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production (neither does "Angel Baby" or a hundred other great records I could name if I was really trying to pad out this review), it's a subversively catchy little ditty that currently has me bouncing around the house singing along and has my wife punching me in the arm asking me to play some Hound Dog Taylor or The Sex Pistols or some Buddy Holly, just quit goin' around the house goin' "DogDogDog". Oh yeah, Pig Productions is moving to Los Angeles, more on that in Fandomania in upcoming Goldmines. Meantime, send 2 bucks to Pig, 70 Cotton Drive, Mississuaga, Ontario, Canada, L5G, 129 and do the dirty doggie down with Simply Saucer. Official Stupid Record Of The Month.

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end of August on tour in Japan.... Former Pig Paper editorGARY GOLD has left his native Toronto for Southern California, and is currently putting together a new band, The Loved Ones, a project which prompted Gold to refuse a tour offer from JAN AND DEAN.

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short, songs aimed at the young and the young-at-heart, yet songs that can appeal feature clean, direct lyrics skillfully sung atop ultra-hummable melodies. In

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Who are THE LOVED ONES?

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compos; the most popular of which, THE RED ROOSTERS, After Gary's highschool Merseybeat band Frankie fronted numerous Orange County became the pop-rock prototype of THE rhythm'n'blues and rockabilly LOVED ONES.

he formed PIG PRODUCTIONS, which published and distributed throughout North America and Europe its own rock'n'roll magazine

MARTIN AND THE E-CHORDS called it a day,

demos and discs for a variety of acts, some

which were subsequently released on PIG THE PIG PAPER as well as producing

Now that they have joined forces, what kinds of songs do Gonzales and Gold write? Pop Songs, pure and simple. Short, sweet, and to the point, their every song is tailor-made for the Top Forty. Each of Gary and Frankie's two-dozen originals

And what is the instrumentation of THE LOVED ONES?

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two-man band?

At the moment, for recording purposes, yes. But they are currently auditioning bassists and drummers, so as to enable them to perform their songs Live on stage as THE LOVED ONES.

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They've just found their way back from a Kinks sound-alike contest in the mid-seventies. Both songs sound about the same- fairly melodic, toe tapping, but a bit sloppy. Room for improvement, and I hope they have since the recording of this single back in June 1978 in Toronto, Canada. -Brenda Jamrus

PAPER Box 2700, Huntington Beach, CA 92647 It's a bit difficult to judge the content, since the issue we have is apparently a compilation of Pig highlights. It appears to be a collage of advertisements and articles from hither and yon, including reviews of the paper that have appeared elsewhere. Recently moved from Canada to California.

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Pigs 'n the Press

Latest GO Magazine displays a pig-inspired line of fashions— like a pink satin Miss Piggy baseball jacket, a Calvin Swine' tie with small sedate porkers marching in rows, and a pole shire-proppy type embroidered pig over un-

"Pigs: A Troughful of Tressures" (MacMillen, \$14.95) is a beautifully packaged collection of porcine fore and history, poems, songs, writings, tales and true stories. The sumptuous Illustrations range from the whimsical to, the sublime. By Sarah Bowman and Lucinda Vardey.

The Pig Paper is back. Toronto's strute fanzine has relocated to Huntington Beach and will take up publication this fell after a long vacation. It still coats one thin dollar (from Box 2700, Huntington Beb. CA 92647), as are Pig Records' past and future 45 rpm re Jeasse. Publisher/rec exce Gary Pig Gold, besides producing obscure bands, ligh school students, and promise to bring the Worked himself in a teen best combo bring the "Orange County Sound" to called the Loved Once. Bery says they're





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Thinkers) ers of clip art (chey even outpaste the SubGenius folks), the Thinkers sent another cassette of special electronic effects. More of a movie score for a sci-fi film than anything musical, these carefully assembled sound collages have titles like "Erratic Hero Gyrations, "Dimensional Slice," and "Catatonic Articles." Beyond Cabaret Voltaire, limited commercial potential, on the fringe, and very futuristic. From J.I. Fear, 639-A Knowles Ave., Southampton, PA 18966

Simply Saucer -- "She's A Dog"/"I Can Change My Mind" (Pig) A sixties teenbeat throwback, Kinks-style, of the chauvinistic variety, as explicated by the Stones' "Under My Thumb" and "Stupid Girl." While the instrumentating is Freddie & the Dreamers, the vocals are indifferently thrown away in the mix. Major domo Gary Gold also publishes the Pig Paper. From Box 2700, Huntington Beach, CA 9264

October Days -- "West Coast"/"Don't Give Yourself Away" (Clutch)

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papers available to interested readers, issue 1 due sometime this winter, here's where you miserable material available to intermediate and advanced students, precisely; i plan to the New American Press . is a project to subvert every english class in germany. I worked a teacher in an "alternative" school for several years, and plan to do something about the reprint articles from american "alternative" papers, and also make sample copies of these come in - i'd like permission to reprint that jerry lee lewis interview, and then quite possibly a thing or two from upcoming issues. I'll send you a copy, give full attribution it address & subscription rates, and for starters i'll be needing 50 copies of the BIG PAPER sent insured surface mail.

of it is now sung in German, most of that is just so much boring tripe (except for a band named 'ideal' . not really r£r - and with a little luck nina hagen will stay in New York. send me your loved ones single and i'll pass it along, rock'n'roll in Berlin '82: almost all

what do you say?

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[PIG PAPER] - defector gone down to the land of the Of (california)
-#14 should be out in Feb. 1982 - hopefully will be in to Peddler

THE FORTNIGHTLY RADIO COLLEGE REPORT

PIG PAPER Box 2700 Huntington Beach, CA 92647 An 8x10 xeroxed format (is there much of anything else?) with heavy stock cover. Zine has awarded itself the "Squeal of Approval." Issue #14 carries a remarkable interview with Jerry Lee Lewis and reproduces a letter from Myra Gale Lewis commenting negatively on the Tosches bio. We're wondering how this material was acquired. Did Jerry Lee really discuss the "orgasm

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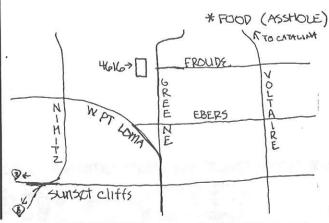
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as told by James Sensible

Like, a couple of days ago, I found these old record players in the garbage and I'm looking at them in case they still work or something. Anyways, on one of the turntables is an album by the Ugly Ducklings, called Somewhere Outside, really scratched up and all, but it gets me thinking about the Mgly Ducklings' article I read in Pig Paper. One thing leads to another and I start wondering whatever happened to Gary Pig? And whatever happened to Cindy Pig and Johnny Pig? or Kock Serling? or Imants Cranston? or Kalfonzo? or Jereny Gluck? or even Lotte Lascivious-Ness?

I'm sure many of you never read Pig? (or even heard of it) It began as a single-sheet handout with articles on the Kinks and the Who and ended up as a multi-page magazine with readers numbering about 5000. The editor was a parttime postal worker named Gary Fig. Pig placed a great deal of emphasis on local acts and through a unique sense of humour and interesting graphics built up a group of faithful readers. (including Bomp prez., Greg Shaw) Highlights of the magazine's career included columns like Kock Serling's Delete Zone, Cindy Pig's improvisational Page and Pigossip by Lotte Lascivious-Ness. And the format changed, too. It went from the Pig Paper to the Pigsheet to the Pocket Pig. However, Gary Pig had set his sights on bigger and better things. He, then founded Pig Kecords (part of the even bigger, Pig Productions),

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and set down to work with a local group called Simply Saucer, who recorded two tunes "She's a Dog" b/w "I Can Change My Mind" as their debut release. With Pig Record no. 1 on the racks, Gary put together his own band called the Loved Ones with ex-

Teenage Head/Simply Saucer Sparky on guitar. The Loved Ones were preparing for their vinyl debut on Pig Kecords when suddenly, everything went sour. The Toronto scene was slowly packing it in as clubs closed. Simply

Saucer split up before the release of their 2nd Pig Kecord ("Here Comes the Cyborgs") when lead singer, Edgar, became a born again Christian. Around this time, Gary Pig changed his name to Gary Gold and moved to sunny California. (Huntington Beach, to be exact.) The days of Pig and Toronto

were left behind.

Gary actually did not leave everything behind. He brought with him the hallowed name of the Loved Ones and began recruiting new members. After careful selection, Gary had new Loved Ones in the form of Frank Gonzales (quitar & vocals), Paul Wilson (bass) and Vinny Campbell (drums). After long hours of practising sets of material that included tunes like "Oh Yeah", "Make Me Love You", "Goodbye" AND "Take My Heart", the Loved Ones set out to win the hearts of Southern California, Despite cries of play "Stairway to Heaven", they are reportedly doing quite well. Gary, meanwhile, had kept his writing talents sharp and intact by filing a column with Flipside, called Pigshit. Also in the works, is the official Loved Ones Fun Club Newsletter and Pig Paper 14, which will feature a Dick Dale cover story. other major bit of concernfor Gary was that of his record label- Pig Records. There was a great deal of interest in distribution of Pig by I.K.S./A & M, Bomp, Solid Smoke and even former Monkec. Micheal Nesmith's Pacific Arts label. A deal's been signed but no one's saying by whom, with whom. However, in the new year, watch for new lig Records by San Francisco's the Gods, Gary's band- The Loved Ones and Huntington Beach's, the Kockaholics (who do a killer version of the Flinstones' "Bedrock")

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There may even be releases by the Pinsteads, Simply Saucer and possibly, Martin and the E-chords! As Gary would say, "the sty's the limit".

postscript: if anyone has copies of Pig Papers #1-7, that they wish to sell, get in touch with me care of SCHRIK. Thanks!

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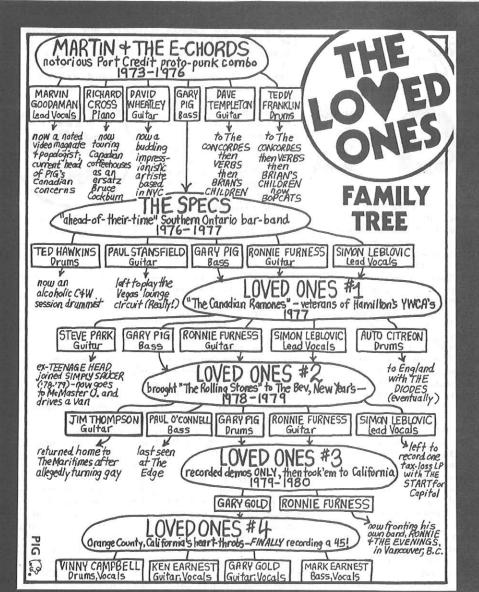
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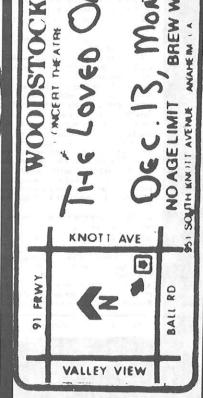
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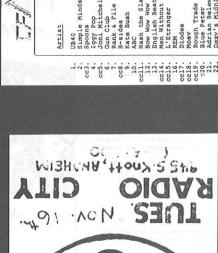
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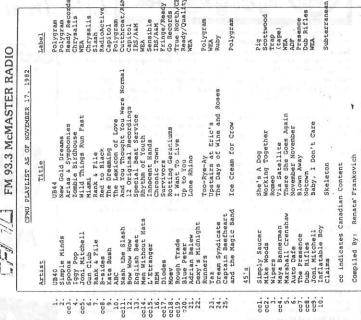
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Diary of a Loved One, 1982: Life In a Rock'n'Roll Band

Jan. 1: No New Year's Eve party for The Loved Ones (to play at, either!), but was 1981 really worth ushering out anyways?

Jan. 4: "Bubbles" (possibly not her real name), a gurl with a fake Australian accent 1 met at the Pimsouls' Xmas party, calls to say she'd happily pose n-u-d-e for the Pig Paper. Time for my funzine to go color/glossy/fold-out?

Jan. 16: I guess not: Pig Paper 14 covertly photocopied overnight in the Redondo Beach offices of American Container Corp., and if the xeroxer hadn't kept jamming up, I could've had this latest ish On The Streets of L.A. tomorrow morning!

Jan. 25: Remember Gary Usher ("In My Room", "Sacramento", "How To Stuff A Wild Bikini" et al)? He was actually interested in producing The Loved Ones—till he discovered our publishing wasn't up for grabs, "I'm not hungry anymore, y'know." Gary informs me today. Huh?

Feb. 7: Ronnie Furness, an old ex-Loved One, called all the way from Tahsis, British Columbia (big lumber town where he's now employed) to confirm the rumors he's heard that I'm now a coke addict. No, I'm not, even though I now live in Southern California. (I ate a slew of hash brownies once though, whilst watching Ride The Wild Surf on Channel II...).

Feb. 11: My pal Johnny Wonderful, of local Stray Cat copy-cat combo the Debonairs, calls to sax yes—he can get an interview with the Blasters for Pig Paper 15.

Feb. 22: Murray The K dies and the Blasters sign to Warner Brothers. Interview still on however, sez Johnny.

Feb. 26: Tonight, Pig Productions was to present the Crowd's gala Farewell Show at the Belmont Shores Lion Club, but a rival promoter (disguised as a not-so-mild)-mannered reporter from the Cal State Long Beach newspaper) kindly informed the powers that be that the Crowd were, quote, "The west coast's most dreaded punk rock band." Consequently, Pig Productions (along with 450 impatient ticket holders, not to mention the Crowd) arrive at the Lions Club of find a sign reading Show Cancelled: Go Home! nailed across the doorway. Pig Productions immediately retires from the concert promotion business and changes its PO Box and phone numbers.

March 3: After months of postal undercover work, I succeed in tracking down notorious pal'o'John'n' Yoko. David *The Pope Smokes Dope* Peel, yet he refuses to author a regular *Pig Paper* column.

Mar. 12: Desperate for a way to take their act on the road and get it together, The Loved Ones covertly set up their equipment in an empty second-story classroom at nearby Cal State Long Beach, draw a crowd of three, open up all the windows, play a 14-minute set, and spend the remainder of the night in the campus jail. Blasters interview still on though, set Johnny W.

Apr. 30: The Blasters' manager. Celia, sends me a letter which reads, in part, "As for the Pig Paper 15 interview, frankly, I doubt it, the timing is not right. Like most Americans, the Blasters like to have some time just to relax." Interview still on however, insists Johnny.

May 5: I read somewhere that Gary Lewis & The Playboys recently reformed (who hasn?) and are recording a come-back LP (who isn?) so, ever the hit-hustler, I visit their publisher with a cassette-full of my most rocked-up originals, visions of Goffin & King (or at least Kooper & Russell) dancing in my head. "These originals aren't rocked-up enough." the publisher quickly informs me as I'm shown the door, bus-fare already in hand.

May 6: Undaunted, I begin writing and recording the latest Loved Ones demotape.

May 13: A gigantic Blasters interview is just published in the latest issue of L.A. Weekly magazine.

May 24: Lester Bangs dies and the Blasters leave for a European tour of indefinite length. Interview may not now occur, confesses Johnny, not-so-Wonderful-anymore.

June 19: Loved Ones demo-tape hand delivered to local "new wave" station KNAC-FM. Airplay refused—"These songs aren't rocked-up enough," the program director quickly informs me as I'm shown the door, etc.

June 20: Undaunted, I begin work remixing the Loved Ones demos' this time removing the Dolby noise reduction unit and boosting all levels well into the red.

July 14: New And Improved Loved Ones demo-tape hand-delivered to legendary Surf City face-about-town Rodney Bingenheimer, who quickly refuses to give it airplay on his legendary Pasadena radio show because "this tape's rocked-up too much." Thoroughly daunted, I start becoming a coke addict.

July 15: I find myself near Hollywood & Vine, attending two tapings of The Merv Griffin Show. I also find myself being forcibly ejected from the theatre shortly thereafterwards, after heckling Moon Zappa as she lip-syncs to "Valley Girl". This is particularly embarrassing as tonight's guest host is my long-time idol. Dick Clark.

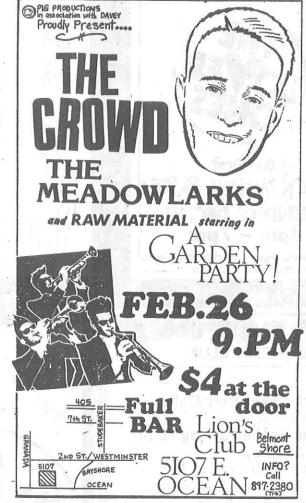
July 20: My roommate moves out on me.

July 21: My rent is raised.

July 23: The Loved Ones play Our First Party Gigl and steal an amp from our opening act by way of payment.

Aug. 6: Veteran Pig Paper fan Greg Shaw writes to say he luvs the Loved Ones demo-tape, even though, quote, "teh songs sound too much like Gary Lewis & The Playboys."

Aug. 8: Pig Picks To Click, 1982, #1: Saw a great band playing in the middle of the Seventh Street Recreational Park this afternoon—The Falling Idols. Remember: You Read It First In FFanzeen.



Aug. 14: The Loved Ones play Our Second Party Gig!, way the way 100 miles south in San Diego. Between sets, I drive farther south to Tijuana, Mexico, for dinner, and bring home a mucho case of food poisoning.

Aug. 24: The Loved Ones play Our First Club Gig!, opening for the Cat Burglers (the who?) at the Concert Factory (the what?) and earn Our First Paycheck! (\$14). Sept. 2: The Loved Ones play Our Second Club Gig! at the Concert Factory, opening for the Luck Strikes (the who?!) and the Jels (ditto!) and earn Our Second Paycheck! (\$4)(in change).

Sept. 10: I begin work for *The New Music Review* in order to supplement my paychecks, and discover amongst my first pile of vinyl to review, *Pig Picks To Click*, 1982, #2: Six And Six and Later On, by the ultra-ESP Records-sounding Jandek (available today from Corwood Industries; PO Box 15375; Houston, Texas; 77020). Buy These Albums!

Sept. 17: The Loved Ones play Our Third—And Biggest—Gig! to date: Opening for the Suburban Lawns at the prestigious Radio City club. We are not paid but do Not notice.

Not notice.

Sept. 30: A pretty gigantic Blasters interview is just published in the latest issue of Flipside magazine. I wonder whatever became of Johnny Wonderful?

Oct. 7: The Concert Factory requests further Loved Ones bookings. Fearful of being thrust into too high of a tax bracket, I decline.

Oct. 21: I receive a letter from Robert Barry FFrancos, which reads, in part, "As; far as your column goes, fer sherr, send it along anytime. If you want, write, something about 'Life In A Rock'n'Roll Band, 'or some (Pig) shit like that,"

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SCHRIK

...The Loved Ones have split up. Gary Pig plans to leave sunny California for Vancouver, where a new line-up of the Loved Ones will emerge with original member Konnie Furness. Hopefully, a Vancouver issue of Pig Paper will also be coming Dear Gary-

May 11, 1983



Thanks for your note re the CATALOG OF COOL and the copies of the PIG PAPER. Seems I'd heard of the publication but never seen an issue before and it was very impressive. If it's still going -- and if we're allowed to do our TWO COOL followup (it's all up to Warner Books; write them, everybody!) -- I think PIG'll likely be given the nod as a swell tabloid.

From the issues you sent, it seemed like PIG made it on two accounts; didn't seem to fall into over-seriousness that most punk 'zines terminally succumbed to, and two, it had another ingredient missing from all new music 'zines/radio shows/consensus opinion -- that is, PIG made an effort to link up cool contemporary sounds with past cool sounds (think there was even an L. Armstrong mention in there and a good strong defise of the DC5). I attempted to do somewhat the same thing with an '80-'81 radio show, "Unprovoked Attack" (KPFK,L.A.) and am convinced trans-temporal cultural hookup is the way to swing when applicable. Reminds me of the gross ignorance displayed in some of the fan letters the CATALOG has attracted; "Liked your book but how come you don't have the StrayCats in it?" I mean, how dumb are some of these young'uns—didn't they read our entries on Eddie Cochran and rockabilly (genuine) at all?

Anyway, thanks for the issues, and keep up the good work. Was #14 the last issue and when's another due? If it's soon, let me know and I'll subscribe. Stay cool...but don't freeze.

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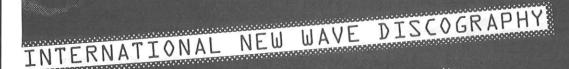
is the infamous PIG PAPER. PIG was started by editor, Gary Pig, who attempted to add so humour to the deadly serious Toronto scene. visobbuilings, and others. Recent articles make it sound like fanzines are a new thing Gary Pig moved to California in order rehash Herman's Hermits' old melodies s greatest moments included One of the first and no Not so! Toronto. 1u

a revival; SMASH, a holdover from the fanzines in Toronto have

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SPARKS, THIS TINY DONKEY(now HANGED MEN DANCE), HIDE, SOUNDS FROM THE STREET, CIV DISOBEDIENCE, and others. Recent article

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Despite vicious rumors to the contrary, THE LOVED ONES (thank for the plug, Bruce!) and "THE PIG PAPER" (15th Big Issue Due Soon!!) are STILL alive and well (and even tanned) in

Surf City, USA. So for those countless amongst youse who haven't written, called, or visited (Hi, Erik & Robin) recently, Here's The Latest Haps From The Coast! ... as I write tonite, luckily 1982 has died before more BLASTERS or GO-GO's discs could spew forth (why, even X isn't considered With-It on the beaches anymore, tho you know who is?.... THE BANG(LE)S, who sound just like X, dress just like THE BLASTERS, and, like THE GO-GO's, got signed upby POLICE chief MILES "I Know What Boys Like" COPELAND and bounced straight from the lackluster L.A. bar circuit to numerous U.K. opening-act slots.... personally, The lackluster L.A. our circuit to numerous U.N. opening-acisiots.... personally, I'm still waiting for the new MARSHALL CRENSHAW, RAMONES, and LINDSEY BUCKINGHAM alpee's ... in the meantime, us Southcoast club-hoppers must still cope with the latest swarm of STRAY CAT-cloned schlockabilly combos (ie: JIMMY 4 THE MUSTANGS, ROCKAHOLICS...), paisley-painted pseudo-psychedelic power-trios (eg: 100 FLOWERS, 3 O'CLOCKS...), and "I-just-saw-QUADROPHENIA" - on-cable-TV" wanna-be-"mod"-bands (JETZ, UNTOUCHABLES...) some times T aet the funny feeling I'm back in T.O. circa late'78. catching a the age-old Fifth Monkee RODNEY BINGENHEIMER (cf: "GIRLS TOGETHER OUTRAGEOUSLY" LP on Straight Records, 1969) has shocked his millions of local pubescent radio listeners by revealing at last in "FLIPSIDE" Magazine his until-now well-guarded 1960's roots (which are actually greying?) and frank admissions that he'd Much rather marry ANNETTE FUNICELLO than BROOKE SHIELDS! (you'd have to have grown up in the L.A. basin to fully fathom the gravity of such statements). If you too would like to, among other things, discover what Rodney saw when he dropped acid with BRIAN WILSON sixteen years ago, send a dollar to AL "FLIPSIDE" KOWALEWSKI 90 P.O. Box 363, Whittier California, 90608.... tell'em The Pigs sentchal..... world-renowned weird-o CAPTAIN BEEFHEART recently spotted blowing some of his hard-earned. "ICE CREAM FOR CROW" royalties at the famed Capi tol Records Swap Meet..... (where I finally found a MINT copy of the Limited Edition Mail-Order-Only "SKY SAXON CHRISTMAS ALBUM" for a mere \$2.498)..... (MATT MANIA eat yer heart out!!!)..... highest rated TV shows in most of my neighbours? "SKY SAXON CHRISTMAS ALBUM" for a mere \$ 2.47 %).... (MAII MINIM eat yer heart out!!!).... highest rated TV shows in most of my neighbours' homes circa early '83 are "OUTER LIMITS", "SCTV", and "GREEN ACRES": I live in a great neighbourhood!.... and you probably won't believe this either, but DICK "King Of The Surf Guitar" DALE, still reigning after all these years, is now being (mis) managed by famed ELVIS killer COL.TOM PARKER.... (and No, no sign yet of Dick's BRUCE SPRINGSTEIN-produced "COMEBACK" at bum).... That's All the news'n' views from this sunny sty for now.... so until "TEENAGE NEWS #3", I remain.....



(Eds. note; GARY PIG 15 the editor of the "PIGPAPER", a mag that was originally published in Hamilton and now 13 based in Huntington Beach Cal. We thank him forthisarticle and wait in anticipation for more.)

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