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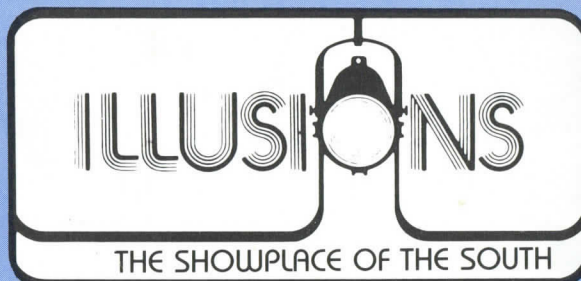


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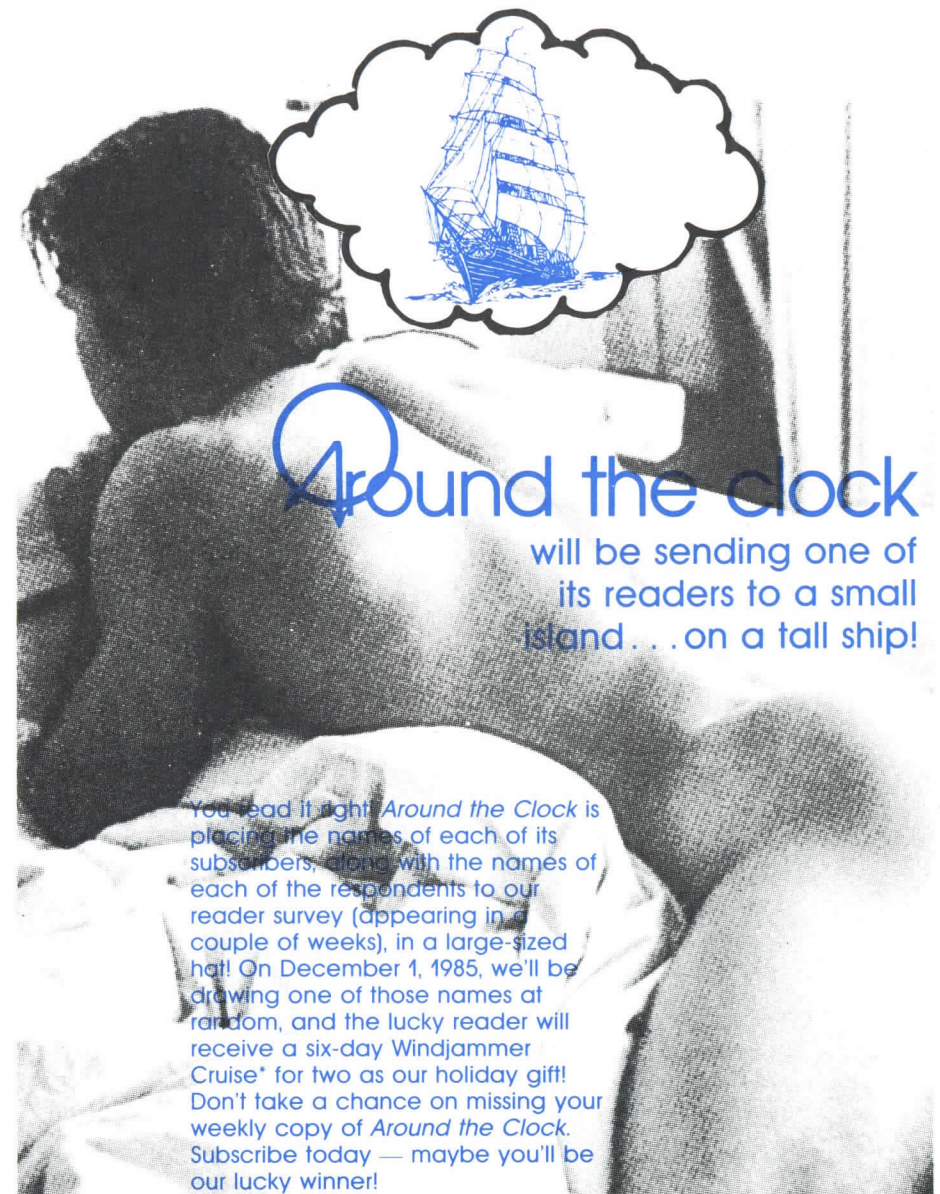
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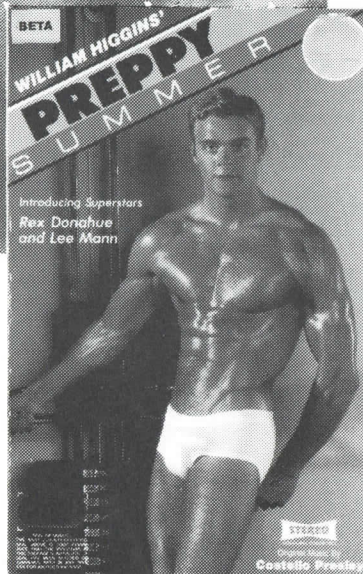
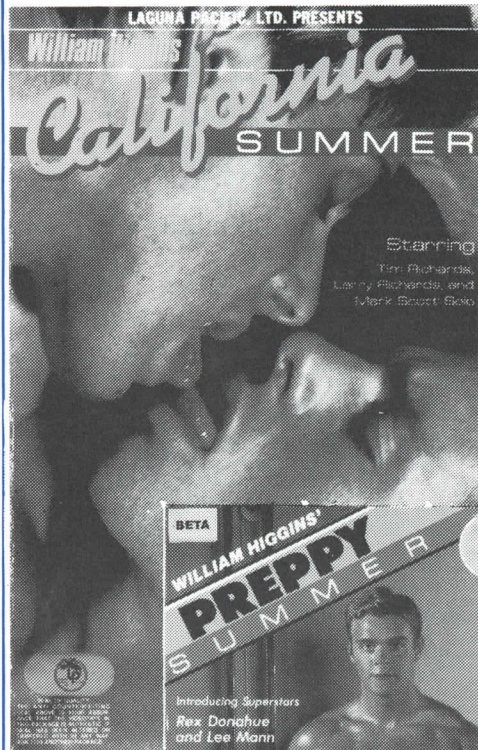
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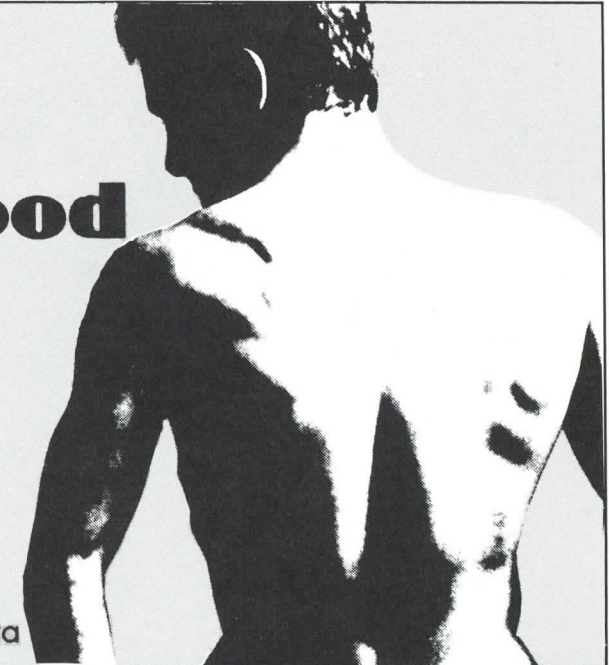
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EDITORIAL

*Woe to him that is alone when he falleth,
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Monday, May 27th, 1985. It is evening. Andrea and Millie have been together for 14 years. Both worked all day. They were tired. They stayed home.

Bob and Jeffery have a gift shop in the Vieux Carre. They have been lovers for 3 years. Tonight was their anniversary. They decided not to come.

Lester got off work early. He went to a bar, started drinking, and forgot all about it.

Mike is always in the bars, but he had *thought* about going.

Edward just broke up with his lover. He was too depressed to go.

Bob went to the baths. He never gets involved in things like that.

Louis met some friends after work and they all decided to go dancing.

Betty and Angela were planning to go, but they decided to watch a TV special.

Billy's lover died from AIDS. He was there.

Evelyn's son was in his last year of internship. He has pre-AIDS syndrome. She was there.

Theresa's brother has it. Her oldest daughter stayed with him. She was there.

A lot of people were there, but a lot of people were not! Over 200 men and women of conscience, of concern, men and women with heart and a sense of caring, were there.

Where were you? Were you the guy I saw sitting on the bar stool when I passed by with my candle in hand?

Were you the guy staring through his window as I went down St. Ann Street, wondering what all those people were doing marching by with dozens of candles flickering in the little breezes that kept billowing up from nowhere?

Were you the guy I saw riding by on his bike who seemed so offended when someone replied in response to your question that we were marching in memory of the deceased victims of AIDS?

Were you the tourist who snickered, after finding out what we were doing, "Serves them right, they got what they deserved?"

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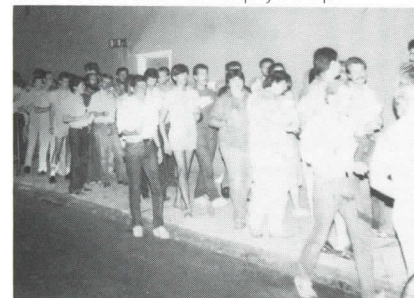
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Or were you the person who left the anonymous message on my answer service which said, "Fucking faggots, keep ya AIDS in the quarters where it belongs?"

Or were you just the person who stayed home?

All of you people who were there from both the gay/lesbian and the straight communities can be more than proud. You can be grateful that you have been given the gift of compassion, the desire for knowledge, and the hope for a union of all people. You can be grateful that you have been given the wisdom to want to be a part of a community of *human* human beings, who *do* rather than just say!

It is to you people that we say, when and if the time should come, you will have friends to turn to, friends to call upon, and friends to help you carry your burden, or at least one friend "to help you up."



On the night of May 27, 1985, John Ognibene organized a most moving and successful memorial service at St. Mark's United Methodist Church on N. Rampart

St. The service was in memory of those among us who have died from AIDS and was a show of unity and respect for/by those who support our concern with this epidemic.

The service was followed by a solemn candlelight march from the church to the Moonwalk overlooking the Mississippi River, where the candles were extinguished as a symbolic gesture: the candles symbolizing the brief life of the victims, and the great rushing river symbolizing the potential flood of the epidemic.

Mr. Ognibene coordinated several fine speakers among whom were Rabbi David Goldstein of Touro Synagogue, Rev. Bob Powell of Tau House, Jim West of FHENO, and Barbara Major, director of Survival Coalition.

It was an effective and moving example of true community involvement. Over 200 people participated. There was room for more, many more. Where were you?

Or maybe we should ask, when will we see you? When Death pays a call? Will you need us?

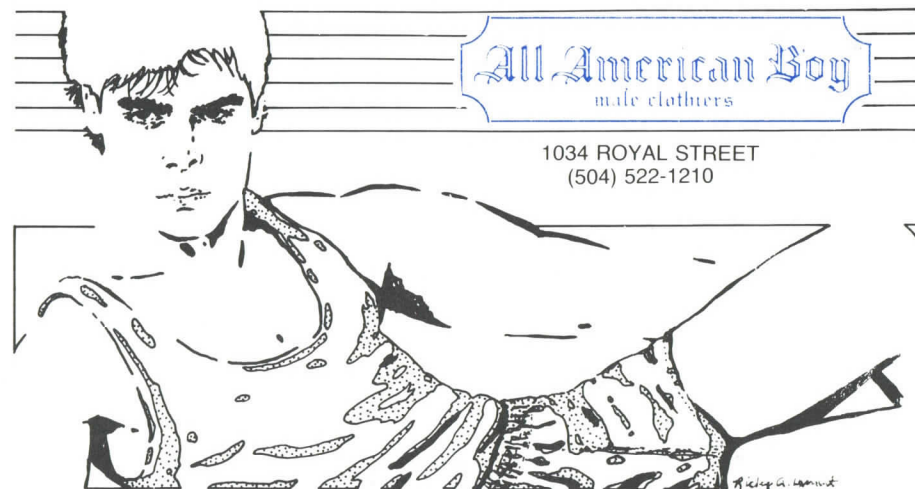
We pray you will not, but if you do, we shall be there. All of the men and women of conscience will be there — all of the men and women who understand the biblical admonition quoted at the beginning of this editorial.

It is not so much that each of us have a nation of friends, but that each of us have *at least one*, and that each of us *be at least one!* ♦

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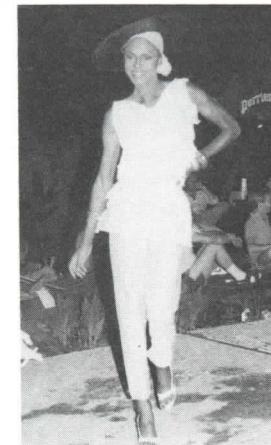
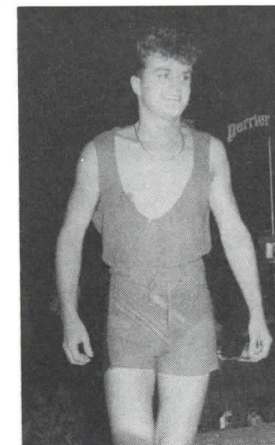
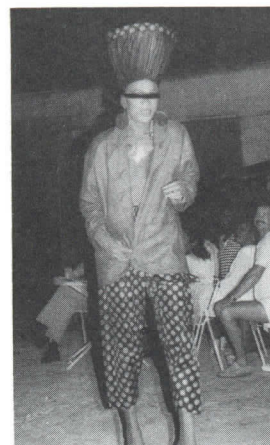
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NEW ORLEANS BRIEFING



(Left to right) Two designs by Quenton De'Alexander and one by Ginger Snapp in GayFest's fashion show at The Country Club. Photos by Doug Hatch

NEW ORLEANS' GAYFEST '85 "PUTS ON THE RITZ" WITH FASHION SHOW

New Orleans was treated to the designs of two new talents as models displayed their creations when Gay Fest staged "An Evening of Fashionable Elegance" at the Country Club, 634 Louisa St., on May 21.

Dramatic and original designs ranging from sportswear to evening wear by Quenton De'Alexander and Ginger Snapp highlighted the show which benefits "Gayfest '85."

Models included Ms. Brenda Lang, Miss Southeastern, Cura Masson, Terri Lynn Foxx, reigning Ms. Vieux Carre, Kaz, Howard Keith Beedlum, Miss Greater New Orleans '84 Terri Winston and the incomparable Connie Marcell, the Krewe of Amon Ra's Ms. America.

The show was emceed by the wonderful Sylvia Kumba Williams, who entertained the crowd with songs from "One Mo Time," and a song she recorded which is soon to be released.

Other entertainers, including some "un-rehearsed" numbers by the magnificent New Orleans Gay Men's Chorus, kept the crowd enthralled. Swinging and singing were Kenneth Raphael and Bobby Moore, with a little backup number by two-thirds of the Pfister Sisters, Holley Bendtsen and Yvette Voelker. It was camp!

There were also munchies provided by Kent and Steve, owners of Cafe Louisa in the Country Club. It was a pleasant and elegant evening, well attended and appreciated! ♦

— Douglas L. Hatch

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MR. & MISS APOLLO

Celebrating their 10th Anniversary, the Birmingham Chapter of Mystic Krewe of Apollo will present a 1986 extravaganza, "Midnight Masquerade," June 15, 9 p.m., Boutwell Municipal Auditorium Exhibition Hall.

Miss Apollo contestants will compete in interview, parade, formal wear, masquerade ball wear, and talent. Mr. Apollo contestants will compete in interview, formal wear, swimwear, masquerade ball wear and talent. There will be guest appearances by former Mr. and Miss

Apollo winners, including reigning Mr. Apollo, Terry Morgan, and reigning Miss Apollo, Madam. The Krewe will also hold a drawing for 30 bottles of liquor.

Mr. and Miss Apollo winners will be awarded \$300 each with 1st and 2nd runners up getting \$100 and \$50. For contestant applications, write: MKA Contest, P.O. Box 1315, Birmingham, AL 35201. Applications, with a \$45 registration fee, must be turned in prior to or at rehearsal, 1 p.m., June 15. Tickets at \$5 may be obtained from any Apollo-Birmingham member or by mail. ♦

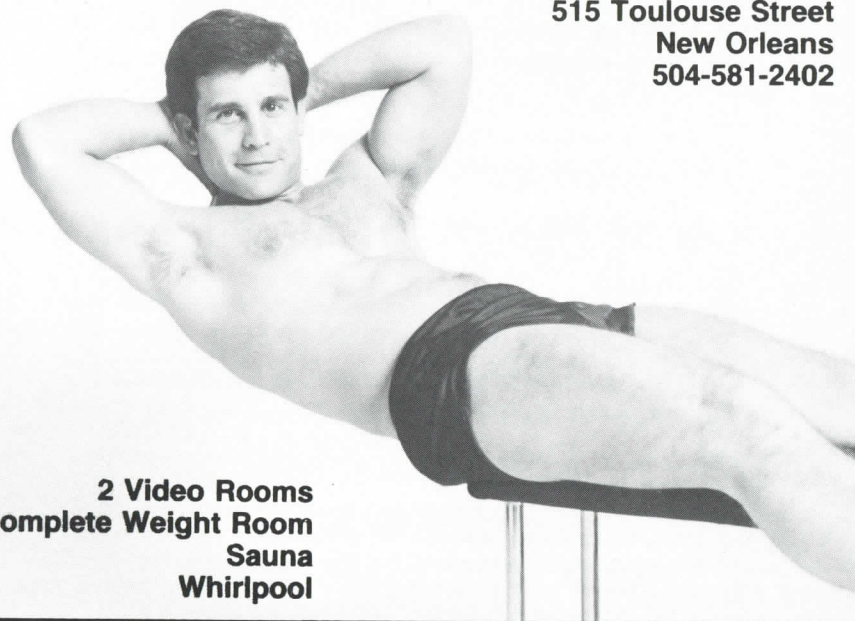
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A former San Francisco police officer was sentenced to eight months in jail recently for an August 1984 incident where he abducted a gay male from a bus stop and, after taking him to a warehouse, proceeded to beat, kick and mace him.

Niall Philpott pleaded guilty to assault with a deadly weapon and false imprisonment charges, while his partner Scott Quinn was convicted by a jury and sentenced to a year in prison for related charges.

Philpott allegedly abducted Bruce Lundberg on August 31, 1984. Quinn was convicted for the August 25 attack on Anthony Atkins.

Both officers must pay restitution to the gay men they assaulted and will face a five year probation period after their release from jail. ♦

CANADIAN CUSTOMS LAW KILLED

A Canadian court has killed provisions

of the Canadian Customs Act which allowed customs officers to seize many innocuous gay and lesbian publications by declaring them "obscene."

The Federal Court of Appeals in Ottawa struck down those sections of the Customs Act which had been used to stop the importation of such readily available magazines as *First Hand*, *Torso*, and *Mandate* from entering the country.

Many times such magazines make it across the border only with white spaces and black dots covering copy and photographs which customs officials find objectionable. But, the Canadian gay newspaper, *The Body Politic* reports that within days a temporary act, allowing customs officials to continue seizing such materials was passed by the Canadian Parliament.

The new law includes a section which outlaws "Portrayals or descriptions of the act of buggery (sodomy) including depictions or descriptions involving implements of all kinds."

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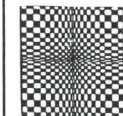
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HOMOPHOBIA BREEDS ATTEMPT AT BLOCKING CIVIL RIGHTS LAW IN SACRAMENTO

Sacramento gay and lesbian activists pushing for passage of a gay and lesbian rights ordinance are facing an uphill battle against dissenting preachers and grocers.

According to a report in *The Sacramento Bee* more than 175 people, both for and against a law which would protect gays and lesbians in employment and housing, showed up for a public hearing before the Sacramento City Council.

Supporters of the bill argued that the law would give needed backing to many gay men and lesbians who do not currently report discrimination because of the lack of legal recourse.

Opponents expressed fears that gay men would infect grocery stores, particularly meat departments, with AIDS, and that gays and lesbians would sue anytime they were not hired for a job, or not allowed to rent an apartment.

The City Council has yet to make a decision on the matter, though the current members of the council voted unanimously in December, 1983 for an ordinance outlawing discrimination in city employment. ♦

DUTCH SAY NO MONEY FOR HOMOPHOBES

The Amsterdam, Netherlands City Council is considering whether city subsidies should be withdrawn from organizations which discriminate against gays and lesbians, according to a report in the *Boston Gay News*.

Activists expect that the "liberal/progressive" majority will see that the city stipend to any groups which discriminate against gays and lesbians are withdrawn.

Discussions on the matter started after New York City Mayor Ed Koch decided to cancel city contracts with the Archdiocese of New York, the Salvation Army and a Jewish social services agency, after they refused to comply with Executive Order 50, which prohibits the city from doing business with any group or organization which discriminates. ♦

PSYCHOLOGIST ADVOCATES HITLER METHODS

Gay and lesbian students protested the appearance of homophobic psychologist Paul Cameron on the University of Arkansas campus at Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Cameron, who was kicked out of the American Psychological Association last year, has publicly called for the imprisonment of gay males to stop the spread of AIDS.

Forty students and members of the community staged protests during the

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Cameron appearance, which was sponsored by the United Students Association (USA), formed this past spring to protest student funding for the Gay and Lesbian Student Association, the Boston *Gay Community News* reports.

A half hour into his speech, a group of about 15 lesbians stood up and sang "We are a gentle angry people, singing for our lives," before being escorted from the auditorium.

In his speech Cameron called for the quarantining of all "homosexual males" to curb the spread of AIDS. He said that

while there would be problems with implementing the quarantine, such a program had been successfully carried out by Adolph Hitler, an apparent reference to the forced deportation of Jews and "undesirables" into concentration camps.

Stating that mosquitos could also be responsible for spreading AIDS, Cameron pointed out that society must do whatever it must in order to survive.

When asked if this included the extermination of gay males, Cameron stated, "That option is always there." ♦

GALLERY



Ken Wimberly (center), winner of the Mr. Gulf Coast 85-86 honors held at the Bourbon Pub, New Orleans. Sharing the stage are (left to right): Keith Mitchell, Mr. Gay All American 84-85, Racine Scott, Miss Gulf Coast 84-85, and Naomi Sims, Miss Gay America 84-85. Full story and more pix in next week's *Around the Clock*. ♦

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BEFORE STONEWALL

In 1969 angry patrons of the Stonewall Inn in Greenwich Village fought back when police raided the bar. Like the anti-hero of *Network* they were mad as hell and weren't going to take it anymore.

Before Stonewall, an 87-minute documentary directed by Greta Schiller, show us exactly what they had to take.

Most films about gay history focus on the years that followed Stonewall, which as come to be acknowledged as the beginning of the modern gay liberation movement. But *Before Stonewall* sheds light on the gay and lesbian lifestyles before that watershed event.

The archival research that went into the project has yielded a special blend of the personal and social image. At first librarians told Schiller, Co-Director Robert Rosenberg and Executive Producer John Scagliotti, "We don't have anything on homosexuals."

But the historical treasure hunt began to pay off with hours of material when headings such as "cross dressing," "Greenwich Village Street Life" and "Police Raids" were consulted. The filmmakers built an ad hoc network of contacts around the country who screened and collected Super 8 films, photos and magazine clippings that had been solicited through gay publications.

The film opens, tongue firmly in cheek, with Ronald Reagan, the actor, in a clip from a drag number from *This Is The Army*, and moves on to the cliched treatment of homosexuals in any number of forgotten and forgettable Hollywood epics.

Older gay people talk about how, at the beginning of the century, there was no name for what they were. The men were called "temperamental." In the 20s, gays began to meet in the Bohemias of the nation — Greenwich Village, Harlem, New

Orleans' Latin Quarter. One interviewee describes the early cruising scene, how men identified each other by neckties and breast-pocket handkerchiefs.

The social confidence of the gay community has risen to the point where the filmmakers felt they could afford to be frank — and humorous. Since the military has long been a focus for gay people attracted to a same-sex work community, the film includes a lot of unfamiliar barracks lore.

Annoyed at the threat of a lesbian purge of WAC's during World War II, a sergeant recalls in an interview how she told Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower that he would be losing most of a battalion, and one with an admirably low rate of AWOLs and illegal pregnancies. He decided the war effort ranked a higher priority.

Another veteran remembers how the gay community called the draftees' gathering point the "seduction center."

World War II played a large part in increasing gay awareness, and gay pride. Homosexuals from isolated communities were amazed to discover people just like themselves at boot camps and induction centers. And heterosexuals were in turn amazed to discover how many "queers" had been accepted for military service.

Soon after the war the Kinsey Report gave gay people hope by estimating that they might number twenty million in the United States. That news may well have been the fuel that ignited Sen. Joseph McCarthy's witchhunt of pinkos, fellow travelers, and homosexuals. The purge that resulted in the Civil Service may have caused as many as a thousand firings.

This political terror was echoed in homosexuals' social fears of being discovered. When *Before Stonewall's* subjects tell of drawing the blinds and locking the doors to discuss being gay, they now appear abashed at just how fearful they were at the time.

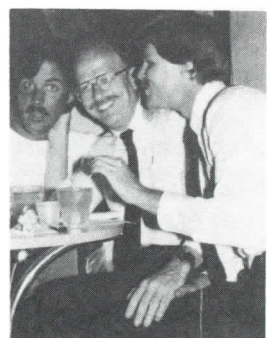
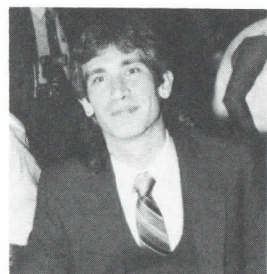
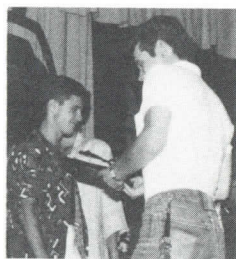
To lightly illustrate the 50s phenomenon of "bohemian culture," the filmmakers unearthed photos of girl Beats who would



A young gay man, circa early 1950s.



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ATLANTA'S OSCAR AWARDS

The 17th Annual Oscar Awards were presented in a fast-paced exciting program on May 29. The festivities were hosted by Illusions, Atlanta.

Photos taken at the event appear here and on page 24.

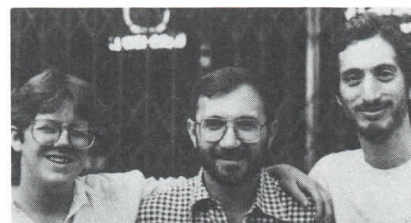
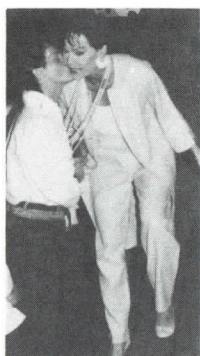
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Best Disco DJ, **Bob Bridges**, Weekends; Best Show DJ, **Jay Diamond**, Illusions; Best Lighting Design, Technique and/or Operation - Disco, **David Hicks & Jim Chadwick**, *The Cove*; Best Lighting Design, Technique, and/or Operation - Shows, **Jay Diamond**, Illusions; Choreographer of the Year, **Dana Lamour**, Festival & Illusions.

Show Director of the Year, **Tom Edwards**, Upstairs; Best Newcomer of the Year, **Brandy Dover**, Illusions; Best Show Production Number, **Cotton Club**, Illusions; Best Special of the Year, **Lisa King and Rachel Wells** in Concert, Sportspage; Best Male Contest of the Year, **Mr. Hotlanta Raft Race**; Best Female Contest of the Year, **Miss Georgia World Preliminary**, Illusions.

Writer of the Year, **Rachel Wells**, Pulse; Photographer of the Year, **Jim Teague**, *Around the Clock*; Publication of the Year, *Around the Clock*; Tashia Wallace Costume Designer Award, **Brandy Dover**, Illusions; Comedy Entertainer of the Year, **Laverne Edwards**; Actress of the Year, **Dina Jacobs**, Chameleon and **Chena Black**, Illusions; Actor of the Year, **Brian Douglas**, Illusions.

Emcee of the Year, **Charlie Brown**, Illusions; Best Live Performance, **Laverne Edwards**, Upstairs; Best Play or Live Performance by a Group, **Della's Diner**; Entertainment Achievement Award, **Charlie Brown**, New Talent Showcase; Layton Gregory Service Award, **Ken South**, AID Atlanta; Bill Smith Service Award, Atlanta Royal Court. ♦



The creators of Before Stonewall: Director or Greta Schiller, Executive Producer John Scagliotti and Co-Director Robert Rosenberg

look downright trendy today.

And uncowed by the precepts of the current politically enlightened, they observe that "camping it up," with its exaggerated role playing, was simply the gay parody of straight 50s culture, which also exalted macho-meek polarities.

In the 60s, the feminist and civil rights movements, and the relaxed, hippie sensibility set the stage for Stonewall.

One new twist in an old theme is provided by intertwining both lesbian and gay cultures, showing some of the internal

conflicts between them.

And testimony from older gays about whether homosexuality should be considered a disease or a matter of choice is interesting in these days when "orientation" is the politically correct nomenclature.

Before Stonewall won "Best Non-fiction Film" honors at this year's Los Angeles' Filmex, and similar honors at the 1985 Houston International Film Festival, and is expected to be a strong contender for next year's Academy Award.

At present, only three prints of the film exist. One of those prints will be screened in New Orleans as part of Celebration '85, the kick-off of New Orleans' gay pride week activities, on Saturday, June 22. For further information, call 523-3922. ♦

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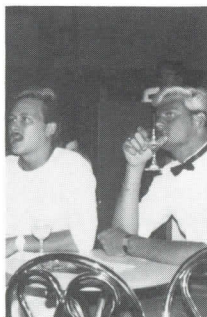
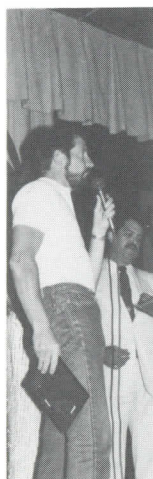
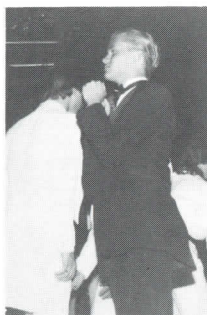
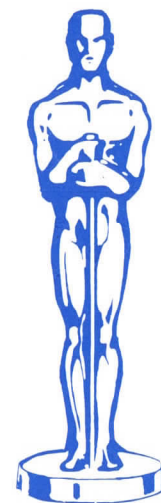
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Around the *zodiac* clock

JUNE 7 - 16
KEYWORD: "PROVERBS"
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FOR EVERY SIGN: You're in need of good advice this week, your mind, feelings and actions are represented by Mercury, Venus and Mars respectively. These so-called "personal planets" are now being dealt *lessons* by three "problem planets" outside the orbit of Saturn's wisdom.



GEMINI: "It is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all." Keep an open-minded attitude about relationships which are still in the process of changing. (If your birthday is this week, the above lasts one year.)



CANCER: "Speak softly and carry a big stick," is your best policy now. A subtle approach to your dealings with people is best at present. Don't let yourself be irritated by the vagueness of others.



LEO: "Let not thy right hand knoweth what thy left hand doeth" Could others give you trouble? Yeth! Keep a low profile at work, and enjoy the safety of your own hideaway.



VIRGO: "People who live in tin houses shouldn't throw can openers." Guard your reputation closely and don't be critical of others or it could backfire on you at work or at home.



LIBRA: "Don't kill the goose that lays the golden egg." (Or "Don't throw the baby out with the bath water.") Don't "cut off" somebody interested in you, who may be worthwhile, or eliminate a chance to make money.



SCORPIO: "Do not store up treasures where moths eat and rust corrupts, and thieves break in and steal." Protect your own best interests now. Determine what is dearest to you and take measures to keep it.



SAGITTARIUS: "To thine own self be true," this week. You may find yourself at the whims of a lot of *little* people or their petty ideas. Keep your individuality without rebelliousness.



CAPRICORN: "A soft answer turneth away wrath." A diplomatic approach to situations will prevent hard feelings. Keep hidden resentments to yourself for the time being. Ignore troublesome people.



AQUARIUS: "You can't have your cake and eat it too!" If you want to play the field sexually, then *do* so. You *can* this week, like crazy. But if you're looking for, or *have* a steady love, then "specialize."



PISCES: "Early to bed, early to rise, makes a gay, healthy," etc. "Don't burn your candle at both ends," conserve your energy for the best times as this week may take a lot out of you. (Strong otherwise)



ARIES: If "stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage," what in the heck *does*? In *your* case, restraints at work may have you climbing the walls, or you'll feel "caged" at home.



TAURUS: "Neither a borrower nor a lender be." You can't completely trust in other people's honesty right now, so don't set your heart on *anything* where you may have a deep need from someone *else*!

* ASK THE STARS *

Q: *Why do I have such a hard life?*

A: You have a "locomotive" type chart. This refers to the *pattern* the planets make. Yours is in a *train*, (or daisy chain), formation (each planet lined up after the other, six signs in a row). That's half the zodiac! Hence, the "bad" planets hit each of these points year after year in succession. Ironically, by the time the *last* unpleasant transit is *over* for you, the *first* one is ready to begin *again*! Maybe "someday," for a *price*, I'll tell you how to *handle* this. (tee-hee)

Do you have any questions about the stars and how they affect you? Then simply write, including your birth date, year, town and time (if known,) to: Lawrence of New Orleans, Around the Clock, P. O. Box 70377, New Orleans, LA. 70172.

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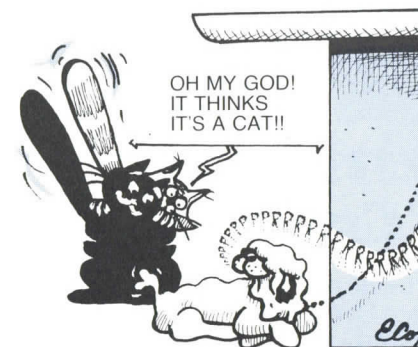
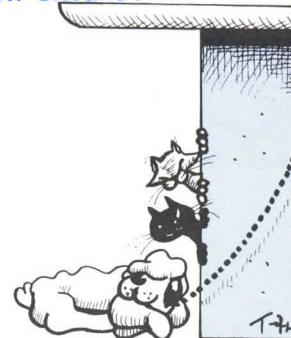
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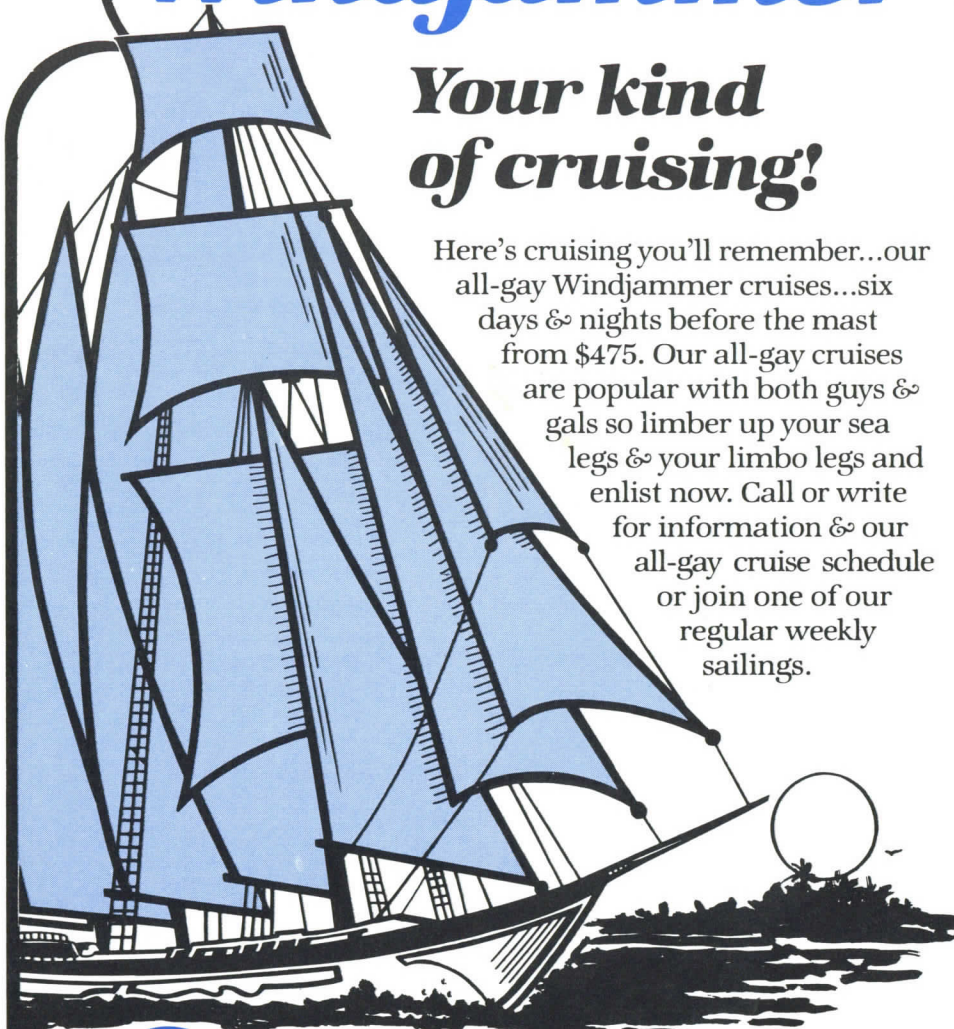
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