednesday places the emphasis in romantic partnerships onto the practical side of life. Money and security are now very important to your lifestyle. Your August LOVESCOPE is further charged by sexy Mars in your fifth house which revs up your popularity and numerous affairs.

VIRGO: (Aug 23-Sep 22) Get set for some hot romance as Venus, the planet of love, enters your first house on August 8 where it will stay until Labor Day. This could be one of your best cycles for romance in 1984. Be visible. Mars, ruler of your sex drive, causes your August LOVESCOPE to

take to the road. Perhaps an affair with a stranger from afar is due.

LIBRA: (Sep 23-Oct 23) During most of your August LOVESCOPE, Venus ---the planet of love --- will be in your quiet twelfth house causing you to be introspective and self examining in matters of romance. You want to shun crowds and the lights of parties. Your August LOVESCOPE receives a sexy boost from Mars in your second house of funds. Love and money will mix well.

SCORPIO: (Oct 24-Nov 21) Venus, the planet of love, enters your social eleventh house mid-month causing late August to be your time of greatest popularity. Social functions, parties, and group gatherings should be abundant. Meanwhile, sexy Mars in your first house increases your popularity to summer heights. Your August



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SAGITTARIUS: (Nov 22-Dec 21) Your August LOVESCOPE might well be entitled your August "sexscope" since Mars, the planet of sensual activities, enters your sign on August 18 where it stirs up your hormones until fall starts. Late summer will be very sensual. Meanwhile, romantic Venus is in your ninth house indicating a pleasure trip — a summer vacation which can lead to a new admirer.

CAPRICORN: (Dec 22-Jan 19) Venus, the planet of love, begins the month in your sexy eighth house but shifts over into your ninth house of travel early on next Wednesday, August 8. Those of you who are yet to schedule your summer vacation would be well advised by your August LOVESCOPE to schedule it after this date. A late summer vacation should yield adventure and a new admirer. Meanwhile, Mars, ruler of your sex drive, remains in your eleventh house till mid-month. This placement can cause you to indulge your friends in compromising situations.

AQUARIUS: (Jan 20-Feb 17) Your August LOVESCOPE underscores marriage until August 8 while Venus, the planet of love, remains in your seventh house of marriage. Thus, ring your wedding bells now as late August finds these bells hitting a sour note.

Meanwhile, sexy Mars remains in your tenth house of career. This placement can bring about a brief encounter with a co-worker.

PISCES: (Feb. 18-Mar 20) Venus, the planet of love, enters your seventh house of marriage on August 8 ushering in one of your best times in 1984 to find a permanent love or shore up an existing sagging affair with a partner. Use this cycle to buckle up your seat belt for a serious love affair. Meanwhile, sexy Mars is placed in your ninth house of travel suggesting you take your summer vacation now before August 18 for maximum pleasure as your August LOVESCOPE leads you to the travel counter.

ARIES: (Mar 21-Apr 19) Your August LOVESCOPE finds romantic Venus stirring up your hormones in your fifth house of love affairs until August 8. Use this early August cycle to date those you never thought would be responsive to your desires. Make your big move now. Meanwhile, Mars the planet of sensuality, keys in on your ninth house of travel after August 18 suggesting you delay your summer vacation plans until late next month.

TAURUS: (Apr 20-May 20) Mars, ruler of your steady sex drive, begins your August LOVESCOPE in your seventh house of marriage. If single, now is the time to find a serious mate as lady luck is on your side. If married, use

this period to deepen your relationship. This up-beat cycle remains operative until mid-month, August 18. Meanwhile, romantic Venus spends most of the month in your fifth house of love affairs which is ideal for shopping around for the perfect partner.

GEMINI: (May 21-Jun 21) Your August LOVESCOPE finds Venus, the planet of love, spending most of the month in your sixth house which is a blessing for relationships with co-workers and good health. With no problems at work or with your well being, you'll have plenty of time, energy, and few distractions from allowing your sexual energies, ruled by Mars, currently passing through your seventh house of marriage. Obviously, you feel sensual towards a serious partnership.

CANCER: (Jun 22-Jul 22) Venus, ruler of romance, spends most of your August LOVESCOPE traveling through your third house of communication. Thus, traveling to an escape point can place in you the right time to meet an interesting stranger. Your ability to impress this person with your mental agility wins this admirer over. Meanwhile, sexy Mars spends the first 18 days of the month in your fifth house of love affairs. This increases your popularity with new people making dating and cruising successful.

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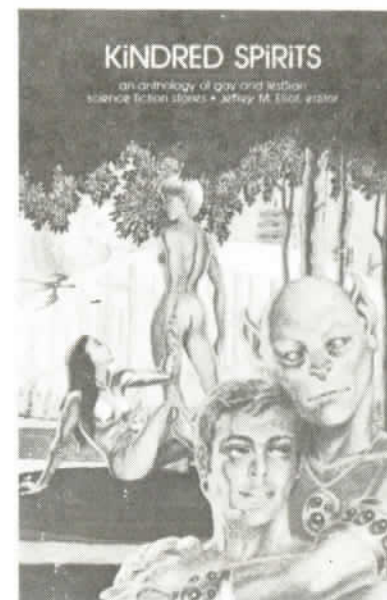
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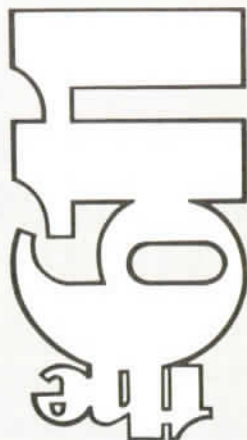
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National Lambda	P.O. 470282	478-2872
Nat'l Lambda (your retirement center)	2412 Lipscomb	927-0071
T.C.G.A. Legal Defense Fund		294-2447
Tarrant Co. Gay Alliance		926-T.C.G.A.
T.G.R.A.	(Gerald Ford)	429-1465
V.D. Clinic	1800 University	870-7223
W.A.D.S.	5901 S. Hampshire	457-1255

GALVESTON CLUBS (Area Code: 409)

Kon-Tiki	111 Tremont	763-9031
Mary's II	2502 Q 1/2 St	763-9435
Robert's LaFitte	213 Kempner	765-6896
SPS Club	2214 Mechanic	763-9334
GALVESTON ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 409)		
Metropolitan Community Church	1824 Broadway	765-7625
Lambda AA		763-1401
HOUSTON ACCOMMODATIONS (Area Code: 713)		
Eagle Crest Inn	104 Avondale	523-9004
Houston Guest House	106 Avondale	520-9767
Texas State Hotel	720 Fannin	227-2271
HOUSTON ADULT/VIDEO BOOKSTORES (Area Code: 713)		
Asylum	1201 Richmond	
Balpark	1830 W. Alabama	
Diner's News	240 Westheimer	528-8950
Lone Star News	6877 S. Gessner	781-0288
Westheimer News	6427 Westheimer	781-7793
Talk I	4121 N. Freeway	691-8435
Talk II	3519 W. Holcombe	665-9951
Studz News	1132 W. Alabama	
Talk of the Town	8228 Gulf Fwy. I-455 @ Howard/Bellfort exit	
HOUSTON ADULT THEATRES (Area Code: 713)		
French Quarter	3201 Louisiana	527-0782
HOUSTON ATTORNEYS (Area Code: 713)		
Danburg, Debra		871-1155
DeWitt, Clyde (B. Cert., Crim. Law, Tex. B. of Leg. Sp.)		871-0707
Douglas, Judith (Not. Cert. Tex. Bd. of Leg. Spec.)		961-1816
Eisen, David (Bd. Cert. Crim. Law, Tex Bd. of Leg. Spec.)		522-0991
Norman, Kyle	900 Lovett, #206	524-4345
O'Kane, Patricia	3212 Smith #102	526-7911
Telford, Phillip		660-8621
HOUSTON BATHS (Area Code: 713)		
Club Houston	2205 Fannin	659-4996
Midtowne Spa	3100 Fannin	522-2379

Pigasus	(Coming Soon)	524-PIGS
HOUSTON BUSINESSES/SERVICES (Area Code: 713)		
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Advance Travel	10700 NW Fwy.	682-2002
Ali Paint & Body Shop	1510 Leeland	659-3131
Audio/Video Plus	1225 Waugh Dr.	526-9065
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Eagle Leathers	2700 Albany	524-7383
	1022 Westheimer	522-0651
	1735 Westheimer	528-DOCK
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Private Selection (intro/social)	4200 Westheimer #250	961-9876
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Ron's Hair & Skin Care	1310 Hawthorne	521-3000
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Specs Unlimited	4709 Richmond	961-9705
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The Gardens (Condos)	2507 Montrose	524-0830
Travel Consultants		529-8484
TWT Magazine	2205 Montrose	527-9111
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Wormble & Assoc.		864-0225
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HOUSTON CHURCHES (Area Code: 713)		
Aytz Chayim	217 Fairview @ Taft	688-8997
Bering Memorial UMC	1440 Harold	526-1017
Chapel of the Woodlands	7500 Pinemont #503	460-1712
Church of Christ		777-9286
Church of Christian Faith	217 Fairview @ Taft	529-8005
Community Gospel Center	3433 W. Holcombe	523-6018
MCCR	1919 Decatur	861-9149
New Freedom Christian Church	912 W. 11th	863-8377
Presbytery of New Covenant (Pres. Ctr.)	41 Oakdale	526-2585
St. Stephen's Epis. Ch.	1805 W. Alabama	
The Little Church	704 Fairview	522-7695
HOUSTON CLUBS (Area Code: 713)		
Albany Club	2700 Albany	523-4084
Al's	Jackson @ Grant	522-7361
Bacchus	523 Lovett	523-3396
Baja's	402 Lovett	527-9966
Barn	710 Pacific	528-9427
Brazos River Bottom	2400 Brazos	528-9192
Briar Patch	2294 Holcombe	665-9678
Caprice (Plaza Hotel)	5020 Montrose	524-3161
Charlotte's	911 W. Drew	528-8840
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Butler, Ronald, DDS	427 Westheimer	524-0538
Dryden Clinic	1709 Dryden #1002	795-0385
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Fitness Exchange	3307 Richmond	524-9932
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HOUSTON ORGANIZATIONS/HELPLINES (Area Code: 713)		
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Adventist Gays	2615 Waugh Drive	#167/77006
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AIDS Hotline	c/o Switchboard	529-3211
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Astro Rainbow Alliance for the Deaf		520-9451 (voice) 520-0552 (TTY)
Bayou B'l'u Singers	209 Stratford	868-3084
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Choices Unlimited (Lesbian Social Group)		529-3211
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Committee for Public Health Awareness	P.O. 3045/77253	
Conroe Area Lesbians		756-0354
Crisis Hotline		228-1505
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Diana Foundation	2700 Mason/77006	552-0329
Dignity (Catholic gays)	P.O. 66821/77266	523-7644/528-7644
Fabre Clinic		526-2320
Family Connection (youth shelter)		523-6825
Friends of Lesbians & Gays (FLAG)		464-6663
Frontrunners (joggers)		520-1091
Gay Archives of Texas	802 Westheimer	529-7014

Gay Fathers of Houston	440-8628/974-0483
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Gay Nurses Alliance	880-9486
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(meeting at) 4600 Main #217	521-1000
Gay Rights A.C.L.U.	P.O. 66844/77006
Gay Rights National Lobby	521-0196
Gay Switchboard	P.O. 3624/77253
Gays of N. Houston (1960 area)	15819 N. Trace/77073
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Houston Area Gay & Lesbian Engineers & Scientists	524-7496
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Integrity Houston	P.O. 66008/77266
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Lambda Center For Alcoholics	1214 Joanne
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Lutherans Concerned for Gay People	521-0863/688-4931
Men Against Deception	P.O. Box 54187/177254
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Montrose Co. Cloggers	456-8861
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Volleyball	Ray
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Mustang Club, Inc.	P.O. 66074/77006

Operation Documentation	521-1000
Parents and Friends of Lesbians & Gays	
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Pentecostal Family of Montrose	668-0259
Rice Gay/Les. Support Group (c/o Gay Switchboard)	529-3211
Shanti (AIDS Peer Counseling)	P.O. 3045/77253
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Texas Gay Rodeo Assoc.	P.O. 66973 #1194
Texas Human Rights Foun.	626-1200/961-9858
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Gay Switchboard 225-4066
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Parents of Gays 299-7660
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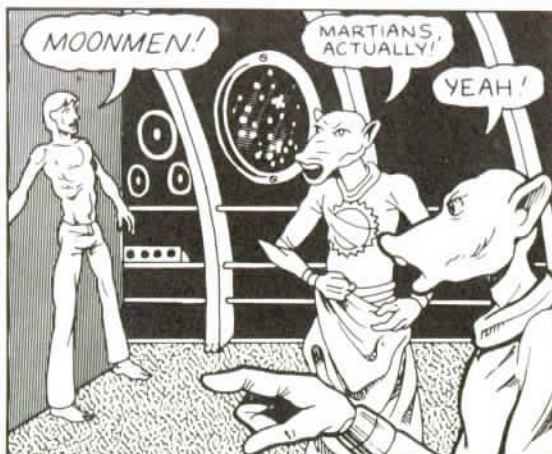
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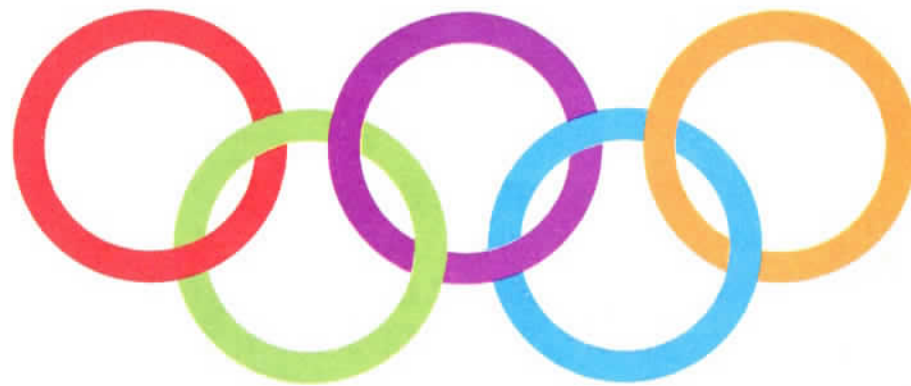
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