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Happy New Year 1978



1978 is here....May you each find happiness and prosperity as you deserve. The staff of the CRUSADER urges each of you to do the very best you can to leave 1977 a better year than we left 1977. 1977 was the year of the gay backlash and Anita Bryant....but it was also the year that a gay person was elected to public office in San Francisco. And now....with 1978, which we all pray will be great....we find ourselves in another statewide and Congressional election year. Gays are running for all manner of political offices. in various political parties. 1977 found the first in America....

GAY Republican Club...the Teddy Roosevelt Republican Club in San Francisco....which in turn was directly responsible for the birthing of three more gay Republican Clubs....Lincoln Republicans of Los Angeles....Teddy Roosevelt Republicans of San Diego, and Concerned Republicans for Individual Rights - sf (right-wing tho). The first ever gay full voting delegate/member of the Republican State Central Committee (rev. Ray Broshears) and his subsequent appointment of five gay Associate Members of the State Central Committee. Politically.....1977 was a great year for gays and gay Republicans in particular.

But, as far as civil rights, it was a terrible year, with several states rescinding their pro-gay laws, as Anita Bryant....Cops For Christ....all grew by leaps & bounds in their efforts to halt the gay rights struggle.

Gays must become more active in various gay groups...recognize the radical leftist for what they are, ignore them, shuttle them aside, and boycott the reactionary right wing as well as the leftists.

1977 was encouraging as we saw more gays turn to religion, as gay Christians began coming out of their closets. Let us pray that 1978 will double that effort.

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NEW YEAR'S EVE

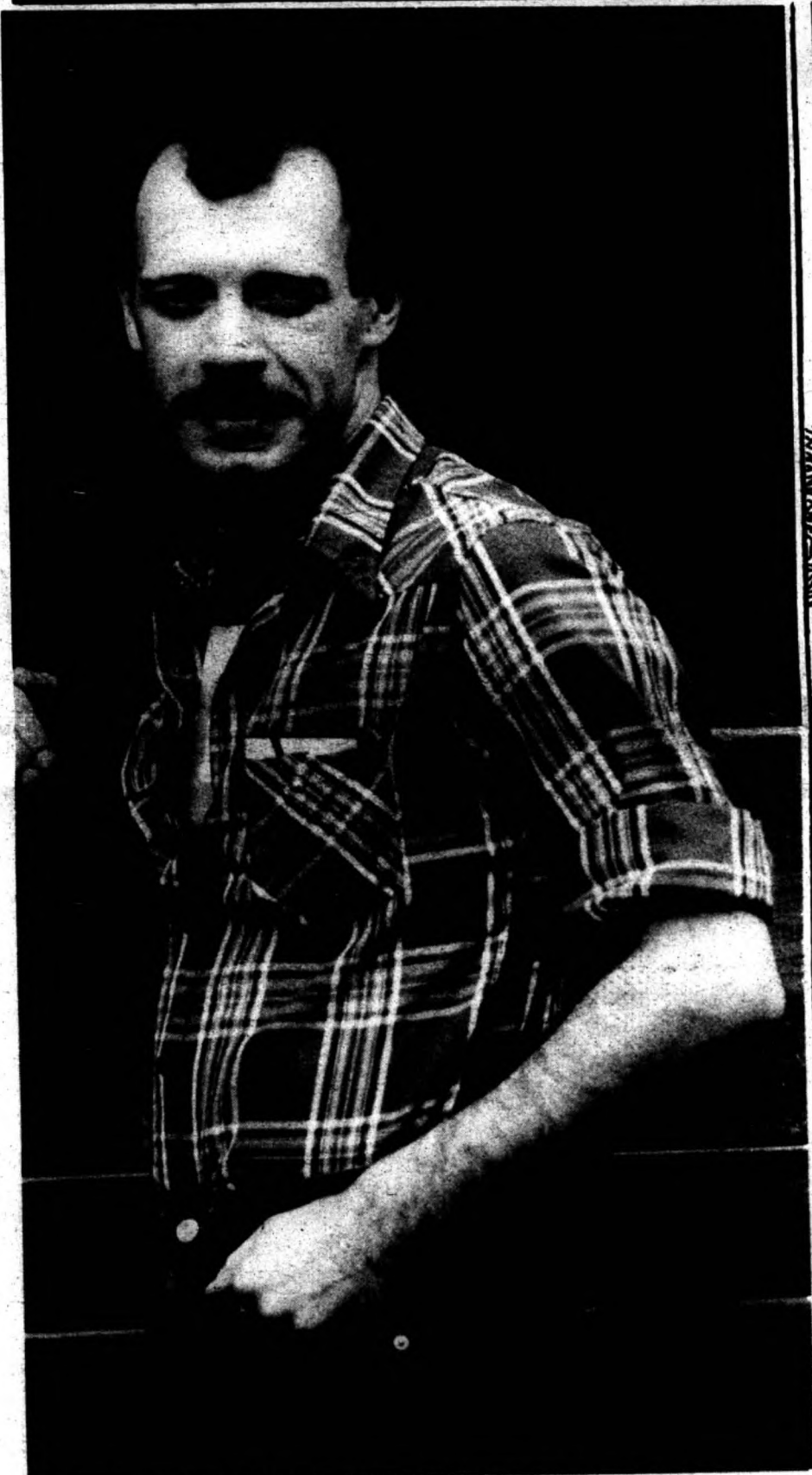


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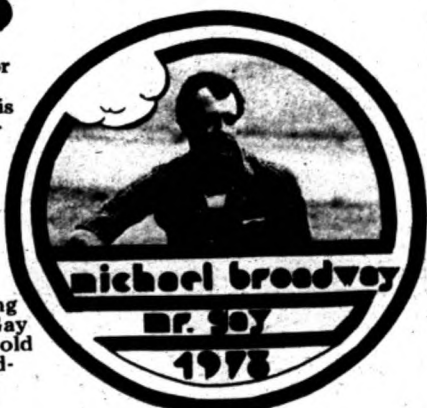
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MICHAEL BROADWAY.....Candidate for Mr. Gay San Francisco. Michael is a hair-stylist, in a shop on California Street. He is from Los Angeles, and was a decorator before becoming a hairdresser. Michael wants to be the next "Mr. Gay San Francisco", because he feels he can use the "title" to the betterment of the gay communities in our city. He is very sincere in his desire to bring together the many factions within our city and help make it a "community". Michael Broadway, many believe, will bring "class" and "dignity" to the title of Mr. Gay San Francisco, and take it out into the world and not just be in the bars. Michael Broadway, a real representative of gay male life!



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HETEROSEXUAL IS GUILTY IN CHILD SEX & KIDNAP CASE

FRESNO: The Reverend Louis A. Barbosa, pastor of the Zion Apostolic Temple in Hayward California, across from San Francisco, was convicted last week of rape, kidnapping, and sex perversion. Barbosa, 31, an admitted heterosexual, made no defense in his two day trial which was heard without a jury, before Superior Court Judge Hollis Best. Barbosa kidnapped two girls, age 7 and 15 on June 28, 1977. He talked them into his car parked near a Fresno shopping mall. The girls have identified Barbosa. In addition to being convicted of kidnapping, he was also found guilty of three counts of rape, and two counts of sex perversion against the body of the 15 year old girl.

'STRAIGHT' GYM TEACHER ARRESTED

SYRACUSE, NY: 35 year old gay coach, Phillip Davoli was arrested on 37 counts of sexually molesting young girl students who were his pupils. Davoli is an alleged heterosexual. Davoli is a nationally known gymnastics coach, and his arrest has shocked the straight community. He was charged with sodomy and rape upon the bodies of the young girls. He is the founder of the Syracuse School of Gymnastics. He was taken into custody on December 23, 1977, in Syracuse, New York.



GAYCOTT STILL HOT!

GAYCOTT OF COORS CONTINUES IN SF BAY AREA DESPITE RADICAL RIGHTIST IN GAY COMMUNITIES AND ANTICS OF RALEIGH

The Coors Gaycott button at the left is seen more and more as the gay communities of the SF Bay Area get behind the gaycott. The necessary gaycott of businesses such as liquor stores which sell Coors is proving to be effective. The effect of the Coors Boy-gay-cott is really showing at Golden Brands, the Distributor in the area, as they are now pushing Lowenbraut Beer more and Coors less. If you wish to purchase Coors Gaycott button, please contact the Committee at 771-3366.



TENDERLOIN OLD FOLKS TO STAND STRONG AGAINST COPS AND LANDLORDS AS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS VOTE TO INCLUDE TENDERLOIN IN R.A.P. (Redevelopment Assistance Project).

Much to the delight of land and property speculators, the greedy Board of Supervisors (out-going ones) voted to declare the Tenderloin as part of R.A.P. This means that the property owners qualify for low-interest and long return-payment loans. All of the run-down hotels and apartments can be renovated. But...what about the tens of thousands of elderly and physically handicapped peoples living there...what will happen to them as the buildings are closed for renovation?

This is something which the Board of Supervisors refused to face up to in a responsible way, and as a result, nearly 2,000 residents will not qualify for relocation funds, and will have to get by the best they can. 900 of the 2000 are gays who are NOT on SSI or ATD, but simply on G.A. (General Assistance). If you live in the area and want to help fight the coming evictions, call 771-3366 Polk-Tenderloin Tenants Association.

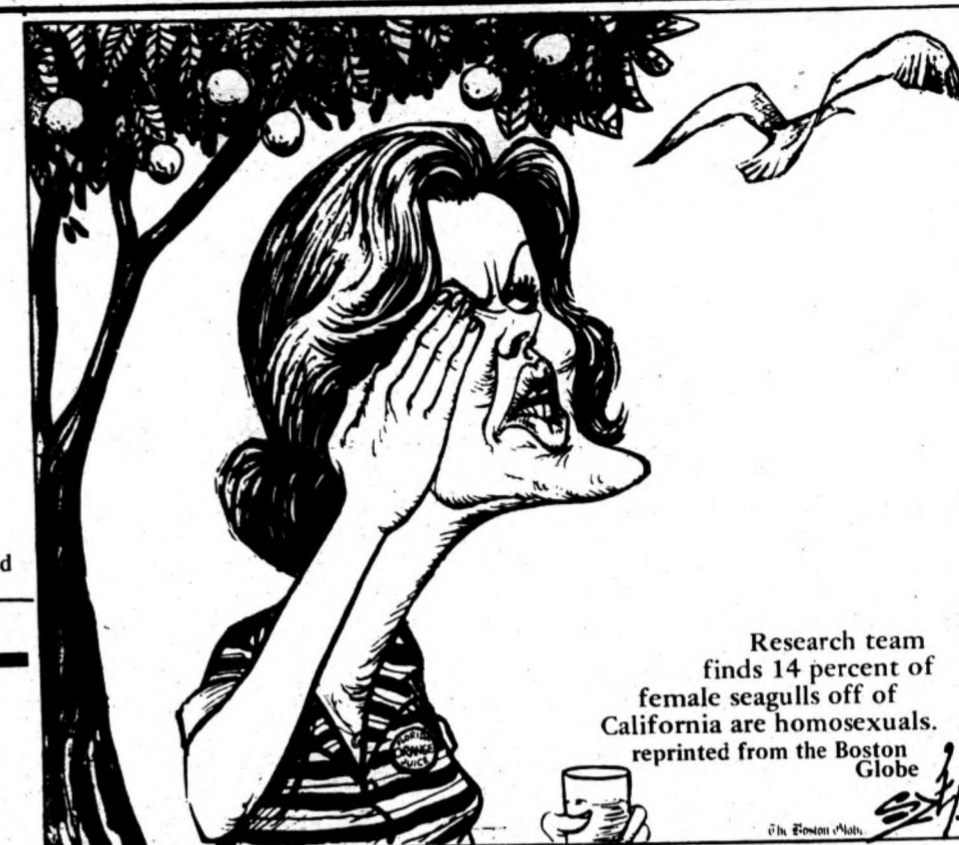


KEN MADDY of Fresno
Candidate for Governor
in 1978.

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KEN MADDY SHIFTS CAMPAIGN FOR GOP NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR INTO HIGH GEAR.....

Assemblyman Ken Maddy, Republican of Fresno, who supported the Brown Consenting Adults Sex legislation, and the only Republican to vote for the Foran legislation which would have added gays to the state law, banning discrimination in employment...has put into "high gear" his campaign for the Republican nomination. His committee in Sacramento moved into larger offices shortly before Christmas, and Maddy aides announced that well over ONE MILLION dollars has been raised for the campaign for the nomination. He was endorsed last spring by the Teddy Roosevelt Republican Club



Research team finds 14 percent of female seagulls off of California are homosexuals. reprinted from the Boston Globe

JOIN IN THIS BOYCOTT

GAYCOTT—BOYCOTT OF FLORIDA CITRUS PRODUCTS.....FIZZLES ACROSS THE LAND AS ANITA'S CONTRACT IS RENEWED!

SAN FRANCISCO "QUEENS" SEEN IN SUPER MARKETS LOADING UP THEIR SHOPPING CARTS WITH FLORIDA O.J. AS ANITA'S INFLUENCE GROWS!

Despite the boycott of Florida Citrus products since last March, here in San Francisco and elsewhere, the Florida Citrus Commission renewed anti-gay singer Anita Bryant's contract and give her a vote of confidence and commended her on her anti-gay efforts.

Anita, suffered a "media-blow" which is nothing really serious, when NBC-TV officials barred her from leading the Orange Parade, but this meant no money in or out of her purse.

Elsewhere, singer Bryant made an appearance in Wichita, Kansas to boost the cause of the anti-gay forces there as they swing into high gear to try and place of the ballot a referendum to repeal the pro-gay legislation passed by the City Council in that Plain's State which is near the Oklahoma border. The National Gay Task Force (NGTF) still refuses to endorse the O.J. boycott, as Ginny Vida and Jean O'Leary both feel that this is "reverse discrimination". Meanwhile, gays across the nation have slowly but surely returned to buying Orange Juice.

In San Francisco, thousands of homosexuals have ignored the boycott from the beginning, and in recent months, others have just chosen to ignore the boycott, and this includes several gay bars, restaurants, and cafes. The Teddy Roosevelt Republican Club has called for a O.J. BOYCOTT RENEWAL, in a press release sent about the state. The gay Republicans feel that the "bleeding heart" liberals just got tired of working to keep the

gaycott going, after the TV cameras had quit covering their activities, which the newsrelease said, "is typical of the radicals and the socialist and Democrats." But, one Democrat gay group, the Minutemen Democratic Club said there was "no way the Minutemen will go to bed with Minutemaid" and is continuing the gaycott...that According to Elmer Wilhelm, candidate for President of the Club. He too called for a renewal of the gaycott against the Florida citrus products.

After gay freedom day week activities were over, the radical leftist group, Gay Action and the Coalition for Human Rights also just quietly dropped the entire affair.

The gay Republicans are challenging the gay Democrats and socialists to "get off their dead asses and fight for gay rights".....so far, the Roosevelt Republicans have gotten no real response.

The Teddy Roosevelt Republican Club also urged the boycotting of all businesses which do business with any firm headquartered in Florida, and this includes the airlines (National, etc.) and also against various other products that are manufactured in Florida.

They called for gays to quit buying the BLUEBOY Magazine which is headquartered in Miami and says it is "gay" but carries no on-going call for a gaycott of Florida citrus products.

The alleged owner is a member of the National Gay Rights Lobby.

DEPLORES PHYSICAL ATTACKS UPON ANITA BRYANT.....The news release from the gay Republican Club denounced those who have thrown things at Anita Bryant, such as eggs, pies, etc., saying that they are giving the gay community a very bad image. "It is typical of the radical fringe of society, some of whom are avowed Marxists. These people are nuts, for all they do is build sympathy for Anita."



1978 BRINGS NEW WRITERS TO OUR S.F. CRUSADER ---

Our longtime columnists...Lee Raymond, our editor - Rev. Raymond Broshears, Carl Driver, Tom Hart, Bruce Graves, B.J. Beckwith, will be joined in 1978 by Cliff Newman...Bishop Donald Joseph Pierce-Weeks...Andrew Bettancourt, and Daisy.

We are always looking for feature writers, and now that we have a full staff of columnists with the addition of Newman, Pierce-Weeks, Bettancourt and Daisy, we shall plunge into 1978 with great zeal.

Columnists are an asset to any publication. We are indeed for the great amount of people we have had serving in that capacity in the past...Steve Ginsberg, Chuck Thayer, Bill Beardemphl, Sasha Gregory-Lewis, Mark Joplin, Perry George, Douglas Dean, Randy Johnson, Perry "Tenderloin Tessie" Spink, Roc Sand, Billy, Toni Brown Sugar, Don Collins, Dennis Kruszynski, Peter Crowley, Nick Benton, Jim Rankin, Thelma Dirt, they all have written for us at one time or another. Now we can look back with pride at the CRUSADER. It began as GAY PRIDE, then we changed the name to GAY CRUSADER, and then to SAN FRANCISCO CRUSADER. Our first issue was in June 1972, so you can see, we have been around a bit. The many different newspapers which abound in San Francisco is the big reason why we have grown so...a free newspaper means a free society and a thinking society.

The CRUSADER has been responsible for many safety code enactments in San Francisco. We were first with the news that Chief Gain would hire gays a cops and that Supervisor Quentin Kopp was supporting Harvey Milk for the Assembly. We have been vigilant against police misconduct, while all other gay papers ignore the misconduct. The CRUSADER is the "peoples paper" a light of understanding. We support those who support us! Let us grow and work together in 1978. rb

NEXT ISSUE OF CRUSADER.....
Empress Election & Coronation Valentine's Day events, etc.
AD DEADLINE.....January 17th.....5 PM
Articles, etc.....January 14th.....7 PM

Call 771-3366 for information on AD RATES.

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CO-FOUNDER OF CRIR (Concerned Republicans For Individual Rights) HAS LUNCHEON MEETING WITH THE HATED, "CHIEF" ED DAVIS OF L.A. Tom Isenberg, co-founder of CRIR along with the radical right wing extremist reactionary, Thomas M. Edwards...attended a luncheon on the 8th of December knowing full well that Chief Ed Davis was to be the guest along with Attorney General Evelle J. Younger.

The Teddy Roosevelt Republican Club gaycotted the luncheon and denounced the CRIRers who attended as being "very traitorous to the gay political movement and to themselves!"

Rev. Ray Broshears, president of Teddy Roosevelt Republicans, had stood at the February GOP Convention and called Davis a fascist and walked out of the meeting! He said that Isenberg's phoney gay Republican group are just "a bunch of ass-kissers!"

MILK FUNDRAISER SET FOR POLK BISTRO.....January 15th at 1 PM at the CHEZ JACQUES, there will be a Brunch for Supervisor-elect Harvey Milk, and the cost will be \$6 per person which includes one drink and tip. This is to help erase the campaign deficit of Milk. Contact the MINUTEMEN Democratic Club, as it is RSV'P, call 546-7147, and ask for Elmer Wilhelm. Elmer is also the candidate for president of that conservative Democratic Club.

*P.S....Republicans and "others" are we come to attend sez Wilhelm.

CRIR SETS MEETING FOR ELECTION OF OFFICERS.....The radical right wing gay Republicans have set January 19th as their next meeting date (third Thursday). At that meeting they will elect officers. Current president is Don James. For time and place of meeting...call, Tom Isenberg of Bruno's Bookstore at 441-2929.

GENE PRAT TO RUN FOR CONGRESS Gene PRAT former candidate for Sheriff in '75 and currently Chief of Staff to U.S. Senator S.I. Hayakawa, will seek the 5th District seat of John Burton. PRAT already has some \$65,000 in pledges for this race, which the GOP National Committee has targeted as a "win area". PRAT is a strong supporter of gay rights. When he ran for Sheriff he had gays on his campaign staff, and campaigned in gay bars. He said he would support legislation giving gays equal rights in the nation.

CANDIDATE FOR GOP COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE.....Rev. Ray Broshears has announced he will be a candidate for the Republican County Central Committee in the June primary. Only Republicans can vote, so if you want to see gays have representation on the policy making body of the Republican Party, then re-register as Republican and vote for Ray Broshears in the June primary. The post pays no salary.

TOSCHI WANTS GAY SUPPORT.....Homicide Inspector Dave Toschi of the SFPD has requested several of his gay friends to let it be known that he wants all the gay support and workers he can get. With Hongisto gone, Toschi is considered a sure fire winner in 1979.

TEDDY ROOSEVELT REPUBLICAN CLUB TO HOLD MEETING.....If you wish to attend the January meeting of the Teddy Roosevelt Republicans, the 1st gay Republican group in America, please call, 673-8184 to be placed on the mailing list. The exact time and place of the meeting has not been determined as yet. 673-8184...become a GAY Republican, the party of Lincoln, Pete McCloskey, Howard Baker, John Molinari, Lee Dolson, Ken Maddy, and Senator Charles Percy and the only black and his pro-gay rights, Senator Brook of Mass

SAN DIEGO TEDDY CLUB GROWS.....President Nicole Murray has informed the CRUSADER that her Club is now the largest gay political Club in southern California outside of the Stonewall group of Demos. President, Murray has been making numerous TV appearances and is quoted frequently in the local papers.

AL NELDER TO CONSIDER RUNNING AGAINST PHIL BURTON.....that is the way it is happening in Democratic Party circles. Phil backed and lost with many candidates in the last Supervisors race. Most observers believe that Nelder would beat Burton in the Democratic primary.

16th ASSEMBLY RACE HEATS UP.....GAY RUNNING! Andrew Bettancourt is reported to be seeking the GOP nomination in the 16th District. He has lots of support from anti-Tripp Republicans.



"Trust Me"

The "Order Of The Tarnished Peanut" has been established by GOP Congressman Robert S. Walker of Pennsylvania.

The Award, it is real, is handed out weekly to cite people and institutions who happen to point out occasional discrepancies between the Candidate Jimmy Carter and the President Jimmy Carter. The winners are called, "Trust Me Trustees" and three have been named so far.

They are Congressman Hank Hyde of Illinois for compiling Carter quotes on the Panama Canal, including a 1975 statement at the Democratic issues conference when candidate Carter said: "I would not be in favor of relinquishing actual control or its use to any other nation, including Panama."

The second went to Charles Wilson, Congressman in Texas, for reminding fellow Congressmen of the Carter campaign pledge to "deregulate natural gas", and the Washington POST for an editorial for assailing the Carter backed cargo preference bill for the maritime industry as "the Blank Check Bill of 1977 and Forever After".

If you have a Candidate Carter quote which is in direct conflict with the President Carter policy and you wish to become a member of the "Order of the Tarnish Peanut" send it to Congressman Walker.



WANTED WANTED

Joseph Albert Lister, 32 years old, 5'8" 160 lbs., tattoo "Joe" on the upper left outer side of his arm. Joseph Albert Lister is wanted in connection with the robbery and murder of gay bar patrons in Atlanta and possibly elsewhere. If you have seen him or know him, please contact the FBI at (415) 552-2155.

MINUTEMEN DEMOCRATIC CLUB

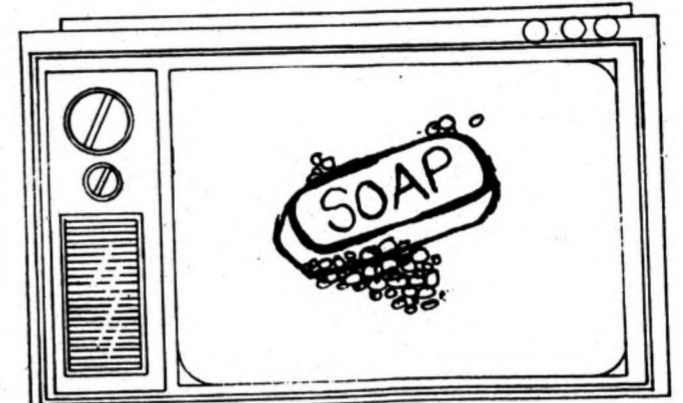
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TUESDAY NIGHT IS "GAY NITE" IN AMERICA, AS THOUSANDS OF HOMOSEXUALS FAITHFULLY TUNE IN "SOAP".....OR IS IT "MILLIONS" OF GAYS?

In San Francisco every Tuesday nite, thousands of gays stay at home to watch ABC's "SOAP", the witty comedy soap opera, at 9:30 PM (PST). When SOAP began this year of '77, the NGTF (National Gay Task Force) urged gays to write letters to ABC halting the show, denouncing it, etc., as it did not please Ms. Ginny Vida of their Media Project. Well, while it still does not please Ms. Vida & Company, it obviously does please millions of Americans and gays as well, witness the high ratings.

"Jodie" the "gay" character in SOAP is typical of many bar-queens, and his role is enjoyed by all, even tho it is a bit screwed up at times, like confusing homosexuality with transsexuality, but, it all ends up for the best.

Like a letter to the editor in the gay publication, HIGH GEAR out of Cleveland Ohio said, "If Jodie is a 'screaming que-

n", then some of the individuals I have seen in Cleveland's gay bars must be... "hungry Hilds" out for blood! Jodie is no more silly than any other person... straight or gay who is "love struck". "Soap gives me at least one good surprise laugh a week, usually from Jodie."

The person who wrote that letter pretty well said it for San Francisco, Los Angeles, etc., for we have all seen our share of "Jodie-types" and they do exist, and they are no more shameful to us than is a creep like David Goodstein of the Advocate, with his super-prissy-elegant carryings on!

SOAP is good for gays, it is good for all of America. Just as are the enlightening segments of FAMILY another ABC production. America is growing up in many ways, and it is time that the NGTF "grow up" too, and stop trying to be the self-appointed censor for gay America...the individual gays shall judge for themselves if they do or do not like a program or if it is offensive to them. The NGTF should stick to other things and leave censorship where it belongs...in the garbage dump!!

MICHAEL BROADWAY For MR. GAY SAN FRANCISCO 1978.....he's great!!!

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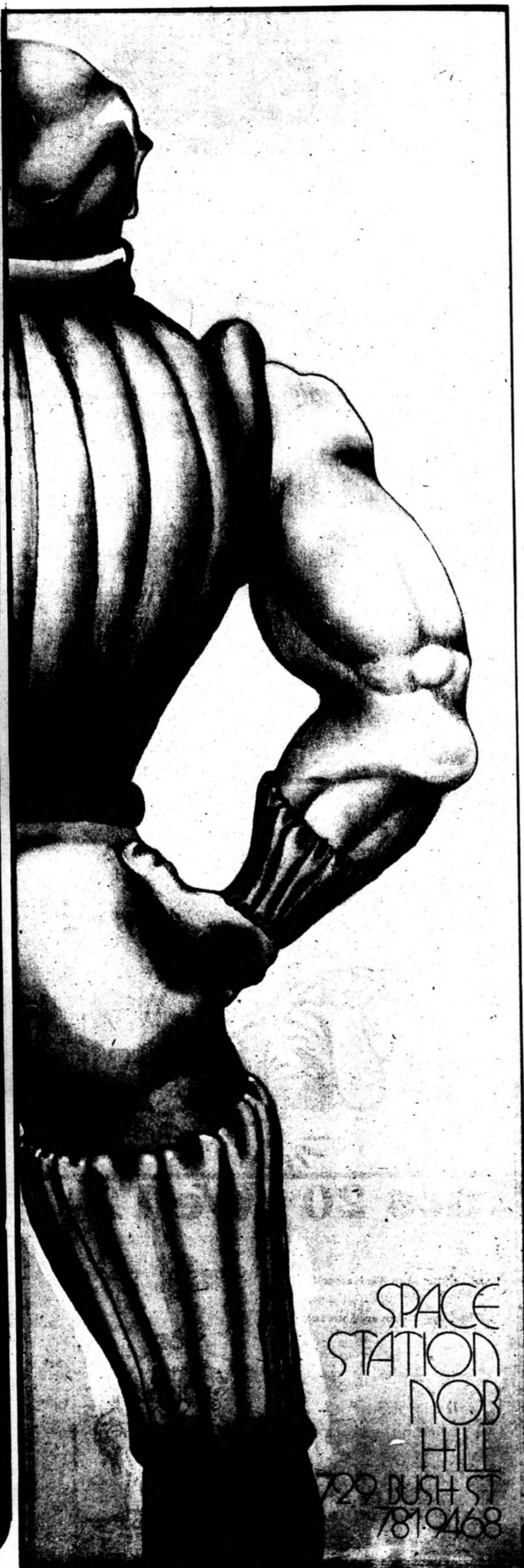
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By CARL DRIVER



REAL "REALISM"...Most everyone agrees that realism in drama requires more than grubby sets, torn tee shirts, or actors scratching their... armpits. On the other hand, a verbatim reporting of actual conversations, even of melodramatic arguments, is rarely drama and never good theatre. Since theatre is both larger than life while at the same time more compressed, the author attempting a realistic drama must seek a compromise between a so called "slice of life" and dramatic ingenuity or license. It is a compromise that few achieve successfully.

in HAGAR'S CHILDREN (at the San Francisco Repertory Company, 4147 - 19th Street, a block above Castro, Thursday thru Sunday at 8:30 through January 8th) Ernest Joselovitz has achieved a melding of drama and realism, helped enormously by an almost unbelievably excellent young cast, which produces a play of such power that few who see it will leave the theatre unmoved.

The plot is neither particularly original nor exciting: it takes up one day, Christmas Eve, in the lives of five emotionally disturbed and/or behavioral problem teenagers and two staff members who comprise an unspecified type institution. However, an updated rehash of Boy's Town it is NOT, although it does beautifully show the loneliness and crying out for acceptance, both of themselves as well as by others, of these rejects of society. Not one of the five are likable nor such as to draw our sympathy other than momentarily while all are egocentric to the exclusion of everyone and everything else.

Yet, incredibly, such is the power of this play that one cannot stay uninvolved. Most thankfully the author makes no attempts to give any pat answers: they're all little bastards at the beginning of the play and they're still little bastards when the house lights come up at the end. But, my God! are they human!

John Finch as David, the aggressively tough street kid whose aggressiveness thinly hides his crying need for acceptance, Richard as Rob, a self-centered youth who cares more about his hair and his clothes than fellow humans and yet too, underneath, has true compassion (and possibly homosexual love)...the subject is shadowed throughout the play but never spotlighted. And Susan Mittleman as Diana, a fat orphan who bitterly resents anyone who has a parent, are all superb, handling extremely difficult roles with maturity and command far beyond their years while at the same time convincingly playing appreciably younger than they are. One such tour de force in a play would be impressive, three are awe inspiring.

Very nearly as good are Ortez Alderson as Oliver and Vera de Martini as Esther, the two staff members. Because of their near saintly patience with the hellions, their roles don't give them the chances to display the pyrotechnics the others have. James Lees as Mervin gives a fine, three dimensional performance as the mentally disturbed genius who hides from reality. Mariam Irangi's performance as Sharon, the fifth patient, bothered me although, frankly the fault may lie more in the writing than her interpretation of the part but she came across as more insane than disturbed and therefore unlikely to be in the same institution with the others. Derman and James Sullivan appear briefly and are adequate, just.

HAGAR'S CHILDREN offers no pretty solutions, is not likely to make you feel better or even optimistic, has no Neil Simon type one-liners to have you rolling in the aisles but...it is intense, gripping, powerful and a play that most who see it will find themselves harkening back to again and again.

A TREAT FOR "TRECKIES"..... Although most of the publicity I've seen for "FLASH" (at the Oakland Ensemble Theatre, 660 - 13th Street, Oakland, easy to reach just off the MacArthur Freeway, call 832-8030 for directions - Thursday, thru January 22) seems to be pushing its nostalgia appeal, this fun romp of high camp seems a natural for the... Star Wars, Close Encounters of A Third Kind, etc., buffs.

Based on an episode of the old Flash Gordon movie serials, there are dashing sword fights, amazing special effects, as innovative staging as I've ever seen in a small theatre, a cast that is obviously enjoying every moment it is on, (a often forgotten fact is that such invariably heightens the audience's enjoyment) and is

a good production that makes no pretense of offering anything but a damn good time! Outstanding are Eric Radatz, as the Imperial Ming, Marlene Ryan as Queen Azura, and Ruth Beckford-Smith as Queen Eurania. Jason Mooring, very nearly as handsome as Buster Crabbe, the original Flash Gordon, seems to take his role seriously, unfortunately since all the others are having such a ball playing camp and it gives a jarring note to an otherwise fine production.

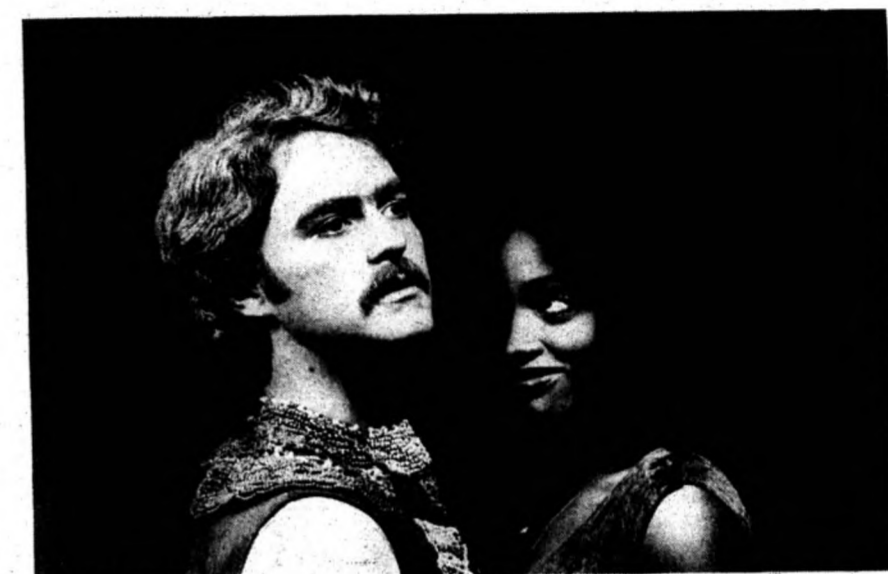
A NEW TRADITION?.....Is such possible or are the two words a "reductio ad absurdum?" Perhaps the latter may be true semantically but in actuality ACT has offered to the city a present in A CHRISTMAS CAROL that has indeed become a tradition in only its second year. Almost as well known as the Christmas Story itself, Dickens' hundred year old chestnut is visually outstandingly beautiful and its familiarity, rather than causing it to seem tired, brings to one a glow of old fashioned good feeling in much the same way that the strains of Silent Night or White Christmas emanating from a store front momentarily raise the spirits as one plods along a crowded sidewalk. It is doubtful if one person per hundred of the audiences didn't know that Scrooge was going to say, "Bah! Humbug!" and yet I doubt if five in the theatre weren't waiting for it expectantly, so much so that everytime he came out with it one could hear all over the theatre, not so much laughter exactly as audible smile -s.

ACT is to be doubly congratulated on a production that is unashamedly sentimental without ever sliding into sentimentality, cheering without false boisterousness, and presents a damn good message without preaching. It is closed now, but will be back next year and if you missed it then now's the time to give yourself your first present of next Christmas and plan on seeing it.

A VERY SPECIAL WORLD..... Fans of Jules Feiffer have laughed for years over the antics of his people so it should come as no surprise that a revue of his skits produces an almost uninterrupted series of laughs. It is very sophisticated humor and therein lies a good part of its charm: it makes us feel good that we, like readers of the New Yorker, are cosmopolitan enough to catch the subtleties that come with machine-gun rapidity. Most of the humor is about "them", not "us".....after all, we're too well adjusted, too successful, too happy for those barbs to hit home and then comes one.... that does. Anyone who has patronized laundromats can't help but break up over the sock devouring washing machine..... and damned if we don't begin to wonder, are we all that adjusted, successful, happy?

JULES FEIFFER'S "HOLD ME", in its ninth month at the Little Fox has twice posted closing notices and twice rescinded them and is scheduled for an open end run. It is a biting but damn funny revue not recommended for the depressed but great fare for anyone brave enough to..... think.

LET MY PEOPLE COME.....opened too late for a review this issue. In the words of Associate Producer Greg Kolb: "It is not a gay show, nor a straight show but a sex show. It appeals to those who like



A scene from FLASH, camp musical now playing at the Oakland Ensemble Theatre, 660 - 13th Street in Oakland. See review below by critic CARL DRIVER. Pictured above is JASON MOORING as Flash Gordon and DONNA LA BRIE as Princess Aura.

sex!".....and then almost as an afterthought....."At least to those with enough courage to admit they like sex!"

AND IN A DIFFERENT MEDIUM..... "EQUUS. The movie! This is a drama column and I prefer to avoid discussing dance, movies or a night club act, but I found the movie of EQUUS so excellent that I can't resist mentioning it, especially since most of the reviews have been derogatory, in most instances because they compared it unfavorably to the play. In any given year I see approximately ten times as many plays as I do movies and I think the play EQUUS the best dramatic performance I've seen in a decade. But, since plays and movies are different mediums and therefore should not be compared, so if, in my opinion, it is no detriment to the movie.....Burton and Firth both give performances of Academy Award caliber, although with its small audiences, it is unlikely either will be nominated, yet together they form a team of awesome memorability. The climatic scene, and I do mean an ear splitting, long drawn out CLIMAX, is almost unimaginably powerful and erotic, frontal nudity is shown as naturally as in a YMCA locker room, and as long (how many readers saw Valentino primarily because of one heralded short, brief moment of nudity?) and Peter Firth is one of the very few people who is truly more beautiful without clothes than with them. EQUUS is at the ROYAL CINEMA, on Polk between California and Sacramento, continuous showing from 12:30 to a buck and a half bargain matinee until 1:30 PM. At that price, it is the best entertainment bargain in town.

HOT SPOTS.....Two questions for the New Year (and may yours be the best ever!): 1) is it better to destroy than to create? If not, why then do millions accept and even applaud the act of taking of life, murder, on screen but rise up in self-righteous wrath if someone wants to show the act that creates it, copulation? 2) Are animals more sacrosanct than humans? If not, then why do audiences crowd in droves into movies whose chief if not only allure is gore by the gallon but then primly say, "Oh, I just could not stand to sit through a scene where a horse was blinded?"

CARL DRIVER



WHERE & WHEN

THE 2ND GREATEST ENTERTAINER IN THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD.....is at the Alcazar Theater on Geary. A one man show starring Dick Shawn, actor & comedian.

PURLIE is still packing them in at the Phoenix Theater on Broadway. The Don McLean directed all black musical. Try it, you love it!

SOUL, STYLE, & SASS is a wild musical which you'll loose yourself in. It is at the Chi Chi Theatre Club, 440 Broadway.

NO SEX PLEASE, WE'RE BRITISH is an Alistair Foot - Anthony Marriott comedy still at the Clement Cultural Center, 441 Clement Street.

WOLVES, a most unusual play at the Magic Theater, at Fort Mason, Bldg. 314, Bay & Laguna Streets.

FLASH GORDON is a science-fiction play based on the old movie serial. See review this issue. Good entertainment. It is playing in Oakland tho...at 660 - 13th Street.

Don't Go See: Shenandoah...is so lousy, you'll have nightmares and flashbacks!

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GAY POLICE COMMISSIONER?
Despite the wishful thinking of friends of Bob Ross, cook, emperor-candidate defeated, and publisher of the ad-rag BAR, he will NOT be appointed Police Commissioner. Ross does not have a clean record, and he does not have the education. So, the rumor mongers can REST! If Mayor Moscone appoints a "gay", it will be one of his own "gay click", and according to an out-going member of the Board of Supervisors, who has Police Commissioner experience...Larry Eppinette would be a much more logical choice...he has the backing of her, former Sheriff Hongisto, and all the old gay guard! Moscone will appoint one of his "own" rather than an outsider, and an ex-emperor candidate!

CARPETBAGGING MILK?
Reading through old articles written by Supervisor-elect Harvey Milk, he has denounced Elaine Noble for her spending so much time going about the country speaking here and there and meddling... in local politics. Ole Harve said if he is elected he would spend all of his time being Supervisor to the city and District 5. Well, if his current antics are any clue, he is in trouble! For the voters of District 5 are a testy lot and they are not going to take Milk's "gay politician" role at all. That is why rumors of a recall in July are being talked of already. The voters want a FULL-TIME Supervisor and that is what ole Harve promised them. Hope he isn't the first gay elected and then the first gay recalled! Cool it Harve!!!

GENE PRAT CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS
Gene PRAT, former candidate for Sheriff in 1975, has announced that he will be running against John Burton for the 5th Congressional District seat (northwest San Francisco, all of Marin and part of Sonoma). Gene has been a very good friend to the gay community, and has stood strong in the face of reaction because of his pro-gay stands. Now, he has informed us he intends to seek the Republican nomination to run against the do-nothing John Burton. John Burton since he has been in Congress has done nothing for gays nor the area of the 5th Congressional District. Gene PRAT will make an excellent Congressman for us. So give him your most serious consideration. It is getting close.

THANK YOU
to all of you who have read and supported the CRUSADER, the independent crusading voice in San Francisco in 1977 and we trust you will support us just as strongly in 1978. God bless you all!

MEXICAN PRISONER EXCHANGE
Even tho we are here with a New Year and we are supposed to be "charitable"...the so-called exchange of prisoners between this nation and Mexico, while is good, the publicity by the "sicko-media" disgusts me. These are NOT prisoners of war...these are hard core drug-dealers. Some of them are heroin-runners, some coke-runners and others worse. They are not to be "greeted" by anything except a jailcell! Disgusting... that is the only word for it. But the trend the video-media takes today, one can only wonder if they would give "Charles Manson the Mass-Killer" a hero's welcome upon his release. It is time we started treating these criminals just like what they are...vile sick animals! Treat them until they are well, cured of the evil sickness that has overcome them, that has caused them to do the evils they do. No more of this "bleeding-heart" bull!

DEMOCRATIC PARTY OFFICIAL THREATENS TO SLAP A VERY "OUT OF ORDER" PAUL HARDMAN OF PRIDE & 330 GROVE ST.
A nice lady, a niece of Margaret Brady, who is a longtime activist in the Democratic Party, was "cornered" by the pushy Paul Hardman of Pride (330 Grove) who began berating this young lady about the behavior of Margaret Brady whom Hardman called, "anti-gay"! Well, the much flustered lady did tell her aunt Margaret about the Hardman tirade (for which he is famous), and the fiery Ms. Margaret Brady contacted Paul Hardman and let him know that if he had anything to say about her, he had best say it to her and not be harassing her relatives...and it was reported that Ms. Brady was ready to let Hardman "have it across the face when she saw him".

Hardman, who is caught up in his own self-importance, told two new arrivals who stopped in at 330 Grove that the Mayor had offered him \$1 million dollars if Pride would abandon 330 Grove Street, peacefully. Dear people, Hardman does dream and dream, doesn't he... "Paul, you are NOT the gay community...there are several tens of thousands of us!" "So quit saying you speak for us!"

GOOD LUCK TO SHERIFF...EXCUSE ME, CHIEF OF POLICE RICHARD HONGISTO...OF CLEVELAND OHIO.
Richard Hongisto is gone...the gays of Cleveland do need him, that is for sure, at least if the accounts I have read of police actions in HIGH GEAR the gay paper in that Ohio city are true. The gays there will find Hongisto accessible. And while is pro-gay rights...he is also pro-Goodstein and that is bad for Cleveland. We do wish him the best of luck.

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- 1.....What is your sexual orientation? (circle one) Homosexual Hetro Female? Transsexual?
- 2.....Are you? (circle one) Male? Female? Transsexual?
- 3.....Where did you get this copy of the CRUSADER?
- 4.....What is the highest grade you completed in school?
- 5.....Are you a registered voter?
- 6.....If so, which political party do you belong to?
- 7.....How long have you been in SF?

- 8.....Did you vote in the last election for Supervisor?
- 9.....What is your present occupation?
- 10.....Do you belong to any gay organizations?
- 11.....If so, which one(s)?
- 12.....Overall, do you like the makeup and content of the CRUSADER? Yes? No? Undecided?
- 13.....Do you approve of the job that Mayor Moscone has done? Yes? No? Undecided!
- 14.....Do you think that Chief of Police Gain has done a good job in the area of law enforcement? Yes? No? Undecided!
- 15.....Do you approve of the job that the District Attorney Joseph Freitas has done? Yes? No?
- 16.....What is your favorite gay restaurant?
- 17.....What is your favorite disco?
- 18.....What is your favorite bar?
- 20.....What is your favorite bath house?
- 21.....What is your favorite afterhours spot?
- 22.....How do you prefer music in bars? Loud? Medium? Soft?

- 23.....Which of the columns in the CRUSADER do you enjoy the most?

- 24.....What would you like to see more of in the CRUSADER?

- 25.....Which of the gay publications do you enjoy reading the most...give in order of preference? (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

- 26.....Do you favor the death penalty? Yes? No?

- 27.....Have you ever heard of Assemblyman Ken Maddy of Fresno? Yes? No?

- 28.....Have you ever heard of Inspector Dave Toschi of the Homicide Unit? Yes? No?

- 29.....Do you like the "emperor" and the "empress" contests? Yes? No? If no, please explain:

- 30.....Do you like the 330 Grove Street facility? Yes? No?
- 31.....Would you approve of gays making an issue out of the 330 Grove Street like the radicals did at the International Hotel? Yes? No?

- 32.....Would you vote for a gay person for Mayor in 1979? Yes? No?
- 33.....Who would you like to see elected Mayor in 1979?

- 34.....Do you think the gay communities are organized? Yes? No?

- 35.....Do you favor the "drag leather" image of the south of Market bars? Yes? No?

- 36.....Do you favor all the "female drags" who abound at functions in various bars, running up and down the streets at times other than Halloween, etc.? Yes? No?

- 37.....Who are the three best know gay personalities in our city...in your opinion ??? (1) (2) (3)

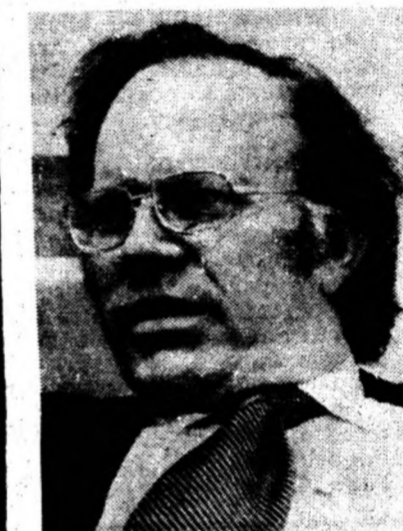
- 38.....What do you think of the chances of the Briggs anti-gay legislation and the ballot measures stand throughout the state? Good? Fair? Poor?

JERRY BROWN BOMBED by GOP



PAUL PRIOLO, Republican of Malibu Beach.

"CALIFORNIA IS IN TROUBLE...ECONOMY IS SHAKY...TAXES TOO HIGH" were the words of Republican Assembly leaders, and the spokesman, Paul Priolo, Assembly minority leader. Priolo spoke last week at the Commonwealth Club in San Francisco, where he gave forth with facts and figures concerning the critical condition of the State's economy. He blasted the appointment of Health & Welfare director, Mario Obledo for his \$200 million deficit in the Medi-Cal Program, and the "mysterious deaths" in the State Hospitals which the Brown administration has been "covering up". Priolo gave consideration attention to failure of Jerry Brown to look into the "Mexican Mafia" inside the State Prisons and outside as well. He said this was another typical Brown "cover-up". Priolo cited the fact that California now has 800,000 unemployed people, as compared to 460,000 when he took office, nearly double now! Priolo urged the voters to look at that is happening to government services, to look at their tax bills, and they will see that Jerry Brown is destroying the State. He said that if the Medi-Cal program fails, as indications now say it will, tens of thousands of elderly and handicapped people will be without medical assistance. He denounced the Governor's continual "showboating" around the country "running for president" when hasn't even been able to run California properly. On the subject of the Governor's race, Priolo said that he has endorsed no one, but that "we have several good people running who could beat Brown". He declined to give out any names. But, insiders say that Priolo favors Evelle J. Younger, the current Attorney General.



SEX-CHANGE MILL SURGEON HAS LOST LICENSE AT LAST!

REVIEW:

SAN FRANCISCO GAY LIFE

Where It's At
SF GAY LIFE is a TV Guide-size publication, which is unique in our city, but... Published by Lou Anthony and edited by James Moss, it is not particularly well done at all. Issue 3, had the worst photography yet seen in a publication, and while it purported to be a story on the Polk area... you would never have known it by looking at the pictures, for they were just like the Castro pictures. Tacky! Their choice for models has been 50-50, the Castro cover man was hot and the Polk cover man was blah, but nice tho. The picture on page five, someone had gone over bad photography with a magic marker and of course it showed up in the printing. The printing is something else, obviously done by a second-rate printer and not by one of the large houses like Waller or Howard Quinn, it fades in and out. The concept of SF GAY LIFE is not a new one. It has been tried before and failed.

Such a publication goes well I am sure in New York or something back east, but it is not very San Francisco, if you know what I mean. The local gay publications, do far better service to the advertisers, reaching far more people and costing far less than the SF GAY LIFE...it is not where it is at...for sure! The ad salesperson for SF GAY LIFE by knocking the established gay publications are only "cutting their own throat". Now, with the issue Number 4, they have for sure, "cut their own throats" plus the "throats" of some of their advertisers.

DOCTOR'S LICENSE REVOKED

Dr. John Brown, infamous sex surgeon, has had his license revoked by the State Board of Medical Quality Assurance here in California...which ends his mad sex change surgery mills in San Francisco and Los Angeles. The Helping Hands Services first brought to the attention of the California Medical Association and the State Attorney General, the foul practices of John Brown, shortly after the death of Helping Hand transsexual, Molly Holm. Molly died just a few days after he/she had the sex change. He had no post surgical follow up whatsoever and became despondent and was found drowned in his bathtub. Helping Hands staffers all agreed that Holm was NOT a transsexual and that Brown was exploiting the mixed up feelings of Molly in order to make a quick buck. Dr. Donald R. Laub and Dr. Norman Fisk of Stanford University Medical Center's highly respected "gender dysphoria" sex change clinic, testified that Brown's lack of psychological screening for patients put his practice well outside accepted standards for such practices and procedures. Brown promoted his services which were little more than "castrations" and creation of an artificial vagina and breast augmentation. Brown said he operated on anyone who came along, no questions asked, and the only qualification was that they have the money. I never turned down anyone with the money. Poor Molly is dead, but at least Brown will not practice his trade here any longer.

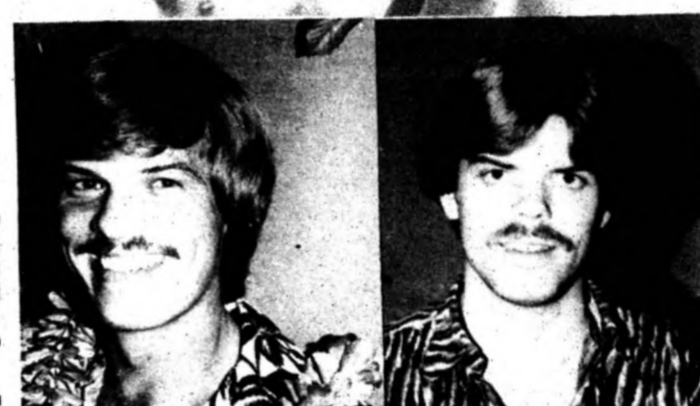
They say they will not accept "SEX ADS"...ads for "prostitution" or for anything sexual, or for anyplace that has sex in them. Just see pages 60...and 4. Between those two pages you get the general drift of things. They denounce "sex businesses" yet they have ads from the CLUB SAN FRANCISCO...from DAVES BATHS...and honey, if those two places aren't for sex, just what is going on there? And then what about the full page from the NOB HILL CINEMA...don't they show sex films. HONEY LAMBS...these people at GAY LIFE are real creeps...they are pissed off that they haven't been able to "make it" advertising wise, so they are attacking ALL GAY PAPERS in California, saying that...ALL of the GAY PAPERS accept ads for drugs and/or prostitution. If you don't believe me, just read their damn rag. It is a simple case of SOUR GRAPES by JIM MOSS & Company. They come to town, open up a business, bad mouth us old timers, and expect ads to flow into their coffers...it don't work that way! If they don't like California ways...why don't they go back to New York or?

"Hauoli Makahiki Hou"
Happy New Year

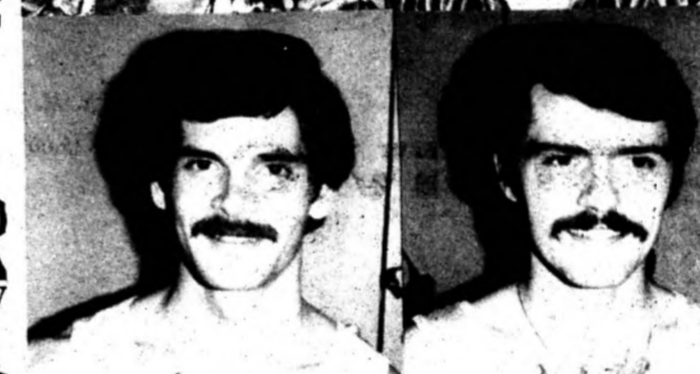
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Tom Hart's Natural Thing

Gay-health Column



Happy New Year

Tom Hart, who has been writing the gay-health column for us for some time now, wants you all to have a most happy and proper(health wise) and prosperous new year. Tom could not get his column in this month, but wants you all to know that he will be writing for us again, after he settles in on his new job. You may still contact him through Stephen Blair of BONES on Haight Street.



Nominations for the Helping Hands Award for 1977 have been coming in fast and furious.

The Awards themselves will be held within the next couple or so weeks.

The Award winners in the past have been:

1973.....Donna Mae Johns.....Lenny Mollet
Charlie Davis.....Dennis Kruszynski
Elza Ostrom.....Terry Taylor.....
Rev. Paul Peachy.....Don Black.

1974.....Al Alvarez.....Naomi Murdach.....
Hal Call.....Richard Wayland.....
B.J. Beckwith.....Bill McWilliams
David Stahlman.....Dick Baltz.....
Jay Mayhall.....James Boyd-Robert
-son.

1975.....Lee Raymond.....Bob Ross.....Bob
Trollope.....Jack "Irene" McGowan
Tommy "Shirley" Brown.....Bruce
Green....."Doris".....Gene Black-
burn.....Margaret "Peg" Clark.....
Henry "Hank" Welsh.

1976.....Owen Grady.....Melvin "Melvina"
Gray.....Kimo Cochran.....Elisa
Rleigh.....Wayne Friday.....Randy

Johnson.....Arthur B. Crosse.....
Bruce Jeffries & Jim Ward.....Roy
Harnetiaux.....Fruit Punch Radio
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NOMINEES FOR 1977 AWARDS ARE:

Charles Bayles.....Perry "Tessie" Spink.....
Gene "Mama" Peckinino.....Paul Bentley.....
Arthur Agnos.....Jim Ostlund.....Floyd Jack-
son.....Bishop Donald Pierce-Weeks.....
Harley Kohler.....Gene PRAt.....Leon
"Rose 1" Hampton.....Joe Roland.....Ron
Ross.....Donald Dill.....Don Jacobs.....Dorr
Jones.....Richard "Voo Doo" Matson.....
Keith St. Claire.....S. Dixon Olivieri.....The
Staff of The Gangway.....Keith Wayde.....
Eddie Van.....Peter Dido.....Patrick "Daisy
Gardner.....Rev. Charles Larson.....Elmer
Wilhelm.....David "Baba" Nance.....Leslie
Calloway.....Charles Lee Morris.....Harry
Gardner.....Charles "Char" Morrow.....Paul
Hardman.....Mrs. Jean Mellor.....Andrew
Bettancourt.....Jerry DeFord.

That is a very impressive list of nominees for the 1977 Helping Hands Award. If you want to see any of the above win the Award, send a letter of testimony/support to us at: Christ Chapel, 26 Seventh Street, San Francisco, California 94101. Please state why you think that the person/persons should win the award, listing their achievements or good deeds in the past.

The Awards will be held on.....

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We lost Lee's column at press time, sorry! rb



LEE RAYMOND CELEBRATES 2nd ANNIVERSARY OF HIS 11th BIRTHDAY.....GALA PARTY AT KIMOS!

Lee Raymond, columnist for the CRUSADER for several years, and an entertainer and Grand Duchess II de San Francisco, who was born in Brooklyn New York many many years ago, celebrated his 2nd Anniversary of his 11th birthday. That would make him 33?

Lee, well known for his fabulous work with the elderly, through the Old Folks Defense League (Helping Hands Services) and for his hours and hours of volunteered time helping others, dressed up in an eleven year old boy outfit. His clever costumes has made the envy of many in San Francisco's gay communities. We, his fellow workers at the paper, all wish his many many more 11th birthday anniversaries! Lee Raymond.....one of the finest people this city will ever see, and don't you forget it! God bless you Lee! Rev. Ray; Carl Driver; Daisy; Eddie Van

Tom Hart;



Pictured at the top is the 11 year old? Lee Raymond; Next picture down is one of the JOHN KRAUSE FAN CLUB which meets each Wednesday thru Friday, 3 PM til 8 PM in the Upstairs Bar of KIMO's, as well as on weekends late at night. The bottom picture from the left is one of a posterior of an un-named guy who works at the Grubstake. Then, Lee, Adam Bear, & John.



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Mockingbird

.....CASTRO CAPERS...While out in a
lovely place called the ELEPHANT WALK
and just about fell over when I caught a
glimpse of PAT "Rocky Mountain High"
who is their "long long" bartender. PAT
travels a "rocky road" according to the
manager/cook, BRIAN SIEBER. Who
cares, just as long as I can.....

.....SAL GUANGE came into the bar as
I was setting talking to the fabulous
ROBERT HAMILTON BOUDREAU and
his two charming and handsome compan-
ions. Dear me, the ELEPHANT WALK is truly
located in the "High Country" 18th and
Castro. They have fine food daily on the
luncheon menu.

COMODE AWARDS FOR
DECEMBER To The Follow-
ing People For Their Un-Amu-
sing Public Behavior:

MIKE RIO for his bizzare actions
at the Headless Ball. Ditto for his
love BILL TOLAN for his
threats against DOLLY P!

CHRIS "The Enema
Queen"...very naughty!!
TOM AVILA...eating too
many refried beans, etc.

.....Over at the P.S. RESTAURANT &
BAR at 1121 Polkstrasse, hear tell that
DAVID "Stella" STOLL has a new room-
mate in the Assistant Manager of the P.S.
LARRY "Lowrest" CASAS, that has
to be the "Oddest Couple" of any year.

.....Still at the P.S., JERRY SLOUP the
man of men, has been playing hostess for
a while, as DANNY IRVINE also known
as "Trixie" is recovering from everything.
.....At the CLUB FRISCO, which has to
be the hottest "soul disco" anywhere in
America, down at 60 Sixth Street....I saw
PRETTY PHILLIP with a hot number in
the corner doing some "close talking".
Don't know what it was all about, but it
broke up when MR. B came sailing by
handing out jelly beans....again! Good
grief!!!!

.....At the ALL GAY FAIRFAX Hotel in
the Tender-Loins...you will find some
very interesting men! WARREN WEST
is the traffic manager of the Hotel and he
is keeping it full....that's the way Mrs K.
likes em! They have a waiting list of real
MEN waiting to get in, right WARREN?

.....Didja know, that BEN HOSKINS the
too handsome Assistant Manager of the
LIBERTY BATHS once "shampooed"
the carpet of CAROL LYNN? BEN was
just a little innocent boy from Phoenix
back when it happened....but he became
very un-innocent very quickly.....

.....BEN by the way, has given up sex al-
together (which should surprise manager
ROYCE LAY), and told me that "sex is
a waste of time"! Cute! But his state-
ment was doubted by co-worker GARY
RUSSELL who has been "attached" for
EIGHT YEARS!

.....H.L. FERRY was putting on some of her
toilet water and the lid fell down and hit
her on the head! Peeeeeewww!!!!!!

.....KIMO is feeling lots better and wants
all his friends to know so. He looks alot
better. We all missed his appearance at
the Ft. Miley Christmas Show for the
hospitalized Veterans at the VA Hospital.

.....Too many bars in the Castro? Guess
not! MOBY DICK has opened at 18th
& Hartford, just off Castro. Hot place!!!

.....POLK GULCH SALOON
Have you ever heard of the "bionic pus-
sy"?...well, if not why not ask KIM, he
can tell you all about it and also about
the dildo on the right side of the bed....a
bed which he deserted one night when
he brought home a "male nymph" and
became so sacred that he tried to crawl
into bed with JIM WARD & BRUCE!
KIM, also known as Kimerly, certainly
has been shaking things up n down at
the GULCH since he arrived to work at
that 7 year old Polk Street watering hole
"RESCUE A PET FROM DEATH
ROW".....The S.P.C.A.!

.....Gay politico, Republican ANDREW
BETTANCOURT went back east recently
and reported that he saw this bit of graf-
fiti on a truck stop rest room wall....
"There is no culture in Kansas except
that used to make sour cream & yogurt
....."

.....Happy New Year RAY RULER! Hope
you continued making it and out in '78!

.....ANDRE who writes for ROR is a
real little "root"...if you know what I
mean! Right Irene????

.....PAUL BENTLEY is up and about
after his "hysterectomy"...excuse me...
appendix operation. He will look lots
young now....or is that what that kind
of operation does??

.....Procadero Transfer, ought to ask for
one back to New York, their business is
bad!!

.....HARRY GARDNER rented a Santa
Claus suit for the Gay U.S.O. Show at the
Ft. Miley USVA Hospital....but he never
got to wear it! Shame on you RICK!!!
Thank you HARRY...we shall remember
you...if you know what it means? By the
way, "how is your garden growing?"

Oh yes, Gay Republican...ANDREW
BETTANCOURT tells us that he went to
see the "Nutcracker" recently and he left
disappointed....because he thought it was
an S&M play! Yuku!

.....New manager at the P.S. Restaurant...
and ROY HARNETIAUX the hardest
worker Polkway has ever had...for sure...
is now the fulltime manager of the...
CHURCH STREET STATION only!
He is a drastic improvement over JAY
LEVINE who has those "Detroit" ways
about him! Congratulations to BOB
DAMERON for having the good sense to
put ROY there.



.....TAFY ADAMS of USA on Castro,
called the employer of IRENE Jack Mc-
Gowan last Friday and tried his best to
get Jack's employer to hire him! For 30
minutes TAFY ADAMS berated Irene
saying he was a homosexual etc! This
TAFY and his USA sports trip is very
un-American! Also anti-gay!

.....FAIRY OAKS....a "special" place has
opened at Oak & Steiner just off of Fill-
more Street. The P.R. person, a THOM-
AS F. GOOD said that they are nice....
all ELEVEN investors! 11? That's what
he said! The SF Gay Life (anti-sex & pop-
pers magazine) sez it's a nice place....
but! They do have "Pat" (Jerry Patter-
son) working there and he is still on proba-
tion for assault with a deadly weapon.
And....there are other "things" too!

.....CORRECTION: Those turkeys & pies
that BOB ROSS said he cooked for the
Thanksgiving feed at the Gay Center were
NOT COOKED BY ROSS....but by PAUL
BROTHERTON...hear that HECTOR?

.....MICHAEL BROADWAY for Mr. Gay
San Francisco, that is the word from the
real people! Vote January 21st.

.....Have you seen the large, new, snack
bar and dining area at the LIBERTY BATHS
THS???? PAUL the hot cover man last
issue, is the operator of the bizzarely beau-
tiful snack bar....it is the biggest and the
most beautiful on the west coast!!!!

.....Is it true that EDDIE VAN of the
ADVENTURE STUDIO gave the Rever-
end RAY BROSHARS two expensive
gifts for Christmas? Yes!

.....SARAH SPORTSCOOP who writes a
column in the ROR used to be funny...
that is until he printed and out and out
lie about the hot hot DOLLY P....and he
knew it was a lie, yet he printed it any-
way! Why do you do such things MON-
TE REDNECK?

.....Who is DORIS SOARES? That is a
question being asked about the ALFIES
which is America's number 1 disco. If
you ask MANUEL he would tell you!
Or at least TISH or DENIESE would!

.....Why is DAVE'S BATHS & Ritch Str-
et/Club SF advertising in SF GAY
LIFE when they say they don't accept
ads for sex...or does that mean that...
there is NO SEX ALLOWED AT 330
Ritch Street and DAVES????

.....MARK CHASTAIN has been nomi-
nated for the PRUDE NUN of '77!

.....BILL BONNEY won't you please
come home??? He is working at the...
GIRAFFE on Polkstrasse now....and just
had a birthday and "things"!!

.....Little JOSEPH "Joe" Haverbush is a
luster...he lusts after the BLUE BOYS...
right GEORGE????

.....GRAND GRADY of the Civic Cen-
ter...what do you think of TOM Cooper
from Baltimore! Nice boy, right?????

.....GRADY by the way, has been help-
ing out on the old folks luncheons! A
real swell guy!

.....LAFAYETTE...your "tapes" are the
best...too bad Richard Nixon didn't have
you instead of Rosemary Woods. You
do know music hot man!

.....There is a new manager at the CLUB
FRISCO....a very sexy, PAUL ARCHER
...at least I am hot for his body!!

.....THE MOCKINGBIRD'S ENEMIES
LIST FOR 1978....oh yes, everyone has
an enemies list but most are not willing
to admit it....so the MOCKINGBIRD is
publishing his:

- 1.....Chief Ed Davis of L.A.
- 2.....State Senator John Briggs
- 3.....Thomas M Edwards
- 4.....Anita Bryant
- 5.....George Mendenhall
- 6.....John Barbagelata
- 7.....Lawrence Gerard Smith
- 8.....Jack Campbell
- 9.....Cops For Christ
- 10.....David Goldman
- 11.....Rev. Garner Ted Armstrong
- 12.....Socialist Workers Party
- 13.....Dr. Gene Scott
- 14.....John Eshelman Wahl

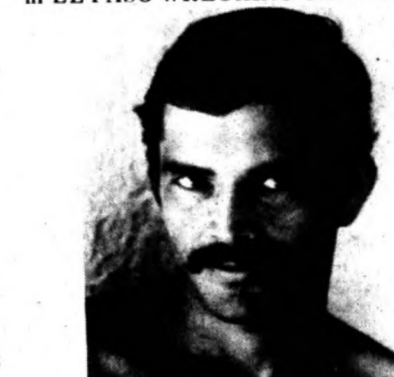
.....BILL MCWILLIAMS....where-ever
you are...HAPPY NEW YEAR and hope
to see you again. Look at what happen-
ed to our baby...the Golden Gate Busi-
ness Association...didn't turn out the
way we had it planned...in this case I
guess an abortion would have been best.

.....Why should the city give taxpayers
money to ANY parade? Hell, if you
can't afford to put one on....then you
shouldn't have one....we need those tax
dollars elsewhere! To hell with the Gay
Parade, Chinese Parade, Columbus Pa-
rade or any of em, if they can't afford to
pay the bill themselves! Do you hear
that Chuck Morris & the rest of you tax
leeches????

.....Happy New Year to ol friend....
ALMA of the Spartan, and to Bruce too

.....Thank you to GREGORY I of KIMO
'S on Polk for being GREG....may your
new year be bigger and better....but not
bigger or better than RAY DHIEL!

The hot number below is one of the men
in EL PASO WRECKING COMPANY....



GUILLERMO RICARDO, now at the...
NOB HIL CINEMA, 729 Bush Street.

.....HELPING HANDS AWARDS, don't
you forget them....Monday night, 7:30
PM on January 9th at Christ Chapel, 26
7th Street...5th floor. KIMO & LEE
RAYMOND will be the co-emcees. You
should bring along a can of food for the
old folks luncheons (or money)!

.....Miss DOLLY P, candidate for Miss Gay
SF '78...won the hearts of many last Wed-
nesday, when another contestant, TRACEE
lost his sponsor, DOLLY P took up a collec-
tion to help TRACEE....that's heart honey

.....Happy birthday to CRAIG ROADY...
his birthday is the 31st of December....he
is such a sweet man and KIMO has him!
Many happy returns CRAIG.

.....Emperor JIM OSTLUND...can you tell
me what happened to the "Pin" and the
Certificate for Rev. Ray Broshears....he
has never received them you know!
Are you going to attend the HELPING
HANDS AWARDS...they do have a emcee

.....TACKY RUTH is not all that tacky as
he is making a hell of a run for EMPRESS.
See the NEXT ISSUE of the CRUSADER
which will be out on January 27th to find
out who to vote for...who will do the best
so don't vote for Hermann, for he just is not
together at all! We will tell you who to vote
for based upon their community service &
commitments. Vote for a leader....not a
follower!

.....JACK "Tallulah" TENNYSON is do-
ing double time at la P.S., these daze!

♥♥♥ "The Latin Tornado!" ♥♥♥ DOLLY P



"Miss Gay San Francisco"

elect **DOLLY P** JANUARY 21st

San Francisco Crusader

Old Catholic Church

Part 2



by: Archbishop Robert R. Zaborowski, O.M.
Prime Bishop of the Maravite Old Catholic Church of the Province of North America.

The October 1977 Issue 49 of the CRUSADER presented the fact that dozens, hundreds and even perhaps thousands of individuals abound wearing the "clerical collar" and appending the term "Old Catholic" to their so-called churches. This problem does not exist only within California, but throughout the United States... and in other countries as well. Most of these supposed "Old Catholics" are well known for their homosexual conduct and their great ability to deceive any and all that they might chance upon in their fraudulent "career".

In many cases, these frauds assume having a licit and valid Apostolic Succession, derived from the true Old Catholic Churches of Utrecht, Austria, Germany, Switzerland, France, and Poland. However, such is not the case...for in the majority of situations their so-called "Apostolic Succession" has been received from illicit sources... which are not recognized within the framework of the Church Catholic.

Some of these men claim to have possession of the Matthew succession, failing to realize that Matthew (Arnold Harris Matthew) of England never consecrated any man for work in the United States, and the claim that the late Archbishop Matthew, De Landas Berghes, had consecrated men by authority of his Superior in England is wholly false. For the late Bishop de Landas Berghes was deposed by the late Archbishop Matthew. (EDITOR'S NOTE: All religious historians agree that once a person has been ordained or consecrated...it holds until the person dies...and that the excommunications, etc., are only from the Church(es) and that no one can excommunicate from the Body of Christ...and that if a person is consecrated, their work can carry to any part of the world. So, we must take exception to this part of the article which is not in keeping with the Holy Spirit of Christ or of the Apostolic Church of Christ Catholic.) Many of those who claim this line of Apostolic Succession are indeed to be questioned, for none can provide licit documentation of their recognition by the late Archbishop Matthew of England, nor any statement of recognition by the See of the true Old Catholic Church in Europe. Similarly, there are those who claim the succession of the late Archbishop Vilatte; these too must be questioned for none hold the recognition of the true Vilatte bishops in America or in Europe. Still others claim other lines of succession such as that of the Maravite Old Catholic Church of Poland; these claims are wholly... false...for there are no other representatives of the Maravite Old Catholic Church save us at Wyandotte, Michigan, and any who dare claim Maravite Orders can be investigated upon by contacting the Administrative Center of this Church.

The endless train of so-called "archbishops", "priests" and so forth are not published in the Old Catholic Yearbook published in Germany by authority of Utrecht/Union of Old Catholic Churches. These frauds have no physical church buildings, but operate "paper churches" which are attended by the numerous "bishops" and "priests" they often possess; similarly, none of the claimants have ever seen the inside of a Theological Seminary, nor do they possess any knowledge whatever of the matters which are upheld as the Faith, Worship and Discipline of the True Old Catholic Church. Some of them are able to "celebrate" Holy Mass, but few among them perform these functions with any knowledge in them, and most do "as they saw Roman Catholic priests do before" which is indeed a pitiful excuse to use. True Old Catholics are well versed in theological and liturgical matters and are well able to detect the person who might try to pass himself off as being "Old Catholic".

In the majority of cases, these FRAUDULENT characters are homosexuals who tend to enjoy making themselves up as "bishops" and "priests" and "PLAYING CHURCH", the causes of this can be many...hatred for the Roman Catholic or other Church which refused them entry into the seminary...envy of the true Old Catholic Churches, or just a plain and simple mental deviation. Many of these frauds are well known of in the annals of local Police Departments, the Roman Catholic and other licit Churches, and throughout Europe within the true Old Catholic Churches there. Many of these frauds cavort within homosexual establishments...and relentlessly mock the Holy Church of Christ in their personal or ecclesiastical lives and actions.

One of the greatest truths among these frauds... is the fact that they will always convert attacks or other distasteful measures upon the true Old Catholic Churches, by means of false accusations, discredit, slander, uncouth correspondence, as well as criminal acts such as seducing bill collectors, or using the postal service or of her interstate carriers for their "pranks" as is the case recently with "father" LAWRENCE GERARD SMITH of Berkeley, who has been

convicted of sex crimes upon the body of a child in which he was found guilty. In our own work, we have bore the burden of these things; among them the accusation that we are homosexuals, which is indeed the worst lie among all lies!!!!

Despite the fact that there are so many fraudulent "Old Catholics" there are the very rare few who are indeed doing very sincere and honest labors in the cause of Christ, the tragedy is, that these may have become associated with the wrong individuals from whom they obtained what they thought were true Holy Orders...when such is not the case at hand. Many of these individuals are doing honest and sincere labors, despite not being recognized by the true Old Catholic Churches, would do well to consider approaching these true Old Catholic Churches to see whether or not they might be able to be an integral part of these Churches in some manner. It is truly a shame that so many innocent and truly spiritually grounded men are "used" or deceived by these "frauds".

In the October 1977 Issue Number 49, the author posed the question, "Is the Old Catholic Church valid?" within the framework of the answer, we saw several errors or inconsistencies which we would like to clarify to you, the reader at this writing. When we regard the validity of the Old Catholic Church, we cannot look upon the individual congregation or the method of its operation, but rather upon the undisputed fact as to whether or not the Church in question possesses indisputable Apostolic Succession and the tenets of the Faith of the Old Catholic Church which are recognized by the European Old Catholic Churches, or if these Churches possess an Apostolic Succession is wholly questionable, and not recognized by any major denomination of the Church Catholic. The means to investigate such, is to gather all of the facts as provided by these "churches" and approach the true Old Catholic Church officials to clarify the facts...too often, it will be discovered that the Succession is spurious in its claims, and is nothing but that...a claim, without truth and without foundation. If no sufficient evidences can be provided, or excuses of some sort are used to state their unavailability, then one should know that there is no substance to the claims made and the person making the claim is indeed an outright FRAUD!!!! The validity of Holy Orders and of Apostolic Succession is of critical importance; for without true Holy Orders and Apostolic Succession there is no Church...no priesthood...no episcopate...and no true administration of the seven Holy Sacraments. Of itself, the True Old Catholic Church was begun at Utrecht Holland, in the year 1724... later in the year 1870 the German, Swiss and Austrian Old Catholic Church bodies joined the Utrecht Old Catholics as a result of denying the Papal Infallibility and the Roman Catholic Dogmas of the Immaculate Conception and Assumption of Mary, the Mother of God, which transpired in the mid 1800's and were finalized (the primacy and infallibility issues) at the First Vatican Council in 1870. In regard to sin and the Sacrament of Penance, true Old Catholics hold that one must confess his or her sins before Christ and Christ alone; the priest acts as the mediator between God and man and man and God in the private form of confession.

Indeed, the true Old Catholic Churches within America are doing tremendous work for the benefit of all people who approach them or are members of these licit Churches...be it the Maravite Old Catholic Church or the Polish Old Catholic Church. The charitable and humanitarian, as well as the spiritual works of these true Old Catholic Churches well exemplify what Christ Our Lord taught us all, and that the Holy Will of God must be accomplished in all things which are undertaken for the good of the people of God.

As we come to the conclusion of this article, let us state that the many fraudulent "Old Catholics" who ever continually mock the Church of Christ, rarely give benefit to anyone, but deceive themselves and others, while filling the coffers of the unsuspecting church goods dealers from whom they purchase their clerical garb, as if to imply that such purchases gives them the indisputable right and authority to proclaim themselves something which they are not.

If you the reader...wonder about some of these "Old Catholics" you have chanced upon, consider the facts presented herein in Christian Charity, and keep in mind the words of Our Lord: "By their deeds (actions) shall you know (recognize) them."

BEWARE, for there are many false prophets dressed in priestly garments that are the wolves of old that seek to deceive and devour you... the faithful of Christ as Satan who roams the earth!

Archbishop Zaborowski, O.M.

(Editors note: In the next issue we shall present a biographical background of the Most Reverend Zaborowski.)

GRAND DUKE & DUCHESS BALL

TANYA, NEW GRAND DUCHESS & DON BAKER, NEW GRAND DUKECORONATION HELD AT SAN FRANCISCAN HOTEL.
Photos by Lee Raymond 771-2670



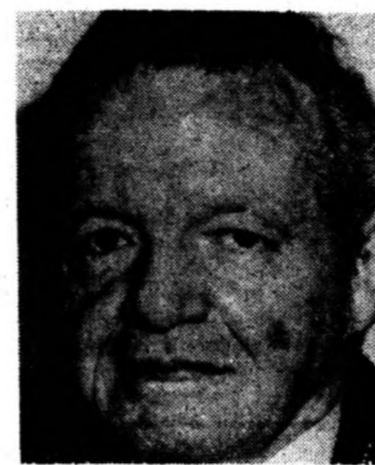
Pictured at the top from the left is, Grand Duchess II, LEE RAYMOND and escort RON MOORE. Next to them is the Baroness Von de Koff and escort. Next row down from the left is Tanya, Grand Duchess V, kneeling to be crowned, as Grand Duchess III Charlie, Grand Duchess I, H.L. Perry and Grand Duke I, JOE ROLAND look on. Next pic is the handsome escort in uniform un-named with Grand Duchess Lee Raymond. Bottom row from the left is the current Emperor 6, Jim Ostlund, of the Castro Station, posing with the Grand Duchess I, H.L. Perry. Next is, Ron, holding silver goblet, standing next to the next Grand Duchess V, (Tony Perry) Tanya.

Nearly 150 people turned out for the 5th Annual Ball, in which gowns sparkled and such handsome men in formal suits you have never seen before! It is a shame that the entire affair was not as dazzling as those in attendance, as the people paid their money merely to look at one another, and to sit and listen and watch introductions...there was no entertainment whatsoever (except for Dolli P dancing on a table). It was a typical H.L. Perry Production...tackey!

ELECT
MICHAEL BROADWAY Mr. Gay S.F.

San Francisco Crusader

COPS FOR CHRIST ARE "KOOKS"!



Inspector Jim Higgins

TWO HUNDRED COPS (SFPD) ATTEND RALLY ON TOP OF TWIN PEAKS TO "DRIVE OUT OF THE CITY THE DEMON HOMOSEXUALS"!

Under the leadership of the Roman Catholic lay leaders in the San Francisco Police Department (Jim Higgins and Jim Crowley), the "COPS FOR CHRIST" were publically born via the television news media. Higgins and Crowley are both Mass-going Catholics as are the vast majority of the 90 member group of extremist policemen. Both Higgins and Crowley are assigned to the Sex Crimes Detail and work with one other person who is well known for the deliberate enticement and entrapment of gays.

The Cops For Christ are also known as the Fellowship of Christian Peace Officers and are very much opposed to the pro-gay Chief of Police, Charles Gain. They make no secret that they would like to see their "men", either Captain DeAmicus or Captain Bill Conroy or Captain George Emil take over the Department, "so we can rid the city of these demon homosexuals who are over-running our city".

Most observers have called them "kooks" and said they will get no where, but gay observers and investigators say that the "Cops For Christ" is teaming up with other radical right-wing extremist groups in the State. They have called for the nomination and election of Chief of Police Ed Davis for Governor this year 1978.

Most of the Cops For Christ are "homophobes" who are terrified of the desires they find coming from within when they see a pretty young man like the one pictured at the right here. Gay leaders call for psychiatric counselling for the Cops For Christ.



GAY NEWSPAPER [B.A.R.] TURNS TO THE "LEFT"! Calls abortion, 'act of love'!

EDITORIAL

B.A.R. (BAY AREA REPORTER) CALLS "ABORTION AN ACT OF LOVE".....TAKES ON LEFT LEANING EDITOR!

The BAR, one of the oldest gay publications in the Bay Area, has taken on a "New Left Look" going into 1978, with the hiring of ex-Vector and ex-Advocate reporter, George Mendenhall as editor. Mendenhall, never noted for his fairness or his objectivity in writing, is a well known frequenter of restrooms in moviehouses. Jokes have been amde about some of his columns having been written on toilet paper. Now, he is the editor of BAR and his first editorial calls ABORTION AN ACT OF LOVE, which means "Murder Is An Act Of Love". Mendenhall is noted for his many leftist leaning causes, and he joins the leftist leaning Supervisor-elect Harvey Milk on the BAR staff.

Milk in past columns in the BAR has called for "more International Hotels". As most all know the International Hotel incident was engineered by members of the Communist Chinese groups in North Beach, under the guise of defending old people. BAR is being sued currently for one million dollars, as is it's editor-in-chief, Bob Ross, for libel, slander, and conspiracy. BAR has supported in the past very ultra-liberal causes, and with George Mendenhall as the news helm, the paper will drift further and further to the left.

We write this that the readers of news copy in the BAR will read what they have written with "a grain of salt". Editorials as such as the "abortion" one, will only give our enemies the necessary "ammunition" to use against us. Can't you see these at the Archdiocese office now, reading Mendenhall's editorial with glee? And the Cops For Christ, they too will use it against us!

From all of us... ..to all of you!

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HELPING HANDS (Christ Chapel) 6th ANNUAL GAY U.S.O. SHOW AT VETERANS HOSPITAL



SAN FRANCISCO: For the sixth consecutive year, the GAY U.S.O. Show of Christ Chapel, Orthodox Episcopal Church of God and Helping Hands Services, entertained the hospitalized veterans at the FORT MILEY United States Veterans Administration Hospital.

The auditorium had nearly 100 patients and personnel present to view the gay variety show, which was under the direction of the Rev. Ray Broshears.

And hundreds more patients saw it the next day, when it was shown over the closed circuit video network at the hospital.

On K.G.O.-TV Channel 7, ABC in San Francisco, tens of thousands of people saw it on the news that night and again the next day.

The CO-EMCESS, were MAMA PECK and LEE RAYMOND. Lee was the star entertainer and helped Rev. Broshears gather up the talent for the show as well. Famed Las Vegas entertainer and San Francisco gay bar owner, Kim Cochran was due to have directed the show, but due to illness was unable to do so.

Patric "DAISY" Gardner was the candy-striped, assistant emcee for the affair. Santa Claus was played by HARRY GARDNER and his little helper, Rick. The fabulous San Francisco pianist.... CHRIS WAYNE was the musical director once again and did a great job.

The divine JACKIE JONES who plays about every kind of instrument known to mankind, brought the house-down, so to speak, with her "musical saw", and a variety of other homemade instruments.

A surprise star and big hit was the very very tall, CAMILLE. She was a very tall Diana Ross, the reporter from the TV station, KGO said later on.

JIMMY TRITT sang beautifully, as he did when he was starring in the Kimo Production of, "Applause" some years back.

JERRY SALAZAR, a magician and a longtime member of the Helping Hand group, entertained all with his amazing slight of hand tricks.

And, making his SF stage debut, was the drama critic/reviewer, CARL DRIVER who did a recitation of "Casey At the Bat", complete with frock coat and "Take Me Out To The Ballgame" musical accompaniment.

Also appearing was Tanya, Grand Duchess V, who is also an employee of the BAR, which ran an almost totally false account of the event, and caused many people to feel slighted. For the behavior of the people at BAR and in particular their "news editor" George Mendenhall, we apologize to all the slighted performers, to the administration of the Hospital, and to the reader or so, of the BAR who they mislead with typical Mendenhall-misreporting. One reason for this is that....the Rev. Ray Broshears has a ONE MILLION dollar libel-slander suit pending against the BAR.

But, the evening was beautiful, all the patients enjoyed themselves, and the performers gave of their time and talent 100%.

Gifts for the event were donated by the SF Tavern Guild, Joe Roland of the Gangway, and by the SF CRUSADER. The Church & Helping Hands thanks all who donated of their time, talent and funds. The patients did enjoy their gifts greatly. A big thank you to those who helped provide auto transportation.

A letter of commendation was sent to the Rev. Raymond Broshears for his 6th year of service to the USVA Hospital, and to all the performers.

Pictured above at the top left is LEE RAYMOND, superstar; next to Lee is the one and only MAMA PECK, Queen Mother of California. The picture next to them shows the entire show cast. Directly beneath that is Lee Raymond, Rick-Santa Claus and Rev. Ray Broshears handing out the many many gifts donated by Tavern Guild, Joe Roland, etc. The lady with the candy-striped, and hoop skirt is DAISY (Patrick Gardner) listening to Tanya. In the leather jacket & levis is CHRIS WAYNE, with the divine, CAMILLE in longwhite skirt-dress, and then CARL DRIVER. Playing the washboard musical device is JACKIE JONES at the left of them. And bottom left is JIMMY TRITT & JERRY SALAZAR. Next to them, Rev. Ray Broshears is being kissed by the lovely DAISY. The pictures were taken by Lee Raymond and her assistant, Empress Melvina of Colma.

Columnist named "MENACE" to Human Rights!



HERB CAEN

San Francisco CHRONICLE columnist.... Herb Caen has been named the leading "Menace To Human Rights, In The Newspaper Industry In Northern California" by the Teddy Roosevelt Republican Club and by other gay groups.

Caen, who thrives on his vile gossip which destroys people careers and lives, and been particularly vicious towards Chief of Police Charles Gain.

Chief Gain, a man who is not easily intimidated as most San Franciscans have learned, has refused to give into pressure from Caen in several instances, particularly the "decoy cop" program which has cut violent crime in the Tenderloin by at least 60% in the short period it has been in existence.

Caen, long a defender of dunks and winos and junkies, does not like Gain having these persons arrested.

Bleeding Heart Liberals do not like it either, but of course, neither they nor Caen live in the Tenderloin...afterall, where do the Bleeding Heart Liberals and Caen think

the winos and junkies get the money for their booze and heroin? except to beat up little old ladies and men, and to mention the physically handicapped! Caen's snide attacks upon other well doing San Franciscans has been without any regard for their personal safety, jobs, and homelife.

The Teddy Roosevelt Republican Club in their statement to the press, said that.... "Caen is a disgrace to any decent newspaper, who then, whoever said the San Francisco Chronicle is respectable?"

Caen has been particularly supportive of such radical right wing groups as the... "Cops For Christ" (Fellowship of Christian Peace Officers), and the POA (Police Officers Association.)

Old Folks Enjoy Gayla Luncheon



MRS. JEAN MELLOR

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23rd OLD FOLKS YULE PARTY

Christmas was never gay for the four dozen and more old folks who attended the 8th Annual Christmas Party and Luncheon given by the Old Folks Defense League/Helping Hands Services. It was a very beautiful event, much warmth came forth from all the volunteers and the event was well planned which helped matters.

Cook for the day was Patrick "Daisy" Gardner who ran the kitchen efficiently and ran the director of the Helping Hands Services, the Rev. Ray Broshears...right out of the kitchen into the Dining Room, bringing cheer to all the elderly who turned out. Rose I, along with Terry. Andrew Bettancourt and Richard Lasker, served up the delicious food prepared by Daisy. A lot for little for sure, as the event was given a big boost by Joe Roland of the GANGWAY and his five bartenders who all chipped in to help bring the event off well. Roy Harnetiaux of the CHURCH STREET STATION donated foods to the event, and STEVE GACAVELLI, liquor salesman to the GANGWAY donated several gifts. Joe Roland donated a television set, which was won by MARY FEELY of 34 Turk Street. Andrew Bettancourt and his lover Rich-

POLICE OFFICERS 'ATTACK' GAYS



P.O.A. President Gerald Crowley

POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION (POA) NEWSPAPER IN CRUEL, SLANDEROUS ATTACK UPON THE ENTIRE GAY COMMUNITY OF SAN FRANCISCO.....POA OFFICIALS MAKE NO APOLOGIES.....CALLING IT "FREEDOM OF THE PRESS!"

In the December issue of the "San Francisco Policeman" which is the newspaper of the radical right wing POA, one article calls gays the same as "whores, White Panthers, Black Panthers, and radical (revolutionaries). The article was written by an Officer Roger Farrell of the SFPD Park Station, which patrols the Haight-Ashbury.

He called for the firing of Chief of Police Charles Gain for his "consorting with 'gays', 'whores', 'radicals'.

CHIEF PIMP.....Quoting one paragraph, "The Hookers Ball was 3 days short of Halloween. This would be the appropriate time for you to wear your uniform. Maybe you could go as Chief Pimp."

He went on to say, "Halloween is celebrated by nearly everyone. That is except every police officer in the SFPD whose days off have been cancelled to make way for the "necessary" GAY PARADES."

Sgt. GERALD Crowley refused to issue an apology for the slander. He is the President of the POA. Other officials of the POA are Officer Joe Patterson who patrols Polk Street, and Mike Hebel and Paul Chignell.

drove Mrs. Feely home and helped set up her TV set. Much much thanks must go to Joe Roland, God Bless him, and to the staff of the Gangway, to Roy Harnetiaux, and of course to the wonderful volunteers, DOLLY P, Daisy Terry, Andrew Bettancourt and Richard Lasker, as well as Rose I, and the Rev. Ray Broshears. Special thanks to Owen Grandy of the Civic Center Hotel for his assistance also.

Bishop Donald Joseph Pierce-Weeks gave the blessing before the meal and he and his eleven year old step-son also helped serve the meals as well. Bishop Pierce-Weeks helped the Rev. Ray Broshears buy the more than \$100 worth of gifts which were given away as prizes for the Bingo game which Andrew Bettancourt called.

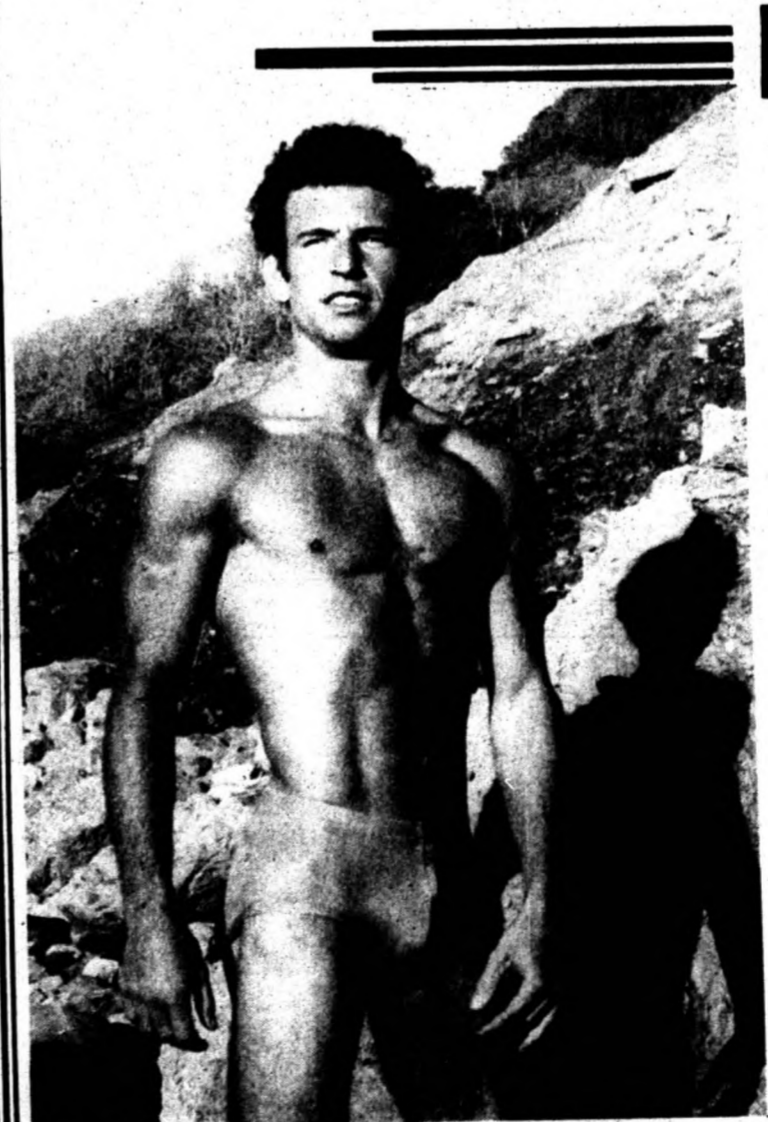
Mrs. Jean Mellor, formerly of the North of Market Seniors drew the winning name for the TV set.

POLITICANS BLASTED DURING BINGO GAME....Mrs. Jean Mellor, well known activist on behalf of the elderly and herself 73 years young, blasted the politicians for "only needing us or caring about us at election time!" She blasted the Board of Supervisors for passing the RAP project for the Tenderloin which she said will not only raise rents but help to evict hundreds and possibly thousands out of the Tenderloin.

Rev. Ray Broshears joined in, calling the politicians nothing but a bunch of "leeches of the taxpayers dollars" and blasting the CETA Program as being too little too late. He with the applause of the elderly, blasted the corruption of the North of Market Senior Center under the direction of Dr. Dennis Stone, MD, and Mark Forrester.

"These people only want to help their own pocket, and they use the elderly as the excuse to do so....Dennis Stone should be ashamed of himself...he is not a doctor.... for he is too busy playing lobbyist and politician...he only plays doctor when the TV cameras or reporters are around!"

Both Mrs. Mellor and Rev. Broshears appealed to the gay community to come to the rescue of the elderly before they are completely done in by the communicians. But, it was a joyous day, religion, socials, foods, gifts, and speeches, all in one day!



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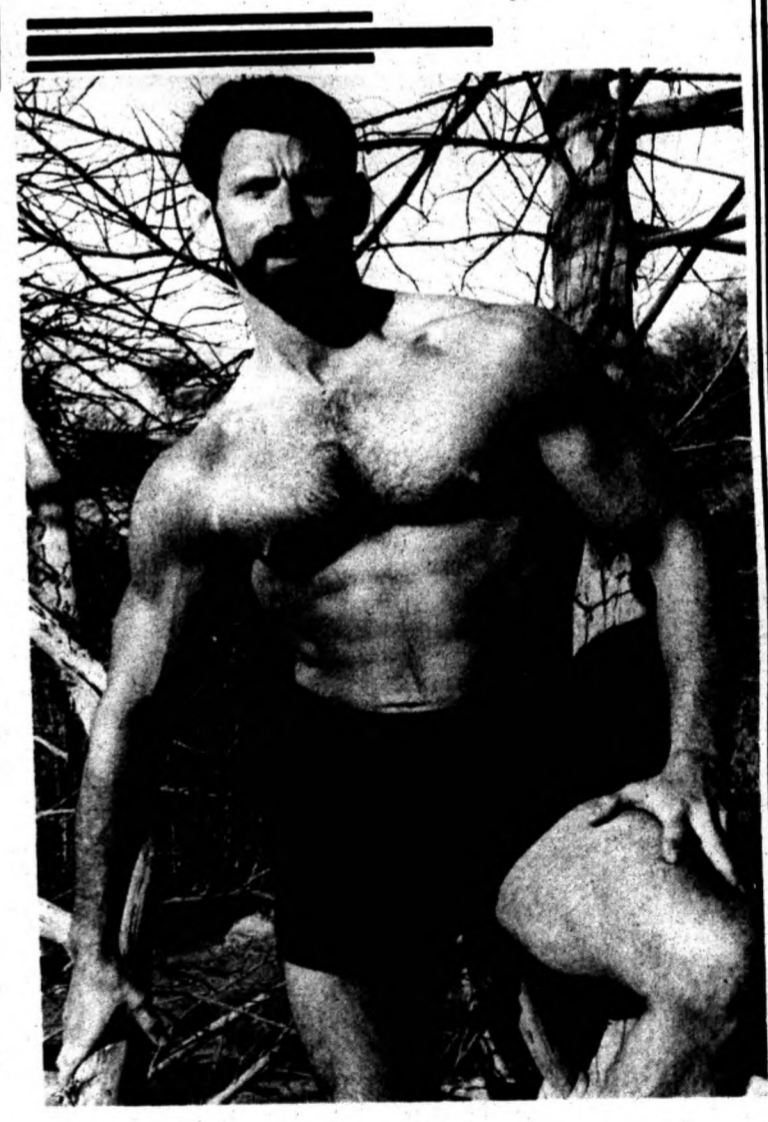
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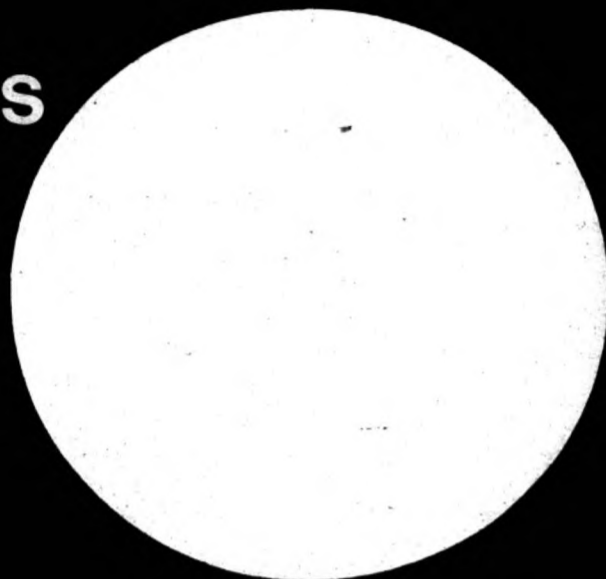


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