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PRIDE WEEK 1993

Texas and Louisiana Gays and Lesbians prepare to celebrate 1993 Pride

By THE NEW VOICE STAFF

It's the season for gays and lesbians. Some cities around the country celebrate their pride at slightly different times, but events in The New Voice's terrain are concentrated this week, with the notable exception of Austin. The Austin celebrants converge on Labor Day weekend.

For this weekend, we present some highlights of events that are coming up. Next week, we'll bring you the photographs of what actually occurred—so, behave yourselves. The New Voice's cameras could be anywhere. And, of course, have a good time and be proud of who, and what you are. That is, after all, what this is all about.

Why now? A primer

It was at about this time, (June 27th to be exact) that New York vice squad members led, what was to them, a rather perfunctory raid on the Stonewall Inn. It was 1969 and there wasn't anything particularly unusual about the raid, they thought. It was a mayoral election season in the city and rounding up gays, lesbians, prostitutes and other "purveyors of vice" was viewed as good politics.

Changing the face of the gay/lesbian rights movement, or perhaps more aptly, creating it was the unexpected rebellion, led for the most part, by drag queens who were to be joined by lesbians and gay men of all persuasions. This event is what is now called "The Stonewall Riot."

If you are young enough to have missed it on television there are a number of excellent books and a few decent documentaries on the topic. In terms of personal recollections, there are enough old queens running around who claimed to have been there to fill Grand Central Station, let alone the relatively tiny Stonewall Inn.

An important part of the story to keep in mind is that at the time, there were perhaps ten gay bars in Manhattan, almost all of which were controlled by the mafia. So, we've come somewhere, if not far enough.

Houston

Houston's Gay and Lesbian Pride Committee inaugurated a week of events Friday with a Mayoral proclamation presented by City Council member Eleanor Tinsley. The event, held at Montrose's Lovett Inn had about 300 guests. Special events including parties at area clubs, quilt making workshops at The Names Project, and lectures took place throughout the week.

The main events take place this weekend with the annual Gay and Lesbian Pride Parade on Sunday. This year, it

begins at 4:00 p.m. and begins on Westheimer at Woodhead, proceeding to Montrose. A rally follows in Spotts Park at Waugh Drive and Memorial beginning at 6:00 p.m. Announced mayoral candidate, Brian Bowen, an openly gay man, will be present at the rally to answer anyone's questions about his upcoming campaign.

There are several events leading up to Sunday's parade. The Chain Gang Bicycle Club will gather at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday to do, what they describe as a "leisurely" tour of Houston...twenty miles of leisure. For more about the trek, call 522-4481. If you are in the mood for something more leisurely, at 6:00 p.m., FrontRunners is organizing a "bar-to-bar" run. It will start at the BRB and you can call 522-8021 for details.

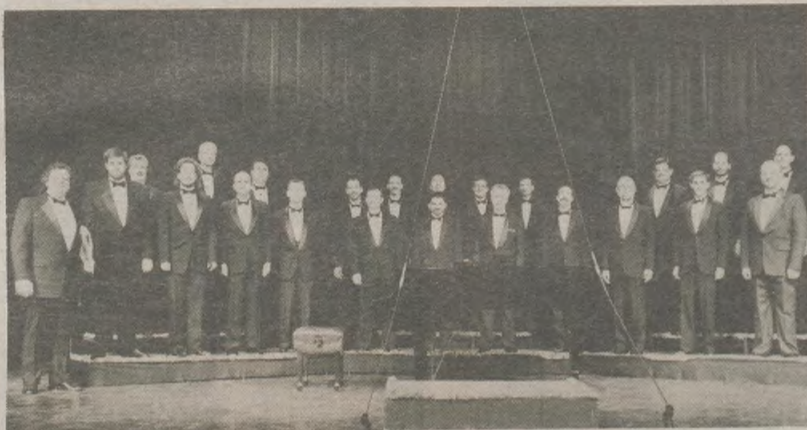
For art, The Gay Men's Chorus of Houston will be joined by HeartSong, Austin's Tapestry, the Alamo City Men's Chorus, the Capital City Men's Chorus and Dallas' Ensemble for a concert at the Cullen Theatre of the Wortham Center. Ticket information for the Saturday evening show can be obtained by calling 523-3751.

Also Saturday night, Gay and Lesbian Hispanics Unidos are planning a dance at the Sheraton Astrodome on Kirby at the South Loop. They can be reached by calling 861-1313 or 270-GLHU.

New Orleans

The largest ever parade and Gay Pride Festival will be held this weekend at Washington Square Park in New Orleans' historic Marigny-Faubourg district. The parade will begin and end at the park after winding through the French Quarter in downtown New Orleans.

Festivities begin Saturday morning at 10:00 with the pre-parade rally. The entertainment tent will feature amusements and several guest speakers. The parade will begin lining up at 11:00 and then kick-off at noon. The parade will wind up at the park at approximately 2:00 pm when the opening ceremonies



The Gay Men's Chorus of Houston

will begin.

There will be an abundance of booths at the park offering a wide variety of food and libation, crafts and products for sale, information and voter registration as well as game booths. The giant Freddie Palmisano Entertainment Tent will have continuous entertainment for everyone including the New Orleans Gay Mens Chorus, Elaine Townsend, Lynn Thomas, Terri Lynn Fox, Sweet Revenge, all on Saturday afternoon and Sunday will feature an Interfaith Service followed by gospel music featuring Beverly Davis and then the New Orleans Womens Music Collective, Laura Taylor, Edward, Sister Beat, Fran Marancca, In the Mood, Viva Les Vamps, Goddess, Scarlet and Aux Shea, and The Union.

Anheuser Busch is sponsoring a Pride Sports Tournament behind the entertainment tent. Two and four men/women teams will be competing Saturday and Sunday for prizes and trophies. Returning will be the popular Kid's Tent. The Louisiana SPCA will bring animals from the shelter to meet the children and the New Orleans Police Department will sponsor a time for the kids to meet a police officer and tour a police vehicle. NOPD will also be doing community outreach and recruiting throughout the weekend at their booth.

The best crowd pleaser has always been the Dog Show and this year will be no exception. A registration fee of \$5 will benefit the SPCA and there will be gift certificates awarded for prizes. This year's grand prize will be \$100 worth of shots and examination fees from the Causeway Animal Hospital. The park will close at approximately 7:00 each

evening.

In the Valley

Not even tropical storm Arlene put a damper on this year's Gay Pride activities in the Rio Grande Valley, although quite a few party goers had to backstroke to the bars last weekend because of the heavy rains. The Pride was shining through and the shows went on!

Last year, Valley Voice, the Valley's Gay/Lesbian Alliance spent months planning for the first Gay Pride Week festivities

here. It turned out to be one of the biggest celebrations we had ever seen. Although this is only our 2nd Annual Gay Pride Week, everyone has pulled together to make this what promises to be an even greater success than last year. For years, Valleyites have had to drive hundreds of miles to be able to participate in GPW activities, finally the "Pride" has come home to stay.

Last week the party kicked off at 10th Avenue and P.B.D.'s and this week it will continue at Club 440, Just Tery's, M.C.C., and Zippers. This year's activities included a special tribute show for the Leonardo Mena, a U.S.O. Show, "Ban the Ban of Gays in the Military"; Illusions, a Show of Stars; the Pansy Pachanga rally; and the Miss Gay Pride Rio Grande Valley Pageant. In addition, several of the bars have held the First Gay Film Festivals. Also, petitions and letters are being circulated, addressing the Senate Armed Services Committee on lifting the ban.

No, we didn't have a parade this year, but who knows, maybe next year. Right down the main streets of McAllen, Harlingen, and Brownsville! And who said the Valley didn't have pride?

San Antonio

The San Antonio Gay Pride Picnic will be held this Sunday the 27th at San Pedro Park behind the pool.

At various times during the day, music to dance to will be provided and there will be a plethora of drag queens performing. Also included in the festivities will be booths from bars, clubs, various AIDS organizations and private services that will provide not only information from all things from health status to political news and food.

Also available, as in past years, will be a dunking booth, face painting, tee shirts, freedom rings, posters and volley ball games.

It's one of the best times for people watching. All kinds, from leather to fluff will make an appearance. But all in all, it's good clean fun, so bring your friend's children and them too.

Baton Rouge and Galveston

Check the Soap columns inside. Your The New Voice correspondents detail the weekends events there.



Last year at Pride in the Valley



A past San Antonio Pride picnic

HOUSTON QUICK NOTE

Police commendations raise ire of gay-lesbian community activists

By SHAUN KEENAN GILSON
The New Voice/Houston

Last Friday, the same day that Houston city council member Eleanor Tinsley was helping Gay/Lesbian Pride Week organizers kick-off their week-long event with a proclamation, another city official was also at work.

Ironically, although many believe, intentionally, Houston Police Chief Sam

Nuchia was issuing commendations for eight officers. Those commendations stem from police activity in and around last summer's Republican National Convention. Normally, according to HPD policy, such commendations are issued within six months of the event for which they are awarded.

Nine months later, many HIV/Gay/Lesbian and Bisexual activists think it is

no accident that the eight officers were so honored on the first day of gay pride week.

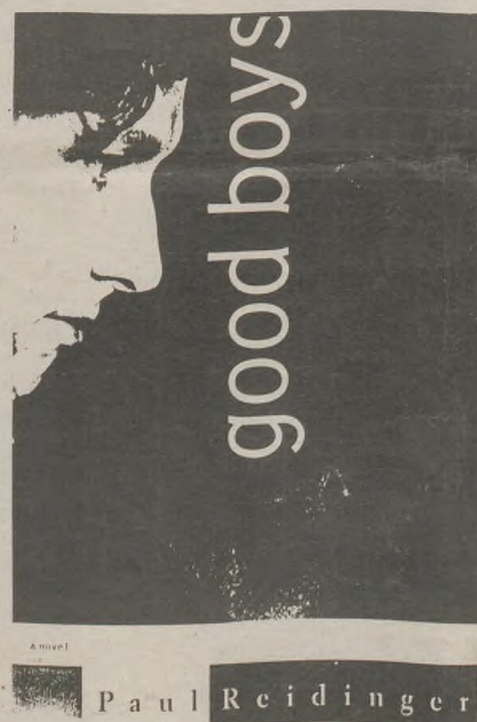
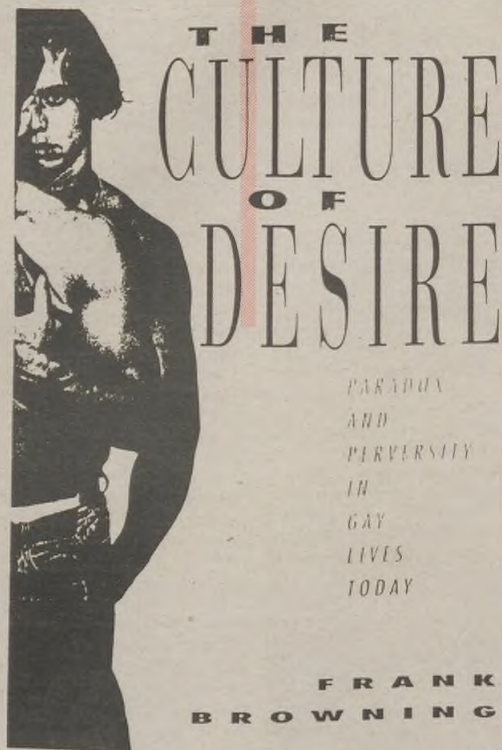
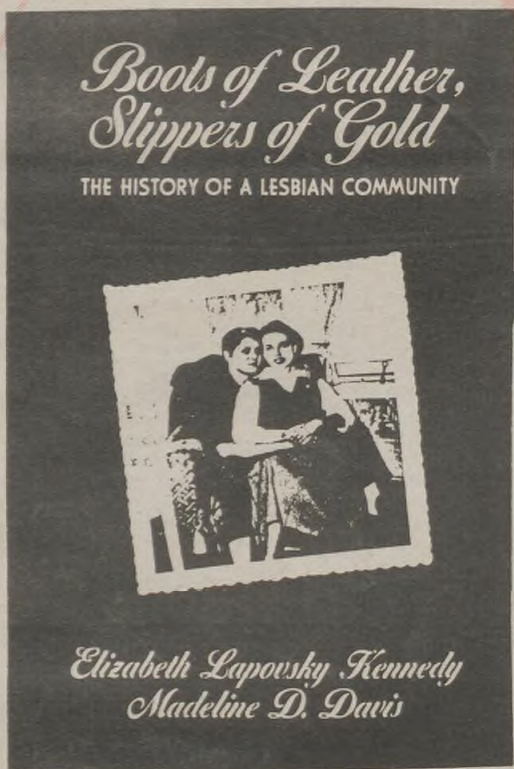
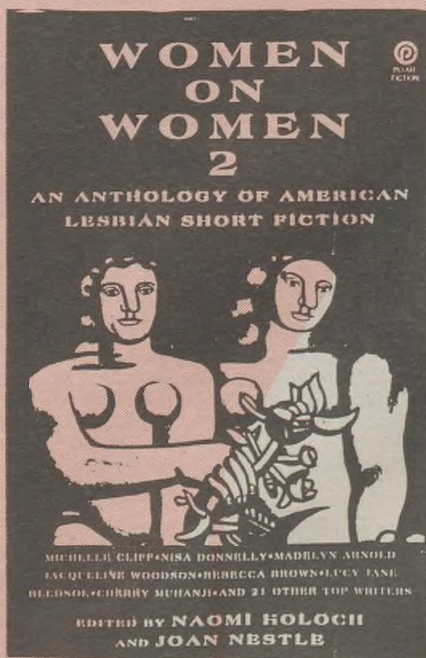
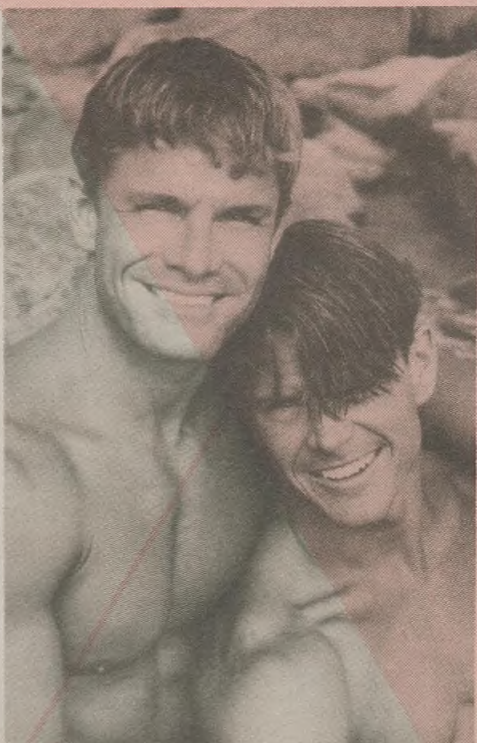
Provoked, several activists, representing ACT-UP/Gulf Coast and other segments of the activist community attended Tuesday's public comment session at City Council. Among them, ACT-UP/Gulf Coast supporter Bruce Turner, who charged that Chief Nuchia is "incapable of fair treatment (toward) the Gay and Les-

bian community." Turner called for Nuchia's immediate resignation.

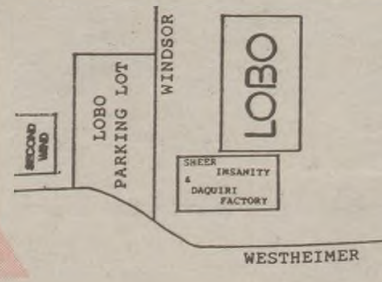
Other speakers before the council took a more moderate tone. And, according to ACT-UP's Terri Richardson, she felt that many members were genuinely interested in the gay/lesbian/HIV viewpoint. "It was obvious that they were really listening. Some of us couldn't get through our address in the allotted time and were asked to continue anyway," she said.

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▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

Two Clinton Cabinet secretaries bar discrimination against homosexuals

By JAMES H. RUBIN
FOR THE NEW VOICE

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, June 16 (AP)—The Clinton administration, no stranger to controversy over homosexuals in the military, is taking some limited steps to make them more welcome in the civilian federal work force.

Two Cabinet members—Secretaries Mike Espy of Agriculture and Federico Pena of Transportation—have adopted policies barring discrimination based on sexual orientation.

Pena underscored his support for diversity in the workplace Tuesday by speaking at a Transportation Department ceremony organized by a gay-pride group, Gay, Lesbian or Bisexual Employees (GLOBE).

In an unusual public showing of administration support for gay rights, Pena told the lunch-hour gathering in the department's courtyard he is committed to equal rights for all.

The government's job is too big "to

waste anyone's talent because of prejudice," he said. "We need to draw on the talents of everyone. It's not about special privileges. It's about equal treatment."

Eric Keller, the head of GLOBE, said the policies adopted by Espy and Pena do not have the same force as federal laws that ban discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin or disability.

But he praised the Cabinet officials for putting themselves "out on a limb" by opening the door to complaints by workers who say they are being harassed or denied promotions because of their homosexuality.

The policy "is primarily symbolic," he said. "But it does have some clout. People will have less fear and know they have a recourse."

Pena also sent out a memorandum last month extolling diversity.

"Diversity means inclusion—hiring,

developing, promoting and retaining employees of all races, ethnic groups, sexual orientations and cultural backgrounds," the memo said.

Pena actively supported gay rights in his previous job as mayor of Denver. The city implemented an ordinance during his tenure that barred discrimination based on sexual orientation.

Pena's latest actions are angering some conservatives.

"We don't think the highest levels of the federal government ought to be supporting behavior that is immoral and destructive," said Bob Knight of the Family Research Council.

But Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass., an openly gay member of Congress, told Tuesday's gathering that Pena and President Clinton deserve high praise.

It is "a strikingly brave act" for Pena to host the ceremony, Frank said, adding that he looks forward to the day when such actions are routine. "Ten years from now people will take this

kind of thing for granted."

Bob Marx, a Transportation Department spokesperson, said Pena did not seek White House approval to hold the event, but the White House was informed in advance the ceremony would take place.

Gays in the civilian federal work force have stirred less controversy than those in the military.

Last month despite opposition from Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., and others, the Senate confirmed Roberta Achtenberg as an assistant secretary of housing and urban development, the highest-ranking openly gay executive branch official in history.

At Tuesday's ceremony, Pena was introduced by Eric Stults, a department budget analyst who said he was beaten savagely while a student at Dartmouth College.

"Today's event means a lot to me," he said. "I'm proud to be working for a secretary willing to stand up for diversity."

▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

Report: Aspin draft would maintain ban against declared homosexuals

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, June 22 (AP)—President Clinton said today he's close to a decision on a policy for homosexuals in the military, saying the American people are "certainly ready for a resolution of this."

The president said he wanted to wait until he gets final recommendations from the Pentagon. Clinton had said he was leaning toward a "don't ask, don't tell" policy, and he said today he hadn't changed his mind.

A Pentagon document cited in a published report proposed that men and women who declare their homosexuality by word or deed would be banned from military service, but would not be asked and could serve as long as they did not draw attention to their sexual orientation.

Clinton said he had talked with Defense Secretary Les Aspin about the policy in the last few days but had not received final recommendations.

"The American people and the military are certainly ready for a resolution to this," he said during a photo opportunity in the Oval Office. "I want to see

what the details are."

"I think we're ready to resolve this and get it behind us and I hope we'll do it soon," he added.

The Washington Times reported in today's editions that the confidential draft memorandum was sent to senior officials by Aspin and takes the position that homosexuality is incompatible with military service, but outlines what the working paper calls a "practical approach."

However, Aspin's spokesperson, Vernon Guidry, said today that the defense secretary had not seen the document, nor had it been circulated among top military officials.

But Guidry also said that while the memo "may exist in a physical sense," it is "not Aspin policy, it's not an Aspin directive."

The Washington Times report said the document outlines a plan that is essentially the "don't ask, don't tell" ad hoc policy adopted earlier this year at the suggestion of Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., chairperson of the Senate Armed Service Committee, after President

Clinton ran into heavy congressional opposition to his plans to lift the 50-year-old ban on gays in the military.

White House spokesperson Dee Dee Myers declined comment today, saying Clinton hasn't received Aspin's report. "I think we'll wait and see what Aspin proposes," she said.

"Applicants for military service will continue to be excluded for homosexual conduct and will acknowledge their understanding that such conduct is proscribed for members of the armed forces," the Times quotes the memo as saying.

It says sexual orientation "is considered a personal and private matter and alone is not a bar to service entry or continued service unless manifested by homosexual acts, statements or marriages" but that "servicemembers will be separated for homosexual conduct, defined as: engaging in homosexual acts, stating they are homosexual or bisexual; or marrying or attempting to marry persons of the same sex."

The Times referred to the Aspin document as a "working draft" circulated to

win support from top military leaders and key members of Congress.

The report says the document says commanders "will not initiate inquiries or investigations solely to determine a member's sexual orientation" but that commanders would retain latitude to investigate a person for homosexuality "when credible information that a basis for discharge or disciplinary action exists."

The Times quoted further from the draft document:

"This policy adopts a practical approach to the issue of homosexuals service in the military. It retains the general principle that homosexuality is incompatible with military service while accommodating the concerns of those who are able to serve within the unique constraints of military life. These constraints require servicemembers to keep certain aspects of their personal lives private for the benefit of the group. As a practical result of the implementation of this policy, homosexuals who have kept their sexual-orientation private have served and will continue to serve."

▼▼▼ NEW ORLEANS QUICK NOTE

Louisiana State Senator Mark Morial rates high with voters in new poll

By BUNCH BRITAIN

The New Voice/New Orleans

New Orleans Senator Marc Morial today released the results of his annual poll which shows his high favorability among voters in New Orleans. Senator Morial has been a consistent supporter of gay and lesbian causes in the State Senate.

According to the poll conducted by Dr. Edward F. Renwich of Loyola University, Morial's positive rating among voters is 65 percent with a negative rating of only 14 percent. Among black voters the ratings were 76 percent positive and 9 percent negative. Among white voters the ratings were 50 percent positive and 19 percent negative.

Morial stated, "I am pleased and thank the voters for their continuing support of our efforts to improve the quality of life for the people of New Orleans."

Morial is a first term member of the Louisiana Senate, having been overwhelmingly elected in a first primary victory in 1991. He serves as Vice-Chairperson of the Senate Committee on Environmental

Quality as well as Chairperson of the Educational Institution Sub-Committee of the Joint Legislative Capital Outlay Committee. He also serves as a member of the Commerce Committee, the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Committee and the Labor and Industrial Relations Committee. In 1992, Morial was named Legislative "Rookie of the Year."

▼▼▼ DATELINE: CORPUS CHRISTI

Corpus Christi auction successful in raising much needed AIDS funds

By DEBRA JEAN

The New Voice/Corpus Christi

A "chair-atable" auction held at 100 N. Shoreline, Corpus Christi's Art Center, raised over \$3,000 to benefit the Corpus Christi Coastal Bend AIDS Foundation.

David Grand, the owner of Illusions Salon at 1012 Santa Fe Street in Gas Light Square, stole the idea from "House Beautiful" and local New York artists. Grant contacted local artisans to create, design and produce a stool, chair or table to be



Pat as receptionist

used as an auction item. There was only one rule. The finished item must be decorated with a red ribbon for AIDS awareness.

Kelly Jossey, director of the Corpus Christi Art Center was contacted and she offered her cooperation enthusiastically. Jossey proved to be very valuable to the auction. She convinced Ron George at the Caller—Times to write a feature publicizing the auction. And, several Art Center members donated their time and talent.

Over 40 artists participated,

including Terri Comptom, Danny O'Dowdy, Rebecca Moore, Michael Marrjarris and Bill Wilhelmi. They donated unique and special works bringing in enthusiastic bidding.

Auctioneers Carol and Mark Scott who were doing "Love Letters" at the Harbor Playhouse that weekend kept the bids rolling high. Grant plans to do it again and expects an even greater response. He said "I believe that HIV and AIDS issue should be higher on everyone's priority list—not only when it becomes vogue."

▼▼▼ SAN ANTONIO QUICK NOTE

San Antonio community activists plan conference, workshops for solidarity

The San Antonio Lesbian/Gay Assembly (SALGA) will sponsor the second annual community conference, "Forging Our Future" on Saturday June 26th at the First Unitarian Universalist Church.

The conference will feature workshops ranging from "Origins of Sexuality" and "Gays/Lesbians in the Military" to "Parenting" and "Grassroots Political Action."

Three nationally known keynote speakers will be flown in to San Antonio to help conferees focus on forging the future for the gay community in southern Texas.

Keynote speaker Luz Guerra facilitates workshops on racism, sexism and homophobia. David Pallone, author of the best seller "Behind the Mask," was a National League baseball umpire who was fired after his sexual orientation

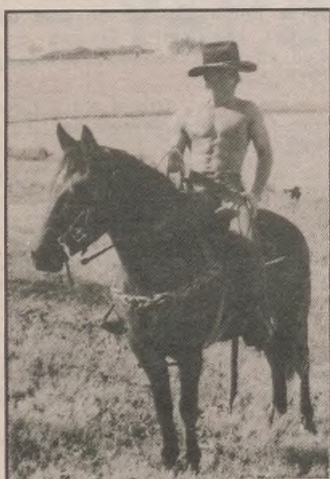
was made public. Donna Red Wing, The Advocate's 1992 "Woman of the Year," achieved national prominence for her leadership in the defeat of Proposition Nine in Oregon last year.

Registration for the conference is \$15 in advance, payable by Friday, June 18th or \$20 at the door. Assistance with physical accessibility and sign interpretation will be provided by SALGA. More information may be obtained through voice mail at (210) 697-2389.

The Community Conference held last year at San Antonio College was the catalyst for increased activity in the lesbian and gay Community in San Antonio. The San Antonio Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus resulted from discussions as last year's "Town Meeting" portion of the Conference.

Several organizations will sponsor booths in an all-day community fair held in conjunction with the conference

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NEW ORLEANS QUICK NOTES

Cafe Lafitte manager apologizes to Celebration for alleged discrimination

By LEONARD EARL JOHNSON
The New Voice/New Orleans

The Flirtations, the male a cappella group that performed at the recent Celebration 1993 educational conference in New Orleans, charged that on a previous visit to the Crescent City one member of their group was refused service at Cafe Lafitte.

During the group's opening night performance at Le Meridian Hotel, The Flirtations, noted for their strong lesbian/gay liberation message, performed a number that ran through a litany on how each of them had personally felt discrimination. "One of us has been refused service..." At that point they stopped singing, and told the audience, "...that was here in New Orleans, at (Cafe) Lafitte's bar."

The member allegedly refused service was Cliff Townsend. Townsend is black.

The next day, Robin Malta, manager of Cafe Lafitte mounted Celebration's luncheon speaker's podium, and apologized to The Flirtations. Malta said the incident pre-dated him as manager of the popular Bourbon Street watering hole. He assured everyone it should not have happened and would not happen again.

Malta read from a prepared statement saying, "I am here on behalf of the staff and management of Cafe Lafitte in Exile, and all of Wood Enterprise's establishments. Last night, it was brought to my attention that during the performance by The Flirtations, a statement was made about them not being allowed into Lafitte's. Needless to say this disturbs us a great deal and we felt we should reply."

"I was unable to speak with The Flirtations, but did find out that this apparently happened last year."

Others at the luncheon thought the incident had occurred three years earlier. The Flirtations were not available for comment.

Malta concluded by saying, "we sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. I assure you, it has not been in the past and will never be the policy of Wood Enterprises to discriminate against anyone for any reason."

Award established by Uno Gay & Lesbian Alliance

The Gay & Lesbian Alliance at the University of New Orleans has established an annual award to be called the Daigle-Ladnier Award.

The award is designed to honor people in New Orleans' lesbian and gay community who assist students at local colleges and universities. The award is

named for community activists Chris Daigle and Joan Ladnier.

Ladnier and Daigle are active in several arenas, most notably the Louisiana Gay Political Action Caucus (LAG-PAC), and the Human Rights Campaign Fund (HRCF). Both groups assist students from Louisiana schools.

During French Quarter ceremonies held recently in the patio bar at Mississippi River Bottom-MRB, UNO's GLA presented the first Daigle-Ladnier Award jointly to the award's namesake's Chris Daigle and Joan Ladnier. Each received a commemorative plaque for their assistance to students attending the 1993 March on Washington for Lesbian/Gay/Bi Equal Rights and Liberation. Ladnier and Daigle were Co-chairs of the Louisiana march on Washington Committee.

NOLA P-Flag asking for volunteers

Volunteers are needed for a variety of tasks before and during the 12th Annual International Convention of Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (P-FLAG). The convention is being held at the Sheraton New Orleans, Sept. 3rd through the 5th.

In addition, alternative housing for conference participants is needed.

The theme of this year's convention is "Celebrating Family—New Orleans Style." Keynote speakers will be Massachusetts Congressman Gerry Studds and Federation P-FLAG President Mitzi Henderson. Lynn Lawner, the acclaimed New York cabaret singer will also entertain.

Workshops will cover subjects such as gay/lesbian parenting, homophobic relationships, legal concerns, religious and spiritual matters, lesbian/gay

youth and concerns of family members.

Would-be volunteers are asked to call Noel Twilbeck (504) 482-1066. For other convention information contact the P-FLAG Convention Host Committee, P.O. Box 15485, New Orleans, LA 70175, or call (504) 523-3922 & 288-2332.

NOLA Alliance of Pride/Lesbian & Gay Film/Video Festival

The impressive schedule of films and videos offered by the New Orleans Lesbian and Gay Film and Video Festival continues Monday and Tuesday, June 21st and 22nd with 6:30 p.m.

On Monday, the organization will screen "Non, Je Ne Regrette Rien," a 30 minute video on AIDS activism and men of color with "Flames of Passion" and "Elevation."

On Tuesday, it's "War on Lesbians," a witty critique of the invisibility of positive lesbian images, with "Dykeotomy" and "KHUSH."

The festival curator is cable-tv producer Valda Lewis. Lewis's "Just for the Record" is sponsoring the festival along with Celebration '93 and the New Orleans Alliance of Pride. Additional information may be obtained by calling (504) 943-3067.

NOLA People with AIDS Coalition honoring Jewels Tavern

The Board of Directors of the New Orleans People With Aids Coalition (NOPWAC) will present Jewels Tavern with the Randy Gaddings Award for outstanding service to the HIV community.

The award will be presented on Thurs-

day June 24th at 9:00 p.m. at Jewels Tavern, in conjunction with a turn-about show celebrating the beginning of the 1993 Pride Weekend. Turn-about shows switch roles of bartenders and patrons.

The Randy Gaddings Award is presented four times each year to a person, group or organization which displays outstanding and on-going service to the HIV/AIDS community. Randy Gaddings was a chef. With Tom Boswell, they founded the Darrell Hamby Memorial Food Bank and NOPWAC.

"They always seem to show up when we're a little low on certain favorite items, or when we're having a cash flow problem," Fred Sahuc, NOPWAC's executive director said.

"Jewels Tavern and its customers gave NOPWAC a wonderfully generous gift and that's what we want to recognize with The Randy Gaddings Award on June 24th," Sahuc said, adding, "Join us."

Louisiana House kills Marc Morial's hate crime bill

The Louisiana House killed the hate crime bill introduced in the Senate by Marc Morial (D-New Orleans). Senate Bill 43 passed in a diluted form that would have put the lawmakers on record as taking a harsh view of hate crimes. Hate crimes were defined as crimes motivated by hatred because of race, religion, gender, sexual orientation, handicap, or ancestry.

Woody Jenkins (D-Baton Rouge) who opposed the bill said, "If you want to be P.C., you certainly would want to support this bill." Jenkins voted no.

Representative Edward Deano (D-Mandeville) claimed existing law already took motive into consideration. He noted as example the distinction between manslaughter and murder.

Texas recently passed a much stiffer law that includes mandatory jail sentences for hate crimes.

New Orleans area House members voting yes were Alexander, Carter, Copelin, Farve, Irons, Landrieu, Morrell, Murray, Pratt all from Orleans Parish.

Also voting yes, Alario, Donelon, Green, M. Theriot, from Jefferson; Accardo, Quezaire from Saint John the Baptist; Chaisson from Saint Charles; and Deano of Saint Tammany.

Voting against: Bruneau and Forster from Orleans; Ansardi, Bowler, Dastugue, Hand, Lancaster, S. Theriot, Toomy, Vitter, and Windhorst, from Jefferson; Krieger, Schneider, and Strain, from Saint Tammany; Patti from Plaquemines; and Warner of Saint Bernard.

Odinot of Saint Bernard did not vote.



The Flirtations

NEW ORLEANS QUICK NOTE

Aids quilt panels sought for upcoming P-Flag Convention in New Orleans

By BUNCH BRITAIN
The New Voice/New Orleans

The 12th Annual International Convention of Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (P-FLAG), scheduled for Sept. 3rd through the 5th at the Sheraton

Hotel in New Orleans, will offer several workshops on HIV/AIDS and other health matters. Organizers are seeking AIDS Memorial Quilt panels to serve as a fitting backdrop for these and other convention events.

People who have made panels in

memory of friends and family members for the NAMES Project, but have not yet submitted them, are invited to share their works with the P-FLAG convention attendees. Contributors can specify whether they want their panels returned to them or forwarded directly

to the NAMES Project office in San Francisco after the panels are displayed at the convention.

For more information, call or write the P-FLAG convention host committee, P.O. Box 15485, New Orleans, LA 70175, 504/523-3922 or 288-2332.

GUEST COMMENTARY

Military ban on gays and lesbians remains issue without compromise

The Pentagon and the Department of Defense announced last week a compromise policy on gays and lesbians in the military which amounts to little more than Senator Nunn's "don't ask, don't tell" policy. If accepted by the President, this policy would codify the closet and legalize the pain of forced silence.

The policy would still allow for witch hunts, stake-outs, and sting operations when specific allegations of homosexual conduct have been made. This leaves service members subject to "outing," blackmail, false accusations and the persecution inherent in the current policy. It is the position of the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF) and the Gay, Lesbian, and Bisexual Veterans of America (GLBVA) that the proposed compromise is totally unacceptable. The NGLTF has referred to the proposed policy as a lesbian and gay "gag

rule."

The NGLTF and the GLBVA are calling for an Independence Day action on Sunday, July 4th in Washington, D.C. to put members of Congress and President Clinton on notice that we will not settle for anything short of the complete lifting of the ban on lesbians and gays in the military. Our message is that you can't ban us!

Veterans, their families and supporters are asked to descend on Washington on July 4th as a part of a national mobilization against the ban. The events will kick-off at 10:30 a.m. near East Capitol and First Streets. At 11:30 the march will begin across the Capitol grounds to the steps of the Gen. Grant Reflecting Pool. At noon the contingent will join the official Independence Day Parade at 3rd Street and Constitution Ave. N.W. A brief "presentation" is planned at the

17th Street reviewing stand. At 2:30 p.m. a color guard will lead the contingent around the perimeter of Lafayette Park where notice will be served to the President that the compromise is not acceptable.

San Antonio has scheduled a rally to be held at 2:00 p.m. on July 4th in the Yard at B.B.'s, 5307 McCullough Ave., in support of the Veteran's Independence Day March in Washington. Communities throughout Texas are encouraged to hold some type of media event on this date.

President Clinton made a campaign promise to lift the ban in exchange for the support of the gay and lesbian community. We delivered the support to help insure his election. It is now his turn to deliver. He must sign the Executive Order as promised and let the chips fall where they may. If the Congress can

muster the two-thirds majority to override the veto then we will have the votes on record and we will know who to target in future elections. In this scenario, Clinton can fulfill his promise and perhaps keep the support of the gay and lesbian community. However, it will take decisiveness and courage for him to take this course—two traits he has not demonstrated in his administration to date. Clinton seems to think that doing this would have the appearance of condoning the gay and lesbian lifestyle. Does the appointment of lesbians and gays to high positions in the executive branch, i.e., Roberta Achtenberg's appointment as Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, somehow escape this appearance of acceptance?

If you are interested in being a part of this historic event but need additional information you may call Jason Heffner, NGLTF, at (202) 332-6483, ext. 3360.

▼▼▼ YOURS TRULY IN A SWAMP

An interview with Dotson Rader: Tennessee Williams' biographer and friend

By LEONARD EARL JOHNSON

The New Voice/New Orleans

Dotson Rader is a writer with a list of credits stretching from novels to magazines to serious biographies. Currently he is a contributing editor at *Parade*, the slim magazine inserted in many Sunday newspapers. "*Parade* is the world's largest circulation publication," Rader points out as we share drinks, pool-side at the French Quarter's Le Richelieu Hotel.

Rader is skilled in observation and blessed with good timing, and the fortune of being in many of the right places. He spent years palming around with Tennessee Williams, the American theater's gossamer-winged playwright, while collecting notes, "with Williams' full knowledge," he says.

After Williams died, Rader published "*Tennessee: Cry of the Heart, An Intimate Memoir*." Recently in town for the seventh annual Tennessee Williams/New Orleans Literary Festival, Rader talked candidly about Williams and more.

DR: "I was very much affected by Ten-

nessee's death (in 1983). Then his birthday, March 26th, rolled around. I was in Los Angeles and decided to fly to New Orleans and have a Mass said for him at Saint Louis Cathedral. The Masses were all booked, except for the late Mass, at six at night.

"At the Mass was this old priest, me, an accolade, and maybe two or three tourists. Half way into the Mass, I noticed a vagrant, in this rain coat, wandering around mumbling to himself. At the point at which the priest raised the host this vagrant started yelling, 'F—God,' in this loud, loud voice. An usher came and took him out. I found it amusing because I could just hear Tennessee cackling away."

LEJ: "Maybe he sent him."

DR: "Yes, you know, he despised the Catholic Church, and I could see him up in heaven yelling, 'Go get'em, guy!'"

"In that visit to New Orleans I was staying in this hotel. I was here by myself, and after the Mass I felt lonely and started making the rounds of Tennessee's haunts. I ended up on Bourbon Street, at Lafitte in Exile, at about four in the morning, looking for a hustler.

Which is what Tennessee and I used to do every single time we were together.

"There wasn't much action, and I walked across the street to this all-night diner. I saw this kid, about twenty-three, sitting at the counter. He was a really good-looking kid and I started talking to him.

"He looked hungry and I said, 'Can I buy you something to eat?' He had not one, he had two hamburger deluxe plates. I mean, this guy woofed it down, as Tennessee would say, 'like bread thieves destroying the evidence.'

"I brought him back to the suite. Like I said, this is what Tennessee and I would do. But now it is AIDS. With few exceptions, he was the first sort of hustler I had picked up in New Orleans, since AIDS. So I didn't know quite what to do.

"He was from outside Baton Rouge and I heard the usual hard luck story. He was sleeping in his car in the cemetery, blah, blah, blah...

"I was perplexed as we sat drinking and talking for an hour and a half or so. Finally he said, 'What do you want to

do?' I said, 'Why don't you take your clothes off.'

"He was sitting in this big armchair, and we talked some more. Then he said, 'What do you want me to do?' I said I was just going to watch, 'So why don't you just do something.'

Rader described the hustler, and a practice he said he had not seen before, "I did not know it could be done."

I tell Rader, "He was good looking, I knew him." We laugh and he retorts, "I think it was you, you were a lot thinner then."

LEJ: "Alas, I was never that thin, but I shot some photographs in the late Seventies, early Eighties called 'The Bourbon Street Series,' I knew all the night denizens at that time."

DR: "I have a great feeling for hustlers, and for prostitutes. Tennessee loved them. A lot of material that found its way into his work came from hustlers telling him their life story. Much more important to him than the sex—which was minimal—was listening to them talk, wanting them to talk. He would spend hours listening to them."

▼▼▼ HOUSTON LIVE

Jeffrey Bean soars as WWI flying ace Billy Bishop at the Alley Theater

By JAVIER TAMEZ

The New Voice/Houston

World War I flying aces are the stuff of legend and lore. Larger than life heroes who day after day braved the harrowing skies over France to confront the enemy in aerial dog fights. The most successful of these pilots, the "aces" have become the subject of innumerable tales glorifying their exploits. There's Von Richtofen, the infamous "Red Baron," who terrorized Allied pilots, and Eddie Rickenbacker, the live-life-on-the-edge American and Billy Bishop.

Billy Bishop was a Canadian military school flunkie, who enlisted to avoid repeating a year in school and whose heroic and eventual disillusionment are recounted in a high-flying play, "*Billy Bishop Goes to War*," being presented on the Alley Theatre's Neuhaus Arena Stage through July 25th.

The one man show starring Alley veteran, Jeffrey Bean, with piano accompaniment by Bill Bartlett, is a musically whimsical study of the romantic notion of war with just a small dose of solemn, theatrical resonance. The bulk of the play is light and airy, crowd-pleasing in every way, and this aspect of it will make it a sure-fire summer hit for the Alley.

Bill tells his own tale either by speaking directly to the audience or by reciting letters written to his never seen or heard love, Margaret. The story begins with Billy's years at the Royal Military College, where, as the self-described worst student in the college's history, Billy agitates under the yoke of upper-classmen and faculty.

Once Canada enters the war, Billy runs off to enlist in the cavalry, where he is made an officer because of his military school background. Although excited about the war—"We were off to fight the Hun and it looked like lots of fun."

Billy quickly sours on the cavalry. He finds the experience dirty and sloppy and even feels sorry for the horses that die en route across the Atlantic, after all they don't care who wins the war. Billy is not happy with war, but then he joins the Royal Air Force.

His initial interest came only from his assessment of a pilot's job as being one that was cleaner and drier than his lot in the cavalry. This changes quickly

though. He adjusts to the thrill of flight in a bi-plane by being an observer. When he does take a plane up by himself, Billy loses all thoughts of remorse eventually shooting down 72 enemy aircraft and even conducting an unprecedented one-man raid on a German air base.

Billy's success in the air seems unstoppable, but British sense of propriety and, one likes to think, his own conscience work independently to slow his dog-fighting career. Having reached 72 confirmed hits, Billy is ungracefully told that he cannot shoot down any more planes. If he does, he will match the record set by Edward Mannock, and the star British ace absolutely must be from England, as Mannock is, rather than from one of the colonies.

More poignant, though, is the semblance of consciousness raised in Billy when, after shooting down a plane, he

watches the two crew members stare at him as they plummet to earth. Billy feels compunction. The glory of war pales when the you see the enemy die.

Whether construed as a comic musical revue with a trenchant strand critical of war or as a biting commentary on the brutality of war and its overreaching effect on even the most jingoistic patriot, the success of any production of "*Billy Bishop*" depends almost solely on the strength of the principal. In the Alley's production, Jeffrey Bean has more than met this challenge.

Bean, who appears in almost every production at the Alley, is tremendously versatile. Beans styles himself a character actor and says that "*Billy Bishop*" draws on his strengths in that regard. He's absolutely right.

Bean plays 18 different characters in

"*Billy Bishop*," and each of them is distinct, though not always different. As the title character he uses a remarkable array of facial expressions to convey fear, anxiety, surprise, hope, penitence, joy, even lust. Bean's talent is really evident, though, as the other 17 characters. He utilizes an amazing variety of voice inflections to enable the audience to distinguish the characters from one another.

Some of them are hilarious characterizations: a properly British but mentally deficient cockney officer; the lovely Helene, a voluptuous and sultry vixen; Albert Ball, a historical figure who was one of Bishop's aerial colleagues and who is here played as an affected romantic; and a pompous and dignified King George V.

Bean plays them all with relish and savvy. He has yet to disappoint me in any performance. I first took note of him in a supporting role in "*The Czar of Rock 'n' Roll*." When I saw him as Norman in "*The Boys Next Door*," I knew this was a special actor. By the time he had taken his bow for portraying George Jessel in the otherwise forgettable "*American Vaudeville*," I was convinced that this young actor was one of Houston's finest. His subsequent performances in "*A Flea in Her Ear*," "*A Christmas Carol*," "*One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*," "*The Front Page*," "*Danton's Death*" and "*Our Town*" were all sterling examples of an actor of distinguished ability. Bean stands shoulder to shoulder with the best actors in the region and more often than not he's a step ahead of them.

Bill Bartlett gives a fine turn as the musical accompanist. Gregory Boyd's direction is simple and effective. His staging is crisp and invigorating and wonderfully traditional after that "*MacBeth*" nonsense. The set by Robert Schmidt is filled with propellers, pieces of aircraft, doughboy dummies and other assorted reminders of the "Great War," yet remains surprisingly inviting. Lighting by Christiana Giannelli and sound by C.E. Slisky are handled professionally and flawlessly.

"*Billy Bishop Goes to War*" is great fun. Bean's performance is superlative. It's a wonderful treat when a play this good is performed by an actor this good. Don't miss this one. You'll remember it fondly long after the plane has landed.



Jeffrey Bean as the title character in "*Billy Bishop Goes to War*" at the Alley.

▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

Nevada governor signs into law a bill that allows gay sex in private

CARSON CITY, Nev., Thursday, June 17 (AP)—A bill allowing gay sex in private has been signed into law by Gov. Bob Miller, who says Nevada's anti-sodomy law dating to 1911 was unenforceable.

The measure won final legislative approval in the Assembly on Monday and

was signed Wednesday. It cancels a law that made gay sex between consenting adults a felony.

However, the bill was amended to make homosexual sex in public a felony punishable by up to six years in prison.

"The governor felt after reviewing the

testimony in the Legislature that the current law was unenforceable," said Miller aide Mike Campbell.

He said Miller supported the amendment, added in the Senate as a way to get more conservatives to support the original bill, because "it strikes at some of the live

sex shows."

Such shows have been a problem in Las Vegas, where 13 people, including 10 X-rated movie actresses, were recently indicted on sex-related charges following what was billed as an anti-censorship event.

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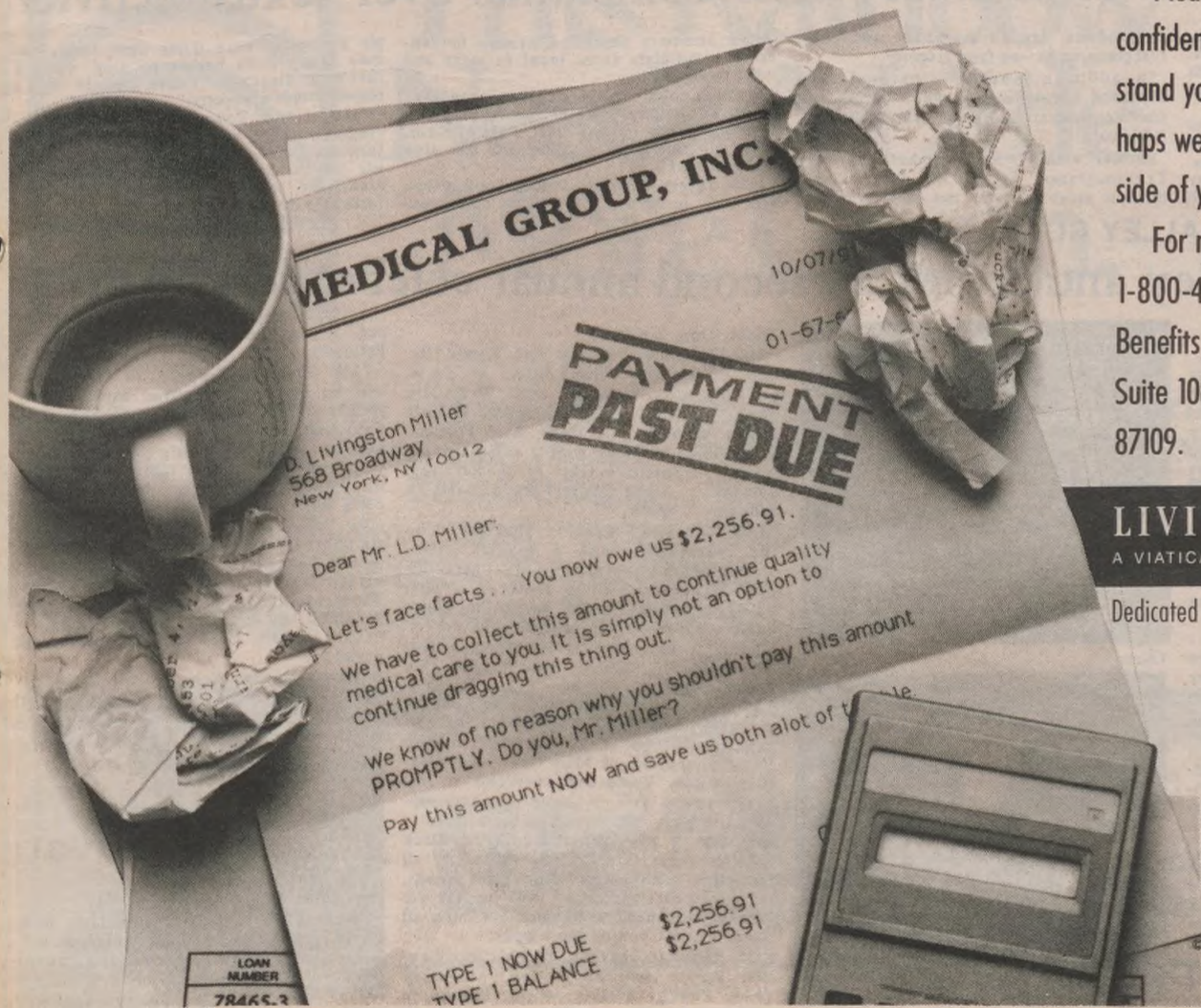
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▼▼▼ DATELINE: CORPUS CHRISTI

Coastal Bend AIDS Foundation Director James Campbell profiled

By DEBRA JEAN

The New Voice/Corpus Christi
James Campbell, Director of the Outreach Services at the Corpus Christi Coastal Bend AIDS Foundation celebrates a new year. For Campbell, April 25th marked a huge day in his life: the Washington March, a day he dreamed of for many years, and his 24th birthday.

In 1989 James Campbell, a student at South Western University in Georgetown, Texas rallied and coordinated a gay and lesbian student association. The association, which is still successful, said good-bye to Mr. Campbell upon his graduation in 1991.

Born in California, and now residing in Corpus Christi, James shares his feelings and thoughts with The New Voice.

DJ: How do you feel about being out?

JC: It's very important. I don't feel comfortable until I can be myself.

DJ: What rights were you fighting for in Washington?

JC: For the right of every American to be what they are and to be socially accepted...not only gays and lesbians, but also for racial prejudice and monetary labeling on individuals.

DJ: What was your favorite place in Washington?

JC: The Washington Memorial. While

reading, I was struck with the feeling that our founding fathers could have been gay. "Government must change as humanity changes." Standing in the rain, totally soaked, I thought the time for government to change is now because humanity is changing.

DJ: What was most memorable to

you?

JC: At the end of the march heading up to Capital Hill, all the energy in the air, positive energy between everybody, I truly felt the bonding of who we all are. I felt brotherly and sisterly love all around me.

DJ: What moved you the most emotionally?

JC: The positive energy of compassion I felt towards everyone, blacks, whites, leather dykes, people I don't get to see on a daily basis because of where I live. The realization that we are all common and equal no matter what society has brain washed us to believe.

DJ: How do you feel about public togetherness (holding and kissing)?

JC: Well, living in Corpus Christi, it's really an

option but in DC, it was great, everybody was very open. In Corpus Christi, safety and homophobia is the issue.

DJ: How did the March change you?

JC: I now feel a strong unwillingness to be comfortable with the rights we have or to even be thankful for any rights we will be given. We are individual and deserve respect! Also, I feel a renewed commitment to see people as who they are, no stereotyping, I feel respect and understanding for we are all equal.

DJ: How do you see the future for gays and lesbians?

JC: I see freedom.

DJ: What advice would you give somebody preparing for next year?

JC: Don't plan, go with the flow, fly and take a taxi everywhere.

While interviewing James, he mentioned that he saw slightly more men and was impressed by a group of U.S. Military Service men and women dressed in uniform marching to the beat of a drum. He said the lesbians looked peaceful and tranquil. Everyone was very family oriented. I asked about his future and he says he wishes to reside in a large metropolitan area and work within the gay community. The interview ended with Mr. Campbell's mother knocking at the door to bring James a little something for lunch.



James Campbell

▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

Last group of HIV-infected haitian refugees arrives in United States

By RAJU CHEBIUM

FOR THE NEW VOICE

MIAMI, Monday, June 21 (AP)—The last of 139 HIV-infected Haitians held for months at a U.S. Navy base in Cuba landed here Monday seeking asylum, and the military started to close the detention camp one federal judge called "an HIV prison."

"I came from Haiti, where it is bad, and I went to Guantanamo, where it was worse. Anywhere else should only be better," said Michel Valsaint, 29, a former agricultural extension agent in Haiti who was among the last 14 to arrive from the Guantanamo Bay camp.

The Haitians brought to Florida and New York from Guantanamo in the past week shouldn't be affected by Monday's U.S. Supreme Court ruling upholding the government's policy of returning

Haitians without hearing their political-asylum claims.

The refugees at the camp already were interviewed and found to have a fear of political persecution, said Cheryl Little, director of Florida Rural Legal Services, which helps Haitian refugees. "They are not affected by this ruling," Justice Department officials confirmed this.

The camp was opened soon after people started fleeing Haiti by the thousands in rickety boats following the 1991 ouster of President Jean-Bertrand Aristide, Haiti's first democratically elected president.

The dusty enclave of tents and barracks penned in by barbed wire held 12,500 Haitian boat people at its peak last year. Some were returned to Haiti. Others were allowed to enter the United States under asylum laws.

In recent months their numbers dwindled to HIV-infected refugees. They were stuck in limbo with legitimate asylum claims but unable to enter the United States because another federal policy barred immigration to people with HIV, the virus that causes AIDS.

On June 8, a federal judge in New York ruled that detaining the infected Haitians in what he called "an HIV prison" was illegal, and the barbed wire came down.

The last 11 men and three women from the camp arrived in Miami on Monday morning as the joint military command set up to run the camp prepared to return it to Navy control.

Camp Bulkeley, the official name of the camp ordinarily used for training, will be cleaned up and the 200 people assigned to the joint task force will leave

within the next two weeks, said Air Force Capt. Jamie Sears, a spokesperson for the U.S. Atlantic Command in Norfolk, Va.

Since the White House has ordered fleeing Haitians returned to Haiti, Sears said "there are no plans to bring any more to Guantanamo."

Six of Monday's arrivals will be settled in Florida, seven in New York and one in Massachusetts with the help of social-service agencies, Justice Department spokesperson Ron Tomalis said.

Immigration and Naturalization Service officials in Washington didn't immediately return requests for information about two pregnant women airlifted out of Guantanamo separately for medical reasons and a man brought to Florida whose asylum case remains unsettled.

▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

Vermont rest areas to be closed after complaints over sexual activity

POWNAL, Vt., Thursday, June 17 (AP)—Two rest areas off U.S. Route 7 in Pownal that have been the target of complaints about sexual activity by homosexual men are being closed.

Over the past few years owners of the adjacent Burrington family farms have reported cut barbed wire fences and damaged signs near the rest areas and they have found sexually related debris—such

as condoms, explicit magazines and Polaroid photographs—on farm property.

In addition, the Burringtons have reported encounters between farmhands and trespassers, said Rep. Charles Palmer, R-Pownal.

Palmer said Wednesday that the state Transportation Agency decided to close the rest areas after he met with Transpor-

tation Secretary Patrick Garrahan to reiterate complaints from local farmers and other residents.

State crews have begun installing guardrails in the parking areas to block vehicles from pulling off, Palmer said. Later, topsoil will be added and the area will be seeded over.

In a recent incident, Palmer said, "two kids went up there to fix a fence, and a cou-

ple of people were doing their thing, and they didn't even bother to stop. I think that's a disgrace. These people won't respect people's property."

Palmer and Town Clerk Karen Burrington, whose family owns the adjacent farmland, both said they were sorry tourists will no longer be able to use the rest areas, but said the actions of a few had forced the closings.

▼▼▼ RIO GRANDE VALLEY SOAP

Rio Grande Valley anticipates its second annual celebration of Pride

By ALICIA LUGO

The New Voice/Rio Grande Valley

It's party week in South Texas! This year we are celebrating the second Annual Gay Pride Week in the Rio Grande Valley. This year's activities are being presented by Valley Voice and the Valley's Gay/Lesbian Alliance. Last Friday night the Valley kicked off this year's Gay Pride Week Celebration with a huge bash at 10th Avenue in McAllen. 10th Avenue hosted a tribute show to the late Leonardo Mena. Amongst the performers were Takisha More, Jacquie Fabiani, Joshua St. Michael and Sweet and Luscious.

On Sunday, despite heavy rains thanks to tropical storm Arlene, there was a great turnout at P.B.D.'s for the U.S.O. show "Ban the Ban of Gays in the Military." Several people showed up in military uniforms keeping with the spirit of the show. The show featured a host of performers from across the Valley, including Miss Gay Pride 1992-93, Chanel; Kelly Kline, Paulina Mercedes Lane, Stephanie Mills, and Joshua St. Michael.

That night, letters and petitions were circulated addressing the Senate Armed Services Committee on lifting the ban of gays in the military. The letters were written by Nick Ybarra and can be picked up from Valley Voice members. Also that night there were plenty of munchies, "submarine" sandwiches, and lots of other goodies provided by



Chanel



Chuck at PBD's

Chuck, Don, and Drew.

Monday night P.B.D.'s also hosted the first of the Gay Film Festival by showing "Paris is Burning" and "Prick Up Your Ears." On Tuesday, Zippers in Harlingen showed "La Cage Aux Folles" and "Queerele" along with a video tape of one of Houston's Gay Pride Parades. Thursday night Just Tery's will be showing "The Ritz."

Club 440 in Brownsville, also got in on the celebration with a special "Illusions" of the performing art's best this past Wednesday which featured a host of Valley stars. Thanks go out to Edgar and the whole gang for a great job.

Tonight, Just Tery's in McAllen will be hosting the second annual Miss Gay Pride of the Rio Grande Valley Pageant. There are six contestants who will be vying for the title. The winner of this pageant will go on to represent Valley Voice in this year's Miss Gay Texas Pageant. Valley Voice and everyone at Just Tery's invite you to come out and support the girls. While you're there be sure and stop by the "Pride Shop" and check out this year's Gay Pride T-shirts and all the other goodies including Pride Rings, pins, and earrings which will be on sale by the back bar. Next week I'll have all the details for you on the winner.

On Saturday, M.C.C. of the Rio Grande Valley will be having their Gay Pride Funday with activities beginning at 3:00 p.m. There will be games, food,

and a dance on Saturday night in the Fellowship Hall.

This Sunday, Zippers in Harlingen will be hosting the second annual Pansy Pachanga. The bar will be open at 2:00 p.m. with lots of fun, food and prizes. If you attended last year's pachanga, then you know you won't want to miss this one. Imagine, twelve whole hours of party fun!

So Valley, be sure and come out and support all these great establishments which have gone the extra length to bring Gay Pride Week to the Valley. There are thousands of Gays and Lesbians here and it's high time we came out of our closets. Come out and show your pride!



Takisha with friend

▼▼▼ DATELINE: TEXAS

History buffs dispute book's suggestion that a rebel hero was gay

CLEBURNE, Texas, Monday, June 21 (AP)—Confederate Maj. Gen. Patrick Cleburne "shared his blanket" with a fellow soldier during the Civil War and a best-selling book suggests that he was gay. But historians in this town named for the Rebel hero say it's a revisionist theory.

"I think they misinterpreted what that man was saying about him," Layland Museum research aide Milly Vaughn said of the battlefield memoirs by Cleburne's adjutant general, Capt. Irving A. Buck.

Buck's memoirs, printed in 1908 and reprinted in 1958, with an essay by editor

Thomas Robson Hay that includes the quote, say that the adjutant's relations with Cleburne were close and confidential.

The essay said that Buck and Cleburne often ate together and that Cleburne "shared his blanket."

Randy Shilts, the author of "Conduct Unbecoming: Gays & Lesbians in the U.S. Military" said he sees the statement as evidence of homosexuality.

"I think the evidence is fairly straightforward ... when you have a situation of a lifelong bachelor who sleeps under the blankets with a lifelong bachelor," Shilts said.

The author said he was unaware the general was engaged to Sue Tarleton of Alabama when he died in battle in 1864. Buck married in 1871.

Area researchers say the best-selling author has misunderstood.

Layland Museum director Mabel McCall said that it wasn't homosexuality, it's the changing times.

"The words from way back then are different now," Ms. McCall said.

"When you had one blanket and it was zero temperature, you would sleep with a dog to keep you warm," Ms. McCall said.

"He even shared his boots," said Ms.

Vaughn. Cleburne is 33 miles south of Fort Worth and has a population of about 22,000. During the Civil War, some 500 soldiers who trained at the town, formerly Fort Henderson, fought for Patrick Ronayne Cleburne.

When the veterans returned to Texas with stories of their commander's heroism, the town voted to rename itself for Cleburne, who was killed in battle in Franklin, Tenn.

"Do you think they would have done that if they thought he was gay?" Ms. Vaughn asked. "Back then it really had a strong negative to it."

▼▼▼ DATELINE: HOUSTON

Southern Baptists rebuke Clinton for views on abortion, gays

By LAURA TOLLEY
FOR THE NEW VOICE

HOUSTON, Wednesday, June 16 (AP)—Southern Baptist Convention delegates Wednesday formally rebuked President Clinton for his support of abortion and gay rights, passing a resolution saying their fellow Baptist does not believe as they do.

A day after numerous resolutions were proposed criticizing Clinton, delegates overwhelmingly passed a mildly worded resolution pointing out the group's differences with Clinton. They then prayed for the president to change his mind on those issues.

Clinton and Vice President Al Gore are members of the denomination's moderate wing. Neither was asked to speak at the convention, which is led by

conservative Baptists.

The resolution says the denomination will distance itself from various actions and positions Clinton has taken regarding abortion rights and gays in the military, and it urges him "to affirm biblical morality in exercising his public office, recognizing that to do so is not inappropriate nor is it a violation of the separation of the institutions of church and state."

It also asks the more than 15 million Southern Baptists to pray for Clinton and to use their influence to try to convince him to "stand for biblical morality and to reverse his stands..."

However, delegates rejected an amendment calling on Clinton to repent.

Before the vote, one messenger said

the resolution set a "dangerous precedent."

"I don't think we need to put his name in this thing. It to me smacks of partisan politics," said Don Wilkey, of Onalaska, Texas. "This smacks of a personal attack."

"I think there's a lack of class on the part this convention" by mentioning Clinton's name, he said, adding he didn't want to have to explain the convention's action to angry Democrats back home.

But the Rev. Ronnie Floyd, of Springdale, Ark., said the resolution was not a personal attack.

"We respect his position as the president of the United States of America," Floyd said. "However, the intent of this resolution is to separate ourselves as a

body from the president's policies on the critical moral issues which we believe are in contradiction to the word of God and what is best for America."

More than 17,000 delegates are attending the three-day Southern Baptist Convention, which ends Thursday at the George R. Brown Convention Center.

Earlier Wednesday, delegates approved a recommendation regarding Southern Baptists who also are Freemasons. Some Southern Baptists consider Freemasonry a cult, a claim vehemently denied by Masons.

The recommendation that passed says some of the tenets and teachings of some Mason lodges are not compatible with Christian beliefs, but it said membership in a Mason Order should "be a matter of personal conscience."

▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

International Design Conference in Aspen goes on despite boycott

ASPEN, Colo., Thursday, June 17 (AP)—The 43rd annual International Design Conference is being held as planned despite efforts of Boycott Colorado groups angered over passage of Amendment 2.

The groups have been pushing a Colorado boycott since voters decided last

November to repeal anti-bias laws for gays.

"We were affected there's no question about that," said Lori Schwab, program director for the conference.

She said participant registration is

about 510 this year, compared with 610 in 1992.

Schwab and other conference officials said the weak national economy probably has as much to do with the decrease for the weeklong conference as anything.

"We got 15 letters that specifically cited

Amendment 2," said Schwab, "which isn't very much from a mailing list of 6,500."

The theme of this year's conference, "Reconstruction Ahead," concerns issues ranging from reality in advertising to human rights in Sarajevo.

It ends on Friday.



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HOUSTON SOAP

Arlene's beware!; Dirt anyone?; Happy Gay Pride Week; Welcome home Trucker

By TAD NELSON

The New Voice/Houston
Hello Houston!

I don't know about the rest of you, but I sure hope I don't meet up with any women named Arlene this week. Are you sick of this rain or what?

I took the Peterbilt out last week and it got sprinkled on and I'm afraid that it's not going to stop raining long enough for me to get it cleaned up before the trucker and mom get back from Alaska. My car looks kind of dirty right now, too. Usually, the trucker gets these car washing fevers and washes all the cars at once. It's great! I've told him that, when I'm rich, and famous, (I'm not holding my breath on that one) I'll buy him a car wash of his very own. He does a great job and by hand too! Even the interiors.

You know, I'm not sure if many of you were affected by Arlene, but I was. I couldn't sleep all Saturday night. The storm was raging all that day and I figured what a great day to pull weeds—so I did—yes, in the rain. No mosquitoes—right! Someone forgot to tell me that chiggers could swim...and then crawl up to the most uncomfortable places. Ouch!

Then a friend from church, we'll call him JoJo, went with me to see the new film d'jour, "Jurassic Park." It was great, but, sleeping alone in a relatively new environment, I had the usual Dino-chomped-me type dreams. It was really strange too, because when we came out of the theater and got in the car it was just like being in the storm in the movie. Really an eerie feeling. Kind of like the night I came out of seeing "The Exorcist," and the girl I was with threw up all over the car. Was she possessed or was it just a coincidence? I didn't go out with her again to find out.

Well there were no dinosaurs on the bayou Saturday night, but I did get home to another surprise from Arlene. She was leaking in through the ceiling on my leather sheets. No major damage—but sleeping with a 40 gallon trash can on the end of the bed to catch the drip was not fun. I couldn't sleep until I was finally totally exhausted around 6:30 a.m. Sunday morning. Guess what! I missed church. Yep, slept through the alarm.

Well then I went to my sister's house the next day begging for a chigger cure and she recommended fingernail polish and bender. Have you ever noticed how people will stare at you sort of funny-like, when you walk into the corner drug store to get something and you have little red polka dots of nail polish all over your body? I suppose long sleeves and long pants would have been the order of the day, but who thinks when they're in agony. After all, you guys know the first thing those little chiggers go for, don't you? Yes, the nuggies—that's right. Little SOB's. And the bender might have worked, who knows for sure, because it knocked me out and I was out for the rest of the day. If you are ever looking for a sleeping pill, skip Somnex and try Bender. I guarantee it! So, what happened to you all this weekend?

I hear that at E/J's there's a whole new set of title holders. Ms. E/J's was



Carolyn takes a few licks from Brucella

won by Rose Luna with runner up J.D. La Rue. Mr. E/J's was won by Jerry Morin and runner up was Roy Cisneros. And finally Brittany Paige, the newly crowned Miss Mid Texas crowned her successor to Miss E/J's Sivi Ross. Congratulations to you all.



Kofi and models from Basic Bros. fashion show

E/J's softball team. They would like to thank all those in attendance who helped with donations to the cause.

This Saturday at E/J's, Lucy (John Alford) will either give up or retain the crown for Mother of E/J's. Voting will have been taking place all week so you still have Thursday through Saturday to get those votes in.



Our local Ms TGRA candidate at BRB

There was lots happening at Pacific Street this past week too. Dean Walradt competed in Dallas for the title of Mr. Gulf Coast Drummer and although he did not come home



Everyone enjoyed MSL's Jock's in Dresses



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with the title, he is still a winner at Pacific Street.

Sunday night partiers at Pacific Street saw the Mr. Gay Houston-USA contest with popular Mr. Gay Houston '92, Scott Free and Lauren Brach, emcees. The new Mr. Gay Houston-USA 93 is David Monroe. Congratulations David on your new title.

Just a little old dirt for those in the nosy:

Brian (Ripcord) I hear you are the newest employee. Happy sabbatical and welcome home.

Meg (Wolfpack) Achtung! I come.

Which Wolf-thang lost his car for the 3rd time recently?

Why is David (Mining Company) a queen without a crown? Have a second burger baby!

I hear Gaye (Mary's) has gone to the dogs since her birthday. How were the tracks in Louisiana—wet like here?

What's this about Yoda (Venture-N) having a baby shower? Miss Thang, I knew you were getting big, but I heard it was a baby elephant and you can already see the trunk!

Enough of that dirt stuff. Does anybody know what's happening this week?

It's Gay Pride Week, of course. Lot's of great activities will be happening this weekend and I'm sure that you can check out the schedule of events that will be listed in this paper somewhere in a prominent place by Shaun.

As for bar events, I will list a few here, but you are better off reading the bar ads in the Houston section since that's what they put them there for.

First off, have you been by each of the bars to check out the decorations yet? Well get your butts out and do it. They aren't decorating and going to all the trouble for themselves. They are doing it so you can enjoy yourselves and truly feel "Out and Proud" and get in the spirit for the weekend while you are visiting their establishments. And some have put forth a lot of effort, too.

Gentry has been transformed into a sea of rainbow colors for Gay Pride Week. I saw them stapling that ribbon up last week and if anything was still long enough, Rita was there to fluff it up. Papa Del wants you to be sure and stop by Sunday for a video replay of the parade at 6:00 p.m., then enjoy a fabulous ribeye steak dinner and the talents of the Lone Star Male Revue.

The Venture-N had a rainbow of colored balloons from one end to the other the last time I saw and provided there are no tall drunks with lit cigarettes hanging out there they may still have. Looked gay to me... and I know the new owners are proud. Check out the new happy hour from noon to 8:00 p.m. daily with \$1.75 well, beer and wine. But between 5 to 7:00 p.m. is their special Power Hour with \$1.00 prices on well, beer and wine. Go by and visit with Carolyn for a fun afternoon but leave the balloons alone until Sunday.

Ripcord has an interesting display of rainbow spot-lit chain-link to show their brand of pride and butch-looking pride it is, too. Actually I wish they would



Nuns in Heaven, how appropriate

make me a four poster bed frame like that. Or better yet, decor on our sling. But, back on track. John T. has an art show in the back bar area and believe it or not it is pictures from WWII. No, not the war—the show from back in 1978 that many of us were part of. Yes, along with Danny Villa, were the likes of Mary

Hooper, Jeff Barton, Steve Kerbow, Maude, and me. I'm in 4 of the pictures (almost with hair—after all, we're talking 15 years ago). Interesting to see who all was around back then and who is still with us.

And as far as non-bar businesses go, the best I have seen so far is Basic Brothers on Westheimer. They have a great set of windows with the "Out and Proud" theme in neon, rainbow colors. Richard, Bill, Ken and Cody have done a great job—as always. By the way, they put on a great fashion show this past Sunday at Heaven. If the model with the rippling legs and tiny red sling thong would call me, my husband is still out of town for two more days and we could have fun in the Peterbilt. Just kidding! I love you honey!

I hope to see each and every one of you this week at one Gay Pride function or another. If not, maybe at the parade. I will be there along with the Trucker and we think we are going to bring Trucker mom for her first ever Gay Pride Parade. That will be an interesting first for someone who is 91 years old. I don't think that she has ever seen too many gay people in one place. At least not more than there are at MCCR each Sunday. Don't forget to check the listings for the various after and pre-parade parties and see you at the fireworks display in Spotts Park. Happy Gay Pride to all of you and welcome home to my trucker. I've really missed your company.

Bye for now!



Miss Ray West looking oh so pretty



Don't Miss Karl Thomas at Pacific Street

Photo Karl Thomas courtesy Randall Studios, L.A.



Sivi Ross is the new Miss E/J's

DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

Arkansas congressman opposes gays in military, supports veterans' benefits

LITTLE ROCK, Sunday, June 20 (AP)—Freshman Congressman Tim Hutchinson says he strongly opposes lifting the ban on gays in the military and supports the preservation of veterans' health-care benefits.

Speaking at an annual convention of the state's Disabled American Veterans, Hutchinson said Saturday, "After talking with senior military officials, I can guarantee you that I'll continue to support the ban of homosexuals entering

the military."

Veterans in wheelchairs lined the back of the conference room; others gave the congressman standing ovations when he mentioned his support for the ban on gays and his appreciation of veterans.

"There are many challenges of the '90s confronting veterans and the Department of Veterans Affairs. As representative of the 3rd Congressional

District I'm going to fight for your benefits and payments," he said.

Hutchinson, 43, a Bentonville minister, was elected in November to replace Republican Rep. John Paul Hamerschmidt, who retired after 13 terms. A Republican, Hutchinson serves on the Veterans Affairs and Public Works and Transportation committees in Congress.

Hutchinson told the group he'll use his veterans committee position "to

never again allow our armed forces to become a hollow army."

Reciting the number of those killed or injured in this country's past four wars and conflicts, Hutchinson, who never served in the military, tried to convince the group that he was aware of their suffering and unending struggles.

"I'm here today to say thanks. I believe it's men like you who took my place. I'm indebted to you and America owes you a great deal," he said.



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▼▼▼ NEW ORLEANS SOAP

An apology; more on military compromises...and yes, more hot bods

By BUNCH BRITAIN

The New Voice/New Orleans
My apologies to Pat Grusenmeyer and the NO/AIDS Task Force Board of Directors for leaving the impression that they had refused to give The New Voice the financial statements of the Task Force. In this column on June 11th, I wrote "there seems to be a universal feeling in our community that these financial matters should be open to the public." I also said "We feel that this information should be freely forthcoming from any non-profit organization that serves our community." This misunderstanding stemmed from a request that individual employee salaries be provided for a news story.

In a letter to the Board on June 3rd, I said, "...questions concerning the income and spending of these groups are a vital interest to our readers in the gay community." And further, "If you have information concerning the salaries and other expenses of the task force we would be anxious to work with you in writing about these facts..."

I'm happy to report that the 1992 financial statement of the NO/AIDS Task Force has been freely provided to us and will be printed in next week's issue of The New Voice. We would still appreciate seeing a breakdown on the salaries of the employees of the Task Force. The Board of Directors is studying our request for this information. The board in a letter stated that they were interested in "...safeguarding the privacy of its individual employees..."

The Pentagon is playing with us again on the "gays in the military" issue. Tuesday, someone in the vast catacomb across the Potomac River "leaked" a memo to the press purporting to be the policy Secretary Aspen would recommend to the President.

The highlight of the memo says that no one would be asked about their sexual preference upon entering the service; there would be no "witch hunts" and no investigation of military personnel based solely on sexual preference complaints; homosexuality would be declared to be inconsistent with the armed forces; admission of homosexuality would be grounds for discharge from the service; and acts of homosexuality

on military installations or off-base would also be grounds for discharge.

Congressman Barney Frank stated that he believed that if this was to be the Secretary's recommendation that it could be changed before it was passed on to the President. The President said he had not changed his mind (whatever that means) and he wishes that he could be done with it. The Pentagon criticized the leak and said that the final policy had not been decided and would not be ready for several more weeks.

It all sounds like the first public shot to see how much the military could get away with without giving up much ground. They love to play politics by "leak" in Washington but the military just isn't subtle enough to get away with it. We feel sure there will be major changes before the final order is published by the President. Mr. President, we also wish it would get over with and people would stop playing games with our future. Please stick with your anti-discrimination promise. Surely we can expect that.

Congratulations to Sean who represented The Mint in the finals of the "Hot Bods" contest. He won first prize and that's something we heartily concur with. Pictured here with Sean is Vicki representing Good Friends and Kevin who represented The Rawhide. Stop by the Mint and congratulate this hunk while you enjoy the best show-bar in Louisiana.

George and Jamie at the Phoenix are



Hot Bods finalists

happy to present the 4th annual "Hairy Lady" contest this Saturday, June 26th. Sign-up is at 9 pm and the show starts at 10:00 p.m. There'll be cash prizes and a fabulous crown for the lucky "Lady" winner. Prepare yourself now for the Phoenix's 10 year anniversary that's coming up on Saturday, July 10th. Remember this weekend that the Phoenix is only a short hop and jump from the Gay Festival in Washington Square Park.

The entire management and staff of the OZ are all winding themselves up for their formal Grand Opening this Saturday, June 26th. Tommy is having special prices all day and night and promises a brand new NEON party that night for your enjoyment. Check out the pictures of the employees in their full page ad this week. Many more will be pictured next week in this column.

Many of the bars and restaurants of New Orleans will be sponsoring booths

at the Gay Pride Festival this weekend at Washington Square Park. You are encouraged to be part of the parade this Saturday and enjoy all of the festivities Saturday and Sunday. The Freddie Palmisano Entertainment Tent will be full of the finest talent that we have to offer. Lynn Thomas, composer of "Together Proud and Strong" which was written for the 1993 March on Washington will be joined by performers from all of New Orleans. The parade will start lining up around 11:00 a.m. Saturday.

There's going to be a little bit of everything for everybody. Don't forget to be there for this year's Dog Show. The Kid's Tent will have some animals from the SPCA shelter for the children to enjoy. Anheuser Busch is sponsoring the Pride Sports Tournament this year. Two and four men/women teams will be competing for prizes and trophies. And if you've always wanted to be a New Orleans Police Officer this will be the place to start. The NOPD has a booth and will be actively recruiting men and women to serve as commissioned officers.

The food and drink will be the best, as usual, served and enjoyed as only New Orleans knows how. We'll look forward to seeing many of you at Washington Square Park. We'll have pictures and a story about the highlights next week.

Although summer is now upon us, our weather has remained mild for the season. The tropical storm from the Caribbean has kept the days and nights cool for the last few days. The Louisiana Supreme Court has heard the final arguments from anti-casino forces and expect to hand down their decision by July 15th, the date the State Gaming Commission is to name the group they will license for New Orleans' only land-based casino. We predict the Court will find in favor of the gaming interests. If true, a temporary casino could be open in the Municipal Auditorium at Armstrong Park by this fall.

Greetings to all of you out-of-towners to the Crescent City. Enjoy yourself while you're here and take our best wishes back to your home. We'll see you right here next week in the Queen of the South, New Orleans.

▼▼▼ BATON ROUGE SOAP

Tiffany Alexander gets a well-deserved rest; what happened to Thursdays?

By CURTIS E. JACKSON, JR.

The New Voice/Baton Rouge
Argon has finally gotten around to passing their "Entertainer of the Year" title on to new blood. The new entertainer of this year will be working at Argon on scheduled Thursdays and for special events as hostess and/or M.C.

Tiffany Alexander, has gracefully filled this position for about two years now.

The scheduled contestants included Victoria Hunter and Marilyn Mills. Because of a prior engagement, I was unable to attend this pageant. However, I would like to give a special note of thanks to Sally and everyone else responsible for taking the pictures of the show. Hopefully, I will get my camera back in time to include these pictures in this article.

But, what happened last Thurs-

day night? Wednesday night was really hopping at Argon. Then not a soul showed the following day. I suppose everyone was hiding from the rain. Thank God that Buddies was just around the corner or the few that did show up wouldn't have had a party. Now that the variety show will be resuming it's scheduling of area talents,

Thursdays may regain their luster and shine.

Last Friday also featured the Mirror's Country Western Night. Since the downtown area wasn't all blocked off by festival events this week. Nothing inhibited the usual throng of two-steppers from herding on in. So, keep those dancing boots warm for the next time.

Saturday was hot, the rain obviously has no effect on weekends in Baton Rouge. Every bar and club was packed especially the Argon. Argon appears to be becoming similar to what Xanthus was years ago. I've been seeing more of a pleasantly mixed gay, lesbian, straight, and indifferent group of partiers ever since summer began.

Coming up next week in Baton Rouge, the Hide-A-Way will be throwing their Country Western Night on Friday, July 2nd. They will be adding a special bonus: a fully loaded Tex-Mex Buffet. So come on down and feast on the Texas grub and dance to those country tunes. The fun will be starting at 8:00p.m., so don't be late.

Also, on Friday, live Country singer



Joel and Curtis

Freddy Burch will be kicking off his show around 11:00p.m. at Georges' bar. For those of you who were lucky enough to see Freddy on his last visit to Baton Rouge, I'm sure that I needn't use too much persuasion to get you back in Georges'. Freddy really knows how to woo a crowd with his gay country style.

Next Saturday, July 3rd, Buddies will be in full swing with their Full Moon Trash White Party. James and Kyle will be high-lighting this party with a \$100 bar tab give-a-way at 12:30 a.m. No cheating this time y'all. Don't forget to wear white. Why do you think it is called a "White" party?

Well, that's all I've got for y'all this time. But, more is sure to come. Keep in touch, call (504) 344-3465.



Marilyn Mills & Tiffany Alexander

▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

World Bank gives first major loan to Africa for AIDS and other STD's

WASHINGTON, Monday, June 21 (AP)—The World Bank announced on Monday its biggest loan for fighting AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases in Africa: \$64.5 million to Zimbabwe.

The project's first aim is to buy an adequate supply of condoms, and it will spend more than \$12 million on them.

The bank has made similar loans to India and Brazil. But in Africa its biggest contribution on sexual diseases had been

\$10 million lent in 1990 to Tanzania as part of a larger health and nutrition project.

Africa is especially hard hit by AIDS. The bank estimates that by the middle of last year, 7 million adults there were infected with the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), the precursor of AIDS. The World Health Organization says that in some large cities of east and central Africa between one-quarter and one-third

of everyone aged 15 to 49 is infected.

For the Zimbabwe project, an additional \$14.8 million from Britain's Overseas Development Association, and \$8 million from the Zimbabwe government itself, will provide a total of \$87.3 million, the announcement said.

More than \$36 million will go to treat diseases related to HIV, including tuberculosis.

The project will also set up a government program on sexual diseases, help treat patients most at risk, insure safety of the blood supply, contribute to HIV diagnosis and screening and protect health care workers.

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"Members of Congress continue to be inundated with messages of hatred and bigotry from the radical right. It is more important than ever that your voice be heard on Capitol Hill"

—Rep. Gerry Studds

The best way to keep the pressure on Congress is to make sure they hear from all their constituents year-round. By joining **Speak Out**, a mail program of the Human Rights Campaign Fund, you can do just that. Not only is **Speak Out** focused on the military debate, they are on top of all the issues affecting Lesbians and Gay men today.

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▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA

American Medical Association bans discrimination against gay doctors

By BRENDA C. COLEMAN
FOR THE NEW VOICE

CHICAGO, Tuesday, June 15 (AP)—The American Medical Association on Tuesday banned discrimination against homosexual doctors who want to join its ranks.

By a voice vote, policy-making delegates for the nation's largest association of doctors added the words "sexual orientation" to their non-discrimination bylaw. They had rejected similar measures several times previously in the past four years.

"We are not condoning any lifestyle at all," said the AMA's outgoing president, Dr. John L. Clowe. "The only thing the board wishes to do is change the

bylaws."

If the 435 delegates did not accept the non-discrimination language, the issue would have returned year after year, Clowe said. He noted that similar policies have been adopted by the American Dental Association, American Telephone & Telegraph and IBM.

Benjamin Schatz, executive director of a gay-oriented physicians' group, said the vote was an acknowledgement that gay and lesbian physicians are an increasingly vocal force in medicine.

At an AMA committee hearing Monday, he testified that his group, the American Association of Physicians for Human Rights, had doubled membership over the past year to more than one

thousand members.

About three dozen people testified Monday, many of them homosexual doctors, and comments overall ran about 4-to-1 for adding "sexual orientation" to the non-discrimination code.

Dr. John D. Watson, the delegate from the American College of Nuclear Medicine, disagreed, saying less than 3 percent of the population is homosexual and should not be singled out for protection.

"I think what we have (in the bylaws) is fine," said Watson. "I will not do anything that will endorse a lifestyle and say I'm in favor of it when I am vigorously opposed, both for personal and religious reasons."

Dr. Stanley J. Lucas said the addition of "sexual orientation" to the bylaws might open the door to other demands, such as an endorsement of family insurance coverage for partners of homosexuals.

But Dr. Wesley Cook said the issue has great symbolic importance. "It (AMA policy) carries messages all across America. That's why we have press here," said Cook, president of the 100-member Gay and Lesbian Physicians of Chicago. "We take a position on domestic violence, and CBS does a special on it. That is the importance of it. We are the health-care leaders."

▼▼▼ GALVESTON SOAP

Nasty weather but good times in Galveston; Mr. Gay Houston pageant update

By JERRY STUART

The New Voice/Galveston

This past week here in Galveston, the weather has been really nasty but it didn't have much effect on the night life or the Club scene. We just had to use a little more of that mega-hold hair spray and dig out our umbrellas to weather the rain storms.

The clubs were very busy last Friday night and Saturday night there were a couple of entertainers from out-of-town. Garza Productions was proud to introduce Karl Thomas, a well known Porno Star, to the Island at the Kon Tiki. They also brought Miss Tiffany R. in from Arizona to perform in the Saturday and Sunday night shows. I didn't get a chance to see them at the Kon Tiki, but heard the show was great. I met them at Jesse's house Sunday evening and got the chance to chat with them before I had to leave for Houston to cover the Mr. Gay Houston Pageant at Pacific Street.

That pageant lasted about four hours and the talent competition was really stiff. The winner of the Pageant was David Monroe from Austin. He now resides in Houston and said he will do his best to represent Houston and our gay community as did former Mr. Gay Houston, the wonderful and very talented, Scott Free. Scott dressed to kill that night and knocked their socks off when he sang a song, by the great Elton John, live that in my opinion sounded as good as Elton himself.



Winners at Mr. Gay Houston pageant

The first runner-up was the reigning Mr. Gentry, Peter Houston. And Peter sang songs by Billy Ray Cyrus for the talent competition that would make Billy Ray himself proud. The emcee of the pageant was Lauren Brock, a former Miss Texas U.S.A.



Chuck at Evolution

Shawanna Brooks and Lauren Taylor, Miss Houston, both had numbers in the show and also had the honor of presenting awards to the contestants.

As for Island gossip: Chuck, a former bartender at Garbo's, now known as Evolution, was out last weekend showing off his new motorcycle as well as his newest tattoos. I was able to get a photo of him on his new machine in front of Evolution. He made the comment that when he gets on this bike it makes him want to paint his toe nails red, to match the bike of course. I was tempted to ask him to take off his boot to see if he really did.

Miss Cindy was also out and I got some grease on her too. She sings songs by Bette Midler and Amy Grant live on Sunday evenings at the Kon Tiki. She said that she has been singing since she was able to

talk and comes from a very musical family. Cindy was born in Italy and has lived here in Galveston for seven years. She is Bi and single, so for those of you who haven't met her or heard her sing or might be interested in a date, stop by the K.T. on Sunday night for the show.

LaFitte's will be having a puppet show on the Fourth of July that is really cute and is usually a lot of fun, so is you haven't seen it before it would be a good way to start the evening off. They are also throwing a birthday party for Kurt, Bill, and Curtis on the seventh of July. There will be a show in their honor and free buffet.

I would once again like to remind you all if you have any gossip or know of any upcoming events, call me at (409) 762-9242 anytime and leave a message. All input is appreciated. Sincerely, your friendly Island reporter.



Scott Free

▼▼▼ CORPUS CHRISTI SOAP

Corpus Christi is ready and waiting...Splash 1993 is finally here

By DEBRA JEAN

The New Voice/Corpus Christi

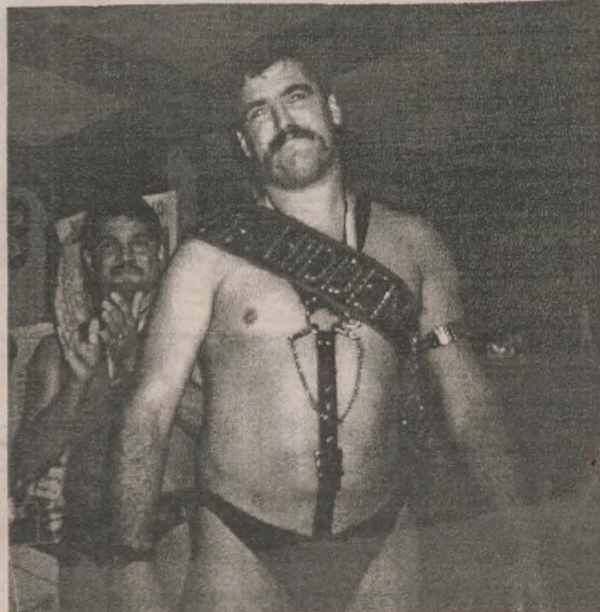
Splash 1993 is here! The Riviera's biggest event starts Sunday, June 27th at noon. The word is all area clubs have united and raised funds to provide free beer and food, music, volleyball, sand sculpting, and live dance entertainment for everyone joining the action. A package give away including one night at the Ramada Inn, free tickets for four to the race track, breakfast for two and complementary drink tickets. Be part of Splash 1993 and make a big wave.

Mr. Hidden Door 1993, Joe Awesome, was awesome as he accepted the title. Congratulations

Joe. First runner up, Roy Nina accepted his medal and the responsibilities of runner up. Congratulations Roy. And a twist in the "Mr." contest, Ida Rojas, second runner-up won the hearts of the judges and broke records of eleven years as the only woman in the history of this contest, to place second.

Judges Butch, Randy, and Jack had a difficult time picking the winners. All the contestants were great. Jack, Mr. Hidden Door 1992, gave up his title with grace and congratulated the new winner.

The volley ball tournament was a



Joe: Mr. Hidden Door 1993

gas. Jurassic Jewels and Choices Stingers played a hot game in a steady rain fall. The players Amador, Romero, Walter, James George, Bruci-Brucella DeValle, Frank, Roy, David, Jerry, Dave, and the Referee, Richard all deserve a big "good job" guys. Congratulations Stingers on your victory. The barbecue was hot and delicious.

Tuesday, the Hidden Door has a draft beer special from 7:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. Steak is served from 7:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. and at 9:00p.m., they offer their super shot pool tournament with \$20.00 going to the winner. There is no entry fee.

Choices has a totally new thang going on. Hot, Hot Turnkey Productions presents Shaving Cream Wrestling! July 8th, Thursday. Be there and see ground breaking entertainment happen in Corpus Christi. Remember, the Mr. Choices contest will be happening soon on July 4th. Be a contestant and represent Choices this year.

Desert Hearts, "where the girls are," will be opening at 6:00 p.m. Sunday for a special Splash, keep the party going bash. The bartenders will be serving up special hot drinks and the house will be happening. Come enjoy cool drink specials, hot relaxing atmosphere and hot new music surrounded, of course, by Corpus Christi's hottest women.

Anthony's has created a special, "The Francisco Card" line. All occasion greeting cards with the hot Brazilian model Francisco showing his bod. Call Anthony at (512) 992-3496 or write Anthony's B&B, 222 S Whitney, Aransas Pass, TX, 78336.

U.B.U. has it happening with Ms. Gay USA, Sweet Savage. She was hot. The house was wild and Savage, as the "Queen of Dance," worked the crowd.

Mike, U.B.U.'s manager, wants Sweetness to come back really soon. The Midnight show with Myhissa Mycheals was hot. Jasmine Sx, Arron Davis, Tori, Alisha, Nina, and Channell Stevens was a number to die for. Linda Love was too hot and so was Vanessa Richards. Good luck girls. Beautiful Denise Fairchild, from San Antonio, graced the dance



A Choice's entertainer



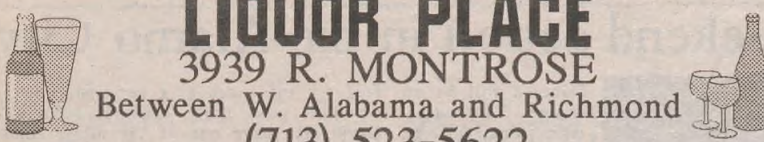
Beauties at Desert Hearts

floor with her beauty. Remember, Splash Party at U.B.U. all day, all night. And coming July 4th, the Miss Corpus Christi USA Pageant an official Preliminary to Ms. Texas USA, just call Oprah for information at (512) 991-9145.

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▼▼▼ DATELINE: GAY AMERICA
Utah State Board of Education bans textbook homosexuality reference

LOGAN, Utah, Wednesday, June 16 (AP)—The state Board of Education has rejected letting teachers use textbooks that are accepting of homosexuality. The board voted Tuesday to reject guidelines proposed by the state Textbook Commission and to keep the standards set in 1987. By statute and inclination, Utah schools use a conservative sex education curriculum that emphasizes abstinence. The guidelines prohibit school books or programs from encouraging unmarried minors to use contraceptives. The guidelines prohibit textbooks that accept or advocate homosexuality.

The textbook commission had recommended guidelines allow programs to teach that homosexuality is acceptable. Advocacy of homosexuality still would have been banned. "We decided as a body that the language (of the old guidelines) was judgmental," said Tommie Leydsman, a member of the textbook commission. "We decided we couldn't pass judgment on another person's lifestyle." "We simply wanted people to be more tolerant of choices made by others," said Michael Bennett, a member of the textbook commission and principal of Cottonwood High School. The board's decision was "disappoint-

ing, but not surprising," Leydsman said. The action followed heated public hearings in late May about changing the guidelines. Debbie Ashman, director of the Salt Lake Christian Action Council, said at one hearing that "homosexuality has no place in children's textbooks." But Doug Wortham, who teaches at a private school and is gay, told board members that "kids want to know the truth." Indeed, Leydsman said, outside pressure could have been a factor in the board's decision. State School Superintendent Scott Bean said the board's decision reflects

the views of Utahns. "What you have done is listen to the parents," Gayle Ruzicka, president of the conservative Eagle Forum's Utah chapter, told board members Tuesday. Melissa Sillitoe, executive director of the Utah Stonewall Center, a gay and lesbian community center in Salt Lake City, said the decision is "going to make it extremely difficult to have any information on homosexuality. School is to help people learn about issues so they can make up their own minds about what is acceptable and what is not." She also said the decision could make life difficult for gay students. "It will make them feel isolated. They'll have nowhere to turn for support."

▼▼▼ SAN ANTONIO SOAP

The heat tried, but failed to stop weekend action in the Alamo City

By LEFTY TAYLOR

The New Voice/San Antonio

It is too hot for all these things to be going on. This weekend went off like a volcano on judgment day. I was running around so fast my head was spinning. The winner of the Miss Gay Texas USA at Large was Kelixis Davenport at the Bonham Exchange Saturday night. Also that night, there was the first Industrial Party at the Wild Club. That music is really intense! I got turned around and tried to check my clothes at the door.

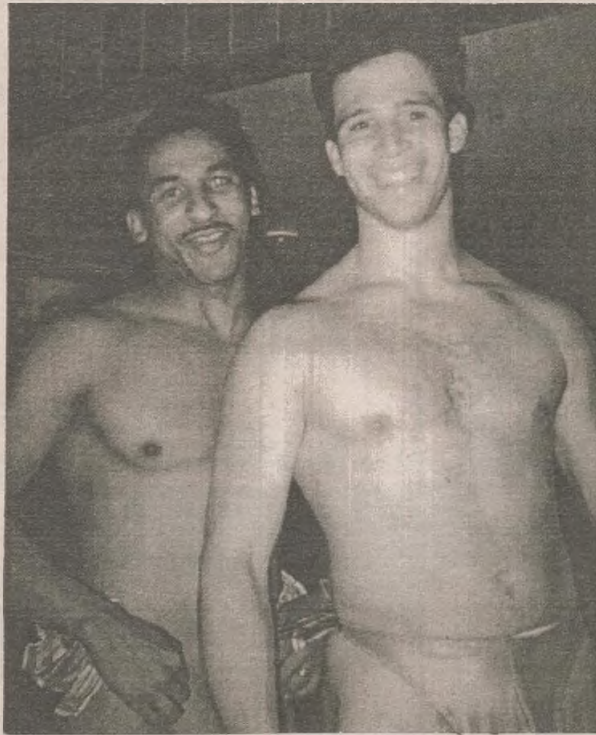
Then at El Jardin, the Pointless Sisters were performing for the first time there since Valentine's Day last year...all on Saturday night.

By the time you read this, Bambleo's hours will have changed yet again. They are now opening at 6:00 p.m. Wednesdays for their steak night. Don't forget to see the new hot and improved salsa show on Sunday night with Krystal Kelly.

The buffet went on, rain or shine, at El Jardin. Billy Walker said "we ran out of sausage, but there were plenty of buns around to mustard and custard..." It takes more than a little rain to knock those guys out. God knows I've been over there at times when it was wetter inside than out, but they kept right on going.

At the Bonham Exchange on Thursdays it's "Tropical Thursday" with Beth Evans and the Heatwave Boys. There is a \$1.75 charge for any drink from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. and no cover until 10:00 p.m.

Friday night the Wild Club will feature the Miss Gay San Antonio America Pageant. It's a direct preliminary to Miss Gay Texas America with special guests Pauletta Leigh, Nina Monroe, Whitney Page and Sweet Savage. It's wet, wild and heavy at the Wild Club on Saturday night. Take a chance with Chance Caldwell. What a hot man! I'm going to the back this



Two members of 2015's Keyhole Review

time and there ain't no one stopping me.

For the first time in a long time, Miss Maxee has starred at GBR's Talent and show nights. If you can remember back to the Blue Angel, you'll remember her. Wednesday night is the talent night and Saturday is the show night.

At the 2015, the Lone Star Male Review

Dancers will be on stage Thursday night from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m., Friday night from 6:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. and Sunday night at 10:00 p.m.

Friday and Saturday nights Memories offers a "\$2 any-drink-in-the-house" special. Jim is enjoying all those girls out there and is having a really good time. If anyone ever asks me if Barbara can sing, all I can say is no comment. At least the record was on right.

Okay, Promo Time! Looking for something different to spice up a show or party? Call Roger at Keyhole Productions.

They've got everything you can imagine. Going to the Guadalupe Theatre? Why not a pizza at Giovanni's across the street before the show.

They've got sweet tea if you're truly southern and the best non-greasy pizza I've ever seen. The special this week is a medium pepperoni pizza for \$2.99.

Is grandma coming to town and you don't want her in the house? Put her up at the San Antonio Bed and Breakfast in the Historic King William District. They'll

feed her and watch over her while you go on with your daily routine. John and David also have one of the nicest homes I've been to in a long time.

Howl the night away at Sparks on Karaoke Night on Mondays and Thursdays. It's the only place you can't get in trouble for singing along. Also, if you go in early enough, you can say hello to that cute baby-faced Robert. He's been there awhile and has lost none of his charm.

Special news now: if you haven't noticed by now, the Pride Picnic was canceled Sunday due to rain. Most of the people I have talked to have been very disappointed, especially when they drove from all over the state to find out it rained lightly at 3:30 for twenty minutes. Anyway, withholding any other acts of God, the picnic will be held this Sunday, same place, same time.

Hint, hint, hint...Guess what's coming up? One of the biggest all comedy shows to hit San Antonio in decades. It will be held at La Villiata and will raise money for the AIDS Foundation. Also coming soon: news on the Nell Carter/Lou Rawls concert. Thanks for now, chow!



Robyn E. & Zoe

▼▼▼ DATELINE: THE WORLD

London Police seek help in hunt for man who killed five gay men

LONDON, Saturday, June 19 (AP)—Police handed out leaflets at a gay march Saturday seeking help in their hunt for a serial killer who has targeted homosexuals.

About 10,000 leaflets carrying photographs of the five men who were strangled or suffocated were distributed by police during events marking the 21st annual Lesbian and Gay Pride Day.

News reports say the man has threatened in anonymous calls to the police to kill again each week, according to news reports.

Gay men are being asked for information which may help catch the killer, whom police believe struck up casual acquaintances with his victims in pubs

or clubs.

The leaflet urges men to be careful when they pick up partners. "Always tell a friend who you are leaving with and where you are going," it said.

Apart from helping catch the killer, police hope their campaign will improve relations with the gay community, which has accused police of failing to follow up a growing number of attacks on homosexuals.

"We are working on building bridges," said Detective Chief Supt. Ken John, who is coordinating the Scotland Yard investigation.

Despite their fears, some 50,000 gay men and lesbians joined the march

through London, followed by a music concert in a south London park.

"We are not going to let the serial killer spoil the fun," said gay activist Peter Tatchell.

Scotland Yard says the killer, who has called a suicide hotline, a national newspaper or police after each of the five murders giving precise details of his crime, has not telephoned "lately."

Police found the fifth victim, from Malta, dead at his London home on Tuesday and then summoned a mid-night news conference to warn the gay community and appeal to the killer to give himself up.

The victims, aged 33 to 45, were all

murdered in their homes, starting March 8. Police said at least four were homosexuals and three carried the AIDS virus. One was an American.

All were killed in "intimate circumstances," said the Gay London Policing Group, a gay men's organization.

Police have said the man may have the AIDS virus himself and be taking revenge on homosexuals.

Police have no evidence that the third victim, American businessperson Perry Bradley III, 35, of Sulphur Springs, Texas, was a homosexual.

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SCOTT BUTTRAM

Scott passed away June 18, just 10 days short of his 32nd birthday, from AIDS complications at Twelve Oaks Hospital. He fought aggressively against AIDS but the disease showed no mercy and took him from us much too soon.

He left with his family and friends at his side, so he wasn't alone. Many thanks to the staff of Twelve Oaks Hospital. The last couple of days they fought around the clock on Scott's behalf when he wasn't able to.

He leaves behind his parents, Jackie and Ray Buttram, his sister, Leslie Buttram, his beloved dog, Bucky, his lover Gilbert Vargas, and numerous friends in Dallas and Houston.

Scott and I met just two years ago, and in spite of his "Dallas Attitude," we hit it off. Our time was too short. We never got to go camping, take a vacation, or go skiing. Time was just not on our side.

"Thank you for being in my life, Pocina, and you were wrong...you did leave me first. I miss you so much. Bucky and I love you. I wish you were still here."

Love, Gilbert

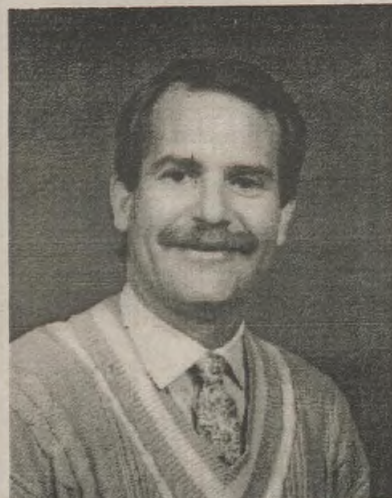


RONNIE ESCHETTE

Born: December 3, 1954
Died: June 10, 1993

Ronnie passed away in the hospital after a short illness with complications due to AIDS. He had a struggle, but towards the end he was at peace. He is survived by his son, Ron, brother, Wayne, sister, Gwen, and two nephews; Regan and John.

We will miss you my friend, til we meet again.
Ruth, Bob, Tim, Will, Shirley, Boots and Ron.



MICHAEL ELLIS MORGAN

Born: August 1, 1955
Died: June 11, 1993

Michael fought AIDS long after it was supposed the he could, and literally until the moment of his death. Perhaps he was too stubborn to give up, more likely it was his joy in living and loving his companion, Michael, his parents, Lucille and Leland, siblings Sally and Jim and his beloved nephews and nieces.

Michael graduated in nursing and psychology from Houston Baptist University and the University of Houston before working at St. Luke's, Herman, Park Plaza and Children's Hospitals. Michael's wit, charm, social grace and gumption in the face of adversity will always inspire those who knew and love him.

TED WISNIEWSKI

Dr. Ted Wisniewski, 37, the physician who did early battle in the Louisiana AIDS war died of AIDS complications June 14, at home. He was administrator and medical director of the out-patient AIDS clinic at Charity Hospital.

Dr. Wisniewski also directed the HIV program office in the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals. He was chief of the HIV section at Louisiana State University Medical Center, and he championed the establishment of out-patient treatment centers throughout the state. Such treatment centers now operate in New Orleans, Alexandria, Natchitoches, Monroe, Opelousas, and Lake Charles.

Dr. Wisniewski began fighting AIDS in the mid-1980's, when it was newly bursting on the national conscience. He went to bars in New Orleans and talked with patrons about this new illness and how it is spread.

On Sept. 27, Dr. Wisniewski appeared in public for the last time, riding in the NO/AIDS Task Force's annual pledge walk.

Dr. Wisniewski was born January, 1956 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He attended Marquette University and entered the Medical College of Wisconsin after only three years of undergraduate study.

In 1977, he joined the Glenmary Home Missionaries in Cincinnati as a brother, leaving in 1983.

Dr. Wisniewski joined the Louisiana State University Medical Center in 1983, the year the first AIDS case was recorded in Louisiana. He was chief resident from 1985-86.

Survivors include his longtime companion, Henry L. Schmitt, III; his parents, T.L. and Rita Marie Wisniewski of Milwaukee and San Antonio, Texas; a sister Mary Wisniewski; and two brothers, Mark and John Wisniewski, all of San Antonio.

Visitation and Mass was at St. Vincent de Paul Church, burial was in New Orleans. Tharp-Sontheimer-Tharp Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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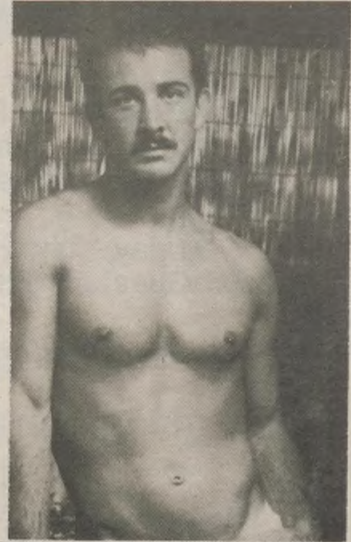
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Harlingen, Friday, June 25
Happy hour 6-9pm, Zippers

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Harlingen, Friday, July 2
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Temple, Friday, June 25
\$3.00 buyin \$1.00 Pitcher Busch or Miller Lite draft beer 6-11pm, Lady V's Second and Last Chance; Party Night, Dance Contest Midnight, Lady V's Second and Last Chance

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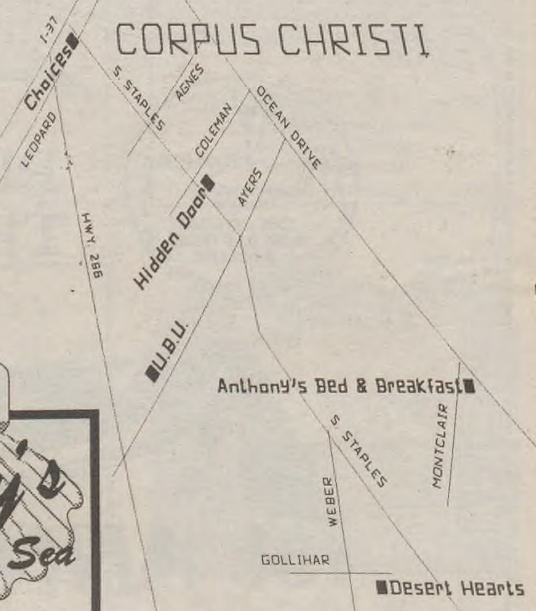


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Corpus Christi, Saturday, June 26
25¢ draft beer 11am-7pm, Hidden Door; Happy hour 11am-7pm, Hidden Door; Happy Hour noon-7pm, Desert Hearts; \$1 well 2-9pm, Choices; Happy hour 2-11pm, Choices; 50¢ draft 2pm-closing, Choices; \$1.00 shot specials 3pm-2am, Desert Hearts; \$2.00 Crown Royal 8-9pm, Desert Hearts; 25¢ rum & coke, 25¢ draft, 75¢ well 8-11pm, U.B.U.; \$1.00 well drinks 9-10pm, Desert Hearts; 69¢ well 9-11pm, Choices; \$2.00 Colorado Bulldogs 10-11pm, Desert Hearts; DJ 10pm-2am, Desert Hearts; DJ, Patio Party 10pm-2am, Choices

Corpus Christi, Sunday, June 27
25¢ draft beer noon-7pm, Hidden Door; Happy Hour noon-7pm, Desert Hearts; Happy hour noon-7pm, Hidden Door; Crown Royal & bloody marys \$2.00 noon-2am, Desert Hearts; \$1 well 2-9pm, Choices; Happy hour 2-11pm, Choices; 50¢ draft 2pm-closing, Choices; Free Bar-B-Q with trimmings 6pm, Choices; Free BBQ w/trimmings, male strippers 6-9pm, U.B.U.; Club night 6-10pm, Choices; 25¢ rum & coke, 25¢ draft, 75¢ well 8-11pm, U.B.U.; 69¢ well 9-11pm, Choices; Show Midnight, U.B.U.

Corpus Christi, Monday, June 28
Happy hour 11am-7pm, Hidden Door; \$1 well 2-9pm,

Choices; Happy hour 2-11pm, Choices; 50¢ draft 2pm-closing, Choices; \$2.00 drink special 3pm-2am, Desert Hearts; Happy hour 3pm-closing, Desert Hearts; 100% beef cheeseburgers, \$1.00 plate 6pm, Choices; 69¢ well 9-11pm, Choices

Corpus Christi, Tuesday, June 29
Happy hour 11am-7pm, Hidden Door; \$1 well 2-9pm, Choices; Happy hour 2-11pm, Choices; 50¢ draft 2pm-closing, Choices; \$2.00 Margaritas & Colorado Bulldogs 3pm-2am, Desert Hearts; Volleyball 6-8pm, Hidden Door; Steak Night 7-10pm, Hidden Door; 25¢ draft beer 7-11pm, Hidden Door; Pool tournament, \$20 prize, no entry fee 9pm, Hidden Door; 69¢ well 9-11pm, Choices; DJ 10pm-2am, Choices; Pool tourney \$25 cash prize No entry fee 10:30pm, Choices

Corpus Christi, Wednesday, June 30
Happy hour 11am-7pm, Hidden Door; \$1.00 well drinks 11am-2am, Hidden Door; \$1 well 2-9pm, Choices; Happy hour 2-11pm, Choices; 50¢ draft 2pm-closing, Choices; Happy Hour 3-7pm, Desert Hearts; \$2.00 Absolute 3pm-2am, Desert Hearts; \$4 steaks & real tators 6-10pm, Desert Hearts; 25¢ rum & coke, 25¢ draft, 75¢ well 8-11pm, U.B.U.; 69¢ well 9-11pm, Choices; Hot male strippers 10:30pm, Choices

Corpus Christi, Thursday, July 1
Happy hour 11am-7pm, Hidden Door; \$1 well 2-9pm, Choices; Happy hour 2-11pm, Choices; 50¢ draft 2pm-closing, Choices; Happy hour 3-7pm, Desert Hearts; \$1 well drinks 3pm till closing, Desert Hearts; 25¢ draft beer 7-11pm, Hidden Door; 25¢ rum & coke, 25¢ draft, 75¢ well 8-11pm, U.B.U.; Pool Tourney, no entry fee, \$50 cash prize 9pm, Desert Hearts; 69¢ well 9-11pm, Choices; Pool tourney \$25 cash prize No entry fee 10:30pm, Choices; Variety show Midnight, U.B.U.

Corpus Christi, Friday, July 2
Happy hour 11am-7pm, Hidden Door; \$1 well 2-9pm, Choices; Happy hour 2-11pm, Choices; 50¢ draft 2pm-closing, Choices; Happy Hour 3-7pm, Desert Hearts; \$1.00 shot specials 3pm-2am, Desert Hearts; \$2.00 margaritas 8-9pm, Desert Hearts; 25¢ rum & coke, 25¢ draft, 75¢ well 8-11pm, U.B.U.; \$1.00 well drinks 9-10pm, Desert Hearts; 69¢ well 9-11pm, Choices; \$1.50 domestic longnecks 10-11pm, Desert Hearts; DJ 10pm-2am, Desert Hearts; DJ, male strippers 10pm-2am, Choices; Show midnight, U.B.U.

The New Voice recommends in Brownsville

Brownsville, Friday, June 25
Friday Night Super Show Midnight, Club 440

Brownsville, Saturday, June 26
Dance music with happy hour 8:30-10:30pm, Club 440

Brownsville, Wednesday, June 30
Happy hour 8:30-10:30pm, Club 440; \$1.50 well drinks 10:30pm-2am, Club 440; Amateur night Midnight, Club 440

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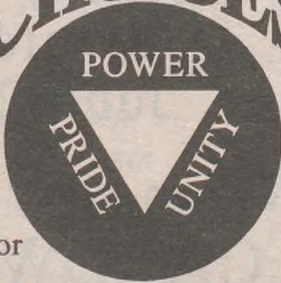


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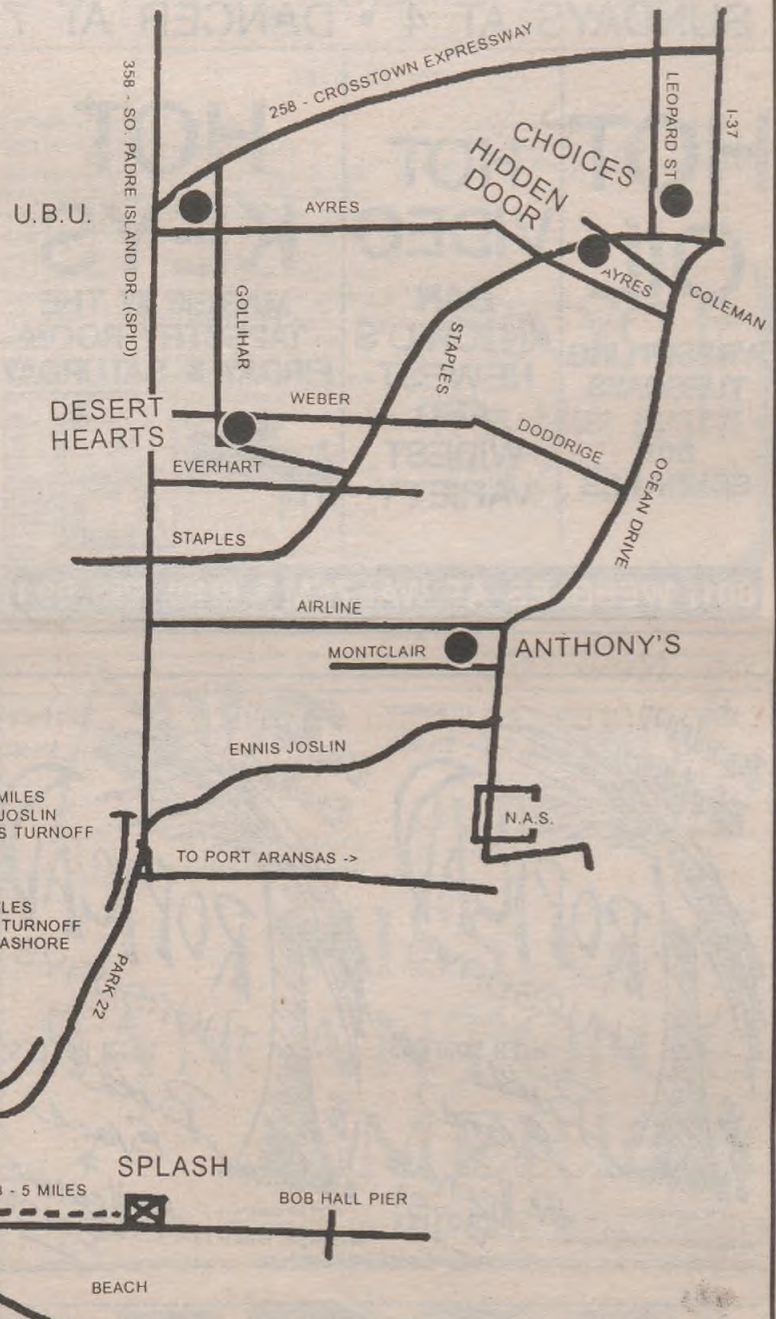
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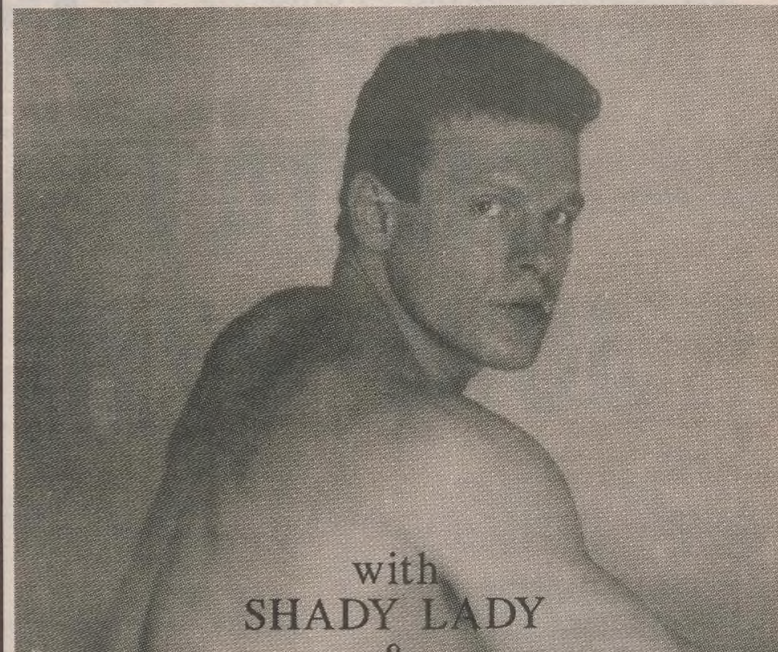
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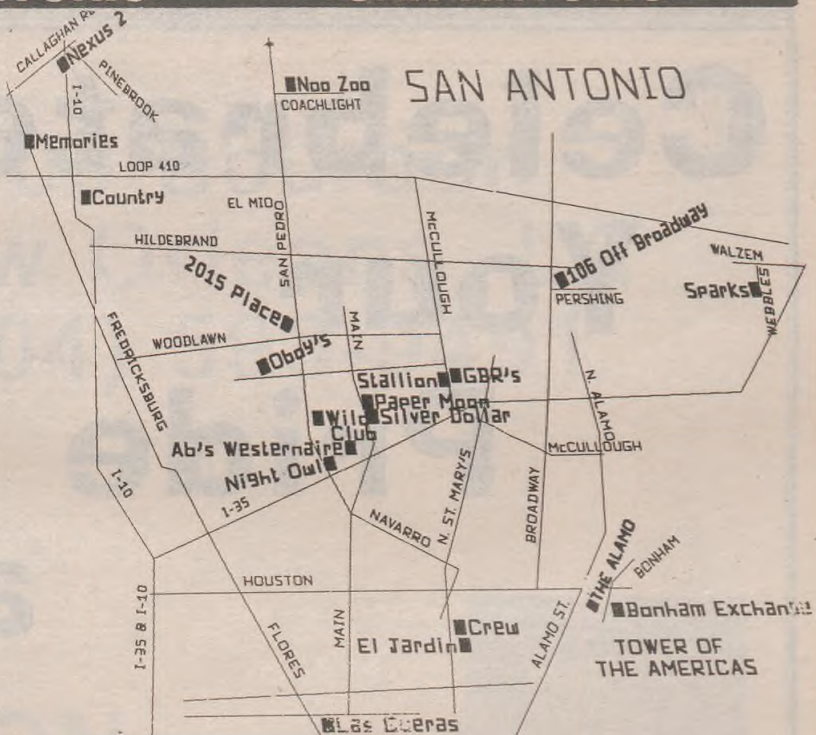
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San Antonio, Sunday, June 27
 Sunday Tea Dance with early male dancers, Sparks; \$1.00 bloody marys & screws noon-3pm, El Jardin; Happy hour, \$1.75 well drinks noon-10pm, El Jardin; Happy hour 2-8pm, 2015; Happy hour 2-8pm, Country Club; 50¢ draft 2pm-2am, Country Club; Fiesta hours 4-9pm, Bamboleo's; \$1.75 Cuervo Ole, Memories; \$3.00 cover, 50¢ well & draft, Bonham Exchange; The Wild & Wicked Sunday Show, Wild Club; \$1 well drinks 9-11pm, Wild Club; Sassy's Variety Show 9:30pm, Memories; Dancers 11pm, Sparks; Super Show, no cover 11:30pm, Bamboleo's; Male & Female strippers 11:30pm, Bonham Exchange; After-hours 2am, Wild Club

San Antonio, Monday, June 28
 \$1.00 bloody marys & screws 10am-3pm, El Jardin; Happy hour, \$1.75 well drinks 10am-10pm, El Jardin; Happy hour 2-8pm, 2015; \$1.75 well & longnecks 2pm-2am, 2015; Happy hour 2pm-2am, Country Club; Fiesta Hour All day, all night, Bamboleo's; \$1.75 frozen margaritas, Memories; Pool tourney, Memories; Talent contest & square dancing & no cover, Bonham Exchange; \$1.75 well drinks, \$1.75 longnecks & 50¢ draft all night, Wild Club; The Shady Lady Show, Wild Club; Dancers 11pm, Sparks

San Antonio, Tuesday, June 29
 \$1.00 bloody marys & screws 10am-3pm, El Jardin; Happy hour, \$1.75 well drinks 10am-10pm, El Jardin; Happy hour 2-8pm, 2015; Happy hour 2-8pm, Country Club; \$1.75 well & longnecks 2pm-2am, 2015; \$1.75 well drinks 2pm-2am, Country Club; Fiesta hours 4-9pm, Bamboleo's; Happy hour to 9pm, Memories; \$1.75 well drinks, 75¢ draft & \$2 frozen drinks, Wild Club; Dance all night, Wild Club; No cover, Bonham Exchange; \$1.50 Well drinks; \$1.75 dom. beer, 75¢ Schnaaps 9pm-2am, Bamboleo's; Dancers 11pm, Sparks; Hot oil wrestling 11pm, Sparks

San Antonio, Wednesday, June 30
 \$1.00 bloody marys & screws 10am-3pm, El Jardin; Happy hour, \$1.75 well drinks 10am-10pm, El Jardin; \$1.25 longnecks to 7pm, Memories; Happy hour 2-8pm, 2015; Happy hour 2-8pm, Country Club; \$1.25 frozen margaritas 2pm-2am, 2015; \$1.75 frozen margaritas, 50¢ draft & \$3.00 pitchers 2pm-2am, Country Club; Fiesta hours 4-9pm, Bamboleo's; Adults \$3.00 cover, 50¢ well & draft, Bonham Exchange; Hot chest contest, Bonham Exchange; Jennifer St. John hosts 5x5 Specials, 75¢ draft, \$1.25 longnecks & 50¢ well drinks all night, Wild Club; \$1.25 well drinks, \$1.50 dom. beer, 75¢ Schnaaps 9pm-2am,



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 San Antonio, Thursday, July 1
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San Antonio, Friday, July 2
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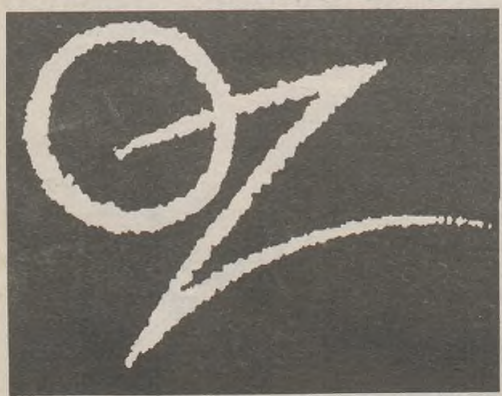
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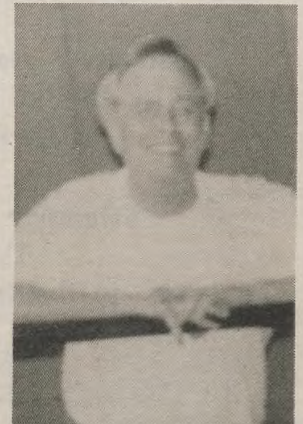
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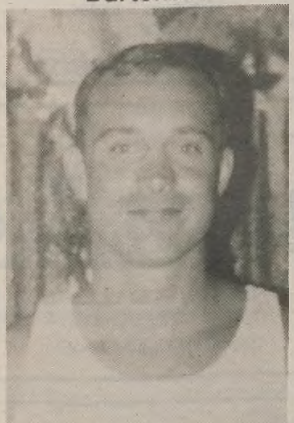
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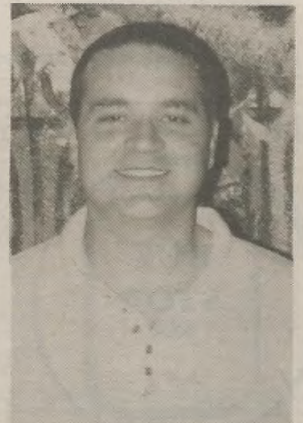
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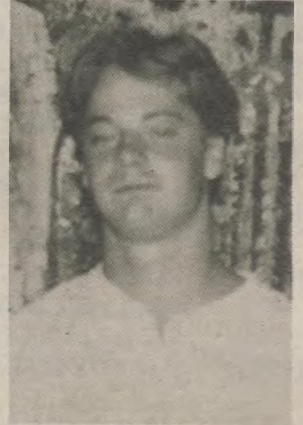
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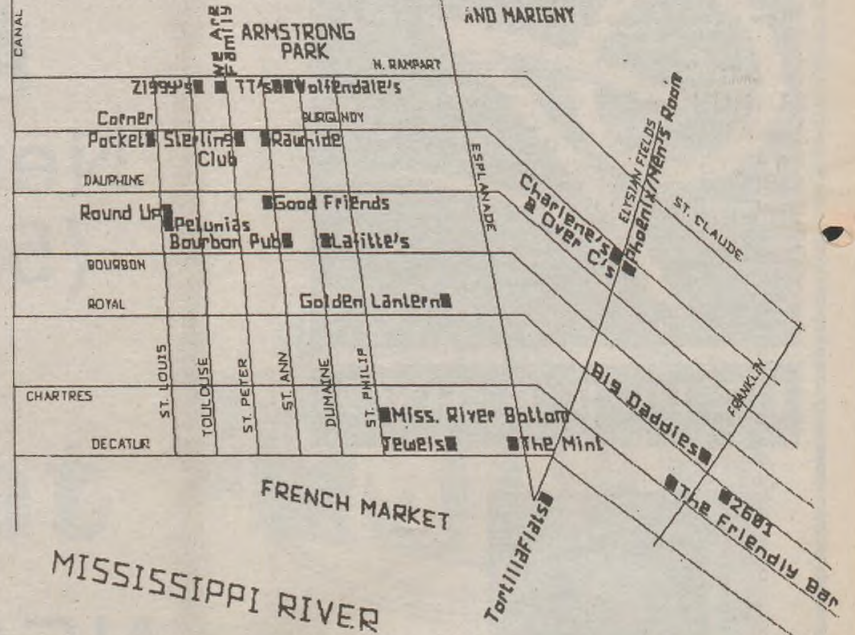
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**The New Voice
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New Orleans, Friday, June 25
 Student night, show your student ID and get a room 1/2 price 8am-8am, Midtowne Spa; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Mint; Music by DJ Mitch Dale 9pm-2am, Heart Break Cafe & Bar; Profiles starring Scarlett O'Hara Butler & Aux Shea 11pm, The Mint

New Orleans, Saturday, June 26
 Beer bust 4-7pm, The Phoenix; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Mint; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Phoenix; Pool tourney 4:30pm, The Phoenix; Music by DJ Mitch Dale 9pm-2am, Heart Break Cafe & Bar; Hot Stuff New Orleans Style, featuring Becky Allen & Ricky Graham with Joel Simpson on Piano 11pm, The Mint

New Orleans, Sunday, June 27
 Breakfast with Bobby 8-11am, The Phoenix; Buddy night, pay for a room, get a locker free 8am-8am, Midtowne Spa; Champagne Brunch 10am-3pm, Heart Break Cafe & Bar; Music by DJ Mitch Dale 3-9pm, Heart Break Cafe & Bar; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Mint; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Phoenix; 75¢ well drinks 9pm-midnight, Quasi

New Orleans, Monday, June 28
 Daddy night, anyone over 40 gets a room 1/2 price 8am-8am, Midtowne Spa; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Mint; 25¢ draft, Quasi; Bring your own meat BBQ 7pm, The Phoenix

New Orleans, Tuesday, June 29
 1/2 price for everyone 8am-8am, Midtowne Spa; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Mint; No cover with Student ID, \$1 can beer, \$1 Schnapps, Quasi; Beer bust 9pm-midnight, The Phoenix

New Orleans, Wednesday, June 30
 Boy toy night, anyone under 30 get a room 1/2 price 8am-8am, Midtowne Spa; Happy hour 4-9pm, The Mint; Men's Night, 2 free drinks 9-11pm, Quasi

New Orleans, Thursday, July 1
 Happy hour 4-9pm, The Mint; \$1 well drinks all night, Quasi; Show featuring hot guys 9:30pm, Midtowne Spa; The Ken & Barbie Bouffont Beach Party Boogaloo, with Ricky & Becky 10:30pm, The Mint

New Orleans, Friday, July 2
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Corona Party, \$1.50 margaritas & Corona all day, Kon-Tiki; Happy Hour, well \$1.50, longnecks, \$1.50, mega mugs \$1.25 4-8pm, Kon-Tiki; Happy hour 8-10pm, Evolution; Recession Busters, well \$1.75, longnecks, \$1.75, mega mugs \$1.25 8-10pm, Kon-Tiki; Pretty Boys 9pm, Evolution; Muscles in Action 10pm, Kon-Tiki; After hours 2-4am, Evolution
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Galveston, Sunday, June 27
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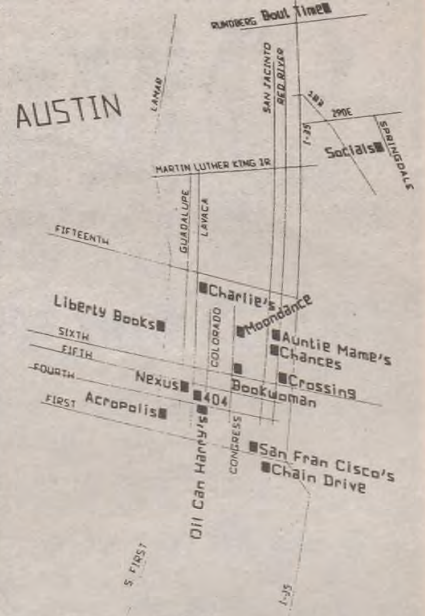
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Baton Rouge, Friday, June 25
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Baton Rouge, Saturday, June 26

Bar Tab Drawings, 4 \$50 drawings at 1am, Argon
Baton Rouge, Wednesday, June 30
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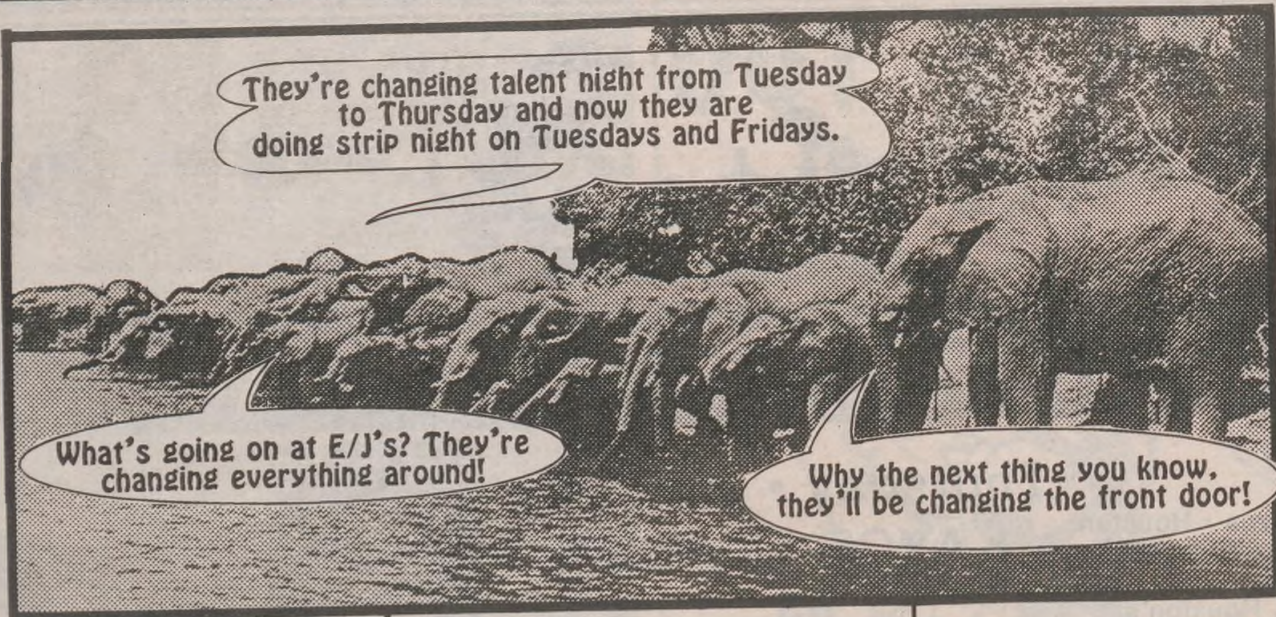
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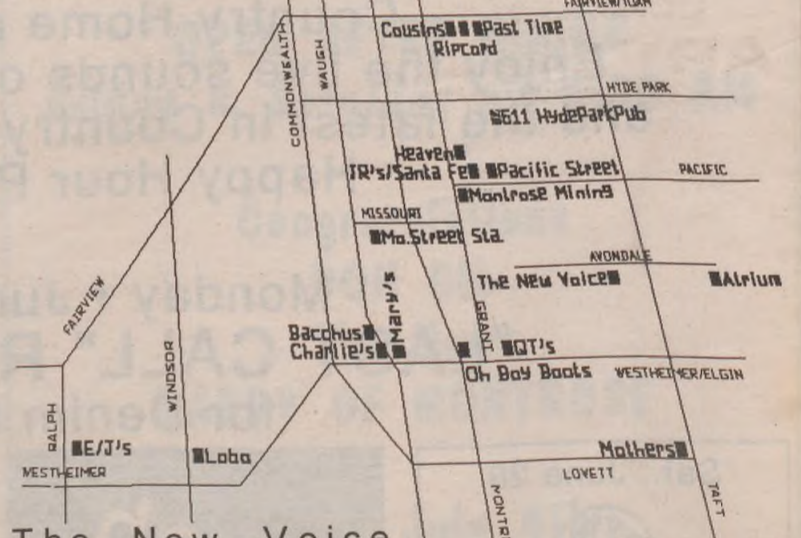


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Houston, Saturday, June 26
 Blue light specials 7am-6pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour 7am-7pm, Mary's; Happy hour 7am-8pm, Ripcord; Happy hour 7am-9pm, Brazos River Bottom; Mug club 9am-noon, E/J's; Happy hour 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Happy Hour \$1.75 well, beer & wine noon-5pm, Venture-N; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; Complimentary Bar-B-Q 1-3pm, Club Body Center; Beer blast on the patio 1-6pm, Mary's; Happy hour 1-10pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Well drinks \$1.50 4-7pm, E/J's; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Mug Club 4-10pm, E/J's; Beer bash 4pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Power hour \$1.00 well, beer & wine 5-7pm, Venture-N; Longnecks & well drinks \$2.00 6-9pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; \$1.25 well vodka 6-11pm, Mother's; Male dancers 6pm-2am, J.R.'s; Video Premiere Night, J.R.'s; 90¢ well all night, Pacific Street; 9 Ball Pool Tournament 8pm, Past Time; 9-ball tourney 8pm, Past Time; Pride Music from Stonewall till now 8pm-2am, Venture-N; Chuck Ciulla, D.J., Venture-N; 75¢ well drinks 9-11pm, Heaven; Alternative Music 9pm-2am, XTC; DJ/VJ Shawn Byrne, Heaven; International Techno House-18+ crowd, Heaven; Leather & Flesh, no cover for men in leather 9pm-2am, Pacific Street; Men of South Beach Dancers, Heaven; Pretty Boys 10pm, Mother's; Britany Paige & Company 10:30pm, E/J's; After-hours 2-4am, Ripcord; Open all night, Club Body Center; Open all night, Midtowne Spa

Houston, Sunday, June 27
 Blue light specials noon-5pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy Hour \$1.75 well, beer & wine noon-5pm, Venture-N; Happy hour noon-5pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour noon-5pm, Ripcord; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; Johnny & Mike's Football Corner on the Patio noon-6pm, Mary's; \$1.50 vodka noon-8pm, Mother's; 99¢ well vodka, juice drinks Noon-10pm, J.R.'s; Happy hour Noon-10pm, J.R.'s; Complimentary Bar-B-Q 1-3pm, Club Body Center; Pre-Parade Party 1-4pm, Venture-N; Beer bust on patio 1-6pm, Mary's; Happy hour 1-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.75 domestic longnecks 1pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; \$3.75 pitchers & \$1.25 mugs all day, E/J's; Cook out 3pm, Midtowne Spa; Steak night 4-8pm, Mary's; Trash Disco 4-7pm, Brazos River Bottom; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Beer bash 4-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy hour noon-11pm, Past Time; Blue light specials 5pm till, Venture-N; Beach Party, no cover 5-7pm, Pacific Street; Power hour \$1.00 well, beer & wine 5-7pm, Venture-N; Free buffet 5pm-7, Venture-N; Steak night on the Patio, steak \$5.50, sausage \$4.50, chicken \$3.50, veggie plate \$2.50 5-8pm, The Ranch; Steak night 5-9pm,

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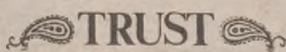
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Houston, Monday, June 28
Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks 7am-noon, Mary's; Bluelight specials 7am-6pm, Brazos River Bottom; Well \$1.75 opening-8pm, Past Time; Happy hour 7am-9pm, E.J.'s; \$2.50 pitchers, 75¢ mug Miller Lite 7am-2am, Mother's; Happy hour all day & night, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; \$1.50 all Budweiser products 11am-2am, J.R.'s; Happy hour \$1.75 well, beer & wine noon-5pm, Venture-N; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; Lockers 1/2 price noon-midnight, Club Body Center; Happy hour 1-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.75 well & longnecks 1pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy hour 4-8pm, Ripcord; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Beer bash 4-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.25 frozen margaritas 4pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.25 frozen ritas 6pm-2am, J.R.'s; Happy Hour 4pm-2am, Ms. B's; Power hour \$1.00 well, beer & wine 5-7pm, Venture-N; Spaggggggetti nights, \$2.00 5pm-7; Venture-N; Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks and beer 5-9pm, Mary's; 1/2-price rooms & lockers with food donation to Stone Soup, Middtown Spa; Longnecks & well drinks \$2.00 6-9pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; Male dancers 6pm-2am, J.R.'s; 90¢ well all night, Pacific Street; 8 ball stopshot pool tournament 8pm, Brazos River Bottom; Pool tournament 8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Monday Night, Mary's; "Clubbers Night", no cover for men wearing colors 9pm-2am, Pacific Street; Best Buns Contest with Randy Jobe 11pm, J.R.'s; Open all night, Club Body Center; Open all night, Middtown Spa

Houston, Tuesday, June 29
Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks 7am-noon, Mary's; Bluelight specials 7am-6pm, Brazos River Bottom; Well \$1.75 opening-8pm, Past Time; Happy hour 7am-9pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour 7am-9pm, E.J.'s; \$3.50 Absolute Vodka, \$2.00 all import beer 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Happy hour 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Burgers 11:30am-3pm, Mary's; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; 6 month membership special (1/2 price locker) noon-11:45pm, Middtown Spa; Lockers & rooms 1/2 price noon-midnight, Club Body Center; Happy hour 1-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.25 longnecks-all Miller products 1pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy hour 4-8pm, Ripcord; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Beer bash

Houston, Wednesday, June 30
Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks 7am-noon, Mary's; Bluelight specials 7am-6pm, Brazos River Bottom; Well \$1.75 opening-8pm, Past Time; Happy hour 7am-9pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour 7am-9pm, E.J.'s; Happy hour 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; \$1.50 all Miller products 11am-2am, J.R.'s; Happy hour \$1.75 well, beer & wine noon-5pm, Venture-N; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; 6 month membership special (1/2 price room) noon-11:45pm, Middtown Spa; Happy hour 1-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.75 well drinks & longnecks 1pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy hour 1pm-2am, Ripcord; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Beer bash 4-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy Hour 4pm-2am, Ms. B's; Power hour \$1.00 well, beer & wine 5-7pm, Venture-N; Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks and beer 5-9pm, Mary's; Steak night 6pm, E.J.'s; 1/2-price rooms & lockers with food donation to Stone Soup, Middtown Spa; Longnecks & well drinks \$2.00 6-9pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; \$1.25 frozen ritas 6pm-2am, J.R.'s; Male dancers 6pm-2am, J.R.'s; Bare chest/harness night-Extended Happy Hour till 11pm, Venture-N; Montrose Cloggers 7pm, Brazos River Bottom; 90¢ well all night, Pacific Street; Happy Hour 7pm-2am, The Ranch; Joe De Hoyas, DJ 9pm, Venture-N; Boots-N-Boxers-country music 8pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; No cover with canned good for Stone Soup 9-11pm, Heaven; 75¢ well drinks, 50¢ Miller Lite draft, \$1.75 longnecks-all Budweiser products, Heaven; Disco Inferno 18+ crowd 9pm-2am, Heaven; DJ Michael DeGrace, Heaven; White Hot Wednesday, DJ/VJ Victor Toledo plays top hits 9pm-2am, Pacific Street; Pretty Boys 10pm, Mother's; Best Chest T-Shirt Contest with Kofi 11pm, J.R.'s; Open all night, Club Body Center; Open all night, Middtown Spa

Houston, Thursday, July 1
Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks 7am-noon, Mary's; Bluelight specials 7am-6pm, Brazos River Bottom; Longnecks \$1.75 opening-8pm, Past Time; Happy hour 7am-9pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour 7am-9pm, E.J.'s; \$1 Schnapps shots 7am-2am, Mother's; \$1.50 longnecks all day & all night, Brazos River Bottom; Dart Tourney 11am, Mary's; \$3.75 all top shelf liquor 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Happy hour 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Burgers 11:30am-3pm, Mary's; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; 6 month membership special (1/2 price locker) noon-11:45pm, Middtown Spa; Lockers & rooms 1/2 price noon-midnight, Club Body Center; Happy hour 1-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.25 longnecks-all Miller products 1pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy hour 4-8pm, Ripcord; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Beer bash

4-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy Hour 4pm-2am, Ms. B's; Hot Dog night 5pm till, Past Time; Power hour \$1.00 well, beer & wine 5-7pm, Venture-N; Free pool plays 5-8pm, Venture-N; Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks and beer 5-9pm, Mary's; 1/2-price rooms & lockers with food donation to Stone Soup, Middtown Spa; Longnecks & well drinks \$2.00 6-9pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; Male dancers 6pm-2am, J.R.'s; 90¢ well all night, Pacific Street; Free Dance Lessons with Southern Country 8pm, The Ranch; Pool Tournament with Montrose Mining Co.; Young executive night, no cover with personalized business card 9pm-2am, Pacific Street; C&W dance lessons 10pm, Brazos River Bottom; Talent contest 10:30pm, E.J.'s; Jockey Shorts Contest with Kofi 11pm, J.R.'s; Grab for Cash Midnight, J.R.'s

Houston, Friday, July 2
Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks 7am-noon, Mary's; Bluelight specials 7am-6pm, Brazos River Bottom; Well \$1.75 opening-8pm, Past Time; Happy hour 7am-9pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour 7am-9pm, E.J.'s; Happy hour till 10pm, Mother's; Happy hour 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Stop shot pool tourney noon, Mary's; Happy Hour \$1.75 well, beer & wine noon-5pm, Venture-N; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; Happy hour 1-10pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.00 Schnapps 1pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Buffet 4-8pm, Brazos River Bottom; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Beer bash 4pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy Hour 4pm-2am, Ms. B's; Houston's Biggest Party, hors d'oeuvres 4:30-7:30pm, J.R.'s; Power hour \$1.00 well, beer & wine 5-7pm, Venture-N; Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks and beer 5-9pm, Mary's; Longnecks & well drinks \$2.00 6-9pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; Male dancers 6pm-2am, J.R.'s; TGI Friday party, no cover 7-9pm, Pacific Street; 90¢ well all night, Pacific Street; Happy Hour 7pm-2am, The Ranch; 8 Ball Pool Tournament 8pm, Past Time; Muscles in Action-male dancers 8pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Chuck Ciulla, D.J., Venture-N; No cover with canned good for Stone Soup 9-11pm, Heaven; 75¢ well drinks, \$1.75 longnecks-all Miller products 9pm-2am, Heaven; Alternative Music 9pm-2am, XTC; DJ/VJ Michael Lowery, Heaven; Houston's Biggest Dance Party 9pm-2am, Heaven; Men of South Beach Dancers, Heaven; After-hours 2-4am, Ripcord; Open all night, Club Body Center; Open all night, Middtown Spa

Houston, Saturday, July 3
Happy hour \$1.75 well drinks 7am-noon, Mary's; Bluelight specials 7am-6pm, Brazos River Bottom; Well \$1.75 opening-8pm, Past Time; Happy hour 7am-9pm, Brazos River Bottom; Happy hour 7am-9pm, E.J.'s; \$1 Schnapps shots 7am-2am, Mother's; \$1.50 longnecks all day & all night, Brazos River Bottom; Dart Tourney 11am, Mary's; \$3.75 all top shelf liquor 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Happy hour 11am-10pm, J.R.'s; Burgers 11:30am-3pm, Mary's; Happy hour, longnecks and well drinks \$1.50 Noon-6pm, The 611 Hyde Park Pub; 6 month membership special (1/2 price locker) noon-11:45pm, Middtown Spa; Lockers & rooms 1/2 price noon-midnight, Club Body Center; Happy hour 1-11pm, Montrose Mining Co.; \$1.25 longnecks-all Miller products 1pm-2am, Montrose Mining Co.; Happy hour 4-8pm, Ripcord; Mine Shaft happy hour 4-8pm, Montrose Mining Co.; Beer bash

Houston, Sunday, July 4
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33yr old GWM, 6', 195lbs, masculine, beard, seeks GM 30-40 yrs old. Must be a non-smoker. I like bicycling, volleyball, Astros baseball, country music. I'm open to a long term, monogamous relationship. The more masculine the better. Ad#25162

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
OUT OF THE LOOP- WEST HOUSTON
GWM, 40+, 5'11", 170#. Not into bars/playing games. I enjoy cooking, movies, dining out, travel, computer hobbies, the usual. Looking for friends/companion on this side of town who are GWM, 25-45, drug free with similar, but not necessarily the same interest. I know you are out there! Ad#25393

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
LOVELY BIWM ROOKIE LEANING TOWARDS MALES
I'm 5'6", weight proportionate, DDF/ NS/ LD, average looks, 44, sincere, discreet, masculine. likes sports, reading, movies, dining out and intimate evenings plus a BIGWGM with same qualities as above. Experienced, average looks, height/ weight proportionate 30-50, DDF/ NS/ LD equals friends/ lovers and ?? Let's meet and talk. Ad#25378

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
LOOKING FOR MY NUBIAN PRINCE
I'm a masculine Black male, 5'6", 150#, ISO a strong, assertive, dominant Black man who's intelligent and goal oriented. I enjoy music, long walks, quiet evenings. If you're over 6', H/ W proportionate. I'm easy to talk to and fun to be with. Please respond to my ad. You'll be glad you did. Ad#25917

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MEN

That's right - for safe one-on-one physical times. Don't want relationships or strings attached. I'm 6 ft. tall, 31, muscular, HIV-, work out regularly and great looking. You are 20-40, good-looking, fit, HIV-, interested in physical pursuits only. Are you up to it? Ad#25531.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
MATURE MEN ONLY

I am seeking the company of a professional, attractive, sincere, sociable, fun loving and spirited mature man. I enjoy dining out, theatre, opera, ballet, symphony, wekendays out of town, quiet evening at home, cruises, surprises and healthy companionship. A retired gentleman is much to my liking. I am a 45, br/hazel, mustache and closely trimmed beard, employed, stable, honest, romantic, fun loving and eager to meet you. Ad#25316

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
WANTED - FRIENDS
Two GWM's, 35-52, Houston, seeking other couples and singles for friendship. Interests are movies, dinners, games and travel. Age and HIV status are not important but non-smoking, drug/ free and light alcohol are. We are looking for sincere people who need people in their lives. Don't be afraid to reach out. Life is too short. Ad#25934

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
BAY AREA GWM
31, bid/ bi, 5'8", 135, DF. Professional employment/ UTMB student. Would like to focus less on clubbing and more on someone special. If you are 25-36 GWM living in Bay Area or Galveston, like the outdoors, the gym and are a romantic then show me. Respond to Ad#25945

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
HIV+ GWM, 29, 6', 180, br/br, mustache, hairy chest, looking for friendship or possible relationship. Please respond to Ad#25382

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
G/W/F FORTY PLUS
If you are 38-48, tired of co-dependant, dysfunctional disappointments. Fed up with emotionally and spiritually bankrupt women. Ready to experience a life of love, support, nurturing and unconditional acceptance. Ready to share in the work that it takes to ascend to that place of peace and love then you are the special person that I seek. No Smoker/ Drinker/ Drugs/ Dikes Ad#25285

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
HARD BODY - SOFT HEART

Progressive, free thinking, GWM with a hard body and a soft heart seeks same. I'm 40, 5'10", 165lbs, enjoy intelligent conversation, reading, writing, healthy food, the gym, nature, dancing, social change, hot times and the truth. You too? Then please respond now. Ad#25936

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
LEO WHO WANTS TO CUDDLE

GWM, 29, 5'9", 150lbs, HIV+, healthy, attractive, fun loving, enjoys talking and listening, movies, dining out, dancing, is kind, affectionate, passive, lovable. Seeking affectionate, attractive GWM or GHM under 30 who drug/ drink free, optimistic and would enjoy sharing life with me. Ad#25923

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
SEEKING GHM
Good looking GWM, 6', 165lbs, brown/blue, 30's. I work out, am well built, see humor in almost everything, like dining out, movies...all the usual. Looking to meet a GHM 20-35 with a healthy lifestyle (drug free/weight in proportion to height), romantic and fun loving. Slim and smooth body a plus. Ad#25435.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
AGGRESSIVE, DEMANDING MAN
Seeks submissive partners. I am 43, 5'9", 180, hairy, I live in Houston but travel frequently around the U.S. Ad#25134.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
TELEPHONE MAN SEEKS RIGHT NUMBER
In shape GWM, 41, 5'9", 145, br/br is looking for a sincere masculine man for dating. I enjoy dancing, outdoor activities and quiet evenings at home. Non-smoker a plus, but not a must. Ad 25956

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
INNER LOOP AREA
GWM, mid-thirties seek same. You are attractive, stable, under 5'10" and looking for romantic companion and lots of safe-times. Drinking, smoking are okay. Please respond for details. Ad#25931

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
GORGEOUS FROM HEAD TO TOE
30, 5'9", 180lbs, brown/hazel, I am looking for a sincere, generous man to have fun and spend quality time with. Ad#25250

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
BLACK BELT IN CUDDLE

GWM, 39, 6', 240#, salt and pepper bearded, masculine. A member of the Olympic Kissing Team. Seeking GWM 25-40, thin to average build who understands that making love is something you do in your head...Ad#25919

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
REAL PERSON SEEKS SINCERE-FRIENDSHIP

GWM, 24, 6', 140 lb/ br. I'm healthy, honest, masculine, and a sincere person. I enjoy late nights out, long walks, writing poetry, good conversation, and top 40 music. I'd like to make friends with similar 21-28 yr. old GM's. Ad#25942

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
SEEKING GHM
Good looking GWM, 6', 165lbs, brown/blue, 30's. I work out, am well built, see humor in almost everything, like dining out, movies...all the usual. Looking to meet a GHM 20-35 with a healthy lifestyle (drug free/weight in proportion to height), romantic and fun loving. Slim and smooth body a plus. Ad#25435.

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2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
ATTENTION: WHITE CALVIN WEARERS

GWM, Daddy bear, 43, 5'6", mustache, balding, hunky, HIV-. Successful professional with a dry sense of humor and a lot of energy. Not looking for love, relationship, or anything serious--just someone who wants to play and who likes to cuddle after. If you are 23-35, straight, bi, or gay, athletic, and look hot in white calvins, why not give it a try. Attorneys, architects, doctors a plus. Ad#25387

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
IS MR. RIGHT OUT THERE?

GWM, 26, 5'10", 180, br/hazel, HIV-, non-smoker, student in professional area,

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2220 Individual Personal
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Average looking, passive, SBGM, 6'0", 161lbs, seeks masculine, active, 5'10" or taller, SBGM, between 30 and 45 years old. I have an untapped reserve of love to give to the right person. If you are serious about a mutual companionship/relationship, I'm extending to you a personal invitation. Please respond to Ad#25372.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
GWM 54, SEEKS GWM 18-29
Looking for that special someone, must be drug free. I am 6'1", br/blu eyes. Interests include dining out, movies, astrology, numerology and other new age subjects. Want someone to love, caress, appreciate you? To depend on? Please respond to ad#25984.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
GAY ASIAN MALE SEEKS SAME
Attractive, masculine, Gay Asian male, 23, 5'7", 135, educated, mature, HIV-, non-smoker and drug free. Enjoys working out, running and intimate conversation. I'm seeking other Gay Asian males with similar interests and background for friendship and possibly more. Stable and seriously, but never afraid to walk on the wild side. Ad#25271

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
SCORPIO LOVERS ARE WONDERFUL MAGIC MAKERS
GWM, 6', 190, br/br, handsome, distinguished, professional, well-educated, and traveled, socially and financially secure, in search of a drug/smoke free masculine GWM 30+. Healthy, happy, honest, sincere, romantic, fun-loving guy. One who enjoys dining by candlelight, quiet evenings at home "black-tie affairs," old movies, opera, theater. Most important loving and being loved and wanting a long term monogamous relationship. Ad#25275

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
WANTED: ONE GWM
GWM, young 46, 5'11", 160#, HIV-, happy, affectionate, sensitive, non-smoker, light drinker. Looking for one special masculine, kind, loving, affectionate GWM to love - must be HIV-, optimistic and a non-smoker. Let's talk, encounter personally, cuddle and... Ad#25168

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
ROCKET MAN IN CLEAR LAKE
Attractive, masculine, 27 year old, GWM, 5'8", blond/blue eyes, 150 lbs, and in good shape, looking for a masculine GWM or GHM (20-35), professional who's clean-cut (short hair) reasonably attractive and athletic, non-smoker, for possible relationship or friendship. I am, and responder should be, confident, caring, and affectionate; also HIV-. Sincere replies. Ad#25155

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
EXCEPTIONAL ERUDITE ECLECTIC IN ESCROW
BIWM, 35, 5'7", 155, college graduate, attractive, interesting, romantic. Hobbies include film, art, tennis and politics. Looking for athletic, masculine acting/looking man to share a monogamous, honest, mature relationship with, built on friendship and similar interests. Please respond with photo; will reply to all serious responses. Ad#25925

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
PROFESSIONAL, ATTRACTIVE, GWM, OUTGOING, HONEST
Weight in proportion to height, non-smoker, non substance abuser, masculine appearing and sounding, healthy, and has the time to spend building a great friendship and possibly more seeks same (ages 25-45 and not into bars). I enjoy movies, volunteering, long walks and talks, computers, hiking, swimming, scuba, occasional concerts, get-togethers, and preparing elaborate dinners. Sincere replies only. Respond to Ad#25011.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
GHM, 20, 6', SLIM, CUTE.
I enjoy the outdoors, cultural events and I like to experience what life has to offer. Family oriented, in search of serious monogamous relationship. You: masculine, mature, attractive, GWM/GHM not into clubs or drugs. Preferably tall. Goals very important. Love of children and animals, sincere and honest. No mind games. Ad#25920

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
WANTED BOY-FRIEND LOVER SITUATION
Good looking, healthy, HIV+, GWM, 35, 6', 165, br/br. Seeking serious boy-friend/lover situation. I'm a fun loving, affectionate, stable non-smoker into huggin' & squeezing & kissin' & pleasin'. Looking for drug-free GWM or GHM 18-25 for monogamous relationship. I have a lot to offer the right person. Ad#25578

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
HERE 3 YEARS AND NO LUCK
31yr old GHM, br/br, w/ beard, weight in proportion (?) to height, HIV-, would like to meet BRB type masculine yet versatile male who is interested in a one on one relationship. Enjoy C&W music, the arts, Astroworld and quiet times at home. Stable and secure, smokers and light drinkers okay. Please respond to Ad#25255

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
WANTED: TLC
30 yr. old GWM, 5'11", 165lbs, seeks other for friendship and possible relationship. I'm old-fashioned and romantic. Enjoy skating, dancing and dining out. Non-smoker and drug free. Respond to Ad#25178.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
THE MEANING OF LIFE IS PLEASURE
Mullatto GM, 19, 5'7", 140lbs, poet, photographer, hedonist. I'm tired of being alone. Seeking spontaneous, adventurous, humorous, fun loving, sexy 18-35 GM. Willing and able to experience me in life to the fullest, be able to hold an interesting conversation plus have exciting fun too. Ad#25933

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
LAKE LIVINGSTON AREA BOY
Dad needed. Workout buddy wanted for sports/military discipline, sharing, service; your "best boy." I'm passive, nice looking, 27, 5'9", hairy beard, secure with self/ job. Into police, military, outdoors, underwear and leather. Looking for that one Gunfighter in boots, chaps and gun belt to draw down on me, handle ropes and leg irons and call the shots.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
PASSIVE LOOKING FOR YOUNGER ACTIVE GUY
GWM, 57, 5'8", 250, bearded, passive, professional desires younger employed very active GM. (Race unimportant) For friendship/companionship. Personality/sincerity more important than physical attributes. Interested in cooking, travel, dinner in/out, times/evenings together, your pleasure. Hairy a plus, but all welcome. If you're younger, active seeking older passive this is for you. Ad#25911.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
HANDSOME BI-WM NEEDS MASTER
Bi-WM, 34, 6'2", 215lbs, blonde, blue. Needs a kinky master. I need to be totally dominated. I'm into S/M, B/D, humiliation, and satisfying my masters fantasies. Love wearing women's lingerie and making video tapes. Ad#25918.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
DOCTOR OF LOVE TO MEND BROKEN HEART
Stable, healthy GWM 25, bl/hazel, great sense of humor, seeks great healthy, DDF, GW or Hispanic male 23-35 for the fun of getting to know each other and then possibly more. Ad#25389.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
SEEKING AN OLDER MAN
40ish GWM, college educated, 5'9", br/br, weight proportionate, DDF, NS, seeking a masculine GWM, 50ish for friendship and possible relationship. I enjoy fishing, sports, the outdoors, biking, music, weight lifting, theater, movies, gourmet cooking, dining out and quite times at home. Tired of the bar scene and ready for a monogamous relationship that will last. If you are serious, sincere and honest please respond to Ad#25940.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
PATIENTLY WAITING...
GBM, 6'1", 230lbs, serious body builder, handsome, eccentric at times, fun loving, sensitive and intelligent. Seeking GM, 25-35 yrs. old, very muscular/athletic, open minded, caring, handsome, patient and understanding. For fun times and maybe more. Carpe Diem. Ad#25386

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
HANDSOME 40'S SEEKS YOUNGER MAN (GW/ H/ A)
Very attractive SGWM, 5'11", 155, beard, bl-grey/ gr, young 40's (look 30's), NS/ DDF, masculine, swimmer's body, assertive, affluent, sensual, nurturing, eccentric, grown-up, funny, spiritual; like art, books, music, computers, animals, adventurous travel. You: 18-34, definitely handsome/ cute, masculine, stable, slim, mature, DDF with complimentary interests & qualities. Seeking quality monogamous relationship. Ad#25930

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
STABLE, PROFESSIONAL GWM
38, 6', 230lbs, br/ hazel, healthy HIV- Down to earth, muscular, good sense of humor. Like travel, weekends at the beach, dogs, walking at home, and cuddling. Not into bars. Seeking like GWM or GHM, 25-40 medium build to stocky for fun, friendship and possible relationship. Ad#25941

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
GW, 40+, VERY FEMININE
I'm fun, funny, warm, loving, giving, sexy and being a Scorpio, very passionate and aggressive, especially in bedroom. Have great sense of humor like dancing and all the usual. Looking for someone to lavish a lot of love on and to share my life with. I'm tired of being alone. Ad#25905

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
LONELY PUP NEEDS SOMEONE TO LOVE
GWM, 20, 5'11", 155lbs, blk/hzl, attractive, masculine, disease/ drug free, discreet. Looking to meet similar GM under 23 to share love, romance, passion, and commitment between each other. Not looking to play games or one night stands. I you're tired like me and ready to fall in love, then please respond to Ad#25363 ASAP. Ad#25363

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
HELP ME MAKE MY LIFE COMPLETE
GWM - 29yrs, 6', 185lbs, brown/hazel, beard, mustache, hairy, no tan. I'm really outgoing, enjoy eating out, movies and bars but not alone. I'm a little conservative but not a prude! I'm looking for a masculine and acting GM between the age of 20yrs - 35yrs who is stable and just an average guy! Ad#25283

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
HAIRY CHESTED MOUSTACHED GW MEN WANTED
Let's be friends first, then ??? GWM, 37, 190, 6', br/ gr, seeks masculine GWM, tall, 30-40, non-smokers with hairy chests/ moustaches for fun/ quiet times. Mature, well built, stable, professional, gym bodies, no mind games, big pluses. ad 25568

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
LOOKING FOR FRIENDS
41 yr. old GWF looking for women friends. I don't smoke, do drugs and only drink occasionally. Romance is possible, but friends are more important right now. Ad#25939

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
MARRIED MEN
Spend quality time day or night w/ semi-retired GWM in Houston Ad 25328

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FOR THE RIGHT PERSON
I have a home in the country. I'm 43yrs, 5'9", lt. br/ bl looking for a GWM or GBM 21-35 years old. I enjoy home life, not into bars. Must be masculine.

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
CHRISTIAN GWM, 34 SEEKS STABLE SAME/ OLDER
160, 5'8", bl/bl, very conservative values. Came into this world with life and integrity, I'm leaving with my integrity intact. Enjoy healthy eating, working out, old movies, and church. Super fun-loving and optimistic, no drugs, tobacco or alcohol. Ad#25621

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
ADVENTURES IN THE WILDERNESS
Wm, 26, passive boy looking for a masculine Mountain man/ daddy who enjoys the outdoors, fishing, camping, country music, sports and horseback riding. Ad#25397

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
GWM F, QUIET, SHY & SOMETIMES OUT-GOING
Looking for Ms. Butch, who enjoys out doors, fishing, walking the beach/ woods, dancing, theater/ plays (especially musicals), weekend drives/ travel and quiet evenings cuddling at home. Old school values, positive attitude. I'm a non-smoker, social drinker/ drug free. Friends first. ? later. Ad#25377

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
MISSING - MAN TO SHARE LIFE WITH
Seeking friendship first, monogamous commitment based on HONESTY, SINCERITY & TRUST second. Attractive GHM, 39, 5'10", independent professional, energetic, romanticist. Enjoys workouts, quiet evenings, biking, hiking, camping, CW dancing, dining, traveling, movies, FAMILY, RC faith. Seeks attractive GWM/ GHM/ Italian under 40 with similar interests. Must be disease free, nonsmoker. ad#25161

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
VERY GOODLOOKING, WELL BUILT, MOUSTACHED GWM
Professional but down to earth, mature but sometimes silly, non-smoker, 27, 6'1", 190lbs, blue/blonde, big hairy chest seeks attractive, muscular, moustached GWM or GHM, 25-35 for dating and possibly more. I'm masculine, happy, sincere and fun and enjoy movies, working out, the outdoors, travel, science fiction, music and dancing. Ad#25379.

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LOVING AND BEING LOVED!
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2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
PROFESSIONAL, STABLE GWM
Attractive, career oriented, 6'3", 190lbs, br/br, full beard, non smoker, disease/ drug free, moderate drinker, financially secure, age 41. Looking for GHM/ GWM, 30-45. Casual dating first with possibility of a long term relationship. Ad#25179

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
GWM 33, 5'6", 160, masculine, attractive, looking for GWM also masculine, attractive, well built, uninhibited with strong drive, who predominantly likes to drill. No relationships, no strings attached. Looking for safe one on one or group encounters. Ad#25369

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
I NEED THE TRUTH
In search of GBM who will not lie or play games. I'm in my 40's wanting to share friendship and relationship with. If you are the right person please reply. Ad#25938

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
SEEKING FRIENDSHIP
Seeking friendship first, monogamous commitment based on HONESTY, SINCERITY & TRUST second. Attractive GHM, 39, 5'10", independent professional, energetic, romanticist. Enjoys workouts, quiet evenings, biking, hiking, camping, CW dancing, dining, traveling, movies, FAMILY, RC faith. Seeks attractive GWM/ GHM/ Italian under 40 with similar interests. Must be disease free, nonsmoker. ad#25161

2200 THE PERSONALS
2220 Individual Personal
ARE YOU THIS TYPE?
If you are young, slim, decent, healthy and would enjoy gay fun times with a mature 50ish, discreet, sincere, professional GWM I want to meet you. Especially if you are the type that answers ads like this. I am available afternoons and evenings. Ad#25947

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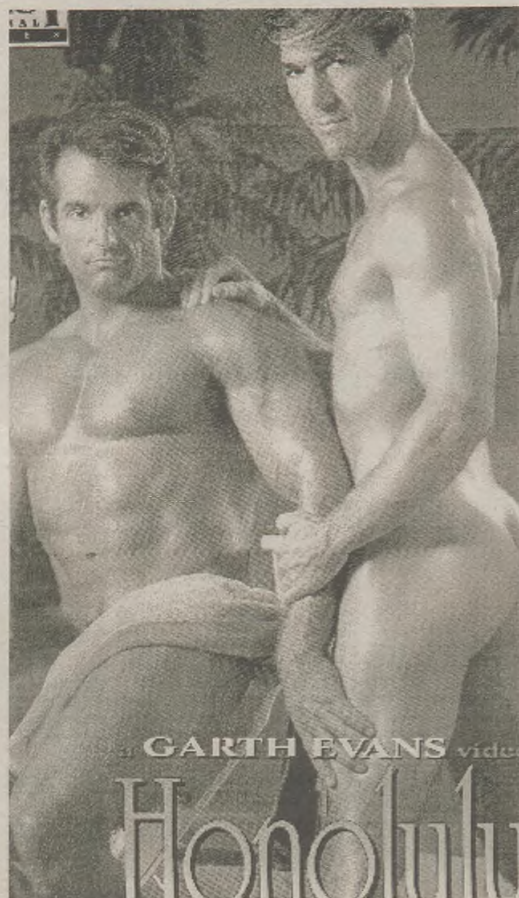
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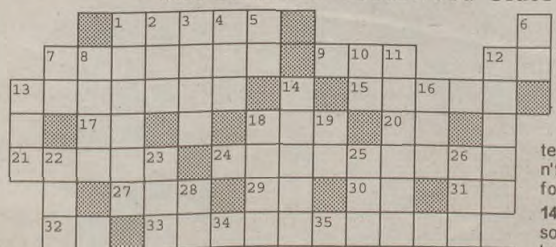
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ACROSS

- 1 site of 11-judge international court to look into war crimes in former Yugoslavia
- 7 one who loads; also computer programs that transfer data
- 9 early 20th century American botanist, educator Carver, initials ("I love to think of nature as an unlimited broadcasting station, through which God speaks to us every hour, if we only will tune in.")
- 12 an affirmative vote, one spelling version
- 13 newly elected mayor of Los Angeles
- 15 NBA champs 3rd year in a row
- 17 R&B singer LaBelle or "You Give Me Fever" singer Lee, initials
- 18 cathode-ray tube
- 20 to exist in actuality
- 21 something that

has been subjected to a laser

- 24 leading state in EPA's new list of toxic-chemical polluters
- 27 similar to a yelp
- 29 3rd person singular present tense of be
- 30 17th century English military, political & religious leader Cromwell, initials ("He who stops being better stops being good.")
- 31 over
- 32 American author, educator Carnegie, initials ("Flattery is from the teeth out. Sincere appreciation is from the heart out.")
- 33 U.S. military base on Cuba
- 36 crumbly mixture used as cake topping
- 37 1000 watts, abbrev.

39 American WWII general MacArthur, initials ("Whether in chains or in laurels, liberty knows nothing but victories.")

DOWN

- 1 nickname for a Harley-Davidson motorcycle, celebrating their 90th anniversary
- 2 append
- 3 furnish
- 4 large coffee pot
- 5 a lot of the 5th letter of the alphabet
- 6 noun suffix for action or practice
- 7 Chinese measure of distance, about 1/3 mile; also symbol for chemical element lithium
- 8 'I made a mistake'
- 10 What you see at the start of a Bugs Bunny cartoon
- 11 like a solid having 6 equal square sides

- 12 person from Asia
- 13 Confederate General Lee, initials ("It is well that war is so terrible— we should n't grow too fond of it.")
- 14 parts of a solid marked out by 2 usually parallel planes
- 16 meadow
- 18 made from metal; minted
- 19 in music, 7th tone of the diatonic scale
- 22 \$1.6 billion to Russia
- 23 turns up soil
- 25 subjective unit of loudness
- 26 inside corner
- 28 set
- 34 state with apple blossom as official flower, abbrev.
- 35 because
- 38 19th century American poet Whitman, initials ("The universe is duly in order, everything in its place.")

MORE CLUES
 At these numbers, fill in these letters:
 1 H, 6 C, 7 L,
 10 W, 12 A, 13 R, 17 P, 18 C,
 22 A, 35 A
 The solution appears elsewhere this issue
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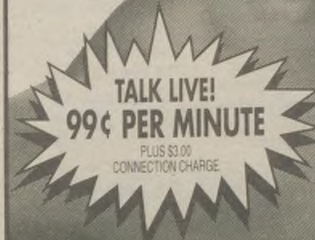


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