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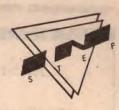
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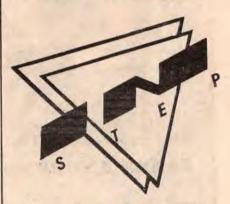
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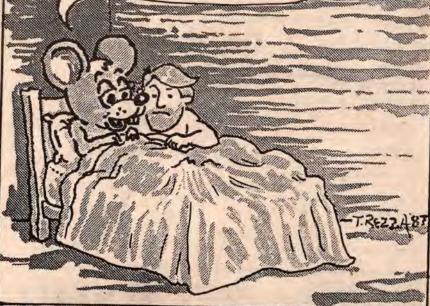
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Court Bans Gays' Use of 'olympic'

[USA Today]- After a Supreme Court loss recently, gays will take their fight to Congress to stage athletic events and call them "Gay Olympics."

The court ruled 5-4 that lawmakers granted the U.S. Olympic Committee authority over use of the name "olympic."

"We'll take this to Congress and find out if they really meant to do this," said lawyer Mary Dunlap of San Francisco Arts and Athletics.

The group organized the first Gay Olympics in 1982, but dropped "olympic" from the title after USOC sued.

The Supreme Court said the USOC can withhold permission to use the name, even if it does so in a way that discriminates against homosexuals.

The ruling gives the USOC free rein, said ACLU lawyer Susan McGreivy. "It can allow rats and cockroaches to compete, but goodness help us if we have young gays competing."

Illinois Legislature OKs AIDS Testing

Springfield, III [Milw. Journal]- AIDS tests would be required for prisoners, hospital patients and couples seeking marriage licenses under a bill passed June 27th by the General Assembly and sent to the governor.

The proposal won final approval on a 38-16 vote in the Senate. It had been passed earlier by the House.

Gov. James R. Thompson has indicated he favors premarital testing for the AIDS virus, but hasn't stated a position on the measure's other provisions.

The marriage-testing proposal, expected to affect 200,000 people annually, was barely debated, but the prisoner-testing plan drew fire from lawmakers who claimed it could cost as much as \$60 million a year to test and segregate prisoners infected with the virus that causes acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

Teen's AIDS-Related Quarantine Reversed

Pensacola, FL [Windy City Times]- A Florida Judge on June 16 vacated a previous order to quarantine a 14-year-old boy because he had tested positive for antibodies to HIV, the suspected AIDS virus. The move was requested by the Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, which had earlier taken action to quarantine the boy after he had unsuccessfully attempted suicide. The department's reversal was prompted by negotiations with National Gav Rights Advocates, the California-based public interest legal organization. Benjamin Schatz, Director of NGRA's AIDS Civil Rights Project, commented, "This was a textbook example of AIDS hysteria and abuse of power by a state health department.

The department had tried to justify quarantine by pointing to rumors that the boy was sexually active and stayed out late at night near gay bars. Yet the department did not seek to educate the boy about AIDS or safe sex. Instead, they quarantined him without a hearing and without notifying his family."

During the period of quarantine, Schatz was able to have several conversations with the boy and his mother. From these conversations, Schatz learned that authorities had refused to allow the boy to meet with a representative of a local AIDS service organization or with a minister from the local Metropolitan Community Church.

Minn. Inmate with AIDS Found Guilty

Minneapolis, MN [Milw. Sentinel]- A prison inmate who bit two guards after testing positive for the AIDS virus was found guilty of two counts of assault with a deadly and dangerous weapon — this mouth and teeth.

It apparently was the first assault case in which a person with the virus has been Continued on page 5 Wilderness Way

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convicted in an attempt to purposely infect another person.

The jury found James V. Moore, 44, of New York City, guilty after deliberating three hours. Moore was accused of biting guards at the Federal Medical Center in Rochester in January.

Neither guard has tested positive for the AIDS virus.

Lifestyle Condoms Are First in Gay Media

[Riverdell]- Ansell-Americas, maker of Lifestyles condoms, has become the first major national condom manufacturer to place advertising in gay publications. Full page ads appeared in the Gay Pride issues of ten major gay newspapers: The New York Native, Bay Windows (Boston), The Washington Blade, Philadelphia Gay News, The Weekly News (Miami), The Montrose Voice (Houston), The Dallas Voice, Windy City Times (Chicago), Frontiers (Los Angeles), and The Bay Area Reporter (San Francisco).

The company's president, John Silverman, explained that Ansell-Americas' marketing strategy initially targeted national media which had refused to carry condom advertising in order to get the message about using condoms out to the broadest possible cross-section of the population. Now that this has been achieved, the second phase of the company's strategy calls for an outreach to specific "target populations," such as women, blacks, Hispanics, teenagers and the gay community. This phase will actually get underway this fall, when Ansell intends to undertake a more extensive and continual advertising effort in the gay media for their LifeStyles brand. In the interim, these first gay media ad placements for LifeStyles were approved in order to take advantage of the increased readership of the major city gay newspapers during Gay and Lesbian Pride celebrations.

Over 50 major gay newspapers across the country have run editorials recently criticising the major condom companies for their homophobia and insensitivity in refusing to include gay publications in their adver-

tising buys. Carter-Wallace (manufacturers of Trojans) and Schmid (manufacturers of Ramses and Shiek) both still refuse to schedule advertising in gay media despite this criticism.

Boston to Mail Koop Report

Boston [Windy City Times]- Following the lead of Rep. Gerry Studds (D-Mass.), the city of Boston last month announced that sometime this summer it will mail copies of the U.S. Surgeon General's AIDS report to each of the city's 250,000 households. Mayor Raymond Flynn said the effort was an attempt to "supplant fear with facts." After six months of foot-dragging on distribution of the controversial report by the federal government. Studds had taken the initiative last month in mailing the report to each and every one of his constituency households in a singlehanded effort to stimulate distribution of the report, which details facts and safe sex practices to halt the spread of AIDS.

Harsh Texas AIDS Bill Enacted

Austin, TX [Windy City Times]- AIDS carriers deemed a threat to the public could be ordered quarantined by a state judge under a bill that has cleared the Texas Legislature. Under the bill sent to Gov. Bill Clements, AIDS would be classified as a reportable communicable disease. Physicians, hospitals and other health officials would have to report positive test results to the Texas Health Department. Persons with AIDS facing court-ordered isolation would have the same legal rights as people involved in mental health commitment procedures. Provisions to require HIV anti-body testing for marriage licenses was struck from the bill by the Texas Senate along with provisions that would have required the Texas Department of Corrections to test every incoming inmate.

Colorado Law Provides for Confinement

Denver [Windy City Times]- Colorado Gov. Roy Romer has announced the formation of a state AIDS "advisory Continued on page 6

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council" headed by the state's insurance lobby, and has signed into law House Bill 1177, which declares HIV a communicable disease, and requires hospitals, doctors and medical laboratories to report cases of HIV infection to the public health department for contact tracing. The bill, signed into law on June 8, further states:"When investigating HIV infection, state and local health departments within their local jurisdictions may inspect and have access to medical and laboratory records relevant to the investigation of HIV infection." H.B. 1177 also authorizes health officers to seek cease and desist orders which would allow for the mandatory testing and confinement for up to 72 hours of anyone considered at high risk for HIV. The bill allows the state to enact "the least restrictive measures" on anybody who tests positive for HIV antibodies and is considered a continued risk to others.

The bill, which also calls for AIDS education, is not attached with any fiscal impact and therefore provides no funding for any of its provisions. The state is only selectively following up on contact tracing, according to Tom Witte, director of the Colorado Coalition for Political Responsibility. "What they are doing is following up on cases in bisexual men and straight people. They have pretty much written off the gay community," Witte said.

Times Ad Deplores Court's Decision

[GLAAD]- Marking the first anniversary of the Supreme Court's 5-4 decision holding that the Constitution does not protect private sexual conduct of consenting adults of the same sex, the Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation, Inc.

(GLAAD) placed a full-page ad in the New York Times deploring the ruling.

Nearly 300 law professors and professionals, including Yale Law School Dean Guido Calabresi, Alan Dershowitz, and Ira Glasser of the American Civil Liberties Union signed the open letter to the Supreme Court protesting the Bowers v. Hardwick decision.

"The majority failed to explain," the letter says, "how the Constitution can be deemed to protect the liberty to use contraceptives, to have an abortion if one chooses, to use pornography in one's home, and to live with whom one wishes — but not the liberty to engage in the most intimate and personal relations with another consenting adult." The letter declared that "the majority opinion poses a grave threat to the constitutional freedoms of all Americans, gay and non-gay alike."

Public opinion polls have shown that a substantial majority of the American people disagree with the Court's decision. The open letter urged readers to tell the Court they opposed the decision and to send the advertisement to Justice Lewis F. Powell, Jr., who was the swing vote in the 5-4 decision, to alert him to the continuing unpopularity of the decision.

The full-page advertisment is the first ever taken by a non-profit gay and lesbian organization in the New York Times, according to Gerald Malis, who coordinated GLAAD's effort marking the first anniversary of the decision.

Those who want to let the Supreme Court know their opinion of Bowers v. Hardwick can write directly to Hon. Lewis F. Powell, Jr., United States Supreme Court, One First Street N.E., Washington, D.C., 20543.

GROUP NOTES

Lambda Rights Network Fights Rawhide

[Lambda Rights Network]- Discrimination towards gays and lesbians reared its ugly head on June 22, 1987 through State Sen. Joseph Leean of Waupaca reintroduction of the "Rawhide" Amendment to the Wisconsin Legislature. Once again, Leean and others are trying to water down the only State non-dscimination code in the United States by giving an exemption to Rawhide Boys Ranch and other similar non-profit institutions with reference to employment practices. Sponsors have even tried burying the measure in the annual budget bill.

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In essense this amendment to Wisconsin Law will allow all non-profits to have the same protection as established religious institutions to discriminate in hiring. Rawhide, which is spearheading this campaign to change Wisconsin's non-discrimination laws, is a state-funded residential treatment center designed to rehabilitate male juvenile deliquents. Last year alone, Rawhide Boys Ranch received \$525,000 in Wisconsin tax dollars.

Lambda Rights Network (LRN), a Milwaukee based coalition of community groups and concerned individuals, has been organizing locally to fight this proposed legislation. Recently, LRN and the Cream City Business Association co-sponsored the appearance of Minnesota State Representative Karen Clark, who spoke on the national impact of "the Rawhide Amendment."

Most recently, the Lambda Rights Network notified its supporters of the introduction of Senate Bill 301 and is coordinating a legislative write-in program to urge the defeat of this negative legislation (a version of which easily passed the Wisconsin Senate last year.)

Targeted legislators from the Milwaukee area include State Senator John Plewa and Representatives Grobschmidt, Krusick and Rutkowski. LRN is also urging all citizens to contact suburban and rural legislators to urge defeat of SB301. According to LRN Co-Chairs Julie Kleppin and Ralph F. Navarro, "Immediate and strong defeat of SB301 will telegraph a clear message to all those who wish to return Wisconsin to an era of open discrimination in employment, that Wisconsin will not turn back the clock!"

For more information about the work of LRN, or how you can be of assistance, call Ralph Navarro at 445-5552. To contact your legislator, even if you aren't sure who s/he is, call the Legislative Hotline at 1-800-362-9696.

Rods & Fest City Singers Win Parade Awards

Milwaukee's own Fest City Singers received the "Special Judges Award" from

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the Gay and Lesbian Pride Week Committee for their float in the 17th annual Chicago Gay Pride Parade with an estimated crowd of 60,000 participants and viewers. The Singers were garbed in ethnic customes presenting Milwaukee as a city of ethnic festivals, and underscoring their own choice of names for the singing group. They tossed over 1,000 buttons into the crowd watching the parade as it travelled down Chicago's Broadway.

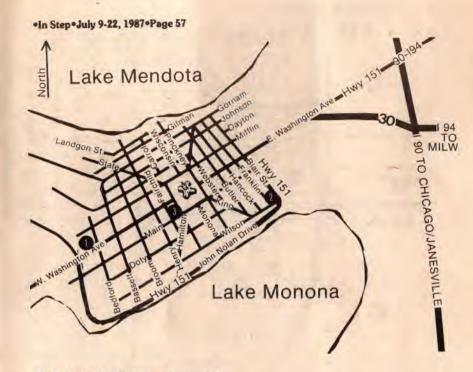
Rod's and The New Bar and the rest of Madison's Hotel Washington again were awarded a prize this year. Last year their monstrous re-creation of the Hotel Washington ambled down the street and into the judges heart. This year they were again judged among the best with their entry of a huge globe of the world.

Congratulations to both Wisconsin entries and to all those from The Gay Rights State that participated in the march. (See this issue for pictures!)

Cream City Foundation Funds Gay Cable TV

[CCF]- An initial \$3,000 grant has been approved for Milwaukée's Tri-Cable Network to fund the kick-off of a monthly TV series for Milwaukee's Gay and Lesbian Community, by the Cream City Foundation.

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Gay & Lesbian Teens Group (Peer Support Group) (608) 255-8582

Madison Gay Theatre Project P.O. Box 726, 53701 (608) 251-6489

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- To increase volunteers' participation.
- To continue and expand coordination of services with other appropriate public or private service providers to deliver better and more services to our clients.
- To plan, organize, and conduct educational events in Madison and Dane County.
- To upgrade and maintain a resource library.

Madison AIDS Support Network

P.O.Box 731, Madison, WI 53701-0731 608/255-1711

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Rodney played "mother sow" as he suckled his young (Kraig).





Kraig, Karl, Joey and Rick in Rod's Miracle Thespian production of "Three Little Piggies".

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Karen[Jo'Dees]: Hope you had a great birthday party. The gang from Jo'Dees.

ED: Belated Happy Birthday to you. Your Sister.

Magi: Thank you for the cooling system.In

Mamma Whiz: You are the true "Belle of Chicago." Next year, I promise, we'll take a cab! Love, You know who.

Charlotte Lorraine, Vanessa, Rhonda Mae: What a week this has been! This town isn't the same since you left. Here's looking forward to the next "Reunion." Make it soon! Love always, Bobby

Vince[FCS]: No more "panty raids." Well, maybe sometimes!

A Fellow Traveler to Chicago

Tim Kraetch[FCS]: "The Hills are alive with the sound of cowbells!"

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Mark W: Any Gas in the car? The Lil One.

Krib C: Say Hi to Lee for me. Lil B[Phoenix]

Milwaukee: To all of you who supported us at our June 6th fundraiser which sent us to Chicago to represent Milwaukee in the Chicago Gay Pride Parade — a heartfelt Thank You! Our award is dedicated to all of you for your continued support and belief in our efforts. Bob Kozminski, G.M., FCS

Sleepy: Here's what I think of Mr. Bush! 2777772.... Geraldine F.

Connie & Char: Now life is easier. I can breath! 2 Stories-up.

Milwaukee: We'd like to thank everyone who participated, donated their time & resources to make our MAP fundraiser a success, \$805.45 was raised. Rosie, Mint II

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fund the first six shows which should begin in August or no later than September '87. Mark Behar and Bryce Clark are the Executive Producers of Tri-Cable (so named after the pink triangles Gays were forced to wear by Hitlerite Germany in World War II).

The Programs will be of a magazine format in order to give ample attention to the many aspects of our area's Gay Life. Shows will feature segments, on Health, Athletics, Special Events, Humor, Women's Events and Editorials. The program is expected to reach the closeted and straight communities as well as the "out and about" community.

In working out the Grant both The Foundation and Tri-Cable felt that the Gay Community with over 30 active organizations has an important story to tell. It was thought that few persons realize the wide variety of non-bar activities that go on every night in athletics, cultural, social and educational activities.

While the initial Grant of \$3,000 is for six shows, the Foundation has plans underway to raise additional funds to keep the program on the air.

"It will take some experimentation to settle on the proper format and to find the right time slot to gain maximum viewership," said Bryce Clark Co-Producer, "so it will take six programs to work out all the aspects of the possibilities the program offers."

"This is a major step forward for our Community," said Bob Melig. Development Chairman for the Foundation, "This program exactly meets the needs of our Mission Statement to fund new programs that provide out-reach to the wider community," he continued.

The \$3,000 is the single largest grant given by the Foundation to any group. "We feel that the idea of regular programming is so important that beyond the grant, the Board has voted to find ways and means to keep the programs going," said Don Schwamb, Foundation President.

Tri-Cable has become a part of the Foundation and will participate in Community calandering and other programs in order to build a wider possibility for

segments to the program.

The Cream City Foundation raises monies in the Gay and Lesbian Community and disburses those funds in a focused way to recognized non-profit Gay organizations to build Community through new and out reach programs. The foundation was founded in 1982.

M.A.P. Fest '87 Seeks Entertainers, Vendors

The Milwaukee AIDS Project's 2nd annual MAPfest will again be held on Labor Day, September 7th. MAPfest is a block party situated on Milwaukee's South 2nd Street between National and Walkers Street's, also encompassing two large parking losts. The fest grounds are then filled with games, food and entertainment.

This year, for the first time, MAPfest will have 8 hours of continuous entertainment from 2 to 10pm. If you are interested in performing at this worthwhile event, please contact Tom Boll at the MAP Office, 273-2437 by July 13th to reserve a slot.

Organizations and businesses are encouraged to participate by sponsoring a food booth, game, or entertainment area. It's an excellent opportunity to raise money for both yourself and still assist the Milw. AIDS Project in raising money for its work. If you are interested in sponsoring a booth or game, but are short on ideas, the MAPfest committee is full of suggestions. MAPfest committee members will be glad to assist you with electrical hookups, acquiring tents and tables and renting equipment. There is a \$25 concession fee and 20% of your proceeds from the day must go to M.A.P. Interested? Call-the MAP office at 273-2437 for detailed information.

1st Anniversary of Calandering

[CCF]- What? Community Calandering! That's a monthly gathering of the Communities major organizations at which organizations in town get together to avoid conflicts on dates for special events and activities.

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In December of 1986, the Milwaukee AIDS Project [MAP] was serving 15 clients. That number quickly rose to 50 clients, and a reevaluation of the direction of the individual committees which make up LCS. Under the leadership of Cheryl Vaughn, MAP's Case Worker, LCS has expanded and refined its community goals. To achieve those goals, MAP relies on the heart and drive of its many volunteers.

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One of the most important aspects of LCS is the Buddy brigade. A buddy is a link between a person living with AIDS/ARC and MAP. A buddy is a friend, a supporter, a talk on the phone when needed. So that they can provide the best possible emotional and psychological support and friendship, all buddies go through an intense training program. But LCS is more then buddies too.

To ensure clients have access to the most up to date information available, LCS formed a Research Group. Its purpose is to review and distribute current AIDS literature. That information is then cataloged and put in the AIDS Library/Resource Center, where it is available to any interested individual. It also provides a basis for our MAP Rap, MAP's newsletter to volunteers, clients, and "friends of MAP."

To keep the life in living, the LCS Social Activity Committee has been newly established to coordinate pool parties, dinners, tailgate parties and other "fun" events. Other volunteers coordinate transportation, food, and hospital visits.

Without the generous committment of time and energy of LCS volunteers, many of the essential needs of MAP's clients living with AIDS/ARC could not be met. Continued on page 16

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11:45	Spurs v. Le Cage Blueboys
1:00	M&M v. 219 Neon Knights

2:15 Neon Knights v. Gay St./CCBA

3:30 WR Wings v. YP Flamingos

4:45 Raiders v. Wings

Lower Diamond

10:30 Le Cage Blueboys v. Hotlegs

11:45 Hotlegs v. Beer Garden I

1:00 Gay St./CCBA v. Beer Garden II

2:15 Beer Garden II v. M&M

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JOCK SHORTS

Benefit SSBL Picnic & All Star Games July 11

The Saturday Softball Beer League will sponsor a Picnic during the regularly scheduled games on Saturday July 11. Food, beer and soda will be available starting at noon. All proceeds will go to the SSBL to help sponsor a men's and women's team to go to San Francisco in September to represent Milwaukee in the two Gay World Series.

Following the regularly scheduled games on July 11, 2 All Star Games will be held. At 5:00, the recreational division will have 4 players per team participate. Players from The Wreck Room Spurs, Hot Legs, Gay St. Station/CCBA, and Beer GArden Hot Shots will challenge players from M&M, Club 219, La Cage and Beer Garden II. Bob Whalley of the Spurs and Bill Conklin of the M&M will manage the 2 All Star Teams.

At 6:15, 6 players from each of the competitive teams will play. The Wreck Room Wings and Ball Game will go up against the Raiders and YP. Dan Durst of the Wings and Steve Hropom of the Raiders will match strategy as managers. It promises to be a lot of fun, so make your plans now to come out to Mitchell Park on July 11th and cheer on your favorite All Star.

SSBL Fundraiser

Sunday, July 12, Hot Legs will sponsor a fund raiser for the SSBL. At 6:00, following the Circus Parade, the team will have a casino night. There will be plenty of fun, prizes, and surprises, so let's see a lot of people (Players and fans) at Hot Legs following the parade.

Madison Midwest Volleyball Tourney

The Madison Volleyball Group's annual Madison Midwest Volleyball Tournament will be held July 24-25-26. The tournament is sanctioned by the North American Gay Volleyball Alliance (NAGBA) and will be held in conjunction with Madison's MAGIC Picnic.

Registration for the tournament will be held Friday, July 24 at The New Bar. Volleyball play will begin Saturday morning at 7:30 am at West High School, 30 Ash Street, and will continue through 4 pm. Sunday play begins at 7:30 am at the school, with semi-finals beginning at approximately 1:30. The finals will be followed by an awards presentation. Standard USVBA rules will apply and teams from the following cities were registered as of In Step's deadline: Madison, Chicago, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Cincinnatti, East Lansing, and San Antonio.

The public is more than welcome to come and cheer on your favorite team, or city. For last minute information regarding the tourney, call the Tournament Director, Jeff at 608-251-8716.

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Schedule

July 11 Upper Diamond 10:30 WR Spurs v. Raiders 11:45 Raiders v. Hotlegs

1:00 219 Neon Knights v. Le Cage Blue B.

2:15 Beer Garden Iv. Neon Knights

3:30 Ballgame v. WR Wings

Lower Diamond

10:30 Hotlegs v. YP Flamingos

11:45 Flamingos v. Spurs

1:00 Beer Garden II v. Beer Garden I

2:15 Blueboys v. Beer Garden II 3:30 Gay St./CCBA v. M&M Club

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Because of an ever increasing case load, Life Care Services is in constant need of new and energetic volunteers. If you are interested in becoming a LCS volunteer, please give them a call at 273-2437 and sign up for the next volunteer orientation.

Wisconsin AIDS Update

[In Step]- There were 10 deaths due to AIDS in Wisconsin during the month of June, bringing the total number of deaths this year to 42, and a total of 117 since 1982, according to the state Division of health.

For all of last year, the department reported 53 AIDS-related deaths reflecting the higher number of cases being reported in the state.

Thirteen new confirmed cases of AIDS were reported last month, and since 1982 a total of 188 cases have been reported.

Of the 188 total state cases, 151 have been gay or bisexual males.

The Mint II and Boot Camp Host Benefits

The Mint II produced more than coins at their fundraising Dinner and rummage sale on Sunday June 14th. To be exact they raised \$805.25 for M.A.P.. The highlights of the day were the luscious deserts and some of the unique rummage items, (which I wouldn't admit came from my closet either). Something old, something new, something tasty, something blue; all of which made for a hot-time.

On Sunday June 28th the Boot Camp put its best foot forward. Si and Milwaukee's leather community showed its heart and sole at a Gay Pride week celebration and raffle. \$628 worth of raffle tickets were sold for the grand prize, a 19 inch color TV, however most of the attention was focused on the bar TV where a video of the 1987 Mr. International Leather Contest was playing. Those chaps certainly know how to throw a party!

To The Mint II and The Boot Camp a well deserved thank you from M.A.P.



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Milwaukee News Media." The program videotaped Koop's responses to questions asked by reporters from the Gay/Lesbian and mainstream media at a press conference held at St. Joseph's Hopital. The 42 minute program will be cablecast on Milwaukee Channel 14 (MATA public access) on these dates: Sunday, July 19, 9pm; Wednesday, August 12, 8 pm; and Thursday, September 10, 6 pm.

"Surgeon General Koop Talks About AIDS" is the 6th program produced by Milwaukee Gay/Lesbian Cable since October, 1986. Past programs have included "Selected Scene's from Clavis Theatre's Production of Larry Kramer's 'The Normal Heart';" "Out of All Time;" "1987 Annual Awards of the Cream City Business Association:" "State of the Gay & Lesbian Union," and "A Question of Justice: Minnesota Representative Karen Clark Talk's About the Challenge to Wisconsin's Gav Right's Law." Many of the featured speakers at Convention '87 of the National Association of Black & White Men Together at Milwaukee's Park East Hotel June 28-July 5 will be videotaped in conjunction with Madison producer David Runyon of Nothing To Hide Network. In addition, Milwaukee Gay/Lesbian Cable producers actively cooperate with and assist the Milwaukee AIDS Project "AIDS in Milwaukee" series.

Tri-Cable Network is the newly suggested name for the Milwaukee Gay /Lesbian Cable Network's soon to be produced monthly 1/2 hour series on Milwaukee's exciting Gay & Lesbian Community. "Tri-Cable" reflects a considerable effort on the part of many different people "trying" to portray the talent, color and diversity of our community. Milwaukee Gay & Lesbian Cable and Tri-Cable Network are always seeking creative and energetic women and men of all backgrounds for obtaining free videotape and studio training from Milwaukee Access Telecommunications Authority (MATA) in preparation for working on our programs. Contact Mark Behar, 414/277-7671.



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Calandering has been going on for a full year and a special meeting to celebrate that fact will be held on July 14th at 7pm. To celebrate all 19 original participants at that first meeting, their replacements if any and any organization that has not had representation are being invited to celebrate the event.

The advent of Calandering was a major step forward for the Community and filled a basic need. Many events have been assured full attendance because members have not had to decide which of two major events to attend.

It was a major step also, because it marked the first time all the major organizations were able to set up a system to meet each other, get to know each other and pull together in this way.

At the first meeting the Cream City Foundation was asked to serve as Facilitator — finding a meeting site, arranging dates and notifying everyone. Also the Foundation as a Community service was asked to publish a calendar of non-bar events to better inform the community.

The Foundation set aside \$1200 as a community service grant to accomplish this.

At the July 14th meeting it is hoped that new ideas on how to make the program better and more effective can be discussed. The Foundation is stressing that any organization can participate as long as they are Gay or Lesbian. For details call Foundation President Don Schwamb at 276-2204.

The Calandering group is a purely voluntary monthly gathering of representatives of Gay and Lesbian groups. It has no officers, no dues, or by-laws. Free expression of Community concerns are encouraged as well as fellowship between all our Community leadership.

Gay/Lesbian Cable Network

Milwaukee Gay/Lesbian Cable & Tri-Cable announced upcoming dates for cablecast of "U.S. Surgeon General C. Evertt Koop Talks About AIDS With Continued on page 49



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REVIEW V

The History of Sexuality

By Kevin Michael

It was both with an avid interest and the chance for a return to the original Factory space that is now home to Theatre X that I recently attended a performance/presentation of The History of Sexuality — An Investigation. The title comes from the book by French philosopher, Michel Foucault. What we viewed here were aspects of a year long investigation by Theatre X and others in conjunction with New City Theatre in Seattle. The play itself will be given its world premiere in Seattle in September and its Milwaukee premiere

Among those who contributed to the development of this presentation was Ginger Spice, 219 Show Director. In John Schneider's words, "We practiced being men and women: Ginger Spice helped us with that." Ginger's help was clearly in evidence and the cross dressing of both men and woman in women and men's clothes clearly blurred sexual lines and raised significant questions.

next year in April.

Mary Ewald's punk rock rendition of Cole Porter's "Anything Goes" too made a definitive comment. Her later "Our Love is Here to Stay" would have been more effective as the antithesis of the above to provide further contrast. I perceived more a Monroe-like delivery a la Some Like It Hot in presentation.

The inclusion of a segment with the risk of suffocation from auto-erotic asphyxiation was both enlightening and frightening. The little known practice too many in the public are unaware of was handled well and dramatically.

However, the lack of any mention of the AIDS crisis was blatantly evident. Also too other than a video interview with a Black man, there was little multicultrual or ethnic evidence of examination of either stereotypes or perspectives included.

The video interviews added a clear dimension. Those interviewed were asked to define both "sex" and "sexuality." The answers were clearly interesting. Many could make no distinction one from the

other. Can you?

In terms of actual theatrical presentation, two sections clearly worked well. One dealt with readings from "sexperts" in a timed fashion by a panel. If anything, it showed that many of the "sexperts" are as confused about the above meaning distinctions as are many of the public. Also, of interest was a series of disjointed dialogue sessions with three of the actors. All three were talking, and at the same time, but no communication or dialogue developed. A most pointed comment on many "sharings" in the sexual arena.

The presentation also included two short films. Makeover dealt with Renee Kotter, a hermaphrodite, and his/her sexual experiences and personal development. Additional interviews with Renee paired with Schneider's personal discovery of his own body and a variety of art poses created significant thought in observation.

Each evening included a speaker or interviews with community professionals. On the evening I attended, a manuscript penned by Laurentia Bembeneck was shared. She made some very poignant observations about her case and subsequent conviction based on media preconceptions of her sexuality. Said she, "You don't know me..." and she was right.

Following, I was able to view A Museum of Sexuality which was an exhibition of over 90 artists in conjunction with the Theatre X presentation. It was provocative and thought provoking. Also as part of the presentation/project, a symposium "Power and Pleasure: Sexuality Then and Now," was offered. I felt bad that being out of town, I would be unable to participate. It seemed like such a good culmination.

I have to mention that the performance/presentation was something for which I did not have an immediate response. My friend with whom I shared the experience and I felt we had to process much of the performance/presentation following our viewing of it. It was not the traditional faire of theatrical experience. In fact, I needed a number of days before writing this column to continue to process and re-examine the piece. With this as perhaps part of a preview, I can't wait to see the Milwaukee premiere in April.

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Wally agrees and gets in the car, once inside letting go with a real stinky one, they both roll down their windows. The first evening in the city sees Wally and Juan preparing themselves to attend a drag ball with Juan as Samson and Wally as Delilah! The next thing we know, "Juan's hands and lips had repulsed him... Juan had a big fat boner and Wally threw up..."

Juan takes Wally into his decorating business and by the end of the first week Wally is edgey and impatient — so much so that he kills Juan, by crunching his head with a hundred pounds of fabric swatches. The police rule his death as justifiable homocide and Wally takes over the decorating business. Knowing nothing about interior design he loses all his clients by getting all his decorating ideas from Sears.

Depressed and lonely Wally goes out to look for new and exciting experiences. He runs into Larry Numbnuts in the patio furniture section at Sears. After Wally explains that he's a failed interior decorator Larry says, "...I'm one of the twelve highest paid gay male whores in New York City, you silly little bitch." Wally goes to work with Larry and the other eleven highest paid gay male whores in NYC. His first night is one of training with Larry and the next eleven nights he spends with each of the other boys so he will be well versed in the art of making love. I will omit these scenes from this review.

However, Wally's farting persists and I can tell you about those. He had three juicy ones, about seven loud petite ones and others too numerous to describe.

The remainder of the book, one erotic scene and another fart, followed by another erotic scene and another, etc. etc..., I will leave for the reader to traverse alone — as Wally engages in such "new experiences" as few of our readers have ever read before.

Wally's long and hard and pulsating journey through the world of lust and farts without love does culiminate in a tragic scene of brutality in accident involving Larry and a tightly imbeded butt plug. Hardly a literary classic, this book will hold your attention from beginning to end.



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We picked these familiar faces out of the crowds watching Chicago's 17th annual Gay Pride Parade.

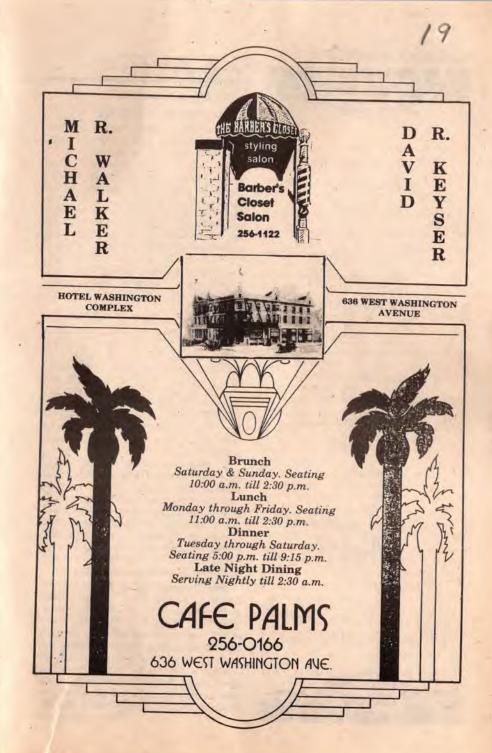








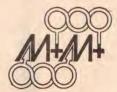
There weren't familiar faces, but we didn't think you'd mind looking at the subjects.



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THE ARTS

Theatre Tesseract Announces Season

Milwaukee- Theatre Tesseract, Milwaukee's off-Broadway-style theatre company, announced it's fifth season of four hit shows. Leading off the season will be the highly popular, recent Broadway success Noises Off. Tesseract will also present two off-Broadway smashes: A...My Name is Allce and The Common Pursuit. Also under consideration if rights are unavailable for The Common Pursuit, are Sea Marks and Seascape with Sharks and Dancer. Making it's U.S. debut will be the exciting international endeavor Damn Tango! All are Milwaukee Premieres! Season tickets are available now for these four superb shows.

Noises Off, by Michael Frayn, Sept. 1-Oct. 17- A smash hit on London's West End and New York's Broadway, in which audiences have the rare opportunity to witness actors wildly fumble from backstage to onstage — and back again. Voices rise and trousers fall in this pulverizingly funny farce. Tesseract's own Sister Mary, Jennifer Lerner, returns once again to direct the show after her critical acclaim for her direction of the two man tour de force, Greater Tuna.

A.. My Name Is Alice, Musical Review conceived by Joan Micklin Silver and Julianne Boyd, Dec. 10- Jan. 9- This zesty five-woman song and dance review is about all kinds of women vivaciously and confidently taking on the world. Staging and choreographing the show, will be Wisconsin favorite, Pam Kriger. A Skylight Comic Opera veteran, A...My Name Is Alice, marks Ms. Kriger's Tesseract debut.

Damn Tango, Music by Janusz Tylman, Lyrices by Andrzej Ozga, Libretto by Helena Dynerman, based on a novel by Manuel Puig, Feb. 18-March 12- After her unanimous critical success with last season's Coming Attractions, director Helena Dynerman returns from Poland to restage her adaptation of Manel Puig's Argentine novel, Damn Tango. Twenty-three tangos were commissioned for this expressionistic ritual of love and death. Puig is also the Continued on page 24

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A wide assortment of Wisconsin businesses and oganizations joined in Chicago's annual Gay Pride Parade.

kThe Hotel Washington's float won the Gay Pride Committee's "Best Use of Theme in a Float" award.



The Fest City Singers won "Judges Choice" award at Chicago's Gay Pride Parade.



ROD'S BARTENDER EXCHANGE WITH THE WRECK ROOM!!!

On Tuesday, July 14, the bartenders from the NEW Wreck Room in Milwaukee will join us for an evening of fun and celebration! Joining them in all this gaiety will be Al from Y.P. — another fun lover! Come see them work their stuff behind our front and rear bars! See Wreck Room bartenders for details on the bus trip to Madison.

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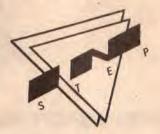
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by W.W. Wells III

"Hot Summer Reading: A Book Review"

An Ortfice Named Desire; by Harry P. Ness (Available through Sticky Thighs Book Guild; \$19.99).

This is the story of Wally Weenie, his fall from grace (Hetrosexuality, you know, like enjoying having sex with women and licking them all over and stuff, how repulsive!), his journey through a living hell (Homosexuality, without love or sex) and his redemption (Homosexuality with love, sex, track lighting and lots of fresh flowers). The story opens with Wally sitting high upon his lifeguard perch at the Middleville Country Club in his skin tight purple trunks with his legs spread wide and Wally emitting a long stream of explosive farts caused by a recently consumed chili-dog. As usual, our hero is a blond adonis, flat stomached, bulging muscles and a radiating sex appeal. He has but three faults; his constant farting, bad teeth and no brains.

The host for the party Wally is oversee-

ing is Juan-Moore Tyme, formerly of Middleville but now one of NYC's most famous interior decorators, who is showing all those small town hicks how to throw a piss elegant party. Wally notes that he has, "...Never seen a more repulsive man. His face was extraordinarily wimpish. He was short... Has big feet and kinda smells... He gives the impression he's stupid and rude.. really bald... a man of be avoided at all costs..."

Wally goes to the locker room and farts quite loudly in the presence of his steady girl Kitty, who promptly passes out from the odor, has a swim trying to avoid Juan-Moore Tyme, who keeps telling Wally that he's like a submarine, long hard and full of seaman, drives into town and sees his father's floral shop burning to the ground with his father and girl friend inside; collapses with grief and fear with cries of "What am I going to do now? Another day shot to hell." Juan-Moore Tyme drives by and yells in a nellie voice, "I insist that you return to New York with the "Continued on page 47"

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writer of the award winning Kiss of the Spider Woman.

The Common Pursuit' by Simon Gray. April 14-May 7- Time may heal all but it also exposes all, and Gray's brilliant new drama shows us that with wit, style and sadness. Directing will be one of Milwaukee's most gifted young directors, Brad Trexell of Tesseract's 'Night Mother and Strange Snow. If rights are unavailable for The Common Pursuit, Tesseract's spring offering will be one of these two outstanding plays: Sea Marks, by Gardner McKay-A grand romance about a man and woman who share a love of words, but are rooted to two very different places - he to a harsh island in the Atlantic, she to a city. Seascape With Sharks and Dancer, by Don Nigro. A fascinating portrait of a man and woman caught in a tangle of love and need. Inventive language and keen psychology distinguish this drama of a vulnerable young man who pulls a drowning girl out of the sea.

Theatre Tesseract is offering these four outstanding productions at a subscription rate. Season tickets are available for \$24 to \$30. Call 273-PLAY.

Milw. Players Announce Plays for 57th Season

The Milwaukee Players, in their upcoming 57th season of theatrical entertainment, will present four plays which all relate to the theme of acting or what it means to be a performer, according to Dale Gutzman the Director of the Milwaukee Players. All performances will be at the Pabst Theatre.

Barnum, by Cy Colman and Mark Branble, November 5-8, 1987. This award winning musical comedy is about the world's greatest showman and performer, P.T. Barnum. A Broadway hit for over two years, this energetic, optimistic musical about the "Prince of Humbug" presents the art of flim-flam at its best.

The Beauty Part, by S.S. Perelman will be presented January 28-31, 1988. This wild, laugh filled farce and sattre features twelve actors in over a Hundred different roles. Written by the man who scripted many Marx Brothers films, The Beauty Part was originally created for Bert Lahr.

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while men are aggressive, strong and analytical. We know, and prove by our being, that human emotions and behavior is much more complex than the heterosexual model can accommodate in its structure. We are certainly no stereotypes, rather the opposite is true. We are, each of us, a unique blend of many traits, emotions, and behaviors.

Think about it — if we are individually unique, so are the people we love. Yet, when we fall in love, we float easily into the heterosexual model of marriage — this model dictates that we love one person at a time. "the best," that we become one with each other, that we feel and say, "Baby, you're the best," that we suddenly have no sexual feelings for others, and that we sacrifice our individuality for the relationship.

If the heterosexual model fails us as individuals, how can we ever expect it to help structure our relationships? Yet, we continue to use their model through failure after failure. We blame ourselves, or our lovers for our failures without realizing that it is the mdoel that is the failure with its too rigid rules, and it's constricting definition of marriage.

We are unique and should allow ourselves to seek out unique structures for our relationships — structures that assume our individuality while encouraging what we want from a relationship.

It's risky to begin reinventing social structures. After all, we know what is. We've seen it work. We know its strength and its weaknesses. Reinventing is unchartered territory, it could be dangerous — we could fail and get hurt. We do anyway.

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A WOMAN'S VIEW by Linda Hendersen

Love & Divorce

My last column was entitled "Love and Marriage." I used the word "marriage" in the abstract. When I wrote of "marriage" it was to define a committed emotionally bonded relationship between two people in love rather than the more practical and illegal (for us) marriage contract.

Love is only abstract. It defies any attempt to be defined in practical terms. Love is subjective, as my column was. Love means the same in straight or gay vocabulary (although the sexual practices that grow from our love is illegal in some states).

The people we love and the reasons we love them are as complex as human nature. For every one of us who is attracted to brains, there is another that loves brawn and many more of us attracted to a myriad of combinations of intelligence, personality, looks, and values. The permutations of these traits in our lovers and in ourselves is uncountable.



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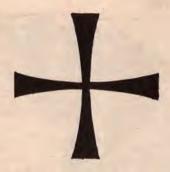
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Gay people, in particular, have the capacity and the opportunity, to be individual and unique human beings - and we are. By our very existence we are "rebels" who falunt societal convention by our choice of sexual partners. Our "outlaw" status affects our emotional growth in many positive ways.

We, more than the heterosexual population, have more personal freedom of choice about who we are and who we want to be. We do not feel as stricly bound by societal expectations for behavior or emotional development as the supposed "in" group. If we are male, we allow ourselves the freedom to express and feel those emotions society has labeled "feminine." If we are female, we experience and express our "masculine" selves

We can (and do) allow ourselves to express emotions and exhibit behaviors that weaken the argument for gender-roles. That is the argument that contends women are passive, emotional, and empathetic

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TUESDAY, JULY 21

4th Annual Miss Gay Cont. Wisconsin Pageant, Club 219- 9pm. Tickets \$7 in advance, \$9 at the door, \$45 package available (see ad for details). Contest features entertainment by — Reigning Miss Cont. U.S.A. Tandy Andrews & Current Miss Gay Cont. Wisc. — Shante.

THURSDAY, JULY 23

Back East [Madison]- Wapatuli party, \$1.50 Wapatuli.

FRIDAY, JULY 24

Rod's [Madison]- Pre-Picnic party, live DJ on patio, shot specials.

New Bar [Madison]- Registration for Volleyball Tournament.

Douglas Dunes Resort [Douglas, MI]-Annual Christmas in July Party.

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SUNDAY, JULY 26

M.N.D.C./S.E.G.W. [Stevens Point]- 2nd Annual tubing trip to Wolf River, a wet & wild party in New London. Call Ed at 715-345-1022 for further info.

Rod's [Madison]- Beer Bash, Garden Bloody Mary's, Patio cook-out, Live DJ.

Jo'Dee's Int'l [Racine]- Lip Sync Contest, 1st place \$100 cash.

Gay Biking Network [Milw]- 40 mile trip to Mequon. Meet at park (corner of Farwell & Bradford) at 11am, ride northern part of Uecker Bike Trail, call 963-9833, Bob, for info.

1101 West [Appleton]- New Mr. & Miss 1101 present "A Salute to N.Y.", showtime 10pm, "Cast of Thousands".

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Corpse, by Gerald Moon, June 9-12, 1988. Corpse is a "who will" and "how will he do it" thriller. Evelyn Farrant is an actor down on his luck who wants his wealthy twin brother murdered. A shady con man does the deed, but is the right twin dead? Corpse will be the Milwaukee premiere of the recent London hit.

Season tickets for all four plays are available now. Season ticket buyers pay substantitally less for their tickets, compared to patrons who buy tickets for each show individually, according to Virginia Hirsch, Performing Arts Coordinator for the Milwaukee Public School's, Division of Municipal Recreation and Community Education, which sponsors the Players.

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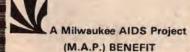
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by Ron Geiman

It's been a wonderfully hectic two weeks since the last time I tried to accumulate thoughts to write this column. The highlight had to be Chicago's Gay Pride Parade. Each year it seems to get bigger & more enjoyable. Seeing all those brothers & sisters sure has a way of charging up the old battery. Congrats to Rod's/New Bar & the rest of Madison's Hotel Washington on being award "Float best using the parade theme," and of course to the Fest City Singers float which was named "Judges Choice." Stop in our office & view our Gay Pride Parade "Wall of photos."

Scott & Extar Music introduced his "Phase One" futuristic synthesized sound at Jet's Place. The only problem was after he had just done a few numbers, were electrical & computer malfunctions, forcing him to cut his Firday night show a little short.

Congrats to Bob & Andrea Scott, the newly crowned Mr. & Miss 1101 West. Jackie 'Oh'' is back working with us, & she'll be covering events in the Appleton & Green Bay area. Shooting photos at 1101's pageant was only her second assignment, and only one photo turned out, but we'll get her whipped into shape real quick!

Rod's Daddies Day Weekend culminated in "Rod's Miracle Thespian Co.'s" annual production. This year it was "Three Little Piggies," & Rodney himself played the mother sow. Naturally, it was sick.

Cheri, of Back East reports her monthly Jock Strap Contests have been bringing 'em in, & it will all come to "a head," with Jock Strap Contest Finals during the bars anniversary celebration in September.

I missed out on Your Place's Reunion Party, bringing together Charlotte, Lorraine, Rhonda Mae & Vanessa. The princess Charlotte left town the day after, back to her home in Florida. That was the day of the Parade, and afterwards, I came back in time to see Dolly Parton at Summerfest. What a show! Take care girls — see you at the next reunion.

On June 30th, my roomies Kim, Buff, Continued on page 30





Apologies to the Pivot Club. Jackie "Oh", In Step's new photographer in the area, shot the bar's 1st "Star Images" contest, and these were the only pic's to come out!

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The W.R. (Wreck Room) celebrated its' renovations with a "You Oughta See Us Now" Party, by giving away lots of prizes.



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friend Nel & myself joined the men of BWMT in town for their annual convention, on a Lake cruise. What a great time. I sure we made some heads turn at Summerfest when the boat cruised right off the grounds.

That night Carl attended "Cora Mae's" birthday show & party at La Cage. Carl reported he had a great time even if it was a bit of a dragathon. But you just know all the girls had to do a number (or two) so they'd be in "good standing" so they would be invited back once "Dance, Dance," opens next door. The Dance should appease those looking for a large dance bar. The whole otherside of the building will be dance floor, giving Milw. a big dance bar again. The La Cage half will be the site for shows & Cabaret acts. George has told me he'd like to get to the point where every weekend night there will be entertainment in La Cage, so people will have an option to either watch the show, or go next door and dance their butts off. They'll also use less video next door than at present.

The M&M Club is having their build-

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ing's exterior restored. Who would have guessed there was Cream City Brick with Terra Cotta trim under that gray paint?

The Wreck Room's "You Gota See Us Now" Party was a great way to "reintroduce" the bar. Gone is the old Wreck Room (at least in the front bar), and in its place is the new WR. I think they did a great job, & to those who are complaining about the changes — there are 18 other bars in the city to pick from. If you haven't seen it yet — stop in & make up your own mind. The WR's annual Street/Anniversary party is Continued on page 3!



And apologies to 1101 West! This photo of Rula Lenska and Andy of 1101 tabulating results of the Mr and Miss 1101 West contest, was the only photo to turn out on the whole roll. Bob and Andrea Scott won the titles.

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1st Anniv. Community Calendering- 7pm, groups set up calendar of special events. (See article this issue's Group Notes section.)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15

Shamrock [Madison]- 2nd Anniv. Celebration, Mr. Sham-Rock Contest, grand prize value \$100 plus.

Wreck Room [Milw.]- Bartender exchange, bartenders from Madison's Rods & their friends converge on the "new" WR. See Rod's staff about bus trip to Milwaukee.)

Jo'Dees Int'l [Racine]- premiere of weekly Wed. nite Wheel of Fortune. 9:30pm starring Ms. Havanna White.

In Step Deadline-Today, 6 pm, for the July 23rd Issue #12. Call 278-7840 for info.

THURSDAY, JULY 16

Shamrock [Madison]- 2nd Anniv. Celebration "The" Anniversary, 6-8 free beer & champagne, 8pm-free buffet. 9-12pm-prize drawings every 1/2 hour.

FRIDAY, JULY 17

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SATURDAY, JULY 18

M.N.D.C./S.E.G.W.- [Stevens Point]-Center Project provides on site HIV Antibody testing at the Platwood Club from 1 to 8pm. Followed by a CPI Benefit Show with Alyson Tyler, Tanya Michaels, Andrea Scott & guests.

Douglas Dunes Resort [Douglas, MI]-Cabaret Show featuring Daphine Delight.

Who's [Green Bay]- 5th Anniv. Celebration Beer Stein Three [Milw]- Sponsored by The Beer Town Badgers.

SUNDAY, JULY 19

1101 West [Appleton]- Open at 1, show at 4, Tea Dance with live performances by Jim, Terry & Leslie. 25 cent Tap Beer & Free Hot Dogs.

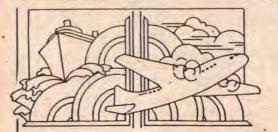
Dignity [Milw]- Special Family & Friends Mass. Everyone welcome! Bring your family and friends for mass, small social with light refreshments to follow.

Who's [Green Bay]- 5th Anniv. Celebration & crowning of the new Mr., Miss & Ms Who's.

Back East [Madison]- Mr. & Miss Gay Madison (Terry & Rosa) present a show with special guests.

Dance, Dance, Dance/La Cage- Opening tonite at 9pm, new dance bar with large dance floor & new lighting.

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Gay St. Station- Golf outing, \$12 includes golf, lunch, prizes.

Club 94 [Kenosha]- hosts "The Open Road Riders" of Chicago on their "Full Moon Ride"- a Touche' 5th Anniv. event.

M&M Club- Opening of artist Michael de la Rosa's newest creations in wood intarsia, 2pm-on.

Mitchell Park Softball Diamond [Behind the Domes]- SSBL Benefit Picnic & All Star Games — A fund raising picnic to sponsor Milwaukee teams in San Francisco Gay World Series. Picnic during regular games from noon on with food, beer, sôda, etc. All Star Recreational Division game at 5pm, & All Star Competitive Division game at 6:15.

Gay Bking Network- So. Kettle Moraine State Park. Meet at 11am at beginning of John Muir Trail, or call Brian at 332-1527 for info. Leave Milw. East Side 9:30am.

SUNDAY, JULY 12

1101 West [Appleton]- Kay & Ruby present "We hope this one starts on time" show with: Kevin, Ashley, Barbie, Stess, Eel & guest Gloria P. Hole.

Milwaukee's Great Circus Parade.

Hot Legs- "Casino Night" after the parade, fundraiser for SSBL, begins at 6pm, Black Jack, Chances, other games. Plus \$5 Beer Bust from 6 till close includes raffle ticket to win \$75, \$50, \$25 in cash.

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TUESDAY, JULY 14

Shamrock [Madison]- 2nd Anniv. Celebration, Bastille Day, 35 cent Champagne, Indoor fireworks.

Rods [Madison]- Bartender Exchange, bartenders from Milw's Wreck Room, along with YP's Uncle Al, (See WR bartenders about bus trip to Madison.)

Douglass Dunes Resort [Douglas, MI]-Dinner Cruise. Continued on page 35 oln Step July 9-22, 1987 Page 31



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coming up in the next month or so, watch In Step for the ad. And don't forget the Rod's/WR bartender exchange (see the ad this issue for details).

The Ballgame has put in a video entertainment system. It's like a video Juke Box with 3 monitors. Now you can be a DJ & program your own music.

Well that brings us up to deadline day. Too much is coming up to go into here, so be sure to check The Calendar this issue to get all the poop. I'd also like to take this opportunity to welcome all the Madison advertisers in this issue. They're gearing up for the MAGIC Weekend, complete with a Volleyball Tournament (See Jock Shorts for details). And if you're planning on attending the MAGIC Picnic on July 25th, & coming from Milwaukee — join us on In Step's MAGIC Bus (See the ad for details) — Yes, it's another In Step bar crawl, & we'll get back in time to party in Milw. before the bars close.

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