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As seen here, there are many good times to be had at the China Castle.

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Want Good Chinese? Go, Go China Castle!

By Holly Bohannon

I want to tell you about the China Castle. But first, I want to tell you why.

Thanksgiving has always been a special time around the Bohannon household. Even in these post-Crash days, Mother and Dad have done their best to make sure that the Bohannon kids would have a meal worth coming home for. And with Henry studying back East, it had certainly better be worth his while!

So this year the folks went all out and built a fancy spread — including three turkeys. But Holly, considering the starving children, isn't that a bit extravagant? Gentle reader, upon seeing the magnificent spread, I had the same con-

three birds was about right. Unfortunately, though, Mother hasn't kept up with

the changing times. She forgot that both Heather and Horatio and their spouses have gone veggie. Mother also forgot that Helen's reserve troop was called up. And under the stress of it all, she didn't remember that Harry was fighting floods in Washington. So, sadly, there was only myself, Henry, Harrison and little Jaime to eat the birds. Well, at least I had brought Haden (guest, not Bohannon) with me to help clear the cupboards - and good thing it was Haden because, boy,

can he eat! Haden and I didn't want to let Mother feel bad (that could force her over the edge again), so we both ate a lot of bird: the obvious cern. But considering that turkey sandwiches as well many of the Bohannon kids as turkey casserole, turkey

rolled back into Santa Barbara Sunday night we were plum turkeyed out. Come Monday, the last thing we wanted was some turkey sausage - no, we wanted to go somewhere where "turkey" was a foreign word. Haden and I knew what was needed. We looked at each other and whispered - "China Castle.

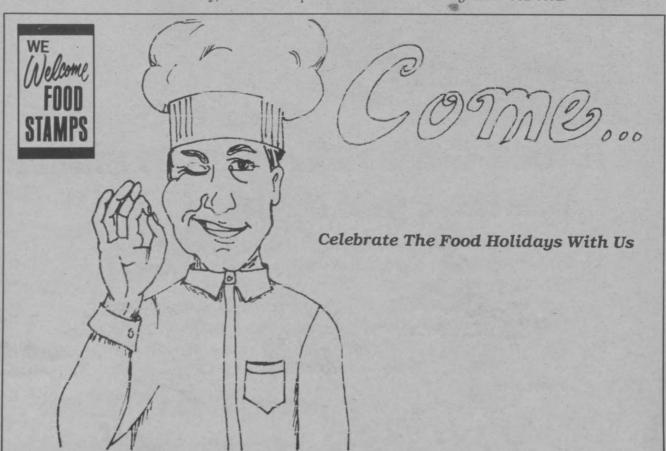
Though China Castle has a menu chock-full of goodthe menu is turkey. They've got every Mandarin, Szechuan and Hunan variety of chicken, lamb, pork, beef, seafood and veggie dishes, but no turkey. Haden and I especially loved the special of the day: shrimp and scallops in garlic sauce. "Ahhhh, soooo good!" Haden exclaimed.

And the Castle has be- p.m., ren, Mother's estimate of turkey, and a heap of for the local intelligencia. 962-6602.

"Turkey a la Max." So as we Haden and I discovered Mercury Prize-winning author Hilt Smith sipping on a mai-tai in the bar where songstress Rita MacArthur had met him for the Castle Happy Hour. A group of Carpinteria essayists joined us and suggested we take advantage of the Castle's banquet menu, which caters to groups of six or more, but Haden and I had already decided on the shrimp/scallop special, which was served family style with soup, rice, ness, the one thing not on egg rolls and my favorite paper-wrapped chicken.

But next time I'll be sure to plan ahead - and considering the delicacies served up at China Castle, there'll be plenty of "next times" to come!

China Castle is located at 1202 Chapala. Open Sun-Thurs 11:30 a.m.-10 are now married with child- loaf, turkey pie, cream of come quite a little hangout a.m.-10:30 p.m. Phone



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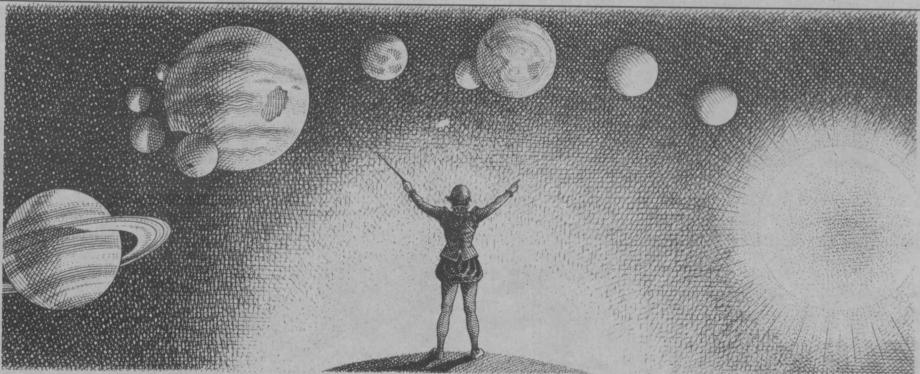
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El Pollo Norteno: Super Mexican

By Rose Dalwallow

El Pollo Norteno, some people argue, is reason enough for Isla Vista city-hood. Well, I don't know about that, but I must agree that they serve up some of the best food in town.

Their food is not that weird fluffy microwave food that some places in town try to pass off as "art food." No, El Pollo Norteno serves it up fresh, solid, uncompromising; a.k.a. food.

They've got that mesquite-grilled chicken and tri-tip, beans, great tortillas, salsa, you name it. When you go to El Pollo Norteno, they're not going to serve you up some gross thing you don't want. On the contrary, they'll give you a sizable portion of good stuff - I mean, that's dinner. Even in Spanish they call a meal at El Pollo Norteno dinner. They've even got a 99 cent beer special, with different imported and domestic beers, that will blow you down.

But all great restaurants must have myths. One that was told to me concerned four young Isla Vista residents and one Mr. Ellison Clark. It went like this:

Ellison Clark may very well be the nearest thing to a modern-day saint.

There were four Marx brothers, four travellers down the yellow brick road, four presidents since Lyndon Baines Johnson and Vietnam, four streets meeting at almost every intersection with a stoplight. Again and again history presents evidence that — whereas three is said to be a "crowd"



El Pollo Norteno is scrumptious.

-assemblies of four tend to set their sights high, aiming toward and achieving either amazing feats of comedy, the revelation of God as an impostor, the undertaking of a fruitless, devastating and undeclared "war" or spectacular automobile crashes under the blinking mechanical eyes of a traffic

Ellison Clark once walked the streets of Isla Vista, just as you and I do today. This is not his story, but a simple allusion to him. This is the story of four young men who set out simply to eat, but discovered something more.

One evening, Ashley, Sinister X, Valence and Billy Malicious strode into El Pollo Norteno - home of the 99-cent bottled beer and ordered their usual, the combo plate, which offers a large portion of chicken cooked to juicy, spicy perings. He finds it a consoling beef, beans, rice and salsa in spot due to its longstanding the four complementary tor-

of tender delicious beef, accompanied by rice, a side order of beans, and enough of Isla Vista's smoothest blend of salsa to complement but not overwhelm the meal.

Having ordered, the four gentlemen moved to the back room where they found four of the 1980s' greatest contributions to the video craze. With five minutes to spare, they each positioned themselves before their favorite machine and proceeded to play. Soon, they finished their

As the four men sat down at their table, an elderly man in a brown three-piece suit walked in and proceeded to seat himself among them.

"Good food you got comin'," he told them. "Best I.V. can offer, I've always said. Old Elliot still can't resist it. Yes, old Elliot's said to frequent this place even-

reputation for the most delectable and down-to-earth dining in the area. It's kind of fascinating seeing his figure still haunting this place - that is, it's fascinating

knowing his story. "He must be a regular hero to guys like you, what after he stormed the Bank of America single-handedly, walked into campus and across the lagoon. Savin'

those people's lives too, all 45 of them. "Shook his hand once," he murmured, and suddenly

he was gone. The El Pollo Norteno manager hand-delivered the meals, combo plates all the way around. Ravenous and a bit bewildered, the four young men rapidly — yet not without savor — devoured their food. The four couldn't remember a better meal, which they ate by combining the chicken, tillas. A single El Pollo Norteno combo plate more than filled them, yet left them wanting more soon.

Ashley, Sinister X, Valence and Billy Malicious wiped their mouths and smiled, satisfied. They donned their coats and moved to leave. But on their way out, Billy Malicious pulled up short to stare.

There, on the last stool before the door, sat a foggy apparition of a man, dressed in trenchcoat and fedora with a three-day growth of whiskers. Before him were three empty beer bottles, and he was taking a deep draft from a fourth.

Ellison Clark may very well be the nearest thing to a modern-day saint.

El Pollo Norteno is located at 6529 Trigo Road in Isla Vista. Open 11am-10pm daily. Phone



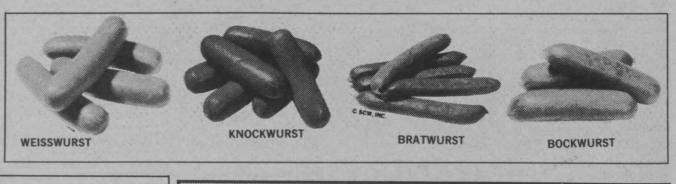
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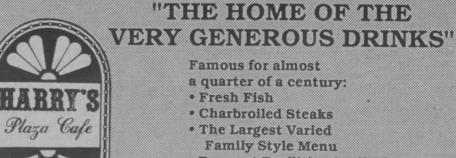
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German food served for lunch and dinner. Beer and wine. 11 am-2:30 pm for lunch, 5:30-9:30 pm for dinner. Closed Sundays and Mondays. Price range: Lunch \$5-\$7, Dinner \$8-\$15.

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MICHAEL'S WATERSIDE 50 Los Patos Way, 969-0307

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Relaxed charming atmosphere serving French cuisine, beer and wine and cocktails. Entertainment nightly. Open Tues-Sat lunch 11:30 am-2:30 pm, dinner 5:30-9:30 pm sun Brunch 10:30 am-2:30 pm. Closed Monday. Price range: \$10.50-\$18.50.

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range: lunch \$3.75, dinner \$5.50.

625 Chapala St., 965-8833

Continental food - steak, veal, lots of fresh fish and seafood, Caesar salad. Full bar. Hours: lunch 11:30 am-2 pm Mon-Fri, dinner Mon-Sat 6-10 pm. Closed Sunday. Price range \$8.95-\$14.

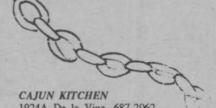
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1924A De la Vina, 687-2062

pm daily. Price range: \$2.95-\$6.25.

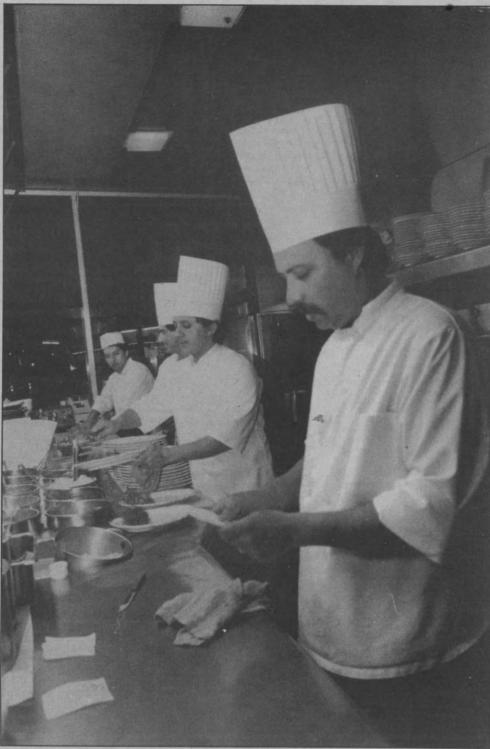
5838 Hollister Ave., 967-7265 Authentic and delicious Caribbean food. Imported beer from Jamaica plus a fully stocked bar. Live Reggae music on Thurs through Sat. Open 7 days. Lunch 11 am-2 pm; dinner 4:30-9:30 pm. Closed Sun. Music begins at 9:30 pm. Lunch ranges \$4.95-\$6.95; dinner \$4.95-\$10.95.

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Chefs do their "chef thing" at Harry's Plaza Cafe.

ALI SHRAIM/Daily Nexus

Means Business

By Stephen Lynne-Bachelor

Max had been working real hard at his new job at the bumper sticker factory and he needed a break. I knew Harry's Plaza Cafe would be the ticket.

They have master chefs performing miracles nightly. If you ask, they'll set you up with food that even your Aunt Dory would be inclined to eat. If you think I'm talking chicken, steak, spaghetti and generous drinks, then you'd be right - I am talking chicken and I am talking the other things as well. Whoo!

Max and I decided to go for dinner at Harry's on the first night he had had off in a weeks. Working at a bumper sticker factory can get to you. Indeed, Max told me that "ONE NUCLEAR BOMB CAN RUIN YOUR WHOLE DAY," and was very serious. Something needed to be done. At my urging, we squeezed into Max's handsome European automobile and were off to Harry's.

As we sped down Hollister, Max kept talking in bumper stickers and wanting to know if I had hugged my kids today. We pulled into the easy-access parking lot by that Wherehouse and Albertson's, and Max said "HONK IF YOU LOVE PABLO." He needed some good food and a relaxing atmosphere soon, I feared, or his mind would enter a state of entropy, turning into a startlingly amorphous lump

We walked in and were greeted in a friendly, professional manner and were seated in about 20 seconds. Ice water for me and a big whiskey sour for Max were delivered to the table in a matter of minutes. A liberal dosage of sourdough bread, butter, sour cream and salsa followed quickly. This would be good. I could tell.

Max and I shared an enwork at the bumper sticker factory. I asked him why he worked there so much. He half-smiled, shot me a wink and said, "I OWE, I OWE, SO OFF TO WORK I GO." Harry's was already helping Max — at least now he was making some sense. I asked Max what he was going to order and he held up his menu and pointed at an entree. I told him that I was too far away to read what it said and he agreed. "IF YOU CAN READ THIS, YOU ARE TOO CLOSE," he said. We ordered and waited for our food.

It'll behoove you to eat at Harry's. The waitpeople really know what they're doing and the chefs even wear those big hats! Not a lot of places still have the chefs with the big hats. The food is classic American dining-out food. Steaks so thick and wide ... there's even rumors that a few local developers are trying to build tract houses on these steaks!

When we got our food, Max was aghast. His chicken was so lean and tender, all he could say was, "NO FAT CHICKS." I

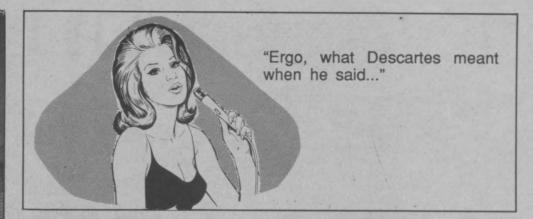
couldn't've agreed more. My cheeseburger was the juiciest, meatiest, tangiest ball of good food I'd had in a long, long time. Served up perfect with a yummmy, crisp, crunchy cold garden salad with bleu cheese and a healthy pile of golden fries ... mmmm ... that was a good

I don't know how to say this, but the outside of Harry's does not well reprejoyable conversation about sent the inside. It's like one of those little cars that clowns like to ride around in. Harry's may look rather small and out-of-the-way from the outside, but if you go inside, they've got rooms and rooms of dining areas. They have a room that is the closest thing to Las Vegas this side of Las Vegas. The main room is decorated so handsomely with black and white photos — you'll think you're watching the opening credits to "Cheers."

But the drinks, the drinks, they are generous. Indeed, Harry's is known all over for having the most generous drinks in town. It's just another way that Harry's does you up right.

In a town of quality, you know that a restaurant has to try extra hard to reach that pinnacle, and Max and I both agree that Harry's deserves that title. Check it

Harry's Plaza Cafe is located at 3313B State Street. Open Mon-Thurs 10 a.m.-Midnight, Fri-Sat 10 a.m.-1 a.m., Sun 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Phone 687-7910.



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6:00 7:30 8:15 9:45 10:15 PREDATOR 2 (R) (1:00) (3:15) 5:30 7:45 10:00

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PREDATOR 2 (R)
FRI (5:30) 7:45 10:00
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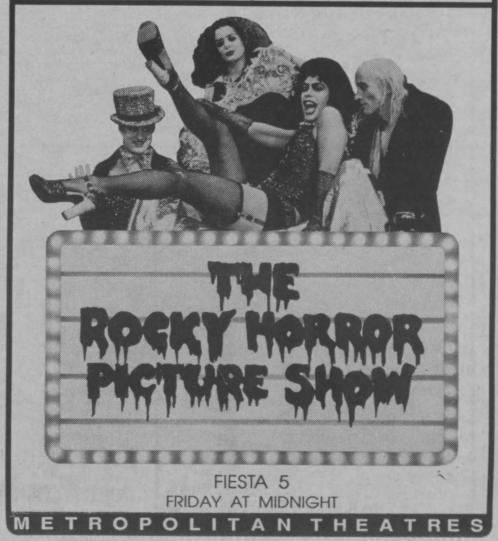
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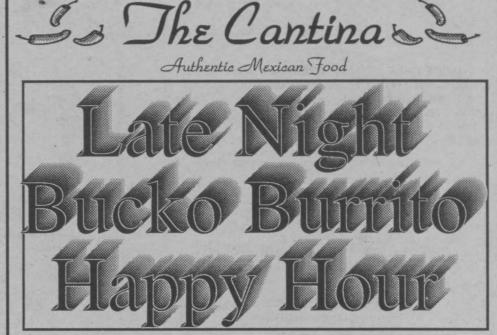
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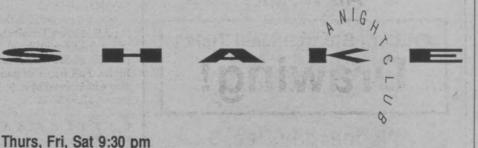
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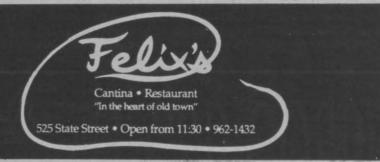


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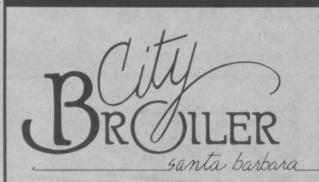
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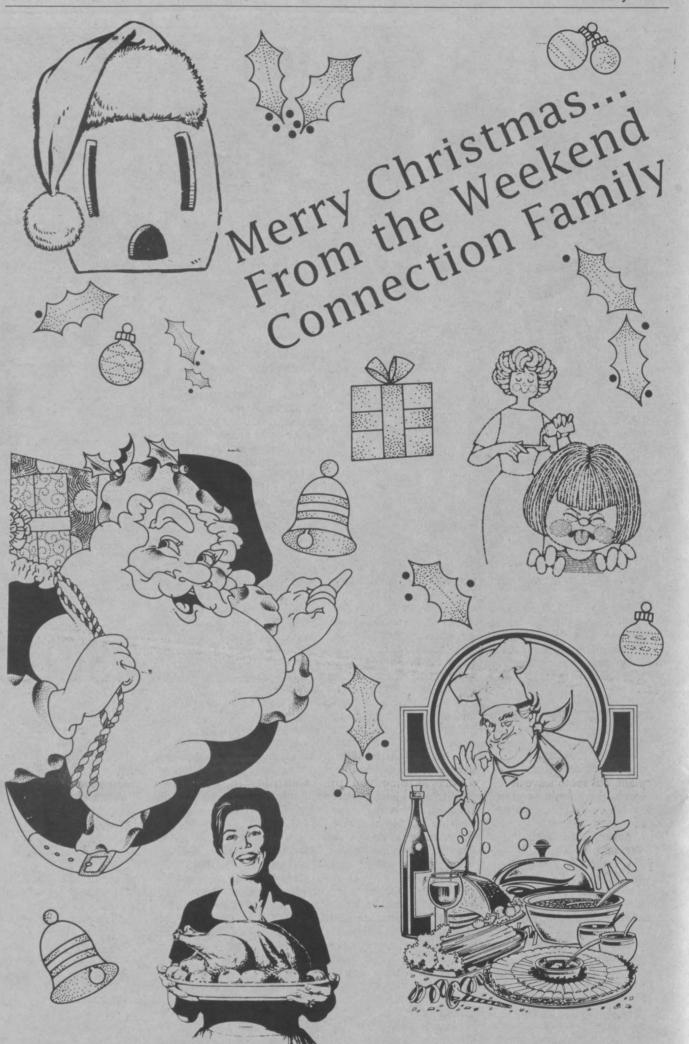
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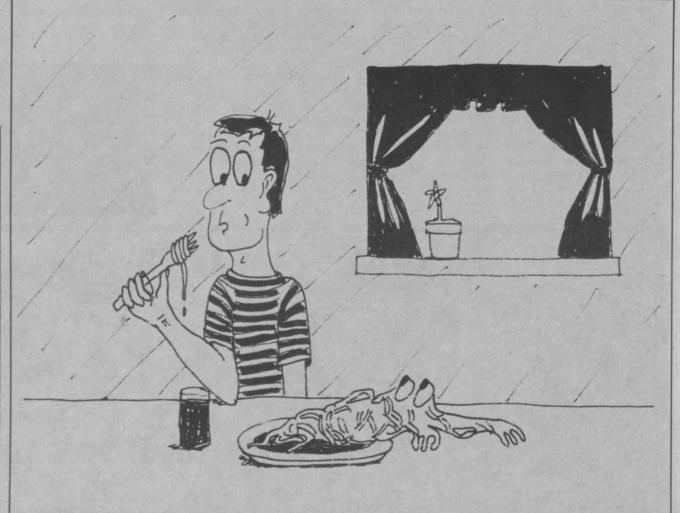
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S.B. Airbus to the Rescue!

By Charles Gomer Scott

I was frantic. I really needed to get to L.A. — the plane was set to leave at seven in the morning and no one was willing to drive me to the airport.

Asked Aunt Marianne. She said, "No!"

Would've asked my friend Thor, but he was in New York.

Even tried to get Jesse to take me, but he had class for air conditioner repair school, something about emergency breakdown in summer heat. I was starting to worry that I'd never get there.

All summer long I'd been looking forward to my vacation in Burundi, but if I didn't find my way from I.V. to LAX all the packing, planning, vaccinations and Burundese lessons would be in vain.

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Jesse is not too bright a guy (they wouldn't let him into the Navy), but he did know about the AirBus. Do you?

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they provide a great service. They run seven trips a day to LAX from Isla Vista, Goleta, Santa Barbara and Carpenteria, and if no one is willing to pick you up, they'll bring you back to whichever spot you started from. Now that's service.

But as I was saying, I was leaving from I.V., so my first question to the friendly people in the AirBus office was whether or not they could pick me up close to home. Turns out all of their airport buses originate, and terminate, in front of I.V.'s own Dave's Market, in the very heart of this town of ours.

It seems college students travel a lot, so the AirBus has a steady stream of clientele leaving from I.V. Now I don't know too much about supply and demand, but they seem to have a good thing going on.

Since I had such an early flight it was suggested that I take the first bus of the morning, leaving at the ghastly hour of 3:45 a.m. I wasn't too happy about that, but it turned out not to be such a bad thing after all.

I loaded my luggage — well, actually the driver loaded my luggage — onto the bus, and we were off. Af-

ter embarking from Dave's, the AirBus conductor/ driver made stops at the Hampton Inn on Calle Real in Goleta, the Sheraton on Cabrillo, in downtown Santa Barbara, and finally next to the Baker's Square in Carpenteria, and I somehow managed to sleep through all of it.

I woke up in Carpenteria, just before we set off on the 101 for LAX. The driver was passing out candy for the passengers, and telling us that our seats reclined. "Well how about that, they do recline!" I thought to myself, slinking further back in the now-comfortable chair and deeper into sleep.

If I can be perfectly frank, I am not an excellent driver. My friends will disagree, out of friendship — "Go on Charles Gomer, you're an excellent driver," — but, truth be known, my driving stinks. I'd rather have teeth pulled and shellacked than battle L.A. traffic, let alone do this battle in the early a.m. hours. So the AirBus did me an even greater service — I didn't have to drive.

Finally, let's talk economics. I was going to do a two-week tour of Burundi, and that means 13 or 14

days in the back country, not to mention 13 or 14 days in LAX's infamous longterm parking lot. At \$7 a

Go ahead, do the math. We're talking \$90 or \$100, not counting gas, wear and tear on the auto, oil, traffic stress, etc. Versus the Air-Bus: \$52 round-trip if you pay at least 24 hours in advance, or \$28 one-way.

I was in a tiff of course, with only 12 hours to go until flight time. They told me the round-trip would cost \$57 instead, or only \$33 for the one-way trip, but either way you slice it, it still beat the hell out of the parking and gas fees.

End Note: The Burundi trip was a blast, but all of my film turned out underexposed and the vaccines didn't work. I got my luggage at 10:50 p.m., ran outside, barely caught the last AirBus (11 p.m.) and made it back to Santa Barbara in one piece. What a trip!

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By P.T. Bilgman

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Look, let's just make one thing clear — I usually don't write no sissy "restaurant reviews." Hey, the only time I ever see this "Weekend Connection" thing is when I'm cleaning the windows on my jacked-up Ford. You see, I'm what's known as a "man's man"—I drink Bud, smoke filterless cigarettes and watch football in my shorts. Hey, I'm muy macho, I'm studly, and I've got beef. I drink milk out of the carton - straight out of the carton.

But the other night I was real hungry — I'm talkin a man-sized hunger — so I grabbed my girlfriend Lacey, hopped in my truck and went out looking for the usual greasy spoon. Just like she always does, Lacey started whining about how I never take her anywhere

that doesn't serve Happy Meals, so I figured, what the hey, tonight I'll splurge, and we wound up at the City Broiler. Hey. And, although it goes against everything I stand for, I felt I just had to write about one of the most amazing dining experiences of my life.

Now, I could just talk about the grub — after all, the bacon avocado cheeseburger I ordered was so enormous that even a big manly guy like me couldn't finish the whole thing, and they even served it with those really yummy curly french fries. And Lacey got this angel hair pasta dish that she just wouldn't stop "oooh"-ing and "aaah"-ing about. But the City Broiler isn't just about food — it's about what Lacey called "atmosphere."

I mean, we're sitting out there in this courtvard filled with all these trees and col-

orful wind socks listening to this really groovy jazz band (the waitress told me jazz bands play there every night), and, hey, we're drinking beer and smoking and talking and having just a great time, and I realize to myself, "Hey, you know, this is way cool." And I look around and all these other folks are sitting around doing the same thing and looking like they were having a good time, too. So I say to Lacey, "Hey, Lacey, why is it so cool here?" And she says, "It's the atmosphere."

She was right, too. They've got this great big wood and brass bar there and white tableclothes and clean silverware and all the waiters and waitresses are real nice, and, hey, it's just plain comfortable at the City Broiler. Lacey and I even had a conversation.

The prices were cool, too — real low. The whole bill

came to just under \$20, and considering all of the food and drinks that we had, that's a real bargain. I even had enough cash left over to take Lacey to see "Quigley Down Under" after the

The weird thing about the whole experience, though, was how it changed my dining habits. I mean, hey, I still like eating at fast food restaurants and truck stops. But every once in a while, I get this urge to have a more civilized meal, one where I can lean back and relax, listen to some good music, and, hey, eat some delicious and inexpensive food. And when I do, boy, I know where I'm going — I'm going back to the City Broiler.

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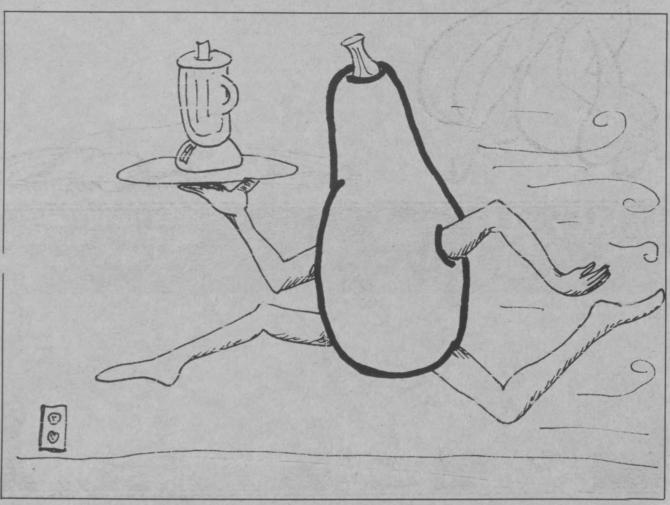
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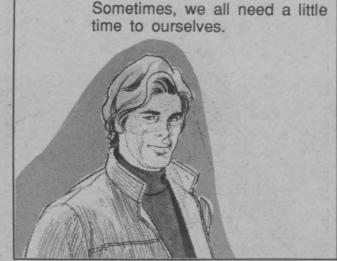
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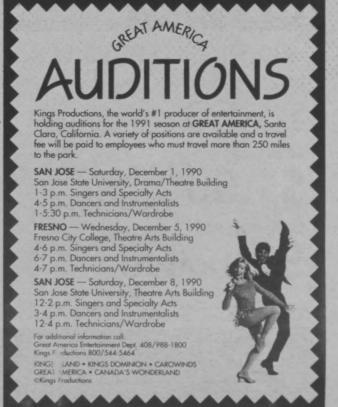
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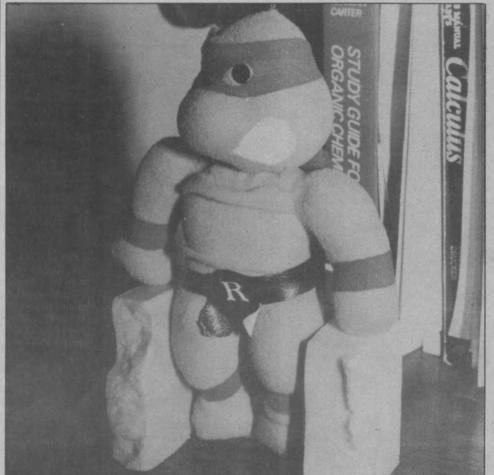
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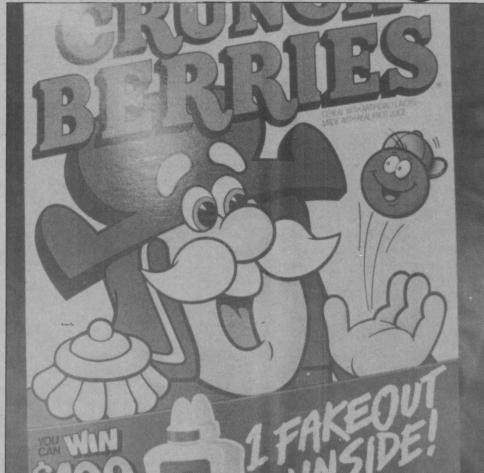






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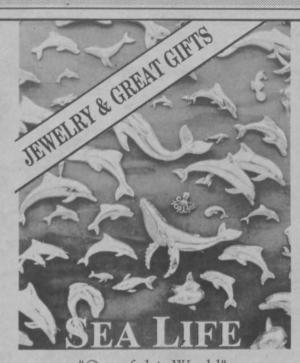
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Adromeda: A Cut Above

By Charles Gomer Scott

thing about bookstores.

browsing, and before I knowit, I'll find 20 or 30 different books I'd like to read.

So I stop, and start looking at one of them until I get bored with it. You do it too, go on, admit it. There's nothing wrong with it. I hon-estly believe that's what bookstores are for - looking at books. Well, and buying them, of course.

In Santa Barbara there are a number of bookstores to choose from, ranging from the big chain booksellers on State Street, to the new-age hippie places located on little, shady, side streets. There are used-book versity texts ... and then from a character in an an- in "The New Teen Titans,"

Calle Real, in one of those All my life I've had this shopping mall places. If you only glanced at the place as you drove by, you'd never two sing, and before I consists I'll and 20 or 70 different places. store was inside.

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Somewhere along the line, the general bookstore melds into a fantasy/ science-fiction/comicthere's Andromeda Books. cient Greek myth, instantly and I never missed the "X-

The store is located on gives off something of the science-fiction/fantasy feel, and a large part of the clientele shops here for this

> They've got fantasy. They've got Conan books, the Gor series by John Norman, lots of books with wild, colored pen and ink covers. In short, they've got all the fantasy stand-bys. And there's science fiction

> But it's the comic books that solidified Andromeda's place in my heart. I remember being a 12-year-old kid — if I'm honest I was still doing this at the age of 17 and running to my neighborhood fantasy bookshop every Friday when the new comics would come in.

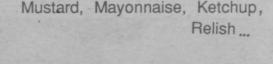
I'd check out the Byrne art in the "Fantastic Four,"

These days, Frank Miller and his graphic novels seem to be all the rage, and yes, Andromeda certainly has their fair share of those. Comics might not be the store's key emphasis, but it's certainly a reason to check the place out... for old time's sake, of course.

I'm told browsing is perfectly acceptable at Andromeda, and take my word for it, there's a lot of good stuff there to check out.

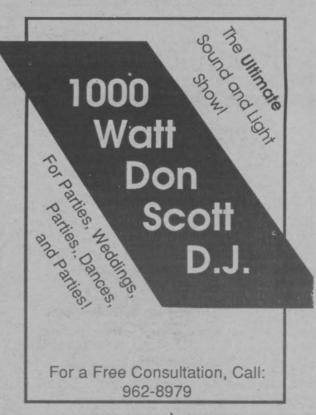
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Due to the erratic lifestyles of Santa Barbara musicians all dates and times are subject to change.

GOLETA & I.V.

ALEX'S CANTINA
5918 Hollister Ave., 683-2577
In this Mexican restaurant/bar you can suck down some margaritas and then dance 'till your heart's content. Alex's offers music 7 nights a week. Happy Hour 3:30-7 pm Mon-Fri — Free appetizers!

Fri 30: Mark Avery
Sat 1: Club 70

Club 70
Brunch & Crunch
Monday Night Football
Lonesome Bob
Country Night
Living Meter
Mark Avery
Club 70 Mon 3: Tue 4: Wed 5: Thu 6: Fri 7: Creature Feature Monday Night Football Lonesome Bob Sun 9: Mon 10: Country Night One Love Variation Wed 12:

Thu 13:



ANIS'Q OYO PARK
To you I.V. locals this place needs no introduction. For you non-locals this park is the place you go to detox after a rough night. Of course provided for you are good local bands with something to say.

966 Embarcadero del Mar, 968-2862
Located in the heart of I.V. this Mexican restaurant has 12 different types of burnitos for your dining experience. Not only does this place have food and monster

CARIBBEAN CUISINE 5838 Hollister, 967-7265

beers but it also has bands

Bask in radiant atmosphere of this authentic Caribbean eatery. The music and food in this joint allow us to enjoy the flavor of the Caribbean.
Sat 1: One Love Vibration
Sat 8: One Love Vibration

COLD SPRINGS TAVERN 5995 Stagecoach Rd., 967-0066

For you nature lovers this backwoods spot is the place for you. Dining and dancing with a rustic twist.

(Look for the old jail cell in the back.)
Fri 30: Sid Havsman Sat 1: Cowgirls in Red Boots/ Chris Jensen Country Band Tom Ball & Kenny Sultan/ Road House Rockers

Fri 7: Zooks Sat 8: Sun 9: Jill Michael's Band

THE GRADUATE 935 Embarcadero del Norte, 685-3112

The largest dance club between San Francisco and Los Angeles. Keep your eye on this place because not only does the Graduate have the best Happy Hour prices in town but great bands play here time and again. Fri 30:

Buck Night/Afterhours
Sat 1:
Caught Red Handed

Live Mexican Music Mon 3: Monday Night Football Country Western Night Countdown Big Chill Night Buck Night/Afterhours Thu 6: Fri 7: Sat 8: TBA Live Mexican Music Monday Night Football Country Western Night Mon 10: Tue 11: Countdown Wed 12: Thu 13: Big Chill Night

ORCHID BOWL'S GALLEON ROOM

5925 Calle Real, 967-0128

Yes, the Orchid Bowl is a bowling center and all that implies. They are now having bands play and all kinds of other events so throw on your bowlers and bring

some dancing shoes for afterwards. Fri 30: Jill Michael's Band Sat 1: Jill Michael's Band Wed 5: TBA Vernon Snow Band Vernon Snow Band Thu 6: Fri 7: Vernon snow Band

THE PUB UCSB'S UCen, 961-3536

On Thursdays this place has the best deal going. For a buck you can see a hot underground band and get good drink deals. Just don't try to smoke because of course we all know it's not permitted. Take a break from the books one Thursday night and check this out.

CARNAVAL 634 State St., 962-9991

CITY BROILER 1129 State St., 965-8500 Broilermakers Broilermakers Wed 5: Straight, No Chaser State Street Jazz All-Stars Thu 6: Broilermakers Fri 7: Broilermakers Straight, No Chaser State Street Jazz All-Stars Wed 12:

FELIX'S CANTINA 525 State St., 962-1432

Thu 13:

this S.B. hot spot has been owned by many people and managed by more yet but once again they have seen their way clear to celebrate the talents of the many "known" bands of S.B. and surrounding areas. Call for

Rice Bands of S.B. and surrounding entertainment info.

Fri 30: DJ David Rice
Sat 1: DJ Grant MacGregor
Thu 6: DJ Andy Harrison
Fri 7: DJ David Rice
Sat 8: DJ Grant MacGregor
Thu 13: DJ Grant MacGregor Thu 13: DJ Andy Harrison

434 State St., 962-5516

This is a great place to relax and groove to the sound that has been with us forever. This is the place for jazz lovers. Jazz played every night. Happy Hour 5-8. Fri 30: Jazz Cache/
Leo Downey Band

THE KETCH
514 State St., 564-3231
This hide-away on State is again open for business and from the appearance it seems to be better than before. While having a tropical drink here you will be under the impression that you are sealed off from the rest of Santa Barbara. For instance, you can drink in a shrubbed patio with three-foot birds squawking. Thu 6: Leo Downey Band

Thu 13: Leo Downey Band AWWIII



Thu 6: Raw Silk/Leslie Lembo/ Belly Dancing Fri 7: Belly Dancing Belly Dancing
Belly Dancing
Harp with Lorin Grean/
Belly Dancing
Raw Silk/Leslie Lembo/ Sat 8: Thu 13: Belly Dancing

MOMENTS

500 Anacapa St., 966-6411

A new and innovative dance club with full bar. Get slicked up and find a date before, during or after dancing and drinking at this establishment.

THE OPEN DOOR
503 State St., 965-6655
Watch the tourists go by while you eat lunch or dinner. I've got to mention the "yard of beer." It is a long tube with a circular bottom. One of these gets your blood pumpin'. Mon-Fri 4:30-7 These yards are \$1.75 for domestic and \$2.50 for Bass Ale.
Fri 30: John Lyle

John Lyle Pat Miliken Fri 30: Sat 1: John Lyle John Lyle Pat Miliken John Lyle

COFFEE+SMOKES STRESS = FINALS

6030 Hollister, 964-5211

A bar in the heart of Goleta that has beers and bands. Try their variety of beers and don't forget to get your card punched. Sat 1:

Bill Firmberg Wed 5: Nick Pyzon Bill Firmberg

WOODY'S

5112 Hollister, 967-3775 This is a good ol' place remnicient of days ago. With sawdust under your feet and a mason jar of beer in your hand you can kick back and grab some ribs and listen to LONG BAR

111 State St., 654-1215

After spending the day at the beach you can relax inside the Long Bar's airy bar/restaurant. There you find plenty of mesquite chicken and cheap Steinlager.
Fri 30: Formerly Mixed Company
Fri 7: Tim Buley

Tim Buley



SANTA BARBARA LOUNGE & RESTAURANT

Santa Barbara Inn, Cabrillo Blvd. at Milpas, 966-2285 Tropical decor and tropical drinks: this place overlooks the ocean. Great eats at Happy Hour 12:30-6:30 Mon-Sun.

Fri 30 & 7: Fan Club Sat 1 & 8: Sun 2 & 9: Mon 3 & 10: Fan Club Denny Phelps Denny Phelps Tue 4 & 11: Wed 5 & 12: Denny Phelps Denny Phelps Thu 6 & 13: Denny Phelps

At this Woody's location the patrons can enjoy their mason jars full of beer while soaking in the western atmosphere. I can personally atest to the quality of Woody's ribs. If you don't go to Woody's for the music then go just for the ribs.

Voted S.B.'s best dance club six years in a row.
Progressive recorded music, lights, video. DJs play the latest in dance music. Occasional live music.

SANTA BARBARA

ALEX'S CANTINA

633 State St., 966-0032 Mexican restaurant with a separate energetic bar. In this downtown location the bar is packed with party veterans from all over. Live music. Fri 30: Mudheads/I-Rails

60's Band Sat 1: Mon 3: Monday Night Football Tue 4: curves Topeka/Gerbil Fury Jack Hammer & The Rock Busters Pat, Finn & Greg Wed 5: Thu 6: Fri 7: Tearaways Tearaways Monday Night Football Celebrity City Sun 9: Mon 10: Wed 12: Official Resistance Thu 13: Roosters

ART'S BAR
2611 De la Vina, 569-0052

A place where the boys go to drink a beer and shoot the crap. You can shoot pool to pass the time while you watch some of SB's local talent.

Fri 30: Eddie-B-Blues Band

Crawdads

Tao Jones CDJ Mon 3: Key Lime Pie Z-Cats Wed 5: Fri 7: Road House Rockers Sat 8: Crawdads Sun 9: Crawdads Mon 10: CDJ Tao Jones Blue Casters Wed 12: Thu 13:

302 W. Montecito St., 962-8949

In this casually elegant Turkish/Mediterranean re-staurant one can enjoy LA Times acclaimed food and be entertained. The buffet is great and inexpensive! Check out the belly dancing.

Fri 30: Belly Dancing Belly Dancing Harp with Lorin Grean/ Sat 1: Belly Dancing

THE GRILL
1279 Coast Village Rd., 969-5969
This place has a casual New York atmosphere. Featuring Italian cuisine complimented by a full bar. Live music played nightly. Call club for info.

- Written by Gary Byrd

LOCAL COLOR

Leave! Leave! Get out of here! Go somewhere! Go

I suggest you go to Yosemite, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Mexico or the Moon, but take a break!

We all know that finals are soon to be over so, pack your bags (quit your job if you have to) and gas up the jalopy, because it's time for a road trip. You decide the destination and I'll see you in January.