

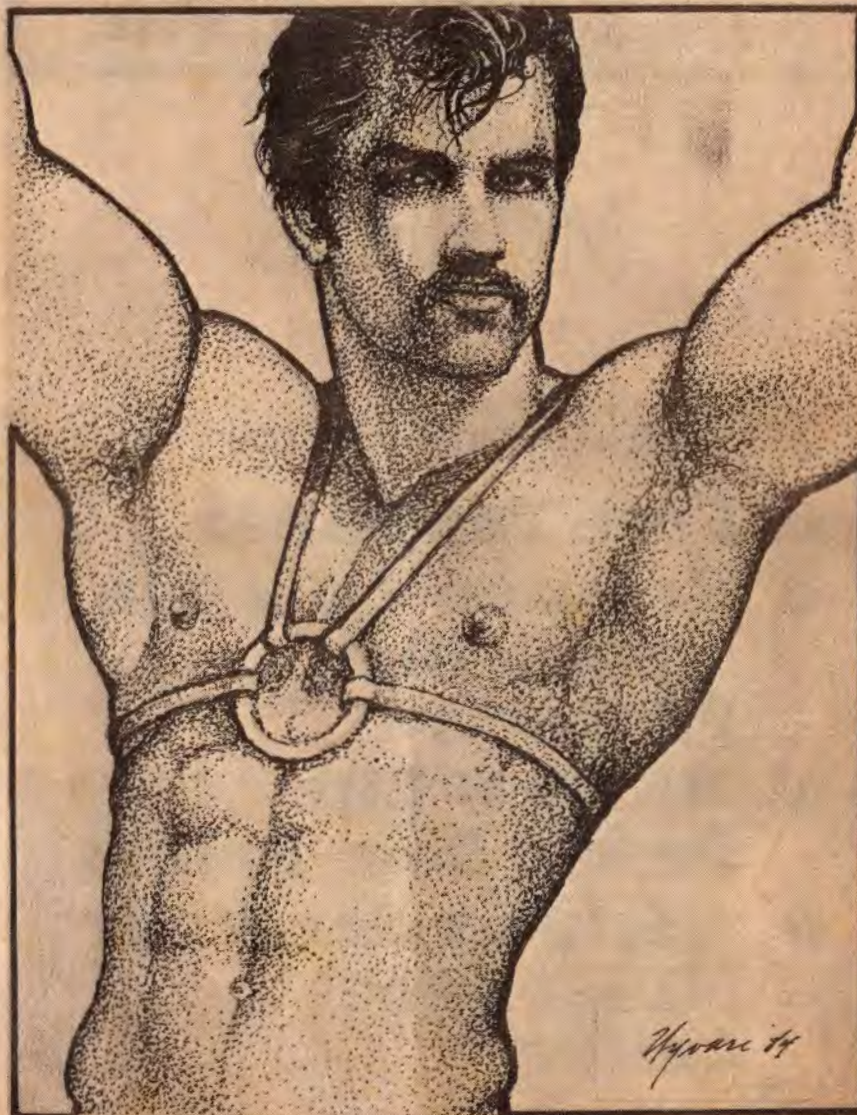


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Graffiti

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Rod's: We should sponsor a party on your patio & have the 2 studs from *Water Sports* do a live demonstration for everyone. Where did you ever get that film? What a unique water fountain! We could have the "human water fountain" serve punch at the party, couldn't we? (Thanks for a wunnerful time!)

In Step

Mike: Did ya' ever want to hug someone so much that you can't think of anything else? You are magic.

Jerry

Woodstock: Thanks for inviting me to MCC-Joan of Arc — it was great. I hope all my friends can come.

Snappy

Wreck Room D.P.F.: Thanks for the organ.

P.F.

Rikki (M&M): Oui, baby.

Yvonne

Dean: Would've used real cream, but your not worth the extra cost. Sorry.

Betty H.

Abbey R.: Get a grip, girl! Your letter proves you are neither bright nor energetic!

A Multi-Attitude Fan

Castro: I told you to make him eat the whole "bone." — You *must* have the right attitude to wear leather.

Earth Pig

Don & Jim: Hope the trip was great. Hear you're going to be fathers.

Sam

Rump Roast Emma: A great addition to the cast! No, you can't tap dance in 4" spikes!

Mother Directoress

Phoenix Baby: You're sick — go hide behind your curtain!

D. J.

Dennis W.: It was great. I still love you.

Phil

Mabel, Rosa & Sassy (Mad City): Look out Chitown. The dairy queens have arrived. A great show. Do it again!

Alexis & Tracey

Kevin (Phoenix): I would like you shine my shoes and maybe something else sometime.

The Big Bad Bear

Charolotte Lorraine: When you said you wanted to knock one off, I didn't think you meant her!

M. of A.T.I.

Kevin (Phoenix): On the other hand — I'd rather shine something of yours.

The Big Bad Bear

Buelah Mae: Thanks for the great time in Chicago. But next time don't let me run off with strangers.

Lova ya', Betty Lu

Jungle Bird: Get off your "high perch" & come grovel with us!

Earth Pig & Space Cow

Miss A. Rhones: If you did put that letter in *In Step*, obviously the multi *attitude* is pinned on the wrong person!!

De

Bryan: Did you survive all the partying with the old "Trap"?

Miss Trap

Might Midget: Stand tall in the crowd.

Meal-On-Wheels

Earth Pig: Like your "new" soft hoofs! "Udderly" Divine!!

Space Cow

Potential Employees: Is it true that to work at M&M you have to be friends of Lady Clairol & Miss Breck?

Lady Dye

Miss Ross: Was it a magic net? Butterflies are free.

Blue Crest

Anyone: Just who are Pearl Harbor, Dinah-Mite, Minnie Pearl & Pearly Gates?

Anon.

Flapper Tongue (M&M): Can't you leave anything alone? (But isn't it fun?!?)

Suck Face

Jeff (cut-up): Look out, here comes "Mother"!!

Space Cow

B. J.: I heard your 219 show was marvelous! Thanks for the shoulder & you got me hooked on those garlic puffs!

A Fan

My Man: What a brawl! We'll have Milwaukee talking for weeks! Let's try it again sometime, but no so seriously, ok?

Your Man

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WHAT'S UP FRONT?

Robert A. Uyvari

Our cover artist for this issue is nationally known, Mr. Robert A. Uyvari. Uyvari works in various mediums with many subjects, and differing styles.

Uyvari recently returned from San Francisco — where he left his mark — and lots of works of art. Next time you're in *Ess Eff* — check out *The Eagle* and *The Arena* for samples of his "San Francisco" period.

You've probably seen one of the *Places of Interest* new guide book posters — Uyvari has done them for the last three years. In Milwaukee, his works can be found in *The Wreck Room*, *M&M*, and *Your Place*. *Club 219's* entire design concept is of Uyvari and that is where you'll most often find him now.

Robert — we sincerely appreciate you — and your art. We're extremely proud to have you do our cover.

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BRIEFS

40 AIDS Cases Linked To 1 Person

A gay man who was unaware he had AIDS has been linked to 40 cases of AIDS in 10 cities.

The man, currently living on the West Coast, is being treated for acquired immunie deficiency syndrome, Dr. William Darrow of the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) said recently. Darrow heads the AIDS task force that found the man, who is known as "Patient 0."

The case represents the first solid evidence that sexual contact among men can spread the disease. Researchers previously had only speculated that sexual contact could spread the disease.

The CDC knows of 3,775 cases of AIDS of which 1,642, or 43.5%, have died.

Little evidence linked the patients until gay men in Los Angeles came forward. Researchers then found Patient 0 who, over a period of three years, was a sexual partner with four of the Los Angeles AIDS patients and four in New York. Subsequent sexual partners of the eight brought the number of cases to 40.

The chain of contact ultimately spread to San Francisco, Florida, Georgia, Texas, Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Darrow said Patient 0 probably was not the first in the group to get AIDS, which destroys the body's ability to fight infection.

USA Today

Murderer Of 5 Boys Gets Death Penalty

Arthur Bishop, an excommunicated Mormon missionary, was sentenced to death for the sexually motivated abductions and murders of five Utah boys between 1979 and 1983.

The 12-member jury deliberated more than 11 hours before rejecting life imprisonment for Bishop, who confessed to the crimes. Under Utah law, he will be given a choice of lethal injection or a firing squad, although the case first will be automatically appealed to the Utah Supreme Court.

The same panel deliberated for 4-1/2 hours the day previous before convicting Bishop of five counts each of capital homicide and aggravated kidnaping and a single count of sexual abuse of a minor.

Defense attorneys had attempted unsuccessfully to have Bishop convicted of manslaughter instead of capital homicide, arguing that a mental disturbance reduced his responsibility for the crimes.

Milwaukee Journal

NGTF Wins Oklahoma Case

In a major legal victory for the lesbian/gay community, the United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit, has reversed the ruling of a lower court and struck down the main part of an Oklahoma law which permitted the firing of teachers for speaking in favor of gay and lesbian civil rights. The National Gay Task Force, acting as plaintiff in the case on behalf of teachers and principals in Oklahoma City, had appealed an earlier unfavorable ruling. The brief for NGTF was prepared by Oklahoma attorney and NGTF Board Member William Rogers of the American Civil Liberties Union, in conjunction with National Gay Rights Advocates. Briefs were filed by Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund, the National Gay and Lesbian Rights Project of the ACLU, and the Speech Communication Association.

NGTF Executive Director Virginia Apuzzo hailed the decision as "a historic victory," and cited Rogers, NGRA, and those who file amicus briefs for their "tenacity in seeing this case to a favorable decision." But she also noted that an appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court is possible.

AIDS Find Reported

For the first time, researchers have found a clear-cut instance in which AIDS

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Graffiti

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Mikey (not too hot!): Thanks for listening to me & making me laugh. What would I do without you?
J.

Mazie (Bill M.): Glad to see you out again. I hope some good (times) are ahead.
Sally

Dr. J. & Nurse K.: Thanx for TLC!!
Trouble

Jimmy: Next time, we're gonna shackle you into your chair and blow shotguns at you all the way! (You'd love it.) Puull-eeaze!
One Who's Had Enough!

Buckets & Mops Service: Where is your ad in this magazine?
Phyl

Cast of "Nothin' Dirty Goin' On": You are all doing a fantastic job! I promis there will be more than just tap dancing!
Love, Doris

C. C. Conrad: We hope all your jewels shined brightly on your birthday and may all your pavets pulse.: W.I.S. (Ron & Dave)

Think: The proper way to issue a complaint is to talk to the person involved, not hide behind a fictitious name.
Y. P. Ron

J.J.'s (Chicago): What a party! What a show! What people! What a place! See ya' soon.
Tracey & Alexis

Tim: I love you. Quit reading & hug me.
Steve

Space Cow: You have udder odor that is udderly odiferous. You should use udder eaters!
Earth Pig

Earth Pig: How udderly preposterous! By the way, how did you know?
Space Cow

Space Cow: Water Buffalo told me about it after he was sucking on them last night.
Earth Pig

Earth Pig: Talk about kissing & telling!
Water Buffalo

Cow, Pig & Buff: I'm listening & learning all these secrets about all of you.
Jungle Bird (Cooo-Ahh-Ahh)

Jungle Bird: Welcome to the zoo.

The Animals

Animals: Why is it everytime someone raises Space Cow's legs that her hole opens up & her udders drop?
Bird

Hugh Heffer: Come home. Your brother, Space Cow, is losing it again!
Earth, Water & Jungle

Mary (Marcus): Do your "Big Boys" put out a "special sauce"?
Hungry

Week Woom Wita: Do you use Drambol for cologne?
Lady Dye

Madison: Yes, that was the other In Step editor eating a dog biscuit and licking boots.
One Who Knows

Attention: Cindy Lauper is alive & living at M&M Glass Menagerie restaurant.
Anon.

My (much) Older Sister: Yes, I'm still here, but more often at Touche's.
Younger Sister

Gerp: Thanks for the wunnerful time at the Unicorn. I'll bet a few of those men are still rerunning the tapes from that caper!
Love you! O. G. Davey

Alexis (Osh): Windy city — what a weekend! Beer city — what a night! Let's do it again.
Love, Tracey

Curt (walter): Spread those thighs — I want in there again.
Earth Pig

Miss Rhodes: Great job at the Beer Garden show. One of your best!
Lady Dye

Pat: Happy 6 mo. anniversary, 10/9/84.
Love ya', Geoff

Geoff: Huh? (Aren't you a bit early?)
Graffiti Ed.

Steve & Steve: Happy 3rd. We all love you.
Jeff, Dori, Ricky & Mikey

Steve: Congrats on passing your tests for the Navy reserve. Good luck. Happy belated 25th birthday.
Your Friends

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GRAFFITI



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L.B.: Love your tight cheeks. Love you period!!
Happy Easter — we'll be together soon.

D.C.

Christopher: "You Are" and always will be.
Happy fourth anniversary, 4/6/84.

Love, Kevin

Little Yellow Opal: Your sign looks great!
Business at B.G.?

Miriam

Jackie "Oh": Ok, I give up! Where did you
really come from? No moon landings lately —
pray tell.

Disappointed! (C.J.)

Ron (editor): Good job!

Friends

Reva: Yee-Haw! (Woman of the what?)

Miss Mona

Monty (St. Paul): My best to Bessie-Mae. P.S.
— How's "Dickie" & in-laws?

"Liz"

Honey, Murf & Foxys: Hi! Miss all of you!

Phyl

Leggs: It was a toss up between Cleo L. & you.
Cleo won.

"Connie Stevens"

Toni: Good luck on your new pizza pie.

Carsoni

Char & Connie: Keep mighty midget out of the
dampness. Shrinkage, ya' know.

Carsoni

Michael P.: Contrary to your beliefs, you are
not the D.J.

All People Concerned

Miss Mole: Enjoyed the slumber party, but
keep those moles locked up at night.

Molette

Bryan: I won the oscar award just as we fig-
ured. Best 3 days I've every spent. Thanks

again. My steamer trunks are gone!

Mr. Memory

Mother: Glad you weren't injured when that
chair sort of self destructed when you sat in it.

Your Roomies

Wanted: One office chair!

In Step (Attn: Ron)

Castro: We LOVE the water pik!

Boys Of 409

Miss Rocky Roads: I thought you left the how
because of missing articles?

Lady Dye

Mr. Gelman: It's Mr. Doris in print.

Jim

B. J.: I really don't care what others say when
the 4 of us go out! Remember — "Love is a bat-
tle-ax!"

Love you, Doris

Dale: Let's get together and play cowboys &
indians in my fort!

Guess Who!

Parakeet: Somebody is watchin' you!

Space Cow

Mary (Marcus): We want some "Big Boys".

Earth Pig & Space Cow

Jerry: It could never work for obvious reasons!
Sorry!

Dave

Rona: How many months until your semi-an-
nual lay in Acapulco wears off?

Lady Dye

Mike: Glad we took time to stop & smell the
stickers. I'm so full.

Your Cruising Partner

Kessler Woman: Don't forget the 2 loyal
friends who love you when you come home.
Hope everything goes right this time!

Ashtray Knee

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Briefs

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was transmitted by blood transfusion, and they hope the case will help solve the disease's mysteries. The disease was diagnosed in a woman who received blood donated by a gay man.

Milwaukee Journal

Lesbian Files Suit For Dancing Discrimination

The head of a black lesbian social club in Washington, D.C. has filed a \$500,000 sexual orientation discrimination suit against a downtown nightclub, the 1140 Club. Annette "Chi" Hughes, president of Sapphire Sapphos, charges she and a female companion were told to stop dancing together at the club November 18th, while mixed-gender couples were allowed to continue.

Washington's human rights law protects gays from discrimination in public accommodations. The club, meanwhile, has filed a \$1 million countersuit charging Hughes with slander. The club last year had advertised in local gay publications, but in the fall decided to have one "gay night" a week. The club's management says Hughes suit is "very troubling to us," and suggested that Hughes and her companion may have been asked to stop dancing because of their "seductive" manner which other customers found offensive.

GayLife

NGTF Responds To California Veto

Reacting to the veto of the California gay/lesbian civil rights bill by Governor George Deukmejian on March 13th, National Gay Task Force Executive Director Virginia Apuzzo applauded "the hard work of the California gay/lesbian community, their friends, and those legislators who supported A.B. 1." She continued, "this setback should not cause us to overlook the political strength that got this measure through the legislature in the first place. That same strength will now continue the fight in this and other forums."

The California bill, given final approval

by the state legislature on March 1st, would have guaranteed protection against employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation. In vetoing the bill, Deukmejian alleged that there was not proof of discrimination in the work place against gay men and lesbians. "Those of us who are gay or lesbian live with discrimination every day of our lives. We must now redouble our efforts to systematically document anti-gay/lesbian bias across the board," Apuzzo replied.

AIDS Victims Routed From S.F. Hotels

Indigent victims of AIDS secretly stashed at a local motel by health and welfare officials have been moved, and Mayor Dianne Feinstein said city hotels no longer would be used to house them.

The owner of the Sea Captain's Motel in San Francisco took in victims of AIDS sent by the city for \$18 a night and a guarantee of secrecy. There were about a dozen AIDS victims at the motel, but Feinstein had them all removed.

The incident marked the second time in six months that efforts to house indigent victims of AIDS had been thwarted. Last fall, the city moved 40 people it was housing at a hotel in the Tenderloin District where the AIDS victims were sharing showers and toilets with residents who were unaware of the situation.

Mervyn Silverman, the city's health director, defended his decision to use hotels to secretly house the indigents. He said the people at the hotel were without money and had nowhere else to go.

As for the secrecy, Silverman said, "We never know who has been in a motel room before us, whether the person had lice or left germs in the air."

Gay Rights Policy Wins Approval

A policy barring discrimination against gay/lesbian students and employees at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor has received final approval.

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“Breier Bill” Signed Into Law

Governor Earl signed into law a controversial bill that grants rule-making authority to the Milwaukee Fire and Police Commission and gives the mayor power to veto those rules and the Common Council power to suspend the rules.

Fire Chief William Stamm said he was disappointed that the bill had passed. Stamm said the bill was aimed at Breier. “No one ever mentioned me,” Stamm said. “They even called it the Breier bill.” Like Breier, Stamm said he was concerned that outsiders would be involved in the day-to-day affairs of his department.

Earl said he did not expect the bill would have much effect on Milwaukee initially. Mayor Maier and the Common Council are not likely “to engage in pro-

tracted battles with Chief Breier,” Earl said.

Earl said Milwaukee residents had lived with the police chief’s lack of accountability for many years and were likely to do so for a few more.

Senator Gary George (D-Milwaukee), who sponsored the original version of the bill and was present at the signing ceremony, said that enactment would insure “citizen input into policy decisions” of the two departments.

Ed’s note: It’s been worth the long wait to see Milwaukee’s Police Chief “restrained.” Let’s hope this has a positive effect within our community here. Our profound thanks to Gov. Earl, Sen. George and all those who supported this bill’s passage. Thanks to our artist, Tom Rezza, who captured exactly how we felt about this bill.

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Democrats Selecting Delegates To National Convention

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This will be our only chance for direct input into the process, and our chance to be sure gay rights will be an issue at the convention. To find out where your caucus will be held, call the Democratic Party at 414/257-4085.

Black And White Men Together

Black and White Men Together (BWMT) Milwaukee announced that meetings will be held on the third Saturday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Meetings will be held at 1240 E. Brady Street.

BWMT is a social group for those interested in meeting other men who have similar interests, or for those men who are already involved in a relationship.

For more information write to BWMT, P.O. Box 12292, Milwaukee, WI 53212 or call 414/962-2998.

NGTF Opens Crisisline To Lesbian/Gay Youth

The nationwide toll-free Crisisline operated by National Gay Task Force (NGTF) for victims of anti-lesbian/gay violence and AIDS information and referrals has expanded its services as of March 1st to take calls from lesbian and gay youth, their family members and significant others, and those interested in establishing local youth services.

Working in conjunction with the Institute for the Protection of Lesbian and Gay Youth in New York, the Crisisline can supply young lesbian and gay callers (under 21) with referrals to local sources, material for callers and their families or friends, and — in the event no services are available locally — short-term crisis intervention counselling.

NGTF would also like to assist local group and gay/lesbian service providers in establishing rap groups, hot line service, in-school sensitizing, speaker bureaus, etc. by utilizing a variety of different sources from its Gay/Lesbian Youth Clearinghouse project.

In order to offer the most comprehensive referrals as well as all the material available about and for lesbian/gay youth, NGTF is also requesting that groups contact its office about their services or send any material relevant to the project at NGTF, 80 Fifth Ave., Suite 1601, New York, NY 10111; 212/741-5800.

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- Grand Avenue Pub (Mw, F) 716 W. Wisconsin Ave., 224-9065
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COMMENT

In The Mailbox . . .

Hello There,

Congratulations on *In Step*. I have just received your first edition and think it's great; keep up the good work.

Only wish we had a 'mag' like that in Great Britain — we do have *Capital Gay* and *Gay News*. *Gay News* is rather expensive — 70 pence each edition. That's about \$1.40 (U.S.).

I would like to have *In Step* sent to me. Please quote cost, etc. Good luck.

Bob Ashkettle
London, England

Ed's note: Thanks for your unexpected but welcome letter, Bob. Do stop in and say hello when you're visiting Milwaukee later this year. For anyone else living in a foreign country, we do send all issues air mail. Costs for foreign subscriptions are \$21 for 13 issues (6 months) or \$40 for 25 issues (1 year).

Dear Editors:

After five years on the West Coast, I've returned to live a while in my native Milwaukee. I've been published widely, including poems in *Gay Sunshine* out of San Francisco and the recent gay anthology *Sone of the Male Muse* (Crossing Press, Trumansburg, NY) available at Woodland Pattern (720 E. Locust St.). Both Jeff and I are in the new anthology *Gathering Place of the Waters: 30 Milwaukee Poets*. In the past two years I've given many poetry readings, including a benefit for Amnesty International in Seattle; a benefit for Mobilization for Survival (with Milwaukee poet Angela Peckinpaugh) in Milwaukee; at the Walt Whitman Association in Camden, New Jersey; in Vancouver, Eugene, San Francisco, Nevada City and elsewhere; also with Allen Ginsberg at Yale and St.

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Mark's Church in New York City. In July of 1980 I read excerpts from *Factory* at the Second International Festival of the Poet in Rome, Italy. Am submitting the enclosed poem for possible publication in *WisconsIn Step*.

Antler
Milwaukee

P.S. — Tom Rezza's cartoon, page 36, issue #3 is great!

P.P.S. — My book *Factory* is available at Schwartz's (unless they're out), Webster's, Woodland Pattern and UW-M Bookstore.

Ed's note: See Issue 6 (April 19th), for listing and read Antler's poem, *Bringing Zeus To His Knees*, elsewhere in this issue. And Antler . . . welcome home. ■

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In Step Co-Editor Dave Iraci spoke with 1101 West (Appleton) co-owner Ed.

THE ARTS

As I sit down to write this column, I am reminded of the statements that I made following the interview with the Experience Theatre Company. That being if this paper is going to succeed as a communication vehicle for the gay community — we need to hear from you! Approximately 7,000 copies of this publication are printed and distributed. Yet Garry Bruel's offer to lead a seminar about gay theatre got one response. Yes, that's right. One. He's willing to offer his time and expertise at no charge. All he needs is someplace to do it. No response. Even our bar owners, who are constantly on the lookout for new marketing ap-

"Here's The Beef!"

by Kevin Rozman

proaches, failed to respond. C'mon now, let's get with it!

Perhaps that directly deals with the information recently published in the *Milwaukee Journal*. The state of Wisconsin ranks last among all 50 in terms of the amount of money that it budgets for the state arts agencies. We offer the grand sum of 17 cents per person to support the arts. Really something to be proud of, huh?

In other states and cities throughout the country, the gay community is in the forefront of support for the arts. How do

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WJS JOCK SHORTS

A manager's meeting of the Saturday Softball Beer League (S.S.B.L.) will be held on Sunday, April 8 at 3 p.m. at the Ball Game. League rules and the 1984 schedule will be adopted at that time. The season will start on April 28th if all the snow is melted by then. There should be quite a few changes in the league this year with the disbandment of the Wreck Room Chaps. You won't be able to tell your players without a scorecard. Members of last year's Chaps are joining several other teams, and there are now several teams who think they'll be replacing the Chaps as league champions. Hopes are always high in Spring. Also, with the new teams joining the league, there should be a lot of new, cute faces (and hunky bodies) on the diamonds. Looks like an interesting Summer.

Plans are underway for the Wreck Room Classic Softball Tournament over Memorial Day weekend. Again this year, over 20 teams are expected to participate in the tournament, which will start on Friday, May 25th. The final games are on Sunday, May 27th, and the awards banquet and ceremonies will be held at the Marc Plaza Hotel following the games. The first fund raiser for the Classic will be a "Las Vegas Nite" on Saturday evening, April 14th. There will be games, food, drinks, prizes and surprises. Anyone interested in joining the fun can contact Ron Bureby or Tom Salzsieder at the Wreck Room for more details.

Anyone want to buy a raffle ticket? The Holiday Invitational Tournament (H.I.T.) is now holding its' annual Spring raffle, with the drawing set for April 29th. Prizes include a video recorder, bicycle, and a telephone. Tickets are available from any H.I.T. board member. Tickets for the Wreck Room Classic Raffle are also available. The drawing will be

Sports In The Heartland

by Tom Salzsieder

held at the awards banquet during the tournament. Prizes include air fare to Houston for the Gay World Series or cash, a color TV, a basket of booze, and a Thinking of You gift certificate. In addition, several softball teams are holding raffles to pay for uniforms or trips to tournaments. Help support gay sports.

Final Standings Josie's Wednesday Night Pool League (End Of Winter Leagues)

PLACE	TEAM
1	FACTORY
2	WRECK ROOM
3	FANNIES #2
4	YOUR PLACE
5	PHOENIX
6	FINALE #2
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8	FIRST ST. #2
9	FINALE #1
10	FIRST ST. #1

Spring Pool League Announced

The Spring Pool League will start on Wednesday, April 25th. A captain's meeting will be held April 11th at 7:00 p.m. at the Finale. There is a \$20.00 per team sponsor fee, which will be due that night. Anyone interested in sponsoring a team in the league should contact Josie at 414/372-5058. ■

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you think we measure up? Yet, a good number of people are intimately involved. All you need do is look at the Milwaukee Ballet, the Florentine Opera, Theater X, Experience Theatre Company, Clavis Theatre, the Melody Top, the Milwaukee Repertory Theater, Skylight Comic Opera, the Milwaukee Players . . . Good things are happening out here folks, but are we honestly being supportive?

The What's Happening dimension of this column is not there just as another listing. Time and effort are spent to select offerings of interest. Do you honestly consult it when planning an evening out or when considering where to take that special person? We try to keep you aware of the events from throughout the state, but that means we need that information. Please send it to our attention and we'd be happy to list it.

I recently had the good fortune to view the tryouts for the Melody Top resident company. I saw well over 150 talented men and women all eager to get their 'big break.' The bottom line is that there are a great number of extremely talented performers who need the opportunities available if they are to grow and develop to their full performance potential. The only way that will happen is if you and I make that a reality through our financial support and interest. 17 cents a head just doesn't cut it!

So too with a very special dimension of entertainment most often found within the gay community, though now seen in film and on Broadway. Shows, benefits, and fund raisers are continually being offered in our clubs for a wide variety of causes. Shows at Club 219, M&M, the Beer Garden, 1101 West, Shadows, the Ball Game, Your Place, just to name a few. But do we support our own as we should?

Congratulations to the full company for Leg's 'Hotbox Revue' at the Beer Garden. Judy Garland wowed the audience, singing acapella even. Legs strutted her stuff and B.J., Gloria, and De were entertaining as ever. A new dimension for recent shows was brought by Lori and Company as Michael Jackson and Stoney

as Elvis. They both proved that women can impersonate men well. The newcomer, Aunt Maude, was a hoot! Legs and Renee — job well done! Encore!

Word has it that rehearsals are already underway for Doris' summer Y.P. show. It sounds terrific. Stay tuned for further developments.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Casablanca and Sirocco, UWM Union Cinema, April 18th and 19th.

Antony and Me, Court Street Theatre, 273-7121, ext. 239, through April 15th.

Evita, Spotlight Series, PAC, 273-7206, April 10th through 15th.

Translations, Milwaukee Repertory Theater, PAC, 273-7206, through May 20th.

8-1/2 and I Vitelloni, Oriental Theater, 276-8711, April 17th.

Tintypes, Skylight Comic Opera, 271-8815, through April 22nd.

A Thurban Carnival, Experience Theatre, ETCI-Lite, Noodles Restaurant, 277-0187, Wednesdays through Sundays.

Brave New 1984, Friends Mime Theatre, Lincoln Center for the Arts, 272-2787, through April 14th.

Yes, Dane County Coliseum, Madison, 799-1007, April 11th.

50's Rock & Roll Superbowl, MECCA Auditorium, 271-7230, April 14th.

Gordon Lightfoot, PAC, 273-7206, April 23rd.

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STEPPIN' OUT

Names and Places

by Ron Geiman

What a fortnight (did I really just type fortnight?) it's been. So much has been happening that I shot six rolls of film. Now — all you people that were caught in the viewfinder of In Step's camera must realize that we can't print all those pictures. The ones that get printed usually are the ones that best portray or capture the "feeling" of the event. The ones that don't get stashed in our "stock photo" file to use in the future.

Christopher Reeve (Superman) turned down a guest shot with John Inmen on British TV. The reason? Inmen wanted Reeve to do a gay takeoff on Superman. However, Reeve has called it quits with that role — gay or straight.

TV 12's More host Bobby Rivers had this to say on a recent broadcast: "Can you stand it? ...Go to the refrigerator and get your poppers — It's time for shopping spree!" Then he proceeded to conduct the "guess the price of these groceries" call-in portion with his right fist shoved inside of this stuffed duck.

Update on the *Journal* series *Gays and Marriage* aftermath. Besides running a half page of letters (in a Sunday issue) from members of our community — representatives of Milwaukee's gay and lesbian community met with the *Journal* editorial staff. The representatives asked the *Journal* for a commitment to provide sensitivity training for the editorial staff, which was well accepted. They also requested a broad-based series on gay life in Milwaukee (the *Journal* said they'd consider that late in summer).

La Cage Aux Folles, Milwaukee's newest entry in the nightlife scene, made its debut March 20th. *La Cage* occupies the old Niko's, which went from a gay bar to punk bar to a country and western bar (all within two years). I didn't make it there until a week later (on the night they

opened, I was delivering the last issue), and I was impressed with the changes George Prentice and Jimmy Seebooth had made. Complete with dance floor, video, and a stage for entertainers along with the music programming capabilities of Tyrone. The decor is an eclectic mixture of antique bar backs, chandeliers, sand-blasted Cream City brick exposed walls, and tables and bartops with coins embedded in acrylic. I must thank Corey and Jed for entertaining me the night I was there.

Legs and crew of the Hot Box Revue knocked 'em dead at the Beer Garden. You can read more about the show in Kevin's Arts column.

The Factory II's Thriller Party was unique — complete with a coffin for photos and tombstones all over the place. John did a good job setting the mood of a graveyard with dead bunches and spider webs around the dancefloor — which provided the setting for the capable talents of four young people, one of whom (a woman) imitated Michael Jackson real well and the other three, who were his backup Thriller dancers. The crowd really got off on them.

The Unicorn bar was forced to cancel their Wet Jockey Shorts Contest because of lack of entries. I was there for the first two scheduled preliminary contests and I know for a fact that only two people expressed interest the first time and only one the second time. I can't blame owner Gus for wondering why no one wanted to try and win that trip to Las Vegas. I guess the *Journal* is right when they say how conservative Milwaukee is — and I guess the gay community is no different.

On impulse, four of us trekked to Madison on a recent Saturday night to introduce some friends to Rod's and The New
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Jed & Corey were behind the penny inlaid bar at La Cage the night I was there. (Hey Jed — "Where's the spearmint?")



Tyrone, D.J./V.J. at Milwaukee's newest night spot — La Cage Aux Folles.



This group of Milwaukee bar owners and workers were caught between the stops on the BAM Bar Crawl.



Bob Schmidt (M&M) and Debi Vance (219) found their ride home the night of the BAM Halsted/Chicago Bar Crawl.



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This bevy of (predominantly) brawny bodies were persuaded to pose for this pic while they were partying at La Cage Aux Folles.



This group of women had serious party intentions when In Step caught them at the Factory II's party.

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Bar. Had a great, entertaining time — The New Bar is packin' em in for dancing and video. Rod related a story about St. Pat's Day . . . It was a Saturday night and the Rod's staff and customers decided to "moon" the patrons of The New Bar, whose windows overlook Rod's outdoor deck. I got a little carried away watching *Water Sports* — a real fun male video they screened in Rod's — I practically took a bite out of the screen. The crowd cheered and groaned at the "climax" of the film — the first time I ever heard a "gang groan." We got invited to an after bar party that was too much. This second floor flat has a nickname of "Stop and Fuck." Rumor has it that apartment residents had etched that name in cement — with arrows directing people on the sidewalk in front of their place. It so happens that also is a bus stop location and the transit people had it jackhammered out of the sidewalk, so as not to "offend" anyone.

Sunday we all (four + one) got up at 2 p.m. after arriving home about 5 a.m. and decided to go to Green Bay and Appleton that day. However, five wouldn't fit into the car we had, so it took us until 8 p.m. to find a bigger car (and now we were six) and get on our way. Halfway there we realized we didn't have time to do both cities, so we decided to just go to 1101 West in Appleton. It was a good choice . . . "Barbie" and Ruby were behind the bar with "Daddy Ed" filling in. (I won't tell you about Ed getting arrested in Chicago during the bar crawl two days later . . .).

Ohhh that bar crawl — I'm still suffering from that as I'm writing this column two days later. We had 2-1/3 buses (about 107 people) partying on the way down to Chicago, and I mean party — *Gawd*, I don't know how those Badger Bus Company drivers put up with us year after year. The things they must see in those rear view mirrors. We hit all the spots from Halsted's Trianon north to The Loading Dock. I even hear there was a healthy Milwaukee contingent (including

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These two ghouls crept around the Factory's Thriller Party.

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wearing. Send me a picture — I always enjoy good drag.

Dear Davey: I do enjoy going out to the dance bars once in a while. I'm pretty shy and find myself standing up against a wall waiting forever for someone to ask me to dance. I get so depressed sometimes. What's a good way to get people to dance with me?

Wallflower Wally
Wauwatosa

Dear Wall: You could bring a sign with you that says "Dance With Me". Obviously, this might be considered pretty tacky for most dance halls. What you need to do is take a deep breath and walk up to that someone who catches your eye and ask him (or her) to dance. You'd be amazed at how many other people, like you, are too shy to ask someone to dance. *Someone* has to make the first approach, right?

I realize that maybe I came on a little strong about listening to your problems and I apologize for that. I still don't give a damn, but I'd enjoy hearing about it. Write to Dear Davey, c/o Wisconsin In Step, 823 North Second Street, Suite 409, Milwaukee, WI 53203. ■

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DEAR DAVEY

The Heartbreak Of Pour-A-Quiche

Dear Davey: Last Sunday I invited several of my friends over for brunch. Everything went just fine until it was time to make the quiche — I used Pour-A-Quiche. My friends teased and taunted me until I ran into my bedroom and cried for almost an hour. I felt so foolish! Do you know how to make good quiche?

Restaurant Rob Racine

Dear Rest: Fear not! Follow this recipe for quiche that will be the envy of all your friends:

DAVEY'S QUICHE SUPREME

- 2 Prepared, Frozen Pie Crusts
- 1 Cup Shredded Swiss Cheese
- 1/3 Cup Minced Onion
- 5 Large Eggs
- 2 Cups (1 Pint) Whipping Cream
- 3/4 Teaspoon Salt
- 1/4 Teaspoon Sugar
- 1/8 Teaspoon Cayenne Red Pepper

Heat oven to 425°. Par bake the pie crusts until light brown being careful to pop any bubbles that might appear. Remove from oven. Sprinkle the cheese and onion in pie pans. With a rotary beater, blend the remaining ingredients; pour into pie pans. Bake 15 minutes.

Reduce the oven temperature to 300°. Bake pies 30 minutes longer or until a knife inserted 1" from the edge comes out clean. Let pies stand and cool for 10 minutes before cutting.

Serves 6

Variations: Try adding in some of these ingredients along with the cheese and onions. Any combination will work well. You can also substitute any other kind of cheese (cheddar, jack, mozzarella, etc.) instead of the Swiss cheese.

- 12 Slices Bacon, Crisply Fried, Chopped

- 1 Cup Cooked Ham or Sausage, Chopped
- 1 Cup Mushrooms, Sauteed in Butter, Sliced
- 1 Cup Asparagus Tips, Steamed
- 1 Cup Broccoli, Steamed, Chopped
- 1 Cup Shrimp, Cooked, Shelled & Deveined
- 1 Cup Italian Zucchini, Sauteed in Butter, Chopped
- 1 Cup Tomatoes, Fresh, Chopped
- 1 Cup Crab or Lobster Meat, Steamed, Chopped

Dear Davey: For as long as I can remember, I've always been interested in cross dressing. The only problem is that I'm much too embarrassed to walk into any store to buy the necessary attire. Any suggestions?

Curious Carl Cudahy

Dear Cud: You can easily send away for shop by mail catalogs that offer just about anything you'd need. The only problem is that you have no way of knowing how the fit will be until it arrives. There is nothing dishonorable about a man (or woman) buying clothes geared more to the opposite sex. Shop some of the malls and shopping centers. It's usually fairly easy to find a store that is not very crowded to make picking out that special outfit much simpler. Stores that stock clothing for both men and women can be a particular blessing. Finding a decent pair of heels is probably the most challenging task while shopping. My friend Divine suggests Payless Shoes, especially if you have particularly large feet. Eydie the Bag Lady, another close friend of mine, suggests that you buy canvas (or similar cloth) shoes so that you can easily change the color of them to suit whatever color dress (or suit) you're

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the other *In Step* Co-Editor) at the Unicorn baths. All the places knew we were coming, but a few put some extra effort into making us feel welcome: Buck's, Sidetrack, and The Loading Dock. Thanks for showing us all such a great time!

I could go on for hours about all that happened, but we'd probably be sued for something or another if I wrote about some of the things that I say . . . like Eric break-dancing in a booth at The Ram bookstore.

I imagine by the time we got home and got to bed, most of us rolled over and said to our bed-mate — "Not tonight, I've got a headache."

And THAT'S the way it was. ■



Factory II Partner Sunny crept out of her crypt to stalk prey at the Thriller Party.



A Michael Jackson impersonator along with her accomplished backups: "The Thriller Dancers" at the Factory II's Party.



Why

POLITICS

Responses To Presidential Questionnaire Summarized

A coalition of five national gay/lesbian organizations recently released a summary of the responses by presidential candidates to a questionnaire that covered a range of issues of concern to the lesbian and gay community. The questionnaire was sent to candidates as part of "84 And Counting the nationwide voter registration and education drive co-sponsored by the National Gay Task Force, the National Association of Gay and Lesbian Democratic Clubs, the National Coalition of Black Gays, the Human Rights Campaign Fund, and the Gay Rights National Lobby.

Of the eleven candidates who were sent the questionnaire, eight responded — Democrats Alan Cranston, Gary Hart, Ernest Hollings, Jesse Jackson, George McGovern, and Walter Mondale; Sonia Johnson of the Citizens Party; and Libertarian David Bergland. Democrats Reubin Askew and John Glenn, and Republican Ronald Reagan failed to respond to the questionnaire. Askew, Cranston, and Hollings have withdrawn from the Presidential race.

Civil Rights. All of the respondents except Bergland indicated that they would support passage of some kind of federal gay/lesbian civil rights bill. Jackson, Johnson, and McGovern specifically supported the pending House bill (H.R. 2624), which covers employment, housing, and public accommodations. Hart and Mondale supported the concept of a civil rights bill but stopped short of endorsing specific legislation. However, since answering the questionnaire, Mondale has publicly endorsed S. 430. All except Bergland responded positively to the suggestion that government civil rights agencies should include anti-gay/lesbian bias in their mandates, and that anti-lesbian/gay violence should be classified as a civil

rights violation.

Government Employment. One of the most noteworthy results of the questionnaire was the fact that every respondent but Hollings said that he or she would issue some kind of executive order banning discrimination based on sexual orientation in federal employment. Each of those candidates, except Bergland, indicated that such an order would extend the federally contracted private employment.

On the still more controversial issue of including military and security agencies in an executive order, Hart and Mondale parted company with the others, who asserted that they favored such a move.

Said Hart, "In the case of military employment, recent court cases have upheld the right of the armed forces to limit employment on the grounds of sexual orientation. The rationale for restrictions on military employment have generally revolved around the possibility of blackmail and a consequent risk to national security. A citizen's desire to serve the country should be honored unless the courts have deemed otherwise or the citizen is not willing to abide by a code of conduct applied equally to all military personnel. Military employment should not be restricted because of sexual orientation per se."

Mondale's response was, "I have yet to reach a decision concerning extension of this ban to uniformed personnel (and) the security agencies. Traditionally, Mondale continued, the security field has sought to minimize the vulnerability of its members to blackmail. On occasion, its attempts to do so come into conflict with the civil rights of lesbians and gay men who apply for positions in this field. As President, I would establish a commis-

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you'll screw everything up and probably burn the tuna casserole.

b) Call Jackie "Oh" figuring if anybody knew she would.

c) Call "Ask Your Neighbor."

d) Cancel the dinner party, but invite them to Ma Fischer's your treat.

Now let's see how you did. Give yourself 20 points for each correct answer.

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2. B
3. C
4. B
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0 to 40 points — *Social Outcast.*

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- You're shocked when you discover your new boy friend likes to use Pour-A-Quiche in a bizarre sexual manner. He's a real sweetheart, except for an occasional skid mark in his undies, but the Pour-A-Quiche has got to go. Do you:*
 - Politely inform him you prefer your quiche made from scratch.
 - Tell him to shove the quiche up his ass, knowing full well he probably will.
 - Accept his use of quiche, if he will accept your nose fetish.
 - Write Dear Davey.
- While at a Gay Monopoly party, a guest becomes violently ill and passes out with his face landing in a large bowl of bean dip. You still have a handful of Doritos and could really go for some dip. What do you do?*
 - Run to the nearest convenience store and buy some more.
 - Casually reach over and scrap some dip off the side of his face.
 - Call an ambulance.
 - Do not pass go, do not collect 200 tokens.
- You're walking downtown with a friend, he spots Bobby Rivers and yells, "Hey Bobby is that a roll of Certs in your pocket or are you just glad to see me?" You're rather embarrassed, but want to make a good impression on Bobby. What do you do?*
 - Apologize for your friend and tell Bobby you watch his show every day.

Are You A Social Blooper?

by W. W. Wells III

- Check in Bobby's pocket to see if he has a roll of Certs.
 - Ask his if Liz Ayres knows "everything" about him.
 - Kick your friend in the groin and ask Bobby for a date.
- Binky, your hairdresser, took too many drugs last night and gave you pink spikes instead of the silver glitter you asked for. You've got an important Trivial Pursuit party to go to and you don't want to miss it. What do you do?*
 - You know how sensitive Binky can be, especially after doing acid. So, you say nothing and go to the party hoping no one will notice.
 - Slap Binky and tell her to get her shit together.
 - Break down and cry because you know the pink dye is permanent.
 - You're completely confused about proper table settings. You can't get the fork and the spoon on the correct side and often mistake Mason jars for champagne glasses. You've an important dinner party coming up and want everything just right. Should you:*
 - Call off the dinner party because

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sion to investigate the merits of current Administration policy in this regard and make recommendations to resolve any civil rights conflict in this policy."

Immigration. On the issue of immigration reform, all candidates indicated support for legislation to eliminate exclusions based on sexual orientation. All but Mondale said they would direct the Justice Department not to contest court challenges to existing law; the former Vice President responded that as President, "it would be my duty to enforce the laws, not to make them (a power which belongs to Congress) or to definitively interpret them (a power which resides in the Supreme Court)."

Women's Issues. Issues of special concern to women brought unanimity among the candidates all of whom vowed to use the power of the Presidency to support passage of the Equal Rights Amendment, support freedom of choice on abortion, and opposed any attempt to limit that right for all women, including denial of Medicaid funds to Poor women seeking abortions.

Health Care. In the wake of the AIDS epidemic, all of the candidates said they would support efforts to make the nation's health care system more responsive to Public health emergencies, and to rationalize and improve health care programs and social service benefits for individuals facing major health care costs. Except for Berland, they support efforts to address the special health care needs of minority communities in federal programs, and said they would support specific measures to deal with AIDS-associated catastrophic health costs. All but Bergland, McGovern, and Mondale specifically stated that they favored funding the Public Health Emergency Fund. Hart and Mondale differed from the other who supported funding research by national health agencies into the physiological and psychological effects of discrimination such as anti-gay/lesbian bias. Mondale qualified his support with "I will not oppose the legitimate research into the effects of any kind of discrimination. Said Hart, "I am currently reviewing such

proposals."

Access to Government Programs. Questions on guaranteeing access to government programs for lesbians and gay men elicited positive responses from Cranston, Johnson and, in more general terms, Hollings. Bergland declined to say that he would work to ensure that government programs in areas such as youth, seniors, and mental health address the specific needs of the gay/leabian community. But the question, "Will you support changes in eligibility requirements for entitlement programs and federally funded programs to equalize access for those in non-traditional (including lesbian and gay relationships and households) caused the most hesitancy. Jackson said the question "requires further study"; Mondale said, "I have yet to reach a decision"; and Hart responded, "I support all efforts to make our governmental system more just, and oppose efforts that aim at the exclusion of any of our citizens."

Access To Administration. All respondents pledged equality of opportunity for minority applicants, including gay men and lesbians, for Administration positions at all levels. Cranston, Jackson, Johnson, and McGovern specifically endorsed the idea of an official liaison for the gay/lesbian community.

Further information. Those wishing the full text of any candidate's statement should send a self-addressed, stamped 8-1/2 by 11-inch envelope with the names of the candidate(s) whose responses are requested to: NGTF, Suite 1601 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10011, Attention: Presidential Questionnaire. ■

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chine's *Street Dance* (Sire 12") is a more melodic than authentic representation of the urban break scene. This has already been a big European hit lately and shows producer Jacques Morali at his most commercial in years. (Remember the Village People?) Watch out for this one!

A notable hip-hop piece out on Streetwise Records this week is John Rocca's *I Want It To Be Real*. The vocalist of Freeez reprises the hook of *I.O.U.* with an even more hectic setting and a good melodic touch. I heard this in Chicago on our "famous" bar crawl and boy, did this one sell! (A big thanks to Mark from The Loading Dock for the insight on this one!)

Three singles that have been remixed and worth checking out include: Yes' *Leave It* (ATCO 12") that sports Trevon Horn's state-of-the-art studio work and lots of murky drum breaks along with acapella! Irene Cara's *Breakdance* (Geffen 12") is speedy dance material that, in remixed form, now has lots of new loop-and-echo work — especially on the dub version, which is really a "burner!" And finally, Cameo's *She's Strange* (Atlanta Artists 12") has been redone by Mark Berry for a commercial 12-inch; he empties the track out and mixes up a big monster beat.

Nothing happened to Michael Jackson this week, so until next week . . . ■

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Madonna Fever!!

by Kim Zweibohmer

No, it's not Madonna, but *All Night Passion* (Vanguard 12") by Alisha sure could be a dead ringer for her. This 15 year old singer is propelling this dance single up the chart like a bullet and radio surely can't be far behind to pick up on this "ditty." Combining all the elements that makes Madonna work, Alisha has no problem either. Produced by Mark Berry, Lou Bolognese and Rick Tarbox, the 12-inch contains *All Night Passion*, *All Night Dub* and *Beat All Night*. Talk about being suggestive — a great late night "bump and grind" song!

Speaking of Madonna, *Borderline* has really taken off and radio did not even hesitate to add this one due to *Holiday* being a hit. It's about time radio programmers start wising up!

Culture Club's new 12-inch, on Epic commercially, is a remix combining *Miss Me Blind* and *It's A Miracle* together in a nine minute medley that is so hot the grooves of the record started on fire the first time I played it. Need I say more?

Proving that it's moving from the "outside" to the mainstream, *Break Ma-*

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● IN STEP'S TOP 20 ●

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| 1) GIVE ME TONIGHT | SHANNON |
| 2) GIRLS JUST WANT TO HAVE FUN | CYNDI LAUPER |
| 3) AUTOMATIC | POINTER SISTERS |
| 4) MISS ME BLIND/IT'S A MIRACLE | CULTURE CLUB |
| 5) HERE COMES THE RAIN AGAIN | EURYTHMICS |
| 6) BEAT BOX | ART OF NOISE |
| 7) WHITE HORSE | LAID BACK |
| 8) HOLD ME NOW | THOMPSON TWINS |
| 9) BORDERLINE (Remix) | MADONNA |
| 10) SOMEBODY'S WATCHING ME | ROCKWELL |
| 11) DANCING IN THE SHEETS | SHALAMAR |
| 12) PROUD MARY | CHI CHI LIAH |
| 13) MAKE IT ON MY OWN | FREE ENTERPRISE |
| 14) ALL NIGHT PASSION | ALISHA |
| 15) LET'S STAY TOGETHER | TINA TURNER |
| 16) SHE'S STRANGE | CAMEO |
| 17) NO MAN IS AN ISLAND | WARP 9 |
| 18) THEY ONLY COME OUT AT NIGHT | PETER BROWN |
| 19) RELAX | FRANKIE GOES TO HOLLYWOOD |
| 20) LAST DANCE | GEORGE CLINTON |

● HOT TRACKS ●

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| 1) BREAKDANCE | IRENE CARA |
| 2) WHEN YOU'RE FAR AWAY | GLADYS KNIGHT & THE PIPS |
| 3) ONE FOR THE TREBLE (Fresh) | DAVY DMX |
| 4) NO MORE WORDS | BERLIN |
| 5) HEAD OVER HEELS | THE GO-GO'S |

Bringing Zeus To His Knees

- ▶ In the drained reflecting pool in the small park facing San Francisco City Hall during the June 12, 1982 Disarmament Anti-Nuclear Rally
- ▶ A barechested boy lying on his back, arms behind his head, eyes closed, sunbasking.
- ▶ As speaker after speaker gives inspiring talk
- ▶ And the crowd roars and applauds, all faces turned toward the stage,
- ▶ The boy lies there — where last week seagulls floated on turquoise ripples.
- ▶ Does he hear the great pleas for peace? Or is he dozing?
- ▶ Perhaps he was listening before behind his closed eyes his dreamlovegirl or boy appeared and glowed and gleamed.
- ▶ How many loving eyes caress this Vision that does not see them?
- ▶ How many strolling from the rapt crowd to rest their ears from the anti-war fervor they so much agree with and which inspires so many of their poems,
- ▶ Come upon this Vision and are overcome with the dazzling sight of naked boyhood armpits and chest and belly and face that would bring Zeus to his knees —
- ▶ I stare uncaring if any see me.
- ▶ The boy does not open his eyes.
- ▶ He could be on a hilly grassy meadow or inflatable raft in a blue pool or on his bed taking a summer nap.
- ▶ I stare so long so lovingly I'm surprised the whole crowd doesn't suddenly turn to watch me staring and join in a staring silent circle around this apparition fallen from heaven.
- ▶ The beautiful halfnaked sleeping boy Vision says more to me against war, against nuclear power, arms race, nationalism, imperialism, slavery, than all the fiery diatribes put together.
- ▶ Suddenly I see the boy burn alive, his flesh afire writhing screaming pyre.
- ▶ And the crowd melting flaming agonied forms from World War III's imagined holocaust reality,
- ▶ And then I see him as before and see myself kneeling by his side as before a manger
- ▶ Lavishing with ecstatic love my boylove dream.

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