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MONTROSE WEATHER: **The weekend:** Clear and cooler. Day highs near 60, night lows near 45.

Hill elected to head Gay and Lesbian Political Caucus

Longtime gay activist Ray Hill, promising to bolster membership and strengthen the community's voting bloc, has been elected president of the Houston Gay and Lesbian Political Caucus.

In an 83-55 vote, Hill defeated incumbent president David Fowler.

"What this is about is responsibilities and work," Hill said after his election. "David has said we are friends and we will always be friends."

In campaign speeches many of the candidates for officer and board positions mentioned the caucus's sagging membership and a need to expand its political clout.

Some candidates referred to a perceived apathy among the gay community in general.

"What we really need in 1989 is a political revival," Hill told a packed meeting of the HGLPC at the Viscount Hotel prior to the election. When you have a revival you call an evangelist. What you need is an evangelist and I am that evangelist."

Hill said he wanted to build up the Montrose voting base and then begin organizing precincts throughout the county.

A priority item, he said, would be the updating of the organization's mailing list, the main way in which caucus communicates with its members and the community.



Ray Hill, longtime Houston gay activist, finally won his quest to head the Gay and Lesbian Political Caucus

Without a valid mailing list, he said, voter registration campaigns would be less than successful.

Hill also said he intended to have regular press conferences in an effort to gain city wide media cover-

age of the caucus and its various campaigns.

In campaigning for his re-election, Fowler said that under his leadership the organization's financial bases had been strengthened.

"For the first time in six years the caucus was totally out of debt," Fowler said.

"The past year was one of great challenges and great successes," he said.

He said that during his term the group had become stronger and was increasingly involved in local and state political conventions.

But Fowler, too, described the caucus's need for a larger membership and said the group needed to double the size of the gay and lesbian bloc vote.

The organization's foremost priority, he said, should be to register voters and get them to the polls.

Others elected to caucus offices were Dennis Spencer, vice-president, who defeated Sherral Venture in a 92-46 vote; Michael Hollier over Leslie Perez for secretary in a 94-45 vote; and Bill Agosto, who ran unopposed for treasurer.

Elected to the board of directors were Cicely Wynne, who defeated Clay Harper; Glynn Harper, who ran unopposed; Harry Livesay, who beat Sylvia Ayres; and Bill Willis, who defeated Rainbo De Klown.

Highly vocal gay activists zapping the inauguration

By REX WOCKNER
FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

A small but rowdy group of AIDS activists was planning to make sure George Bush remembers their issues during the inaugural festivities.

Members of the AIDS Coalition to Unleash Power (ACT UP)/New York, ACT UP/Chicago, the National Gay & Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF), the Human Rights Campaign Fund, and Oppression Under Target (OUT), a D.C. group, have joined forces with the Counter Inaugural Coalition for a People's Agenda (CICPA) for a series of direct action events that will coincide with official festivities. Sixty seven progressive groups have endorsed CICPA's plans, and about twenty groups will actively

participate.

On Jan. 18, CICPA was to sponsor a "counter inaugural banquet soup kitchen" outside the official banquet at Washington, D.C.'s newly refurbished Union train station. "Inside," said Sue Hyde of NGLTF and OUT, "Georgie Porgie and the other piggies will be at a \$1,500-a-plate dinner. The whole inauguration is costing \$32.3 million."

On Thursday, Jan. 19, CICPA was to picket and leaflet outside the inaugural gala—a party for 12,000 Republicans at the D.C. Convention Center. "This will be similar," Hyde said, "to that Reagan thing in New Orleans where we got beat up by Republicans. We'll be there again with our 'AIDSGATE' and our 'The-Government-Has-Blood-On-Its-Hands' post-

ers. I bet they get upset again."

For Jan. 20, inauguration day, OUT has declared a "queer corner" along the parade route, at 10th and Pennsylvania NW. Activists were to gather at 10:30 a.m. Said Hyde, "If we still have any posters that weren't destroyed the day before, we'll be there with them."

That evening, CICPA will hold a counter-inaugural ball at 9:00 at the George Washington University Union, 21st and 'H' Streets NW.

Finally, on Sunday, Jan. 22, activists will stage an "interfaith circle" outside the official worship service at the national Cathedral. Protesters should gather at the church at 10:30 a.m.

The theme for the counter inaugural activities is "a thousand sparks of dis-

sent," a take-off on George Bush's frequently repeated "thousand points of light" campaign theme.

Paul Adams of ACT UP/Chicago, who is planning to attend the Bush zaps, said, "This gross display of inaugural pomp only demonstrates all too clearly the Bush administration's insensitivity to the people—the homeless in D.C., people with AIDS, and all the service agencies who could benefit from a government expenditure of \$32.3 million."

Added ACT UP's Daniel Sotomayor, "I'm pretty sick about the whole thing. I'll be down there. As a PWA, I think we're at all-out war. I don't see how other PWA's can just sit by and not be involved in ACT UP-style activities. I'm fed up."

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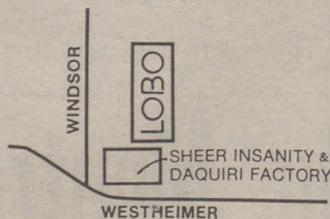


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Boy with AIDS to attend Bush inauguration

By STEVE WHITWORTH
FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

ST. LOUIS (UPI)—A 7-year-old boy who contracted the AIDS virus through blood transfusions plans to attend the inauguration this week of his hero, George Bush—a trip made possible by newspaper readers who donated money for the trip.

Although Keith Croffoot of Belleville, Ill., became ill last weekend and remained hospitalized Tuesday, his mother, Deanna Croffoot, said she expected he would be able to make the trip to Washington for the Friday inauguration.

Keith became ill Sunday with flu-like symptoms and was admitted to Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital in St. Louis, his mother said.

"I've talked to the doctors—and nothing is 100 percent guaranteed—but they say he definitely should be able to make the trip," Croffoot said in a telephone interview Tuesday. "His system is being built up so that when he does get out there, he'll feel a lot better."

Croffoot said she and Keith planned to leave Thursday morning for Washington.

Keith began to appreciate Bush last year when the vice president talked about AIDS in a newspaper interview. Bush had said that if his grandchild got AIDS through a blood transfusion, he hoped that the child would not be subject to discrimination from people who believe mistakenly that the disease can be

transmitted through casual contact.

"I read Keith virtually all there is about AIDS because he wants to know," Croffoot said. "If I don't read it and he sees it in the paper, he insists I read it or he tries to read it himself. I always share the positive news with him."

"When I read him what Bush said, he said, 'Mom, that's the vice president saying that.'"

Keith, who contracted the AIDS virus through blood transfusions to treat his hemophilia, also took notice of Bush's campaign pledge to set aside \$800 million for AIDS research.

"When Keith heard that, he said, 'Wow, that means maybe they'll find a cure for AIDS and I won't be sick anymore,'" Croffoot said.

During the campaign, Keith invited only fellow Bush supporters to a Halloween party at his home. About a month after the election, the boy was thrilled to receive an autographed picture of Bush.

"He just cherishes that," she said.

When his favorite had won, the boy asked if they could go to the inauguration.

"When I told Keith he might not be able to go, he was very disappointed," said Croffoot.

A newspaper in the family's hometown of Belleville, about 10 miles east of St. Louis, published a story about Keith's admiration for Bush and desire to attend the inauguration. In response, readers donated money for air fare and

accommodations, enabling the boy and his mother to make the trip.

Rep. Jerry Costello, D-Belleville, got a pair of tickets for the inauguration, and aides to Costello said they hoped to arrange a meeting between Keith and the new president. They noted, however, that Bush's busy schedule might prevent any meeting.

Still, Keith was scheduled to meet with House Speaker Rep. James Wright, D-Texas, and hoped to meet other political figures and celebrities.

"We'd like to be able to get in for the celebrity inauguration ball," she said. "Keith would really like to be able to do that. He knows Michael Jackson's going to be there and he's interested in meeting him."

Keith attends second grade at Jefferson School in Belleville, where some parents initially protested the boy's presence in a public school last year. But Croffoot said that situation has improved dramatically.

"There has been a 180-degree turnaround at school from where it was a year ago," she said. "Keith now is totally accepted by his classmates, the faculty, and by most parents of kids in the school."

"This has shown the change from the time our problems began to where we are now. Keith is being supported instead of being discriminated against. Being accepted instead of being feared makes him feel really good. It just shows that with time and education, the com-

passion and caring of other people will surface."

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Rock Hudson's former lover takes witness stand

By AURELIO ROJAS
FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—A former bartender who is suing Rock Hudson's estate testified Wednesday the actor once refused to take him to a state dinner at the White House because he was afraid first lady Nancy Reagan would realize he was homosexual.

"He said that Nancy Reagan would figure out our relationship because she was a very bright woman and he was embarrassed," Marc Christian said under cross-examination by Robert Parker Mills, an attorney for Hudson's estate.

Christian, in his third day on the stand in the Superior Court trial, said he had sex with Hudson about 160 times between June 1984, when Hudson learned he had AIDS, and Feb. 1985, when

Christian said he learned of the actor's illness from a television newscast.

Asked by Mills if he would have stopped having sex with Hudson if he had known the actor had AIDS, Christian answered, "Yes."

Christian is suing Hudson's estate, two doctors and Mark Miller, the actor's personal secretary, for \$14 million, charging they conspired to conceal that Hudson had acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

In a countersuit, estate attorneys claim Christian was a prostitute who blackmailed the former leading man by threatening to expose Hudson's homosexuality.

Hudson died in 1985 of complications from AIDS at the age of 59.

Christian has tested negative for the AIDS virus but under questioning from Mills he noted, "There is no test to tell if AIDS is dormant. If there were, there'd be a lot of relieved people."

The testimony was marked by sharp exchanges between Mills and Christian's attorney, Harold Rhoden, centering on the admissibility of various depositions in the case.

At one point, after Mills had taken a document from Rhoden to show Christian, Rhoden exploded: "Counsel, you grab something from me gently or don't grab it at all. Don't grab anything from me again."

Superior Court Judge Bruce Geernaert also admonished Mills and Miller for "snickering" during Christian's testimony. The admonishment came after

Christian, contradicting testimony he gave last week, said one of his sexual encounters with Hudson was witnessed by a friend.

Christian said the friend accidentally saw Christian and Hudson having sex and volunteered the information after his earlier testimony.

"I asked him what he saw and he said, 'You weren't playing Scrabble,'" Christian said.

Christian, who met Hudson in 1982 at a fund-raiser for senatorial candidate and author Gore Vidal, has testified that he had sex with Hudson three to five times a week.

He contends that because news of Hudson's illness was kept from him, his chances of being infected by the actor were greatly increased.

State appeals court says random drug testing OK

By BOB LOWRY
FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

AUSTIN, Texas (UPI)—A state appeals court Wednesday affirmed in a landmark ruling the right of Texas employers to implement random drug testing programs for their workers.

The 3rd State Court of Appeals, in a 3-0 opinion, upheld a lower court ruling, saying such drug testing programs are lawful and do not violate an employee's right to privacy.

The court ruled on an appeal filed by the Texas Civil Liberties Union on behalf of Brenda Jennings, a quality control worker at an Austin high-tech company.

TCLU sued Minco Technology Labs, Inc., on Dec. 1, 1986 after the computer

chipmaker announced it would begin randomly testing its employees for illegal drug use.

The TCLU said when the suit was filed that it could provide a national "test case" on the issue of drug testing in the private work place, setting a legal precedent for other employers to follow. The 3rd Court said Wednesday that Minco's plan "is lawful and its application to Jennings will not... amount to an unwarranted intrusion upon her privacy..."

The court added that Minco's policy "threatens no act contrary to the public policy underlying the common-law right of privacy."

"It (court ruling) was not a great surprise," said TCLU Legal Director Jim

Harrington. "I've always said it would have to wind up in the Texas Supreme Court for a decision."

Harrington said a positive effect of the TCLU suit was to force Minco to alter its original drug testing policy by providing a rehabilitation program for drug users, confirmatory tests and safeguarding workers' privacy in providing the urine sample.

"The silver lining is that the policy they (court) upheld is a significant improvement over what we had attacked earlier," he said. "It has a lot more safeguards for privacy."

But Harrington said the testing program is still fatally flawed because Minco is allowed to test employees even if they have done nothing to trigger sus-

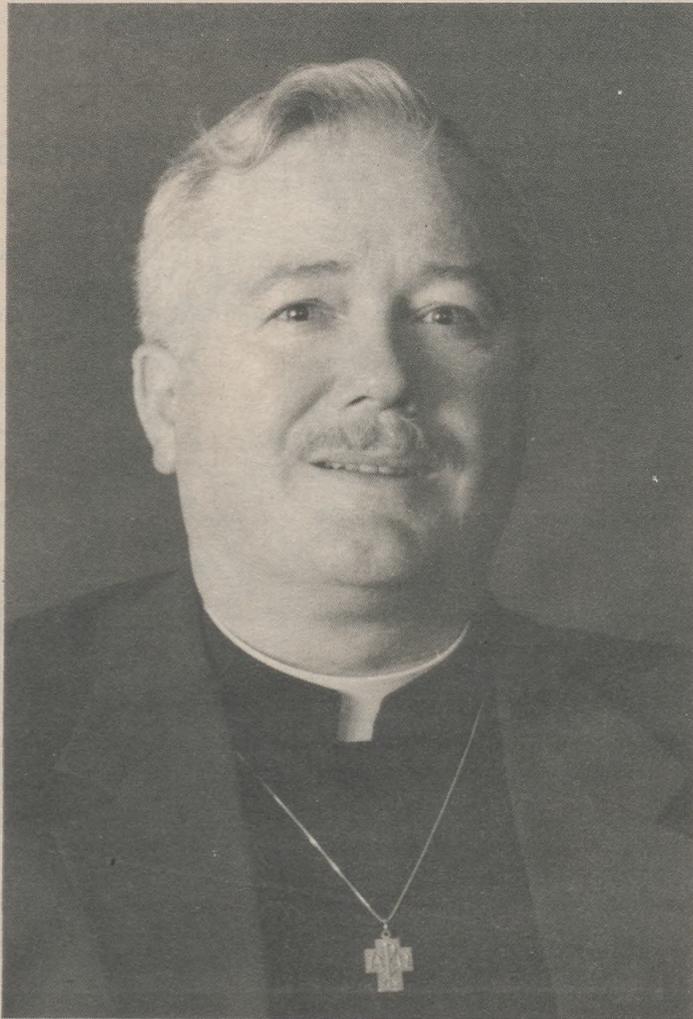
picion about drug usage.

"We're not challenging the ability of an employer (to test for drugs), but we say there has to be some sort of objective standard that triggers it (test)," he said.

The company said the urine testing program was adopted because of low productivity and a decline in the quality of products at Minco, which employs about 200 people in the design, processing and packaging of computer chips for the military, aerospace and medical industries.

Harrington said the case will give the Texas Supreme Court its first chance to further interpret its 1903 decision banning mandatory urinalysis tests. The high court held then the tests violated Texas common law.

REVEREND CHARLES (CHUCK) LARSEN



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EDUCATION:

Associate of Arts Degree (AA) - University of Minnesota 1963

Bachelor of Science Degree (BS) - St. Cloud State University 1965

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Asst. Pastor - Epworth United Methodist, St. Paul, Minnesota 1964

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Asst. Pastor - Jonesboro United Methodist, Jonesboro, Georgia 1968-70

Sr. Pastor - Highlands Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, Georgia 1970-72

Sr. Pastor - MCC Tampa, Florida 1972-74

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Tenants, landlord at Hawthorne Apartments fight it out publicly

FROM SPOKESPERSON FOR THE TENANTS

In response to News Release of Mr. Albert Sawicki, Owner, The Hawthorne Apartments, we believe still, it is Mr. Sawicki, who remains to pass on the "erroneous information and impressions" Mr. Sawicki, posted this press release intended for the TWT and Montrose Voice, on his office door 1-13-89.

To again set the records straight:

1) In response to Mr. Sawicki's comment, "No one is being 'evicted' from their apartment because they have AIDS or any other health or physical condition," why then were the termination of lease notices given ONLY to those who are PWA tenants? Why did Ms. Billie Steinbach make the comment on behalf of Albert Sawicki, "We're tired of being screwed by AFH; we need to remove PWA element, to replace with working class element, in order to raise rents, ONLY to make profit, obviously unforeseen by PWA tenants living on low income? Why when confronted by mass media about lease termination notices dated 12-27-88, did signer of same, Manager, Ms. Billie Steinbach, change her tune by stating, "We're not terminating leases, only changing them to be month to month leases, rather than average 3-6 month leases as there are now? Also, in recognition of the 12-27 letter giving notice to terminate leases, it was also stated, "You should make arrangements to vacate your apartment on or before your lease expiration date." Is not "vacate" another term or word meaning "eviction"? Further, with month to month leases as stated to mass media by Ms. Billie Steinbach, common sense explains "eviction" is caused per rental rate increases, pushing one out on basis of their monthly income. Finally, any form of "eviction" whether done legally or illegally, to a PWA during winter months, only is a "signature upon another PWA's death sentence."

In reference to sections III and IV of Mr. Sawicki's press statement, note the following:

A) Sec. III, Line I, "We are not renewing many of the existing leases."

B) Sec. III, Line IV, "These leases will not be renewed!"

C) Sec. IV, "A"—"Verifiable source of income sufficient to pay rent." What about PWA's fighting social security 14 months plus, living on Harris Co. Welfare, at only \$109.50 per month? Is this not yet an-

other excuse to "evict"?

D) Sec. IV, "C"—"Acceptable credit application"—Explain "acceptable" Explain "credit." Not many PWA's have credit, they can't afford to "get" or to "maintain" same on lower incomes they're now existing on.

The Hawthorne Apartments are NOT a nicer, quality, property in the Montrose area, with structural destruction, poor management, and a non-ending criminal element allowed to rent and furthermore allowed to come and go at leisure and to keep security keys afloat when "drug" and "prostitute" traffic must be removed from property at wee morning hours at gun-point, and back parking lot is used to hide stolen vehicles, theft, vandalism, drug sales, and prostitution, would you call this nicer? When all security gates

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stand propped and wide open at 4-5 a.m. because of above stated, would you call this nicer?

In summary, we would like to state, most of the units are in need of renovation: carpets are ruined, painting is needed, it's a haven for rats, mice, roaches, and other rodents, structural damage is rampant and service to these needs often are not attended to. The owner and management are a lot of talk with little action—appliances, A/C and heat matters, as well as much more have been major problems for months now. These matters have been reported to media, city health board, city mayor, city councilman Vince Ryan, Texas Atty. General Jim Mattox, and many more.

A 10% discount off current rental rates on (6) months leases is a generous gesture, per Albert Sawicki, for prospective tenants, but what about those who have paid full rents for months under stated, documented conditions which have been and remain to be poor? What is their discount? Further, new tenants should be aware there are no mailboxes—they've been promised for months (11-14-88) letter stating two weeks until received, still nothing to date, and mail HAS come up missing, and postmaster also has been contacted. Again, there is NO security, there is a criminal element here, and Mr. Sawicki, in a few's opinion, is a businessman who was out to take the city and federal governments, to victimize PWA's, and the Gay/Montrose communi-

ties. Where has he been at ALL press conferences? Why does he hide from press until now? We can back and support our cause and fight, can he? No, he can't! Discount or no discount, reconsider before renting from Albert Sawicki, or Key Management.

—The landlord speaks

FROM ALBERT A. SAWICKI, OWNER

Because of all the media publicity regarding The Hawthorne Apartments, I believe a lot of erroneous information and impressions has been given out and I would like to set the record straight!

1. No one is being evicted from their apartment because they have AIDS or any other health or physical condition.

2. We will evict a tenant only for non-payment of rent or other violations of the Lease Agreement such as disorderly conduct which disturbs the rights, comforts and conveniences of other residents in the complex.

3. We are not renewing many of the existing leases because during the period The AIDS Foundation had the option to purchase The Hawthorne Apartments, leases were given without regard to our normal rental criteria. These leases will not be renewed. Tenants affected by this policy will be given a new lease, if they meet our rental criteria.

4. Our rental criteria is simple: A) verifiable source of income sufficient to pay rent; B) satisfactory prior rental record; and C) acceptable credit application.

The Hawthorne Apartments are not being sold to The AIDS Foundation of Houston. We intend to operate the apartments as one of the nicer properties in the Montrose area and lease to quality tenants at or below market rents.

In summary, I would like to say, most of the units have been renovated with new carpet, ceiling fans and have been freshly painted. It has a great location, convenient to Bering Day Care Center, restaurants, grocery stores and medical facilities. If any of your readers considered leasing and were deterred by the publicity, I would like them to stop by our office with a copy of this letter from your newspaper and receive a 10% discount off our current rental rates on a six month lease.

Thank you.

In Memoriam



—THOMAS JOSEPH AUDETTE

Thomas Joseph Audette, 51, died Jan. 14, 1989. Tom was Administrative Director of the Montrose Clinic and a former board member of AIDS Foundation Houston. He graduated from North Eastern University of Boston, Massachusetts, and was a member of the Montrose Business Guild. Survivors: Special friend, Garrison H. Smith, Houston, friend, Lizzie Mae Jones Gunther, Texarkana, TX; mother, Anna Dauwer Audette; brother, Richard Audette; sister, Dorothy Humes; children, Mary Ann Young, Paula Audette, Thomas Audette, Jr. and Michael Audette; granddaughter, Megan Young, all of the Boston, Mass., area. In lieu of usual remembrances donations to the Montrose Clinic, 1200 Richmond, Houston 77006 are suggested.



—GILBERTO A. GUERRERO

Gilberto A. Guerrero, Sept. 25, 1955—Jan. 1, 1989, dedicated much time and effort to benefit the gay community. Some of his affiliations include Gay and Lesbian Hispanics Unidos, Gay and Lesbian Switchboard and Gay and Lesbian Tejanos. Services were held Jan. 4, in Rio Grande City. A memorial service will be held Sunday, Jan. 22 at the A.D. Bruce Religion Center Chapel on the campus of the University of Houston (entrance #13 from Cullen). The Chapel will open at 4:30 p.m. with services at 5:00 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the Stone Soup Food Pantry. Love and missed by many, Always, Joseph



—TIMOTHY A. GAUDET

Tim Gaudet, 32, died Jan. 14 in Seattle, WA., from a disease complicated by AIDS.

Tim attended both the University of Texas in Austin and the University of Houston. He lived in Houston for several years prior to relocating to Seattle.

Survivors include his parents Mr. and Mrs. John and Lee Gaudet of Winnie, Texas, brothers and sisters-in-law, Jeffy and Nancy Gaudet of Winnie, Terry and Dianne Gaudet of Baytown and John and Flo Gaudet of Beaumont, along with several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and many friends.

The family has requested that in lieu of usual remembrances, donations be made to either the Montrose Clinic or the Stone Soup Food Pantry.

He was much admired, loved and will be missed by all who knew him. May he find peace with God.

—ANTHONY (TONY) ACCETTA

Memorial services for Anthony Accetta will be Saturday, Jan. 21, at 7:00 p.m. at Unity Church (small chapel). Donations may be made to Diffa (Design Industries Foundation For AIDS).

Activists weigh options as Hampton controversy continues

Gay rights lobbyists say consideration is being given to petitioning the Texas Supreme Court for the ouster of Dallas state district Judge Jack Hampton, who sentenced a convicted murderer to less than a maximum prison term after describing the man's victims as "queers."

The Texas State Commission on Judicial Conduct held a closed-door hearing on Hampton's conduct Jan. 13 but their findings were not made public. The commission could reprimand the judge, either publicly or privately, or recommend the Supreme Court remove Hampton from office. They are not bound to make public any decision and it is possible they might take no action at all.

Glen Maxey, executive director of the Lesbian and Gay Rights lobby in Austin, said practicing attorneys are al-

lowed by law to ask the Supreme Court to remove a judge. If the state commission takes no action against Hampton, gay activists may pursue that option, Maxey said.

Hampton sentenced Richard Lee Bednarski to 30 years in prison for the murder of two gay men. Prosecutors had sought a life sentence.

At a Dec. 15 sentencing hearing, Hampton said, "I don't much care for queers cruising the streets picking up teenage boys. I put prostitutes and gays at about the same level, and I'd be hard put to give somebody life for killing a prostitute."

Maxey said that following last week's commission hearing staff members said the matter was being "held over for further investigation."

Specifically, Maxey said, Hampton is accused by gay rights activists of judicial misconduct because he showed prejudice against gays. Among critics of the judge is U.S. Sen. Edward Kennedy, who said Hampton's actions "violate the fundamental principle that everyone stands equal before the law. The suggestion that those who kill homosexuals deserve shorter sentences is bigotry at its worst."

Negative editorials have also been published in newspapers in Dallas, St. Louis, Washington and Boston.

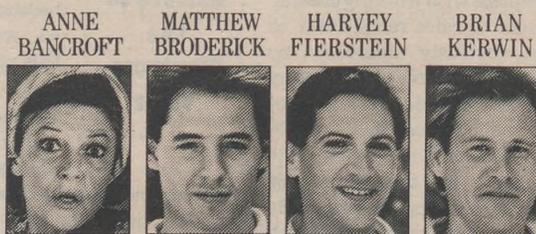
Maxey said about 300 complaints against Hampton had been sent to the state commission. Formal complaints were filed by the Texas Human Rights Foundation and the Dallas Gay Alliance, he said.



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HOLLYWOOD—"Rain Man" poured it on at the nation's box offices for the week ending last Sunday with a torrential draw of \$10.1 million at the box office, drowning out all other motion pictures in release.

The blockbuster's \$10.1 million haul at 1482 theaters was almost \$1 million more than it registered the previous week, partly because it played at an additional 226 screens.

In its five weeks, the Dustin Hoffman-Tom Cruise tour de force has turned a spectacular \$69 million, almost assur-

ing Hoffman an Oscar nomination.

Running second, as it did the previous week, was "Twins," the hilarious, often touching, comedy starring Arnold Schwarzenegger and Danny DeVito as genetically mismatched twins.

"Twins" grossed \$6.7 million on 1630 screens for a six-week total of \$73.4 million, dropping only 5 percent from the previous week.

Although it has been in release four weeks, "Beaches," starring Bette Midler and Barbara Hershey in a touching story of female bonding, had played in only a handful of theaters until last week.

Now showing on 706 screens, "Beaches" jumped from No. 22 in the weekly

rankings the previous week to No. 3. It grossed \$5.1 million, accumulating \$6.2 million since its release.

"The Accidental Tourist," starring William Hurt and Kathleen Turner, dropped a tick from No. 3 to No. 4 while picking up \$4.8 million in 954 theaters for a four-week tally of \$13.4 million.

"Working Girl," No. 5, continued among the country's most popular films with a payday of \$4.5 million for the week. Starring Melanie Griffith, Harrison Ford and Sigourney Weaver, "Working Girl" has taken home \$29.6 million in four weeks.

No. 6, "The Naked Gun," continued to hit the bull's eye on 1,765 screens with a

mark of \$4.4 million for the week, bringing to \$60.1 million its score over seven weeks.

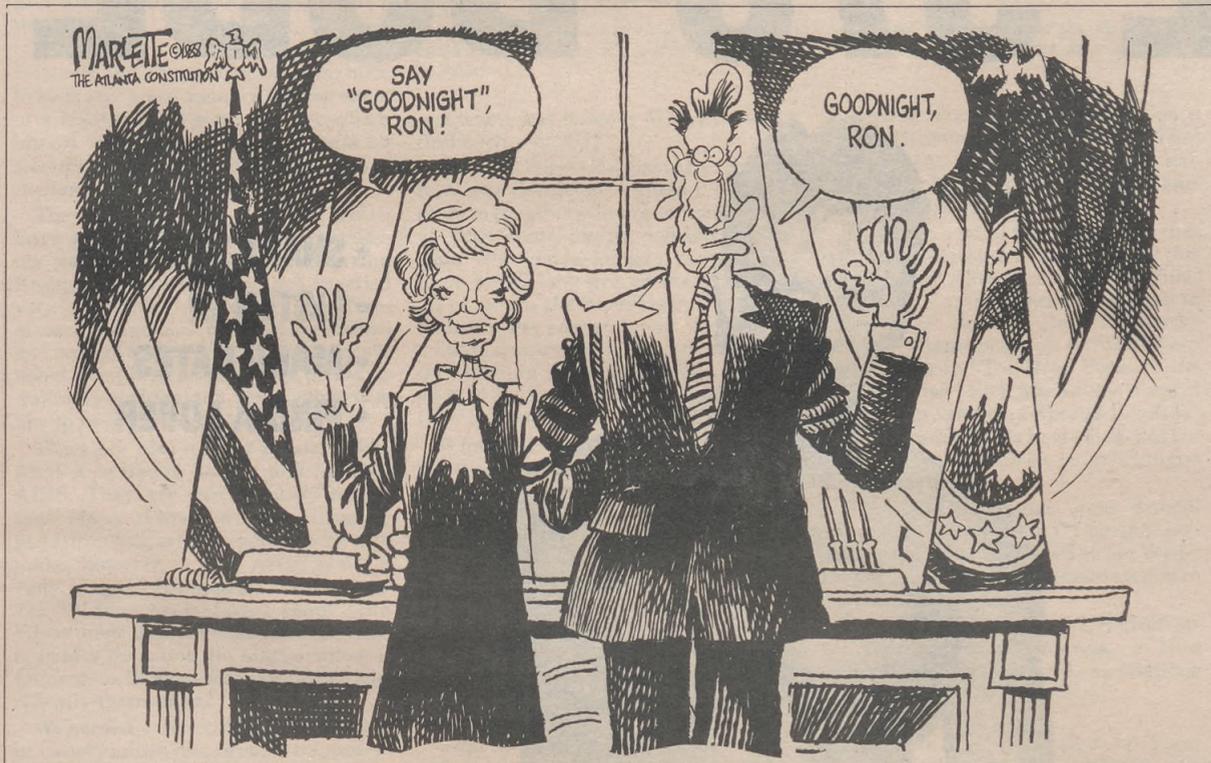
Announcement of nominations for the Hollywood Foreign Press Association's Golden Globes, the first movie awards of the new year, doubtlessly boosted the box office standings of such films as "Rain Man," "Working Girl," "The Accidental Tourist" and "Mississippi Burning" (No. 7 with a gross of \$4 million), all of which won multiple nominations.

It was an exceptionally good box office week during the traditional post-holiday doldrums. But it was the holdover hits that made theater owners happy. Such new films as "The January Man," "Deep Star Six" and "Gleaming The Cube" opened to weak business.

Some 23,000 North American theaters collected \$87.7 million for the week, far surpassing the equivalent weeks in 1988 (\$77.3 million) and 1987 (\$63.1 million).

The top 10, the week's gross, total gross, weeks in release:

1. "Rain Man," \$10.1 million, \$69 million, 5 weeks.
2. "Twins," \$6.7 million, \$73.4 million, 6 weeks.
3. "Beaches," \$5.1 million, \$6.2 million, 4 weeks.
4. "The Accidental Tourist," \$4.8 million, \$13.4 million, 4 weeks.
5. "Working Girl," \$4.5 million, \$29.6 million, 4 weeks.
6. "The Naked Gun," \$4.4 million, \$60.1 million, 7 weeks.
7. "Mississippi Burning," \$4 million, \$5.7 million, 6 weeks.
8. "Deep Star Six," \$3.3 million, 1 week.
9. "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels," \$3 million, \$31.1 million, 5 weeks.
10. "Oliver & Company," \$1.9 million, \$45.9 million, 9 weeks.



Film soundtracks sometimes contain some surprises



The "Beaches" soundtrack album stars Bette Midler

A Spot In The Hall

Dion DiMucci started celebrating his induction into the Rock 'n' Roll Hall of Fame early with a private party at the Hard Rock Cafe in New York Tuesday night. Among the celebrity guests were Joan Jett, Taylor Dane and reformed super-groupie Pamela DesBarres. Dion donated one of his old acoustic guitars from the '60s to the Hard Rock and then picked up an electric guitar and led the party through a few choruses of "Runaround Sue."

By B I L L
O'Rourke
Montrose Voice A&E
Editor

Sometimes I get so wrapped up in a movie that I'm not really as aware as I think I am of what the soundtrack is doing.

Sure, I can tell whether I love the music enough to want a copy, but sometimes it surprises me when it comes off my turntable.

I'm counting on that with "Torch Song Trilogy." They never seemed to finish one single song in that entire movie. I still want the record badly. So I hope I'm wrong there. More later, when I get it.

The main thing you leave the theater remembering of the score to "Baghdad Cafe" is its wistful mood. There is the haunting song, "I am Calling You," which towers over all of the rest of the music. There is the song, dance and magic routine, "All About Magic." It's jaunty, but even it is a little dreamy. So when I got the tape, I just put it into the machine for background music for one of my massages without previewing it by myself.

That was a mistake. We both got the giggles when the German oompah band and the calliope music came on. I had to hurry over to the tape recorder and change tapes. A giggling muscle is not a relaxed muscle, not while it's still giggling.

The flip side of the tape features the di-

rector telling the story of the movie. When was the last time you saw that happen in an adult tape?

I forgot that "Beaches" had a very danceable duet in it. I had only remembered it as a vehicle for the divine Miss M. On "I Know You By Heart," however, she graciously shares the spotlight. This nice male voice has a name which is not familiar to me, David Pack.

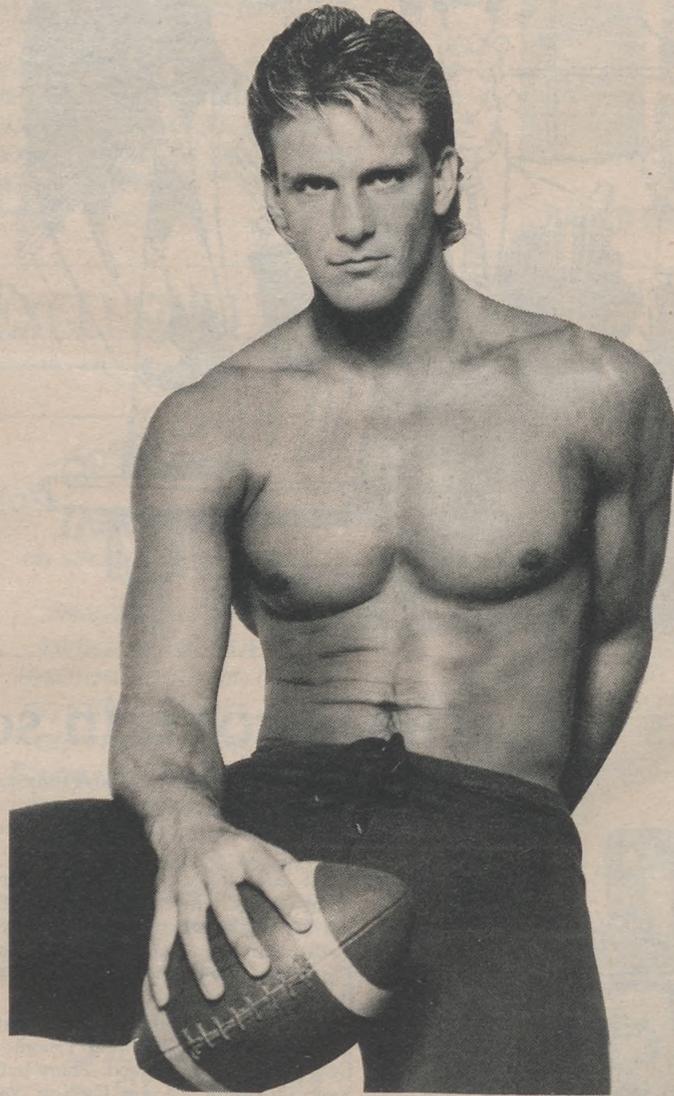
Imagine my surprise when I recognized one of the touching ballads, "Baby Mine," as the song Dumbo's mother sang to him. I loved it in the movie, but I didn't have time to notice that.

The major thing about this album is the diversity. There's a bit of everything here. It ranges from a beautiful new rendition of "Wind Beneath My Wings" (and other slow torch songs) to a vibrant, tastefully vulgar romp about the invention of the brassiere, "Otto Titsling."

My only complaint is that something in either the cutting or the mixing has resulted in an occasional mushiness. The Titsling number is the clue to this. When Bette launches into this high speed patter song, I sometimes have trouble understanding the words.

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Stand up, boys! We've found a new gay anthem

By BILL O'ROURKE
Montrose Voice A&E Editor

Every once in a while a movie arrives that seems to sum up the whole gay ethnic thing. It describes us in terms not necessarily positive but captures what it is that makes us tick.

"The Gay Deceivers" seemed to do it for a lot of people. When you look back on it now, however, the only thing it gives us is a few campy queens who were accepted by the film makers. No other character is allowed to criticize them in a way that carries with it the approbation of the director. No bigotry was given the authority to speak for the film.

Fine, we exist.

"The Boys in the Band" was a milestone. It showed serious gays, campy gays, mean gays and a whole spectrum in between. Show it to history classes to give them a real feeling of what we once were like.

We exist. We exist in great variety. However, the happiest we can ever hope to be is still quite melancholy, the equal of a hesitant non-gay marriage which almost went on the rocks. (At least we weren't hanging ourselves at the end of the last reel any more.)

There are now a lot of movies which have gay characters in them. I remember very fondly a TV movie starring Katherine Hepburn. She got married very late in life. One of her children from an earlier marriage, the most supportive one, was gay. However, it wasn't a movie about what it is like to be gay, period. It was only incidentally about what it is like to be a gay son.

There are also a lot of movies about what it is like to be gay and fighting AIDS. They are tremendously important. Many of them are also extremely good dramatic art. One point we have to make, however, is that AIDS is not a "gay plague." It happens to every one. The TV film this last week about Ryan White made that point admirably. AIDS is nearly the same, no matter whom it happens to. So what makes gay men specifically themselves?

We needed a movie that says we exist in variety and in just as much happiness as any non-gay can expect. It needed to say that we are no longer any more hesitant than anyone else. It needed, yes, to be campy, because that's a part of us. It also needed to be serious, because a lot of serious things, like queer bashing and personality needling (When are you gonna get married?), happen to us. We are ready to understand ourselves. We need a movie that understands us and does a good job of explaining us to any-



PHOTO BY WALT DISNEY PICTURES
A recent survey showed that one out of every ten households that read the Voice have a child living in them. They'll be happy to know that "Peter Pan" reopens on or around July 14th

one who cares to see it. Where could we find such a movie?

Well, it's currently playing exclusively at the Spectrum. I guess it's a little more main stream, more commercial (or at least some higher echelon thinks) than the wonderful gay movies that have for so long graced the Greenway III or maybe the River Oaks. That's too bad. It's the sort of break through we want to share with our friends there. It's the kind of good box office they've worked for for us and they deserve it as their reward.

Its name is "Torch Song Trilogy." It is manna from a Jewish heaven. I liked it too much to analyze it here.

The jerk sitting behind me who at one key point blared out that the show was dragging was dead wrong. It is, remember, about a drag queen. He though he was being funny. He wasn't. If someone says that to you, don't listen. If someone sitting beside you says it loudly in the movie theater, you have my permission to slug him, just don't drag me in on it if he takes you to court.

4 out of 4.

Bravo, Harvey Fierstein. Also kudos to Matthew Broderick, Anne Bancroft and the rest of the excellent cast.

Trailers

I just got hold of the new release schedule for Disney and Touchstone pictures. We can expect three full-length animated films this year. "The Rescuers" reopens on March 17th and "Peter Pan" on July 14th. There will be a brand new one around Thanksgiving, "The Little

Mermaid." They based it loosely on a Hans Christian Anderson tale. That makes it the company's first new animated fairy tale since "Sleeping Beauty" opened in 1958.

There are a lot of big name stars that will be appearing for this company this year. Woody Allen directs Mia Farrow, Nick Nolte and Rosanna Arquette in "New York Stories" (late February). Robin Williams plays an eccentric English teacher in "The Dead Poets Society" (Summer). Rick Maranis is a weird scientist in "Honey, I Shrunk the Kids" (June). Tom Selleck's new one comes out in late July and Paul Newman's around Christmas.

Summer also brings some animal acts: a tame cheetah ("Cheetah and Friends"), Ernest (untitled so far, Verne) and Tom Hanks plays opposite a dog in "Turner and Hooch." ...

Native Houstonian and UH grad, actor Trey Wilson died Monday in New York. He did featured roles in "Raising Arizona" and "Bull Durham." ...

Celebrate!

Today is the feast day of Saint Sebastian, the patron saint of gays. It's also the inauguration day of George Bush. There are good portents and bad.

The good: This is the 200th anniversary of the first inauguration. George Washington was a fairly good president. On this day in 1981, minutes after Ronald Reagan took his oath of office, Iran released 52 Americans it had held hostage for 444 days.

The bad: In 92, Saint Susan was

stabbed to death. In 250, Pope Saint Fabian became a martyr. In 473, Saint Euthymius the Great choked to death. In 1479, John II, King of Aragon, suffocated. In 1612, Holy Roman Emperor Rudolph II died under mysterious circumstances. In 1936, King George V died of a chill (helped along by his family doctor).

God bless us every one.

B'days: 20—Buzz Aldrin, Carol Heiss, Aristotle Onassis. 21—Steve Schulte, Christian Dior, Wolfman Jack. 22—(Super Bowl Sunday)—Elaine Noble, Sam Cooke, D. W. Griffith. 23—Emperor Hadrian, Gil Gerard, Ellen Mimran. 24—Mary Lou Retton, Ray Stevens, Sharon Tate. 25—Diana Hyland, Edwin Newman, Leigh Taylor-Young. 26—Roger Vadim, Wayne Gretzky, Angela Davis.

"I don't think homosexuality is normal behavior and I oppose the codification of gay rights: But I wouldn't harass them and I wish they could know that. Actually, I wish the whole issue could be toned down. I wish it could go away, but, of course, I know it can't."—George Bush (during the 1980 campaign).

Incoming attractions

"Torch Song Trilogy" has a good chance at the starting gate. There were a whole slew of movies opening last week, but this week brings only two other new entries. "The Boost" is about a struggling salesman. He finds success in Hollywood, but then begins a drug induced downward slide. "Vincent: The Life and Death of Vincent Van Gogh" sounds fascinating if you like biographies. It's a documentary narrated by John Hurt.

The free telephone line at 228-2882 brings us Ed Hirsch, starting tomorrow.

Dailies:

Call Me Madam; The Testament of Orpheus (MFA, 20 and 21)—A poet activist, a hero of the French Resistance, changes sex; Jean Cocteau's last film.

Coverup: Behind the Iran Contra Affair (Rice, 20 and 27)—On inauguration day? Sheesh. You'd think they could give the poor bozo at least a week's honeymoon.

One Week; The General (Rice, 21)—two Buster Keaton movies from the 20s.

Robert Venturi and Denise Scott Brown; Q (MFA, 22)—Delve into the philosophy and works of two of America's most controversial architects. Then fly through a horror film with Quetzalcoatl (minus his feathers).

Song of Ceylon; Reassemblage (Rice, 22)—two documentaries—a traditional one about Sri Lanka and a new age one about Senegal.

Funky Fruit On Parade

George Bush once joked that he'd had enough of the dancing California Raisins but they'll be in his inaugural parade nonetheless.

The California Raisin Advisory Board first declined an invitation for the human versions of the raisins to march in the parade—it's too hard to walk 2 1/2 miles in 18-inch-long shoes—but now they will ride on the President's Council of Physical Fitness and Sports float.

"We are very pleased that the California raisins can help celebrate this historic occasion and

are looking forward to bringing a taste of California to the new administration," said Dick Markarian, chairperson of the raisin board.

During last year's campaign Bush once had to cancel an appearance in Fresno, Calif., and joked that he was pulling out because he didn't want to see any more of "those damned dancing raisins," who had appeared on several earlier Bush campaign stops. But Markarian said the crack had nothing to do with the raisins turning down the original invitation.

Laughing Through The Tears

Comedian Louie Anderson will exorcise some personal demons this fall in a book to be titled "Dear Dad." Anderson, one of 11 children, says he grew up confused and insecure under an alcoholic, tyrannical father.

"When you're the child of an alcoholic parent, I don't think you ever learn to trust anyone," Anderson says.

"You're always waiting for an explosion. You know just how quickly a smile can turn into a scowl or how fast a pat on the back can become a cuff on the back of the head."

Growing up, Anderson hid his emotions behind humor but finally he "realized I was in a lot of pain."

The book will be a series of emotional and funny letters to his dad, a former trumpet player with Hoagy Carmichael who died in 1979.

Montrose Counseling Center celebrates 10 year anniversary

Houston's Montrose Counseling Center is 10 years old and we're celebrating.

Come join us for an evening of fun and entertainment at the Judge Roy Hofheinz Celestial Suite in the Astro Village Hotel. The festivities begin at 8 o'clock on Saturday, Jan. 28, 1989.

Master of Ceremonies is Houston's Marty Ambrose. There will be a host of various entertainers including Lou Ann Miles, recognized on Broadway and Houston's Theater Under The Stars; and Jonathan Charles, renowned choreographer and dancer who has performed with many Broadway touring companies and Houston's Theater Under The Stars.

The gala is being held in the famed Celestial Suite built by the late Judge Roy Hofheinz. This is a rare opportunity to visit the mini-dome that was created by a man intent on collecting many historical objects and who himself played an important role in shaping Houston's history.

Come celebrate with the Montrose Counseling Center 10 years of really hard work. The Montrose Counseling Center is growing and we're proud of it.

Donation for the celebration and fundraiser is \$25.00 per person. There will be door prizes, hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar.

For more information contact Doreen Alexander at 864-3075.

—San Diego minister at MCCR

The Rev. David Farrell of the Metropolitan Community Church of San Diego will be guest speaker at Houston's Metropolitan Community Church of the Resurrection when the church holds its "spiritual renewal" Jan. 24 through Jan. 26. The church is located at 1919 Decatur.

Farrell has been pastor of the San Diego church since 1974 and has been an outspoken advocate of equal rights.

For information on services call the church at 861-9149.

—Cloggers to perform

The Montrose Counseling Center's 10 year anniversary party to be held at Judge Roy Hofheinz Celestial Suite at the Astro Village Hotel Saturday, Jan. 28, will host a number of entertainers including "The Texas Lovin' Cloggers."

Steve Zeller, Director of the Texas Lovin' Cloggers, branched out of The



Texas Lovin' Cloggers

Montrose Country Cloggers 3 years ago and started his own clogging team. Since then, the group has performed for both Houston and Pasadena Rodeos, The George R. Brown Convention Center, The Houston House Theatre, The Houston Heights Festival, Foley's Department Stores, and numerous malls. They have traveled Texas performing for various festivals and played various Montrose clubs.

In June of 1988, the group travelled to Branson, Mo., for the Silver Dollar City Clogging Competition. In the Adult Division they won First Place for Novice, with a Grand Champion Overall, First

Place in Buck and Wing Duet, First Place in Show, and a Second Place in Couple Precision.

The Texas Lovin' Cloggers are a diverse mixture of clogging enthusiasts. They combine precision clogging with high-stepping energy for top quality down home entertainment.

The Texas Lovin' Cloggers also give beginning clogging classes. The next class starts Jan. 26, 1989, and runs for 8 weeks. Please call 669-9969 for details.

—Gay & Lesbian Switchboard celebrates 8th year

On Dec. 21 the Gay and Lesbian Switchboard Houston celebrated its eighth year in operation.

"We are proud to have survived for so

many years in these lean times, and we look forward to many more years of community service," said switchboard president Bob Jarvis.

The Gay and Lesbian Switchboard offers several types of free, confidential services to the lesbian and gay communities of Houston and the entire country, he said.

Among services offered are information, referrals and telephone counseling.

"We provide general information for and about the community. We also provide information on AIDS and other sexually-transmitted diseases," Jarvis said.

Callers requesting such information are referred to bars, restaurants, hotels, and all types of local merchants. Referrals are also made to various medical, legal and mental health professionals. "We refer to community organizations of all kinds and we maintain up-to-date listings of resources for those dealing with HIV infection," he said.

"We listen to people," Jarvis said of the program's telephone counseling services. "While we are not professional counselors, our volunteers are trained in listening and crisis-suicide intervention. The switchboard is the only service of this nature specifically tailored to the gay-lesbian community and people with AIDS (or) ARC," he said.

Jarvis said the organization also keeps a community calendar which is broadcast three times weekly on KPFT-FM.

"For the future, our goals include expanded public relations and community outreach, an '800' service, and 24-hour operation," he said.

The switchboard runs off a budget of about \$800 per month. That includes about \$500 for rent and utilities, \$200 for office supplies, copies, printing, and postage, and \$100 for public relations expenses including brochures.

"We are a 100% volunteer organization with no paid staff, and we are very proud of the fact that we run a very lean operation," Jarvis said. "We are now seeking operating funds for the new year. Donations of \$100, \$50, or \$25 would help immensely. The switchboard is a 501c3 tax-exempt charity, so all donations are tax-deductible."

For more information call 529-3211. The switchboard hours are 4:00 p.m. to midnight daily.

Montrose Neighborhood News

Lawmakers look for priorities in funding health programs

By MARK LANGFORD
FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

AUSTIN, Texas (UPI)—A state Senate budget writer said Tuesday more money should be spent on AIDS education but top priority should be given to diseases for which researchers may soon find a cure.

Sen. Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, told colleagues on the Senate Finance Committee that funding AIDS programs is like "pouring money down a rat hole," but he with-

drew the remark when queried by reporters.

"What I meant was we ought to look first at programs where we can conquer the problem and save money that we can then divert to dealing with things like AIDS, like cancer," Parker said, referring to diabetes as an example.

"It would take relatively little money to reduce significantly the bad effects of dia-

betes. We could reduce the number of people we have on dialysis. We could reduce blindness. All of those things end up costing us for the rest of those people's lives. We can prevent a significant portion of that, and yet we have not chosen to do so," he said.

Parker said AIDS programs should focus on prevention and education because there is not enough money in the state

budget to fund research.

"That's going to have to come from private sources and the federal government," he said. "We absolutely need more money on education, on every kind of education. There is not a single social problem facing Texas or economic problem facing Texas that education is not the most critical factor in solving."

Sen. Eddie Bernice Johnson, D-Dallas, said there has been a lack of compassion among lawmakers on AIDS, a disease that destroys the body's immune system.

"It is not a disease of gay people. It is a communicable disease that has the capacity to wipe out a whole population, and the only way that we're going to do anything to control this disease is to educate people, people in general," Johnson said.

"I have not even seen anything that appears to be compassion recently except for sensitivity that has been shown by the leadership of Lt. Gov. Hobby. I wish he had some help and leadership," she said.

The Finance Committee reviewed provisions of the Legislative Budget Board's proposed 1990-91 budget, which would reduce health and human service programs by more than \$200 million.



Cleveland residents file federal suit against city

CLEVELAND, Texas (UPI)—Five Cleveland residents have filed a federal lawsuit against the city police and other officials accusing them of staging phony raids and planting drugs on innocent people.

The suit, filed in U.S. District Court in Beaumont, says abuses in Cleveland from 1986 to 1988 include officials searching two of the plaintiffs' homes and planting drugs on them.

The lawsuit alleges that the door of the home of Neda Fay Bass was kicked in during Nov. 1986 and she was forced to stand in the nude for 40 minutes while officers searched her home for drugs. She was taken to jail and arrested on drug

charges, but the charges were dropped a few hours later, the lawsuit said.

Another plaintiff, Darlene Franklin, said police kicked down the door of her home in Feb. 1986, searched it and then said they found a small packet of drugs.

Johnson was forced to take her newborn baby to jail and give the baby to child welfare authorities unless she signed a statement that another man had given her illegal drugs, the lawsuit alleges. Johnson said she signed the order so she would not lose her child.

Houston attorney John E. Sherman, representing the five individuals, said the acts are

"typical of the experience of persons arrested in Cleveland."

The plaintiffs in the suit are all residents of a minority section of Cleveland known as "the Quarters." They are seeking an injunction to stop prosecution of any drug charges filed against them and damages of \$300,000 apiece.

The residents are suing Cleveland Police Chief Harley Lovings, Liberty County District Attorney Mike Little, state District Judge W.G. "Dub" Woods and other officials.

The Cleveland-area officials refused comment on the individual charges.

See Jane Exercise, See Jane Mellow

Jane Fonda admits that she might have overdone it a little in her previous exercise videos.

"I'm not as macho as several years before," she told The New York Times.

Her latest video, "Jane Fonda's Complete Workout," includes both high-impact and low-impact aerobics and is not as hard-driving as some of the previous tapes—a sign that she doesn't "feel the burn" quite so intensely as she once did.

The mellowing encompasses not only her attitude toward exercise, but her personal life "In the old days I was very driven," Fonda says.

"Now I'm striving hard to control compulsive tendencies. ... Now I want to enjoy things more, to add more moderation to my life."

Aries

Aren't you being just a bit unrealistic, dear Aries? Are you confusing the fantasy of what you think you want someone to be, with an actual person? Doesn't that put an unreasonable burden on that actual person?

Taurus

Mars moves into your favorite sign. You're ready to go. If you haven't already left on a trip, a good deal of your thoughts are already there. When you do arrive at your destination, you may be surprised at opportunities that arise.

Gemini

Watch what happens. This is a time for you to be more of an observer than a participant. Let silence be golden and let stillness be a fine motion. Insights garnered from

this period will serve you well throughout the year.

Cancer

Friday, the twentieth, could provide a great, emotional high. The power and intensity of love could move you, really move you. Reverberations of delight could continue for quite a while. Don't be afraid to be bowled over.

Leo

Prepare to make a major decision in the next three or four weeks. You know what the decision concerns. Give some serious thought and consideration to the matter. Con-

sult with friends, family, experts. Be smart. Plan ahead.

Virgo

The intensity of this romantic period in your life could level off a bit. You're starting to employ your rational mind again, and the light around your lover's body doesn't obliterate everything else in the room.

Libra

Have fun.

How's that for some really good advice from your favorite astrologer? Lighten up. Pressure and tension are facts of life. This is one of those times when the best thing that you

can do is be playful, indulge the child inside of you.

Scorpio

A new friend. Don't those three words have a wonderful sound? A new friend. Chances are that this person is someone quite different from yourself. In your differences you can find so much to learn about, so many areas to explore.

Sagittarius

You don't have to give it all away. Generosity should have its limits. Yes, you do want to help others. Yes, you do want to do what you can for their well being. Your agenda should also include taking care of yourself, your needs.

Capricorn

Things change. People change. Life is change. No sign of the zodiac is presently more aware of the

element of change than Capricorn. While some changes are totally unpredictable, others are not. Guide, direct, shape your world.

Aquarius

Someone from your past could be having negative effects on your plans for the future, while another from the past could be having just the opposite effect. How is that affecting your life? Take a look around.

Pisces

Don't scatter the tremendous energy that is now yours. It would be easy enough to flit from this to that and be happy with your life. But if you can concentrate and focus your attention, you'll be able to accomplish and create something special.

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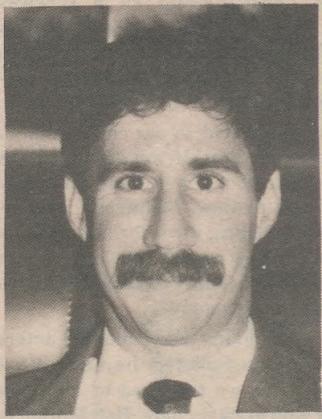
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Julie Bayer, Philip LeStrange and Michael David Wright in "A View from the Bridge"

By BILL O'ROURKE

Montrose Voice A&E Editor

The question is not whether the Alley has created a high quality production of "A View from the Bridge." They have. If you like depressing stories of Italians working down on the docks, director Beth Sanford has a show for you.

This, however, is the show the Alley is sending out on tour this year. This is the longest tour they have ever gone on. Many people out there will be seeing this show. They'll think that it is typical of Houston as a whole, not just the Alley. No other theater tours to them from here.

When the Alley took a show to New York City, they took a light comedy. It was great fun. The first time they took a show to the hinterlands (Note that I include my hometown, Colorado Springs, in the artistic hinterlands.) it was a dark but witty concoction. The next time it was a darker but inspiring heavy drama. This time, the third time out, they are taking an even darker, dreary melodrama masquerading as a timeless myth. Has all the fun left our town? Is this despair the message we want to send? Is this the image we want to portray for possible tourists, etc.?

What happened to our city's endless optimism? Face it. If you didn't believe in our town, you'd have found some way out of here by now. We haven't been an actively booming town for a long time. Is this our new creed? Your only choice in life is to live it only in halves or to live it as a grand tragedy?

There are many very talented actors in our city, too. Folks on the road will get a chance to see the likes of Brandon Smith who grew up here. Bob Marich is a native, too, or might as well be. They'll get to see Michael David Wright. He was a member of the Alley's training company, the Sharp Young Company, last season. However, in the leading role, they'll get to see a talented actor making his Alley Theater (as well as, I believe, his Houston) debut. It's not that Phillip



Main Street Theater starts a two play project in which the same actors will play Moliere and his company in one and the characters those actors originated in another. Freeman Williams plays Moliere. He's seen here with Vicki Luman

LeStrange isn't good. It's just that he's a LeStranger (pardon me, I couldn't resist it) to our shores. He has excellent TV credits. However, they're not really the kind that are going to pull them in at the box office, not enough to justify casting him for that. Nope, the out of town audiences are going to think that we just didn't have enough confidence in any of the local people for the job.

Julie Bayer was with the training company last year, too. Holly Barron hasn't been on an Alley stage in two years. However, she has some of our better plays to her credit, like "Execution of Justice." But the play belongs to LeStrange's character.

I would have felt a whole lot better about things if they had sent "The Merry Wives of Windsor, Texas" instead. It was happy. It was about Texas. And it showcased local talent. This show does none of those things.

Notes

The Houston Symphony is in Washington, D.C. this weekend, performing at the inauguration. ...

The mayor officially declared tomorrow "Houston Tap Day." Tri-Star Pictures, to publicize its upcoming film "Tap," is providing strap-on taps that will fit any shoes and a simple routine that any klutz could learn. They want everybody to come out and form one huge tap line at Greenspoint Mall at 3:00 p.m. You could win free prizes, too.

Immediately after that, they'll have the Houston finals of Tri-Star's national tap dancing competition. You'll get to see what it looks like when done by local talent who know what they're doing. ...

Channing Players is looking for directors for its 1989-90 season. Interested directors should send their resume, possible script suggestions and a letter of intent to Channing Players, Inc., c/o Janis Halliday, 5210 Fannin, Houtex 77004. For more information, call Halliday at 785-9492. ...

Auditions: Boston University Tanglewood Institute: HSPVA, 1/26; Appointments—Lawrence Anderson, 522-7811; Info—(617) 353-4241. ...

Openings

Alfred Stieglitz Loves O'Keefe (Alley, 20)—love affair between two famous artists—a photographer and a painter.

Cat on a Hot Tin Roof (Encore Players, 20).

Ron Crick, Jeanene Garafalo, Mark Mabray (Comix Annex, 20 and 21).

Merce Cunningham Dance Company (Wortham, 20)—Merce himself brings 15 dancers to the company's first Houston

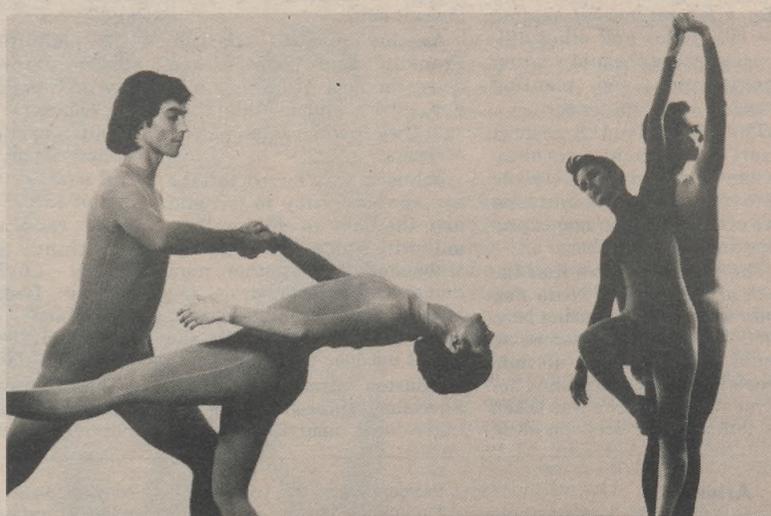


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The Merce Cunningham Dance Company appears in Houston for the first time in over 20 years tonight. Here are Alan Good, Catherine Kerr, Helen Barrow and David Kulick in "Points in Space"

date in over 20 years. Includes three new Cunningham works, "Points in Space," "Pictures," and "Carousal." ONO. (One Night Only.)

Gem and Jewelry Show (Astroarena, 20—22)—includes the official crowns of Miss USA and Miss Universe and lots of pretty-pretties on sale.

One Mo' Time (The Ensemble, 20)—high-stepping musical comedy.

Doc Severinson (Jones, 20 & 21)—I think.

Three by Three (UH, 20)—short plays by Chekhov, Shaw and Coward.

UH International Piano Festival (UH, Dudley Hall, 20—22)—featuring Abbey Simon, Ilana Vered and Gyorgy Sandor.

Vertical Mardi Gras Parade (Texas Commerce Tower, 21 at 9AM)—\$35. Benefits Cystic Fibrosis. Info—523-9044. ONO.

AIDS: What Every Man Should Know (Medical Center Hospital, 21 at 10AM)—lecture for men and their families. Freebies. ONO.

Tap Day (Greenspoint Mall, 21 at 3:00 p.m.)—ONO.

Auto Show (Astrohall, 21—29)—more than 500 domestic and imported cars.

Burns Supper (Arabia Temple, 21)—all sorts of Scottish pleasantries in honor of poet Robert Burns. ONO.

Celebrity Auction (Houstonian, 21)—benefits UH Athletic Department. Admission free. ONO.

John Lee Hooker (Rockefeller's, 21 and 22)—blues.

Houston Choreographers X 6 (Jewish Community Center, 21)—ONO.

To Kill a Mockingbird (Stages, 21).

Texas Arbor Day Weekend Festivities (Houston Arboretum and Nature Center,

21 at 10—4 and 22 at 1—4)—Freebies.

A Step in Time (Jewish Community Center, 22 at 2 and 3:30)—Academy Dancers and Shelly Power's Dancers. ONO.

Amos Ewing, Charles Green, Tom Parks (Laff Stop, 24).

John Hawkes, Gail Mayer (MFA, 24)—read from their works. Freebies. ONO.

Julliard Quartet (Wortham, 24)—still working their way through the Beethoven cycle. ONO.

Shear Madness (Clubland, 24)—longest running non-musical play in the history of the United States opens up for the first time in Houston.

Abraham and Sarah (AD Players, 26)—musical love story.

The Cabal of Hypocrites (Main Street, 26)—a long suppressed Soviet play about Moliere and his troupe of actors.

Grandpa Hasn't Moved in Days (Radio Music Theater, 26)—A funeral reunites The Singing Fertle Family.

The Land of the Little Horses (Stages, 26)—This play was a runner-up at the 1988 Festival of Southern Theater at Oxford, Mississippi.

Book Report

King Kong's favorite blonde, Fay Wray, has titled her autobiography "On the Other Hand" and it comes out late next month from St. Martin's Press. She'll celebrate publication on Feb. 20 with a party in a most appropriate spot—atop the Empire State Building in New York ... Mickey Rooney has signed a contract to write his life story and the hardcover version is due in the spring of 1990. The book, still untitled, will chronicle his 65 years in show business, eight marriages and relationships with stars like Marilyn Monroe, Judy Garland, Elizabeth Taylor and Red Skelton. "This book took me a whole lifetime to write," Rooney said. "I can't remember anything I've been more excited about."

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The Montrose Voice Reader

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Registered And Voting

We scored a perfect 100 on voter registration. Simmons Market Research Bureau said 100% (yes, 100%, not 99% or 99.9% but 100%) of the Voice readers who participated in this part of the survey said they were registered to vote. 73.4% said they actually voted in an election in the past 12 months. (This is twice the national average of 34.7%)

Money And Banks

90.1% of the readers of the Montrose Voice have a checking account. 68.8% have a savings account. 29.8% have an Individual Retirement Account (IRA), 26.9% Certificates of Deposit or Savings Certificates (CD's). 27.1% own common or preferred stock. 9.0% own corporate or municipal bonds. Altogether, 94.1% of our readers have 1.79 accounts of some type with a banking institution.

Dining Out

96.2% of the readers of the Voice have dined out 16.74 times each in the past 30 days. 72.4% of the Voice readers said they have patronized a restaurant in the last 12 months that advertised in the Voice. On the average, each day, Voice readers eat 11,800 meals in restaurants. He spends, on the average, \$7.34 per person for lunch and \$11.50 per person on dinner. (16.9% actually spend over \$20.00 per person at dinner.)

Out To The Bars

84.6% of the readers of the Voice go out to the bars or dance clubs 9.91 times each month. (7.2% of the readers of the Voice actually "go out" more than 25 times a month.) On the average night (or day), 6100 Montrose Voice readers go out to the bars or dance clubs.

Smokin'

44.4% of the Voice readers smoke cigarettes. (14.4% smoke non-menthol regular or king size, 13.8% smoke non-menthol filter 100mm, 8.2% smoke menthol filter 100mm.)

Safer Sex

68.8% of the Montrose Voice readers use condoms 15.90 times every 90 days. (34.3% use condoms "always," 20.6% use condoms "usually.") Leading brands: Trojan 36.8%, Shiek 15.5%, Lifestyles 15.2%, Ramses 13.0%.

Getting Away In The U.S.

89.9% of the readers of the Voice took 5.75 domestic trips each in the past 12 months. 73.8% went by air 5.06 times each for business or personal vacation. 11.5% of the our readers own a vacation or weekend home. Favorite spots went (totals more than 100% because of multiple trips by each traveler): Dallas 38.7%, New Orleans 32.3%, Los Angeles 20.0%, New York 18.1%, San Francisco 16.3%, Washington DC 12.9%, Atlanta 11.6%, Chicago 8.6%, Boston 7.7%, Ft. Lauderdale 7.1%, Key West 4.7%, Philadelphia 4.3%, Palm Springs 4.3%, Russian River CA 3.0%.

Getting Way Away

58.2% of the readers of the Newspaper of Montrose took 3.3 trips each in the last 3 years to points outside the United States. Favorite places:

Mexico 36.5%
Europe 19.6%
Hawaii 10.8%
Caribbean (except U.S. Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico) 7.0%
Central and South America 4.2%
U.S. Virgin Islands 3.7%
Puerto Rico 3.3%
Asian countries 2.2%
South Pacific and Oceania 2.0%
African countries 1.5%

Frequent Flyers

30.9% of the respondents of the Montrose Voice are enrolled in a frequent flyer program. 42.8% of the readers of the Voice own a valid passport.

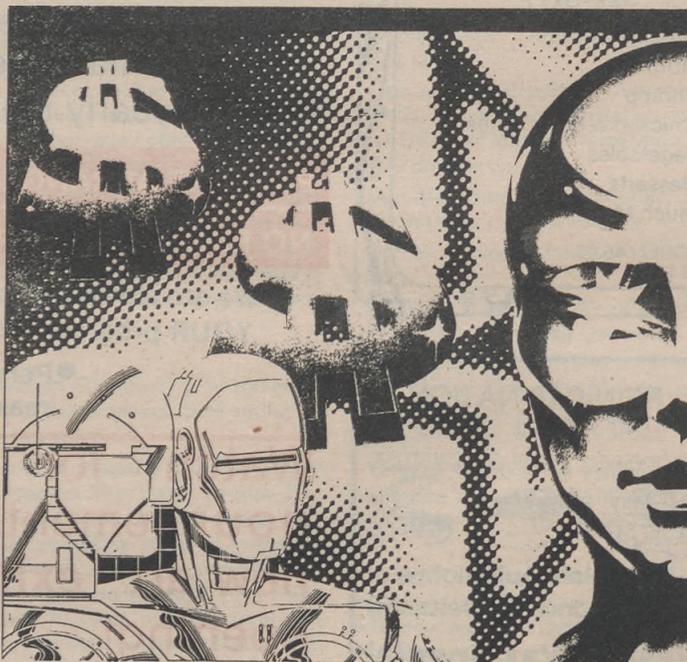
Wheels Of Fortune

87.1% of the readers of the Newspaper of Montrose own an average of 1.56 cars each. This means Voice readers are out riding around in 29,900 automobiles. No wonder the streets of Montrose are always congested. The most popular cars:

Chevrolet 12.0% (Nummi Nova 1.6%, Caprice/Impala 1.4%, Monte Carlo 1.2%)

Ford 10.8% (Mustang 2.1%, Thunderbird 2.1%, Escort 1.2%)

Toyota 10.6% (Celica 2.4%, Corolla 2.1%, Tercel 1.4%, Camry 1.4%)



Cadillac 8.2% (De Ville 1.6%)
Oldsmobile 8.0% (Cutlass Supreme 3.1%)
Honda 8.0% (Accord/Accord LX 3.1%, Civic/Civic CVCC 2.1%)
Pontiac 7.1% (Grand Prix 1.9%, Grand Am 1.2%)
Nissan/Datsun 5.6% (Sentra 210 1.6%)
Mercury 5.4% (Cougar/XR7 2.6%)
Buick 5.4% (Century 1.4%, Le Sabre 1.2%, Regal 1.2%)
Volkswagen 4.9%
Former AMC/Renault (now Chrysler) 3.3% (Renault Alliance/Encore 2.4%)
Chrysler 3.1% (Le Baron 1.4%)
Dodge 2.8%
Lincoln 2.8%
Mazda 2.6% (626 1.6%)
Mercedes Benz 2.1%
Volvo 2.1% (GL 1.2%)
BMW 2.1%
Hyundai Excel 1.6%
Isuzu 1.4%
Plymouth 1.4%
Colt/Colt DI 1.2%
Peugeot 1.2%

Wheels Of Fortune Part II

Of our readers which own a domestic car, 11.8% own a luxury car. The average age of all passenger cars owned by Voice readers is about 6 years. Of our readers which own a car, 57.4% of

them bought it new from a dealer.

Rent The Wheels

62.2% of the readers of the Newspaper of Montrose have in the past year rented 4.17 cars for business or personal use.

Your Home Is Your Castle

36.5% of the readers of the Voice own their own home. (29.9% own a house, 6.6% own a condo or co-op.) 58.5% rent their home or apartment (14.8% rent a house, 43.7% rent an apartment.) Of those who own, the average current market value is about \$98,800.

Very Personal

89.8% of the Montrose Voice readers are males, 10.2% females. The average household is 1.69 people (1.59 adults and 0.10 children). 44.1% of the Voice readers live alone. 36.8% live with a spouse or lover. 15.4% live with a roommate. 37.1% are in the range of 25 to 34 years old. 34.9% are from 35 to 44 years old. 14.7% are 45 to 54. And 4.5% are 55 to 64. The average age is 36 years. 91.3% of our readers are white, 5.9% Latino or Hispanic and 2.0% black.

Education

50.6% of the Voice readers have graduated from a 4-year college and another 26.3% have attended 1 to 3 years of college. 10.3% have post graduate study without a degree. 12.5% have a master's degree. 3.4% have a doctoral degree.

The Job Force

96.8% of the readers of the Newspaper of Montrose are employed. Of those, their major industry of employment is:

Wholesale/retail trade 17.8%
Transportation 10.4%
Manufacturing 9.3%
Health services 8.5%
Non-business services 7.6%
Education services 7.0%
Business services 7.0%
Construction: 4.4%
Finance 3.0%
Legal services 2.7%

Real estate 2.7%

Public administration 2.1%

Social services 1.7%

Insurance 1.1%

Engineering/architectural services 0.4%

Accounting/bookkeeping 0.2%

Job Force II

Of those employed, 41.4% are in professional or management positions. (9.7% are in top management positions, such as owner, president or partner.) 30.9% are in technical, clerical or sales position. 3.0% are craftsmen.

Job Force III: Money, Money

Of the 96.8% of the Voice readers that are employed, the average individual annual income is \$32,400 each. The readers total average household income is \$45,370 a year.

Community Responsibility

82.7% of the readers of the Voice have contributed to an AIDS or health organization in the last 12 months.

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Loyal Readers

They read the Voice virtually every week (each reader averages 5.1 issues out of the last 6, while 57.8% actually read 6 out of 6).

They Devour The Paper

The typical reader spends 45 minutes reading an issue. 19% spend over an hour reading.

They Share Their Copy

The average number of readers of an issue within a household is 1.51 while another 1.29 people outside the household (visitors) also read or look into that household's copy of the Voice. This gives the Voice a "pass-on rate" of 2.8.

You Advertise, They Buy

92.7% of our readers said they were "somewhat likely" or "very likely" to use a product of service advertised in the Voice. 53.3% remembered having mentioned to others products or services they saw advertised in the Voice.

Coupon Clipping

Voice advertisers have run very few coupons (perhaps only about 20 in the last 12 months) but still 32.1% of our readers recalled using a coupon from the paper in the last 12 months. Conclusion: More advertisers should consider offering specials that are only available with the coupon from the Voice.

You Don't Reach Our Readers

Advertising Elsewhere

The other neighborhood newspapers do not reach the readers of the Voice. Only 20.7% of the Voice readers read Greensheet regularly. Only 15.4% read Inner-View. Only 20.3% read Public News. Only 4.9% read Village Life.

Credit Cards

Montrose Voice readers carry these major credit cards:

Visa 50.4% (regular 44.1%, Gold 9.9%, Premium/Preferred 6.8%)

MasterCard 48.1% (regular 43.2%, Gold 12.7%)

American Express 40.7% (Green 27.0%, Gold 18.1%, Optima 12.9%, Platinum 2.7%)

Diner's Club International 6.5%

Additionally, 46.6% of the readers of the Voice have used a department store charge card in the last 12 months.

Shopping By Phone And Mail

72.6% of the Voice readers have shopped by mail or phone in the past year. The national average is 50.2%.

Working Out

60.9% of the Voice readers have engaged in a physical fitness program in the last year. The national average is only 15.5%. (39.6% of our readers worked out at a commercial gym and 33.6% did so in their own home.)

Buying Clothes

The typical Voice reader spent \$1019 on personal clothing in the past year. (Multiply that by 22000 readers and divide by 52 weeks and you find that EACH WEEK the readers of the Montrose Voice spend \$430,000 on clothes.)

Going To The Movies

Voice readers love the movies. (Quick, name the only three newspapers in Houston real movie critics: Post, Chronicle and Voice.) 70.0% of our readers have attended a movie in the past 90 days, 58.6% in the past 30 days. (That's twice the national average of 25.2% in the past 30 days.) Further analyzing the 30-day figure, we find that the typical Voice reader goes to a movie about every 14 days. That means 1570 regular Montrose Voice readers are going to the movies tonight! And another 1570 tomorrow night. It's a never-ending story.

High Society

55.6% of the Voice readers have attended a live theater presentation in the past year. 37.3% have gone to a cabaret performance. 20.5% have gone to an opera. 21.4% have attended a classical concert in the past 12 months. Each of these percentages is

about 5 times the national average. Altogether, 79.9% of the Montrose Voice readers have gone to an average 11.75 live theater, dance or concert performances in the past year.

Boogie Concerts

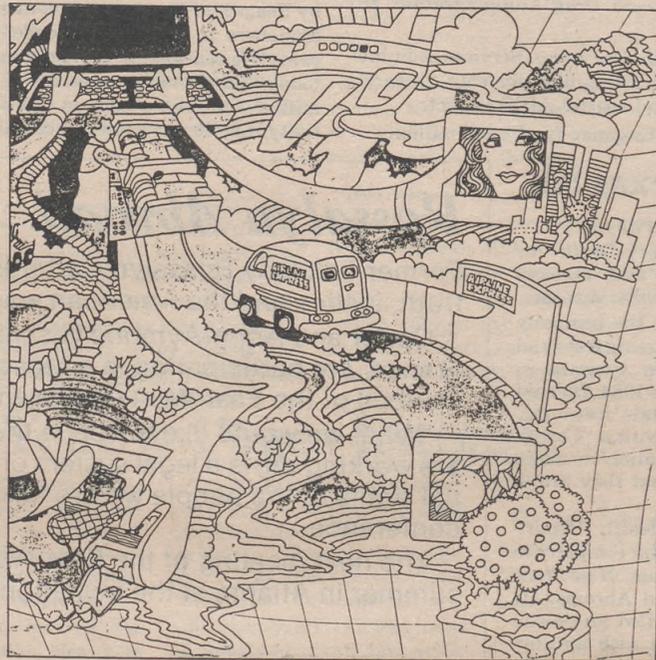
33.6% of the Voice readers have attended rock, pop or other similar type of concert in the past year. That's 3 times the national average.

Art Works

Montrose IS the art district of Houston. 54.5% of the readers of the Montrose Voice have attended an art gallery exhibit in the past 12 months.

Books

72.7% of our readers have bought an average 12.81 paperback books in the past 12 months. 56.9% have bought an average



7.39 hard-cover books in a year.

Records And Discs

40.9% of the Voice readers have each bought an average 15.79 33rpm records in the last year. 28.4% have purchased an average 14.65 compact discs. 56.7% have purchased an average 8.38 pre-recorded cassette tapes. These figures are all about 3 to 4 times higher than the national average.

The Music

Voice readers like many types of music. Analyzing from those who (above) made a purchase in the last year, we find 51.5% bought contemporary pop vocals (e.g. Whitney Houston, Billy Joel, Barbra Streisand, Lionel Richie), 36.8% bought contemporary rock vocals (e.g. Phil Collins, Madonna, Bruce Springsteen), 30.1% bought Broadway cast, movie or TV soundtracks (e.g. Cats), 29.9% bought classical (e.g. opera, symphonies, concerts), 27.1% bought country (e.g. Willie Nelson, Dolly Parton, Alabama), 26.0% bought contemporary black (e.g. Stevie Wonder, Anita Baker), 20.6% bought new wave rock (e.g. U2, R.E.M., Talking Heads), 14.9% bought contemporary jazz (e.g. Al Jarreau, Bob James, Wynton Marsalis), 13.4% bought contemporary rock bands (e.g. Starship, Boston), 7.1% bought dance/rap (e.g. Run DMC, Beastie Boys), 6.1% bought heavy rock (e.g. ZZ Top, Van Halen) and 15.8% bought other styles of music that didn't fit these categories.

Video Tape Sales And Rentals

73.3% of the Voice readers rented 28.34 video tapes each in the past 12 months. (That's 452,000 tape rentals a year!) 42.4% of the Montrose Voice readers purchased 6.23 video tapes each in the last year. (That's 58,000 video tapes bought in a year.) These rentals and sales were roughly divided into about 1/3 feature

films, 1/3 "adult" films and 1/3 other types (such as exercise or instruction tapes).

Sound And Lights At Home

The typical Montrose Voice reader has himself well surrounded with stereo and video equipment. And he is constantly upgrading. 84.8% of the households have a TV, 70.5% have a VCR, 6.3% have a video camera, 58.9% have a component stereo system, 21.7% have a CD player, and 5.7% have a video disc player. 9.3% plan to purchase a new TV in the next 12 months, 14.1% plan to purchase a VCR, 5.7% plan to buy a camera. 8.6% plan to buy a new component stereo system, and 3.6% plan to get a video disc player.

Computing At Home

24.7% of the Voice households have a home personal computer. 13.9% plan to purchase one (or another one) in the next 12 months.

Refreshing Beverages: H2O

61.4% of the Voice readers drank an average of 14.66 glasses each of bottled natural spring or mineral water in a week. The leading brands: Perrier 19.6%, Ozarka 19.4%, Artesia 9.8%, Evian 6.8%, Calistoga 2.6%.

Refreshing Beverages With A Kick

88.6% of the respondents in the survey specified particular types of alcoholic beverages they drink. A majority of the readers drink more than one type of alcoholic drink. 72.8% drink beer, 53.8% drink table wine, 49.2% drink vodka, 37.1% drink rum, 33.1% drink champagne, 33.1% drink bourbon whiskey, 31.0% drink wine coolers, 30.6% drink Scotch whisky, 30.4% drink tequila, 29.3% drink cordial and liqueurs, 27.2% drink gin, 16.2% drink brandy, cognac or armagnac, 13.1% drink sparkling wines other than champagne, 12.4% drink Canadian whiskey, and 4.2% drink Irish whiskey.

Drinking At Home

78.9% specified a particular type of alcoholic beverage they served in their home in the past 12 months. The percentage breakdown of drinks served at home is about the same as the percentage above for drinks in general.

Favorite Brands

Miller Lite beer 28.5%
Budweiser beer 16.4%

Bacardi rum 16.2%
Jose Guervo tequila 13.1%
Jack Daniel's bourbon whiskey 10.4%
Corona beer 10.2%
Smirnoff gin 9.3%
Bartles & Jaymes wine cooler 7.3%
Bud Light beer 6.4%
Tanqueray gin 6.2%
Ronrico rum 5.8%
Miller High Life beer 5.3%

Ordering Their Favorites

The above shows the top brands for the readers of the Voice. In fact, our readers order distilled liquor or wine by brand name 48.1% of the time when out at bars or restaurants. When shopping at liquor stores or a market, they buy by brand name 76.1% of the time.

Giving Liquor

61.6% of the readers of the Voice, according to this survey, have in the past 12 months bought distilled liquor or wine as a gift for someone. 46.4% have bought wine as a gift, 35.4% have bought distilled liquor as a gift, and 22.8% have bought cordials or liqueurs or a gift.

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The Montrose Voice Reader
According to Simmons

New Reagan AIDS budget disappoints gay lobbyists

By REX WOCKNER

FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

Activists with the Human Rights Campaign Fund (HRCF), a gay political action committee in Washington, D.C., are "disappointed" with President Reagan's new Public Health Service AIDS budget. While Congress had authorized federal 1990 AIDS funding of \$1.9 billion, Reagan's budget only calls for \$1.6 billion—a 24% increase from last year's \$956 million.

The \$1.9 billion figure was originally chosen by Secretary of Health and Human Services Otis Bowen. HRCF lobbyists say that when the budget returns to Congress, activists will push for \$2 billion to combat AIDS. HRCF obtained an advance copy of the new AIDS budget

on Jan. 9.

The \$1.6 billion authorized by Reagan breaks down as follows:

National Institutes of Health: \$753 million, for research and some epidemiology;

Centers for Disease Control: \$474 million, for education and epidemiology;

Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration: \$218 million for drug abuse treatment, some research, some education of IV drug users;

Food and Drug Administration: \$57 million;

Health Resources Services Administration: \$56 million for care, research, AZT, and special AIDS projects;

"Contingency fund": \$25 million;

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health: \$16 million;

Indian Health Service: \$1 million.

HRCF's Robert Bray said the Presidential decision to send the bulk of AIDS funding to NIH for research is "probably a good place to put the money, along with the CDC for research and education." But, he said, "the AIDS community obviously wanted more.

"We did not want Bowen's \$1.9 million to be cut and we're disappointed that the Secretary's judgment has been undercut by Reagan to appease budget number-crunchers in the White House," Bray said. "We believe that every dollar spent today—particularly on research—saves millions of dollars later, in lost productivity, health insurance, medical costs

and other costs associated with AIDS—not to mention human life."

The 1990 budget also authorized 2236 "full time equivalents" (staffers) for AIDS research, prevention and other related activities. The number represents an increase of 479 FTE's over 1989 staffing levels but falls significantly short of Congress' authorization of 780 new FTE's in 1990.

"FTE's," Bray said, "are a real priority for the AIDS lobbying community because we keep bashing the FDA and other agencies for not putting money behind their proposals. Again, we're disappointed. It's less than we need. When you're talking about human life, numbers-crunching and budget short-cuts become not only irrelevant but obscene."

N. Y. official goes after Texas lab

NEW YORK (UPI)—State Attorney General Robert Abrams Tuesday sued a Texas medical laboratory, unlicensed in New York, for illegally trying to drum up business testing medical specimens for AIDS, herpes and cancer.

In a lawsuit filed in state Supreme Court in Manhattan, Abrams sought to keep International Cancer Screening Laboratories Inc. of San Antonio from again doing business in New York.

He also asked for civil penalties of up to \$6 million.

The attorney general said the lab is not licensed to practice in the state, but has been asking

for business anyway.

The laboratory tests for AIDS, herpes and cervical cancer, among other diseases.

Abrams said the company has been conducting tests and looking for new business in New York since 1984. He said company officials have presented clients with a "Certificate of Qualification" to claim fraudulently that they are licensed.

The state Health Department warned the company to stay away from New York since 1985, said Abrams. He said the lab failed an on-site proficiency test with an unusually high error rate of 50 mistakes in 420 tests.

Rossalyn Abroad

Former first lady Rossalyn Carter is in the Soviet Union promoting truth, justice and the American way.

Carter and Anne-Aymone Giscard d'Estaing, once the first lady of France, are participating in a Moscow meeting of the Executive Council of the East-West Conference on Human Rights.

"What we would like to see in the Soviet Union, what the officials are working on, is a legal system or a legal code to protect the individual rights of the people we are talking about," Carter said at a news conference.

The next meeting of the East-West Conference will be held next summer in Atlanta at the invitation of Carter's husband, Jimmy.

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Artist Tommy Ewasko celebrates exciting color

By BILL O'ROURKE
Montrose Voice A&E Editor

After having seen so many impressionistic paintings, all of the photographic exhibits I looked through last week seemed so black and white. It's not that they were grey and lifeless. It's just that color was not a major part of their composition. To those artists it was but a tool to be used for greater verisimilitude or to grab audience interest.

Then I walked into Butera's at the corner of Alabama and Shepherd. The flowers were suddenly in bloom again. Here was a photographer who concentrated on color. He even named his exhibition "Energized Colour" (That's the English spelling. I wonder where he's from?)

Tommy J. Ewasko will follow color wherever it takes him. There are pictures of cityscapes, not the dull, dark, pessimistic views that most other artists seem to find. There are also fruit, flowers and animals. There are several pictures of go-go girls. He shows us one of these backstage by peeking through about three doors.

He shows us the pictures themselves through interesting frames, too. These are regular, smooth matte boards, not assemblages of someone's garbage. He often scores them to continue and point out lines

in the photos. He doesn't always standardize them into parallelograms, either.

One picture shows the backside of a very masculine man. Somehow the picture feels feminine, so much so I even wondered if this was indeed a blond and not a blonde with very short hair. Does this say something about the self oppression that is bred into us, which we must fight to be the natural peacocks we are? Is there something allegedly inherently feminine in a love of color?

I only mention this to show that these pictures aren't only empty calories. There is food for thought here.

Unfortunately, our black and white paper wouldn't do justice to these vibrant colors. You'll have to drop by the restaurant to see these pictures that make me want to dance.

Daubs

There is a community minded show at the Venture-N through the end of March. Any artist who promises to give a percentage of his purchase price to a community service organization (like the Montrose Clinic or Stone Soup Kitchen) may exhibit and sell there. David Szyal, Edna Giebler and Christian Oriol are among the artists al-



Edna Giebler, seen here in a self-portrait in acrylics, is one of the community minded artists exhibiting at the Venture-N

ready involved. Interested artists should contact Mr. Szyal through the bar. Anyone with an irritatingly bare stretch of wall should check this out.

Nouveau

Art of the Dance (Jewish Community Center, through Feb. 5th)—costumes, sets, etc. created to embellish dance performances.

Large Scale/ Small Scale (Rice, Sewall Gallery, through Feb. 28th)—8 local artists show 2 new works each. One dimension of one piece is at least 7 feet. Neither dimen-

sion of the other is more than 20 inches.

Steve Hoover; Steve Parker (Kauffman Galleries, 20—Feb. 20th)—wooden boxes; impressionistic landscape paintings.

A Stitch in Time Saves Nine? (Houston Center for Photography, 25—Feb. 19th)—These photos by Houston-based documentary photographers Earlie Hudnall, Jr. and Ben DeSoto depict cross-cultural views of large urban areas and their inhabitants.

Harlem Renaissance (TSU, Sterling Student Center, 26 at 7:00 p.m.)—Cary Wintz will lecture on the artists of the Harlem Renaissance and their impact on today's African American culture. Freebies. ONO. (One Night Only.)

James Surls on "Inside/Outside" (MFA, 26 at 7:00 p.m.)—The noted Texan sculptor leads a special tour of the sculpture exhibition. ONO.

William Wilborn (Brent Gallery, 26—March 4th).

The Shape of Sculpture (MFA, 27 at 10AM)—Ellen Rosenbush Methner leads a discussion tour of sculpture in both the permanent collection and the exhibition. Aimed at senior citizens. Reservations required. ONO.

Gay groups to get Yellow Pages listings

NEW YORK (UPI)—Responding to pressure from gay and lesbian activists, NYNEX, the parent company of the New York and New England telephone companies, agreed Monday to list gay and lesbian groups under special categories in its Yellow Pages directories.

"It's a complete victory," said Karin Schwartz of the Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation Inc., GLAAD, which fought a year and a half for the change in the listings.

"This will be the only Yellow Pages in the country to have anything like this," Schwartz said, adding she hoped the agreement would be a precedent for other regional telephone companies.

The agreement between the NYNEX Information Resources Co., the subsidiary that publishes the directories; GLAAD and the state Consumer Protection Board calls on the telephone company to expand its general "Social Service Organizations" heading to include sub-headings.

The sub-headings will list categories such as "Gay and Lesbian Organizations," "Women's Service Groups," "Services for the Disabled," "Children's Services" and "Charitable Organizations."

Previously, NYNEX had listed all public and private agencies in alphabetical order under the general social services heading, making it difficult to find any specialized agency without knowing its name, Schwartz said.

NYNEX also agreed to add cross-references under the headings "Gay Organizations" and "Lesbian Organizations," directing consumers to the social services listings.

"Our re-designed 'Social and Human Services' heading will better serve the needs of our customers," said Donald Reed, president of NYNEX Information Resources.

NYNEX plans to include the new listings in all Yellow Pages directories of its New York Telephone and New England Telephone subsidiaries, officials

said.

The new listings are expected to appear in the regional Yellow Pages beginning in June, officials said.

Schwartz, who first requested a special heading for gay organizations in August 1987, estimated there are 300 agencies serving the gay community in New York City.

AIDS play wins cable TV award

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Home Box Office, the nation's oldest and biggest pay cable network, dominated the 10th annual ACE cable TV awards Sunday on the strength of three dramas featuring the Vietnam War, AIDS and Nelson Mandela.

"Vietnam War Story," an anthology on the war, won five ACE's and "Tidy Endings," a play about AIDS, and "Mandela," a movie on the life of the South African black activist, each won four for a total of 13 of HBO's ACE's Sunday.

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DESPITE INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CONTRARY, ZEUS CAN'T RESIST WRAPPING HIS CASSEROLE IN TIN FOIL.....

Frank pushes 'pro-gay' rules changes through house

By REX WOCKNER
FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

Two rules changes in the U.S. House of Representatives, authored and pushed by openly gay Rep. Barney Frank (D-Mass.), could significantly dampen the impact of future anti-gay parliamentary plays by Congressional homophobes. The changes were accepted by the House on Jan. 4.

The first change allows the Speaker of the House to postpone by 24 hours the debate and vote on motions that the House accept Senate amendments to legislation. In recent years, anti-gay Senators have often been able to pass their amendments through the House by having House homophobes call "surprise" votes. Now, pro-gay House members have gained a day to rally against

accepting Senate amendments.

The second change requires that the time for debate on such motions be equally divided between the maker of the motion and those opposed to it.

"While this is complicated, it is very significant," said Robert Bray of the Human Rights Campaign Fund, a gay political action committee. "Often these motions happen so fast that members of the House can't analyze and debate them. With these changes, the House leadership will have time to react and the Democratic leadership will have a chance to work with the Appropriations Committee—the all important funding committee—to devise alternatives."

Bray said that, "in essence, what Frank has accomplished is a clever

method of preventing surprise attacks. Sometimes we know they're coming and sometimes we don't," he said. "Congressmen will now be spared voting on the spot on the floor. The net result will be rewordings of homophobic amendments or time to rally the vote against them."

Frank's "clever" rules changes caught Washington gay activists by surprise, Bray said, and "are a very good way to kick off the 101st Congress. Right from the beginning, we are setting the rules in favor of justice and logic and reason. Barney is an excellent legislator to even have thought this up. And it shows just how savvy the gay movement has become in Congress. We can play hardball just like (anti-gay Sen. Jesse) Helms (R-NC) and (anti-gay Rep.

William) Dannemeyer (R-CA)," Bray said.

Frank said his rules changes should "head off these crazy things of Helms' which are worded to scare people. Congressmen are afraid to vote against these things because they're worded to prevent things that were never going to happen, like forceable education in cross-dressing," Frank explained. "Virtually everything else that comes up before us has to wait a day. Now we have a chance to come up with alternatives. And when you look at the bad stuff around AIDS, it's always been the same pattern—a bad amendment in the Senate and a quick motion to accept in the House." The rules changes, Frank says, won't work for the gay community every time, but "it will be better."

Britt, gay, elected head of San Francisco Board of Supervisors

On Jan. 9, 1989, Harry G. Britt became the first openly gay man to serve as President of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors. Britt is one of the most prominent elected gay officials in the country. In January, 1979, he succeeded Harvey Milk, slain along with Mayor George Moscone by former Supervisor Dan White. Harry Britt was a close political associate and personal friend of Milk.

President Britt was sworn into office by the Honorable Mary C. Morgan, a lesbian municipal court judge for the City and County of San Francisco.

Elected to a full term in December, 1979, Britt was the only challenged incumbent to keep a seat on the Board of Supervisors. Supervisor Britt has been re-elected in November of 1980, 1984, and by an overwhelming margin, in 1988, in city-wide races. In the 1988 election, Britt placed 1st in a field of 25 candidates.

Harry Britt has emerged as one of the strongest progressive voices in San Francisco politics. While effectively advocating the rights of gay people, he has also been a strong proponent of the rights and welfare of working people, seniors, women, minorities and the disabled. Britt has also authored landmark legislation responding to the AIDS epidemic.

For additional information, please contact Rick Ruvolo at (415) 554-5146.

—S.F. International Lesbian & Gay Film Festival

FRAMELINE is now accepting entries for the 13th San Francisco International Lesbian and Gay Film Festival, June 16-25, 1989. Held each year during San Francisco's Lesbian/Gay Freedom Celebration, the Festival brings together the best in feature, documentary and short films and video works by and about lesbians and gay men. This, the world's largest and most respected annual screening of its kind, is sponsored by FRAMELINE, a non-profit media arts organization, to develop and promote the production, exhibition and appreciation of lesbian and gay films and video tapes.

Awards will be presented to outstanding works in several categories. Formats accepted include 35mm, 16mm and super-8 films; NTSC 3/4" and 1/2" VHS video cassettes. The deadline for entries is March 31, 1989. For more infor-

mation and entry forms contact FRAMELINE, P.O. Box 14792, San Francisco, CA 94114 or call (415) 861-5245.

—New book tells of achievements

"To grow up gay or lesbian in modern times means to grow up an outsider," writes Thomas Cowan in the introduction to his new book, *Gay Men and Women Who Enriched the World*. He continues: "The gay imagination must stretch far to answer the basic questions of life: Who am I? Where did I come from? What is my purpose?"

Cowan examines the lives of 40 individuals beginning with Alexander The Great in 336 B.C. and continues with essays on Plato, Leonardo Da Vinci and Michelangelo. He tells of Walt Whitman's comment following a brief encounter with Oscar Wilde, "A splendid boy, we had a very happy time together." He says Noel Coward maintained a heterosexual appearance for the sake of his career but wrote: "Homosexuality is becoming as normal as blueberry pie."

Cowan asks, "What purpose do gay people serve?" In older non-western cultures they had roles as spiritual leaders and healers. In modern times they've tended to be artists, writers, teachers, designers and to pursue careers in social work and entertainment.

The achievements of Lord Byron, Herman Melville, Horatio Alger, Jr., and Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky are noted. Moving into the present century are essays on Gertrude Stein, Virginia Woolf, T.E. Lawrence, Charles Laughton and Tennessee Williams.

Thomas Cowan, with a doctorate in history from St. Louis University, has written 20 books in such diverse fields as religion, health, personal development and business, home improvements and biography. He resides in New York. *Gay Men and Women Who Enriched the World*, published at \$17.95 by William Mulvey, Inc., will be in bookstores in April.

—Military Freedom Project seeks stories

Prompted by the incarceration of three female Marines on charges of homosexuality, a joint project to effect long-lasting changes in military policy towards lesbians and gay men has been launched by the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force, the National Organization

for Women, Women's Equity Action League, and the ACLU Lesbian/Gay Rights Project. The Military Freedom Project was conceived and developed at a meeting in Washington, D.C., in mid-November, 1988.

"The Gay and Lesbian Military Freedom Project will make a concerted and coordinated and long-term effort to win recognition of the contributions of lesbians and gay men in the Armed Forces by dismantling the military's viciously homophobic policies and practices," said Sue Hyde, NGLTF Privacy Project Director. "While most of us do not expect to suffer imprisonment for our sexuality, that has been the fate of scores of gay people in uniform. For those lucky enough to escape the brig, harassment and humiliation, followed by dishonorable discharges, await thousands of service people who love members of their own sex. We must stop this shameful treatment of citizens who are willing to sacrifice their lives in service of their country."

The Gay and Lesbian Military Freedom Project has three immediate goals: 1) to press for U.S. Congressional hearings on the harassment of women and lesbians in the service; 2) to testify at the Spring '89 meeting of DACOWITS (Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Service); and 3) to conduct educational and outreach programs to lesbians and gay men in the service.

As part of the education and outreach programs, the Gay and Lesbian Military Freedom Project seeks testimonies and first-person accounts by lesbians and gay men who are Armed Forces veterans or who are currently serving in the Armed Forces. Stories are sought from persons who were closeted in the military, as well as those who were out, from persons who were hounded out, as well as those who were respected and finished their tours of duty without incident; from enlisted personnel, as well as officers, from women, as well as men. Whatever your experience in uniform, the Gay and Lesbian Military Freedom Project welcomes your contribution.

All requests for confidentiality will be respected. The stories will be included in collected testimony presented to Congressional committees and will be edited and compiled for inclusion in outreach and educational materials.

Please send your 500-1000 word account of your experience in the military to: Gay and Lesbian Military Freedom Project/ NGLTF/1517 U St. NW/Washing-

ton DC 20009.

—Quilt tour

The NAMES Project Foundation is soliciting volunteers to assist in a spring tour of the AIDS Memorial Quilt across the United States and Canada.

There will be as many as eight positions available but applicants must have had prior volunteer experience with the NAMES Project. The tour will begin in mid-February and continue through mid-August.

Volunteers, who will receive six to 12-week assignments, will be given daily expenses as well as lodging and transportation costs. Their assignments will be preceded by a two-week training course in San Francisco.

Resumes and cover letters may be sent to Scott Lago, tour coordinator, The NAMES Project, 2362 Market St., San Francisco, CA, 94114.

—Minister seeks AIDS disclosure policy

A Florida minister has launched a mail-out campaign urging support of a national policy that would strip AIDS patients of their rights of confidentiality.

The minister, D. James Kennedy of Ft. Lauderdale, also asked those on his mailing list to send cash donations which he said would be used to purchase television air time "get out the truth about the homosexual lifestyle and AIDS."

Kennedy told recipients of the letters that AIDS is a "politically protected" disease and that AIDS

carriers should be identified "to minimize their contact with the public."

Enclosed with his letter was a petition asking Surgeon General C. Everett Koop to declare AIDS a communicable and sexually transmittable disease and to "limit the spread of AIDS by reporting and identifying those who are carriers ... instead of protecting them under a blanket of confidentiality."

Kennedy said there are "homosexual rights groups working day and night to make sure AIDS victims are not identified. In fact, we are consistently protecting the AIDS carrier and we are not protecting the public from the AIDS infected person."

The minister described successful efforts to keep the names of AIDS patients confidential as "horrifying testimony to the incredible power of the gay rights lobby."

While he said he does not advocate quarantining AIDS patients, he said venereal diseases and tuberculosis are illnesses contained by mandatory blood testing and segregation.

"Before the era of antibiotics, syphilis and gonorrhea were rampant. The spread of these sexually transmitted diseases was halted by mandatory blood testing," he said.

"Tuberculosis, another communicable disease, was halted by disclosure of the disease on X-rays, and TB victims were confined and treated," he said.

Kennedy said he is trying to raise \$150,000 to air his one-hour "documentary" on television.

National Gay Community Notes



Ancient Christian gay marriage rites are uncovered

By REX WOCKNER
FOR THE MONTROSE VOICE

Yale University historian John Boswell, most well-known for his 1980 book "Christianity, Social Tolerance and Homosexuality," has discovered ancient Christian rites for "gay marriages" and will publish a book on the matter "a year or more from now." The rites—Boswell thinks inadvertently—are still authorized for use in the Roman Catholic Church.

Speaking Jan. 13 at the University of Chicago, Boswell said he stumbled upon the rites after a "tip" from a Melkite rite monk (Melkites are Arabic-speaking Christians in union with Rome) who became suspicious when a Jesuit with whom he was studying refused to translate six pages of Greek in an old liturgi-

cal manual.

The monk sent Boswell the citation for the six pages, explaining, "There's only one subject that I think would make a Jesuit this uncomfortable and I thought maybe it would be of interest to you."

Boswell spent three summers in Europe researching the gay marriage rites and almost gave up before finally discovering documentation that made it clear in his mind that the rites definitely anticipated an erotic dimension to the couple's relationship. He still thinks the Roman Catholic Church may try to assert that the rites—which date back to the fourth century—only relate to very special, but celibate, same-sex relationships.

"I'm sure these couplings were erotic,"

Boswell told an overflow crowd in Chicago. "The language is heavily erotic (in the original Greek). ... There are also a lot of independent references to the ceremony and the kind of relationship it creates, from Medieval times on up into the 1940's—where anthropologists or people from other cultures went and saw this ceremony being performed and asked locals 'What is This?' and the locals said, 'It's the marriage of two men. It's just like the marriage between a man and a woman. It wouldn't be right for them to have sex unless they were married. Once they're married in the church, it's all right.'"

Boswell says anthropologists have observed the gay marriage rites in this century in Albania and in rural areas of Greek and Slavic speaking countries.

It's Boswell's hope that his discovery, when published, will provide a starting point for further research by other scholars. He also anticipates that his findings will benefit the modern gay rights movement.

"In a best case scenario," he said, "people will no longer be able to regard the relationships between gay people as purely sexual, irresponsible modern innovations. ... To find out that gay people were involved for thousands of years in this kind of solemnizing union will help to create a bridge."

Boswell, who is a practicing Catholic, won the 1981 American Book Award for History for "Christianity, Social Tolerance and Homosexuality," which also landed on the New York Times' list of the year's 11 best books.

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Montrose Soap: People & Places



Vera, did you send those to yourself?



John and Gaye try to project Western Day at Mary's...naturally!



Is this Mr. BRB '89 or the Queen of '89? You HAVE looked better, Brett!



John Buschlin (TNT Shirts) and Pickles (Q.T.'s) made a startling appearance in this photo

Congratulations to Brittany Paige who has been selected to perform at Lake Tahoe for an extended engagement. E/J's will host a Roast in his honor on Feb. 2nd, so plan to attend.

John S., why do you call Jerry Reed (Venture-N) "The Kenmore Washer?"

Since Vera cleans the bar, The Golden Girls want her to start doing The Big House Laundry since she has so much free time. Any comments, Vera?

Who was the letter from up north that was cold but had very warm feelings while they remembered Jeff and Wayne in Houston? Ain't you two special?!

It's been noticed that the loud mu-

sic at The Ripcord doesn't bother Carl (BRB), but it does at his own bar. Explain that one, Carl!

Which local attorney (initials JIM) wants to be Assistant Manager of BRB just to be behind the curtain with The Cheeks of The Week contestants? Put his leash back on Lance!

Robin (The English Prima Donna) of E/J's fame IS alive and well in California. Good luck in your new endeavor, but don't forget us!

Congratulations to all TGRA Rodeo Contestants on the good showing with the ribbons and buckles you brought home. A job well done!

Wes and Oscar (LOBO) informed us that Wes woke up with a sore neck and Oscar with a sore leg. New posi-

tions can be dangerous sometimes!

The Colt 45's all fell in love with cowboys in Phoenix-looks like we'll be seeing more of them on the rodeo circuits this year! Especially Larry P!

Rusty (Big State) is hollering, "The rabbit died," and Curtis (Cousins) is smiling. Ask Walter (BRB) for details!

Jerry (Wranglers), is it true that Palmolive liquid lathers better than Prell?

Sheila (Little Bit of Texas), when did you start renting the front seat of your car for room and board? On Westheimer, no doubt. Ask Ken if it's worth it!

Curtis, what's this about your be-

ing "reared" by LaMoyné?

What happens to your bed on severe party nights, Creath?

Ed of E/J's seems to think that Jimese (Jim) can be more ladylike than Jeannie (formerly of Bacchus). Let's hear the reasons, gang!

Dateline Phoenix...at the just completed roadrunner rodeo, what state TGRA officer was overheard calling Mr. TGRA (Don Culver) a queen? (Make that deposit yet, FM?)

Who was trying to pick up Cal (BRB) outside the bar Tuesday night? Details please!

Pauline (formerly of Tims) is now at the Allen Park Inn Restaurant and invites all of her friends to stop by and say hello on the morning shift.

BARZAAR

We do our best to make this list as accurate as possible but there may be some errors. Call the bar or restaurant to confirm an event.

Most Always

- *Bacchus: Happy Hour 4-8pm
- *The Barn: Lunch served (Mon-Sat) 11am-3pm
- *Past Time: Happy hour 12-8pm
- *The Barn: Happy hour 11am-7pm
- *E/J's: Beer Bust, 4pm-Midnight
- *Scandal's: Early Bird Special, 7am-11am, 75¢ Well Drinks
- *Club Body Center: \$5 for 30 minute tanning session, \$30 for 8 visits
- *Club Exile: 8am-8pm (\$1.00 beer, well, \$2.00 call, 50¢ draft, \$3.00 pitcher, & 50¢ schnapps)
- *Club Exile: 8pm-2am (\$1.50 beer, \$1.75 well, \$2.50 call, 75¢ draft, \$4.00 pitcher, & \$1.00 schnapps)
- *Club Exile: Open daily 8am
- *Montrose Mining Co.: Gold Rush Happy hour 4pm-7pm, 3-1 happy hour till 10pm, beer bust 4pm-10pm.
- *Exit: Schnapps \$1.25
- *Club Romeo: Happy hour 5-9pm
- *Venture-N: Happy hour Noon-8pm
- *Venture-N: Beer bust 4-10pm
- *Mary's: Pouring doubles & 75¢ draft
- *J.R.'s: 3-in-1 Happy Hour opening-10pm
- *Galleon: Happy hour 2-8pm

- *Chutes: Frozen margaritas \$1.25 6pm-2am, happy hour to 10pm
- *Charlie's Restaurant: Dinner and midnite specials
- *Rock 'N' Horse: Open Tues-Sat (4pm-2am), Sun (4pm-2am), Closed Mondays
- *Brazos River Bottom: Happy Hour, Mon-Sat, 7am-9pm, Sun, Noon-6pm
- *Club Exile: Krazzee Hour 9-10pm 75¢ beer & well
- *Mary's: Happy hour 7am with \$1.50 vodka drinks to noon

- *Montrose Mining Co.: Gold Rush Happy Hour 4-7pm (\$1.10 well & beer), 3 in 1 Happy Hour 4-10pm, \$2 beer bust 4-10pm
- *Montrose Mining Co.: Special Forces (male dancers) 10pm-2am
- *Exit: Keg Party 4-10pm
- *Parkway Athletic Club: Open 7am-10pm
- *Club Romeo: TGIF Party 5-9pm
- *Mother's: Happy hour 7am-10pm
- *Mary's: After-hours
- *Lazy J: Show Night 10pm
- *Brazos River Bottom: Happy hour til 9pm with snacks at 4pm, Brazos River Band 9pm
- *Club Exile: Muscles in Action, 10pm-1am
- *Heaven: 50¢ well, cover
- *K.J.'s: \$5 Liquor Bust 7-10pm
- *Q.T.'s: 8am-10am, \$1 Well, Domestic Beer & Schnapps; 2pm-8pm, Happy Hour; 9pm-2am, DJ & Disco Dancing
- *Rubio's: 25¢ Well drinks 7-10pm, D.J. Becky Contreras
- *J.R.'s: Pacific Coast Dancers non-stop 6pm until 2am
- *Wrangler Dancehall & Saloon: Little Bit of Texas
- *Chutes: Cruise Night happy hour to 10 pm, Male strip
- *Mary's: Live DJ

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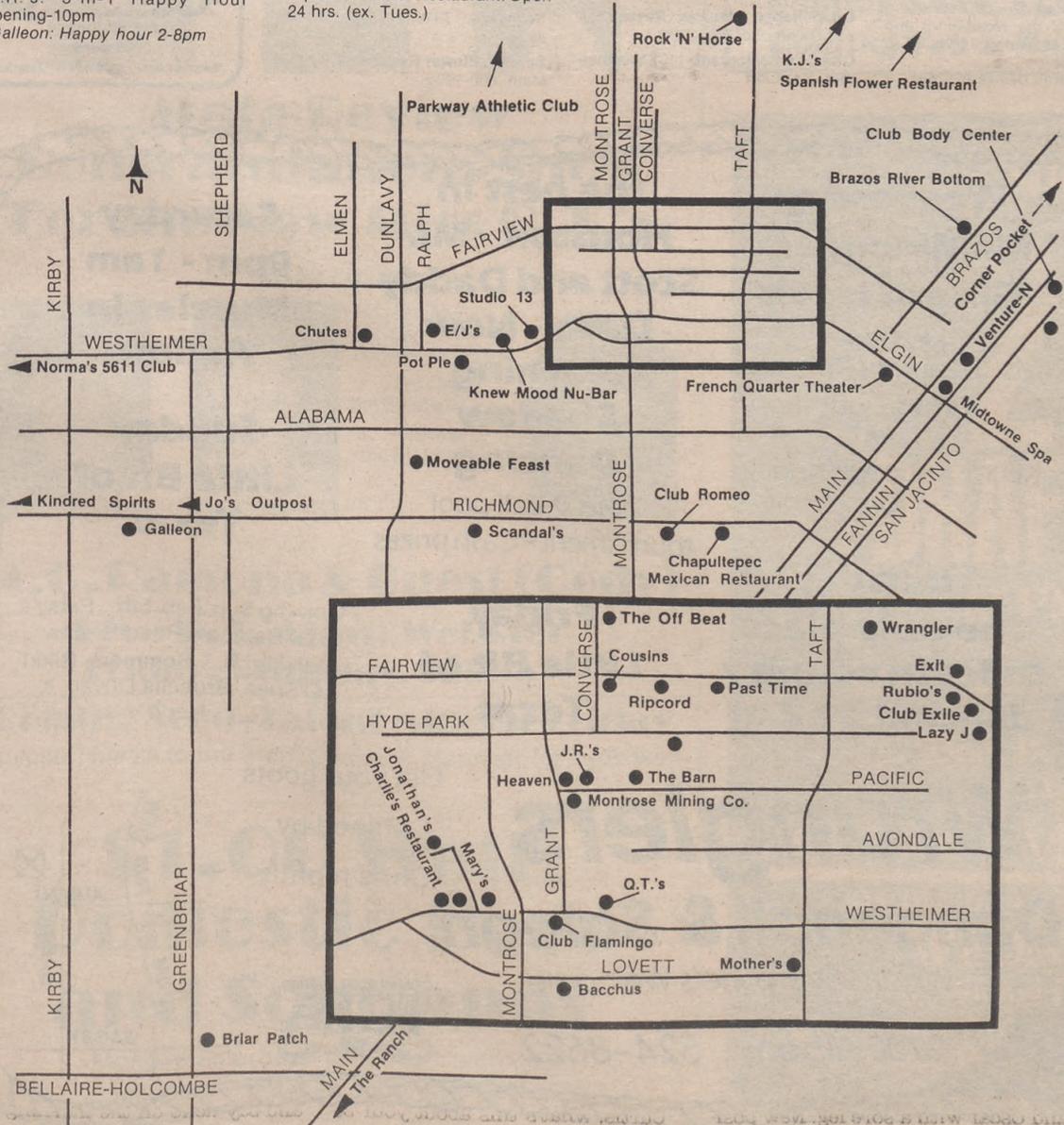
- *E/J's: First Happy Hour (9-10am) Last Happy Hour (1-2am) \$1 well, 75¢ schnapps
- *Briar Patch: Happy hour till 8pm
- *Exit: Happy Hour 7am-8pm (Mon-Sat)
- *Mary's: Happy hour 7am-noon, 5-8pm (ex. weekends)
- *Charlie's Restaurant: Open 24 hours
- *Spanish Flower Restaurant: Open 24 hrs. (ex. Tues.)

- Friday**
- *Bacchus: The Gay Dating Game, 8pm
 - *E/J's: Beer Bust, 4-10pm
 - *Scandal's: Dance to the music of D.J. Ram Rocha

- Saturday**
- *Galleon: Muscles in Action
 - *Rock 'N' Horse: Live band 9pm-1am
 - *E/J's: Performers' Alley 11pm
 - *Scandal's: Dance to the music of D.J. Ram Rocha
 - *Bacchus: Houston's Org. Party Night \$2.00 margaritas
 - *Club Exile: Miss T's Show Girls
 - *Montrose Mining Co.: 25¢ draft beer in a mug 10pm-2am
 - *Parkway Athletic Club: Open 10am-6pm
 - *J.R.'s: Pacific Coast Dancers 10:30pm
 - *Mary's: After-hours
 - *Q.T.'s: 8am-10am, \$1 Well, Domestic Beer & Schnapps; 4pm-9pm, \$1 Well Drinks; 9pm-2am, DJ & Dancing
 - *Q.T.'s: Male Strip Revue
 - *E/J's: \$1 Well Drinks 4-7pm
 - *Rubio's: 25¢ Well drinks 7-10pm, D.J. Becky Contreras
 - *Lazy J: Show Night 10pm
 - *Mary's: Live DJ
 - *Exit: Keg Party \$2.00 2pm-10pm
 - *Club Romeo: \$1.75 Coronas, \$1 schnapps
 - *Mother's: 75¢ well drinks 4-9pm
 - *Chutes: Cruise Night & liquor bust 4-8pm \$6
 - *K.J.'s: \$5 Liquor Bust 7-10pm
 - *Brazos River Bottom: Happy hour til 9pm, Brazos River Band 9pm
 - *Heaven: 50¢ well 9-11 pm, cover, DJ-Scooter Bearden

- Sunday**
- *Exit: Keg Party \$2.00
 - *Exit: Happy Hour 12pm-8pm
 - *Q.T.'s: Miss Gay Houston & Miss Gay Texas U.S.A.
 - *Wrangler Dancehall & Saloon: Little Bit of Texas
 - *J.R.'s: 75¢ cape cods, bloodies, margaritas, & schnapps Noon-10pm
 - *Rubio's: Free draft 7-10pm, "Rubios Presenta" 10:30
 - *E/J's: All you can eat Spaghetti 6pm, Beer bust 12 Noon-12 Midnight
 - *Scandal's: Mama Jo's Country Western T-Dance, 5pm-10pm
 - *Club Exile: Miss Zack's Review
 - *Brazos River Bottom: Steak Night 5pm, \$4.50
 - *Brazos River Bottom: Happy hour til 6pm, Brazos River Band 7pm
 - *Mother's: Male dancers 10pm & Midnite
 - *Galleon: \$1.25 margaritas & chips, steak night 8pm
 - *Parkway Athletic Club: Open Noon-6pm
 - *E/J's: \$1 Well Drinks 6-9pm
 - *Mary's: Live DJ, 3-10
 - *Exit: 75¢ Well Drinks
 - *Club Romeo: Hangover Blues, beer \$1.25, Bloody Marys \$2
 - *Mother's: 75¢ well 4-9pm
 - *Mary's: Beer bust 3-6pm, After hours
 - *Chutes: Beer bust 1-Midnight
 - *Rock 'N' Horse: Bloody Marys \$1, Live band 6pm-10pm, free hot dogs
 - *Venture-N: Booze/Beer Bust 4-10pm
 - *Heaven: Free well 7-9, free draft all night, \$1.25 Corona all night, cover
 - *Montrose Mining Co.: Beer bust 1pm-10pm, 50¢ draft in a mug 10pm-2am, 50¢ hot dogs 4pm-10pm

- Monday**
- *Exit: Corona \$1.25 all day/all night
 - *Brazos River Bottom: \$1.00 Well & Beer 7am-2am
 - *Q.T.'s: 8am-10am, 9pm-Midnight, 75¢ Well, Domestic Beer & Schnapps
 - *Parkway Athletic Club: Open 10am-10pm
 - *E/J's: \$1 Margaritas all day
 - *K.J.'s: \$1 Beer and Well Drinks
 - *Club Exile: \$1 Day, 8am-2am



**Play
Safe!**

*Wrangler Dancehall & Saloon: Dollar Days plus Sneak Preview (Male Dancers)
 *Mother's: 15¢ beer 6pm-1am
 *Rubio's: CLOSED, Available for private functions, reserve one week in advance
 *Montrose Mining Co.: Happy Hour 4-7pm (\$1.10 well & beer), 3 in 1 Happy Hour 4-10pm, \$2 beer bust 4-10pm
 *Ripcord: \$1 Margaritas 9pm-2am
 *Club Body Center: Lockers \$3.25 noon-midnite
 *Galleon: Male strip contest 10pm
 *J.R.'s: Pacific Coast Dancers non-stop 6pm until 2am
 *Chutes: Free pool, beer bust 4-Midnight, happy hour till 10pm, liquor bust 8-Midnight
 *E/J's: Pool Tournament, Open to everyone, 8pm, \$50 prize
 *Mary's: Bowler's Special Night

Tuesday

*Chutes: Liquor bust 8-Midnight
 *Wrangler Dancehall & Saloon: 25¢ Beer Bust 8-12pm
 *The Ranch: Beer bust & dance lessons
 *Parkway Athletic Club: Open 10am-10pm
 *Club Exile: Muscles in Action, 10pm-1am
 *Exit: Happy hour all day/all night
 *J.R.'s: Male Dance Contest, 11pm, with M.C. Maude
 *Bacchus: Pot Luck Night
 *Q.T.'s: 8am-10am, 9pm-Midnight, 75¢ Well, Domestic Beer & Schnapps
 *The Barn: Steak night 7pm-10pm
 *Mother's: \$1 well, Disco oldies 8pm-12am
 *Ripcord: \$1.25 canned beer 8pm-2am
 *Venture-N: Pool tourney 7pm
 *Galleon: Twisted Wheel of Fun 9, 10 & 11pm
 *Club Body Center: 1/2 price rooms & lockers, 7pm-3am
 *Rock 'N' Horse: Pitcher of beer \$2, Steak night 7pm
 *K.J.'s: All Day All Night Happy Hour-double drinks, 75¢ beer
 *Brazos River Bottom: Happy hour til 9pm, dance lessons 9:30pm

*Montrose Mining Co.: Happy Hour 4-7pm (\$1.10 well & beer), 3 in 1 Happy Hour 4-10pm, \$2 beer bust 4-10pm
 *Montrose Mining Co.: Men at Work (male dancers) 10pm
 *Club Romeo: \$1.25 beer
 *Rubio's: \$1 Well, Beer, Schnapps, 64oz Pitcher of draft, tequila

Wednesday

*Q.T.'s: 8am-10am, 9pm-Midnight, 75¢ Well, Domestic Beer & Schnapps
 *Parkway Athletic Club: Open 7am-10pm
 *Club Body Center: Complimentary Pizza 8pm-10pm
 *Rock 'N' Horse: Schnapps \$1
 *Midtowne Spa: 1/2 price (rooms & lockers) for members 8am-Midnight
 *E/J's: 75¢ Well, 9-12pm
 *Montrose Mining Co.: Nickel draft beer in a mug 10pm-2am, music of 60's, 70's, 80's
 *Ripcord: \$1.50 well all day
 *Club Romeo: Vodka specials
 *Mother's: "Daddy's Night" 8pm-midnite, 75¢ longnecks
 *Club Exile: Talent Night, \$50 First Place
 *Exit: Herman's Steak Night \$3.50
 *Bacchus: Corporate Ladies Happy Hour, free hors d'oeuvres till 8pm
 *Wrangler Dancehall & Saloon: Mr. Wrangler's Girls In Heals
 *Brazos River Bottom: Happy hour til 9pm, Cheeks of the Week 10pm-\$100 cash prize
 *Bacchus: MSA Pool Night
 *J.R.'s: Pacific Coast Dancers non-stop 6pm until 2am
 *Heaven: 10¢ well 9pm-2am, cover, biggest Wed. crowd in Houston
 *Rubio's: Talent night (\$75 first place), drink specials, dancing till 2am.

Thursday

*Scandal's: Oldies Night, 50's-60's-70's Rock-N-Roll
 *Heaven: Male Dance Revue with Hunter and the Headliners and Fantasy in Motion at 11pm. M.C. Randy Jobe.
 *E/J's: \$1 Well Drinks 9-12pm

*Club Exile: Open 8am, daily drink specials
 *Exit: Happy hour all day/all night
 *The Ranch: Beer bust & dance lessons
 *Ripcord: \$1.50 Margaritas 9pm-2am
 *Mary's: Sundance Night, 8-close
 *Rock 'N' Horse: All can beer \$1
 *Venture-N: Pool tourney 7pm
 *Club Romeo: \$1.50 well drinks
 *Parkway Athletic Club: Open 10am-10pm
 *Club Body Center: Half price day noon-midnite
 *Galleon: Buffet 8pm, "Brothers" 9pm
 *Mother's: Mother's Men 10pm-1am
 *J.R.'s: 3 in 1 happy hour, \$1.25 frozen drinks all day all night
 *Chutes: \$1 margaritas in a glass all day/night, \$1 Busch longnecks
 *Montrose Mining Co.: Happy Hour 4-7pm (\$1.10 well & beer), 3 in 1 Happy Hour 4-10pm, \$2 beer bust 4-10pm
 *Brazos River Bottom: \$1.00 Well & Beer 7am-2am, Brazos River Band, 9pm
 *Wrangler Dancehall & Saloon: Dance Lessons by Dave & Scott 9:30pm
 *Midtowne Spa: 1/2 lockers for members 8am-Midnight
 *Bacchus: Steak Night
 *Rubio's: Happy Hour 7pm-2am

Here's the BAR-ZAAR list: places you might consider for drinking, dining and sensual pleasures.

Bacchus, 523 Lovett, 523-3396
The Barn, 710 Pacific, 523-0213
Brazos River Bottom, 2400 Brazos, 528-9192
Briar Patch, 2294 Holcombe, 665-9678
Club Body Center, 2205 Fannin, 659-4998
Chapultepec Mexican Restaurant, 813 Richmond, 522-2365
Charlie's Restaurant, 1102 Westheimer, 520-5221

Chutes, 1732 Westheimer, 523-2213
Corner Pocket, 823 Congress at Travis, 222-2901
Cousins, 817 Fairview, 528-9204
E/J's, 2517 Ralph, 527-9071
Club Exile, 302 Tuam, 528-9809
Exit, 109 Tuam, 528-8623
Club Flamingo, 907 Westheimer, 527-8830
French Quarter Theater, 3201 Louisiana, 527-0782
Galleon, 2303 Richmond, 522-7616
Heaven, Pacific at Grant, 521-9123
J.R.'s, 808 Pacific, 521-2519
Kindred Spirits, 4902 Richmond, 623-6135
K.J.'s, 11830 Airline Rd., 445-5849
Lazy J, 312 Tuam, 528-9343
Mary's, 1022 Westheimer, 527-9669
Midtowne Spa, 3100 Fannin, 522-2379
Montrose Mining Co., 805 Pacific, 529-7488
Mother's, 402 Lovett, 520-7935
Norma's 5611 Club, 5611 Val Verde, 782-4761
The Off Beat, 2212 Converse, 522-7527
Jo's Outpost, 2818 Richmond, 528-8318
Parkway Athletic Club, 800 Rosine, 528-5467
Past Time, 617 Fairview, 529-4669
Pot Pie, 1525 Westheimer, 528-4350
Q.T.'s, 608 Westheimer, 529-8813
The Ranch, 9150 S. Main, 666-3464
Ripcord, 715 Fairview, 521-2792
Rock 'N' Horse, 1220 Taft, 520-9910
Club Romeo, 903 Richmond, 528-9110
Rubio's, 202 Tuam, 522-1207
Scandal's, 1419 Richmond, 528-8903
Spanish Flower Restaurant, 4701 N. Main, 869-1706

Studio 13, 1318 Westheimer, 521-9030
Venture-N, 2923 S. Main, 522-0000
Wrangler Dancehall & Saloon, 2700 Albany, 524-8622

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Scandals
 1419 Richmond
 528-8903
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 \$1.00 Long Necks
 \$1.00 Well
 All Day All Night

Tuesday
 8pm - 12am
 25¢ Beer Bust
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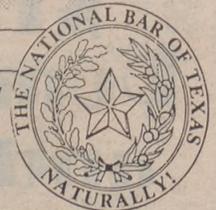


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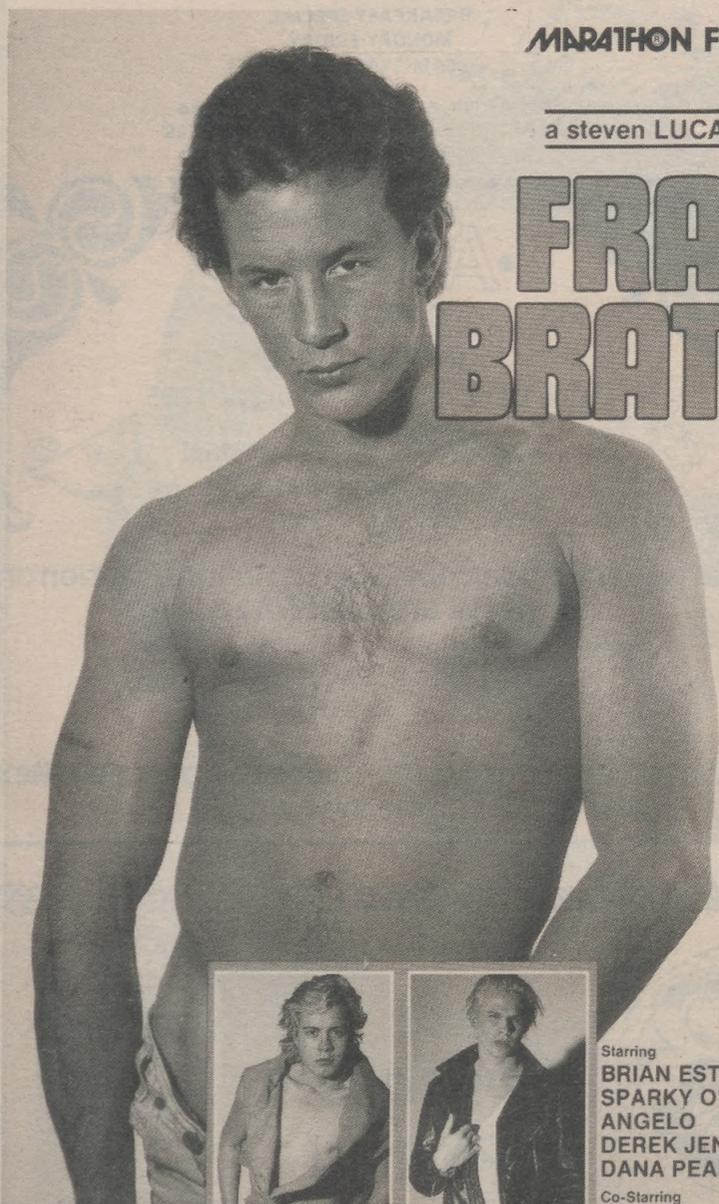
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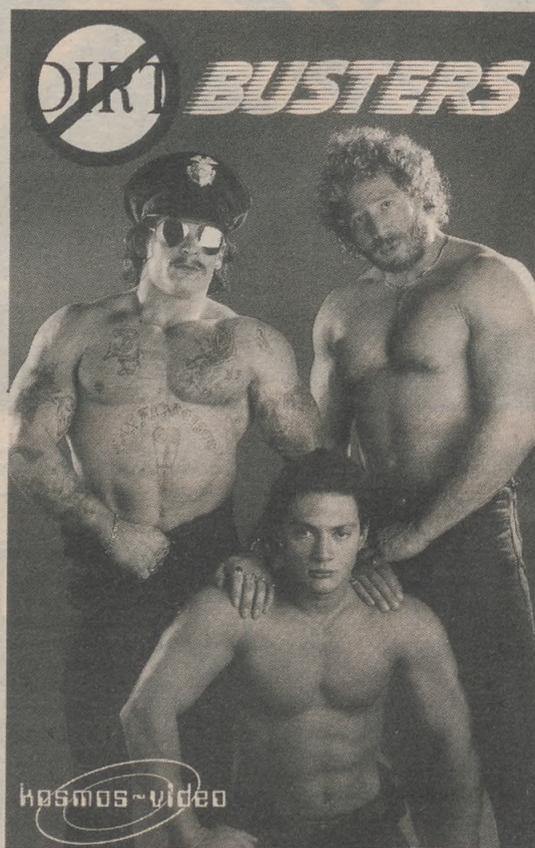


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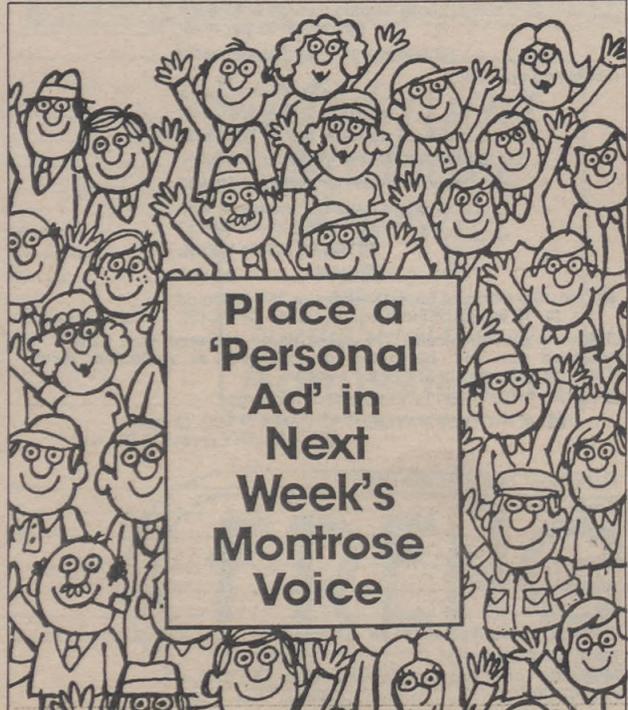
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