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GAY VOTE KAYOS BRITT in 5



Attorney **TERENCE HALLINAN** shown above at the news that is official, he is in the runoff, at his Cafe DuNord victory celebration.

GAYS OBVIOUSLY NOT VERY WILD ABOUT HARRY! MATLOVICH ENDORSES TERENCE "KAYO" HALLINAN FOR FINAL ROUND OF ELECTION BOUT IN 5!

Under-dog Terence Hallinan, famed civil rights activist attorney and anti-war activist pulled it all out in the final two weeks of campaign after polls had shown that he would not make the December 11th runoff, yet, Hallinan who led the balloting most of the evening never below second and held onto a narrow lead over feminist Kay Patchner, winning victory! He and appointed Supervisor Harry Britt will face off in the final election bout December 11. Hallinan, whose pro-gay rights battles down through the years finally paid off, for Hallinan received enough gay votes to enable him to edge the popular Patchner, and that coalition will, most experts believe, carry him into the final victory on December 11th. Former Air Force Sgt. Leonard Matlovich, the only gay to ever make the front page of Time Magazine for his fight against the Air Force to enable him to remain in, and who was a candidate in the election also, has now come over to endorse Terence Hallinan and will work at his side during the run-off campaign. Matlovich told the media that, "Hallinan is undoubtedly the best qualified person for the job." He also stated that he and Hallinan had spent a great deal of time in the race for Supervisor District 5, and that during that time he got to know Hallinan far better than any of the so-called "expert" gay political writers in other publications that had been attacking Hallinan as "anti-gay" in a sick smear job done by the Britt supporters, and that he knows that, "Terence Hallinan is NOT anti-gay and I resent people attacking him on that ground." There is great unhappiness by homosexuals in District 5 and the city with Britt's continual harping that District 5 is a "gay" seat, which is denounced all thinking persons, for that would be the same as saying that District 6 (Carol Ruth Silver's seat) should be a latino-chicano seat, for they are the most visible people in District 6, and likewise in District 3 where Asian people are the most visible people yet an Italian, Molinari holds the spot. as one said, "Should Molinari and Silver give up their seats because they are not Chinese or latinos?" "The gay-seat trip of Britt is just his attempt to stay out of the unemployment line again." Most of the 11% gay votes that Hallinan received in District 5 were a backlash against the Britt gay-seat theory as well as the fact that Britt has been most ineffectual as a Supervisor. As one District 5 resident, a gay man said, "How long can he ride on the coffin of Harvey Milk? It's time he did something on his own without continually referring back to good ole Harvey!" "He is a disgrace when in comparison to Harvey!" Milk had requested Hallinan to be his co-campaign chair for his re-election to which Terence had agreed as he and Harry were good friends and their political philosophy was much closer than Britt's and Milk's. It is hoped that gays in the city and District 5 in particular will reject the "heterophobia" of Britt and company and send them back to private employment where they belong.

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FLASH! Former Mayor Alioto
has endorsed Quentin Kopp.
Toklas endorses Mayor Dianne!



Supervisor Lee Dolson (at the left here) is in deep trouble this run-off against that woman who has the backing of some very surprising people, even Mayor Feinstein's people. Apparently the Mayor has had a falling out with the man who helped her become Mayor of San Francisco back in December of '78. Dolson's people don't feel that he will have any problem but, the insiders believe that Dolson has only a slim hope of winning on December 11th.

Gay Democrats are angry with Governor Brown for having reinstituted the "odd-even" gas rationing program as most feel that it is not needed. Brown used the rationale that the cut off of oil from fascist Iran will bring about another crisis in gasoline. Most experts say he is wrong.

The Stonewall Gay Democratic Club of SF rejected the Mayor at their November 11th meeting. Feinstein received 8 votes and "no endorsement" received 10 votes thus acing the Mayor out. The Club did endorse Bob Gonzales for Supervisor in District 7 in a surprise move. The Club also voted "no endorsement" in District 11. The Stonewall Club is felt to be slightly left of center.

Radical right wingers have taken a strong hold out in District 1 from reports. December 11th will tell the tale.

For those of you who care, the Milk Political Club is NOT a member of the CDC and cannot become so due to their new rule that you don't have to be a Democrat to be a member of the Club. The CDC Convention is coming up the early part of 1980.

BARBARY COAST DEMOCRATIC CLUB MEETING on Sunday November 25th. Members are urged to attend, as Supervisor Kopp has made another of his "promises" to show up. If you are not a member of BCDC and want to become so, use the membership blank on page 6. Or if you wish to be a guest, please call 885-1001 before Nov. 23rd and register with rev. ray for clearance. The meeting will be at Polk and Geary area of town.

Gonzales, our Friend.....!



Incumbent Supervisor Robert Gonzales is the man who wrote and introduced the legislation in 1977 which ended discrimination against gays in housing, employment, etc. His was an all inclusive bill, surpassing the one of the current Mayor that she authored in 1970 and got passed in 1971.

Gonzales's measure was co-authored later by the late Supervisor Harvey Milk, so this measure remains as a tribute to both the late gay Supervisor and Bob Gonzales. Gonzales is one member of the Board of Supervisors who does not hesitate to ask questions on various pieces of legislation. For as many Supervisors almost "rubber stamp" items as they come around, Gonzales will jump up and ask for the floor, and question why the necessity of various types of legislation. He is not afraid to speak out and has always spoken out on behalf of gays.

And the one fine attribute of Bob Gonzales is that he is an independent man and that makes alot of people angry, for he cannot be controlled. He is the one single independent voice on the current Board of Supervisors. Bob seems abrupt to some people, particularly those who like to "play games" for which Bob has no time for. He is truly Bob Gonzales, Supervisor for District 7 and All of San Francisco.

Bob cares about ALL of San Francisco, as well as his own District 7, a District which stretches along the eastern shore of the city from Chinatown to the San Mateo County line and has within its boundaries the problems of the Tenderloin, south of Market, downtown, Bayview and Hunters Point, as well as Potrero Hill. And Bob is the only one to date who has shown that he cares about ALL of the people in this District.

He has two capable administrative aides in Mary Wright, and Larry. Bob Gonzales by his work, his dedication, has shown to many gays that he deserves re-election come December.

Robert Gonzales, lawyer, family man, concerned citizen, and a real San Franciscan, and Supervisor, District 7.

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Trials and Tribulations

The endorsements of the **STONEWALL DEMOCRATIC CLUB** for the December 11th election runoff are:

- Mayor.....no endorsement!
- District Attorney.....ARLO SMITH
- Sheriff.....Mike Hennessey
- Superi Supervisors:
- District 1.....Gordon Lau
- District 5.....Harry Britt
- District 7.....BOB GONZALES
- District 9.....Lee Dolson
- District 11.....NO ENDORSEMENT!

The Stonewall Democratic Club meets the 2nd Sunday of each month. Call 495-7182 for time and place of meetings.

Special Note: To all media persons, the name Stonewall Democratic Club does not mean that our Club was named after Stonewall Jackson.....IT IS NAMED AFTER the Stonewall bar riots on Christopher Street in New York in 1969....thank you!

Bob GONZALES
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YOUR COUNTRY NEEDS YOU MORE THAN EVER IF YOU'RE GAY

There is a poster based on the 1914 Recruiting poster which reads: "Your Country Needs You!" It doesn't indicate that you shouldn't be homosexual, but then it wouldn't, would it? There is no such thing as a "faggot" when "Your Country Needs You" is there.

Homosexuals are part and parcel of every nation, but nobody mentions that fact when the nation (which includes us Homos) is under attack. Neither is that unpalatable fact mentioned when it comes to exacting taxes from us. The artist, Kitchner, would not have appealed directly to Us in his War - posters anymore than the Government would today point out our monetary value to the State.

Yet, We contribute more, per capita, and draw less than the average heterosexual who is married by the time he is thirty and then has two and a half children; or is the average two thirds now? The single man (homosexual or not is ought to be said) contributes much more to the State's coffers than the family man who claim Tax Relief for supporting his wife and children; receives remuneration from the State in form of child allowances, maternity grants and supplementary benefits if it is considered that he isn't earning enough to support his family.

Later he draws further by virtue of State Education; often subsidized milk or school meals and corporation/public housing. Later still often comes state pensions for his spouse or a widows pension when she outlives him. From the moment he marries his woman he continues to draw benefit from the State which is gained from the levy which burden the unmarried.

None of this is to say that homosexuals begrudge one penny spent on the sick, or the elderly, the incompetent or the young. Nor, should the matter be pressed, do we ever hear homosexuals say, "Proportionate representation; let Us pay only for that which we might benefit from." But it does need saying that the vast army of married, child-bearing heterosexuals should acknowledge their debt, the equality that homosexuals have through being FULLY PAID UP MEMBERS of the State.

Of course, all this doesn't mean that the Gay man or woman who only has to provide for his own needs is any worse off than the married man. Even tho with the state handouts the married, family man has less "pocket money" after providing the essentials for his family than does the single man on an equivalent wage. But with the extra money in his pockets the gay man buys more tobacco or booze or cologne or clothes or what have you, which are themselves taxed which makes his contribution to the State even higher. If he doesn't spend it he probably stacks it away in savings and loans (which benefits the married man who seeks a mortgage to buy a house) or pays high rent for non-subsidized property in which to live as he is not eligible for public housing property which is needed for marrieds.

So, willing or not, We homosexuals, are the fiscal creme-de-la-creme of Society. We are the means by which the nation's Books are balanced. We have every reason to be proud of our contribution to the futherance of the Nation even if we don't supply its future population (and there are more than enough to do that, for sure).

We do most certainly contribute to and maintain our Nations present. Why not, equal rights? And to Mr. Robert Barry of the Police Officers Association, "Why not?" And to John Barbagelata, "Why not?" And to Anita Bryant, "Why not?" And to Hadley Rolf, "Why not?" And to Reverend Jerry Farwell, "Why not?" And to Senator John Briggs, "Why not?" And to the Cops for Christ, the Fellowship of "Christian" Peace Officers, "Why not?" And to all of our great Nation, "Why, oh why not now?" We homosexuals pay more than our fair share of taxes, and we do not complain; we homosexuals serve our country, and countless millions support democracy, and we are not allowed to share fully in that democracy; so many tens of thousands of homosexuals have died in wars to protect our wonderful God blessed land, yet, still we are denied equality. If our money, our labor, and our blood is good enough for our nation, why not are equal rights good enough for us? This question we send out to You, middle-America!
Rex Calvert & Rev. Ray Broshears

ENOLA MAXWELL Endorses GONZALES...



ENOLA MAXWELL
"United for progress!"

Gonzales, who seems unable to herald his many accomplishments, taking for granted that people know the many fine things he has done as a member of the Supervisor, is changing tactics in run-off against the Burton puppet, Doris Ward.

The Burtons have one puppet on the Board already in the person of Ella Hill Hutch, and that's one too many most feel. Gonzales has the endorsement of the Barbary Coast Gay Democratic Club, and now has the endorsement of the Gay Voters League for the December 11th election.

WHITE GETS 25 Years For Two Murders

Willie White, a blackman, receives 25 YEARS for the double shotgun slaying of a couple in Hunters Point. Superior Court Judge Claude Perasso handed down the sentence on November 1st. He was found guilty by a jury on September 19th. Former Supervisor Dan White, a WHITE MAN got only 6 YEARS for a double slaying. Many people who were shocked that a white middle class assassin can receive ONLY 6 years, but a poor drug pusher, a black man, gets 25 years. Who says that station and color play no role in the decision making policies of our land. A black White - 25 years!!!!

KOPP ????



....EDITORIAL:
December 11th is a few weeks away, and this person is one that cannot make up his mind and many of you, our faithful, concerned readers share our concerns over what Kopp or Dianne will or will not do. We'll make out decision in three weeks or less. O.K.? Pray on it!! rb

Communist Menace

COMMUNISTS RESPONSIBLE FOR KLAN ATTACK IN NORTH CAROLINA! COMMUNIST GROUPS RE-AFFIRM DEATH FOR HOMOSEXUALS IN AMERICA. The Communist group, the CWP (Communist Workers Party) made these statements clear at a press conference in Greensboro North Carolina on November 8th.

The CWP who believe themselves to be the only "pure" communists in the world, were the ones who organized the march and rally directed at the fascist like, KKK (Klu Klux Klan) in this North Carolina city of Greensboro. The CWP stated they fully expected violence against them by the KKK. Now, after their admitted provocation of the hated KKK, they have five of their members dead. But KKKers who attacked the CWPers, were unaware of the set-up by the CWP and followed "the script" layed down by the CWP and killed members of the communist body

The CWP stated that they hoped the killings would stir America to arms against the KKK and the government itself in a mass revolution. They said that "America has been ripe for revolution for 70 years", and that "violence is the only way to bring communism into power."

Nelson Johnson, a leader of the CWP stated he had killed the rally as a "death to the klan" rally knowing full well that it would provoke the klan to violence. But he refused to say anything else. The CWP does have ties in the bay area, just how many members it is not yet known. But the CWP does not have any homosexuals as a member, for Nelson Johnson told the press that, "The CWP shuns drugs, pornography, and the evils of homosexuality," later stating that the only "cure" for homosexuality was "death". Already in the United States, there are numerous gay communist groups, such as the Revolutionary Socialist League (RSL) which does not support the CWP. In San Francisco, there are numerous homosexuals who are members of various communist organizations and communist front groups. One known gay communist told the Crusader

that the CWP is "sick", but that he and many other gay communists agree that "revolution is the answer to the fascist American government." He went on to rant and rave about the need for a "workers movement" and that gay porno must be halted that is "sexploitative" and that he and other gay communists agree with the CWP on that. But that they think that drugs and in particular "grass" is ok, unlike the CWP who stated that those who use drugs must be imprisoned until they are "cured" and if "cure is impossible they must be exterminated".

The unionization of gay businesses was the strongest point the local gay communist made, and said that "it will be done sooner than any of you expect," but declined anything further to say on the matter.

Whatever, the Communist Menace is America is stronger than at any time in recent history, possibly since the depression era. The Canadian Royal Mounted Police have released a report stating that the Soviet government is spying in Canada and in the United States at a higher rate than at anytime in history. The report also states that most of the turmoil in the central and south American countries is as a direct result of the communist offensive against the United States government and Canada.

The report said that "Canada was being used as a staging site for KGB (Soviet secret police) to come into the United States. And that the number of agents in America (the U.S.) had increased 400% since 1975. The KGB according to the report, is behind several strikes in the United States, particularly in the schools and civil employee strikes.

OPINIONS



VIEWS on the NEWS...

Reverend Raymond Broshears.

Elections come and they go. Few leave us with any real surprises. This past one did, for real, and the runoffs in December promises to be as surprising. Mayor Alioto's endorsement of Supervisor Quentin Kopp for mayor came as a pleasant surprise to all. Mayor Alioto was a fine mayor, a bit of the old time politico in him, and he surely realizes as most of us do, that our city is a city in turmoil and city searching for a leader, and that we are indeed, a city at the crossroads of destiny. The path (vote) we take on December 11th will determine the destiny of our city forever. In the next issue, our endorsements will be made in the office for mayor. Dianne Feinstein was once a good friend to all of us. And deep down I do believe that she still is. In the next issue we shall let

you know if she is still our fair lady or not. She certainly has "paid her dues" as far as our community goes. A lovely and gracious lady who has chosen to "close the door" on those of us who are critical of some of her actions. That is sad... for her, and for all of us who know the really fine person she is.

Daily, as time wears on, we look back in history, and we see that the war in Vietnam, a cruel and horrendous event, staged and escalated by JFK, and ended by Richard Nixon, was a "Camelot" special. The "Camelot" crowd brought us the "butcher" Robert McNamara. And now that old sick "Camelot" crowd wants to bring us a "swim in" with Teddy. I say never! For I never did care for wooden bridges, especially with a Teddy-boy at the wheel. I'll stick with peanuts for safe, at least they don't cause cancer.

Richard Nixon by the way, is looking more and more the statesman that he truly was. History is bearing this out...right T.M.E.?

The apostle Paul said, "Follow me as I follow Him..." I wonder if our example today would lead others to the cross, or to the local gay bar? In our community today, there is a crying need for Him in the lives of so many individuals and so

many do not know how to reach out to Him. It is so easy, for He is just a prayer away. We must all learn a new language from His lips, exchanging bitterness, resentment and unforgiveness for thankfulness, love and a tongue that brings healing to others. We cannot serve two masters. We must cease once and for all acting the slave to our old taskmaster and our old way of life, talking, walking and relating. Our lives must become the book opened and read by all, or our words are empty and hollow. He, Christ is the answer to all our ills, our poverty and our sickness. But to preach the crucified Christ or testify in His most precious name in our community causes much scorn and abuse. But, if we are to be more like Him, we must expect such abuse. We must continue to work for Him, to bring others to Him, that they might know Him as we do and that they might find life eternal as we who have accepted Him as our Lord and Saviour have. Pray for them who wrongly use you or ridicule you, for He is with us and He watches out for us. With Him we need fear no man, for with Him we live forever, for it is in dying that we find life eternal. There is no sacrifice in life to great to make for your fellowman, as He told us. We must make a greater effort now as the holiday season comes upon us to celebrate His birth. So many of our community feel so lost and alone at this time of year and we must pray for them and witness to them of the love of Him and the Father. bless you! rb

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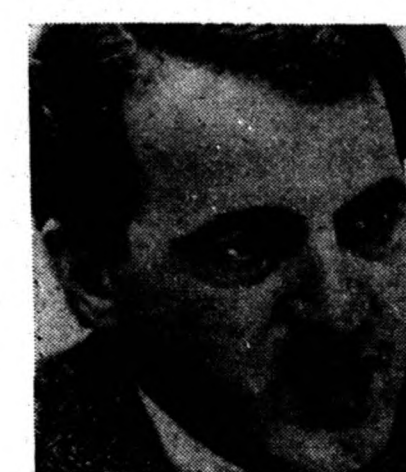
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DUMP FREITAS!



"holy JOE" FREITAS

headquarters on Geary Street. Freitas conned the Board of Supervisors into restricting its investigation in the voter fraud registration process and to the operation of the registrars office - a piece of the puzzle which, in the event, kept us busy enough. "Stoen handled every aspect." With the authority conferred by Freitas, Stoen and his wife ... (also a Temple member) and God knows who else slept in the district attorney's office at night with allnight access to secret official files and days rumaging in the registrars office together with various People's Temple member. If evidence and documentation later turned up to be mysteriously missing, who can be surprised? The Supervisors discovered a systematic pattern of law-breaking in voter registration that was so flagrant that it was breathtaking. It stemmed in part from a radical coalition which included the White Panthers and the Prisoners Union among others, to launch a crash campaign to register voters. The plan originally called for the city to pay 35 cents to deputy registrars for each new person they registered to vote. When then-Mayor Joseph Alioto vetoed this measure, the money to pay the registrars was raised from private sources - in itself a violation of the election laws. Whoever walked through the door was hired to sign up voters. With no account taken of the normal safeguard designed to prevent voter fraud. "We discovered that 112 deputy registrars were aliens not entitled to vote, and yet they were registering others to vote. Another 168 deputy

"If you are the kind of person who thinks that a District Attorney shouldn't forever be under a cloud or evading prosecution by the skin of his teeth, the upcoming election will afford an opportunity to retire our local shame, Joseph Freitas, Jr." "That retirement will do more to remove the blot on San Francisco's name by this slippery politician than anyone else. Before you vote on December 11th, consider the following." Like most politicians with something to hide, Freitas desperately depends on the forgetfulness of the voting public. That is why he is seeking a second term with the support and backing of Mayor Dianne Feinstein, despite a record that would bring a blush to a sex show barker on Broadway. "Remember how it took a great expression of public outrage to get Freitas to reverse his easy-going policy on prostitution." "The voter fraud case was so pervasive and clear cut, that, however reluctantly, Freitas began an investigation in 1976. His hand was forced by the Board of Supervisors, which had served notice that it intended to launch an extraordinary inquiry of its own." Up to this point, the respected Fred Whisman ran the D.A.'s special voter unit. When things started heating up, he (Freitas) yanked Whisman off the case and appointed Timothy Stoen to head the investigation. Do you remember Stoen? Joe Freitas hopes that you don't. Stoen was a fanatical follower of the Rev. Jim Jones, that diabolical figure who led 900 men and women and children to their deaths by cyanide poisoning in the jungles of Guyana. Stoen was high in Jones' inner circle, serving as President of People's Temple. He signed the purchasing deed of the temple

registrar were not eligible to vote themselves, because they were not registered. Furthermore, 25 percent of these deputy registrars from the Coalition, belonged to the Delancey Street, a Synanon spin-off whose legal counsel had been named chief deputy DA (Judge Daniel Weinstein) by Joe Freitas.

The words you have read have come from a former member of the Board of Supervisors. All he said has been documented and is a matter of record. Yet little or nothing has been done about it. This is "holy Joe" Freitas, the DA and his way of doing things! Do you want another 4 years of this crap? Shocked at the words, well, what else can you use when dealing with such a morally bankrupt person. He is obviously devoid of any sense of fairness or justice. His maniacal persecution of persons who are or where his political foes is unparalleled in San Francisco history. In many ways, he is the most dangerous man in our city. His relationship with Rev. Jim Jones of People's Temple, who in a recent KPIX-TV channel 5 telecast, "holy Joe" Freitas referred to as a "great leader" the "kind of person we need to back us up", and he went on and on in his praise of his fellow conspirator Jim Jones. Jones was insanely paranoid, and "holy Joe" Freitas himself seems extremely paranoid at times, in particular when it comes to those persons who have criticized him. One local attorney whom Freitas hates with a passion, was prosecuted for allegedly "bending an auto antenna" of a car parked in his driveway at 3 AM in the morning when the man was asleep. Crazy you say? Well, that is the way

"holy" Joe Freitas has spent your tax dollars. He has spent almost \$200,000 in tax dollars to prosecute three men, homosexuals, for allegedly having masturbated a couple of young boys age 15 and 17. One of the men has already gone free and it appears that the other two will as well. Freitas and Captain Eimil of the Vice Squad have done this to try and squash certain gay political foes to throw fear into them.

"holy Joe" Freitas, a perfect example of what a district attorney should NOT be all about. He has surrounded himself with the greatest collection of cold assistant d.a.s one could find anywhere. Ms. Kathleen Umrine is one of the better examples, as she and her sex prosecutions of homosexuals has reached fever pitch with little or no results as far as "holy Joe" Freitas is concerned. She has failed to gain all the prosecutions that "holy Joe" wanted. She and her sex-prosecuting aide did gain a victory in the case of the operator of male model agency, but did they gain? the public obviously lost and so did the city, one hellava bundle of money on the trial and the results of not having an agency of this type left in the city. SICK! "holy Joe" Freitas hired a Donald Dissler, a gay to gain him the gay vote, and Dissler has failed ... with the help of the "hate list" of law librarian Robert "Bob" Schmidt. Schmidt, Freitas, Dissler, Umrine, all make up the worse d.a.s office in the history of our city. Freitas has lied over and over to the gay community, yet gays such as Jim Foster dot the sponsor list of "holy Joe" Freitas. Do not be deceived, turn his ass out of office Dec.11th!

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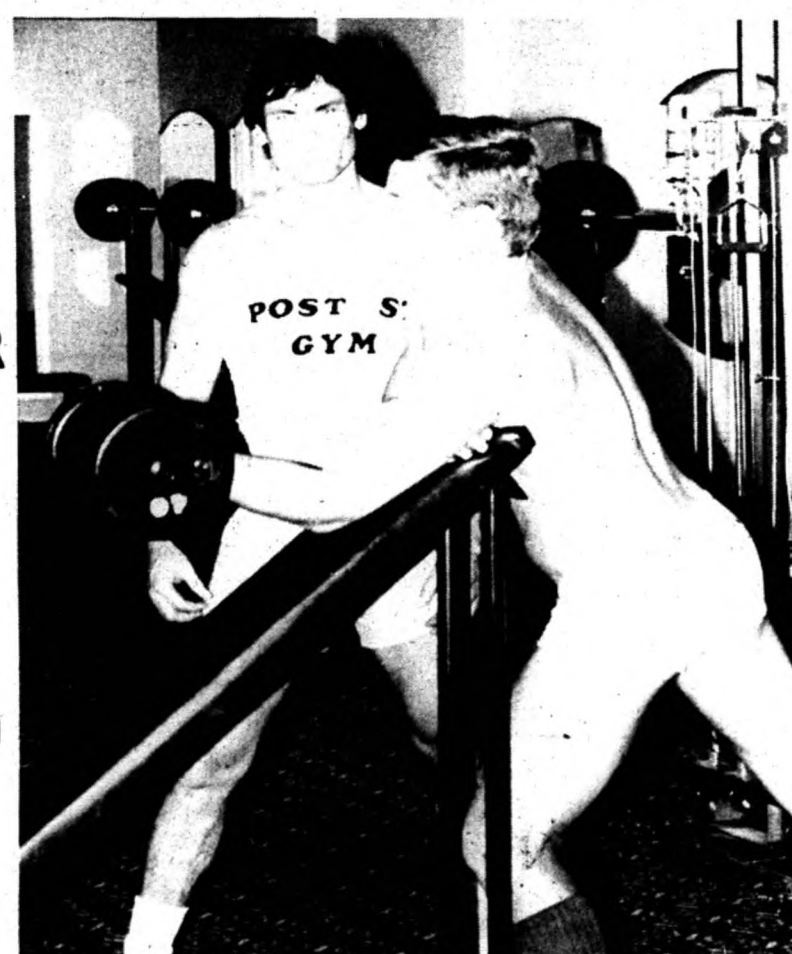
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Above is Craig of Kimo's; center is the 1977 Gay U.S.O. troupe at curtain call; and above is Kimo, the man who helped year in and year out to bring it all off. The lady in the center is Lee Raymond by Santa Claus. rb

GAY U.S.O. SHOW GEARING UP FOR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SHOW FOR VETERANS IN FT. MILEY U.S. VETERANS HOSPITAL.....JOSE, KIMO, CHAR & URGE ALL TO TURN OUT FOR DECEMBER 6th AUCTION TO RAISE FUNDS FOR GIFTS FOR SHOW.

At Kimo's, Pine and Polk Streets, at 8:30 PM on Thursday December 6th, hundreds of people will turn out in a celebrity filled auction to raise funds for the annual Christmas Show at the Veterans Hospital, sponsored by the members of the gay community who contribute their time, talent, and funds to make this annual event the huge success that it is. The Gay U.S.O. Show was began by Help Service of the Christ Chapel - O.E.C.O.G. back in 1972 and is still going this very year. The only holdover from the first year's show (to date) is the fabulous Jose Sarria, who is fabulous and the Veterans just love him.

Last years show will be almost impossible to top, as the supreme Kimo put together such a show that it still has them talking out there. The theme last year was "Christmas in Hawaii", and this years theme will be "Stage Door Canteen" with a world War II nostalgia overtone to it all. Your help is needed in many ways. Contact Kimo for the auction. Contact Ray for the show.

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"WHERE HAVE ALL THE FAG RAGS GONE?"



Sadly and sometimes gladly, we have seen the gay publications come and go. This is an information article to those who may not have known that the publications on the tombstones at the right here, ever existed. Also, it explains the peril of gay publishing today in San Francisco. The evils, the good things, which confront those who try to serve the community in general.

CRUISE NEWS & WORLD REPORT.....
BAR (Bay Area Reporter).....GAZETTE.....
GAY DIGEST.....PEOPLE'S GAY SUNSHINE.....ADZ GAY TIMES.....I AM.....SAN FRANCISCO FORUM.....BAY TIMES.....RIP OFF RAG.....SAN FRANCISCO GAZETTE.....VANGUARD.....HAIGHT-ASHBURY.....KAL-
ENDAR.....& SAN FRANCISCO FREE PRESS.....are all homosexual oriented publications that have bit the dust. Whoops, excuse me!!!!
.....but the BAR is not defunct as yet, but it is one of the older papers, and in terms of existing papers, it is the oldest.
SAN FRANCISCO CRUSADER.....THE SENTINEL.....COMING UP, all are younger than the BAR. The SF Crusader came into being in 1972; the Sentinel in 1974 and the new Coming Up this year.

The BAR has a unique place in the history of the homosexual publication field, as it was the first large publication to be given away free. The defunct Gazette was the second one along with the Gay Digest, but they were seldom ever larger than eight pages. The first real Newspaper to come along was the SF Forum published by Carl Jordan which was in turn funded by Mr. B. The Forum "died" when Jordan was arrested on charges of pimping and pandering in 1972 in the "Great Models Raids" of that year in which dozens and dozens of "models/escorts" were busted.

Following the Forum to life came the Gay Times and the Kalendar and the Kalendar died just two years ago and was an excellent publication. The radical leftist gays have tried their hands in publishing and have faded in the Peo-

ple's Gay Sunshine, the Vanguard, and the Bay Times which began and died last year. The old Gay Sunshine which turned into a literary journal was the "mother" of the one issue People's Gay Sunshine. Winston Leyland destroyed the Gay Sunshine which was an excellent alternative voice in the bay area.

The highly professional SF Gazette lasted only a half dozen or so issues. It had great potential but no real support. Why this bit of Homoicana-by-the-Bay was brought up, is the recent walk-out and "strike" against the third oldest paper the Sentinel. The employees do not want higher wages but they want some truth and honesty from the publisher, Charles Lee Morris, so they say. Morris, who this year, had candidates for office go through an editorial review board, which meant the staff would vote upon their choice for office. But Morris, shelved that and endorsed only the candidates he wanted. In fact he did not even invite the Mayor to the review board. She was brought anyhow by Duke Smith, who is one of those who walked out.

This situation is a "first" in the gay pressera and could have far reaching repercussions in the other publications. Obviously the BAR and Sentinel have banded together to try and halt any type of union or organizing by any of their staffs and writers and this too, could have a most negative effect upon the entire non-union gay business community of our city, for once that union ball gets rolling it could smash the gay bar and restaurant scene and the exploitative bath house employee scene. The hand-writing is on the wall....maybe, someone will bother to read it at the BAR and the Sentinel. But us "little guys" don't have to worry...do we?!!

NEWS CLOSE UPS

SAN FRANCISCO: YOUTH GANG ATTACKS GAY TEENER.....A 17 year old gay who says that he is a transsexual is reported to have been savagely beaten in the early morning hours and left near City College to bleed by four youths in a white van whom he said lives on Courtland Avenue in Bernal Heights. Tony Campos claims he was beaten, teeth broken by members of what he called, "The Lords".

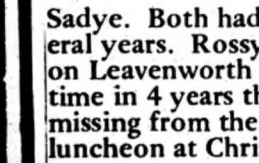
HAYWARD: TWO MEN FOUND SLAIN.....Richard Avant, 25 and Joseph Hines, 31, were both shot to death, gangland style. In addition to the death dealing shots to the chest area, they were both shot in the head which indicates the killer(s) what was to be done professionally. The two memwere member of a motorcycle club and their blood splattered bodies were found by a third room mate, Louis Alfaro, 34, when he came home in the early a.m. Police said that there were no signs of forced entry, meaning that the dead men quite possibly knew their slayer(s). This was on November 1st.

SAN FRANCISCO: TWELVE ARRESTED IN CASTRO HALLOWEEN FRACAS.....A window or two was knocked in my punks, one being the window of the Village Bar, and one man was badly stabbed by punks and twelve were arrested on Halloween night in the Castro. The presence of several hundred police was the deciding factor in a less violent event on Castro this year. Polk Street this year was almost incident free, as the Polk Street Merchants Association and the Polk Valley Improvement Association had been lobbying for months to bring in enough men to keep the street open with force if necessary. The SFPD did so this year, quite willingly, unlike last year when the late Supervisor Milk who lived in the Castro insisted on Polk being closed to traffic. The violence last year on Polk was horrendous, thanks to the heterosexual punks.

SAN FRANCISCO: OLDER GAYS DENIED ADMITTANCE TO NEW BATH HOUSE.....Don

O'Brien and Melvin Gray were but two of the two dozen and possibly more, older gay men who have been denied a membership in the PUBLIC Bath House, the Bull Dog Baths, 132 Turk Street. In past years, several younger gay activists had picketed the Club Baths on 8th street for less than this, but as of now what actions to be taken have not yet been decided. O'Brien spoke with Central Station Officer Ray West concerning the discrimination, as he did with the Crusader. West indicated that this could be a violation of their conditional bath house permit. Both have been requested to file civil rights lawsuits against the bath house. Any others who believe they have been discriminated against because they are either "old", too heavy, or "not cosmetically acceptable" to the exploitative standards of the Bulldog Baths, are urged to contact the Crusader at 885-1001 so that we might prepare a full report on discrimination by gays against gays in the next issue.

SAN FRANCISCO: OLD FRIEND PASSES AWAY. Sadye Sirbu passed over this past month. She was a longtime fixture at the Christ Chapel "Senior Luncheons" at 26 - 7th Street, and was dearly loved by all gays who knew her. She is survived by her sister Rosslyn Adler who attended the luncheons with her sister



Sadye. Both had lived in the Tenderloin for several years. Rosslyn still lives at the senior hotel on Leavenworth off Turk. This will be the first time in 4 years that Sadye's cheery smile will be missing from the annual Tenderloin Thanksgiving luncheon at Christ Chapel's "Help Services".

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Carl Driver's FOLLOW SPOT

"GIGGLES GALORE".....continued from page 9
.....as a prototype housekeeper, David DeLange
spectacular as a cold blooded-and-hearted Mon-
signor, and two witnesses, vastly different, ex-
cept in their individual excellence, Rebecca Stoc
kley and Susan Ulan.

Steve Dobbins who both directed and de-
signed the unit deserves plaudits for the latter
while Jill Neff's costumes nicely evoke the 1911
period play.

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SHOWCASE FOR ACTORS.....

"Love, Lust & Laughter", at the One Act's
Showcase Theatre, 430 Mason Street, call 421-
6162 for info, Fri & Sat at 11:30 PM, tickets
\$4.00

A collection of seven movie scenes varying
in length spotlighting the talents of more than
a dozen young and/or rising stars/actors and ac-
tresses. Although the quality of most scenes and
acting is high, their brevity and numbers makes
an episodic evening unavoidable with the result
that its appeal would seem to be limited to mem-
bers of the acting profession.....which is not a
put down, since the basic purpose of a showcase
is to be seen by others in the "industry" and not
commercial success.

My favorites were Pauline LaGrande as
the alcoholic "Gingerbread Lady" and Thomas
Elkjer in "Sexual Perversity In Chicago" both of
whom nicely created very believable characters
who were individuals rather than stereotypes.....
no mean accomplishment in a five to ten min-
ute excerpt.

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OPENINGS COMING UP.....

Nov. 13th, "An Evening With Quentin Crisp"
at the Marines Memorial thru Nov. 18 ONLY!
The author of "The Naked Civil Servant" tales
about his life and survival in an anti-gay England
throughout most of this century. 673-6440 for
info.

Nov. 15th, "A Life In The Theatre", by David
Mamet, opens California Actors Theatre's new
season in Redwood City (thru Nov. 18) (then in
Los Gatos thru Dec. 9) A warm and humorous
look at the "vanities and uncertainties" of the
acting profession. 367-0333 for info.

Nov. 15th, "Midnight" starring Andre DeShields
Broadway star of "The Wiz" and "Ain't Misbeha-
vin'" LIMITED RUN, at the Alcazar, 775-
7100 for info. Nationally acclaimed song and
dance revue.

Nov. 17, "Macbeth" at the Julian, 647-8098 for
info. Shakespeare's stark drama about "vaulting
ambition which O'erlays itself" stars Leo Dow-
ney and Brenda Reineccus.

November 20th, "The Little Foxes" in rep at the
ACT, 673-6440 for info. Lillian Hellman's pow-
erful family drama about one of the great bitch-
es of all time.

Nov. 27, "The Kingfisher" at the Curran, 673-
1040 for info, offers super stars CLAUDETTE
COLBERT and Rex Harrison in a warm and wit-
ty comedy.

Nov. 27, "Dirty Linen" and "New-Found-Land"
two one acts by Britisher Tom Stoppard at the

"Sexual hi-jinks in the stuffy world of the Eng-
lish Parliament" plus "a hilarious travel monolo-
gue on America."

Nov. 28, "Timbuktu" at the Orpheum, starring
the incomparable, Eartha Kitt, 552-4002 for in-
fo. A lavish and opulent musical based on "Kis-
met" (the music of Borodin). Looks to be in the
Not-to-be-missed category!

Dec. 3, "A Christmas Carol", in rep at ACT, the
annual revival of their wonderful production of
the Dickens classic. 673-6440 for info.

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ADDENDUM.....

It seems strange to be writing about Christ-
mas entertainment with both Halloween and the
election so recently passed but so much is coming
so soon, it becomes necessary.

The holiday season in San Francisco wouldn't
be nearly as festive without the Ballet's annual
production of "The Nutcracker". Tickets are
now on sale for the 26 performances between
Dec. 13 and 30th with prices as low as \$3.00 for
each performance BUT they sell out early so or-
der immediately! 431-1210 for info.

A newer tradition but no less enjoyable is
ACT's annual Christmas Carol (see Openings Com-
ing Up, this column.)

Another long running tradition, the Morri-
son Planetarium's 26th Annual Christmas Sky
Show which opens Nov. 30 and runs thru Jan. 6
in the California Academy of Sciences, Golden
Gate Park. 221-4214 for info.

For pure pleasure, little recommends itself
as hastily as the Annual Ghirardelli Christmas
Lighting. The towering 50 foot tree will be first
lite, in the West Plaza, at 7 PM on Nov. 23rd
with the San Francisco Girl's Chorus as well as
the San Francisco Chorus Boys Bell Ringers both
performing. No charge for this, but plan to get
there early as undoubtedly it will be crowded....
deservedly so.

And then there's the Dickens Christmas Fair
at Fort Mason, Pier 3, 981-8497 for info. It offers
the "streets" shops and theatres of Victorian
London.....and offers sing-a-longs, dances, and a
riotous good time. Costumes are encouraged and
the first weekend offers a dollar off on entry
price if ordered by mail. Should be FUN!

And, quite a ways in the future, but needing
to be thought about now because the choicest
seats sell out so quickly is the upcoming San
Francisco Ballet Season (January 15th thru May
18th). Comprising seven separate programs
offering among other delights four world premi-
eres the expensive orchestra seats (\$112.00 for
all seven) are mostly sold out while the cheapest
balcony seats seem to be still available, (\$21.00
for the seven) as well as the medium seats, nine
to twelve dollars per. There are many series selec-
tions, including one of the 4 Sunday evenings and
while only mail orders are being taken at this
time, information may be obtained by calling
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1/2* - not recommended * adequate theatre, appeals mainly to specific groups
** - good points outweigh bad *** - highly recommended, very good
**** - superb, don't miss!



A JOY TO CATCH.....

"HAY FEVER" by Noel Coward, at A.C.T.
in re., 673-5440 for info, tickets at \$4.50 to
\$12.00

Although a revival of last season's smash
hit, this production sparkles even more bright-
ly with some minor cast changes and is a
thorough going delight!, from start to finish.
The play concerns a talented but eccentric
English family, actress mother, writer father,
artist son, bored daughter and guests each
(unbeknownst to the others) has invited for a
weekend. The plot is almost non-existent;
the guests arrive, are ill treated and leave....
sums it up, but oh, the shenanigans that go
on!.....pure entertainment.

What could easily be nothing more
than a pleasing but somewhat dated light
comedy becomes a memorable, laugh-filled
evening thanks to the superb ensemble play-
ing of the cast who manage to make outrage-
ous situations merely outrageously funny.
Marian Walters, Daniel Davis and Mark Mur-
phy are standouts but only just barely, so
fine is everyone else while Nagle Jackson's
direction is first rate, the set (Ralph Funi-
cello) great and Robert Morgan's costumes
alone worth the price of admission.
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED! * * *

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STRONG PRISON PLAY

"Children of Darkness", at the Berkeley Rep
Tues-Sat., at 8, Sun at 2 & 7, tickets \$4.00
to \$9.00, call 845-4700 for info.

A strong play that is fast paced but with
an unexpected (unbelievable?) happy ending.
"Children" is a look at life in London's Newgate
Prison in 1725. The play was written 50 years ago
but is based on a political satire of the times by Tom
Jones' author Henry Fielding, and, in this produc-
tion, offers somewhat the same bawdy atmosphere
as did that movie. It concerns the keeper of the
prison, an unmitigated rogue and obviously as much
a criminal as any of his inmates, played with vivid
enjoyment by Charles Dean, his daughter (Jahna
Beechman, weakest in the cast due to believability
...) and four prisoners (all desirous of the daughter
and all having, or having had, her). Dale Elliott in a
beautifully bravado performance as THE arch cri-
minal, Paul Laramore - filled with subtle evil as
a noble rascal, Mark Geiger - a proper sheep-among-
wolves, as an innocent poet and lover framed for
bad debts and, superb in a cameo role, Don West.....
as the haughtiest nobleman; imaginable who openly
murdered his wife for infidelity.

Michael Leibert's direction is crisp and fast
paced, Merrily Ann Murray's costumes are im-
mensely believable, period but so grubby and tattered
as to be almost but not quite, caricatures, while
Noel Uzemack uses an almost minimum set to accu-
rately capture the feeling if not the look of a no-
torious prison.
WELL RECOMMENDED! * * 1/2

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A GREAT IDEA WELL DONE

"Two By Two", musical by Richard Rodgers and
Martin Charnin based on "The Flowering Peach" by
Clifford Odets, at Intersection Theatre, Union above
Powell Street, Thurs - Sat at 8, Sun at 2, thru Nov.
18, all tickets at \$5.00, call 885-2539 for info.

Producer/Director Michael Pulizzano and
group have come up with from here seems like a
truly fine idea: presenting (necessarily inexpensive)
productions of Broadway musicals whose titles are
well known but which were not commercial success-
es. In small communities it is often necessary to re-
ly on the built-in drawing power of "My Fair Lady"
or "South Pacific" but in San Francisco, with its
self-boastful more sophisticated theatre audiences,
this unique chance to see shows not otherwise likely
to be produced is both appreciated and deserves
support. (Following this production, "She Loves
Me" will play the same theatre, Dec 5-30 and "Any-
one Can Whistle" will run Jan 16 - 31).

Intersection is not a plush nor attractive thea-
tre, in fact quite the opposite; there is no set other
than a couple of saw horses and a folded up step



"Timbuktu!" with Eartha Kitt (above) which is based upon the hit
musical "Kismet" opens November 28th at the Orpheum Theatre.

ladder which looks rather as if some workman had
gone off for lunch before starting a much needed
paint job; the program announces there will be no
intermission, which always annoys me AND the
night I saw it, the show was fifteen minutes late
going up. Individually none of these may be im-
portant but collectively they had me in a mood
that was hardly likely to make me enthusiastic.
YES within fifteen minutes I was both captivated
and enthralled, charmed by the cast, especially
Larry Fisher as Noah, and Anthony Abbriano and
Michael Sicilia as his two younger sons.
This humorous retelling of the story of Noah and
The Flood lacks memorable music but is, never-
theless, intensely interesting and enjoyable offer-
ing some fine voices, especially Sheila Ann Hol-
mes as an exceedingly eye catching "Gentile", a
simple but scintillating production number,
"When It Dries" choreographed by Abbriano and
is unhesitatingly
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED! * * *

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ATMOSPHERIC DELIGHT

"Berling 1932", at the Chez Jacques, California
& Hyde, Wed & Thurs @ 8, \$3.00 cover charge, no
minimum, 775-7574 for info.

This revue wonderfully captures the feeling of
hopelessness and decadence so prevalent in Berlin
in the days before Hitler's rise to supreme power.
Conceived and written by Kenneth Vega it is al-
most too fast paced, the songs following each oth-
er so quickly that often there is no time to applau-
d; and where as a story line is not necessary or
even usual in a revue, in this case a more clearly
underlined continuing theme would help hold
the audience's interest constantly rather than only
during the better numbers.

Using not only the music of Weill and Brecht
but also Coward, Porter, Ker, Rodgers and a half
dozen more, the show plays up the sexual aberra-
tions, so free in Berlin during those days, with
often brutal honesty. Whores, pimps, drag queens
flagellators are presented as the norm with the
ever present reminder that without us (the audien-
ce) they wouldn't be in business.

Outstanding star of the show is Jae Ross
whose seemingly rubber jointed body and wonder-
fully expressive eyes AND eyebrows keep it rac-
ing along as a participating master of ceremonies.
Sandi Weldon as Helga the Fox is constantly eye-
catching and brings the house down during a fab-
ulous rendition of "Laziest Girl in Town".

Larry Lee as a Communist-leaning street poet
does a great "Lili Marlene" filled with the
heartrending hopelessness of a soldier who
has nothing to look forward to but death.....
an unusual but extremely interesting inter-
pretation. Dani Odom as a "Soubrette" and
Amy Ryder as "the Tigress" provide nice
contrast and the entire ensemble plays ex-
tremely well together thanks to John Weldon
and his astute direction.
WELL RECOMMENDED! * * 1/2

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MORE OF THE SAME

"T-Shirts" and "My Cup Runneth Over" by
Theatre Rhinoceros at the Goodman Bldg.,
Geary between Vane Ness & Franklin, Thurs-
Sat at 8:30, tickets \$4.00 & \$5.00, call 626-
1921 (noon til six ONLY for info).

One of the pitfalls of an amateur rep-
ertory company, group or collective is that
too often its members become locked into a
style or type with the results that every pro-
duction or part tends to be much too remin-
iscent of what's been done before. An added
factor in Theatre Rhinoceros' case is that
these one acts are the third consecutive pro-
duction by the same author, Robert Patrick,
whose major claim to fame seems to quanti-
fy rather than quality.

Then too, this group has somewhat ir-
ratically becoming a victim of its own success.
A year ago it was a struggling company, try-
ing hard but with only limited success; then
all of a sudden burst forth with successive
hits, especially "West Street Gang" and Rich-
mond Jim", both far superior productions to
any done before. So great was the improv-
ment that one expects, perhaps unfairly, contin-
ued growth and tends to be disappointed if they
merely maintain a level which six months ago
seemed praiseworthy.

"My Cup Runneth Over" offers Lupo Kau-
meheiva, who ALWAYS looks on stage as if
she smells something exceedingly unpleasant,
as an unpublished writer and Priscilla Huddles-
ton as a pop street singer who suddenly hits it
big and the result it has on them both as indi-
viduals and on their longstanding relationship;

"T-Shirts" is more a vignette than a play, a
somewhat interesting character study of a phys-
ically unattractive but enormously successful
playwright, Martin Xero, who bemoans he can
buy sex but not love. Since he is so patently
unlovable, and not merely physically.....as a
matter of fact Xero is not nearly unattractive
enough for the part.....one has little sympathy
for him. The highlight of the evening, at least
for those who enjoy seeing skin (and who does
not?) is getting a full look at beautiful body
David Van Pelt.

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GIGGLES GALORE

"The Runner Stumbles" by San Francisco Act-
ors Ensemble, 2940 - 16th Street (1 block off
Mission), Fri & Sat at 8, Sun at 3, thru Dec. 9,
tickets \$4.00 & \$3.00 or PAS Voucher, call
861-9015 for info.

Part mystery play (is he guilty or not),
part courtroom drama, and somewhat heavily
loaded with Catholic theology, this slow mov-
ing wordy play takes up the trial of an ex-Priest
accused of murdering a nun, with whom he is
thought to have had an affair with AND the
events leading up to her death. The play's stre-
ngth lies in psychological depths to which the
man's tortured mind is probed but is weakened
in this production by Kent Meriault's charac-
terization of the part; so plodding that one nei-
ther believes nor empathizes with him.
Conversely, Jane Darby as the nun so incessan-
tly giggles during the delivery of about 90% of
her lines that one wondered if it was uncon-
scious opening night nerves or an ill conceived
attempt to show a sunny disposition; if the lat-
ter is failed, coming across merely as giddy.

The production is saved by the excellence
of the smaller roles; particularly Patricia Parker
(continued on page 8...)

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A LETTER FROM ALEXANDER SOLZHENITSYN.....
The Russian Church expresses its concern about any evil in distant Asia or Africa. It never has anything at all to say about the things which are happening or wrong here at home (Russia). Seven years have passed since two honest priests confirmed by their own sacrificial example that the pure flame of the Christian faith had not been snuffed out in our land.

The fearless archbishop, Ermo-gen of Kaluga is still in prison, exiled in his monastery-prison because he would not allow his churches to be closed or his icons and books to be burned, in a belated burst of rage, by that atheism which succeeded in destroying so much in other dioceses. The northern regions of our country, the age-long repository of the Russian spirit, are now completely without churches. The Gospel is nowhere to be obtained in our country, so that copies of it have to be brought to us from abroad, as missionaries once took them to Siberia.

Seven years have passed, and the whole administration of the "Church" is still conducted secretly by the "Council for Religious Affairs", including the appointment of "pastors" and "bishops". The Church is ruled dictatorially by atheists—a sight never before seen in two millennia! The whole of the Church's property and the use of Church funds—the mites contributed by pious finger—is under their control. Five million rubles at a time are donated to outside funds with grandiloquent gestures, while beggars are thrown off the church porch on their necks and there is nothing with which to repair a leaking roof.

Itinerant Russian Orthodox bishop Vinogradov has an assignment to impress tourists of "religious freedom" in Russia. Vinogradov was stationed in East Berlin as a high secret police (KGB) official in the late thirties. Now he continues to work for the KGB informing on his parishioners.

Priests have no rights in their own parishes, only the act of worship is entrusted to them for the time being, so long as they do not go outside the church for it. They have to ask permission of the town council if they want to visit a sick person or enter the churchyard. In these days, as you go down on your knees before the cross, ask the Lord what other purposes but sacrifice can there be in your service to your people, who have almost lost their Christian countenance and even the spirit of the faith?

Alexander Solzhenitsyn

(This letter is taken from "Jesus To The Communist World, Inc.", P.O. Box 11, Glendale, Calif. 91209)
Alexanders' letter was originally to one of the so-called Patriarch of All Russia, Pimen...who was appointed to his job by the communist central committee. We ask our readers in the Crusader to NOT be duped by the Communist propaganda that tells of glorious freedom etc., in Russia. Communism is the enemy of free people everywhere. America is in the gravest of dangers of falling socialism/communism. It is only a step away. We do urge all thinking persons who read the CRUSADER to purge from their lives and from the government all who advocate communism. Their cannot be detente with the communists, their only goal is the violent overthrow of the American government which is YOU! YOU are in danger, right now. If you think you don't enjoy liberation or freedom now...just wait and let the communists take over the American government and see how much freedom of speech, freedom of the press, and freedom to do what you want to do, to enjoy different lifestyles...for these things do NOT EXIST in any communist country and that is what will cease to exist here. Communism is your enemy, oppose it at every turn, for your sake!

"LIFE OF BRIAN" SICK

MONTY PYTHON FILM APPEALS TO THOSE WHO ARE "SICK" OR "AFRAID" OF GOD.....

When a person or a people are afraid of something, they usually try and ridicule that "something", and in the case of the British film maker, Monty Python, his film, "The Life of Brian" depicts the inner feeling of Python who is obviously a very sick man appealing to those persons who hold the same fears that he holds causing the sickness. Christ Jesus is no one to fear, for Christ liberates and He loves all who "do unto others as they would have others do unto them" and who "believe in the Lord Jesus Christ". The atheists are having a field day with the "Life of Brian" which is supposed to be a parody of the Life of Christ Jesus. This is "sick"! There is nothing to describe it, but sick!

The "Supporting Members of the Interfaith Committee Against Blasphemy" have held demonstrations in San Francisco against the film. While the demonstrators are in their legal right to do so, any effort to halt the showing of the film would be an insult to Christ, many feel, for it is generally felt amongst many clergy, that a boycott of the film, plus informational leafleting of the theatres in which the film is playing and also alot of prayer, is more than enough.

Freedom of speech is what our nation is all about. And for any group to try and halt it, is wrong. Christ was never afraid of what people had to say for He showed with His great love and compassion, the ability to overcome all with His love and that is what all Christ followers must do in the case such a sick film as the "Life of Brian". A letter to us from Sister Ruth Verostek of Richmond states: "Dear Friends and Clergy: 'Life of Brian', the ugly new parody about Jesus, is now showing at theaters and drive-ins throughout the country. Warner Bros/Orion Pictures are distributing the picture. It is to be shown in SF soon.

Written, performed and directed by Monty Python, a British "comedy" group, this highly-offensive attack upon Jesus Christ, Christianity, Jews, Catholics, and religion in general, is now being seen by millions in America. It was first titled, "Jesus Christ, Lust for Glory", but somehow Christian concern and opposition was able to keep the film from distribution under that title. The name changed when Warner Brothers/Orion Pictures took over the distribution of the film.

Why am I writing this letter? To strongly urge you to boycott this offensive, blatantly blasphemous film "Life of Brian" when it is shown in any theater or drive in, and to use your Christian concern and influence to keep your relatives, friends, acquaintances and congregations from going to see this not funny film.

It is not too late to get this off the screens in our communities if we stay away from the theatres showing it, because "money counts". Let your voice of protest be heard by a boycott of "Life of Brian".
Respectfully in Christian love,
Mrs. Ruth Verostek

As the editor of the CRUSADER put it when we asked him about such a film, best sums up this writers' opinion of such a film: "The film is a crude and rude mockery, in colossal bad taste, a profane parody and grossly offensive to all who accept Christ Jesus as Lord and Saviour. It is equally offensive to those who believe that religious faith should not be ridiculed, scoffed at, or demeaned by overt and perverse sacrilege. 'What is happening is a world where nothing is sacred anymore?'"

In Memory...

JULES STEIN
Recently passed away. Jules was a former member of the Society for Individual Rights.



"HOLY" ORDER OF MARY.....???

Lloyd Eisler, aka: "Father Wheelie" aka:Lloyd Gaylord, who operates a group called the "Holy Order of Mary" at 25 Apollo Street, was denied a permit for solicitations by the San Francisco Police Department Permit Bureau as they did not have 501 (c) 3 IRS Exemption. Eisler and his associates Father Frank Meyer age 19 and Tom Scott of the ULC were and possibly still are doing illegal telephone solicitation for "gays in prison" in Oregon.



"EX" COMMUNICATION.....

A Straight "heterosexual" young man makes friends with a gay who has accepted Christ. Torn by his natural aversion towards homosexuality and his love for his friend, God's love wins out and they become close friends. The gay friend becomes part of an ex-gay ran group, and invites his friend.

But the straight friend's conflicts intensify, because the things he hears and sees in the group confuse him. He tries to share some things from his own life to encourage those in the group, but he can tell by the faces what some are thinking. He doesn't know really know, what it's like to be gay! After the meeting he drifts from clique to clique trying to join in. He's offended by what he hears for much of it is tainted with insinuation and sexually slanted references to their pasts, biting comments about others. He's considered a bit holier than thou, but he's cute, so he's tolerated. He is sensitive, vulnerable, with his own need to be accepted.

He lets a few walls down to be part of the gang...he camps it up a bit, which they love. He becomes more understanding and accepting....not just of homosexuals, but of homosexuality itself. The friend learns his gay friend is deeply emotionally and physically attracted to him. At first he resists...but he's already vulnerable and he finally gives in....out of curiosity, and a need to be loved. A year later the straight friend has become an alcoholic and gay. What happened??!!

This story is a compilation of certain events and observations over the course of time. IT IS NOT representative of most ex-gay groups....but even these fragmentary incidences speak to me of a need to address the need for those who claim maturity in Christ and freedom from a gay background to face up with and deal with some difficult attitude and social failures in presenting our message, making some sober strides to become holy vessels of His love in this last hour.

Homosexuality in my opinion is deeply self-centered, and personal needs and desires are usually almighty. I don't condemn this, because when severe needs are not met, those needs inevitably control, consume. For this reason we must care for new lambs-breaking away from the night life with tender affection and long-suffering, and God help us if we do not, for to whom much has been given, much shall be required. Mature people don't have baby bottles hanging from their lips and I've watched some rap groups become en-masse bottle feeding sessions. You may have reason to be bitter resentful, hateful, or unforgiving, but as a Christian you have no excuse or right to do anything but to nail these things mercilessly on His cross. We may cry because parents, the church, Aaita or whoever, don't seem to meet our expectations. But if we want them to, we must care and understand ourselves, and triply so. We cannot expect acceptance, if we do not accept. An all or nothing, "do it my way or forget it" approach bespeaks our lack of love.

Remember the parable? The man owed so much to his master, and his master, ready to throw him into prison, was moved by the pleas of mercy by his debtor, that he let him go, fully forgiven. (Too bad current creditors can't be similarly swayed!) But what did he do? mercifully throttled the man who owed HIM something. Can you believe that!???? I can.....we do it everyday by trampling God's forgiveness for us underfoot and then throttling all those who have injured us without even a strain of grace. If we want to make an impact on the church we must live exemplary lives. This isn't legalistic, it's just knowing human nature, which looks for any excuse at all not to believe the truth, and we can't afford to provide that excuse with our actions. Paul said, "Giving no offense, that the ministry be not blamed...." and again, "Shun every appearance of evil."

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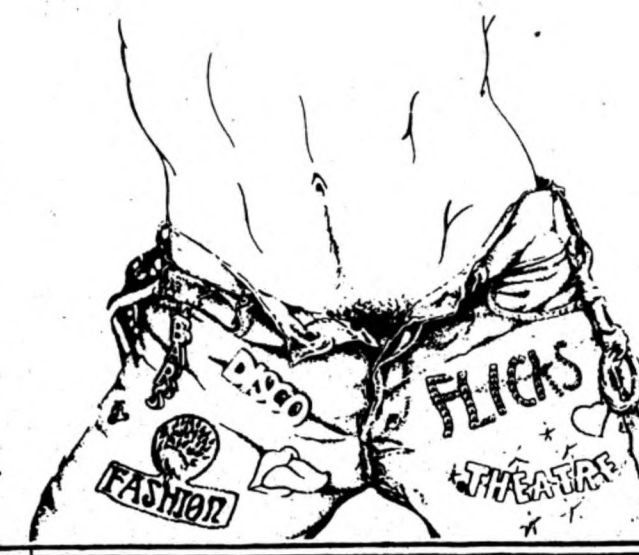
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FOOT PRINTS

One night a man dreamed he was walking along the beach with the Lord. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed 2 sets of footprints... one that belonged to him, the other belonging to the Lord. When the last scene passed, he looked back and noticed that many times along the path that there was only one set of footprints in the sand. He also happened to notice that this happened during the lowest and saddest times of his life. This really bothered him.

He questioned the Lord, "Lord, You said once I decided to follow You, You would walk all the way, but I noticed during the most troubled times of my life, there was only one set of footprints. I don't understand why, when I needed You the most, You deserted me."

The Lord answered, "My precious, precious child, I love you and would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

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by rev. edna mae smith

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Howdy good buddies, this is one of the NIGHT RIDERS and we want to begin by wishing all the hot people at the RAMROD a very Happy 12th Anniversary and wishing them many more. The celebration is going on right now, Nov. 13, 14, & 15th with three wild nights of fun, parties, frolicking, door prizes, and guest bartenders from all over the town. Just a few of the many fine bikers, Levi folk who helped the RAMROD have a good one, was, DEAN of the BRIG..... Tacky Ruth of the Stallion; Mama Billy of the Wild Goose; Reba of Queen Mary's Pub, TERRY of the ARENA along with JIM from that same spot; DICK of the CINCH; DOUG of BEAR HOLLOW (hot man!); STARK of the White Swallow; Daryl of the White Swallow also; KENNY MORGAN of the PENDULUM (he's still around and doing one fine job); JACK & BILLY of the AMBUSH; DARRYL of FEBE's; TONY of the Rainbow Cattle Company; TOSH of the EAGLE Creek Saloon; STEVE of the FICKLE FOX, and MARCUS is the host tonite (Nov. 14th) along with KIM and

JOANNE right from the RAMROD itself. Hot time in a hot south of Market spot. Oh yes, before I forget it, PETER CAPUTO of the Arena was tending bar at the RAMROD as well.

.....The STABLES opened and closed in one day.

.....CHAINS is no longer a disco so we hear tell!!

.....The SLOT is still alive and very well and you have to give it a stop in some time. Lotsa hot bikers there.

.....The CMC CARNIVAL was the best ever. There were men and I do mean men, than Carter has peanuts at the packed hall. Enough leather in that place to have clothed a herd of cattle.

.....Went by the 527 CLUB for Brunch last Sunday and found that things are better than ever. Found a rugged man with a rock body for desert afterwards!

.....The 1st Anniversary party of THE TRENCH was a big success with lotta familiar faces and cocks all over the place. Hit the place on Uniform Nite, Wednesdays and you'll find something that you're looking for.

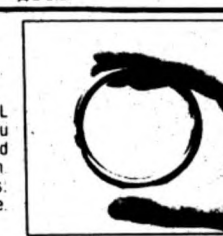
.....A couple of EXCELLENT films at the NOB HILL CINEMA, especially DRIVE. The other one which is all new and with all hot men is FIRE ISLAND FEVER and contrary to what you read in "that other rag" it is a dynamite duo of films for MEN ONLY, for the sissy boys can't stand films like that, so all you macho studs get your tight asses up the 729 Bush and take a gander at a couple of films that will turn you on and wear you OUT!

.....Watch for the masculine OIL RIGGERS BALL to hit town this spring for those who are MACHO and who are into IT! Hear tell that DAVID KLOSS who won as Mr. Leather International will be putting it all together. Good luck and everybody get ready, for "there HE blows!"

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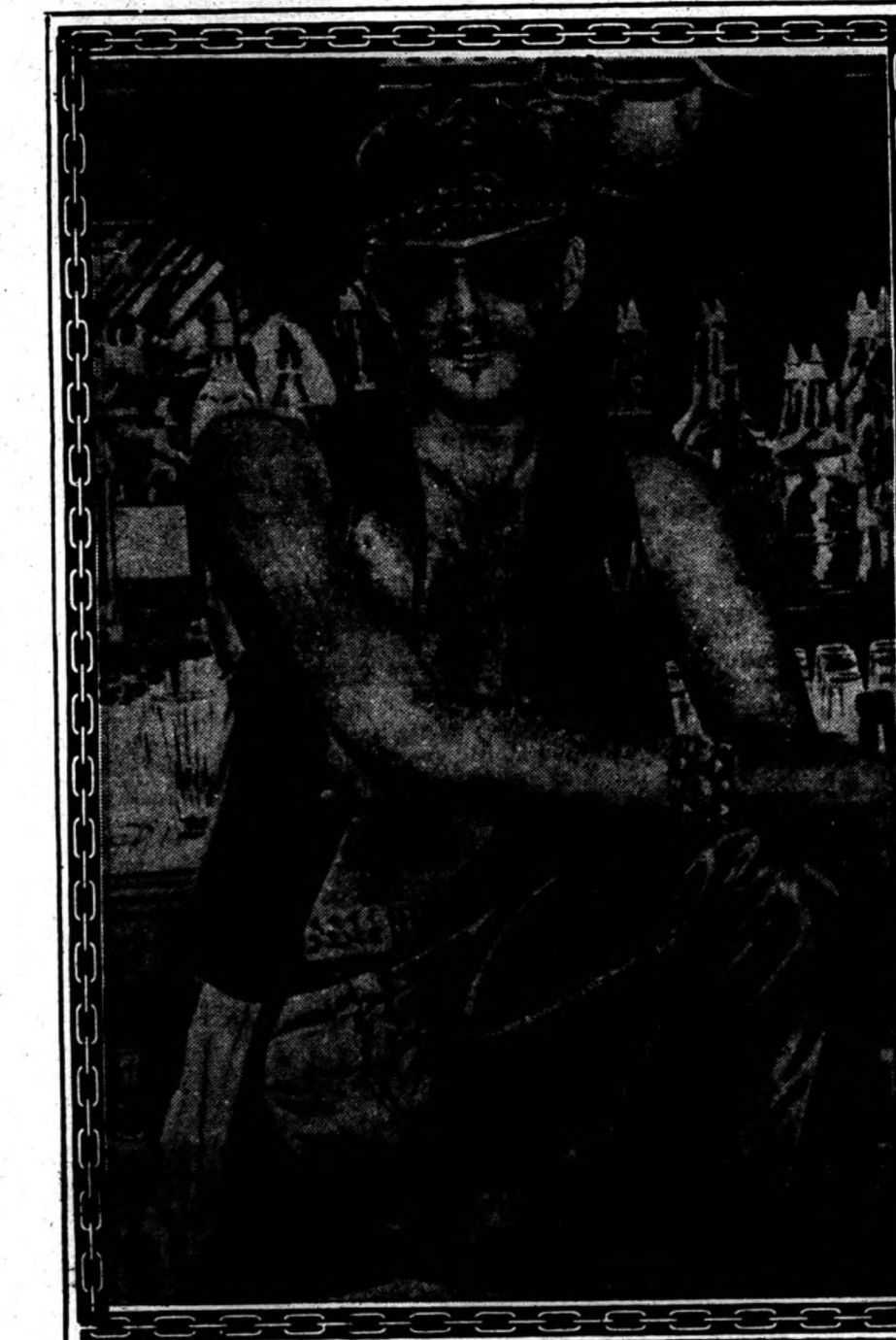
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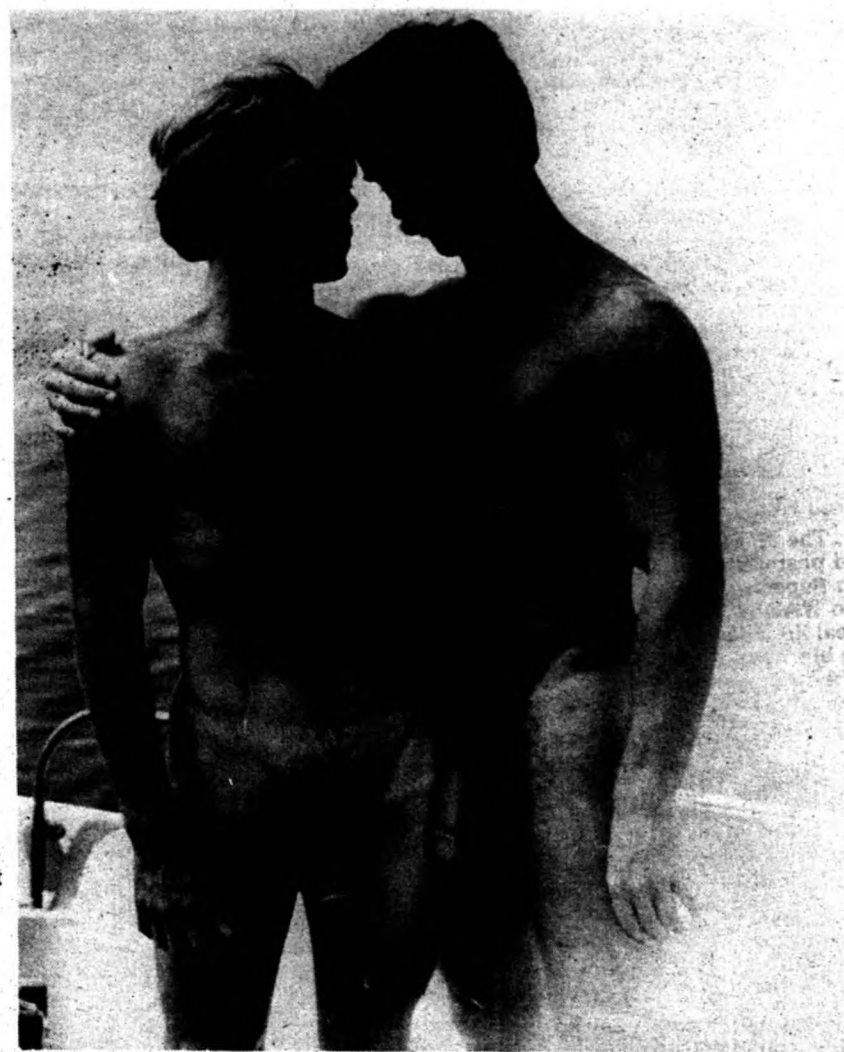
reviewed by Charles
of the SF Crusader,
November 11, '79.

"Push, push, in the bush" are the words to one of the songs in the super hot film "Fire Island Fever" now at the Nob Hill Cinema (see back page). As the singer sings the song, the two hot young men "get it on" in the woods on Fire Island, New York, with some of the finest color and cinematography yet seen in a porno film. But, the entire film is a four hankie (and that's not for tears either, unless it comes from some of the laughter), for you have to keep the hands dry. The film by Jack Deveau is the finest work he has done to date. It puts male erotica in the big leagues of cinema, which is a pleasant surprise. The film has a tremendous plot in that it tells what is going on in so many "love lives" of so many gays in America. It is up and down in all relationships, with love, passion, laughter, anger, and mellow mellow living, and that is what you will find in "Fire Island Fever" at the Nob Hill Cinema.

The jack-off scene by Matt Harper while high in a tree is something that you cannot quickly forget, in fact, I'll remember it many times when I'm alone in bed....if you know what I mean! From the opening scene, it is a Christmas present from Jack Deveau to you and me, and one that I gladly accept. The opening scene is at Rockefeller Center as they light the worlds tallest tree. Then the scenes whirl to Fire Island for Christmas, with various of the guests of a Fire Island couple, having their "flashbacks" to the summer past at Fire Island.

Hugh Allen is a turn on in several scenes (see Hugh at the right here), for he has a big one and he knows how to use it. Larry Paige is sex personified and the one bedroom scene as well as the pool side scenes are ones you shall remember for some time. In fact, Gary Hunt, Chris Michaels, and the zonker... John Carolo, a new discovery of Jack Deveau, will make you want to do what I'm going to do, go back and see "Fire Island Fever" at least twice and maybe more. Pepe Brazil adds much to the film with his fine solid self holding firm. And cute and amusing in the cameo roles are Frank Schmitt, George Sardi, and Johnny Savoy as the aging Fire Island queens. It is a hot and hoot, the party they give for the studs in the film. One of the piano numbers is camp at its campiest. Remember kiddies, studs and stallions, you too will be one of us aging queens some fine day, provided you don't blow your brains out with "poppers" the way the one stud who just couldn't get enough of them and couldn't have sex without them. So, if I'm to land that dear hunk of masculinity, I guess I'll have to store some up in hopes that Santa Claus will put him or Larry Paige in my Christmas Stocking. This film is very well done. It evokes laughter from the audience, and applause, something I've never seen at a porn flick before. It is a serious piece of work by producer Deveau and it is a classic and should enjoy a long run. So, as said before, it is Deveau Christmas gift to the gay community, so go to the Nob Hill Cinema and enjoy this fabulous gift of pure and beautiful cinema sex, erotica at its zenith, "Fire Island Fever", oh yes, do remember, it is a four hankie flick, the color doesn't matter.

P.S....an oldie but goodie is the sidecar flick at the Nob Hill with "Fire Island Fever" and that is "DRIVE". This film is too mucking futch and you haveta see it to believe it and you will enjoy it.



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....Well, it's official now, JIMMY CARTER at the near right here, will NOT have FRANKIE GOMEZ at the far left (on the fireplug) as his running mate in '80. CARTER's miffed at GOMEZ for his having removed the Pope's picture from above his bed and replaced it with one of ole Life-preserver Ted Kennedy the man who knows how to swim. GOMEZ also known as Puerto Rican Mary by some, works at a Polkstrasse House of Erotica called LE SALON!

....The "RED QUEEN" whose flyers and pamphlets became quite a sensation in the November 6th Supervisorial campaign in District 5....really ripping into WADSWORTH has been revealed as none other than a real life WITCH....that's right, a guy who practices the black arts who believes in satanism....ARTHUR EVANS of the Haight Ashbury. EVANS is supporting "Gone With the Britt"....he likes losers....!!!! We repeat, the RED QUEEN is ARTHUR EVANS!

....OIL CAN HARRY's star brewkeeper is none other than a former hockey star from O'Fallon Missouri. He played for St. Charles County (which is near St. Louis). His name is GRANT NIEWENDORP who is 22. Quality is the key work at Tin Can Marys!

....SUSIE TEAPOT of LE SALON....more on him later!When south of Market catch the GYPSY CATHEDRAL on the site of the old Red Star Saloon. The Padre of the Cathedral is none other than Crown Prince Arcadia. It is very gay the way he has the name painted on the side.

....H.I.M. CHUCK DEMMON, Emperor of San Francisco invites you to attend the Commissioning of the Navy of the IMPERIAL TRIDENT COURT, Friday, November 16 at the California Club, 1750 Clay, 7 - 11 PM. Reserved seating \$10, and S.R., \$5.00! No host bar, entertainment. An event you must attend. Bon voyage CHUCK!

....R.I.P. Sarah Goodah! Long live the Silver Rose....hmm wonder which one, the one on Geary or the one out on Judah Street which is a straight place! Laugh, laugh!!!!

....DON O'BRIEN former official of S.I.R. and a member of the CRIR is so miffed at being DENIED entry into the BULLDOG baths because of his age that he is reported to be deflecting to Anita Bryant after 64 years. What Anita's brainwashing could not accomplish, gay discrimination will take care of, for sure. DON will be 65 in December.

....FAYE ROY of LE DISQUE 1840 Haight Street is reported to have opened an office at Buena Vista Park now, and is reported that he's sending his son to the Buena Vista Summer Camp for Boys so that they can make a make a boy come out a man, or something to that effect.

....Speaking of the hottest DISCO lounge in town, the LE DISQUE, DICK NELSON the head honcho is reported to have looked every bit the "Madam!" on Halloween night. One person said he looks like he is running a "house" now! What about that PAUL?

....And while at the LE DISQUE, they once again have the record holder of the "Le Cock" title. MAURY who is biiiiiii, thick and u.c., and a wild hunk of a hunky stallion who tends bar and biz at the ppular Haight disco has regained the title after Billy P., left town. Hooray the kind is dead, long live Le King Cock MAURY! Call 221-2022 for times that MAURY is starring behind the bar and bushes at LE DISQUE!

....TIN CAN MARYS, also known as OIL CAN HARRY is reported to be getting huge facelift come the 1st of January '80....the MARATHON BALLROOM!

....Who is this person BILL HARRIS an ancient 23 at the PLEASURE PALACE? He will be an older 24 come December 17th.

....DANNY of the LION'S PUB / Sacramento Strasse, tried to give a b.j., it is reported, to MICHAEL of the LION'S PUB on Halloween! Rumors and more rumors

....GREGORY the Empress of Chinatown has returned to her Quendom in North Beach...Le Salon on Broadway. The people up their just luv their Empress I de Chinatown GREGORY.

....BRIAN of the LOCKER ROOM on Polkstrasse is leaving the strasse. Pictured at the right here, BRIAN wants to thank all his friends and acquaintances that he has made there. He is such a pleasant person and he will be sorely missed by all who enjoyed his charm & humor at the Lockerroom. BRIAN now has a lover and feels that he must devote his time to a family endeavor.

....It was about this time last year that a handsome young straight man came into my life and the life of BRIAN as well. SEAN, who worked in our city for a longtime. He helped us put together the gifts for the Fort Miley Christmas Show last year and he helped with the Christmas Dinner and Party for the seniors last year at Christ Chapel. Wherever BRIAN is now I do wish him the very best of everything. One of the nicest people to come into my life, for sure!!!!



....Gilbert Hernandez, also who is better known as MARCUS I, or "Mister" Marcus and who is supposed to write a column about south of market but is writing about the BALCONY which is verry Castro and very north of market too, sent a letter to our editor who asked me to respond to H.I.M.A.

Well....we are glad to hear that your roomies are not having you move out....and we are happy that you remain here instead of dingy old New York. But we do NOT LIKE your attempts to force our advertisers to quit. But that IS so typical of you, and dear heartttt! if you want to know who came up with that "cute" saying about your face looking like a "plateful of mortal sins" it was TRIXY TRANSISTOR herself. She is a clever cload, you do agree don't you MY dear????????? Neo-expressionism is always appreciated don't you agree dear MARCUS? You always did have a good cents of humor....

....STELLA "David" STOLL of the New Belle Saloon is doing it harder and harder these days....why?TALLULAH "The Form Fitting Woman" TENNYSON is on vacation....and there is no truth that it is in a booth at the LOCKER ROOM! GREGG is sure of that!!!!

JOSE SARRIAROSE I of the RED LANTERN has a JASON in her life....well!! Ole I II III is still Queen of the Hills....all seven of them! ROSE is now living in the Alamo Sq. area....how chic!

....PETER STRUEVE, the EX-d.j. is such a downer dj....seems like all he knows how to play are humms and himms!!!! Chicken hawk!!!!!!

....What's this???? the BULLDOGGIE BATHS (which are anti-older gays....right Empress of Colma MELVINA, and DON O'BRIEN?????) is going to open up the BLUE & GOLD as their very home???? and they INTEND again to have a "stairway to the heavens" which means I assume, that they will build a back entrance to the BULLDOGGIE BATHS (young people ONLY) and that the side 21's can buy drinks or have them brought into the bath??? After all....how can you carry proof of age when you are only wearing a towel??? BULLDOGGIE's back stairs to the heavens may lead to things that aren't too nice!!!!!!

....That hunk of a man at the right here is JASON (no, not the I II III's Jason) who works at the LE SALON on Polkstrasse!! JASON was such a camp on the Witches Xmas night. We do all hope he has sewn up his torn pants....rufftttt!!!!

....HAZEL of the 2100 Market Choo Choo Station is reported to have purchased an airplane ticket to Mexico....God have mercy on all those young chicanos on the coast.

....What's this!!!!???? The BAR-D on O'Farrell Street has been sold???? So far they aren't saying, but sources say that it is DICK "SWEETLIPS" WALTERS and that GRETA WHO will have a role in it or on the paper of it. It will be re-named "SWEETLIPS" place! How very very gay and it will be so grand having the LIPS back down in the Tenderloins area once again....excuse me, Downtown San Francisco area!!!!

....Two men shot down in the LANDMARK....gads!!!! We do pray for them to recover soon, David Alfalfa is the guy the cops busted for doing the shoootting!!!!!! He is 26 and a Somoan. The two shot were and the reasons why we don't know tho, were: Frank Tavorci, 49, and Robert Parsons.

....Now just where was it that CONNIE & TYRONE (MAI TAI) were that night in the Tenderloins? CONNIE & MAI TY ARE NOT LOVERS!!!! They are lesbian sisters and that's all!!!!

....Oh yes, you can see them at the RED LANTERN on Monday night, November 19th at the auction to raise \$\$\$ for the TENDERLOIN SENIOR LUNCHEON for Thanksgiving at Christ Chapel. The 10th year. LENNY MOLLET ROSE I, II, III, MELVINA, CONNIE, TYRONE (Mai Tai), are but a few of the guest auctioneers. Please do come out an buy some things and donate help the luncheon come off....just think....if you were in the place of the old folks in the Tenderloin....wouldn't you want help? you bet your sweet bippy you would, for you would need it badly.

....Farewell....to a very nice fellow who passed away, JULES STEIN! He was one of the finest ever at S.I.R.

....A dreamland is about to have one hellava nightmare so we hears tells!!That RICK "Stud" bartender had best cool it!! Dear heart, he has had two in one week....that meansHANG OVERS and outs!!!!!! He does have one hanging and he should keep it hanging and not his handsome head (the one on his shoulders)! The ARENA is such a lively place when RICKY is on!!!! On what, I'm not saying! He has a perpetual "high" on love and on people!

....The owner of the ARENA and his lover left TERRY in charge of things they he flew off to Hawaii! ALAN and FRANK are having a second honeymoon in the land of handsome lads and lands.

....Brunch at the 527 CLUB at 527 Bryant was greaat last week! Each Sunday afternoon is so fiiliine!

....CRAIG of KIMO's opens his gift and card shop next door to KIMO's and will be called... "JUST FRIENDS and it opens the day after Thanksgiving. The address is 1347 Polk St. Good luck CRAIG on your new venture!

....Down San Jose way is a handsome and a hunky man who escaped from Hawaii by the name of PHIL Novak. A very interesting and especially well built man. Seems he knew a Polkstrasse bar owner in Hawaii in 1961 over there....hmmmm!

....Haveya seen???? DALE of the NOB HILL CINEMA??? Such a hot man and such a beautiful man as well. Does seem that the ole NOB HILL does come up with some winners. TERRY is hiding up in the projection booth nowadays!

....JOHN HAGGARD (no relation to country music star Merle) is making tapes these daze for RAIL WAY EXPRESS on Taylor. He does the tapes at KIMO's also.

....And while in the KIMO habit, prepare your self for the big opening of the upstairs show-room of KIMO's which opens the second week of December. Live entertainment each night. Should be a hoot. Success KIMO!

....BARRY RAUCH, we do hope you get it all together soon kid. And as far as that turkey W.H. goes, remember, "what goes around....comes around!" Justice will be served kid!

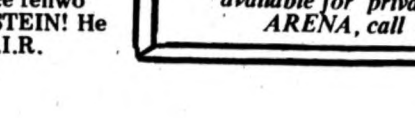
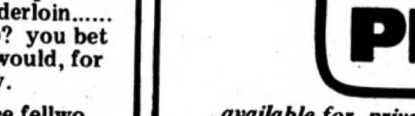
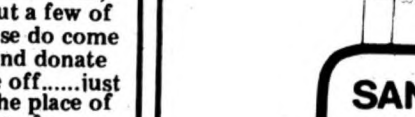
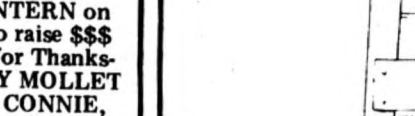
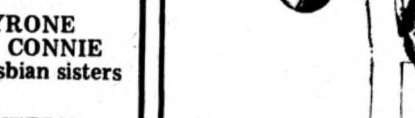
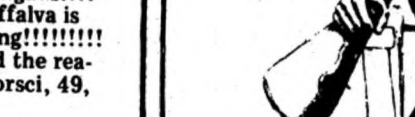
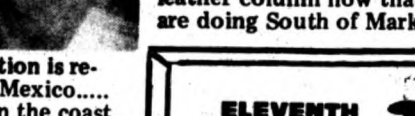
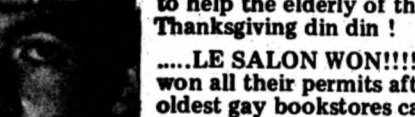
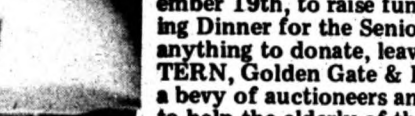
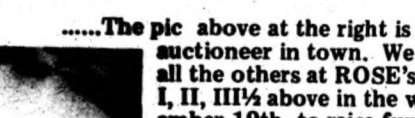
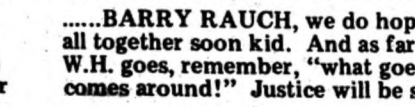
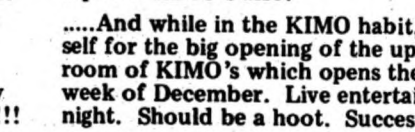
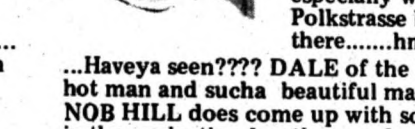
....The pic above at the right is FLAME/CHUCK who is the best auctioneer in town. We do hope that he will show up with all the others at ROSE's RED LANTERN (that's ROSE I, II, III's above in the white cap) on Monday night, November 19th, to raise funds for the Tenderloin Thanksgiving Dinner for the Seniors at Christ Chapel. If you have anything to donate, leave it with ROSE at the RED LANTERN, Golden Gate & Leavenworth, days. There will be a bevy of auctioneers and lotsa fun helping to raise funds to help the elderly of the Tenderloin have another lovely Thanksgiving din din!

....LE SALON WON!!!! in case you haven't heard! They won all their permits after a hassle and San Francisco's oldest gay bookstores can keep on selling that fine erotica. Happy days LARRY & ROLAND! Told ya so!!!!!!

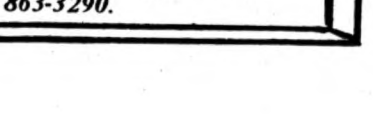
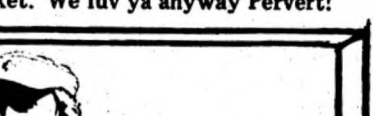
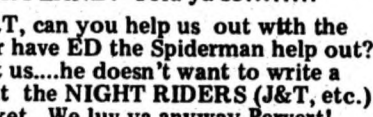
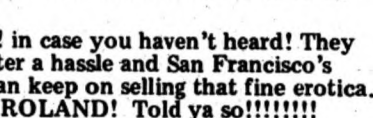
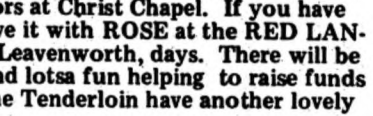
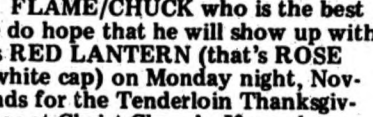
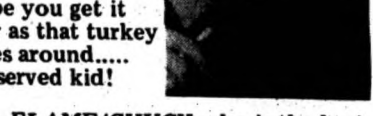
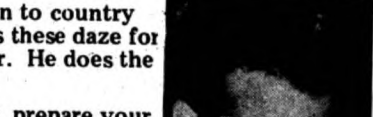
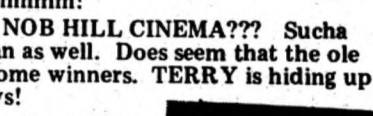
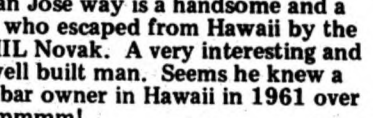
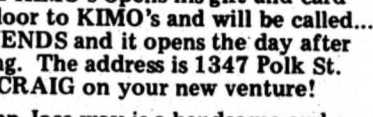
....MICHAEL PERVERT, can you help us out with the Thanksgiving din din, or have ED the Spiderman help out? MICHAEL P is pissed at us....he doesn't want to write a leather column now that the NIGHT RIDERS (J&T, etc.) are doing South of Market. We luv ya anyway Pervert!



"What a Bitch", above is ALLAN LLOYD of the Choo Choo Station.



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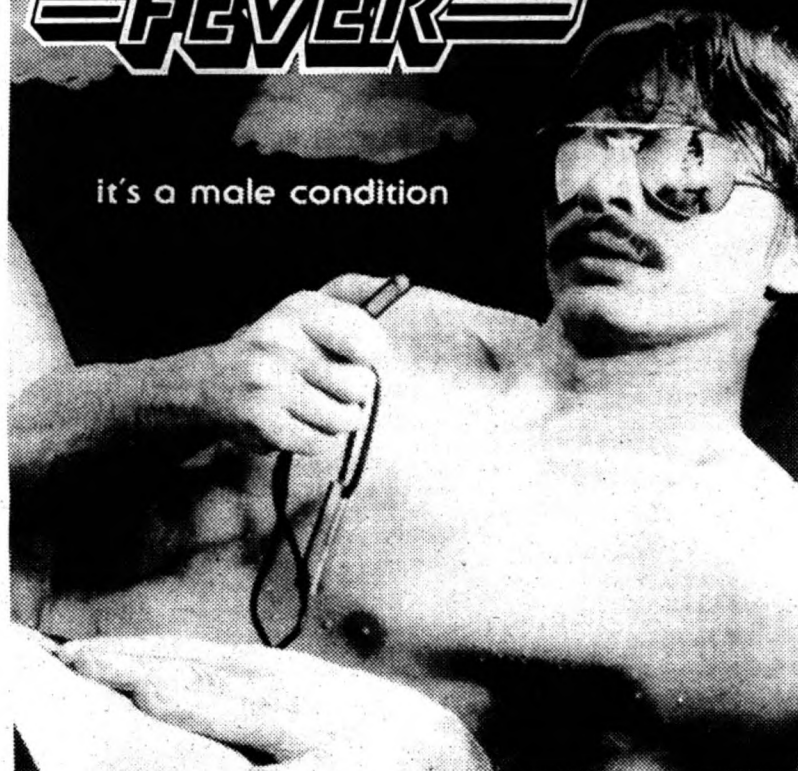
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