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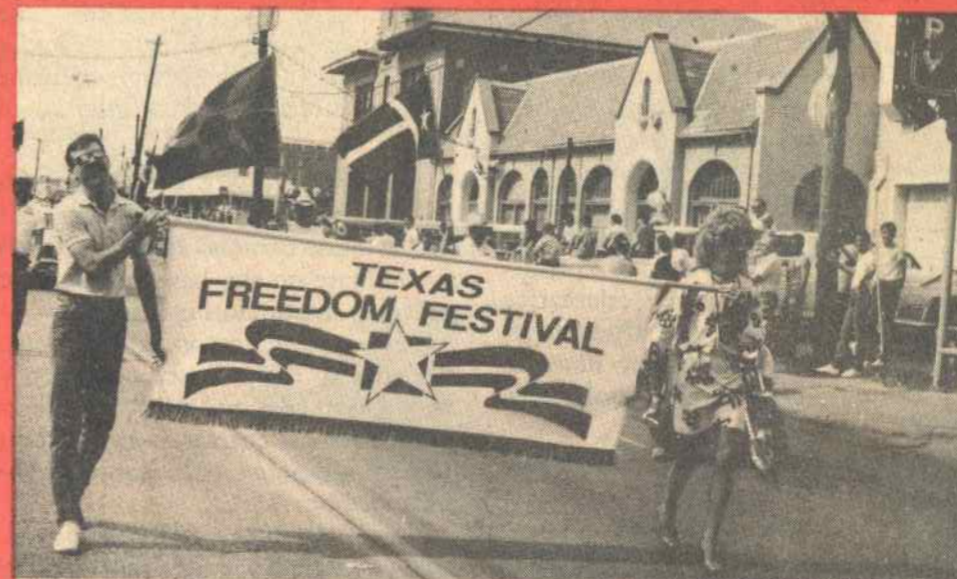
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PRIDE III PHOTOS

Everywhere!!!



# PRIDE III

## UNITY AND MORE IN '84

## JANIS LESLEY

We are all hearing a lot about "traditional values" these days, and something tells me the rhetoric will not disappear after the election. No one has really defined what all these "traditional values" are, but everyone is assumed to know what they mean. Those most disposed to campaigning for their support for "traditional values" generally line up to political starboard, and love linking the phrase to their pet causes. Often they add "family" to the slogan, lest anyone attribute such values to the non-heterosexual or the childless.

One of those values, apparently, is the inseparability of church and state—or as Mr. Reagan put it at a Dallas prayer breakfast, that "religion and politics are necessarily related." (Be not deceived: No one from UFMCC [Metropolitan Community Church—editor's note] was invited to this "ecumenical" meeting. We're not talking just *any* religion here.) In case you're shaking your head and muttering, "But what about *separation* of church and state?", let me remind you that Mr. Reagan's concept of "tradition" goes far beyond the ideals of those liberal Deists of 1789, who slipped church/state separation into the Constitution past the unsuspecting Moral Majority of the day. No, he has his philosophical roots deep in the fine Medieval heritage of the Dark Ages of Western Civilization, out of which came such technological advances as the rack, and burning at the stake for heresy.

I count myself among those who hold with the later tradition of Jefferson and the Founding Fathers, and since Mr. Reagan is an American President, not a feudal lord, I expect him to hew to that line. That being the case, I have a bone to pick with Reverend Ron. First, what's happened to all the

"traditional values" we used to talk about in this country—liberty, peace, justice, equality under the law? You don't hear a lot about these in the din raised by the sabre-rattlers and pulpit-thumpers.

Second, does the President presume to do what God Himself has not—ram "righteousness" down everyone's throat? (I suspect that in a Reaganite Eden, Adam and Eve would've been placed in the protective custody of guardian cherubim before they had a chance to sneak fruit off the wrong tree.) The Spirit of God has always been a gentleman—He never coerces you to "do right", though He always clearly delineates the consequences of doing wrong.

Finally, has it not occurred to Mr. Reagan that what we need in public life is not "religion", but faith? Religion has been a major cause of bloodshed and disaster since time beyond record, and in combination with government it leads inevitably to the kind of totalitarianism Reagan claims to abhor among the Soviets. The President would bid fair to read the Epistle of James, chapter one, verses 26 and 27: "If anyone thinks himself to be religious, and yet does not bridle his tongue but deceives his own heart, this man's religion is worthless. This is pure and undefiled religion in the sight of our God and Father, to visit orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world."

In the midst of our Texas Freedom Celebration, let's make a commitment as a community not to allow the banner of liberty to be dropped by this country's leaders, in the name of religion—or of expedience. It was bought at too dear a price—and it's something none of us, not even Mr. Reagan, can afford to lose.

## HOROSCOPE

**LIBRA:** Your sexual appeal is alluring and hypnotic to others. The signals you send out, however, may not indicate your need for security rather than another ship passing in the night. Avoid the misunderstandings this can create. An older person dominates in your decisions through career at this time.

**SCORPIO:** Progress can be made in your business or professional life with very positive results. Have you decided what you really want from your career? If not, do so during this period. Relationships, on the other hand, are at a stalemate.

**SAGITTARIUS:** The pace of your life must be taken a step at a time in your personal, career and business life. Planning is important, so organize your plans well. Expect fantastic results if you maintain control.

**CAPRICORN:** Groups and organizations are taking up the majority of your time. Don't be surprised if you meet a steady future relationship at one of these meetings. Your career goes well—just stick to your plans.

**AQUARIUS:** Opportunities await you. Avoid getting

scattered, however. Your self becomes highly attractive to others, so potential lovers are no problem.

**PISCES:** Go back and review your long-term goals. A major turn cycle is moving in. Take this time to reevaluate your needs and wants.

**ARIES:** Business and career become focused and take priority in your life. Authority figures are more receptive to your ideas. Do not wait for answers; find them yourself. Relationships and lovers must sit this time out.

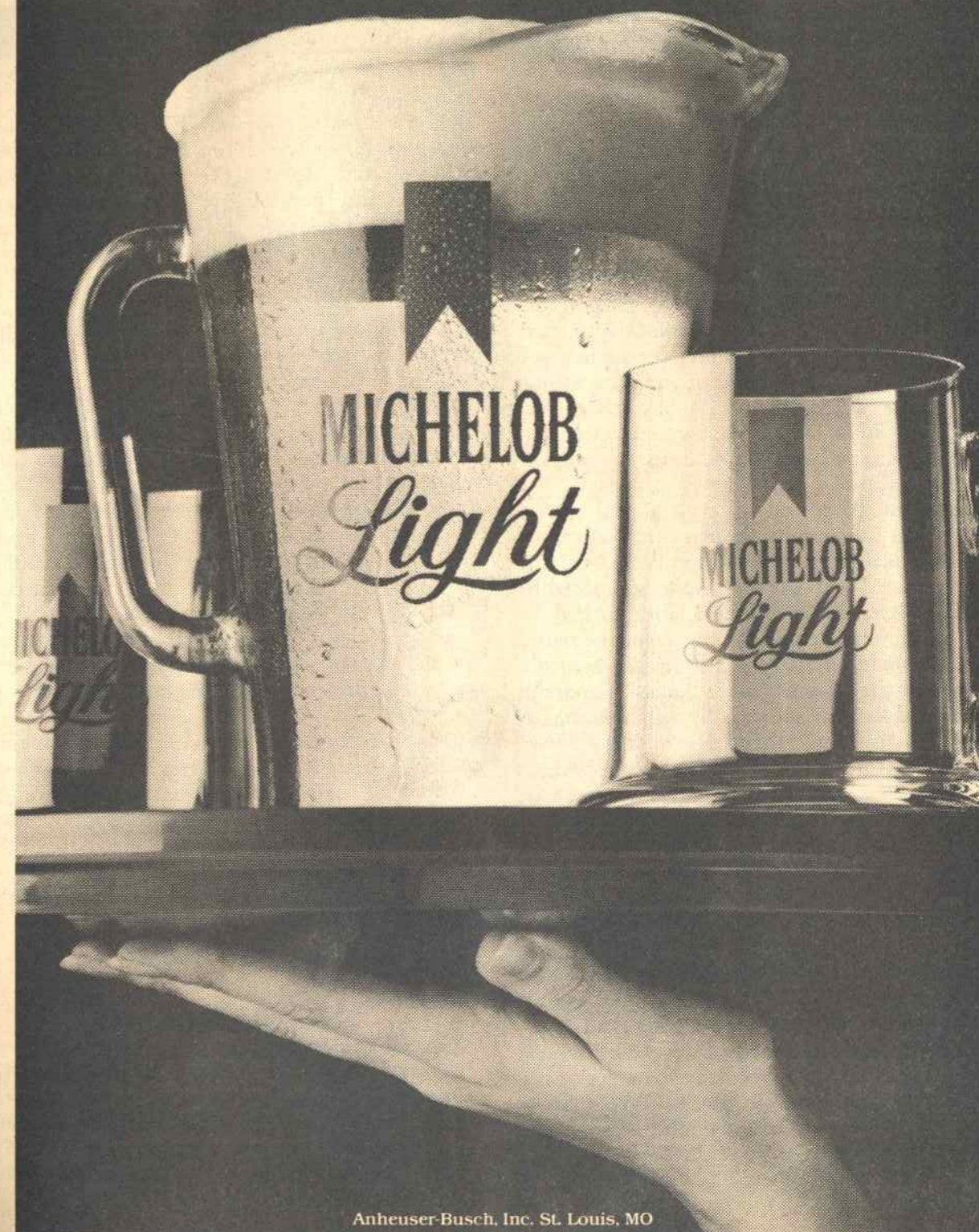
**TAURUS:** A lover becomes a stable relationship. One on one relating becomes most important. A legal agreement can become very beneficial to you in more ways than one.

**GEMINI:** Your restless nature starts thinking in terms of partners, whether business or pleasure. A difficult choice has to be resolved around the fifth of October. Choose wisely and slowly because the results can determine future happiness or frustration.

**CANCER:** Career moves are highlighted. Make sure of what you want, then act. The need to come across ap-

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pearing well organized and in control are of utmost importance. A possible promotion is indicated.

**LEO:** Love, sex and the like are everywhere around you. You shine majestically (queenly, perhaps?); your desires are at your fingertips. Beware, though, of trouble in the business area as the result of having to reject an admirer.

**VIRGO:** One night stands and fun are everywhere you turn. This is a play period for you. Your creative abilities are working overtime, so put some of that energy into your work.

## METRO MISCELLANEY

Metro Miscellaney may never be the same.

Naturally, this issue is an unusually long column, but we felt that this particular news belonged under the aegis of Metro Miscellaney. After all, here in Texas where everything is bigger (well, almost everything), we have to have three Gay Pride Weeks because we're so proud to be gay (and lesbian) Texans.

*Metro Times* is particularly proud to be able to steal a march on the world by coming out with our biggest paper of the year, resplendent with more color pages than ever and photos everywhere you look. And we're delighted that, if our plans went as scheduled and if you were on the ball and got out early, you could be looking at this paper three days before you see similar photos in other gay publications. Blow our own horn? Us? Toot, yes!

After **Pride III** revved up with a yard sale at Metropolitan Community Church (what didn't get stolen or vandalized by some unspeakable jerk), the fun part started with the **Big Event**, sponsored by the **Dallas Tavern Guild** and held in the parking lot of the **4001**. Where else could one enjoy the return of the sunshine among a multitude of beautiful people (and a few homely ones, but still wonderful gay men and lesbians one and all), watching the bar owners of Dallas disport themselves in drag ("I have to *pay* to go through this?" asked **Dennis Weir**), with **Howard Okon** (whose bar **Patrick's**, he tells us, is set for moving to Oak Lawn at Brown, two blocks from MCC, on October 11) playing barker for the "ring the bell" event while wandering over to shout to passersby to register for the trip for two to Jamaica (won by the lovely and delightful **Marcie Forderhase**—wonder who she'll be taking along?—perhaps her brother, who's working the door at the newly reopened **Crib?**). The one and only **Dennis Weir** was braving danger while peddling (and dodging) darts as customers lined up to break balloons and win free drinks and freed cover charges at the **Old Plantation** and the **Frat House**. Tavern Guild president **Gary Monier**, after demonstrating his excellent throwing arm (as good as it is at slugging former newspaper publishers, and proving himself a great all-around athlete), mounted the danger zone in the company of **Frank Caven** and dared the

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populace to throw a ball and dunk them. Talk about living dangerously!

A crew from the **Hideaway** dispensed piano music and snow cones while renting chairs for those whose old feet weren't up to all that walking and standing around. (And speaking of the **Hideaway**, we note that former manager, pianist, etc. **Don** (the?) **Savage** has set sail on their patio. Some of you might find it worthy of note to take a peek at the ad on page 5.)

And darling **Charles**, that hat is definitely you. We can just see you driving your truck down the street in such a fetching chapeau.

On Monday, there were the annual **Bartenders' Academy Awards** at the **Roundup**. The **Roundup** was also the scene of yet another appearance from the **Metroplex's** sweetheart, the inimitable **Dena Kaye**, looking lovelier than ever and replete with the sincere charm and lack of "attitude" which have surely helped to make her the popular star that she is. In fact, we plan to be sporting a fan club T-shirt as we photograph the parade!

Another singer, **Judy Christopher**, had a truly unusual engagement on Saturday—singing at the dog show presented by **Crossroads Market** and **Union Jack**.

And then there was the parade, but we think it's best that we say it with pictures.

Rumor of the week has it that **Studio 4** will be moving to **Lemmon Avenue** in the shopping center at the corner of **Mahanna** (first signal past the tollway overpass) soon.

Come back in a couple of weeks for more of the miscellaney you love!

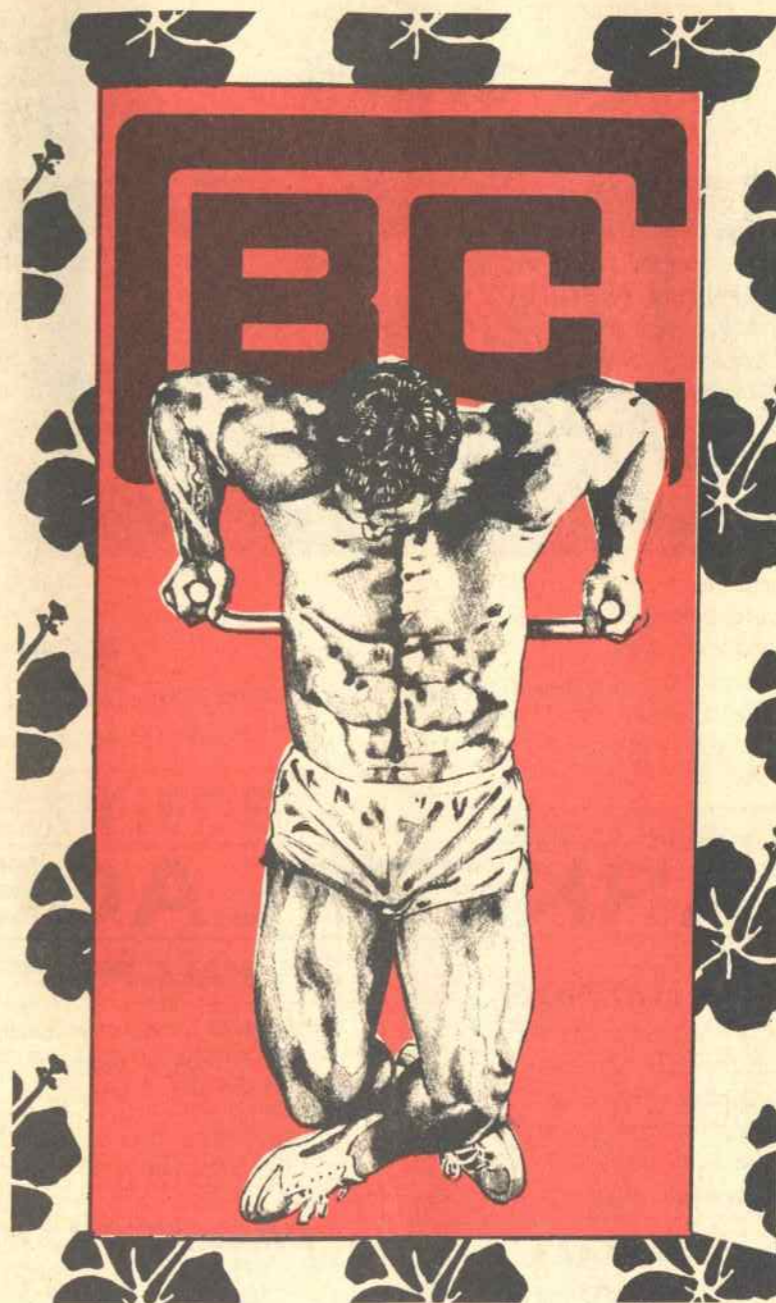
### ON OUR COVER

Two of the proud banners that marched in **Sunday's Freedom Festival Parade**, marking the second anniversary of the end of **Texas Penal Code Section 21.06** and coinciding with the new court decision upholding the original decision. Hurray!

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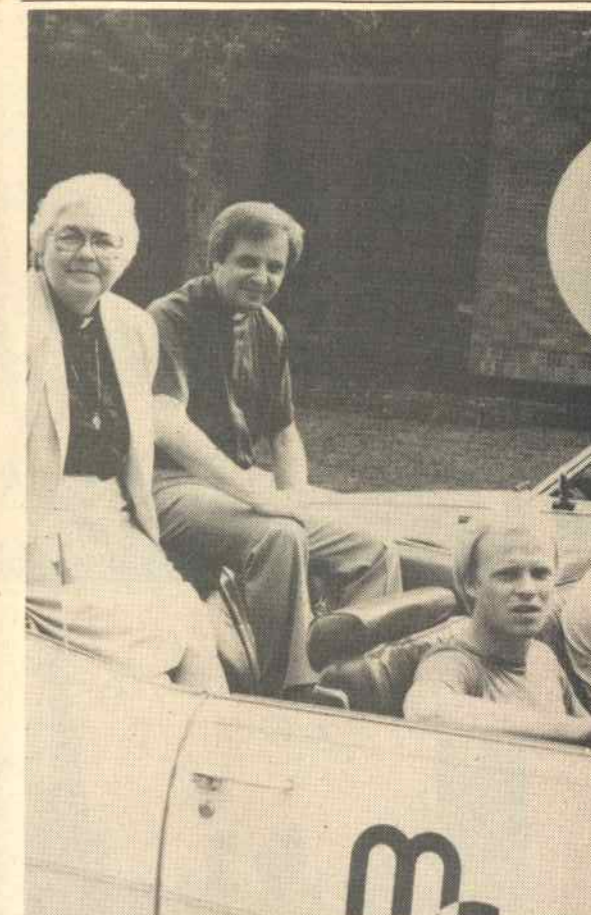
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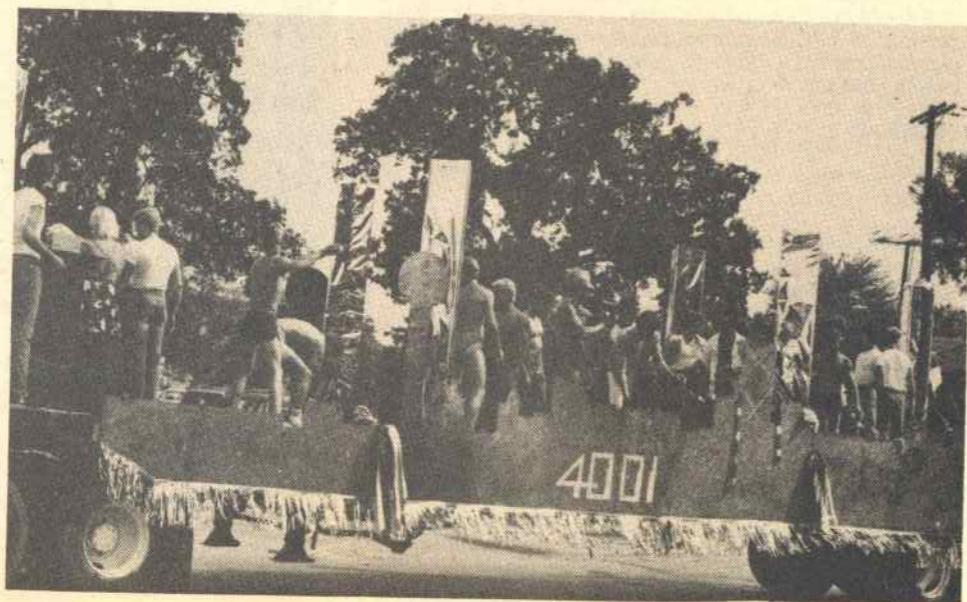
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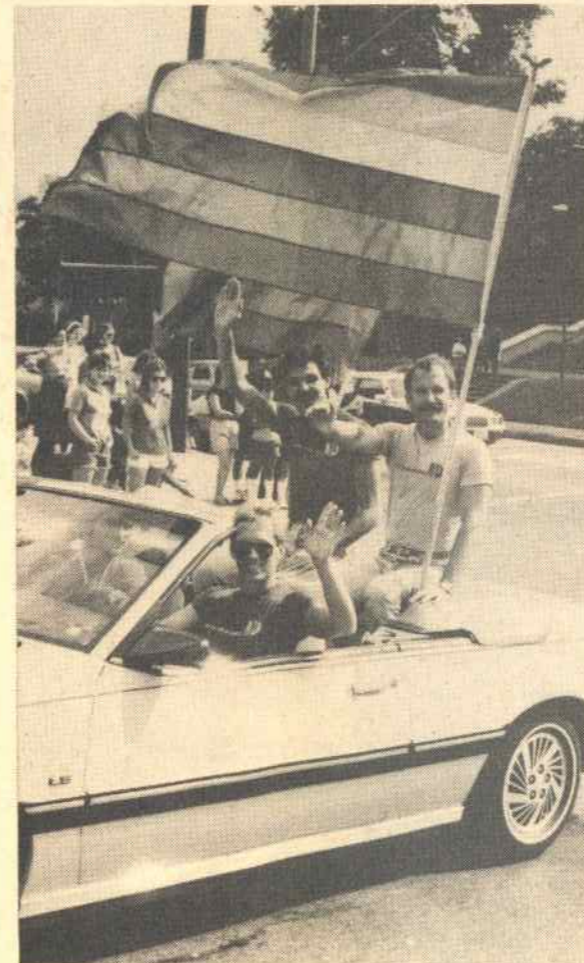
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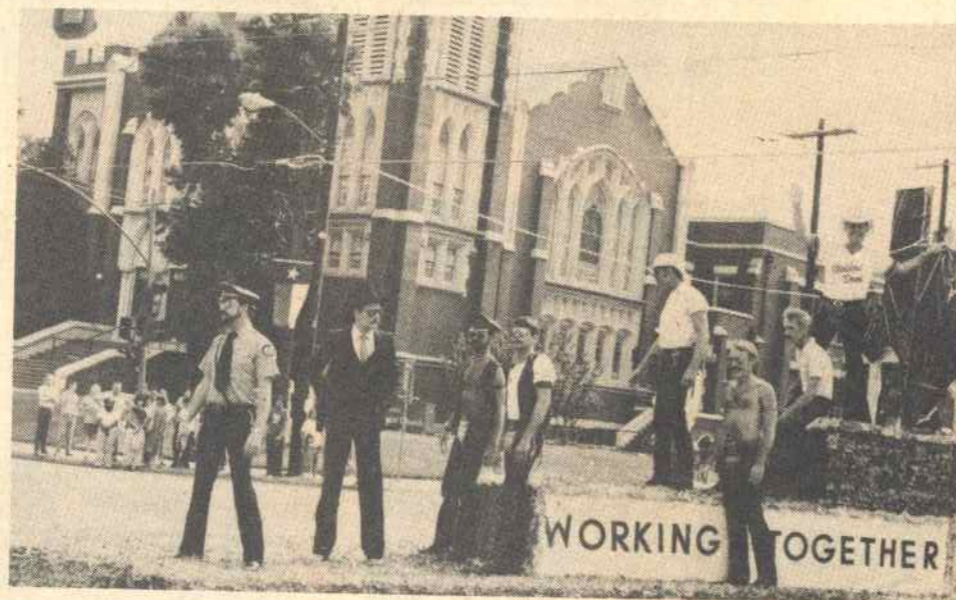
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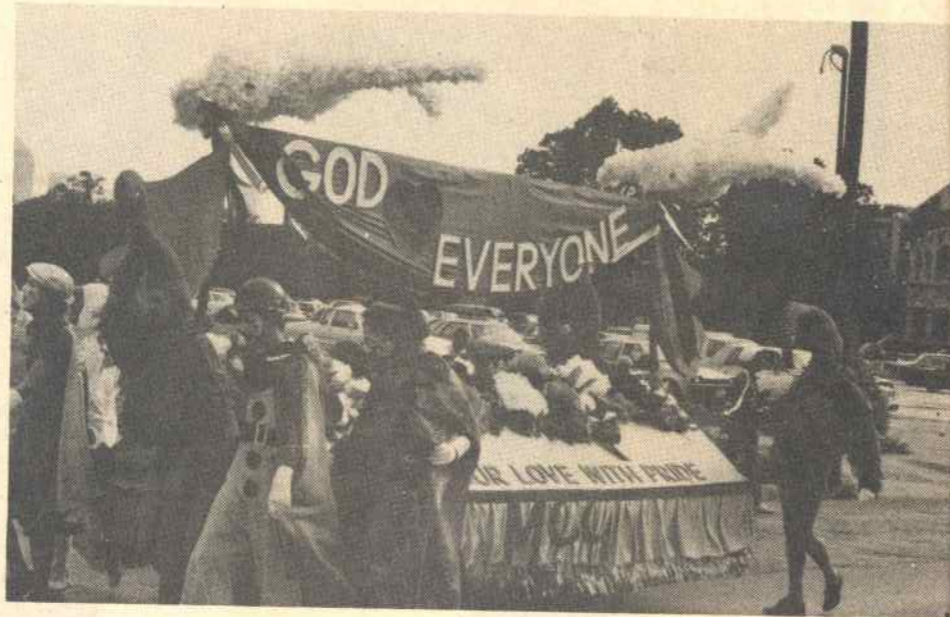
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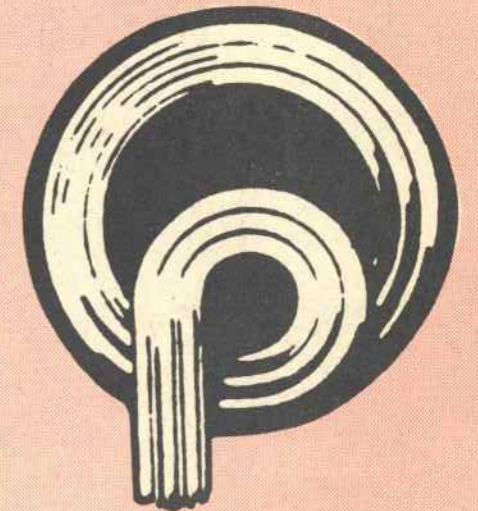
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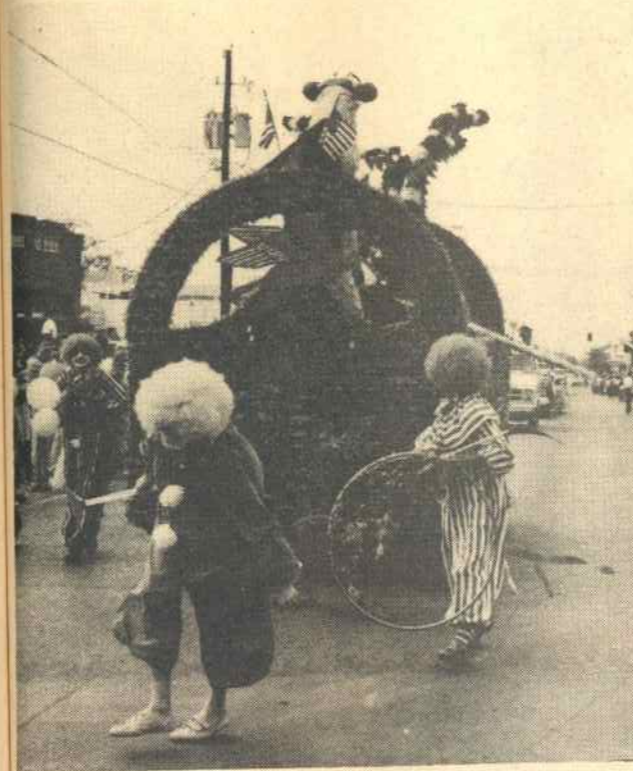


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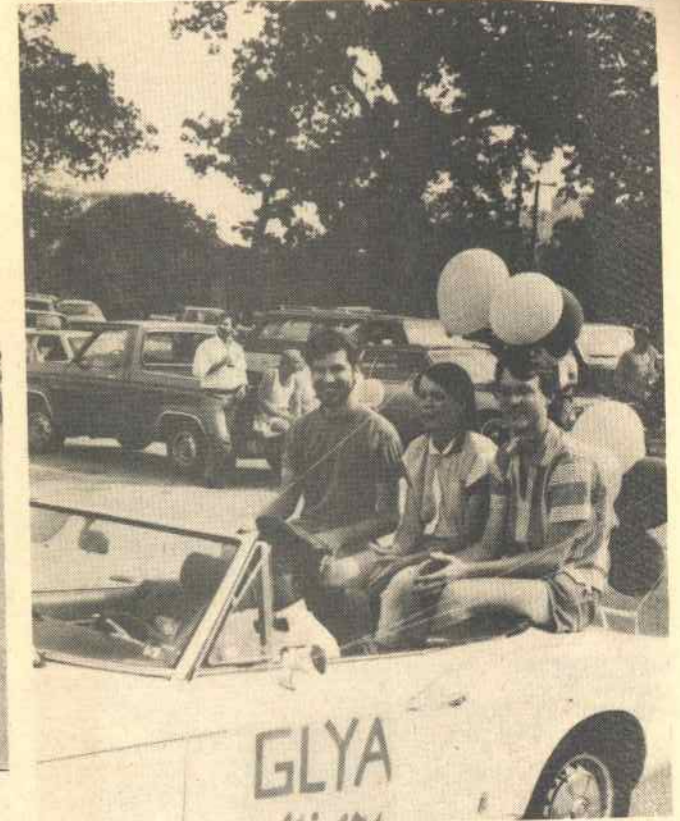




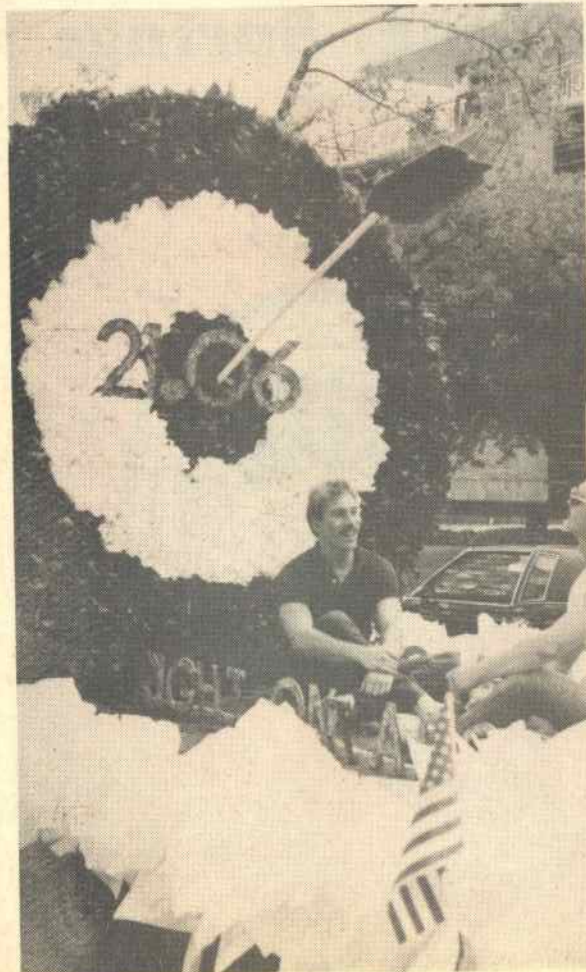
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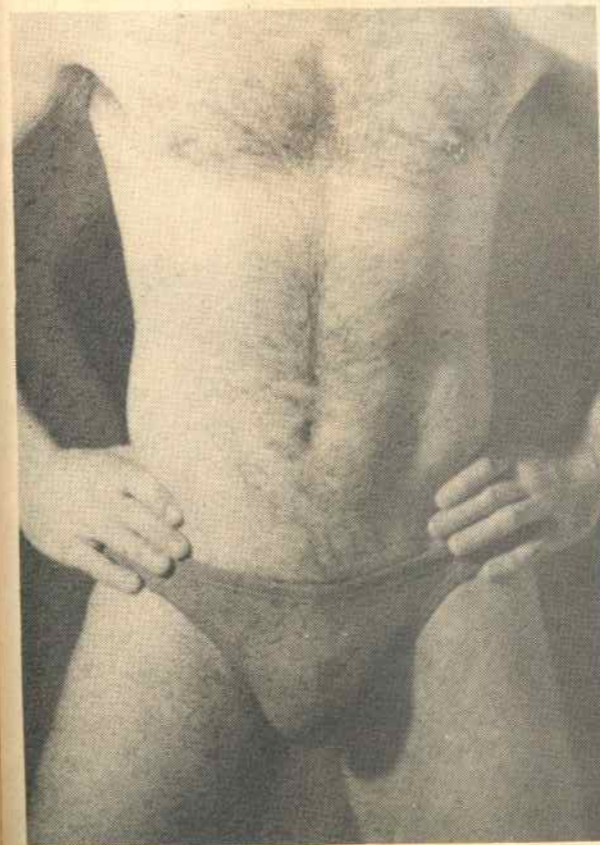
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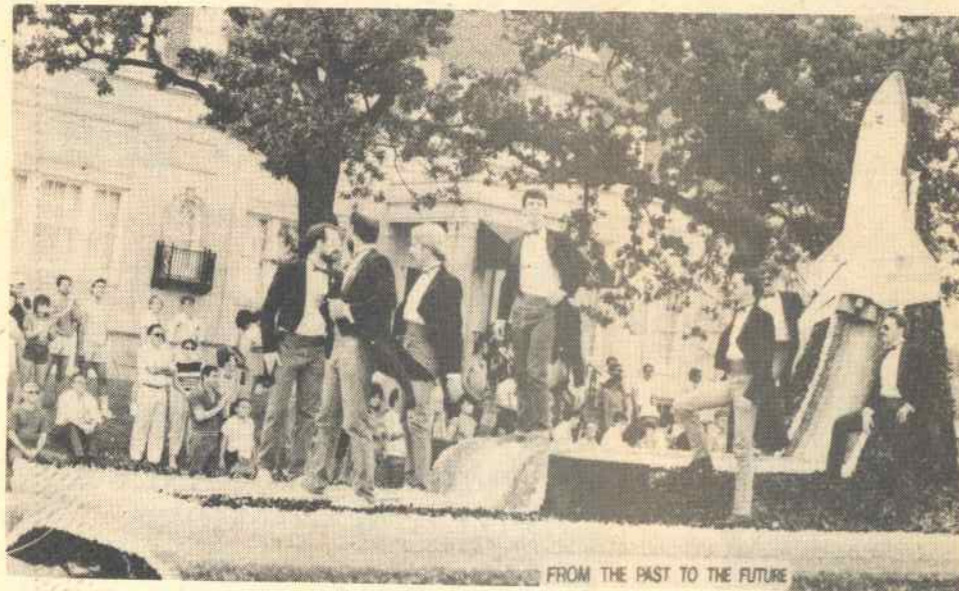
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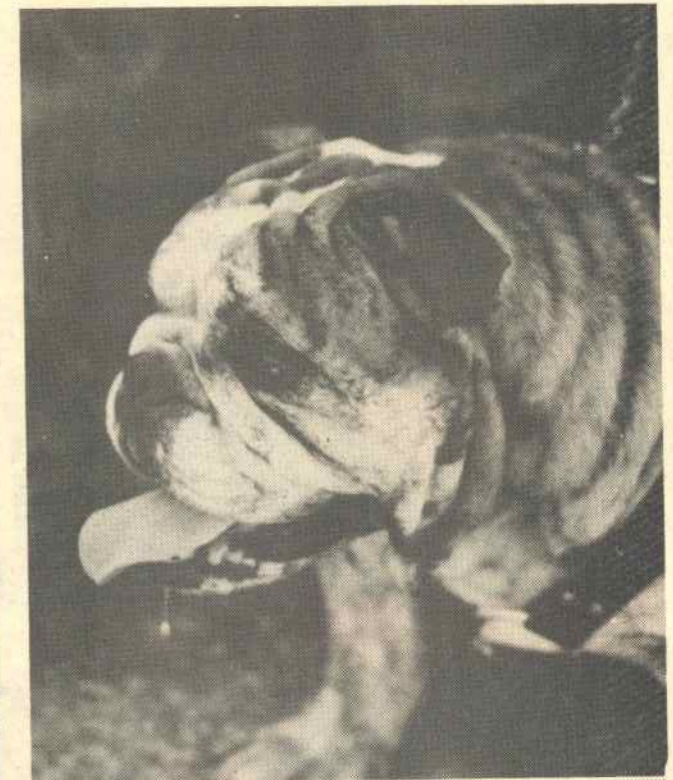
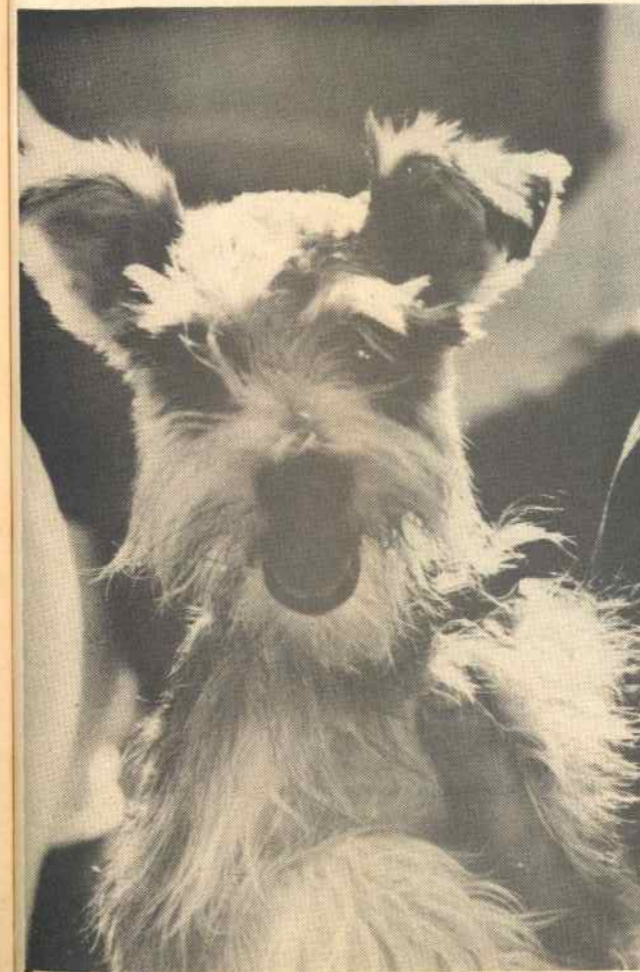
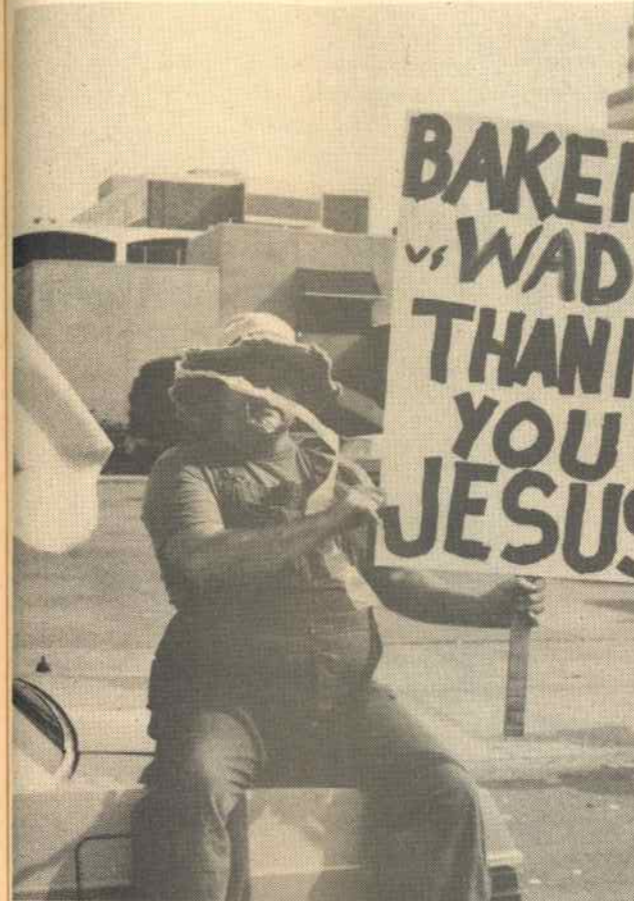
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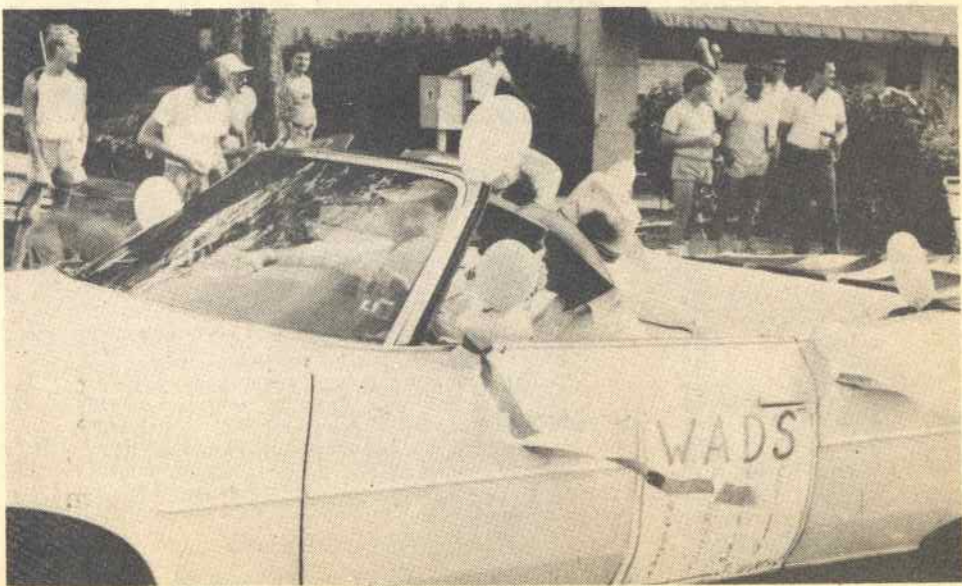
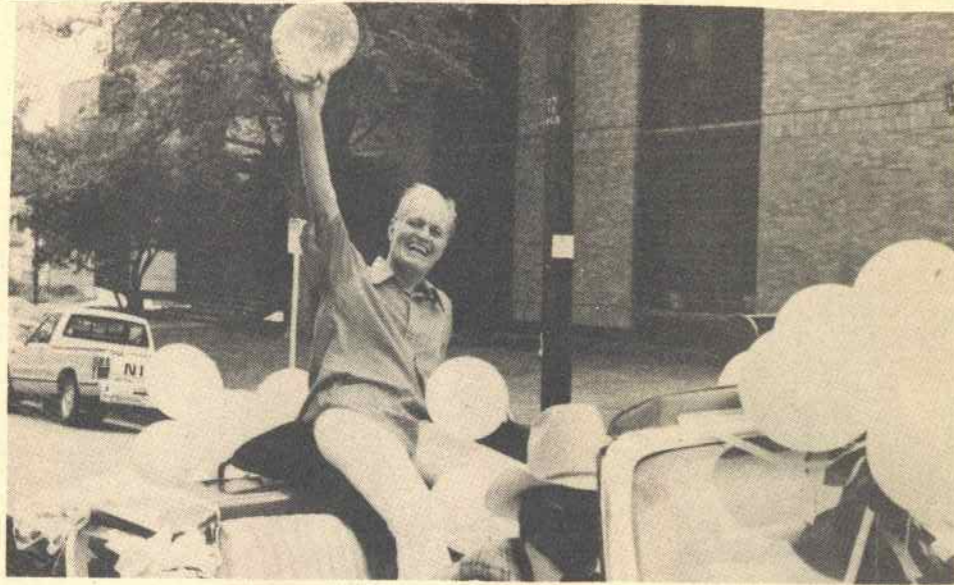
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Fort Worth Gay Pride visits Dallas

## FORT WORTH MISCELLANEY

Fort Worth is still alive and well, we're pleased to note, and your editor will be dropping by to check it out personally Friday, September 28, as *Lambda Community News* celebrates their first anniversary with a party and benefit at Sir Bud's.

Speaking of which, we have to commend Bud for sticking to his guns recently when some individuals who will not be named tried to get him to violate the health laws. Those laws are for the good of all of us, and persons who ask a bar owner to break them—much less try to bully a bar owner into breaking them—should reevaluate their position, which can only be considered dishonorable from the report that came back to us. Hurrah for Bud; boo for his detractors.

Sir Bud's, by the way, will also be the scene of a benefit for Daisy Baker on October 5. Daisy had to undergo a mastectomy, which is never easy for a woman, so any support will be welcome. And on September 26 there's a benefit for Margie Womack, who recently lost her significant other, Karen Had-

dock.

We have to hand it to Sir Bud's for their efforts to serve this community, both with benefits and with entertainment. Drop by and say thanks sometime soon!

There was a lot of excitement recently at Duds, as three rude, crude and socially unacceptable men dropped by for an unsocial visit, tied up everyone in the shop, cleaned out the people's wallets, the money in the store, and even took the clothes off in a van. They sound like real pros—may they rot. The coast is clear, now, so drop by and bring your wardrobe up to date. And be sure to tell Bill that you saw it in this paper so he'll give you a discount.

Good news/bad news: First, the bad news, if you've not heard it since returning from the desert island—Raina Lea, a long-time favorite of many Tarrant tinkerbells (will we get flack on that one?), and a generally nice person, spoke her mind (who said that honesty pays?), told a young male that he looked best out of drag, and ended up in the

hospital when, not content with knocking her down, that same male tossed down a few more drinks and went after her with a broken glass. The good news is that, when we drove to Arlington to visit the hospital where she had put on a show in the emergency room (resplendent in a bloody gown) after being treated to a dose of morphine to ease the pain, we found that she had checked out. That was last Friday; however, we understand she still isn't breakdancing. Get well soon, Gary—we love you, and we know several thousand others who do, too.

(Actually, we took our camera to the hospital and were going to ask Raina to tear out the stitches and re-enact the emergency room scene, since we weren't there to see it originally, but they had to go and release her 45 minutes after we called.

And finally, a word to the wise: Stay out of Randol Mill Park—and, for that matter, *all* parks—if your intent is finding "some action". Not only is it unhealthy and dangerous (robbers, shootings, stabbings and the like), but your wallet and prestige will surely suffer if you end up in the hoosegow. Sure,

you may find lots more action—action you never even wanted—in jail, too, but there are easier and safer ways to find action, and the cost of a trip to a bar or the tubs is less than that of a lawyer to help you get out of the mess that you got yourself into and for which you have only yourself to blame.

And—lest a long-time friend shoot up right between our beady little eyes—we must advise you that the Metropolitan Community Church Deaf Ministries will hold an international conference at Agapé MCC September 28-30. The public is invited, with a \$10 registration fee requested. If you're interested in working with the deaf, check it out.

Coinciding with the conference, Rev. Elder Freda Smith, a talented and popular speaker will preach at three services at Agapé that same weekend. For information, call the church at (817) 535-5002.

Hey! This has been a long column, but it's certainly been negative. Let us hear some good news so that next issue will be a real winner!

See you then.

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