



JEIRE REVIEWS

PROBLEM CHILD -No6 - 40p A good thick zime this well printed (with a two colour cover) and well layed out. Theres a feature on CHAOS U.K. in Japan which is worth reading if only to say + ;ee CHAOS U.K. in Japanese. Theres also a feature on raising hell zine which sounds like a good zine and value for money at only lop a copy . Overall this is a good sine with plenty to read and also value for money . (PROBLEM CHILD , 51 YEADING LANE , HAYES , MIDDLESEX , SKATE MUTIES FROM THE 5TH DIMENSION - 30P This is a new Bristol based skate-zine . Pretty thin this for the price but don't be put off by this , every inch of every page is covered and the writing is pretty small too so you get V.F.M. reviews of skate parks zines all mixed with lashings of BEANO type humour . Serious Anarcho Punks 4 will probably hate this but essential for the serious skater . AXE OF FREEDOM - 5 - 1 Op 1 bit dodgy this , the first page has a list of people for public execution which is a bit iffy (apparently teachers and social workers are on a par) with Pimps and sex shop owners ?) it's anti - right , anti - left and franklydepressing as fuck , why don't these people go away they realise thier living in the real world. There is plenty to read here sold have Buess there is value for money but not mine . In a wallen to wall GUILTY FACE - No 2 - 25p 3 4 12 13 15 15 This is hardcore zine concentrating on the European and American hardcore 18 1-15 bands so I hear you ask what are HUSKER DU Doing in here them well not a lot really the interview is a bit of a dissapointment all they ask are about BLOODY HIPPIES !!! but this is the worst part of an otherwise very good zine, the pictures are a bit dodgy and some of the writing is hard work to get through but on the whole a great zine, needs a sense of humour though . (A.NIXON , 2A PAGET TCE , PENARTH , STITH GLAMORGAN , C.P.6. I.D.R. BEAN STATE -No 3 - 25p very attractive HUSKER orientated zine this complete with pull out HUSKER poster which is worth the 25p on its own, infact this issue is mostly! HUSKER DU which is great for me but I bet your pissed off with by now? Theres some variety though with an interview with THE FOOD SCIENTISTS and THE GREAT MEDICINEMEN whoever these two are? Plus plenty of good little bits which edd to an entertaining zine . (JOHN YATES . 33 UPPER DICCONSON ST

The Morning After ... (A Curry

In the 16th Century, a crazy monk called Rabelais wrote a story about two piants called Gargantum and Pantagruel, who, amongst other things, discoursed

upon the nature of the finest materiels for the wiping of ones aree. They finally decided upon the neck of a swan. In the 20th century however, it has

been left to a crazy neo-musician called simply," Mr Wil" to clarify the matter.

Kleenex Velvet. The Kimberley Clarke Corporation have got to be the Coca-Cola

of botty care. This firm have been wiping away the cleft fudge, and clinker

rom most of the worlds arses for a fair chunk of the 20th century, and it's

easy to see why. These fuckers have really got it sussed: their unique warm air

ying process produces a paper with such strength and softness it's like wiping

yer bum with a pair of a hippies crushed velvet flares. (Freshly laundered of

course) This stuff is fucking brill! If this were Venue, (Thich were glad it

isn't-Ed) Kleenex would be hailed as the Brilliant Corners of the Two-ply.

It's only drawback is the cost, at around 70p per twin pack cheap it aint, but

then the best things in life rar ly are. To out and ber, steal or borrow some of

this stuff today. You wont be distapointed.

Andrex. Ten Elton (Tho he?) surrested the sing this was like wiping your arse

with a puppy. Frankly : 'd much rather see a dozen Sumo-Wrestlers with cholers

wiping their arses with Pen Elton. This stuff is O.K. weve all used it at one time or another. It's the stuff that lurks under one of those Flamenco doll

thingies at your Anntie Loreens place. A fair wipe.



ARK ATEES USHIT, THEREFORE

Dixcel. The same as andrex but rithout the luppy dop or len Elton.

Shop Local Economy. This stuf' is only availeable from corner shops, so the only

time you come into contact with it is if you're freshly run out of it at tom on

a Sunday. LO NOT BE TEMPTED TO BUY THIS CRAP! As far as soft toilet tissue is concerned, this shit is a total fucking disaster

This is woodchip wallpaper with a blue tint. I've aredred mud with softer corn-

self in the position where nothing else is availeable, thatever else you do, Dear Reader, to not chuck this stuff down the pan. Turn it or send it back to

the manufacturers for re-cycling. THIS SHIT FLOATS! Honestly you can flush til your blue in the face but this fucking rubbish will just keep bobbing back for

more. Somewhat like a Paul Daniels Show. hen it eventually does give up the

ghost and vanish round the U bend, it lodges in the pipe and, Hey Presto: its

time to call in the 2 hour drain cleaning squad. YOU HAVE BEEN WARNED !!

Izal l'edicated: I useu to monder who on earth bought this, so last week i did a

little market research and came up with the answer. OLD AGE FUCKING PENSIONERS.

Hordes of these miserable fucking coffin-dodgers fight over this stuff like

jackals around a decay in carcass lefore squandering the rest of their pensions

an time of Salmon for their cats.

hy they do it, God only knows, but perhaps

the septa enarian sphincter loses all feeling with age and finds it necessary to

use something abrasive to keep their rargantuan haemor Holds under control. Plus

there is the audu bonus of I als unique non-absorbant ability so smear their

fetid fecal emenations all over their wrinkly arses and half-way up their backs.

Thus ensuring a fun packed afternoon for some poor Bistrict Murse. Thy don't they





melt these people down for flue?

Bronco. I've had a m re comfortable time using fibre glass Loft-Insulation.

VENUE. "Irhly reccomended. At 70p it IS expensive, but it does warn you were the

fucking stud nts are ping to be and thus, where to avoid. Plus the added bonus,

of leanr able to mare your arse on Cerard Laurleys hideous mush. Watch out for

the starles. Mr Fil has HOT had his Arts Council Grant cut by £7000.

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SPECIAL FASHION REPORT BY B.B.

Nodoubt over the past years you've noticed a vast number of people wearing

studid, poxy designer sunglasses? These people are usually seen walking

into pillars a. gigs , silly BASTARDS ?! We here at SNIFFIN POO have a world exclusive of the fashion to come . for those of you who really do want to look

like JAMES(I'l' on every poster in the WATERSHED) DEAN these new glasses were featured in the little known early JAMES DEAN film : DIE YOUNG AND BECOME A

> lost for a long time but was found in the attic of an old lady on the back of an old copy of THE SOUND OF MUSIC recently , and the design for these glasses copied directly from this . The film its self featured DEAN who

played a overated young actor who only made 3 films before dying premat brain damage sustaned after walking into a pillar (at a gig) and his

years , an act of pure genius , for a dead man . Anyway the glasses (SEEN BELOW) are hotly tipped to be this years big thing . The only main dicadvantages

> that I can see is the fact that you can't see a thing through

them , but thats never stopped anyone in the past , has it ?

The other disadvantage is that

you have to held them on with one hand leaving only one hand

free to hold your pint and your fag , this makes the

very cool JAMES DEAN image impossible I'm afraid, so you'll

either have to give up drinking

or smoking , which isn't any good is it ? Check it out

anyway , be the STUDENT in town to be the trend setter .

be the first in your class to look a total prat or is that

too late , probably ?

Lore fashion news next issue !



"WEED !





I must start by saying this is one of my favourite l.p.s of all time, so here goes, another one of my totally unbiassed reviews . BIG BLACK have sound and Rute that seems to be the CHICAGO, ILLINOIS sound what with bands like WAKED RAYGUN coming from that area, they all have a huge driving grinding noise that drills into you and makes you want to kill REDNECKS ! The A-side of this album is full of classics like JORDAN MINNESOTA, PESSING COMPLEXION and

KEROSENE the all the tracks are great these are the ones that stand out as songs to die for . Thier music consists of 2 guitarists , I bassist and a rum machine as seems to be more the case these days (I imagine all the drummers are on the dole or thier simply isn't enough drummers to go round?) Anyway I

think the lack of a drummer here is no disadvantage infact if anything it adds to the drive of the music . As well as writing good tunes BIG BLACK also have

the guts to deal with very sensitive issues such as parents screwing thier children (JORDAN-) and they have a talent for digging up distubing stories such as small town boredom being relieved by easy sex and arson (KEROSENE)

thisis something that I've always found admirable in the past with such somes neteororic rise to super stardem on posters and T-shirts in the following as CABLES (a live version of which is on this 1.p.) where the main entertainment is going down to the abbatoir and watching the cows being killed and sometimes

having a go themselves! Theres a story behind every song but you'll have to buy the l.p. to find out what they all are , maybe at the same time you could

listen to the music ? and may be hooked ? I hope so . ! While your at it check

THE CLASH - THE CLASH L.P.

This is a new band, from London Ithink? They play guitar influenced rock in the ALARM style, too much like the ALARM for my liking though, they have

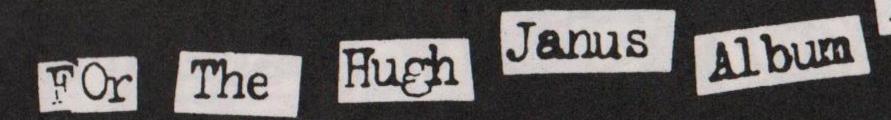
got more get up and go than the ALARM though with a more PUNKY sound and a very heavy guitar noise, the vocals could be better too stereotype PUNK for

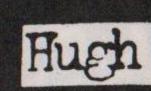
my taste . My favourite tracks are CARAGELAND and WHITE RIOT the latter of which could and should be a single . The line up consists of 2 guitarists ,

bassist and a drummer, They are a good band, very tight but I think

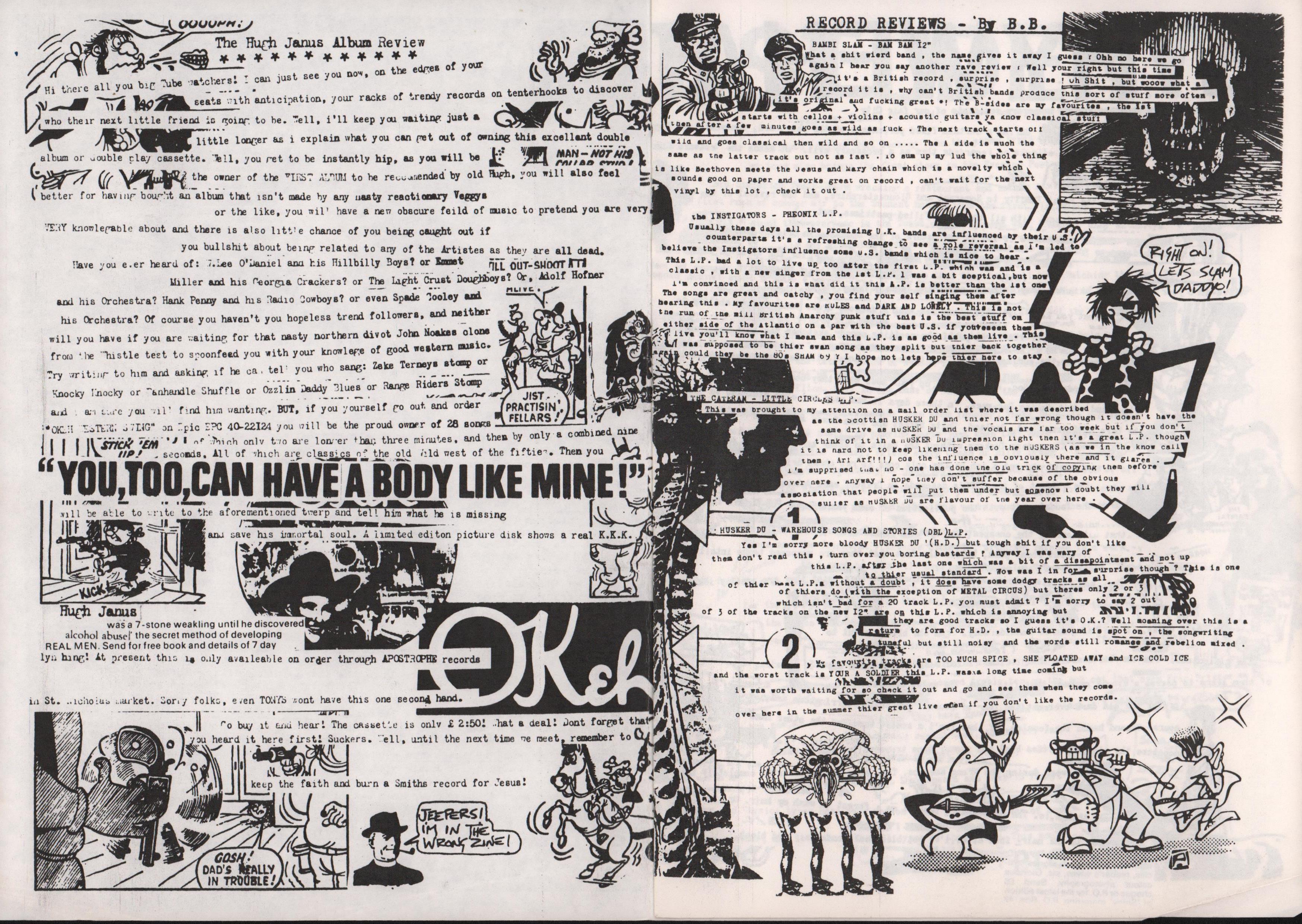
they will be one album wonders because of the copycat quality of thier music as you listen to thier music you can't help but think ALARM at every

cord change . Anyway I may be wrong but I don't think they'll influence anybody as they seem to have been influenced themselves . Plash in the pen





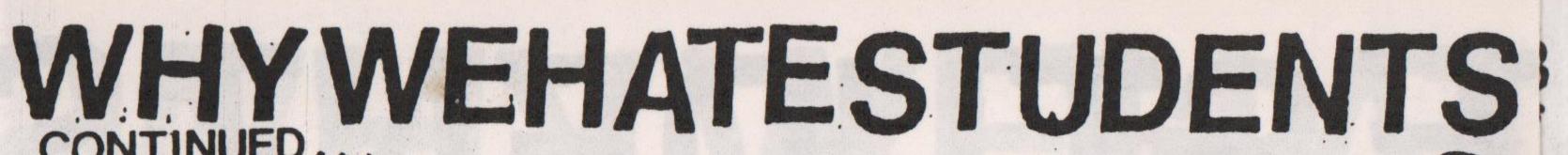
Review



WHYWEHATESTUDENTS To the inner serious of our fair Give

eyebrows. These, to be fair, are the more yahoo types, or the types who are too Students used to be innocuos enough temporary residents of our fair City during a certain fixed percentage of the year, and, somewhat like ligrant stupid to realise that looking like the yahho types isn't that cool. ethacks we remardeds them as a necessary evil. "ut since the "estward Migration lew term also brings the first story in the Evening Post about the san of Lord Simpering Twatt-Smarm wrecking a restaurant and eating a wine glass whole. the Royal Familly to Somerset and Gloucestershire, and the revival of the The first rush of summer air to the Student head brings the first ridiculous Green welly bricades in those areas, with all their fun-filled pasttimes, (not stunt that everyone in the Twatt cirque thought was, "Really Tunny actually isually the attatchment of a papier mache model to something or anything using elastic ropes. Lets hope that they have all been Watching the Noel SAE. 2 Friars Terrace, Bangor, Pre-1980 your Student was akin to Jimmy Tarbuck, something Vaguely funny Pre-1986, the favourite pub came amongst Students was the reciting of old Lionty Python sketches or some thing from liot the 9'o clock news, with the name that you kept very well clear of, with a dubious dress make a fool of itself in public by reciting comedy high voices and hilarious laughter and wrong last line. Nowadays, God help us, getting the endings wrong. They tended to channel all their energies into thing. that ended in -Soc. and only not up your nose when they coated the streets in wonderfull of chaps, Sen Elton. Only in the case of the latter the mistakes in flour and vomit during Rag-week. 'n those days it was easy and even pleasant to po to the bars at Queens Redland, Unity Street and even Bower Ashton for Will the punchline seem to actually make them seem funnier. These Students are easy to handle though. You merely insist on playing darts just when they have a drink. After all, 'hy should these dozy fuckers without the balls to enter the congregated along the length of the 'ockey, select every Clash or Billy Bragg real world and get a job be the only ones to get cheap drink? But not now. track on the jukebox repeatedly or just tell them to fuck off. Host fun of all The Student of the 1980's descends on Bristol each Autumn like refugees though is the simple yet effective tactic of lecring at their milfriends and from the feudal past with the publication of each years Venue Pub-Guide. The fac' scratching your genitals. This works equally well for both sexes. The second major catagory are the real pains..... that with one of the cheapest bar systems in the country they still choose to These are the frightful'y intense Students. Although intense is a word frequent local pubs, belies the fact that they are supposed to be intelligent that none of them will ever use. These lot are activists. These are the ones AND THINK THE T. I and its also bloody amoying. Although at this point they are easilly identifthat feel free to re-arrange the furniture wherever they are and then over pints for the women and halves for the men, discuss politics in a low tone. These are the types that play whatever bar games your local pub way offer, but always red by their dress, it too has changed condiderably. From the bloody awful to badly. They are, however, intense about it and always take offense when their TOW INTEGO AND I pathetic attempts to play whatever it is result in the mirth of all around. They the ridiculous. From the too short or long to the ridiculously large not a ene argue after they have scored treble top on the pub cat that even Fric Pristow wa of them seems to posess a single parment that fits them. The males WHERE MY FRANT? prefer the old dark overcoat (too long of course) preferably herringbone and, of as bad as they are now.at one time. Or after they have knocked down the hlack course second hand. The females, if that isn't a sexist term, on the other hand mushroom at the end of a high score for the second time, their full range of excuses come to the fore. These usually depend on what subject they take. Your monopolise the old jumpers (too big) and summer type trousers (too short) which they wear during the wrong seasons. They also add emphasis to completely the average Eng. Lit type usually curses in fluent Shakespeare and that IS funny. wrong things, ie. The head scarf = look at ms 1 forgot to wash my hair. Or, the The Astronomy and Thysics types have same reason about the attractions of some IICIJA IITA Chiffon bow in the hair- look at me, i've got bleached blonde hair and black bodies for one another, and so it roes for all types of these folk. This would. cles, reader's wives, etc. Glorious colour photography. Send £6

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only be really fundy if it were happening somewhere else, as they some to take at

least three times the duration of an average game to complete theirs. Ah, but it is if nothing else an education. These are the nearest in dress standards to the Tpre- 1980's student. I think its something to do with the Proletariat. Their are only two ways to purre your local Hostelry of this type of Student, they are: to ret your landlord 'o take immediate action and purpe the lot of them, or, loath

as you may be to do it, encourage the first lot to stay. If you, like me, think that most of these types will eventually just go

away if you want long enough, try a little reverse logic. If they are filling your local pub with unoriginal politics or humour, why not go to THE IR place for a drink? This now then presents you with the problem of the rear-guard action of the local anti-local-soc. The nacessity of having a Student Union card to get

into the damn place. These things can usually iether be overcome or just avoided Orce in ide heir hars, you come ace to face with the only kind of Student i reall like, the Foreim Student. They usually have a better grasp of the laws

> of Snooker than they do the English Language and so can, with a little practice, be completely ignored. Here in the warm inner rectum of the Student you can buy a cheap be r or fifteen whilst being hassled by some twerp or other to iether s: pm something ab ut 'andela, or by tickets for the Upper Clyde Lesbian shipbuilders collective disco. If none of these activities or remedies appeals to yo I would surrest that you find a town too small to have a University in which to live, or buy an Armalite, because even if you get rid of one lot successfully.

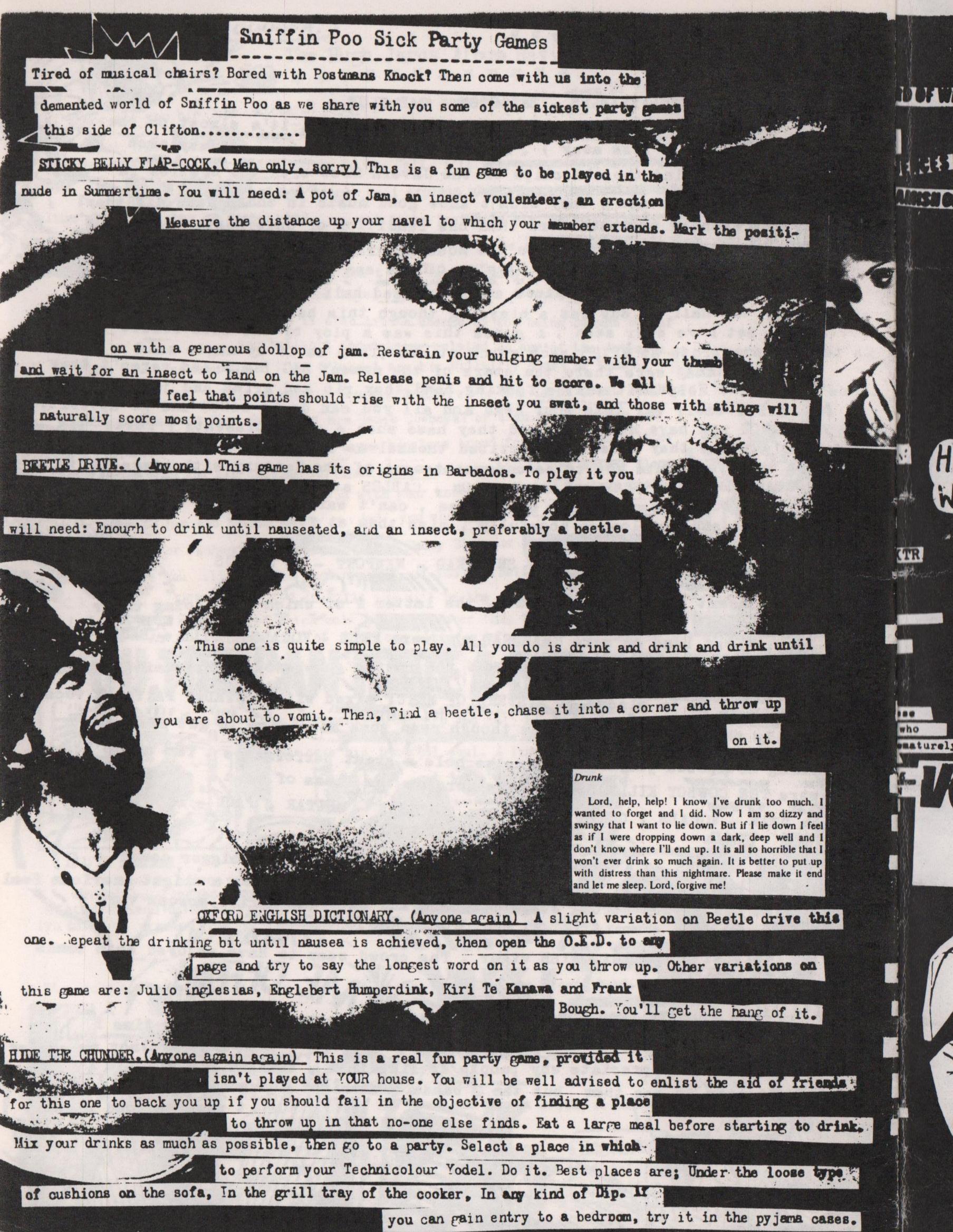
come next Autumn there will be another truckload of these types fresh from 6th form college intent on driving you nuts for four years. I think i shall go down to the pub now, were got the bastards licked at my local. Ta ta:

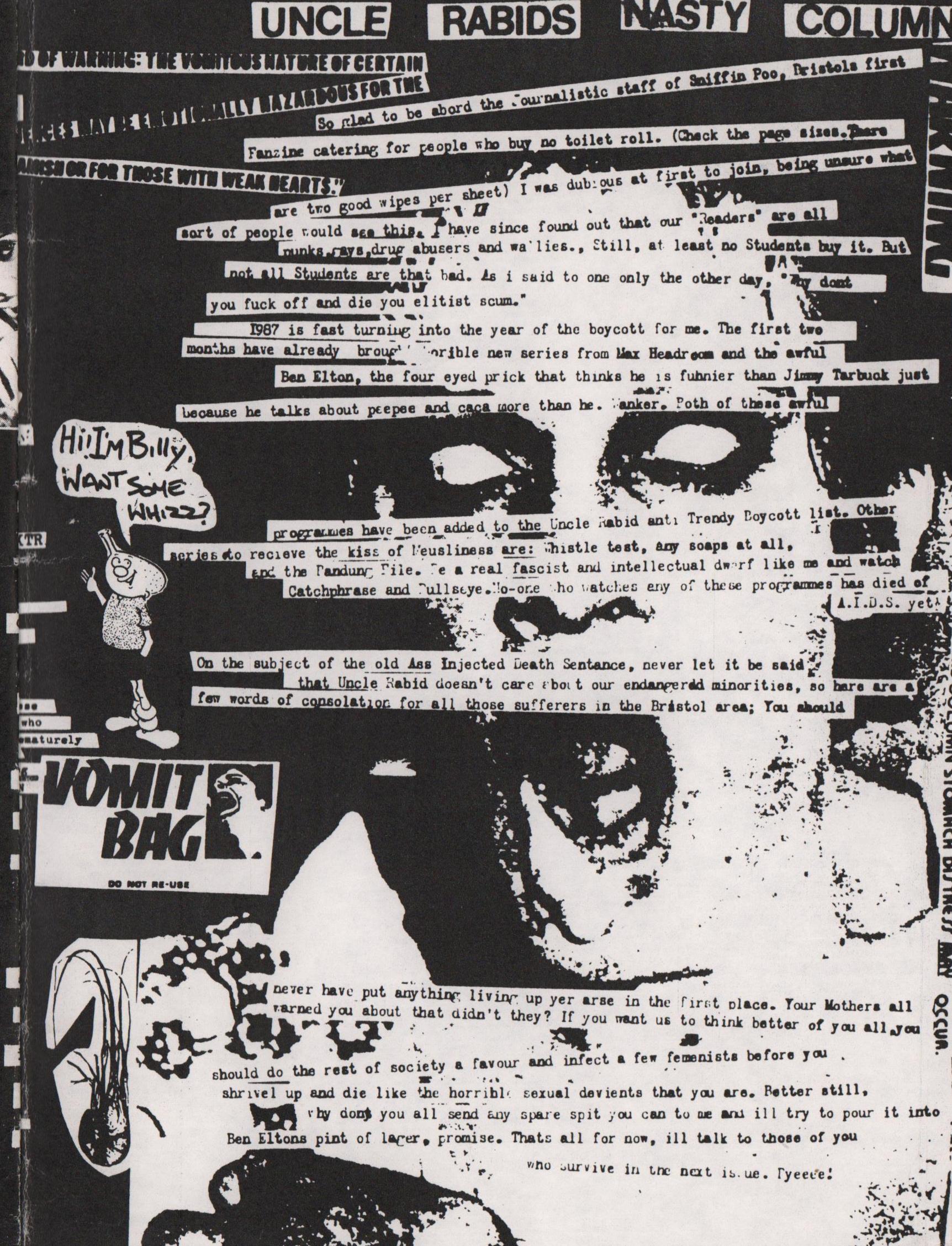
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Live Reviews by B.B.

BIG BLACK / THE UNBELIEVABLES - BRIGHTON - ZAP CLUB What a wierd place this is, and hard as fuck to find, it's almost on the Beach (a spit and a piss away) . It's like a basement in a railway arch which brought to mind the old clips of the Cavern Club with the Beatles in full thrash on the stage, they didn't know good music in those days did they? Anyway the archway prompted more than one rendition of underneath the arches from our party and also'we are the Mods' walking down the front (Too much Stella I think) and what a fucking wind blowing off the sea . We got there late cos we had trouble finding the place and so missed half the Unbelievables. which judging by the half we saw was a blessing though this half was as long as full set I've ever seen , I guess this was a ploy by the club owners to get us to buy more pints at £1:25 each which stinks !Then as if by magic said Mr Ben they were there the stars of the moment BIG BLACK and weren't they there in style? Holy Shit what a fucking band, they rip and grind and just drill their way into your head and all you can do is DANCE and go apeshit, I meam you DANCE you have no choice and they have such a stage presents ! Three y Puds with guitars they recently described themselves as in the music press and I kept thinking thats got to be understatement of the Century with songs like JORDAN MINNESUTA , PASSING CUMPLEXIUN , CABLES and KEROSENE I think everybody was nappy I'm sure I was , can't wait till June/July when lover again and for longer hopefully, miss them at your cost. SMASHEAD This was a concert of all local bands , the latter 2 of which were doing thier and GEORGE the rhythm generator . The music they played playing but on the hole a great performance . The nex COWBOY KILLERS they were more on the lines of what I expected CHRIS - GUITAR , ALASTAIR - GUITAR , PAUL - BASS and this was more pure PUNK with a slight American feel very strong stage presence and puts the lyrics across very people dancing to SMASHEAD maybe next time but the 2 bendal Sautonight will good





· love this sort of film and this is a gem , I was a bit aprehensive of this as always with sequals but this is better than the original infact this in fucking great film , lots of great effects the best of which is when a half eating zombies here. I expected a very tacky low butget horror film a very sophisticated SPLATTER MOVIE with good music including HE CRAMPS (PREVIOUSLY UNRELEASED TRACK), THE DAMNED, is one bit of gratuotous sexist stuff but isn't there always ? this is where a girl does a strip in a graveyard , just minutes before being eaten by the which are the only reall dodgy thing in this film , thier not old enough they all look like they were buried yesterday not enough bits hanging of for my liking they should be more desayed . Despite this though this good film that has a sense of humour as well as stunning effects the hu comes to a for when thier trying to kill the first somble and they stick pick-axe through his head and then cut his head off but he still runs arou with his head missing . See this if youv'e got a good strong stomach and THE SUPERGRASS - COMIC STRIP This was a gross disapointment , This toois an oldie which I've waited too long to see but I can see why now . I heard a great deel of good things about this when it came out so I was looking forward to seeing it . The story has potential that is not met , it is based on the idea that someone makes up a story and it turns out he's predicting the reality . This turns him into a supergrass as he unwittingly predicts a drug smugglers plan to bring heroin into the country this should be the recipe for success when mixed with the talents of ADRIAN EDMONDSON , NIGEL PLANER and the rest of the COMIC STRIP PRESENTS team but I'm afraid falls flat on it's face . The best part of the this is when ALEXIS SAYLE (who plays a policeman) is trying to explain to ADRIAN EDMONDSON which side of the road to drive on , jumping back and 'orward over the white line in the road and tryin; to tell him he's not in France . On the whole though this is a bit of a flop, I maybe laughed to times in the whole thing so on a scale of IO I'd This time Ithought I'd review a film that Irented SUBURBIA . This as an American film which contains music (live footage) by THE D.I.'S , T.S.O.L. and THE VANDALS all of which are good but a bit too short for my liking , the rest of the film is about these punks in the states who've run away from home and are squatting in a house in deralict suburbia and portrays thier life and struggles against the authorities and the narrow minded arseholes who populate the entire world . The film starts very strangley with a girl having all her clothes ripped off her concert and is left screaming in the middle of the hall until the bouncers cover up and take her away, this I found very disturbing and shocking but one moron who I spoke to after wards injoyed that bit, but you always get one don't ou? The rest of the film deals with the attepts to remove them from thier house for a various array of contrived reasons, the same old story of the punks getting the blame for everything and being picked on left, right and centre . To a certain extent this was and is true over here so I suppose the same could be the truth about * America but theres some things that just don't ring true about this file, like the things the punks do get away with without any trouble, despite all thisthough I recomend this film to you it's got some good action and the ideas are good to acertain extent. This is better then the over rated REPO-MAN IN MY opinion and is well worth renting if you've got the inclination . THE CHAMELEONS - LIVE AT THE CAMBDEN PALACE (55 min) **** This is one of the JETTISOUNZ range who seem to doing some good stuff now and this no exception, the quality here is pretty good picture wiseand sound wise, I've seen a lot worse but a lot better too . The music itself ranges from thier lat aingle the brilliant IN SHREDS to the more recent SINGING RULE BRITTANIA ... and everything inbetween too off both the 1.pls theres some goodwatuff on this tape though all of it's by accident as the band don't seem to have a set list and rely on requests from the crowd for the songs they play but this does not spail the gig it improves it if anything. The band themselves have a good rapore with the crowd and even share thier drinks with the members at the front and during one of the sones two of the crowd join them on the stage and help in on the singing of SPLITTING IN TWO though not very well I must say . This video is not as good as the HUSKER DU video but I still recomend the papers recently and have been giving the impression that they have been getting wimpy but they still rip live stress

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During the last 4en years theres been a vast improvement in the quality of horror films, from the 60's and early 70's when films such as the HAMMER HOUSE stuff relied on ghosties and ghoulies and things that go bump in the night to scare us to the classic and terrorfying genius. of THE EXORCIST (which recently celebrated its 13th birthday) which relied on a great story and more importantly wonderful make-up and special effects . This was infact i guess the forunner for the modern day so called SPLATTER MOVIES along with such films as FRIDAY THE ISTH and THE INCREDIBLE MELTING MAN which only relied on the special effects but set the trend for the more blood and guts the better, a trend that has been followed religously by todays film makers, in such guises as DAVID CRONENBERG whose films include VIDEO DROME, (STEPHEN KINGS) DEAD ZONE, SCANNERS and the new and critically aclaimed FLY and new-comer STUART GORDON who created the masterful REANIMATOR and the up and coming FROM BEYOND which is apparently well over the top, GORDON as with many other of the horror genre reaches into the past for his stories, both REANIMATOR and FROM BEYOND are based on old stories by H.P. LOVECROFT Phis memato be the way to get a hit as such classics as THE THING , AMERICAN WEREWOLF IN LONDON and more recently THE FLY are all either copies or based on old stories . These days also more horror films are based on books and next to the obvious famous authors like STEPHEN KING and RAMSEY CAMBELL the new god of the horror story is CLIVE BARKER whose BOOKS OF BLOOD have just been rereleased in the full 6 volumes with 5 stories in each, though none of these have been made into celuloid as yet it is rumoured there are plans to do so in the very near future in the form of the TWILIGHT ZONE films comprising of several short stories in each film . BARKER is British which is a refreshing change and has been recognised as a genius by KING and CAMBELL, he also won the WORLD FANTASY AWARD in 85 for his BOOKS OF BLOOD series and has been featured in the horror bible FANGORIA on several occasions and is the tip for the top from me . Anyway back to the effects and the effects game is not limited to the horror movies, PETER LITTEN an English special effects artist has won several awards for his work in such things as THREADS the film made by the B.B.C. about the nuclear holocaust and DR WHO which is far from horror though his training was horror films with such realatively unknown creations as APRIL FOOLS DAY, THE LAST HORROR FILM and DON'T OPEN TILL CHRISTMAS to his credit. as well as British F.X. (short for special F.X.) Theres also been a big contribution by the Italians with films like CREEPERS, DEMONS and most of the zombie films having huge contributions by Italian F.X. men, one of these is SERGIO STIVALETTI whose work saved the otherwise very dodgy DEMONS film with masterful transformation sequences and over the top Zombie makeup. He also had a major part in CREEPERS which is one of the REW SPLATTER movies to make a lot of money though only in America which is undoubtably still the centre of the horror buisness, with such genius's as TOM SAVINI whose work includes THE DAY OF THE DEAD, DAWN OF THE DEAD, STEPHEN KINGS CREEPSHOW, FRIDAY THE I3TH (the pro bype SPLATTER MOVIE) and MANIAC also DAVID MILLER THE man behind FREDDY in NIGHTMARE ON ELM STREET and other masterpieces such as DREAMSCAPE, MICHEAL JACKSONS, THRILLER and also THE DAY OF THE DEAD films . My personal favourite though is JOHN CARPENTER whos work includes HALLOWEEN, THE FOG and non-horror film DARK STAR but Schis masterpiece is THE THING which is the best horror film ever made, with Effects that I doubt will ever be bettered by anyone? He also made SITEPHEN KINGS CHRISTINE which was an above average horror film . So what is the future for horror ? Can they keep getting gorier and gorier, I hope so but I doubt it, I doubt the censors will chilet it , come what may I'm going to keep watching cos the gorier the LATE NEWS : CLIVE BARKERS - RAWHEAD REX and UNDERWORLD are at this moment being filmed in Ireland, infact UNDERWORLD is ready for release so be prepared world, here he comes !!!! MINIST X Rin

