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THE CORRECTLY SPELLED ISSUE

SID VICIOUS INTERVIEW-FLIMFLAM

FADE IN. THE CAMERA PANS OVER A SKATER'S ROOM TO FIND THE SKATER AT HIS DESK, LEANING BACK IN HIS CHAIR LISTENING TO D.R.I.. THE SCOTH OF THE MUSIC PULLS HIM INTO A DREAM DEMENTION OF WORDS AND PICTURES.

HEY KIDDIES! WELCOME TO ISSUE NUMBER THREE, OR AS MOST PEOPLE AROUND HERE SAY "NUMERO TRES." YES, THIS IS THE CORRECTLY SPELLED ISSUE, AND NO, WE'RE NOT GONNA INTERVIEW SID, THAT'S A JOKE YOU DORK. YEA, WE KNEW PREPERATION WAS MIS-SPELLED ALL ALONG, WE JUST WANTED TO SEE IF YOU GUYS KNEW HOW TO SPELL IT. YOU PEOPLE AREN'T TOO SMART ARE YA? THIS ISSUE'S CHOCK FULLA LIES AND FRAUD, SEE IF YOU CAN FIND IT.

RUMORS HAVE IT THAT THE INFAMOUS LARRY'S ORGANIZATION H.A.S. (HUMANS AGAINST SKATERS) IS GROWING DAILY AND WILL SOON BE PRODUCING SHIRTS AND STICKERS, LOOK FOR IT! NO, I STILL HAVEN'T GOTTEN ANY NEW RIBBON FOR MY TYPEWRITER SO YOU CAN CONTINUE TO ENJOY THE SPLENDOR OF HANDWRITING. IF YOU HAVEN'T GOTTEN YOUR ISSUE OF PREPARATION S YET, ~~WAKE UP~~ YOUR READING IT! NOW TAKE A DEEP BREATH, RELAX, AND CONTINUE. -AAA

THE SKATERS HEAD TILTS BACK AND HE DRIFTS DEEPER INTO DELUSIONMENT.



ME-LAYBACK HANDOUT

ON THE COVER: EVERYBODY'S FAVORITE SUPER HUNK SKATE HERO, COREY WEBSTER!

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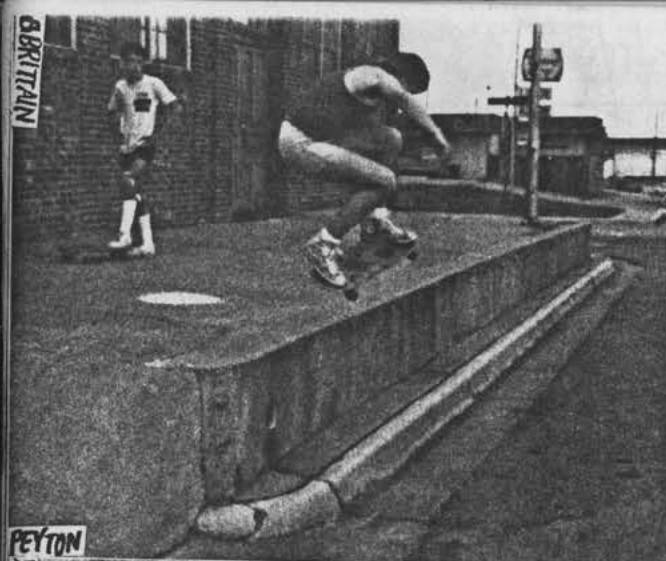
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BACK ISSUES

OF ONE AND TWO ARE STILL AROUND FOR 75 PENNIES



PS FAN CLUB ASSEMBLY



PEYTON



ERIC PENLAND - ANAL AIR

THE DEAD DITCH DOWNTOWN, LONG IGNORED FOR ITS MELLOW INCLINES, HAS NOW BEEN FOUND TO ACTUALLY BE GOOD FOR SOMETHING. IT SEEMS PEYTON, RECENTLY CAME UP WITH THE IDEA OF FLYING OFF THE HARSH STEEP CORNER AND IT THROWS YOU UP TWO AND A HALF FEET, OVER THE WALL, OVER THE CURB, OUT INTO THE TRAFFIC OF THE ADJOINING FREEWAY. THERE'S EVEN ENOUGH AIRTIME FOR CONTORTIONS, MORE IN #4.

THIS IS THE BIG WOODEN THING RAMP HERE IN PALESTINE. BUILT AT THE END OF 1985 WITH 8 1/2' TRANS., 1' VERT AND .16' WIDE WE'LL BE GETTING SOME LONG AWAITED COVERAGE NEXT ISH. RECENTLY INSTALLED WITH A SECOND DECK (ONE DECK?) AND A NEW LAYER OF PLY IT'S IN TOP CONDITION SO ANYONE WANTING TO SKATE IT CALL ME AT THE NUMBER HERE SOMEWHERE IN THE MAG.



THANQUES TO: SONNY'S MOTHER, MY FAMILY, ALL MAGS AND THEIR MAKERS, SPORTS ILLUSTRATED FOR THEIR GOOD REVUE OF US IN THE JUNE ISSUE P.112, MY DEAD FISH HORACE, THE ACADEMY, ALL THE LITTLE PEOPLE OUT THERE, XEROX INCORPORATED, MEMORIAL HOSPITAL KODAK INCORPORATED, (OR MAYBE KODAK SHOULD BE THANKING ME), BAND-AID BRAND BANDAGES, AND ESPECIALLY LARRY FOR WITHOUT WHOM I COULD NOT EXIST.

R#1 NEW ROSS, IN.

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CAVES... SKEN... CARTOONS... CONTRIBUTIONS... DRAWINGS... ANY OTHER JUNK

SEND A COUPLE STAMPS

PEYTON'S PLACE. I STILL THINK THERE'S A HOTEL WITH A NAME SIMILAR TO THAT.



PEYTON'S PLACE

G-ELEVEN HEADQUARTERS

PUT SIMPLY PEYTON'S PLACE IS OUR MEETING PLACE. AS HE FORSEES OUR RAMPS, SLIDE PIPE, BLOCK, ETC., WE GO THERE FOR GROUP SESSIONS. WE EITHER DABBLE WITH THE QUARTERS IN THE BACK OR PULL A JUMP RAMP INTO THE STREET. PEYTON'S DAD OFFERS A COUPLE BUCKS FOR THE BIGGEST AIR WHEN BORED. THE PLACE HAS LIGHTS AND A CIRCULAR SLICK CURB FOR GRINDING. PLUS IT'S ONLY A FEW BLOCKS FROM THE BIG WOODEN THING RAMP AND VERT. BUT OVERALL I'D HAVE TO SAY MY FAVORITE THING TO DO THERE IS GO INSIDE AND CLEAN OUT THE FRIG, BUT THEN, I DO THAT AT EVERYONE'S HOUSE.

A Day in the Life of Larry

YOU MAY BE ASKING YOURSELF "JUST WHO IS THIS LARRY GUY; WHAT'S HE TRYING TO DO?" IN FACT LARRY IS BUT A SIMPLE MAN, WHO'S MAIN PURPOSE IN LIFE IS TO MAKE LIFE A LIVING HELL FOR ALL SKATERS. LARRY IS UNREASONABLE POLICE; LARRY IS THE PEOPLE AT CITY HALL, LARRY IS THE COMPLAINING NEIGHBORS. LARRY IS ALL THOSE AGAINST US FOR NO PARTICULAR REASON. TO BETTER EXPLAIN, HERE'S LARRY.

7:00 AM SEARCHES THE NEIGHBORHOOD IN TAURUS FOR HOODLUMSKATERS

8:00 AM HE GOES DOOR TO DOOR FOR PETITION SIGNATURES.

11:00 AM WORKS AT OFFICE WRITING COMPLAINT LETTERS TO THRASHER.

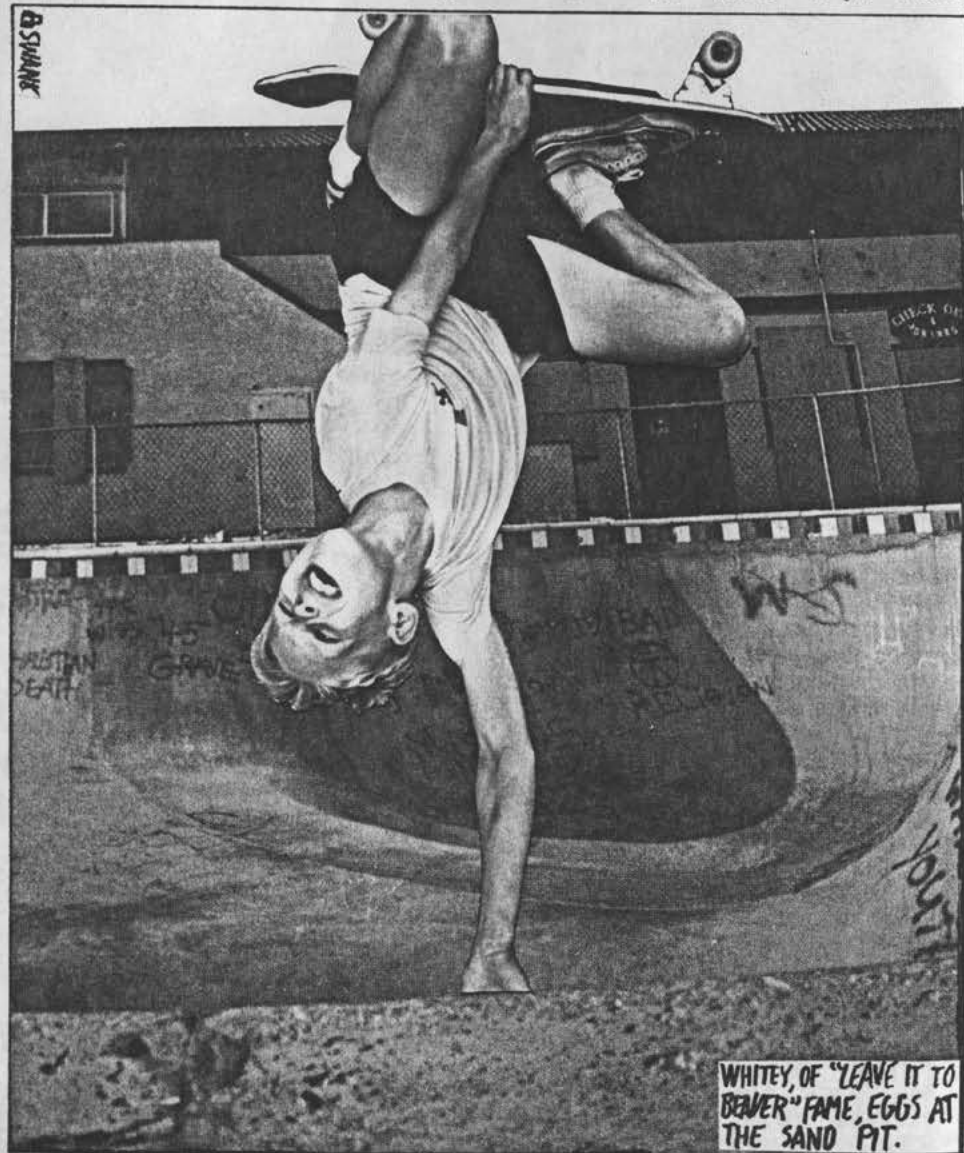
11:30 HE HELPS ORGANIZE HAS. CONVENTION (HUMANS AGAINST SKATERS).

4:00 PM HE LEAVES WORK EARLY TO VISIT CITY HALL AND COMPLAIN ABOUT RAMP NOISE.

6:00 PM LARRY GOES HOME CONTENT ON MAKING THE WORLD A LITTLE LESS SKATEABLE

Bit 'o Vert

HERE'S A FEW PICS FOR THOSE WHO THINK
WE DON'T SHOW ENOUGH LOCALS ON VERT.



WHITEY, OF "LEAVE IT TO
BEVER" FAME, EGGS AT
THE SAND PIT.

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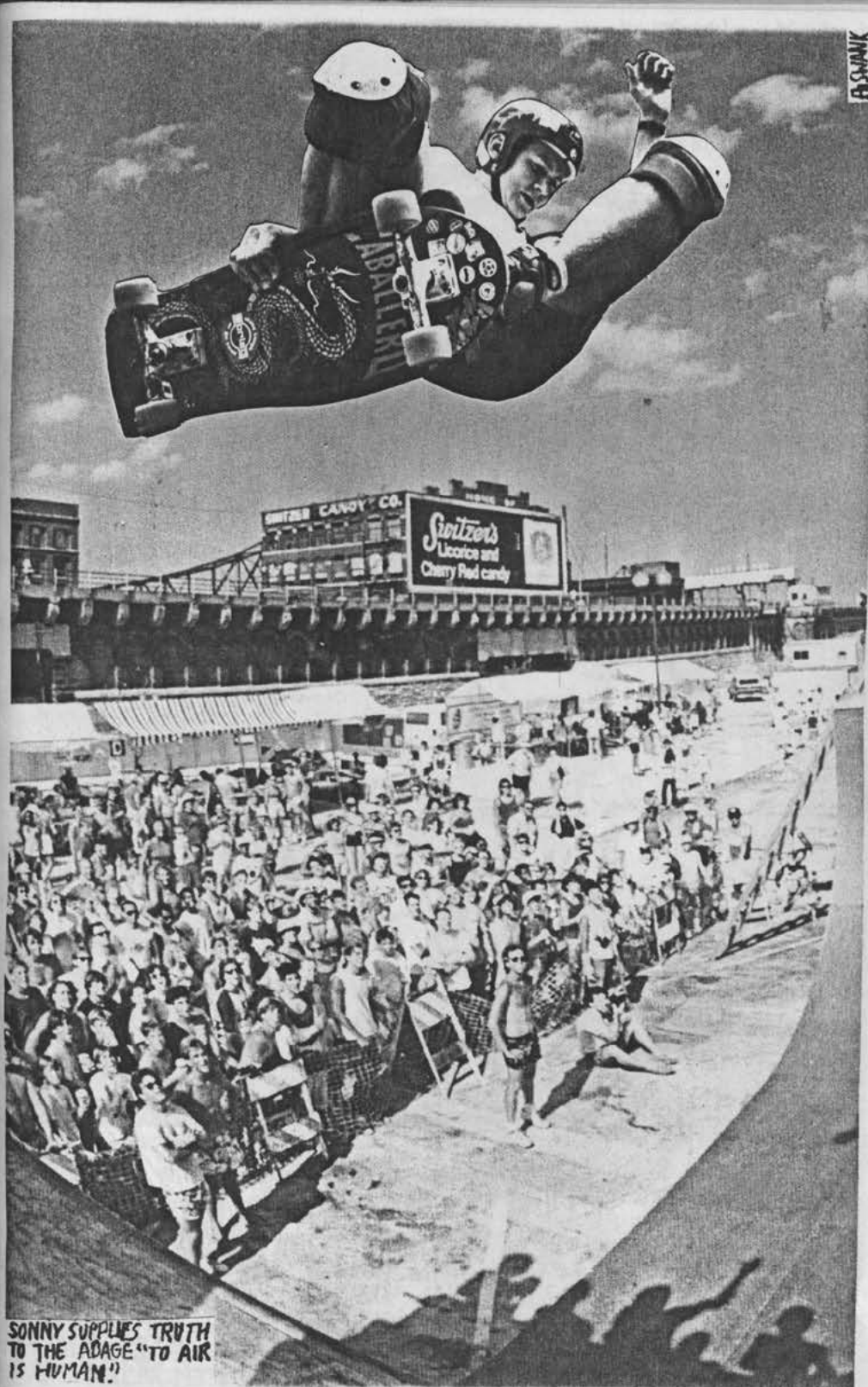
BROKEN BONE BACK-
SIDE, COURTESY OF
AAA.



SCOTT-SACRAMENTO CLAP



JOE COOL OLLIE LAUNCH

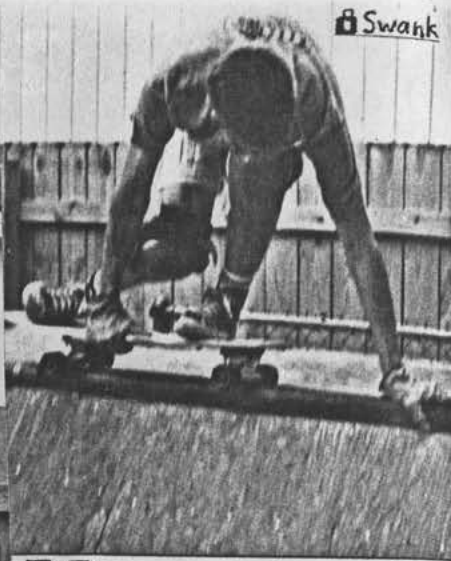


SONNY SUPPLIES TRUTH TO THE ADAGE "TO AIR IS HUMAN."

Trick Tips NOBODY'S DONE YET



Layback



Swank

Nosepick



This trick requires more than a little footwork. Go up in an alley oop backside grind. While still grinding backwards grab the board and place your front hand. Put weight on the nose and push with the front hand to maintain grind. Hop off the coping and roll out while throwing your weight onto the board. Now go do it or die trying.

B Y S G O T T

IM PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THE COMPLETE VICTORY OVER THE EVIL WORD "RAD" IN PALESTINE. IT WAS A LONG, TOUGH FIGHT BUT THROUGH P.S #1 AND WORD OF MOUTH, MY IDEA CAUGHT ON AND RAD HAS BEEN RECALLED AS AN ACTUAL WORD AS A MATTER OF FACT. WE'VE TAKEN TO USING THE, UM, WORD, IN PLACE OF THE WORD "SUCK" FOR EXAMPLE "MOTOCROSS IS RAD." TO THOSE WHO STOPPED SAYING IT, THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO STILL SAY IT, STOP; AND TO THOSE WHO NEVER SAID IT, CONGRATULATIONS!



PEYTON-JUMP RAMP PLANT



NEAL-TONGUE ROLL AIR

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A Mid-Summer's Night Ditch Run

HE SKY WAS DARK
THE DITCH WAS LIGHTED
URGED TO SKATE
COULDN'T FIGHT IT

I PLANNED A RUN
INSIDE MY MIND
A BONELESS, A CARVE
AND THEN A GRIND

I SPED IN
BONELESS TO THE CLOUDS
STYLED A CARVE,
THEN GROUND LOUD

NO MCTWIST
NO ROCKET AIR
JUST HAD FUN
WITH WHAT WAS THERE



COURTESY OF KEMAL AT THE SLIME SHEET

UNDERGROUND

Compared with the smallest circulation commercial publications, fanzines have genuinely tiny subscription lists. Even the most successful have never reached more than 10,000 readers. Fanzines are produced for the sheer pleasure of it, and for them even to break even is an achievement.



THE STUFF NEAL LIKES BY NEAL

IF YOU'RE ABOUT THE NORMAL SIZE (130-150lb) NOTHING BEATS A NEIL BLENDER BOARD. WHETHER YOU RIDE STREET OR RAMP, IT WILL FULFILL YOUR EVERY NEED. ANOTHER GOOD BOARD IS THE SANTA CRUZ CLAU'S GRABKE; ITS WELL SHAPED AND EQUIPPED WITH A GREAT CONCAVE. THE JEFF PHILLIPS IS GOOD FOR RAMP BUT IT LACKS SOMETHING IN THE STREET. THERE ARE SEVERAL WHEELS I LIKE. POWELL RATS ARE GOOD ALL-AROUND WHEELS. THEY KEEP THEIR HARDNESS AND DON'T COME TOO BAD. SLIME BALLS ARE EXCELLENT THATS ALL I EVER RIDE. THE GENERAL OPINION AROUND HERE IS AGAINST INDEPENDENT TRUCKS-THEIR BASEPLATES AND AXLES BREAK WITHIN TWO MONTHS, WE HAVEN'T TRIED THE NEW DESIGNS THOUGH. TRACKERS ARE LIGHT AND GOOD TO USE ON RAMP BUT IN THE STREET THE BASEPLATES TEND TO CRACK AROUND THE SCREWS, PLUS IF THE KINGPIN BREAKS YOU'RE SCREWED. EVEN THOUGH GULLINGS ARE HEAVY, THEY GRIND GREAT, DON'T BREAK EASY, AND TURN WELL, THEY'RE THE TRUCK FOR ME THATS JUST ABOUT IT.

A SCENE ZINE REPORT



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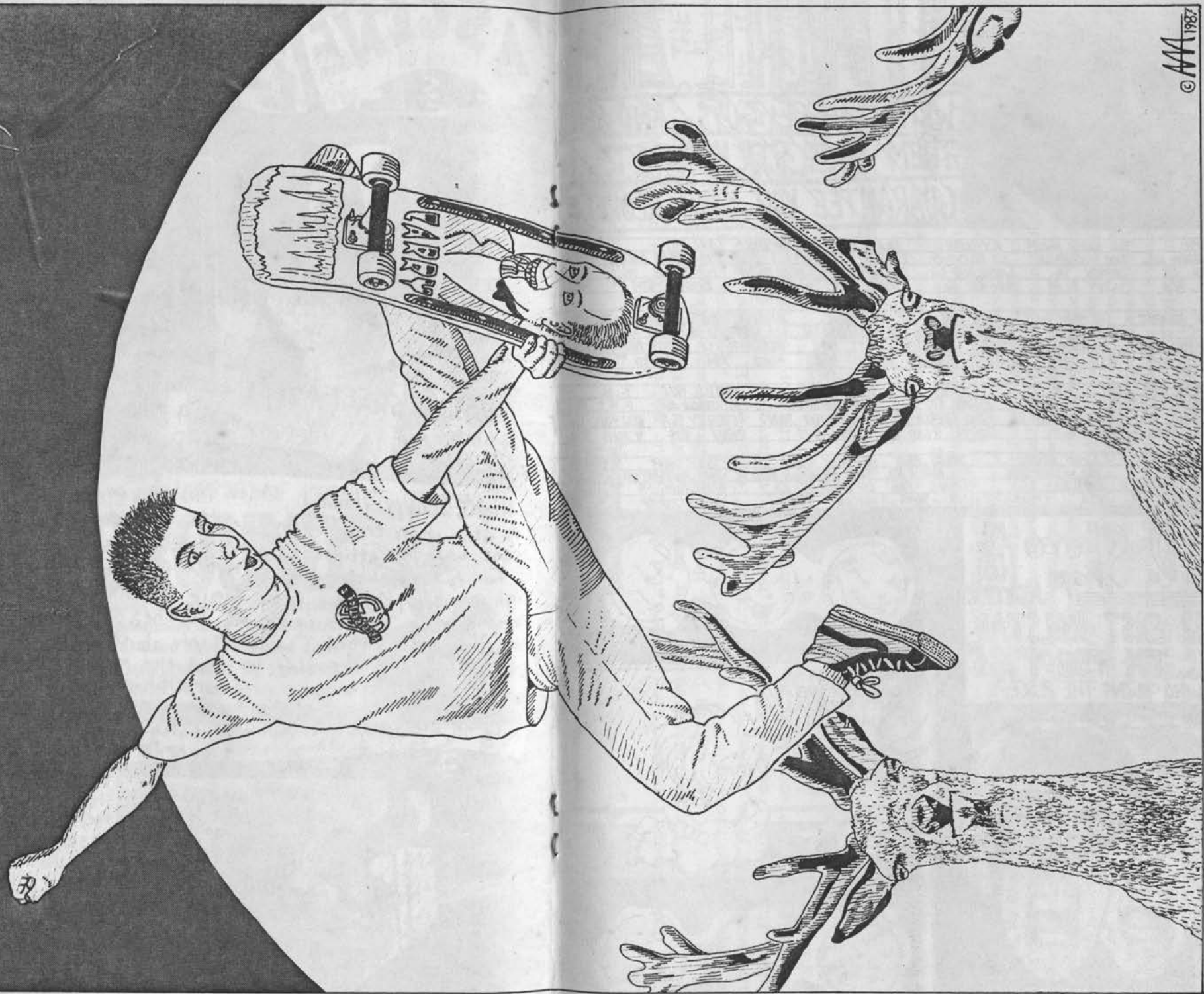
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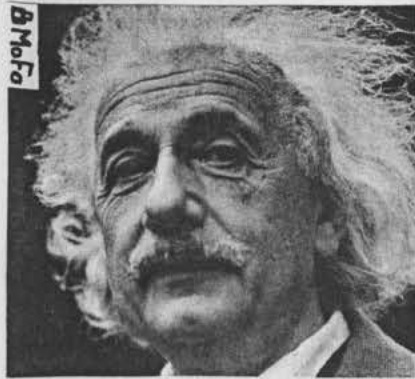
Right, Scappy Skallow Uh, on this one small page I'm going to attempt to enlighten you on the Harrisburg, Pennsylvania scene and the attitude of our zine. Harrisburg has a number of fair to good skate spots. We make frequent trips to the 12' high monster, Keystone Ramp. Jamie Johnson has a newly built ramp and we have a couple of ditches. But, do you care? I'm sure you don't. What I will tell you about is our attitude towards life, skating, and our zine. We feel the purpose of life is to have fun and the same goes for skating. We don't care about impressing anyone we skate for fun. We also know you don't have to dress, talk a certain way, listen to hardcore, and have a shaved head in order to skate.



We don't like this stereotype some feel they must fit in order to skate. It's not needed. Skate for fun and be yourself. Thanks, Kemal

To find out more about our scene and attitude send a stamp to:
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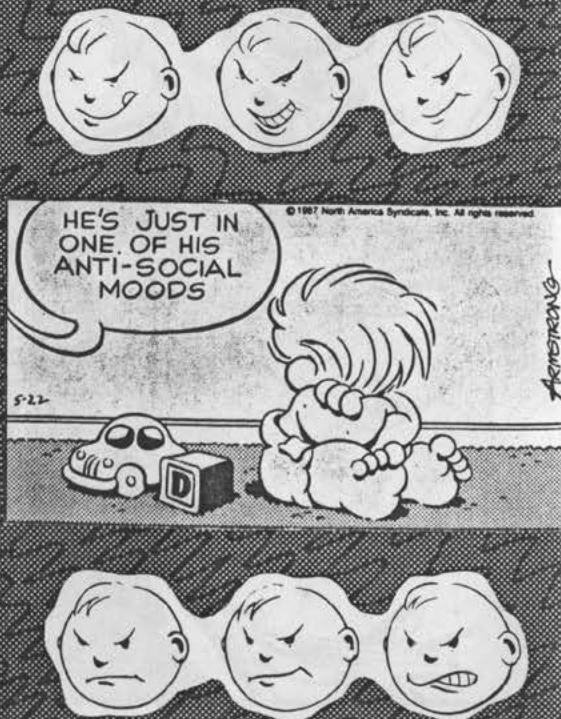
WRITE THESE GUYS AND SEND THEM PICS, STICKERS, ETC. I GUARANTEE YOU WON'T REGRET IT.

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This Guy!!



LETTERS

Hey dude, thanx for the 'zine! Where did you get our address? We found P.S very.....well, interesting! Have you ever heard of DENTOWN SKATES? Well, that's a mag that Louis Carlton puts out! He lives in Dallas and works at the Blue Ramp. I also know of a 'zine called AUDIBLE BLAST out-of New Braunfels; their similar to your 'zine, raw and rotten! No offense, but it looks like you guys put this thing together in about an hour! If you have no job....take your time! Seriously, the more time you put into your 'zine the more rewards you'll get, guaranteed!!

Till later,
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We find nothing in the new Kenyan fossil to support the suggestion that we included two different lineages in the species or in our reconstruction of a male skull of *A. afarensis*. The three-million- to four-million-year-old *A. afarensis* is known by hundreds of fossils, and not one uniquely derived character exclusively links any of these specimens with the *A. boisei* or *A. robustus* lineages. Hence, the suggestion that we may have erroneously included two species in our reconstruction is simply not supported by the fossil evidence.

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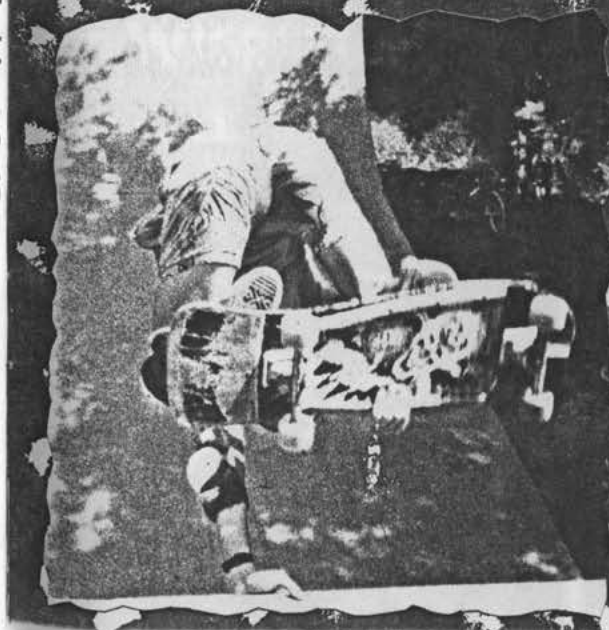
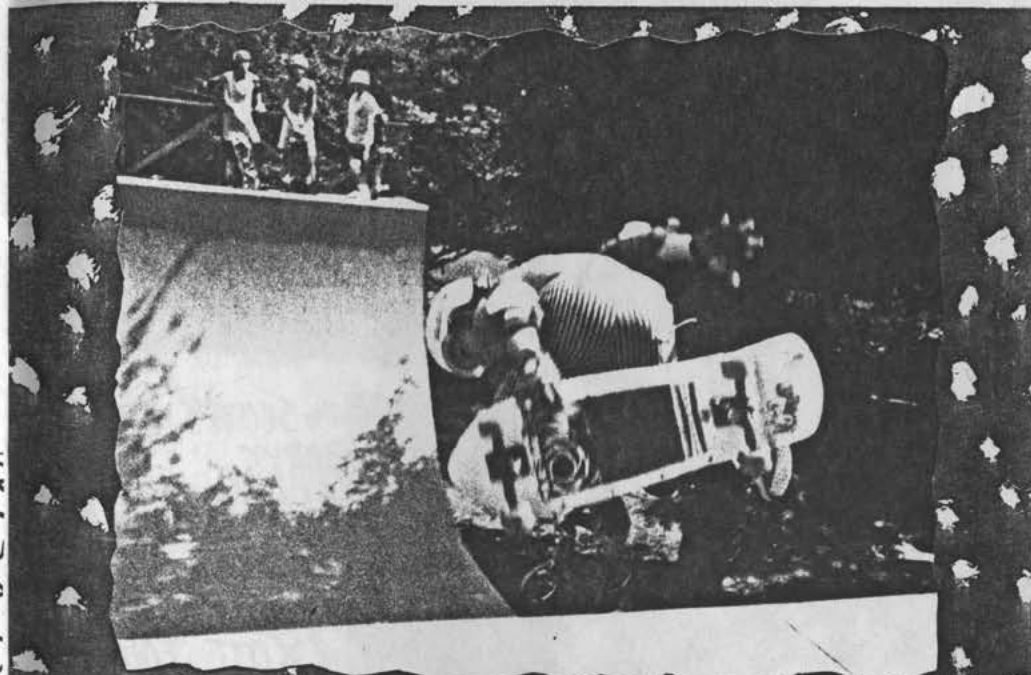
Congratulations on your superbly illustrated article "Baffling Limb on the Family Tree" [Sept.] by Pat Shipman. The newly discovered fossil from Kenya is a significant addition to the record of hominid evolution. We do not, however, share Shipman's view that this cranium has cast the pre-human lineage into disarray and overturned all previous notions of the course of early hominid evolution.

Your readers may justifiably wonder why the specimen is so baffling, since Shipman places it in the already well known species *A. boisei*. Two points need to be made here. First, the new fossil lacks many of the specialized features that de-

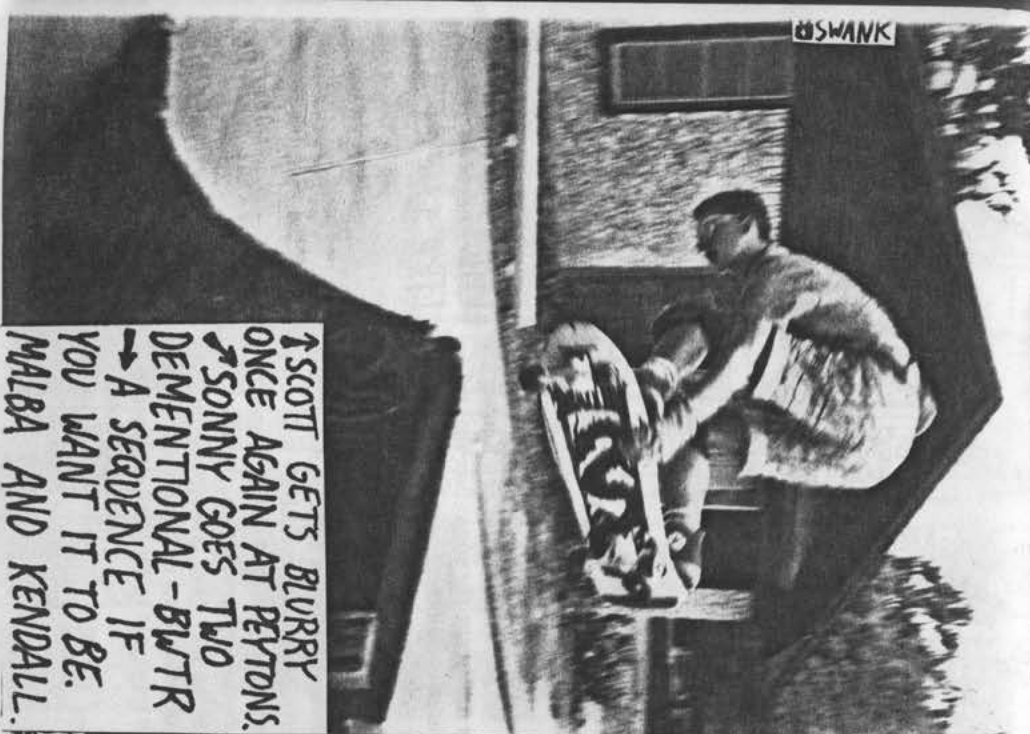
CONGRATULATIONS! YOURS IS THE ONE AND ONLY COMPLAINT I'VE GOTTEN SO FAR. THEREFORE YOU WIN, WELL, NOTHING.

WHOA, MAN! LOOKS LIKE WE REALLY SCREWED UP ON THAT ONE. WELL GET PAT SET STRAIGHT RIGHT AWAY. SORRY ABOUT ALL THE INCONVENIENCE.

BEAUMONT RAMP RIPPERS



SCOTT WENT DOWN TO
BEAUMONT AND MANAGED
TO FIND A RAMP (12 x
16) AND SOME LOCALS
WHO SKATED PRETTY GOOD.
SCOTT'S GONE FOR THE
SUMMER SO I DON'T KNOW
THEIR NAMES, BUT THEY
KNOW WHO THEY ARE.
↑ AIR BY A GUY NAMED GOTR
I THINK.
← THIS GUY FLASHES A, WELL, THE
OPPOSITE OF A FACIAL.

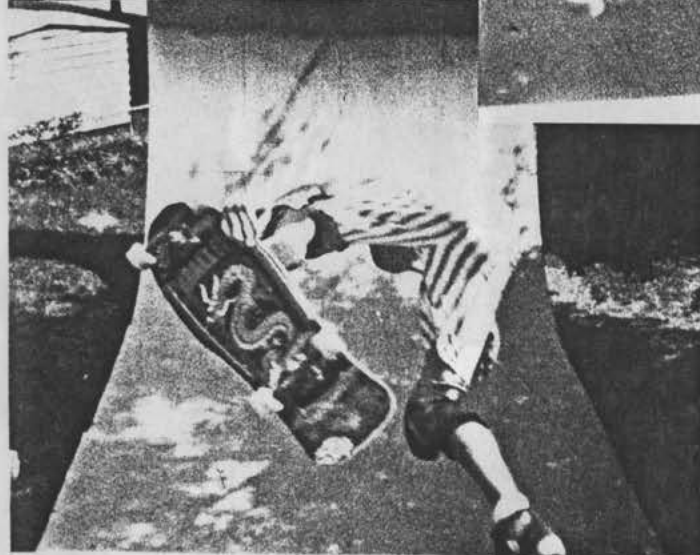


↑ SCOTT GETS BLURRY
ONCE AGAIN AT PEYTONS.
↑ SONNY GOES TWO
DEMENTIONAL - BUTR
→ A SEQUENCE IF
YOU WANT IT TO BE.
MALBA AND KENDALL.

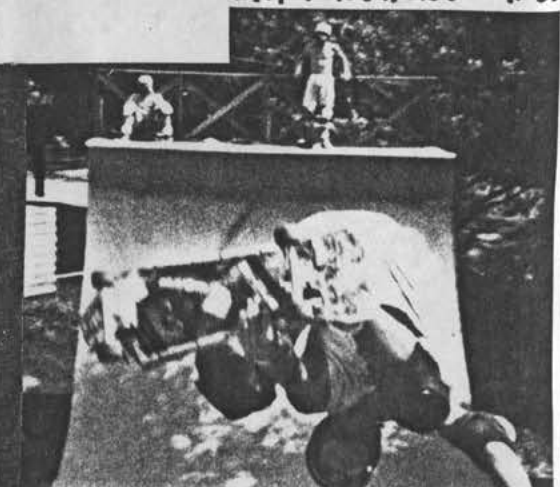
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← SCOTT'S GRANDMA
 DORKS.
 ↑ WHAT'S HIS NAME EARLY
 RELEASES.
 ← FOOT/FAST PLANT.
 ↓ SCOTT TOLD ME
 HE LANDED THIS.
 ↓ THIS GUY INVERTS
 WITH AMPUTATED HAND.



JOEY'S FIRST DROP-IN

IT WAS JOEY'S FIRST DROP-IN. HE GRABBED THE
 NOSE, HELD HIS BREATH AND LEANED IN. HE
 LANDED IT. ALL WAS A BLURR AS HE SAW THE
 COPING RUSH TOWARD HIM. TO AVOID INJURY
 HE TRIED TO LEAP FROM THE BOARD BUT IT
 STUCK TO HIS FEET AS HE TOOK FLIGHT. HE
 PEAKED AND FELL BACK INTO THE RAMP MAN-
 AGING TO LAND ON HIS WHEELS. HE HAD
 LANDED AN OLLIE TO FAKIE THREE FEET OUT.
 ALL THE LOCALS MOUTHS GAPPED OPEN IN AM-
 AZEMENT AT WHAT HE HAD DONE AND HE
 DIDN'T EVEN LOOK LIKE KNEW HE HAD DONE
 IT. SPEEDING BACKWARDS UP THE NEXT WALL
 HE FELT DIZZY. HE CROUCHED DOWN AND
 GRABBED HIS BOARD TO AVOID FALLING BUT HE
 HIT THE COPING, LOST BALANCE, AND FLIPPED
 OVER, LANDING AGAIN. HE HAD DONE A GAY TWIST.
 A ROAR AROSE ALL AROUND THE RAMP, BUT JOEY
 DIDN'T KNOW WHY. STILL DIZZY, HE FLEW UP
 THE NEXT WALL AND THE BOARD LAPPED OVER
 THE COPING ONTO THE RAILS AND HE SLID
 SIDWAYS. ACROSS THE EDGE OF THE RAMP. HE
 TRIED TO JUMP INTO A KNEESLIDE BUT A-
 GAIN THE BOARD STUCK TO HIM AND HE PULLED
 OFF THE SLIDE AND ROLL. ONCE AGAIN GAINING
 HIS SENSES HE DECIDED TO TRY HIS FIRST
 GRIND BUT AS HE TURNED HE SLIPPED AND FELL
 TO A KNEE SLIDE. HE FELT LIKE A FAG. -AA



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the Texas Clown
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ALSO IN LARRY
DESIGN, MOM!

BOARD
CLOTHES

NEW!
THE IS
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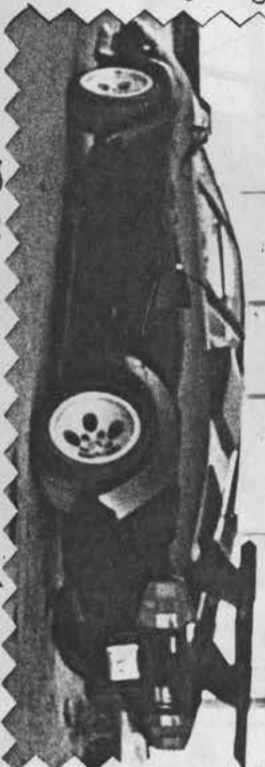
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BOTH ARE
TWO SIZED



More Stuff To Read!

THINK'RE LOOKING GREAT AROUND HERE - MAKING CONTACTS, MEETING NEW PEOPLE, AND I'M GONNA HAVE TO BUY A FILE CABINET FOR MY MAG COLLECTION. THINGS SEEM NOWHERE NEAR AS ISOLATED AS THEY USED TO BE. FOR THE NEXT 15H SEND A COUPLE QUARTERS AND A STAMP OR 75¢, WHATEVER. SEND STICKERS, MAGS, MAG SHIRTS, PICS, DRAWINGS; AND WE'LL SEND STICKERS, MAGS, MAG SHIRTS, PICS, OR DRAWINGS. WHAT A CONCEPT. AS ALWAYS, FOR THOSE NEAR HERE WHO WANNA SESSION WITH US, THE NUMBER'S (214)-724-5742. WE GOT MORE GOOD PICS THAN I KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH SO MAYBE A BIG PIC ARTICLE IS IN THE FUTURE SOMETIME. SO SEND YOUR BEST PICS AND CHANCES ARE WE'LL PRINT IT. LOOKS LIKE LARRY TOOK THE PLUNGE INTO MAKING SHIRTS AND STICKERS ALTHOUGH THIS WHOLE PREPARATION'S VENTURE HAS TURNED OUT TO BE NON-PROFIT. NO TEA AND CRUMPET CHANGE FOR ME, BUT SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL H.A.S. CHAPTER ANYWAY. WE NEED AS MUCH MONEY AS POSSIBLE TO KEEP UP THE LEASE ON THE PREPARATION'S COMPANY CAR.



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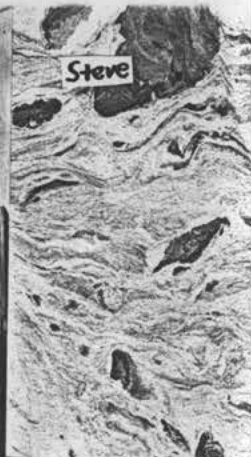


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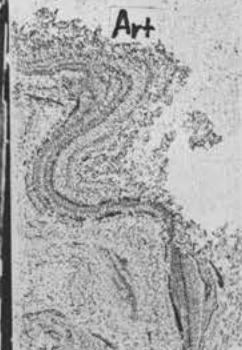
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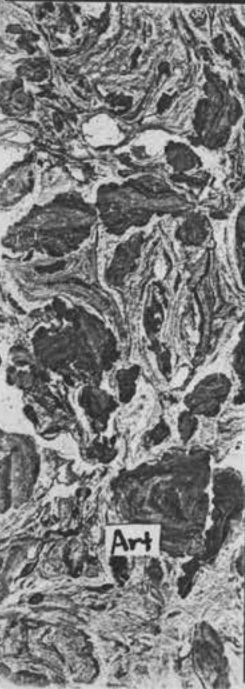
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DON'T FORGET TO WRITE

THIS IS IT, LAST PAGE, ALL DONE. HOPE YA LIKED IT, BECAUSE THE NEXT ISSUE WON'T BE OUT UNTIL THE MIDDLE OF AUGUST. IT SHOULD BE GREAT THOUGH. IT'LL HAVE THE BIG WOODEN THING RAMP, SOME REALLY GOOD BLUE RAMP SHOTS, THE DEAD DITCH, AND COVERAGE OF THE SCARR SERIES FINALS IN HOUSTON. ENJOY THE SUMMER, SHALOM.



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When the words come, they're vulgar,
explosive, senseless ejaculations in the
course of ordinary speech