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Shanti gears up for big fundraiser



PHOTO: Dave Michelli

TUCSON - Shown above are some of the nearly 50 Shanti Foundation/Tucson volunteers who graduated from a three-day training session held at the Plaza International Hotel July 29, 30 and 31.

Shanti Foundation is a volunteer agency that provides counseling for persons facing life-threatening illness and bereavement. As the number of AIDS diagnoses steadily increases, the need to provide emotional support, patient advocacy and counseling grows. Shanti is presently in the process of remodeling project that will nearly double the office area. "This will give us a permanent space to use for groups, training sessions, meetings, counseling sessions and administrative needs," said Shanti director Natalie Perry.

All things have a cost behind them and Shanti is dependent almost entirely on donations from the community.

An annual Shanti Foundation fund raising event is scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 4 at Rumor Hazzit. The theme for this year's fundraiser is "Celebration of Life" and, as in the past, it is billed as a "Sister City Project". With the assistance of Jerry Geller and Ken Sullivan, two San Franciscans who love Tucson, this yearly benefit continues to have close ties with the San Francisco community.

"The Great San Francisco Raffle" is currently underway with a grand prize that includes a round trip airfare to San Francisco; a weekend for two at the Gough-Hayes Hotel with complimentary champagne; a 4 hour tour of San Francisco's Gay district; \$60 gift certificate at Le Domino Restaurant and a \$60 gift certificate from Leticia's Restaurant. Raffle tickets are \$3.00 each and are available at Rumor Hazzit, Graduate and Colette's as well as from Shanti volunteers.

There will be only 300 tickets sold so chances of winning are excellent. Persons need not be present at the drawing at Rumor on Sunday, Sept. 4 in order to win.

The big Benefit itself will last most of Sunday. It will begin with a video showing of "Men Behind Bars" in the early evening, during hors d'oeuvres and cocktail hour. "Men Behind Bars III" is an extravaganza put on by the Tavern Guild of San Francisco as an AIDS fundraiser. The video features about a hundred of San Francisco hunky bartenders in all kinds of performances, mostly comical, and all very, very entertaining.

A show and auction will follow during the evening. The show which will certainly be one of the most unusual that Tucson has seen in some years features "Dazzling Deb and the Dyketones" a group of Lesbian "musicians" featuring the big band sound. This group has

always received rave reviews wherever they have played.

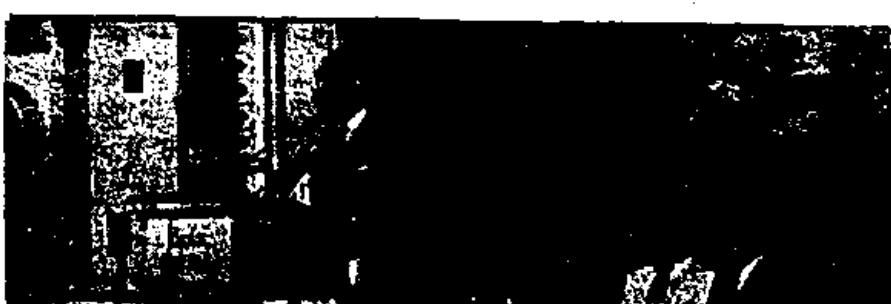
Also starring in the show will be all of Tucson's crown-holders doing what they do best - entertain. Scheduled to appear are Miss Gay Tucson I, II, and III, and IV; Miss Gay Tucson USA as well as the King and Queen of Fiesta de Mayo. Also featured will be an "All Boys Revue" which is surely going to surprise everyone.

Interspersed during the evening will be a huge auction with Arizona's premier Benefit Auctioneer, Keith Morris from Phoenix. Morris will be assisted by Aviva Diamond. Just a few of the items to be auctioned include contact lenses, leather flight jacket; custom-made jewelry; 35mm camera; T-shirts from several of San Francisco's most notorious bars, etc, etc, etc. This list is only the 'tip of the iceberg'.

And, of course, the drawing for the Great San Francisco Weekend will be held sometime during the evening. This prize alone is worth over \$750.

This year's Shanti Benefit Show and Auction promises to be the biggest ever. You are encouraged to get there early to assure good seating and bring your checkbook to pick up some great values. All the proceeds go to Shanti Foundation/Tucson. Remember, it's a "Celebration of Life".

Boston health conference update



BOSTON - Senator Ted Kennedy shown addressing the 2nd International Lesbian and Gay Health Conference & AIDS Forum held in Boston where he chided the Reagan administration for its lack of an AIDS policy and urged a response to the presidential commission's recommendations. See separate story and photos elsewhere this issue.

PHOTO: Dave Michelli - Tucson

Circle K boycott threatened

PHOENIX - As the controversy over the Circle K Corporation's plan to drop employees with AIDS from the company's health care plan, AIDS groups and Gay activists blasted the discriminatory policy.

On Tuesday, Aug. 9, a group of about 50 demonstrators picketed Circle K headquarters in Tucson. (OBSEVER, Aug. 10). Similar demonstrations took place in Salt Lake City and Albuquerque. A demonstration was to have taken place in Phoenix, Circle K's Corporate Headquarters, but the Phoenix demonstration was cancelled after Ed Buck, founder of the Recall Mecham movement, met with Circle K executives and arranged a meeting for Monday, Aug. 15. "I want to get the two sides talking," Buck said.

A group of Gay activists in Phoenix met with Buck and accused him of interfering with their cause. Buck said that this issue goes beyond the Gay community and urged the group to join with heterosexuals in working to change Circle K's policy.

Dennis Davidson, a member of United Food Commercial Workers, told the group he could add thousands of co-workers to the cause if it is not perceived as just a Gay and Lesbian issue. "The protest will work only if it's broad-based," Davidson said. "If it's not, we'll say goodbye. I don't want to do that."

The scheduled meeting on Monday with Circle K Senior Vice President Ray Cox ended after a few minutes with Cox telling Buck he had not had time to review the policy. "I said we would delay talk of a boycott, a picket or a demonstration as long as there were indicators that things were moving forward," Buck said afterward. "I do not think that this today is meaningful progress."

Buck stopped short of calling for an immediate boycott, but said he would begin advising AIDS activists in the 27 states where Circle K has convenience stores located, to start preparing such an effort.

"If someone wishes to boycott our stores, that is their choice," Cox said Monday. He defended the corporation's policy as "an equitable policy aimed at cost control".

"It's an incredibly insensitive, misinformed and outrageously discriminatory policy," said Vic Basile, Human Rights Campaign Fund (HRCF) Director. HRCF is the nation's largest AIDS and Gay civil rights political action committee and lobbying group.

"It is particularly appalling considering President Reagan has called for anti-discrimination protections and responsible AIDS

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UPDATE

CAT COMMITTEE MEETS AUG. 31

TUCSON - The Community Awards of Tucson (CAT) Committee met on Aug. 10 with 16 members present. The next meeting will be Wednesday, Aug. 31 at 7:00 p.m. and will again meet in the Board Room at Temple Emanuel, 225 N. Country Club. This next meeting will finalize the categories for the awards and the criteria for those nominated for the awards.

It was decided at the last meeting that the CAT committee would accept the proceeds of the benefit from the upcoming "Over 40's Show". This show is being produced by Be-Be-Do Productions and will be held at IBT's on Sunday, Sept. 18 starting at 8:00 p.m.

The CAT Committee will be supporting this show, so all members are urged to attend this next meeting. Look for more details in future editions of the OBSERVER.

UofA/ASU TICKETS IN RAFFLE

TUCSON - The Arizona Fellowship Committee is now sponsoring a Raffle for two tickets to the University of Arizona versus Arizona State University football game in Tucson in November. The raffle tickets are being sold for \$1.00 each and the winning ticket will receive two tickets to the football game. The drawing will be held on Nov. 12 at TRD's Beer Bust at the Graduate. When you purchase your ticket, it is important that you show your name and telephone on the raffle ticket because you will not have to be present at the drawing to win. Tickets are now on sale at the bars and will be on sale until the final drawing on Nov. 12.

The Arizona Fellowship Run for 1988 will be held on Thanksgiving Weekend... The Arizona Fellowship was originally organized by the social clubs of Tucson but it has been decided by members of the Fellowship to invite all group in the Tucson Lesbian/Gay Community to participate in this Fellowship Run. Invitations are being sent to all groups and organizations. If your group does not receive one through oversight, it is unintentional. If your group or organization would like to participate, the deadline to join in Sept. 15. For more information call Ben or Annie at 297-1909 or Wayne at 325-7607.

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News from MCC Tucson

Most Bible-reading is "catch-as-catch-can" reading - a few verses before retiring at night, a paragraph between cups of coffee at the breakfast table, a sample or two to make us feel right before we go to church on Sunday morning. We somehow expect the Bible to yield up its treasures in two or three minutes flat.

While there may be some value in such casual reading, there are dangers also. We may lift passages out of context and misinterpret and misapply them.

One Bible student properly reminds us that in Bible-reading we need not snapshots but time exposures. We should read when our faculties are most alert, when we have time to ponder the deeper meanings for ourselves, our family, our business, our community and our world.

All in-depth reading of the Bible - like all proper scientific study - proceeds through four basic steps: exact observation of data; interpretations of data; verification of results; and the application of results to life. This is a "see-for-yourself" procedure.

Too many people's knowledge of the Bible is second-hand. They are content to read about it in a reference book or a commentary. Some have a basic fear that they will get lost in the Bible's dry lists, archaic vocabulary and curious symbols.

We should read the Bible with the kind of excited curiosity a scientist has when he is on the track of a new discovery. We should read it the way a young person in the first stages of love ponders over a letter from their beloved - not once, hurriedly; but repeatedly, with attention to every detail and the exact meaning of every word.

MCC/Tucson is accepting applications for the new Membership Classes that will begin very soon. As soon as enough sign up for these special classes a definite date will be set for them. Call the church at 622-4536 if you are interested.

Thought for the Week: Tell the truth and you will have nothing to forget the next time.

Stunt Malibu Christi Fan Club Newsletter

Tiffany and Miss Mae have more in common now that Tif knows what it's like to be a bag lady. Gravity does take its toll. Wait ten years honey. Don't worry Tif, Jade is right on your heels.

Can one truly believe that Cristina isn't really a size queen and do they actually make things (everything) bigger in Texas? Are cowboys that much better the second time around?

Seems the welcome wagon hostesses are still on the job. Remember, no job too small or too big. Camille Devon is back from the back hills terrorizing the local boys and those big boys from Texas. The foothills will never be the same. Can Mr. Cris volunteer info on that?

Cristina goes through husbands like she goes through pumps. No wonder that midtown Dew Drop Inn has revolving doors. That place hasn't been locked since those girls moved in.

Who did and who got CD (not VD) in somebody's back pocket? Or was that just taken out of layaway and some curly-haired bartenders brain put on layaway instead.

So what happened to Macho Man and his long-awaited visit back to The Ponderosa? Was the calling of the beach so great that he became beached like Rhonda or is there some type of ring involved that nobody knows about?

Seems only Twinkie and Midnight Martha are the only ones who really know about the ring that changed (hands?) last week. How large was that ring? Bet it wasn't gold.

Seems all Mysterious Mountain Magda wants is another tiger in her tank. She knows she can always find them somewhere around the Cave 38 happy hunting grounds.

Sir Lawrence always did want to be chicken. How does it feel? Seems Thumblina's over her divorce. She certainly isn't shy when it comes to water sports. A couple of residents of The Ponderosa know for sure. Danny Wonder must be getting senile or maybe just too busy to remember what he did with whom where. Ms. Kimber Lee is once again free and remembers. Miss Mae is still looking for a few good meaningful one night relationships.

Til next time, forever yours
Jza Jza LaMore

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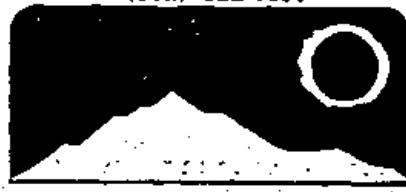
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policy in American businesses," said Basile. "This is big-business AIDS bashing by Circle K."

Circle K is fueling anti-Gay hysteria and AIDS paranoia surrounding the nation's major health crisis," said Robert Bray, communications director at HRCP. "In addition to being blatantly homophobic, it's also insulting to individuals who are alcoholics, dependent on drugs or despondently suicidal. Responsible companies don't turn their backs on these employees, they help them."

The Circle K letter to its employees said in part, "Employees who are proven to suffer illnesses and accidents that result from the use of alcohol, drugs, self-inflicted wounds and AIDS, proven

not to be contracted from blood transfusion, will not be eligible to receive company health care coverage."

"Behavior like Circle K's underscores the need for federal AIDS anti-discrimination legislation," said Basile. "If the company had issued a policy excluding Black people with sickle cell anemia they would be roundly repudiated. This is the same thing against Gay people."

Arizona and other state insurance officials are investigating whether the policy is illegal under state or federal laws. Meanwhile, AIDS and Gay civil rights activists around the country are considering a boycott of all Circle K outlets.



WHAT'S UP DOC?

Congratulations to the T-Squares who celebrated their 4th Anniversary at Rumor Hazzit this past Sunday. I really enjoyed the enthusiasm exerted by all the dancers in the square dancing, clogging and line dancing. The energy put forth from all the T-Squares and guests got me tired just from watching. If I didn't have two left feet, I would have loved to get out there and try a few of those steps being taught. I would really like to see the T-Squares more often, rather than once a year.

A special congratulations to the newly elected officers of the T-Squares who took over the controlling reins also on Sunday. For the first time since T-Squares was founded, the newly elected officers are all women. Come on gals/sisters, show those guys how to have fun and still be productive for the only square dance club in the Tucson community.

It would be nice if three fourths of those from Tucson out there dancing with the T-Squares joined the T-Squares. This would really take a lot of the burden off a few of the regular standbys in the club that out of necessity, have to dance almost every number just to have a square. As I stated before, if it wasn't for my own two left feet and other personal schedule, I'd be right in the middle of your next beginners class.

Once again, my congratulations goes out to all of the T-Squares. Sunday was a very big success and I look forward to seeing all of you again, throughout this upcoming year.

The Tucson Knight Owls (TKO) extends an apology to anyone in the Tucson community who got mixed up about TKO's Beer Bust. The Graduate ad and the Calendar had it listed as being on Sunday. TKO's Beer Bust has always been and will remain on the second Saturday of the month at the Graduate from 2 to 6 p.m. Stop by next month and mention this mistake and the first draft beer is on TKO.

Speaking of TKO, this coming weekend you may notice the absence of that rowdy bunch around town. This weekend we are going to be out of town on our annual City of Rocks run. Joining TKO at

this New-Mexico State Park just north of Deming will be our Brotherhood Club - Hijos Del Sol. This is always a very exciting run yearly, open to guests from Tucson, Phoenix or Albuquerque. If anyone would like to go along on this run, contact either Gary T. at 623-0993 or me at 884-7309.

This bunch will be leaving Tucson Friday evening around 5 p.m. car pooling. If you are going, and this includes all TKO members, your camping gear will have to be over at Tommy and Gary's house Wednesday evening to be packed into the trailer which will leave for the run site Thursday evening. Items you need to bring are camping gear, warm clothes in case of rain, sun-screen, your liquid refreshments and munchies. The run fee is \$10 which gives you all your meals and pays for your parking. Because this paper comes out on Thursday, I hope no one is left behind who wanted to go, but the club has advertised this event in this paper and also at our Saturday Beer Busts.

Last week the CAT Committee met and due to lack of members present, this full committee will again be meeting Wednesday, Aug. 31 at the same location. Ben will be sending everyone on the CAT Committee roster notice of this meeting, so I urge each of you to try to attend, or send your alternate, we have a lot to discuss.

This Committee has been financially running in the red, so the first fund-raising activity will be on Sunday, Sept. 18 - "The Over 40's Show" at IBT's. This Committee will need other members helping in different areas that day, so attend Aug. 31 to find out how you can help. If you have any questions, please call me at home 884-7309. If I don't have the answer, I will get it and get back to you.

Also meeting this past weekend was Tucson Arizona's Fellowship Committee. Just for that Committee's info, there was a mistake mentioned that will be noted in the next meeting.

The Arizona Fellowship '88 people will be visible around town these coming weekend with their raffle jar. Being raffled off for

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Lights of Tucson

by Michael - Tucson

The First Quarter Moon of the New Moon in Leo Period begins on the 20th at about 8:51 a.m. Tucson time and is an equal house wheel with Libra as the focal point, so it must be Party Time for all your Party Animals out there, but Libras are so undecided they may not get there until too late.

ARIES

7th House: With the ruler (Mars) in the sign there may be some disputes with mates, or business partners. Also head injuries are common at this time, so drive carefully. Divorce is also common with this configuration.

TAURUS

8th House: This could be a time when a parent or close friend decides to leave, but there will be a legacy or inheritance. Tax refunds and insurance claims may also be paid now.

GEMINI

9th House: A trip is likely but secrets are involved, so you will probably will not tell anyone you are going.

CANCER

10th House: If female, possible birth of a daughter. Otherwise some recognition for public service, or promotion/raise on your job. If a sales person, big commission.

LEO

11th House: Possible election to the presidency of your local club or organization. Invitation to join some group dedicated to humanitarian endeavors.

VIRGO

12th House: Gossip and rumor

surround you at this time. Be discreet about your clandestine affairs now or you may compromise your sweetie.

LIBRA

1st House: Time to let it all hang out. Do not sit on the fence if you have to decide, take one of each so you will have fun either way.

SCORPIO

2nd House: If you have been making your living stealing, this is the time you will get caught. Avoid temptation at whatever cost.

SAGITTARIUS

3rd House: Sad news about someone at a distance. Possibly a parent, uncle or aunt.

CAPRICORN

4th House: Call the plumber now, and do not drink the water. Gin tastes better and is the same color, but it is a no-no too.

AQUARIUS

5th House: If gambling is your thing, you may win a little this week. Go out to some entertaining place where you may meet the one you dream about.

PISCES

6th House: Time for a check up. Get rid of any paints or chemicals in your home. Keep your pets away from Colorado toads. Stick to routine and do not take on work you will not be paid for.

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RELIGIOUS "SUPERIORITY"

We saw it first with the Spanish Inquisition: believe the way we tell you, or we will murder you (sorry: save you).

Then, after a couple hundred years of religious pomposity and self-righteousness, we see Jim and Tammy-Faye Baker. He "knows" a cheap secretary (expensive, if you count the hush-money, and the one million dollar Playboy magazine deal), is caught, and --after resigning his post as talk-show host of *PIL*— says God spoke to him and forgave him. Not to be plagiaristic here, but "How Convenient".

Then, as you might expect, Jimmy Swaggart was caught with a prostitute. He, too, resigned his position as a national talk show host, then later said God spoke to him too, and forgave him. (In the 1950s, when people said God was speaking to them, they were carted away to looney bins. Oh, for the good old days

Now, not wanting to lose their 15-minutes of stardom, we have religious groups telling us to ban "The Last Temptation of Christ" because it is sacrilegious. (Only, perhaps, to those who believe. . . .)

The film by Martin Scorsese is based upon the 1948 novel by Greek author Nikos Kazantzakis. Lots of movies are made based on books, but few movies are attacked with critical commentary by persons who have never seen them. I have always held that strident religious followers have a nasty habit of thinking they know everything, but I never thought they had the powers of knowing the content of a film without having ever seen it.

This column will neither defend nor condemn "The Last Temptation of Christ". Why? I have not seen the film. Of course, neither have 99.9% of the people who are calling for the banning of, or burning of, the film.

I am merely pointing out the hypocrisy with which a goodly number of religious people conduct their lives.

You see, they do a lot of

"Believe this, and you will be saved" stuff. No proof, just faith. (And please, don't write in telling me the Bible is proof. Let's both save ourselves the time and postage, okay?)

They, (and I don't mean every religious person on earth, just the vehement ones) try so hard to prevent opposing versions being heard by their followers. For some reasons, they think if you only tell someone one version of the story, they'll be better followers.

Are they afraid of some of their followers leaving if they heard all the options and decided for themselves? Are the followers so stupid that they cannot think for themselves? Exactly what are these religious people afraid of?

They seem to overlook the fundamental principle which governs this country (no, not the freedom of and from religion) but, free enterprise.

If the film is so terribly awful, no one will go see it. Scorsese will be banished from Hollywood, never to make a film again. And Hollywood won't tackle religious films again. (Proof of this lies in the rampant proliferation of repulsive garbage such as "Rambo", "Rocky", and "Friday the 13th" films; Hollywood usually only goes after the sure-thing).

Are they afraid of the film being a hit, thereby casting doubt amongst the sheep? Who knows.

I think these religious fanatics only make themselves look stupid by carrying on about nothing more than a piece of celluloid with images upon it. It's okay to be religious, just don't foist your feelings on those of us who choose not to be.

After all, if they claim "The Last Temptation of Christ" is so ungodly, and so sacrilegious, isn't it a lot like the pot calling the kettle black? Clean up your own act, before you try to clean up everyone else's.

At Spes Non Fracta: see you next week.

POLITICS '88

by Mark R. Kerr

THE BIG EASY: The Republican Party is gathered in New Orleans this week for their 34th National Convention. The GOP will nominate as their standard bearer, George Bush of Texas, Connecticut, Maine and points east. The Republicans have already agreed to their platform, 10,000 words or so in length, conservative in nature, and much more specific than the Democratic platform.

The biggest mystery, even bigger than "Who shot J.R.?", was who George Bush was going to pick for the Vice-Presidential slot. The speculation came to an end when Bush announced that he had selected Sen. Dan Quayle of Indiana — an anti-abortionist, pro-star-wars conservative. Bush hopes Quayle will be able to capture the mid-west voters. This was the only excitement I observed at the convention so far.

THE GRAND CANYON DELEGATION: Another question being asked is, "Will our impeached governor, who suffers from Foot in the Mouth Syndrome", finally will have it out with Golden Boy Senator John McCain?" Ev and John have been at each others throats for months. Who knows, this could be the final

conflict. Wasn't that the title of the last movie of the Omen trilogy?

CIRCLE K: You all know the facts about the greedy, discriminatory, so-called organization. Changing the medical insurance policy to discriminate against us. Well their is one simple thing we can do, it will take a while, but in the end we will be triumphant. What is that you ask, "BOYCOTT THE BUGGERS!!!!!!!"

LOCAL RACES: For the Pima County Recorders position running on the Democratic ticket is incumbent Richard Kennedy who is being challenged by F. Ann Rodriguez. The winner will face the Republican nominee, former television newscaster, Mike Boyd.

In the Pima County Board of Supervisors race, Dist. 1, Republican incumbent Iris Dewhirst is being challenged by two people, Pam Patton and State Senator Greg Lunn. On the Democratic side, Thomas Goddard is running as a write-in candidate. Mr. Goddard needs to get 163 votes to get the nod. So, to the Democrats who read this column, and reside in

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FDA Commissioner confronted at conference

by Elizabeth Pincus

BOSTON, MA (GCN) - Confronted by a ballroom full of angry PWAs and their supporters, Frank Young, Commissioner of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), announced that his agency would now allow the importation of unapproved drugs from abroad. This new policy, which applies only to small quantities of drugs intended for personal use, also permits shipment of experimental AIDS treatments through the mail.

Although an underground market of imported AIDS treatments - notably ribavirin and isoprinosine from Mexico, and dextran sulfate from Japan - has long existed in the U.S., Young's pronouncement formalizes federal government approval of these practices for the first time.

A 300-strong crowd of protesters heard Young's speech at the 2nd International Lesbian and Gay Health Conference & AIDS Forum at the Park Plaza Hotel in Boston, July 20-26. To show their displeasure with the FDA, dozens of AIDS activists from ACT-UP - or AIDS Coalition to Unleash Power - lay around Young in a symbolic "die in" as he delivered his speech to the Conference.

In recent months, members of the New York-based ACT-UP have heckled members of Congress and unfurled hundreds of banners during a New York Mets game. "We are trying to force his hand to release these drugs," said Debra Levine, an organizer of the protest.

Long critical of the federal government's slow progress in testing and approving AIDS treatments, some AIDS activists said they suspected Young of attempting to appease the growing furor of PWAs, PWACs and their advocates, who have been increasingly politicized by ACT-UP and other protest groups.

According to Martin Delaney, co-director of Project Inform, a San Francisco group that distributes information about treatments for AIDS, ARC and HIV-infection, it is not yet clear if the FDA pol-

icy "is something really big or a small tidbit thrown to us." Delaney said he thought Young's speech was a "public relations stunt."

A large majority of the audience that turned out for Young's Saturday afternoon presentation was actively protesting the FDA. Many attendants held aloft "Silence=Death" banners or signs criticizing the FDA's slow response to the AIDS crisis, and backs were draped with statements, such as, "One person dies every 30 minutes from AIDS," and "Red tape is killing us."

About 15 minutes into Young's talk, the crowd held up watches to symbolize the passing of time, while a group mounted the platform behind Young and staged a "die-in". Throughout Young's presentation, he was heckled and challenged by audience members. Finally, claiming he could "hear the frustration", Young cut short his speech to allow questions from the floor.

The exchange remained contentious, though several statements by Young were met with appreciative applause. For example, he repeatedly chided drug companies for slow progress in conducting clinical trials with new drugs. When asked why he hadn't publicly criticized drug companies, Young claimed he had. "In articles I've written," Young explained, "I've tried to get across that the academicians and the researchers have failed us. They've taken the big bucks and they're not doing the job."

At the close of Young's presentation, he told protesters, "You're going to see a lot more of me. [The FDA] hasn't been serious enough, but things are changing. I came here to have an honest exchange... to build bridges."

When a member of ACT-UP/ New York asked the Commissioner if he would attend a civil disobedience action planned for FDA offices on Oct. 11, Young would not answer directly. "I think you're asking me to come to dinner to be the roast," he responded.



PHOTO: Dave Phillips - Tucson



POLITICS '88

by Mark R. Kerr

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District 1, take the time to write to Mr. Goddard. The Democrats need to put up a candidate and Mr. Goddard would make a fine one.

In Dist. 2, for the Board of Supervisors, you have 3 Democrats running for the job, (there are no Republicans running in this district). The three Democrats are former State Senator Luis Gonzales, former Mayor of South Tucson, Dan Eckstrom, who presently holds the office, being appointed a few months ago after Sam Lena resigned to take a job running Governor Mofford's southern Arizona office. Eckstrom was appointed to fill the remaining months on the term. Mike Martin is the third Democrat running for the position from Dist. 2.

PCT. 269: You are all probably wondering why I am writing about a precinct where men are men, women are women, and Democrats are few and far between. Well, this is the precinct that I reside in, and I happen to be running for Precinct Committeeman - on the Democratic side, of course.

Recently, Mary Jane Dyson and Leroy Dyson, the other two candidates for the three open spots, and myself held a "Meet the Candidates Night". Even though the attendance was lower than our expectations, the party was a suc-

cess. The candidates (all 6 for the House, 1 Senate candidate, and Judith Belcher who is running for the U.S. House, attended. The atmosphere was informal, the constituents attending could talk with the candidates and ask questions. It all went well.

MY OPINIONS: Well, it is less than a month before the primary, and the campaigns are in full swing. You will now see signs popping up all over the place like zits on a face. Do not judge or decide by just the number of signs or size of them. Never judge a candidate by the war chest they have. Ask questions, get info, dig, find the candidate whose views are similar to yours, and you feel who can do the job the best. Give all the candidates a shot.

Until next time, take care.



CALENDAR of upcoming events

THURSDAY, AUG. 18 THROUGH SUNDAY, AUG. 21
COLETTE'S - There is a big national Women's Softball Tournament in Tucson. Colette's will be featuring drink specials all three days, plus something extra special on Sunday. Watch for details. Come on down!

MONDAY, AUGUST 22
IBT'S - Teno's regular Monday Movie Madness will take a turn to the beach this week with Frankie and Annette starring in "Beach Blanket Bingo" and "Back To The Beach". There will be drink specials for those in beach wear and free hors d'oeuvres. Because of the big double feature, the movies will begin at 2 p.m. instead of the regular time of 4 p.m.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27
COLETTE'S - A Big Variety Show is scheduled here beginning at 8 p.m. Lots of fun and some really great talent. It's a benefit, of sorts, to raise some bucks for some new stage lights which will make this entertainment complex one of the best in the state.

JOSHUA TREE/BACK POCKET - "Full Moon Party" with prizes for best vampire costume plus all those who wear leather will get 25 cents off all drinks (except those on special - Black Bicardi/Black Russians/Black Jack Daniels) which will be going for \$1.25 all evening. Costume contest judging at midnight of course. Come on out and howl!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
JOSHUA TREE/BACK POCKET - Male strippers from Phoenix take the spotlight here on the outdoor stage area. Check it out!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
JOSHUA TREE/BACK POCKET - A group of hot, hot men will take to the outdoor stage and take it off for all you voyeurs. And they are hot strippers!

RUMOR HAZZIT - Big, Big, Labor Day Weekend happening here in conjunction with Tucson's sister city - San Francisco. An annual Benefit for Shanti Foundation/Tucson, the day will feature the latest video of "Men Behind Bars" the annual extravaganza put on by the bartenders of San Francisco. There will be an auction of many, many valuable items featuring primo auctioneer Keith Morris from Phoenix, an All-Star show featuring all the royalty in the city, past and present, plus an all-boy revue, plus drawing for the big San Francisco weekend raffle. Much More. This yearly event is one of the highlights of the season.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18
IBT'S - Be-Be-Do Productions presents an "Over 40's Show" beginning at 8:00 p.m. A benefit for the Community Awards of Tucson (CAT) Committee. More details later.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23
JOSHUA TREE/BACK POCKET - Desert Leathermen will host a Casino Night here. Watch for more details.

Non-Bar

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18 - Old Pueblo Business and Professional Association monthly meeting. Arizona Inn (Tucson Room), Tucson, 7:00 p.m., no host cocktails; 7:30 p.m. general meeting. "Living with the Threat of AIDS" findings reported by Pam Reid Duffy, PhD, RN. Free to OPBPA members. \$5 for repeat guests at the door. Call for information: (602) 297-3794.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28 - Body Erotic Workshop for men who want to use their own erotic and sexual energy better. Call Marc to register or for more information, 881-4582. Limited space. Fee.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31 - Community Awards of Tucson (CAT) Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room at Temple Emanu-El, 225 N. Country Club. This important meeting will finalize the categories for the awards and the criteria for those nominated for the awards.

FRIDAY - MONDAY, SEPT. 2-5 - Annual Old Pueblo Labor Day Run sponsored by Tucson Arizona Levi/Leathermen. Run fee \$40 if received by Aug. 19 and \$50 thereafter. Registration Sept. 2 at Graduate.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 15 - Old Pueblo Business and Professional Association monthly meeting. Plaza International Hotel, Tucson, 7 p.m., no host cocktails; 7:30 p.m. general meeting. Estate planning advice for unmarried men and women by attorneys Susan Freud and Gregory Gadianian. Free to OPBPA members and first-time guests, \$5 for repeat guests at the door. Information: (602) 297-3794

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2 - (Tentative) Tucson Lesbian/Gay Alliance (TLGA) host a Community Presentation by Tucsonans who attended the recent International Lesbian and Gay Health Conference and AIDS Forum in Boston. These are the people who attended thanks to donations from the Tucson community. This short presentation is just hearing for all members of the community. No charge and the exact time and place will be announced next week.

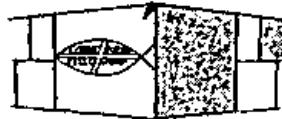
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18 - Business Fair sponsored by the Old Pueblo Business and Professional Association on Unitarian Universalist Church grounds. Entertainment, food, beverages, prizes plus business demonstrations. Free to everyone. Information: (602) 297-3794.

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BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE - Capt. Morgan Peach Rum \$1.00 from 7 pm to 1 am. DJ from 9 pm to 1 am.
COLETTE'S WEST - Hourly Drink Specials 8 to Midnight.
GRADUATE - Drink Specials until closing.
IT'S 'BOUT TIME - Noon to 5:30 pm Bloody Marys \$1.00.
5:30 pm to 1 am All Well \$1.50. Dance 8 to 12.
COURAGEOUS - Specials start at 4 pm. Dancing at 9.
Watch ads for theme nights and afterhours.
RITA'S RENDEZVOUS - Open 6 am to 1 am. 6 am to 6 pm Well \$1.25; Longnecks \$1.00; Schnapps .75
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CALENDAR

sunday

BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE - Draft Beer Bust Noon to 8 pm. Bud or Bud Lite .50 per glass. Steak Dinner 4 pm to 7:30 \$4.00. DJ from 9 pm until 1 am.
COLETTE'S WEST - "Wine Down Nite" .75 Wine 8 pm to Midnight. Movie Nite on the big screen at 7 pm.

GRADUATE - Bottle Beer (non-premium) \$1.25 plus other drink specials.

IT'S 'BOUT TIME - "Sip and Dip" by "poolside". Bloody 4 screws \$1.00 Noon to 6:30. 6:30 to 1 am "Mouse Madness" every hour (7). Dance 8 pm - 1 am.

COURAGEOUS - Pool Hall opens at 4 pm with daily drink specials. Dancing in Disco 9-1 with Dave Collins.

RITA'S RENDEZVOUS - Noon to 6 pm Well \$1.25; Longnecks \$1.00; Schnapps .75

RUMORHAZIT 2222 - Noon to 6 pm. Screwdrivers and Bloody Marys \$1.25 or Fresh Fruit Delight \$1.50 plus any flavor schnapps .50 a shot plus Peter Dogs with all the trimmings for .25 each. VJ/DJ Dwayne 9 to 1.

monday

BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE - Miller bottles or Schnapps .75 - Noon to Midnight. 5-10 pm non-premium beer \$1 and well drinks \$1.25. DJ 9 pm to 1 am. Pool Tournament 10:30 pm, \$25 prize.

COLETTE'S WEST - Daily sandwich special. .50 hot dogs and .25 draft. All White Well .89 from 8 pm to Midnight.

GRADUATE - Happy Hour prices opening until closing.

IT'S 'BOUT TIME - Noon to 5:30 pm Well Drinks \$1 (with juice \$1.25), Non-Premium Beer \$1.50. Monday movies 4-6, hors d'oeuvres, 5:30 to 1 am "Mouse Madness".

COURAGEOUS - Happy Hours 4-9 - \$1 Domestic Longnecks, .50 Draft, .75 Schnapps. Top 40 dance music in Disco 9-1. \$1.00 Well drinks.

RITA'S RENDEZVOUS - Open 6 am to 1 am. 6 am to 6 pm Well \$1.25; Longnecks \$1.00; Schnapps .75

RUMORHAZIT 2222 - 4-7 p.m. 2 for 1 call/well/beer. Well drinks \$1.25, munchies 1-7 pm. VJ/DJ 9-1 with Dwayne.

tuesday

BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE - 5-10 pm non-premium beer \$1, well drinks \$1.25. Corona Beer or Well Tequila \$1.00 from 9 pm to 1 am, + "Stop Light" specials. DJ at 9 pm.

COLETTE'S WEST - Check for daily sandwich special. Longneck Bottle Beer Special: \$1.00 from 8:00 until midnight. Alternative listening and dancing to music from 60s - 70s and early 80s from 7 to 11.

GRADUATE - Dark Well Drinks \$1.50 till closing.

IT'S 'BOUT TIME - Noon to 5:30 pm Well Drinks \$1.00. Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.50. "Trashy Tuesday" show begins at 6 p.m. 5:30 to 1 am "Mouse Madness".

COURAGEOUS - .75 schnapps in both Pool Hall and Disco.

RITA'S RENDEZVOUS - Open 6 am to 6 pm. 6 am to 6 pm Well \$1.25; Longnecks \$1.00; Schnapps .75

RUMORHAZIT 2222 - 2 for 1 call/well/beer 4-7 pm. Well drinks \$1.25, munchies 1-7 pm. VJ/DJ 9-1 with Dwayne.

wednesday

BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE - 2-8 pm Drink Special: Check the chalkboard. 5-10 pm non-premium beer \$1, well drinks \$1.25. Bring your own meat for outdoor cooking. J/T supplies the salad and beans 5-8 pm. Draft Beer Bust Bud or Bud Lite .25 per glass plus .75 Schnapps from 8 pm to close. DJ 9 pm to 1 am.

COLETTE'S WEST - Daily sandwich special. Schnapps .75 8 pm to Midnight. Raffle drawings at 10:30 p.m. for prizes.

GRADUATE - .50 draft or .75 schnapps open to close plus other drink specials.

IT'S 'BOUT TIME - Noon to 5:30 Well Drinks \$1, (with juice \$1.25), Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.50. 5:30 to 1 am Draft Beer .50 and Schnapps .50 shot. Dance 8 - 1 am.

COURAGEOUS - Long Neck Beer Bust 8-10 just .50, 10-12 .75; after midnight \$1. Progressive dance rock & top hits with DJ Randy 9-1.

RITA'S RENDEZVOUS - Open 6 am to 1 am. 6 am to 6 pm Well \$1.25; Longnecks \$1.00; Schnapps .75

RUMORHAZIT - 4-7 p.m. 2 for 1 call/well/beer. \$1.25 Well Drinks & Munchies 1-7 pm. Bud Can Beer Nite - .50 per can, plus .50 schnapps from 7 pm until close. VJ/DJ Ruben.

thursday

BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE - 5-10 pm non-premium beer \$1, well drinks \$1.25. All Well \$1.00 (w/ juice \$1.25), all Mine Coolers from 10 pm to 1 am, + "Stop Light" specials. DJ, 9 to 1 am.

COLETTE'S WEST - "Sudsersize!" .40 draft beer from 8 pm to Midnight.

GRADUATE - All White Well \$1.50 open to close.

IT'S 'BOUT TIME - Noon to 5:30 Well Drinks \$1 (with juice \$1.25), Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.50. 5:30 to 1 am Long Neck Beer (non-premium) .75 - Dance 8 to 1.

COURAGEOUS - Happy Hour 4-9 pm. Meet Magical Bartender. Draft Beer .25 4 pm to close.

RITA'S RENDEZVOUS - Open 6 am to 1 am. 6 am to 6 pm Well \$1.25; Longnecks \$1.00; Schnapps .75

RUMORHAZIT - 2 for 1 call/well/beer 4-7 p.m. Kegger 8 pm to 12 am .50 per glass. \$1.25 Well, munchies 1-7 pm. Video/disco dancing with Ruben 9-1.

friday

BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE - 5-10 pm non-premium beer \$1, well drinks \$1.25. Capt. Morgan Peach Rum \$1.00 from 7 pm to closing. DJ 9 pm to 1 am.

COLETTE'S WEST - International Happy Hour plus Party Nite - Hourly Drink Specials 8 p.m. to Midnight.

GRADUATE - Drink specials until closing.

IT'S 'BOUT TIME - Noon - 5:30 pm Well Drinks \$1 (with juice \$1.25), Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.50. 5:30 to 1 am All Well \$1.00 (w/ juice \$1.25). Dancing 8 to 1.

COURAGEOUS - Pool Hall opens at 4 pm. Dancing 9-1. Slicin Diz. Various drink specials.

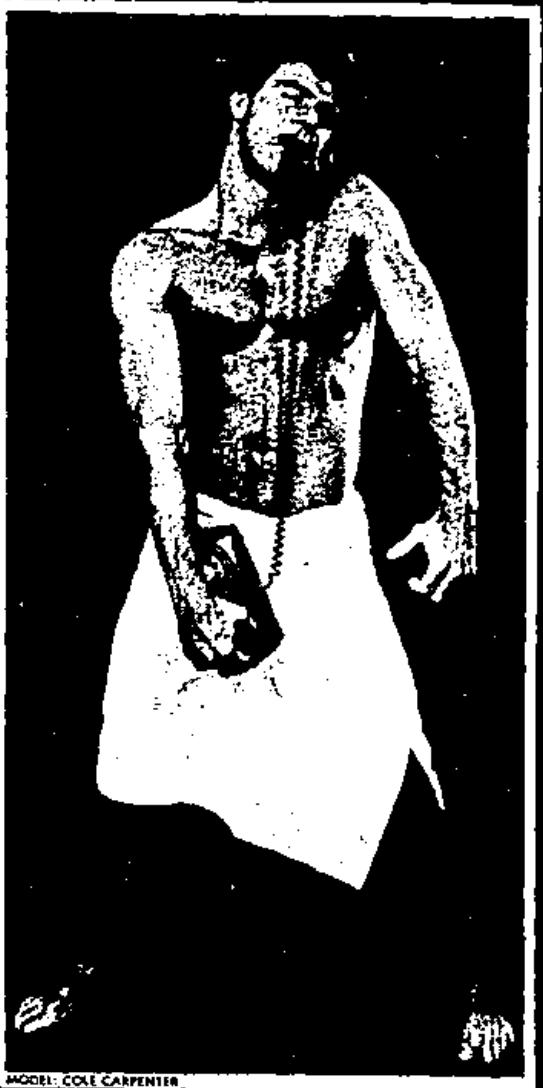
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RUMORHAZIT - 2 for 1 call/beer/well 4-7 p.m. \$1.25 Well drinks plus Munchies 1-7 p.m. Progressive Friday - all well drinks .75 from 7 to 9 and go up a quarter each hour till closing. DJ/VJ Ruben 9 to 1.



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Plans for this years Arizona Fellowship '88 are in high gear and a ton of work is ahead for all involved. As the time gets a little closer, I'll get more details out to you. Run applications will be appearing around Tucson in the near future, so when they get out, fill 'em out and turned in. This run is the only true Brotherhood Run of all Tucson's clubs each year, and is always more than worth the small run fee charged.

Finally, don't forget TALL's Old Pueblo Run over the Labor Day Weekend. Run fees are \$40 if received prior to Aug. 19 and \$50 thereafter. Contact Glenn at the Graduate for more info and/or a run application.

TKBS: Chapter #2 (or whatever the count has gotten to over this past year) of Tucson's answer to the Dempsey Dumpster - Ben C. Recently on a buying trip to Tuller Trophies for TKO, Ben was verbally accosted by Mr. Tuller - the end result being another "Trash Award" for Ben from Mr. Tuller. What's that make it, 3 Trash Awards in less than a week? Ben has won so many Trash Awards over the past year, I wonder if he will even know how to give the "Lazy Susan Award" (he won a year ago at the City of Rocks), away at this year's City of Rocks run.

While I'm on this individuals case, did you notice his attempt to be cute and real sneaky in last week's "Juicy Lucy"? He wrote it trying to make it sound as if I'd written it. It didn't work Ben because we all know your style when writing - Trashy!

Then we move over to Gary L. Talking to him either on a phone or in person can be a real trip. On the phone he told me "I'll take care of Peter, you call Glenn and Bill". Then at the bar the other evening, he was describing his nighttime fantasies - loving to - oops I can't use that 4-letter word in print, but he did say he was on the receiving end.

Then we have Scott L. The other afternoon, he was telling everyone he was suffering from the brown bottle flu. No wonder, all the beer, water, greyhounds and whatever both inside and outside, all over his body, from Friday nights wet party at the Graduate. Others in the party were Gary L., who I might add started the whole thing; Kip, Freddie, myself and a few customers by accident. Scott on Saturday was also describing a very close roomie of mine, telling him he looked like a piece of antique furniture, "your chest has fallen into your drawers".

Saturday, TKO's Beer Bust also saw the very vocal Tommy M. in true form. Then Tommy wonders why Partners gave him the Trashy Award for yet another year. After asking TKO's President's permission, Tommy did pass the award on, hoping to lose the title. After a short speech, Tommy passed the Tacky Award pin off to Bert. The reason given was because Bert didn't show up at the Panda Run after he said he would. As Run Captain of Partners, I and the entire club after voting in Phoenix now have two Trashy Award winners

THE WEEKLY OBSERVER
(at the same time) in Tucson -
Tommy and Bert.

TKBS (Phoenix Chapter) - Sunday A.M. found the owner of the Graduate, Ron T. sitting in front of the bar, early, not being able to get in even with keys to the door and security system in his pocket. His excuse was that he couldn't work the security system. I guess turning something that small was too difficult seeing as how he was carried out of this same bar the night before.

And, speaking of the night before, Ron please tell us just what you were trying to do with Pennie P.? You said you stopped drinking shots - HAI! After shots of scotch and 1800, and no telling what else, no wonder Sunday A.M. found you holding on to the shower walls just to take a shower and later wearing those blue light special shorts inside out. Also, no wonder you were not able to use one of your three chances to pick up, or get laid. Of course John didn't succeed either with his three chances, but he was somewhat more sober. Why was that John? Were you baby sitting your sister Ron?

Finally, that's it for this week. Hurry back to Tucson Ron T., John, Kenny and Ron, I need to fill another column. It was good to see you also Mark, for a minute I thought I was seeing double but I knew I hadn't had that much to drink yet. Love you all and please have a fun, safe week.

Next week's column will have notes and pictures from this year's City of Rocks run. The \$64,000 question is will Ben bring yet another Trash Award home? Wait and see.

Oops - just found another one for Ron T. It seems that expensive black dress he wore recently, he had it on backwards. And he claims he is a female impersonator. It should read male impersonator.

PERSPECTIVE

CHAPTER 8

Mother had worked so hard to get something to grow. The young slips of trees she had brought from Nebraska and put out around the shack had all died for want of water, but still some garden showed up and she had hopes of having something for the table. It was summer weather and the first days of August.

Then it came during the night - great, gray clouds of smoke and ash, so by morning not a living plant was saved from that freezing temperature. The wind with the smoke and ashes of forest fires in Idaho had brought the temperature down and froze all the living vegetation in its path.

Viewing the vast destruction of the work of months was more than mother's pioneering spirit could take and she succumbed to a spell of homesickness!

Father suggested she take a trip to Nebraska so she could see her parents and relatives again. My oldest sister, Verle and her family lived there as well as Fred and his family, so she was very welcome. In three weeks she returned and Lucy, who had been helping us, had to leave to teach school, and we got back into our regular routine again.

Clarence had given an acre of his land to the school district if it would put a school building there so the neighbor children would have a school. He and another carpenter built three schools that summer.

So, when school started I went to stay with him and his wife and attended school, which was taught by a homesteader's wife until a teacher could come from Pennsylvania to take over.



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WOMEN'S 3RD FRIDAY COFFEE HOUSE meets third Friday of each month at Unitarian Universalist Church, 4831 E. 2nd St. \$1 at door (more if you can, less if you can't).

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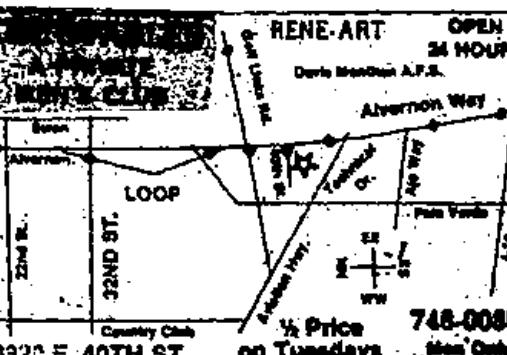


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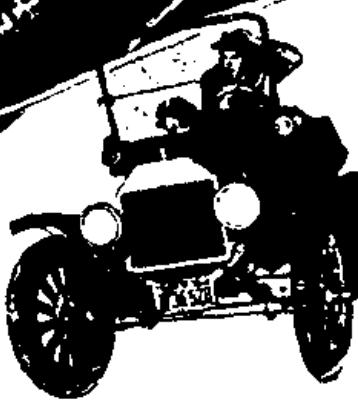


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