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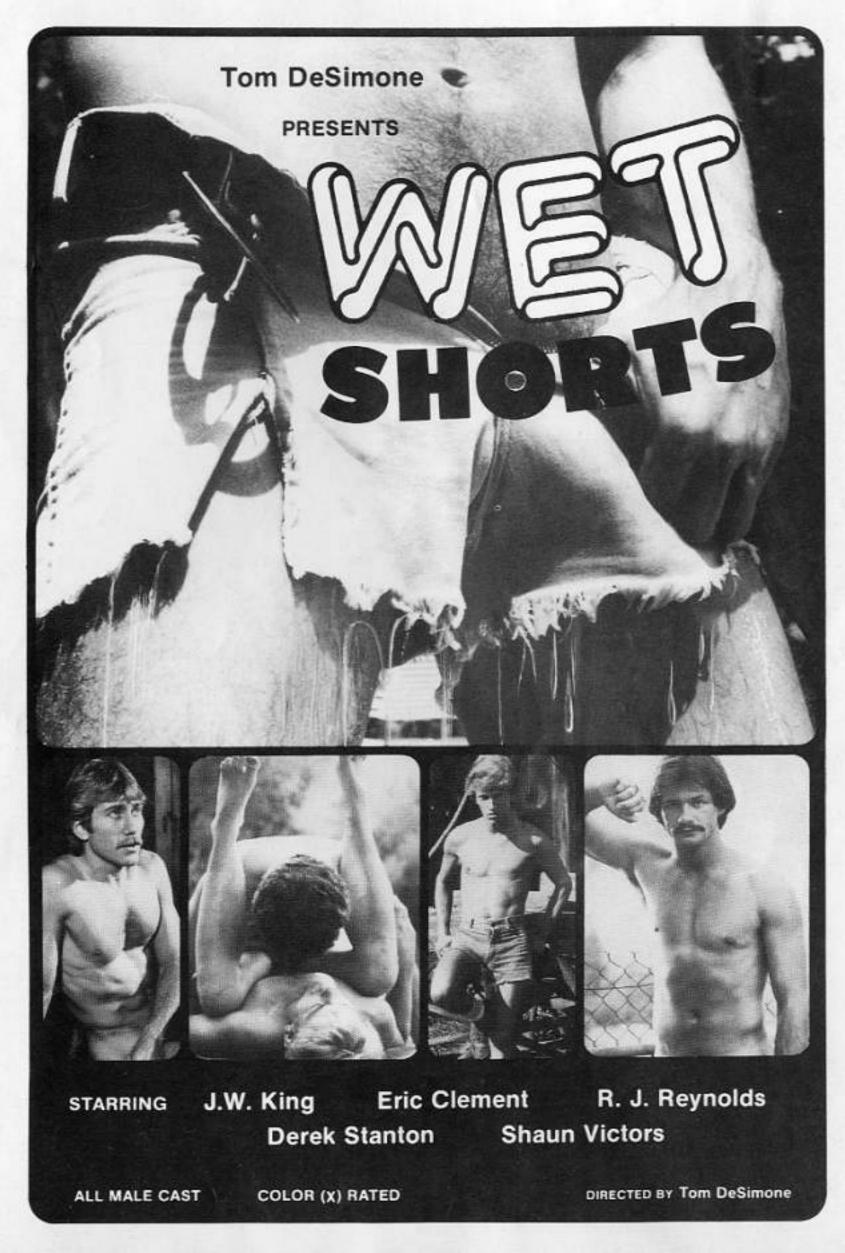


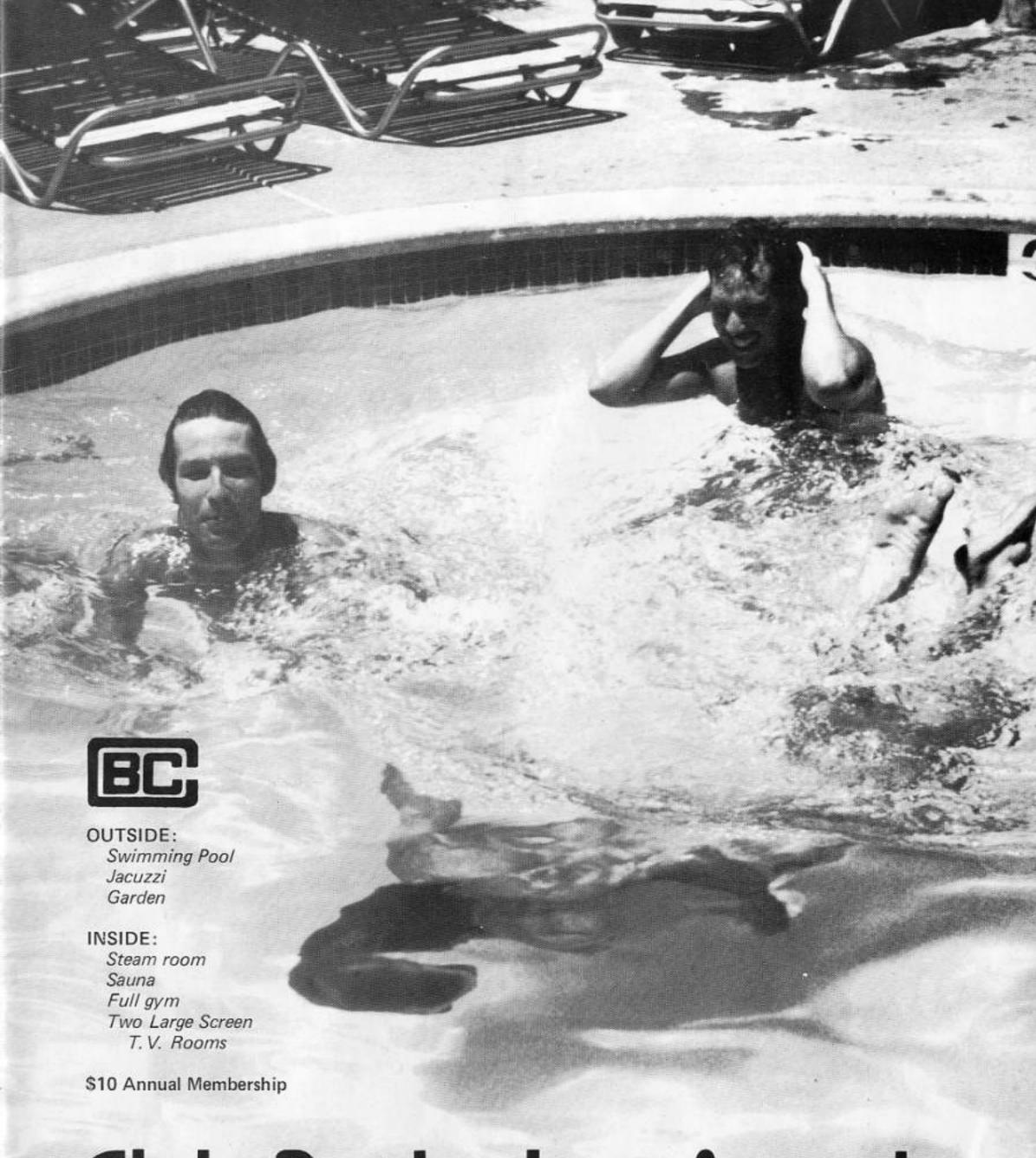
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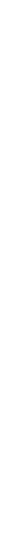


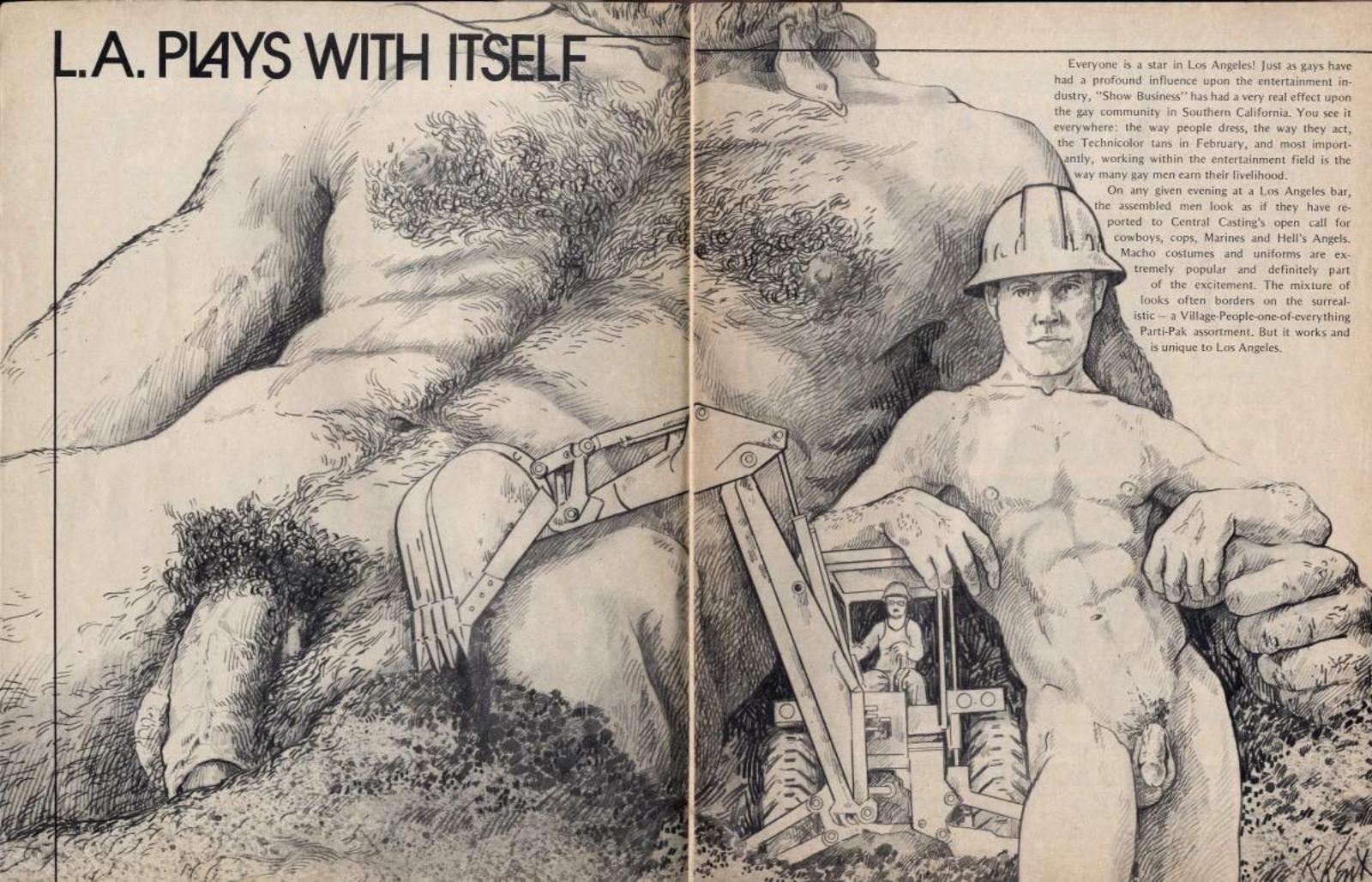
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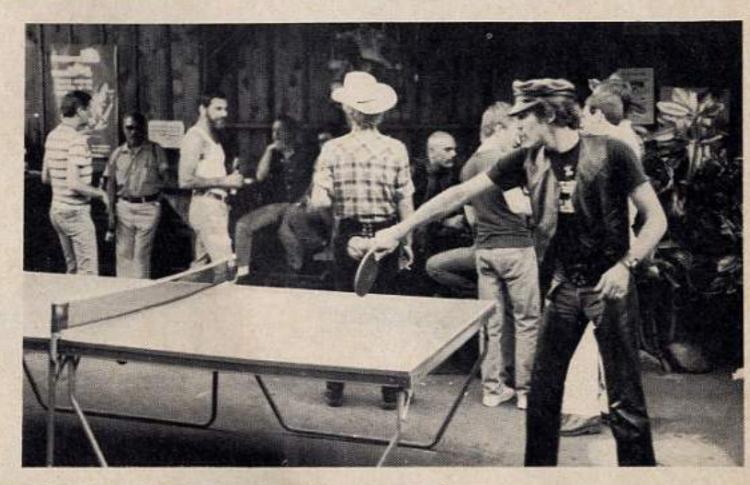


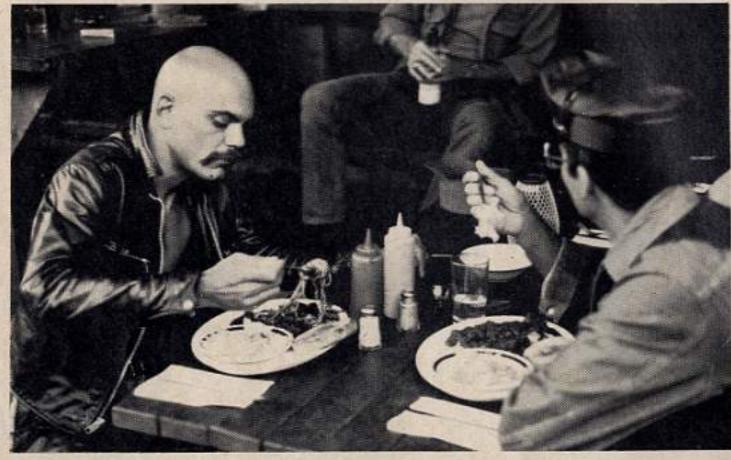




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But "No pictures, please!" Holly-wood still has a paranoia about hiring out-of-the-closet gays. If you want to be in the movies (and we're not talking about eight millimeter), you don't have to be straight, but you had better act straight. There are of course the exceptions to the rule, a few outrageous queens who portray stereotypical fags in films. However, for the most part, Hollywood establishment is still trying to maintain the wholesome family image of the Fifties. Any kind of morals charge results in unemployment — it is a standard

This is not to ignore the fact that many hot looking men have signed their contracts in the producer's bedroom. The casting couch is a reality in Hollywood, and there are as many dirty old women as men willing to take advantage of the new-

clause of every movie contract.

comer to town.

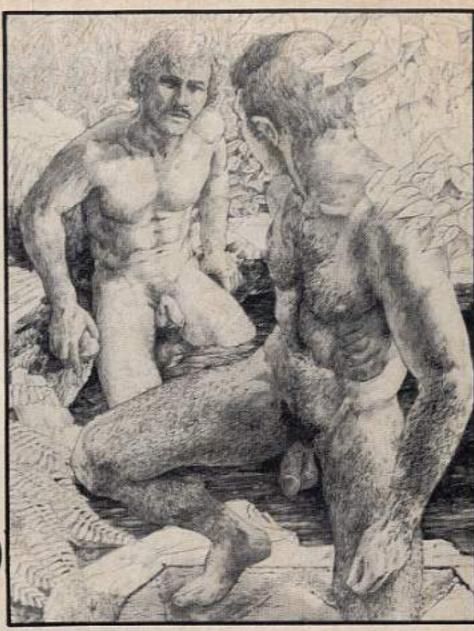
And the newcomers are numerous, Los Angeles has the most beautiful, hot, handsome, built men in the world. They flock there in search of stardom, they stick around for the action. Los Angeles has a thriving macho gay community. It was after all the birthplace of Drummer Magazine. But being the city of ambition that it is, many leathermen have found it necessary to compartmentalize their lives, keeping their personal life very personal. However, when you get them behind closed doors, watch out! Los Angeles boasts the most elaborate private playrooms and dungeons in the world, equipped with every conceivable gadget, device and instrument of pain and pleasure the human mind can imagine. Underneath the show biz patina are hot, heavy and horney men ready for real action.

About the Author:

The author and photographer who created most of this special section on Los Angeles is Jim Moss. A true child of Hollywood, "little Jimmie Moss" appeared in over 30 major films and 100 television shows during the 40's and 50's. As far as he knows, he is the only child star to go on to become a professional aav.

After study at Columbia University, Mr. Moss went on to a career in magazines and has had over 50 short stories published, 100 articles and "an untold number of photographs." His writing and photos have appeared in major publications such as Good Housekeeping, After Dark, True, New York Times, London Times, Los Angeles Times.

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If you want to get laid in Los Angeles, you had better learn the lay of the land quickly. This sprawling metropolis (in area the largest city in the world) can be confusing to the visitor at first. This is compounded by the fact that you must have a car and drive yourself — public transportation is totally inadequate for a night on the town hitting the bars and clubs. Car rental agencies, incidentally, abound and are very competitive.

Your reference point: Hollywood. Centrally located to most of the action in Los Angeles of interest to Drummer readers is Hollywood. In Los Angeles parlance, "Hollywood is only minutes away from everything." Distance in Los Angeles is not measured in miles, but in minutes. Los Angeles' extraordinary freeway system makes this an accurate method of judging the closeness of two places. Although it may sound strange at first, everone quickly adapts to relating to distance in terms of time. Important points of interest in Hollywood are: The Academy, an elegant uniform bar and restaurant; the Century Theatre specializing in male erotic films; The Eagle, a Levi-Western-Leather bar; The Spike, a Levi-Western-Leather bar; Griff's a Leather bar; The Pleasure Chest, the largest erotic store in Los Angeles.

To the West of Hollywood is an area logically called West Hollywood, or more affectionately known by the locals as "Boy's Town." This is one of the few compact gay neighborhoods of Los Angeles where you can walk from one bar to another. Here, you are virtually seconds away from anything. The hot spots of Boy's Town are: Motherlode, the area's most popular bar, done in a gold rush motif; Studio One, the leading Los Angeles disco and show lounge; the Blue Parrot, a legendary favorite; Rogues, a

Side Street, the Sports Locker, and Ah Men.

To the North of Hollywood is the Valley, often referred to as North Hollywood. Here is an emerging gay community that, according to one bar owner, hopes to fashion itself after San Francisco's Folsom. Two new bars, the Officer's Club and Rawhide, have just recently opened and breathed new life into this neighborhood. The Officer's Club is a uniform bar; Rawhide is a huge bar with a live Country and Western band seven nights a week.

Going East from Hollywood you hit Los Angeles proper. Here you will find: the Los Angeles Club Baths with very complete facilities; the Leathermaker, the man who invented black leather chaps. Further East is an area that has named itself "East End Village" and is the home of: The Stud, one of the city's most popular leather bars; Leather Trade, a new store specializing in leather clothing; The Zoo, a restaurant; and other shops such as Worn Out West and Kitchen Stuff.

Also East of Hollywood is the big news - Silver Lake. In the last year this neighborhood has had an explosion of gay business and is soon to dominate the gay social life of Los Angeles. Here you will find: Jungle, the city's most popular bar done in a military motif; The One Way, the city's most heavy duty leather bar; and other bars such as the Lumber Yard, the Salvage Yard, the Bunkhouse and the Hyperion Baths. Many gays have moved to this area, drawn by the beautiful hills, inexpensive rents and hot action. Also, many of the businesses are within walking distance which makes an evening of bar-hopping quite easy.



BARS

ONE WAY

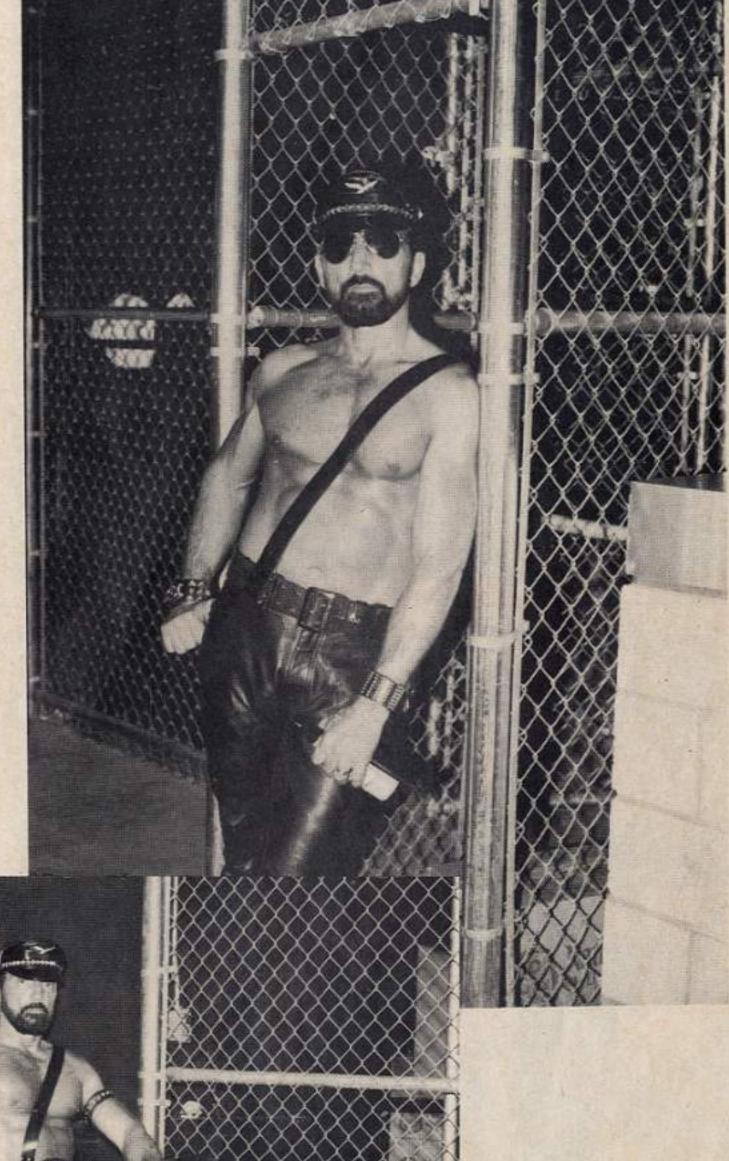
This is the heavy-duty leather bar of Los Angeles. It stands above all others as a strictly leather-oriented club. It is for purists who are true devotees of the scene. Mike, the owner, one of the hottest men in Los Angeles, sets the tone and feeling of this bar which has become something of a legend.

The decor is high-tech, chain-link fencing with black walls. The space is interestingly broken up, yet you can see every part of the bar from almost any vantage point. The back patio is a split-level meat rack where the prime cuts of L.A. hang out on warm Southern California evenings.

The musical programming deserves special attention. This is one of the few places that features advanced rock and roll and new wave music as a steady diet. The music is so important to the One Way that, even though it is a small bar, it has a live D.J.

If you are into leather and you are going to only one bar, make it the One Way. And make it late as the bar usually doesn't get going 'til after 11 pm. Featured in the photo is Val Martin, no stranger to the pages of *Drummer*, who makes this his home away from home—need we say more.

612 North Hoover Silver Lake, Los Angeles, CA (213) 660-9847





OFFICER'S CLUB

Attention to detail best describes the Officer's Club, the newest bar in North Hollywood. Extraordinary care in carrying through the uniform look makes this one of the smartest little bars to be found anywhere. Their beautifully designed military logo is found repeated on the beer mugs, metal badges of various sizes, in the ads and even on the bottom of the ash trays. All the bartenders have regulation police uniforms, a well-groomed appearance and a proper manner.

Donald Crespinel is the Commanding Officer at the Officer's Club. He is an attractive and friendly gentleman who spends considerable time in his bar — in fact, he is often found behind the bar.

Many of the bar's clientel are into uniforms, too. So if this is your trip, this is the place. The bars in Los Angeles, incidentally, are probably the most uniform oriented in the world. The Officer's Club has now taken this attitude to its highest level.

10522 Burbank Blvd. North Hollywood, CA (213) 760-9563



MOTHER LODE

This Spring was the opening of West Hollywood's newest and most successful bar – the Mother Lode. Created for your pleasure by the same talented team that built the Eagle up to one of Hollywood's most popular watering holes, the Mother Lode was an instant success. Packed day and night, it has become the favorite cruising spot of the local residents as well as the tourists who flock to "Boy's Town."

Located at "ground zero" so to speak, it is a short walk from Mother Lode to the shops, bars, discos and restaurants that collectively make "Boy's Town" the most compact and interesting gay neighborhood in Los Angeles. This area is active during the day as well as the evening; and the Mother Lode (as does all the other gay bars in the area) opens early to serve shoppers.

The Mother Lode is decorated in a Gold Rush motif with large photos of California's exciting Wild West period. The clientel and bartenders range in dress from cowboys to casual Southern California sportswear. Western clothing rather than leather is the dominant theme.

8944 Santa Monica Blvd. West Hollywood, CA 90069 (213) 659-9700

DRUMMER 48

THE STUD

One of the three major leather/Western bars in Los Angeles, The Stud generates a very friendly atmosphere that immediately makes one at ease. It is where many of the heavy-duty types let their hair down and relax.

The Stud has a kitchen and patio that is very popular on weekends, and on Tuesdays when they have a special spaghetti feed at 8 pm for \$2 that draws multitudes. The bar opens daily at 11 am with lunch starting at noon.

Part of a growing gay community East of Hollywood, the Stud and its neighbors have dubbed the area "East End Village" trying to give the place an identity of its own. The Stud's close neighbors include: Worn Out West, Leather Trade, and Kitchen Stuff; all open in the daytime. It is the perfect place for a drink or a quick bite to eat when shopping at these stores on Helio-

At night, the atmosphere is very different. This is a very cruisy bar where you can actually make out. Dress ranges from T-shirts with Levi's to leather and western and uniforms. This bar is a must see for visitors to Los Angeles.

4216 Melrose Ave. Los Angeles, CA (213) 660-0889



THE SPIKE

Recently remodeled, the Spike is one of the most masculine atmospheres in Hollywood. The sound system warrants special note: It is the cleanest and best sound in any bar along Santa Monica Blvd. And as a special treat, the bar has a live D.J. to play for the room.

In the back, there is a small outdoor patio area with a bar and a Bar B. Q. pit where on weekends and special holidays food is served.

The Spike opens early in the day and is a perfect spot for afternoon cocktails while shopping at the Pleasure Chest directly across the street. Close to many other bars along Santa Monica, The Spike should be put on any evening bar-hopping tour of Hollywood/West Hollywood. The Spike is one of the more leather oriented bars in the area and *Drummer* readers will feel right at home. Western and uniform clothing is also popular as well as the ubiquitous Levi's and T-shirt. Definitely friendly and festive, the Spike is active at all hours and is an easy make-out bar. Go expecting a good time and you will.

7746 Santa Monica Blvd. Hollywood, CA 90046 (213) 656-9343





RAW HIDE

If you are a true devotee of the cowboy scene and never, ever take your hat off, you'll love Raw Hide. New and very successful, Raw Hide is a huge bar that has become cowboy heaven on earth.

Live Country/Western bands seven nights a week, this has to be the most toe-tapping spot in Los Angeles. Not to be missed is Lonnie the singing bartender, featured in the photo, being backed up by the house band. The house band plays most nights; but on special occasions you get outside talents such as Pearl. Scheduled for the future are some big names that are to be announced through the local gay media — look for their ads.

Inside the bar is a small leather shop and bookstore, the PX, which also has a larger store at another location. Here you can buy *Drummer Magazine*, leather goods, toys and other items to make

your evening fun.

Raw Hide is one of two new bars in this area which is experiencing a true gay renaissance. Ron, one of the owners of Raw Hide, is anxious for other bars to open along Burbank Blvd. and sees the neighborhood as becoming Los Angeles' equivalent of San Francisco's Folsom district.

10937 Burbank Blvd, North Hollywood, CA (213) 760-9798



GRIFF'S

Among the most leather oriented bars in Los Angeles, Griff's is located right across the street from Paramont Studios. Although Griff's is very leather, the owners and bartenders are not without a sense of humor as the photo demonstrates. The people who operate and congregate at this bar know how to have a good time.

Very involved in activities, Griff's team in the Los Angeles Gay softball league now stands at this writing at 19 wins and no losses, the most incredible record any team has as yet achieved. This team spirit and devotion to the bar has made this place a home away from home for a whole generation of leather-

men.

As one of the three leather bars in Los Angeles, Drummer Magazine readers will want to put this place on their must see list. Griff's opens early in the afternoon for cocktails and really gets rolling in the early evening. Go expecting a hot time.

Griff's is near a number of leatheroriented shops such as the Leathermaker and the Leather Trade as well as the Stud bar. This area has much to offer those into the macho scene.

5574 Melrose Los Angeles, CA (213) 464-5576

THE EAGLE

One of the most popular and established Leather/western bars in Los Angeles, the Eagle is jammed to the rafters with Hollywood's most attractive men seven nights a week. The attraction is a friendly ambiance and congenial clientel. You can actually meet someone at the Eagle — the men who frequent this bar are out for fun.

Although it is not a large bar, the Eagle has gone the full measure to make your evening a memorable one! A live DJ provides the music programming; the rear room has a bar and pool table that is the focus of some of the "hottest games" in town.

The bar attracts a western/leather/ levi crowd that matches its masculine decor. Opening early in the day, the Eagle is a great place for cocktail hour when shopping or visiting other establishments along Santa Monica Blvd.

The Eagle, incidentally, recently opened another bar, the Mother Lode, which has become West Hollywood's most popular bar. Between the two of them, you have all bases covered and a guaranteed good time.

7864 Santa Monica Blvd. Hollywood, CA (213) 654-3252



SALVAGE YARD 1935 Hyperion Silver Lake, CA (213) 664-6994

Two new bars have opened right next door to each other on Hyperion, making this street one of the major gay business centers in Los Angeles. A number of gay establishments such as the Hyperion Baths, Swap Meat and Woody's Hyperion have been in business on Hyperion for some time.

The Salvage Yard, formerly Pure Trash, has been completely remodled and enlarged. It now is a bar on many levels with a huge outdoor patio and balcony.

The Lumber Yard has a small front bar and rear dance floor. Formerly, the Lumber Yard was Jack Wrangler's. It is open after hours on weekends.

Directly across the street from these two bars is the Casita Del Campo, the most popular Mexican restaurant with gays in Los Angeles.

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DRIVESHAFT

Here is a great little neighborhood leather/Levi bar. The men are friendly and hunky. The patio is very popular on warm Valley evenings. A new face is always welcomed as most of the clientel is from the local area.

The decor is Western and the music well-programmed. The bar has become the hang out for the local bike clubs, who are always out for a good time.

13751 Victory Blvd. Van Nuys, CA (213) 997-9067

THE HAYLOFT

The Hayloft is very much a Hollywood oriented bar — films are shown every night of the week, and on Saturdays and Sundays there's a double feature. Often one can see a surprise first-run full-length movie for free.

This bar also has the distinction of being one of the few after-hours bars in Los Angeles. It's a very late crowd and the cruising gets really heavy after 2 am. Leather Unlimited maintains a small shop inside of the Hayloft to fulfill your needs.

11818 Ventura Blvd. Studio City, CA (213) 769-8638

LA BAR

The LA Bar has started to jump with its new manager Michael Cascone. The bar is now having regular Bar-B-Que's and has attracted a number of new patrons, including the much needed support of the ICAU leagues for their meeting area. Becoming much more sports oriented, the Bar is also sponsoring its own tennis

team.

Right along the Santa Monica strip, LA is a perfect place to hit as you bar hop this major gay boulevard in the evening. Incidentally, there is parking available.

8265 Santa Monica Blvd. West Hollywood, CA (213) 656-8930

IN TOUCH LOUNGE

Brought to you by the Men at In Touch Magazine, this valley bar is a casual place to cruise or bring your lover to disco. The decor is slick, the lights are well done and the music is hot. The best part of In Touch is the area distribution. You can sit in the lounge area and have a quiet conversation, while watching the wild disco floor thru glass.

In Touch attracts a young crowd, and those who are looking for something 'tender' to take home and consume. The walls are graced with those notorious In Touch Models and you'll find a few of 'em out there dancing their asses off too.

4852 Van Nuys Blvd. Van Nuys, CA (213) 981-6693

PROBE

A private disco club, Probe is the center of much of the macho action among gay men who like to dance. Decorated in a very masculine modern manner, Probe has one of the best sound systems in all of Los Angeles, created by Graebar of New York City. As a private club with rather tight control at the door, it is almost necessary that you know a member

to get in, especially on weekends.

Probe is an afterhours club. It usually doesn't get going strong until after midnight, with the major action starting after the bars close at 2 AM. A real treat for those who like to dance — if you can get in.

836 No. Highland Hollywood, CA (213) 461-8301

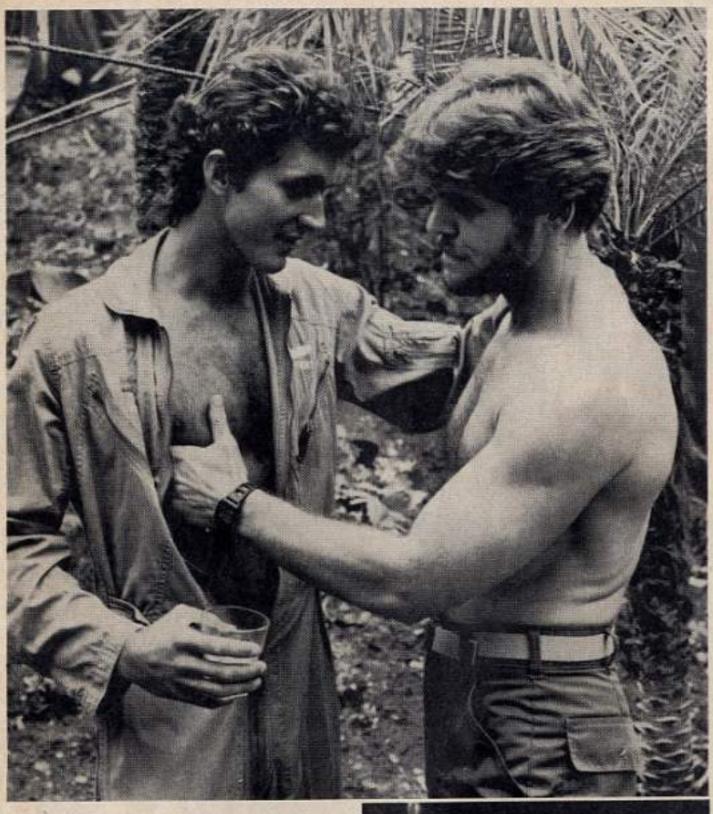
STUDIO ONE

One word can accurately describe Studio One — an institution. Award winning disco, award winning DJ's, award winning just about everything, Studio One is a vast entertainment complex including bars, one of the largest dance floors in Los Angeles and a show room, the Back Lot, that headlines some of the biggest talents in Hollywood. To list the performers who have played Studio One over the years would take much more room than we have here.

Studio One is the flag ship of Scott Forbes' Enterprises which includes The L.A. Bar and his special production company that has brought gay people such milestone events as Gay Day at Disneyland (which drew some 40,000 people and garnered international publicity). This man has brought more entertainment to more gay people than anyone else in the world.

Recently remodeled, Studio One is now a high-tech extravaganza that nightly attracts thousands of Los Angeles' most beautiful people. It is also a favorite of those who work in the recording industry. It is indeed where the Hollywood entertainment people go to play. Studio One is a short walk from some of West Hollywood's most interesting bars and shops.

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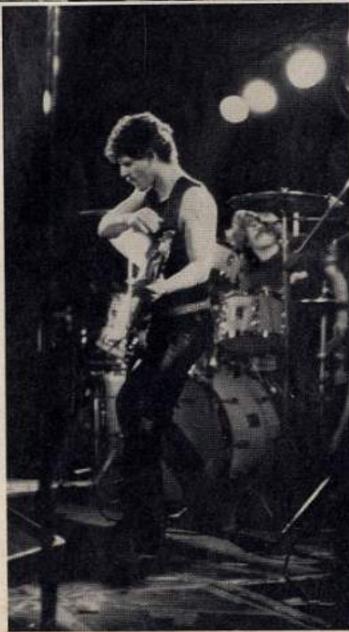


The most popular bar in all of Los Angeles is Jungle. Decorated in a high-tech military motif this bar took off like a rocket. It is a complete entertainment complex: a large bar in the front with a small dance floor, a live DJ, a large garden complex with outdoor bar and a snack shop called The Canteen.

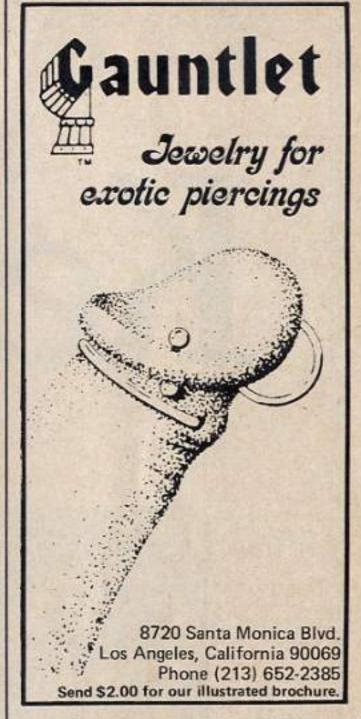
Located in Silver Lake, the new gay neighborhood, this bar has become the focus of social life in this area. On special evenings there is entertainment by major performers with no cover such as: Jean Shy, The Skatt Brothers, Swing and The Campers — and this is just since their opening on Memorial Day.

Every detail of Jungle is done with great style including its poster, a 17 by 23 inch version of the ad in this issue. This full color poster has been the most successful bar poster in years. It can be gotten by mail for \$2 plus \$1 for postage and handling by writing the bar. Jungle, incidentally, is a brother establishment to the famous West Hollywood bar, The Blue Parrot.

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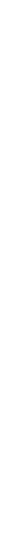
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PLASTIC MAN

In terms of relating to the human body in a plastic sense (and we're not talking about latex), Los Angeles must hold some sort of record. People change and alter their physical form here the way some people change underwear. Los Angeles has to be the face-lift capital of the world — not to mention silicone tits and ass, artificial tans, electrolysis of the whatever, tattoos and body jewelry.

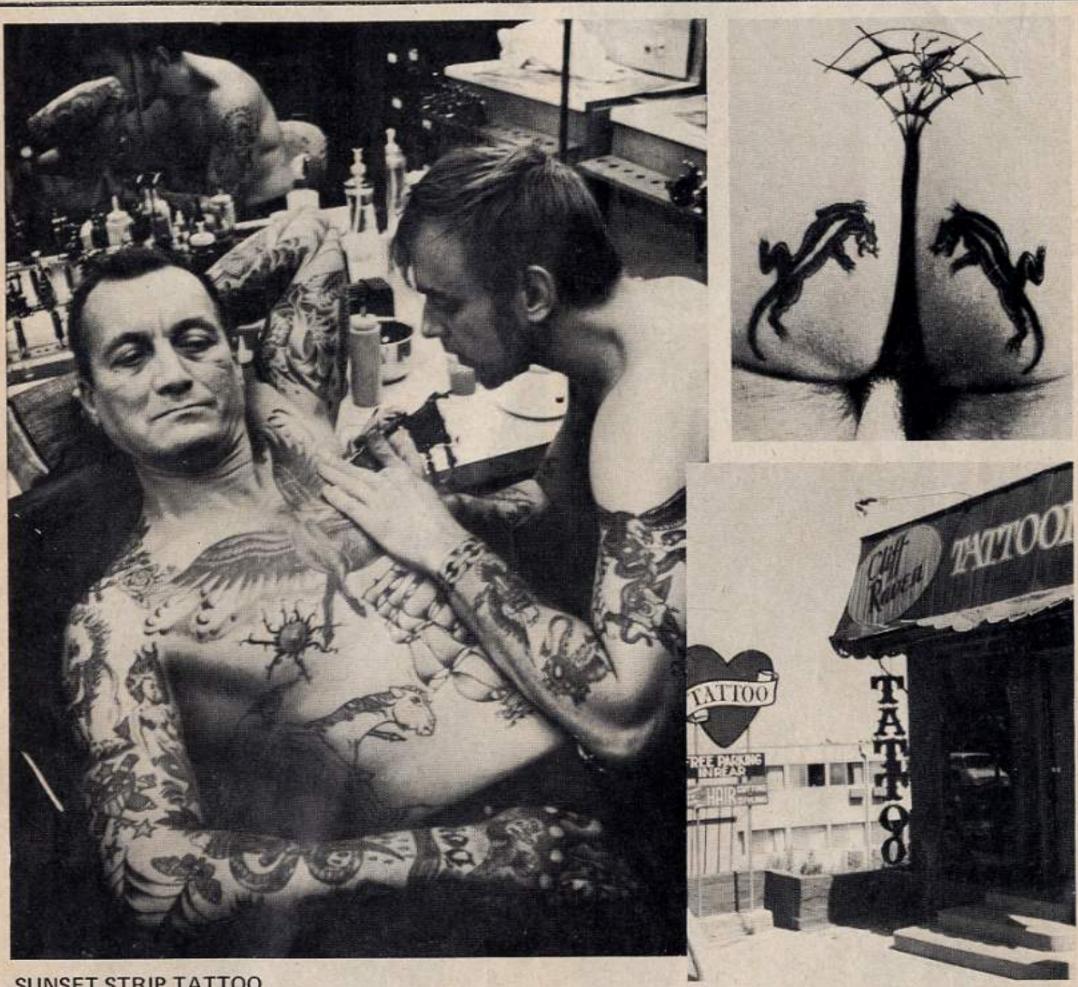
The plastic man - one who has been

changed in shape — is so common that it has almost become a status symbol. Is this Hollywood's influence again? Among the more macho and acceptably butch ways you can express yourself through changing your body is with tattoos. The reigning king of the tattoos is definitely Cliff Raven and Company who hold forth at the Sunset Strip Tattoo. Piercing is also very popular among gay men and the best in Los Angeles is Gauntlet. Both tattoos and piercing require steady nerves

(or a lot of vodka) and a high tolerance

for pain.

For some, enduring either a tattoo or piercing has become something of a masculinity rite that sets one apart. On this and the next page are examples of personal visions that have manifested themselves into reality. It should be remembered that both of the individual artists involved, Cliff Raven and The Gauntlet, are masters of the purest aspects of that vision.



SUNSET STRIP TATTOO Cliff Raven

There are businesses in Los Angeles that have gained local fame, but Cliff Raven and company are an international institution. A master of the Japanese style of tattoo, Cliff Raven studied with the world famous Phil Andros.

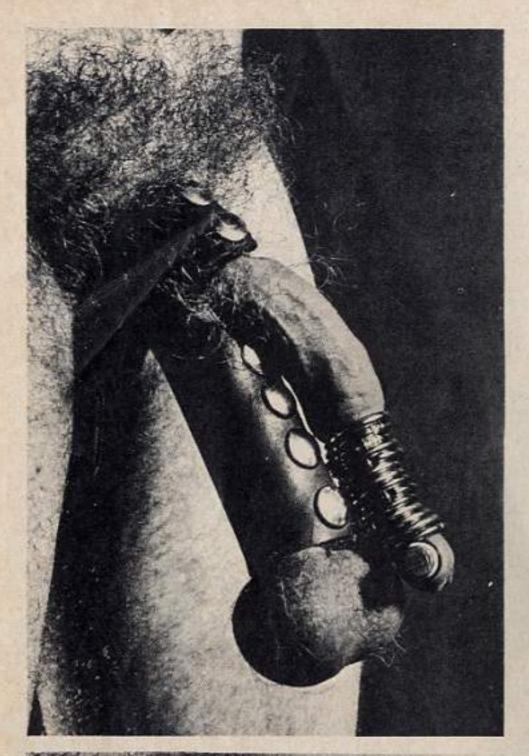
In the five years that Cliff has been in business, he has tattooed some of the hottest men in the country as well as many Hollywood personalities. People come from as far away as Key West and New York just to take advantage of this man's special skills.

You've no doubt seen Cliff's work already in the pages of *Drummer Magazine* and other national publications. His work ranges from the smallest little spider on the back of your hand to a huge lapanese leopard that starts with a roar

on your shoulder and ends with its tail on your cock.

By the time this issue hits the newsstands, Cliff Raven's second store will be open for business in San Francisco at 451 Ninth Street in the Folsom area.

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GAUNTLET

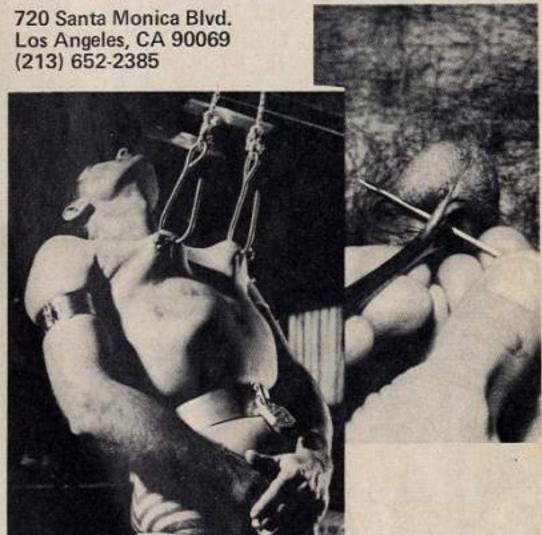
Body jewelry has become a signature of the macho man everywhere. The most popular and famous vendor of body jewelry in Los Angeles is Gauntlet, whose motto is "If you want it pierced, we'll pierce it."

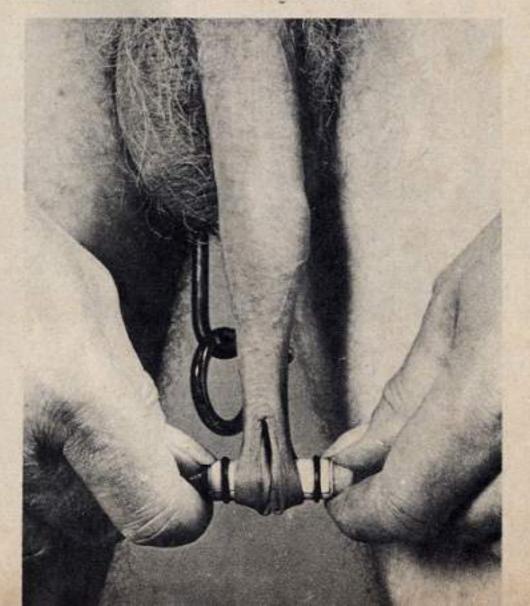
The high amount of integrity and craftsman ship with which the staff both fashion their wares and present them to the public is impressive. Their Prince Albert cock rings will definitely make you stand out from the crowd. When a Gauntlet nipple ring is dangling from a tan, bulging tit, it can make you cum in your jeans.

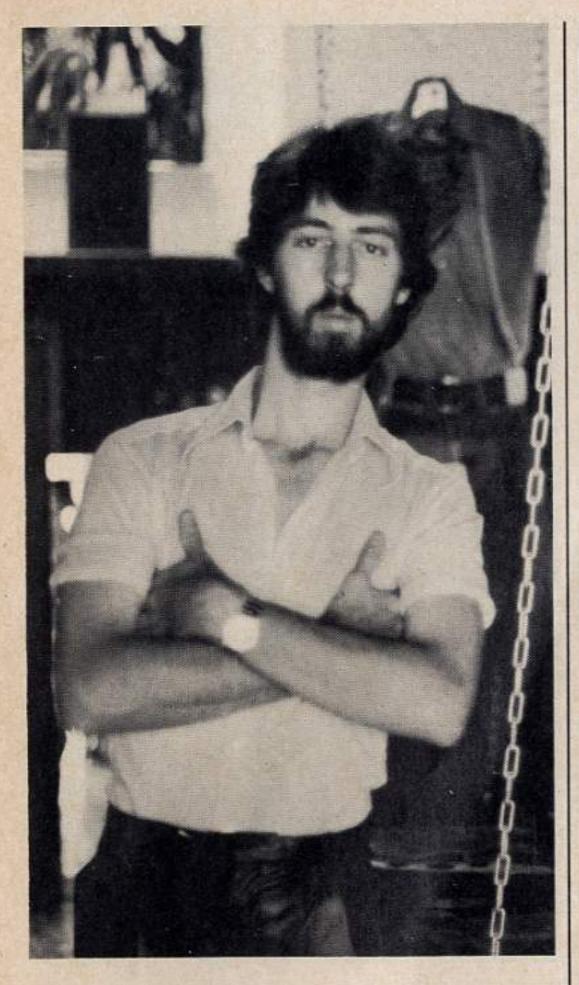
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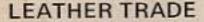
Each piece is custom made in their shop by Jim Ward, the smith. He works wonders in gold, silver and surgical steel. Each purchase also includes a free piercing. Also, if you have a particular fantasy in body jewelry, Jim Ward will fashion it

to your specs.







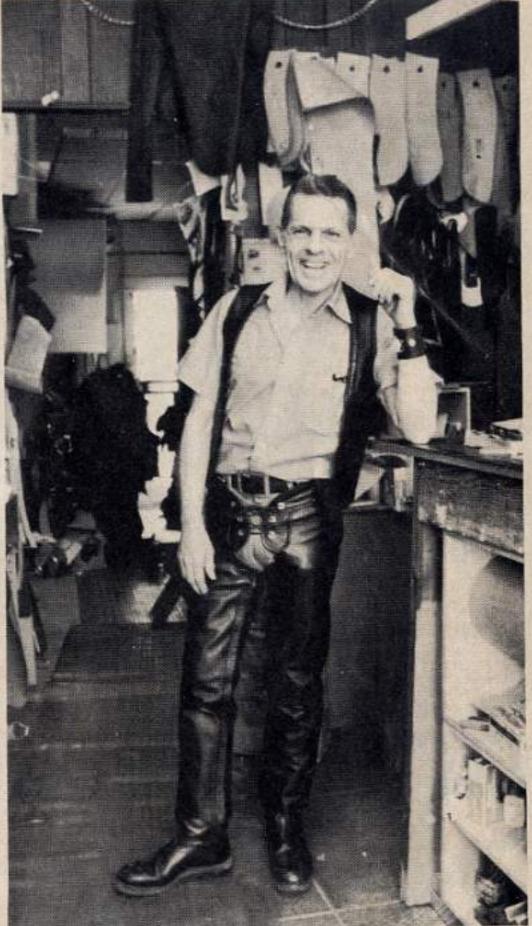


Part of a growing group of gay businesses in an area that has been recently dubbed "East End Village," Leather Trade is an alternative to other custom leather shops. The goal of the owners of Leather Trade is, "to make leather items according to the styles our customers request, not what we want to impose upon them." It is a complete service shop, not only offering custom leather, but also doing alterations, repairs, restyling and even cleaning of leather goods.

Leather Trade also pledges completion of items in ten days or less. The shop offers a wide display of items for your inspiration as samples or off-the-rack sale that appeals to both cycle or western tastes.

Leather Trade is new to Los Angeles having opened on June 8th and has already gained a faithful following. If you are looking for something in leather that you can't find somewhere else, drop by and Dan will be happy to help you design what you like. Leather tailors Carlos or Raymond will build your fantasy garment to your compelte satisfaction.

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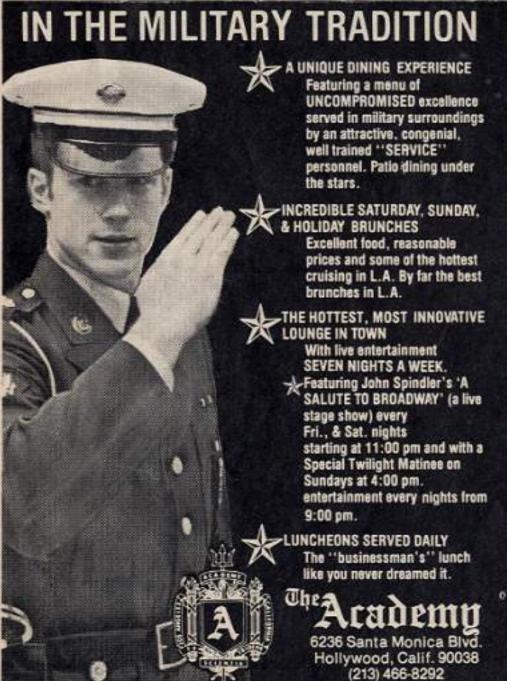
THE LEATHERMAKER

The Leathermaker is not the name of a shop but the name of a man — D.L. Sterling — and quite a remarkable man at that. Twenty years ago he invented black leather cycle chaps: He says, "It may come as a surprise to newcomers to learn that cycle chaps were not made before, but in 1960 a biker who wanted leg protection either had to wear leather jeans or breeches with boots. All of these had to be donned before setting out on the bike, and had to be kept on until clothes came off — there was no easy-on, easy-off protective legwear. Of course, cowboy chaps were being made, but they were for horses, and there was a kind of unspoken dress code which forbad a biker from dressing like a cowboy until I adapted the style for my use and made them in black leather instead of western brown. When other bikers saw me, that's all it took to start a new fashion."

D.L. Sterling models, in the photo, the first style of chaps made for bikers, and has since refined that design a number of times. His latest design features chapwear with the zipper on the outside. He is open Tuesday through Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm.

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THE LEATHER GAME

One of the premier makers and sellers of leather to leathermen, the Leather Game is among the oldest leather shops in Los Angeles. Gary Zamrock and company have just completed their 10th anniversary. The tradition of high quality and innovations in leather toys, harnesses and chaps begun by Michael Whalen (their founder) is carried on by Rob Reline. Chuck, their cutter, is one of the best known in Los Angeles. Then when Jay fits you, you know it is going to look perfect.

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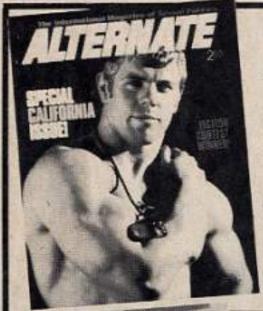
All magazines have readers who vary in loyalty to their favorite periodicals. If they remember to, some readers will look through the current issue at the stand or store and if there is something that interests them, will pick up a copy. The trouble with some gay magazines is that they can be read completely right at the newstand in a matter of minutes. Other readers will trade off one magazine for another with their freinds to save on what the cost of magazines is these days.

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Inside there is a large detention cell and many small jail cells. The slings are always in use. There is a large public bathroom for the wet and wild. Especially crowded after hours. Drummer readers won't want to miss visiting this place.

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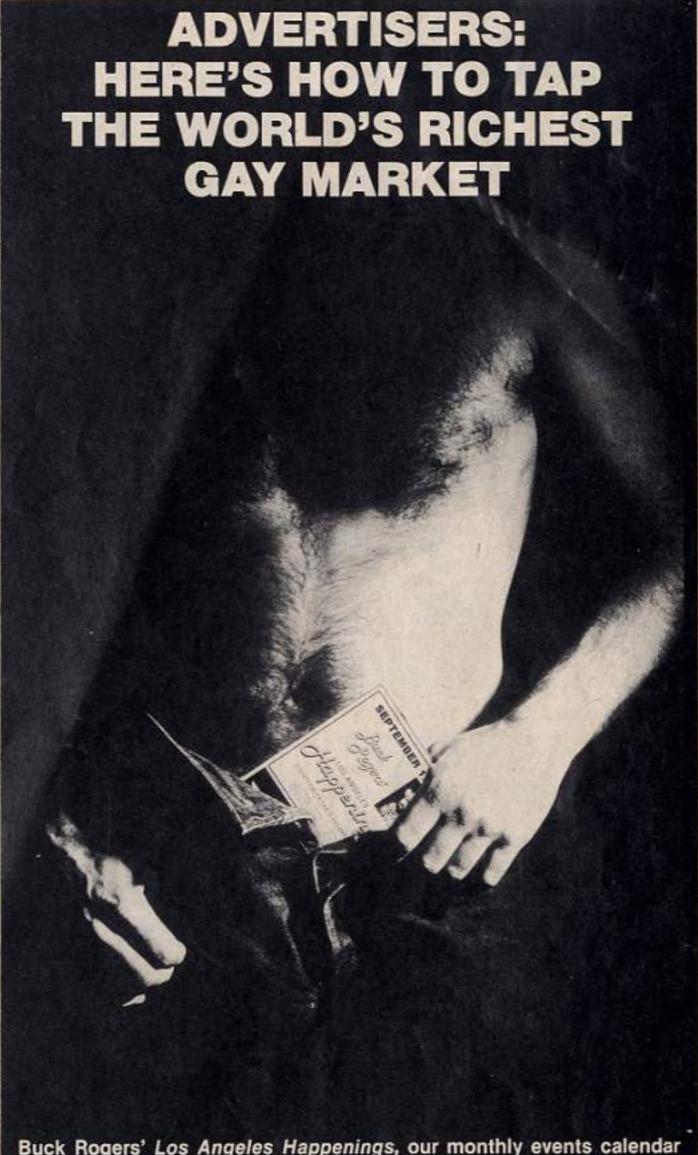
The oldest bathhouse in the Valley, the Corral Club has two floors of public rooms, many of them with slings. All the usual facilities of a bathhouse. The men are hot, local, Valley types for the most part. Most active on the weekends, of course.

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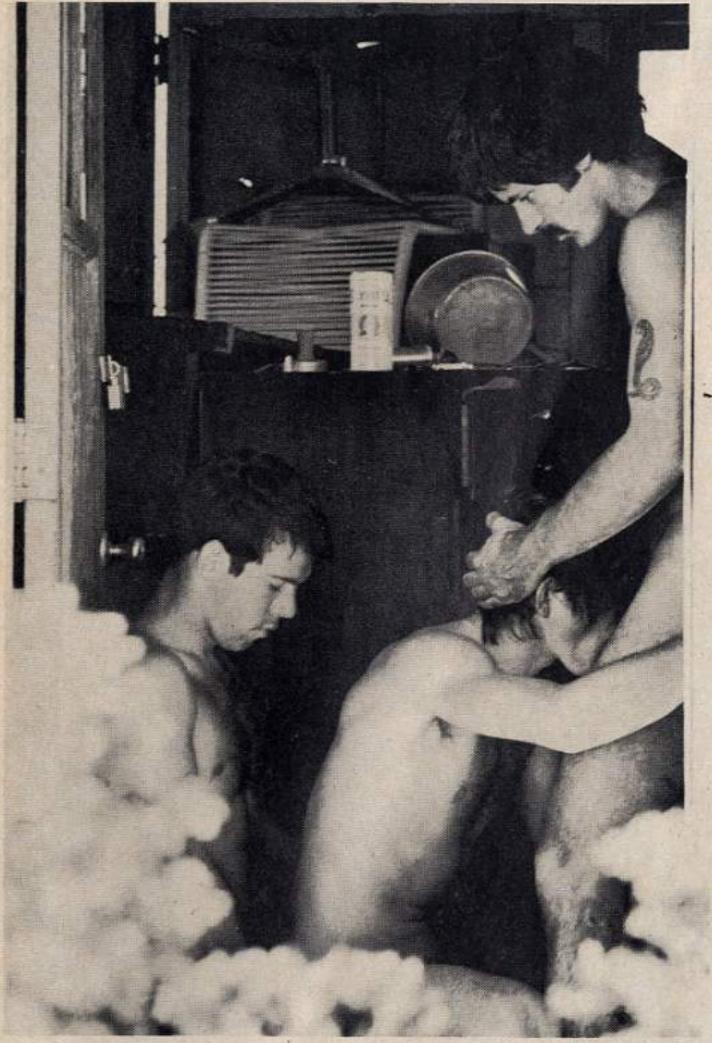
Lunch and dinner are served daily in the main dining room and patio. Special brunches are served on Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays and are popular with the uniform crowd throughout Los Angeles.

A special attraction of the Academy is the show lounge with live entertainment seven nights a week. On Fridays and Saturdays the show is John Spindler's "A Salute to Broadway," an engaging musical revue featuring some of Hollywood's most talented newcomers, some of whom are certainly destined to careers in television and motion pictures. Show times start at 11 pm with a special matinee on Sunday afternoons at 4 pm after brunch.

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The Century Theatre is currently the oldest gay-owned and operated theatre showing explicit gay films in all of Los Angeles. Which is to say a lot, since the movie capitol of the world has been remiss in maintaining a gay film theatre over the past couple decades.

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Helping the gay community communicate with itself is Data Boy publication and advertising agency and the Los Angeles staff of the Voice. A number of advertising agencies that specialize in gay promotions exist in Los Angeles including: Business Graphics, Fine Line Advertising, M&M Advertising and Ty Davidson Designs. In Touch Magazine also makes its home in L.A.

Other service companies exist such as Buck Rogers' California Discoveries and Sid Barbaro's Hollywood Alarm Systems

Outside the commercial world, many service organizations have been set up to help the gay community. The Gay Men's and Lesbian's Community Center has over 80 employees in a dozen different departments from V.D. to employment to legal assistance. The National Gay Archives has the largest collection of gay oriented printed matter in the world. Any trip to Los Angeles should include a visit to the archives on Hudson Street just off Hollywood Blvd.

Many gay lawyers and doctors and other professionals specializing in gay problems, make their home in Los Angeles and are anxious to have other gays as clients. Lists of such professionals can be obtained from the Gay Center.

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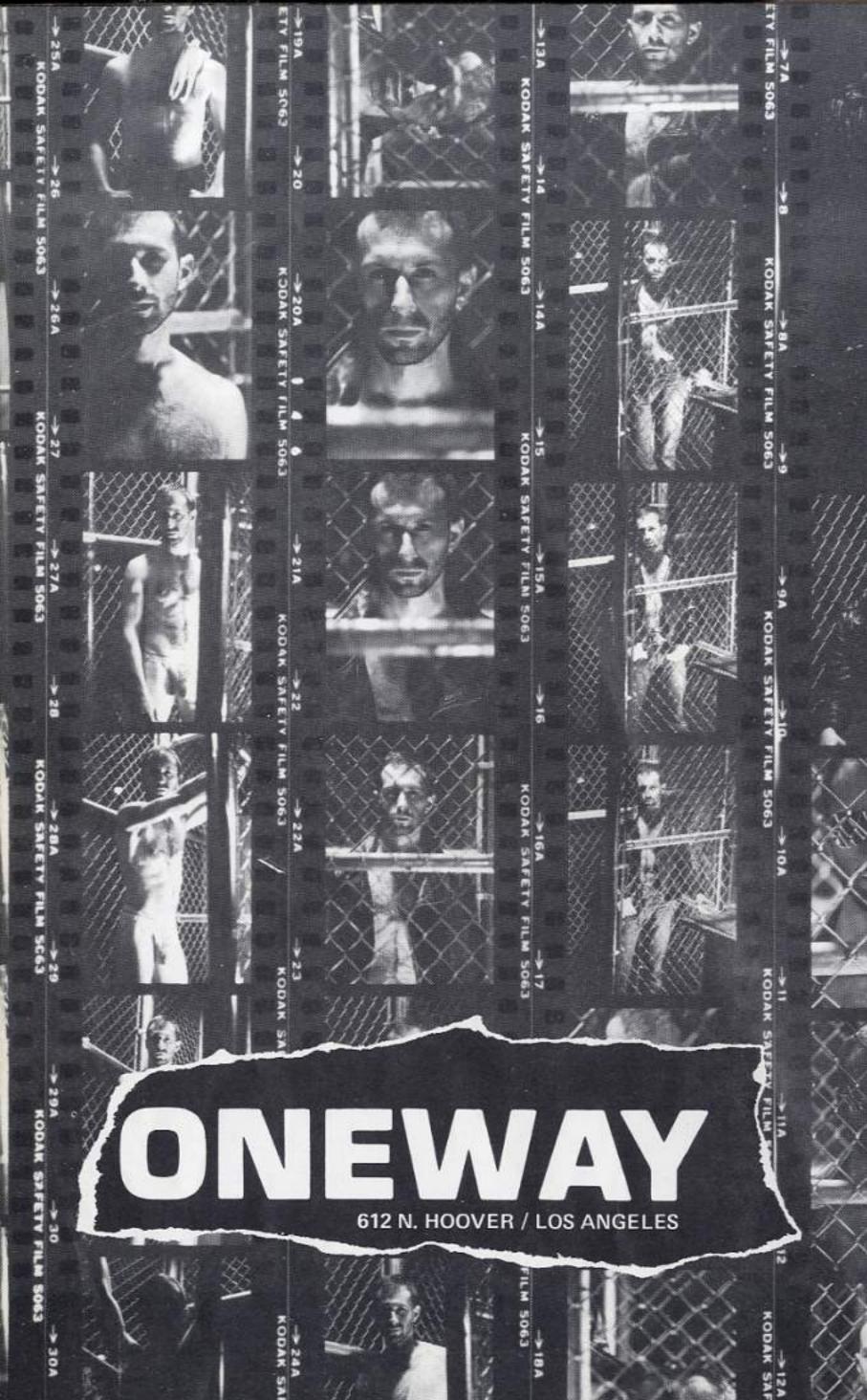


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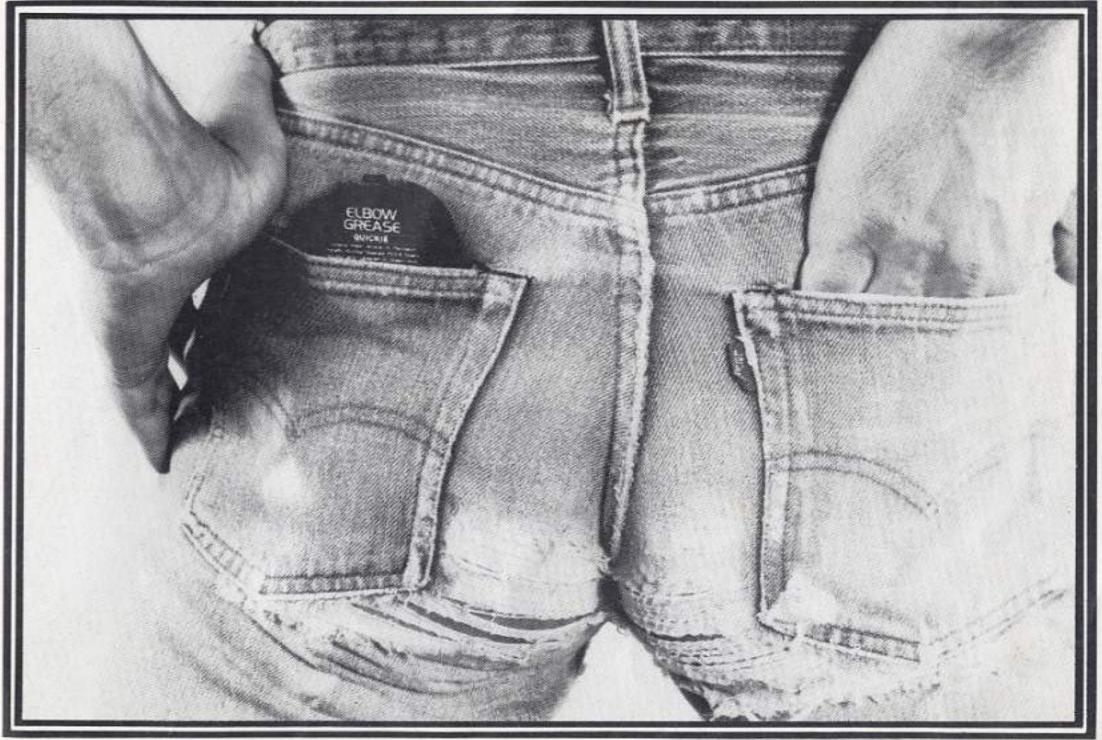


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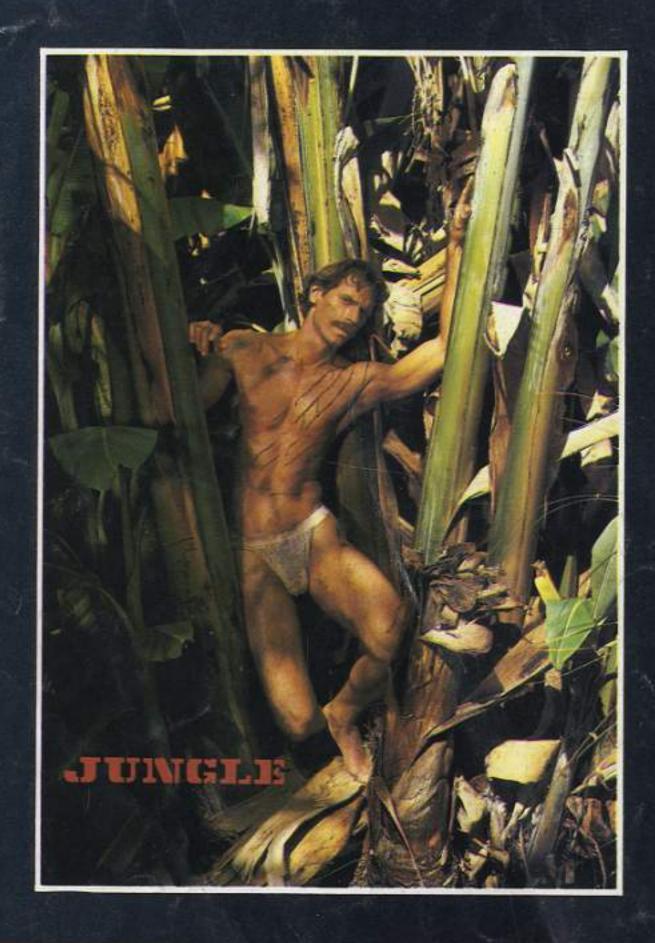
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