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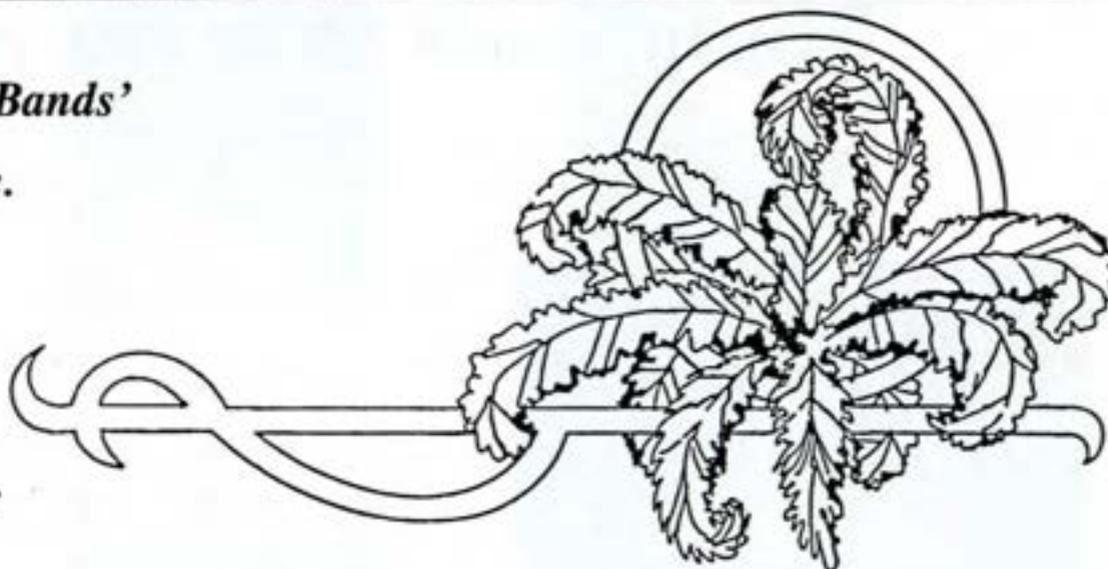
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# A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

December 22, 1988

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Welcome to the 1989 Show of Shows.

Once again it is my pleasure to wish you a Happy, Healthy, and Prosperous New Year.

The years roll on and many things have changed in the world around us. The fabulous Show of Shows continues year after year. Each year the show gets better.

Our 16 bands have performed in all sections of the country since the 1988 show. These Mimmers continue to carry the message of Philadelphia's finest tradition outside our City.

It is through your support that all of this is possible and we sincerely thank you.

The summer concerts are already planned for this year, so look for us each Tuesday at the Mimmers Museum.

KYW will once again televise the parade in 1990.

Thank you for attending this show. Remember that tickets for this year's show and coming years may be purchased from the bands or from Ticketron. Tickets go on sale each year on November 1st.

Sincerely,

PHILADELPHIA MUMMERS' STRING BANDS'  
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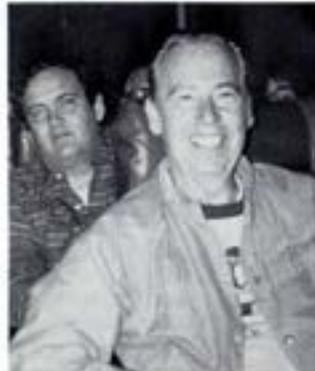


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### OLD TIMERS HALL OF FAME

1978 DAVID (POP) ANDERSON  
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 1980 SAM HAMILTON, JR.  
 1981 JOSEPH RILEY  
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 1983 HENRY DUNAWAY  
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 1986 AL STEWART  
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1962	HEGEMAN
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1964	POLISH AMERICAN
1965	FERKO
1966	SOUTH PHILADELPHIA
1967	FRALINGER
1968	FRALINGER
1969	FERKO
1970	POLISH AMERICAN
1971	HEGEMAN
1972	FRALINGER
1973	FRALINGER
1974	FERKO
1975	SOUTH PHILADELPHIA
1976	POLISH AMERICAN
1977	FRALINGER
1978	QUAKER CITY
1979	GREATER KENSINGTON
1980	FRALINGER
1981	POLISH AMERICAN
1982	FERKO
1983	FRALINGER
1984	FRALINGER
1985	QUAKER CITY
1986	POLISH AMERICAN
1987	FRALINGER
1988	GREATER KENSINGTON
1989	QUAKER CITY

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POLISH AMERICAN
HEGEMAN
WOODLAND
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FERKO
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* QUAKER CITY
* FRALINGER
POLISH AMERICAN
* GREATER KENSINGTON
* POLISH AMERICAN
FERKO
FRALINGER
QUAKER CITY
SOUTH PHILADELPHIA
FRALINGER

THIRD PLACE
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QUAKER CITY
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QUAKER CITY
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QUAKER CITY
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QUAKER CITY
GREATER KENSINGTON

## 1989 Philadelphia Mummies' String Band Hall of Fame



**Nicholas "Duke"  
Buonpastore  
Violinist**

**Born 5/18/12 — Has been a Mummer  
for over 62 years.**

Duke started marching up Broad Street with his Dad when he was eleven years old, but doesn't remember the name of the String Band. Upon graduating from grammar school in June 1926, he joined the Woodland String Band. His first year as a Woodland member on Broad St. was 1927. He stayed with the Band from 1927 to 1931. In 1932 he marched with the Philadelphia String Band which had originally been the Wildwood String Band. In 1933, seven bands marched up Broad St. and four bands played at the Stadium. In 1934, there wasn't any Mummies Parade but each band played in their own neighborhood. In January 1935, Duke became a member of the Quaker City String Band.

In May 1943, Nicholas enlisted in the United States Navy. Upon his discharge in 1945, Duke went back to Quaker City String Band. He left Quaker City String Band in 1952 and joined the Joseph A. Ferko String Band. He served on various committees and was on the Board of Directors for fifteen years.

Duke has enjoyed traveling with the Ferko String Band to many interesting places, such as Cuba, Montreal, Ottawa, Milwaukee and for thirty years the Richmond, Va. Tobacco Festival. Also many cities and towns in Massachusetts, quite a few places in the states of Pennsylvania, New York and numerous concerts in Philadelphia. Since 1961, the band has appeared annually at Ocean Grove, New Jersey and for the past few years they have been going to the Ocean City, New Jersey Auditorium.

His happiest memories are those of having marched with Ferko String Band and Quaker City String Band on the many times that they were awarded First Prize. He is still an active member and six years ago Duke was inducted in the Ferko Hall of Fame.



**Stan Pojat**

Polish American String Band is proud to now have in our ranks Stan Pojat, and we salute him on his deserved induction into the 1989 Philadelphia Mummies String Band "Hall of Fame".

Stan's accomplishments and his influence on String Band music are numerous. At the encouragement of his father, Stan joined Trilby String Band in 1948 as a violin player. He remained with Trilby for 28 years, serving as their Music Director from 1968 thru 1976.

Stan then joined Aqua String Band, remaining with that organization for 10 years, coordinating their sound as the Band's Music Director from 1980-1985.

In 1986, Stan left Aqua to join P. A.'s tenor sax section. His musical knowledge and ability is well respected and valued as he is a key member of Polish American's music department, serving as an Assistant by working on arrangements and conducting the band on many occasions.

A native of New Jersey, Stan resides in Edgewater Park with his wife Ann. Stan Pojat joins Walter Krop, John Baukus, Don Keir and Ray Danielewicz, representing Polish American String Band in the Philadelphia Mummies String Band Hall of Fame.

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## MEN BEHIND THE SCENES

For the year 1989 the **Quaker City String Band** has been selected to submit the name of a member considered to be a tireless and dedicated member of the organization.

After much consideration, by the Officer and Board of Directors, they came to a conclusion to publicly acknowledge and to extend to the many hard workers in the ranks of the non-playing members

of **Quaker City** our warmest thanks and gratitude, for their many hours spent in making things easier for the bandsmen who are foremost in the eyes of the viewing public.

Gentlemen, as the saying goes, "We Couldn't Have Done It Without You!" May we march side by side in unity and good fellowship for many years to come.

## OLD TIMERS HALL OF FAME JOSEPH JANKOWSKI



Polish American String Band is honored to have Joseph Jankowski, our founder and first President as this year's inductee into the **Old Timers Hall Of Fame**.

In 1933 a group of men headed by Joseph Jankowski assembled with the purpose of adding another group of participants to the annual Mummies Parade. The significance is that this band would represent both the Port Richmond and Polish community, which was Joe Jankowski's commitment. He became first President of the **Polish American String Band**, founding the organization on July 6, 1933.

A leader in the community, Joe Jankowski's foresight was to interest youngsters in the tradition of mummery, bring them into the band and further their musical ability.

Building a contender was not easy. On January 1, 1935, Polish American marched

with only ten members and placed sixth. However, the very next year headed by Joe Jankowski, Captain Edwin Piskaldo and Music Director Walter Osowski, Polish American finished a strong second, and the band began to prosper.

Under the leadership of Joe Jankowski and Walter Krop, Polish American established a "winning" legacy reflecting upon the Port Richmond and Polish Community. Joe Jankowski remained President until his death in 1958, the year the band celebrated their 25th Anniversary.

Joe Jankowski created a thriving, democratic organization, and a consistent Mummies Parade top prize finisher. Some fifty-five years later Polish American String Band still adheres to Joe Jankowski's creed.

**1990**  
**Show of Shows**  
**ADVANCE NOTICE**

The 1990 SHOW OF SHOWS will be held at Convention Hall Civic Center in March.

Tickets for this show will go on sale **November 1, 1989**, and may be ordered by calling any of the following string bands.

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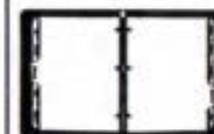
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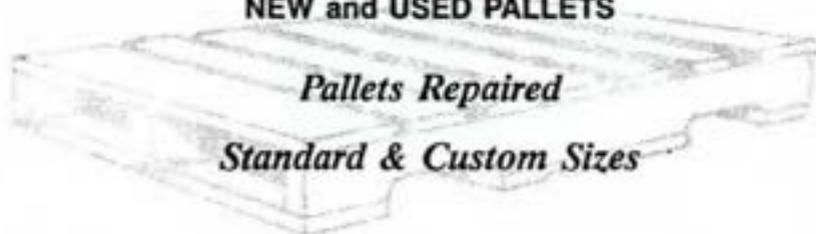
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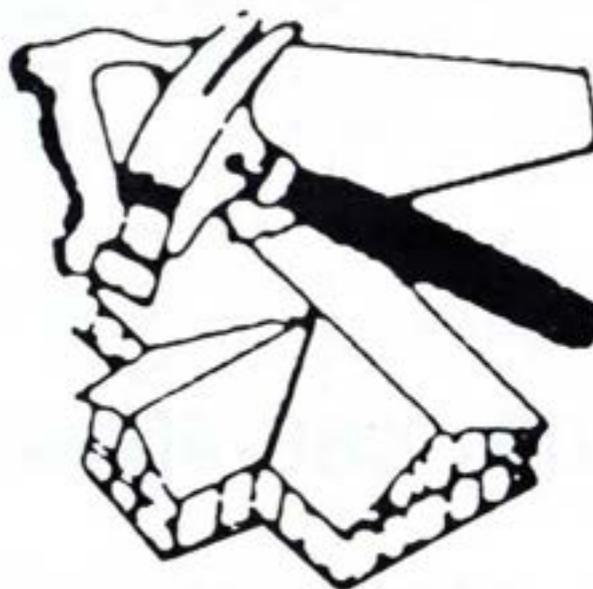
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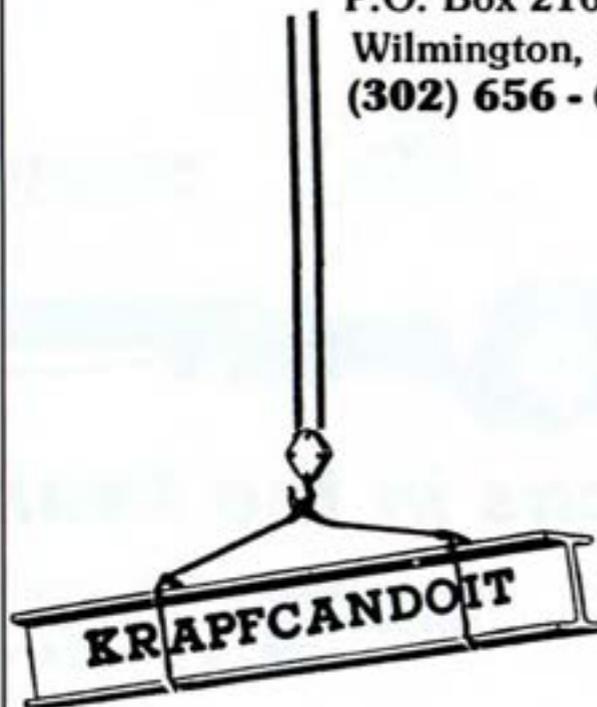
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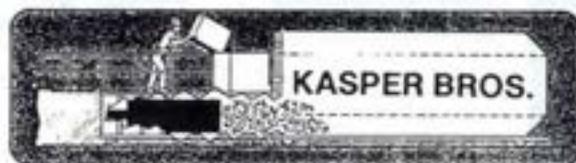
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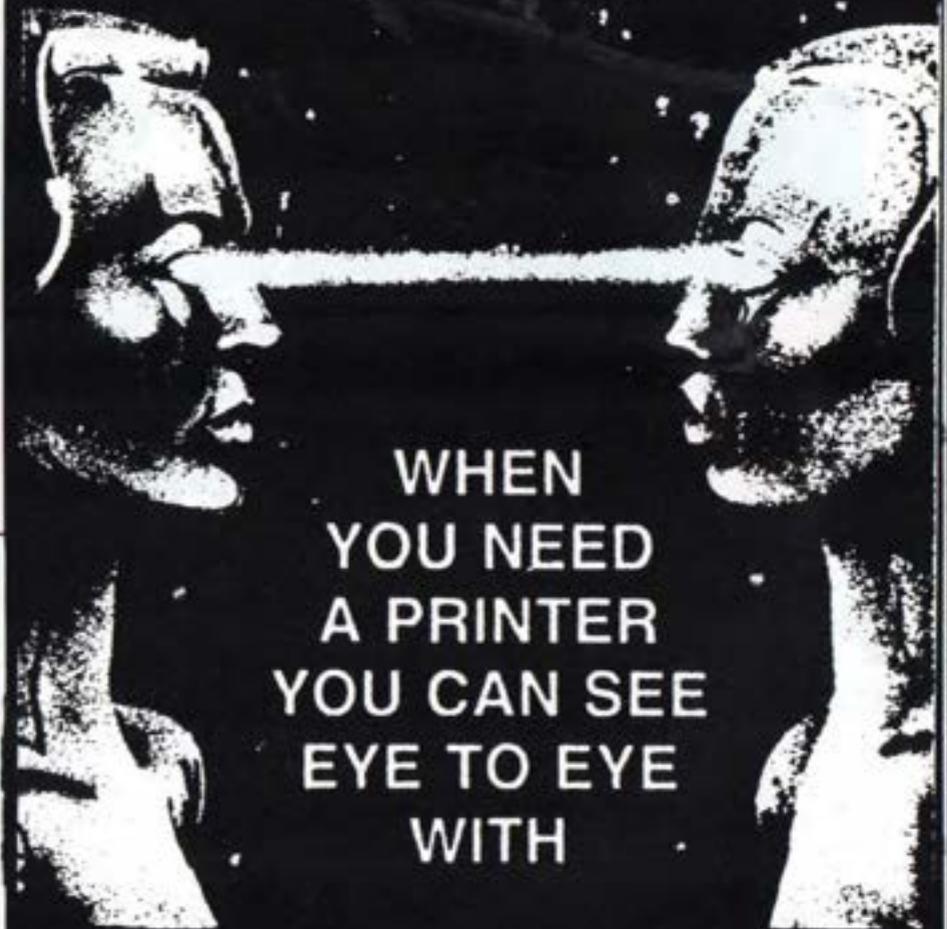
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Assistant Drill Master ..... Jim Hayes  
Band Marshalls .... Jim Clemens, Sr., Ron Koach  
Don Heritage, Sr., Scott Clemens  
Make-up ..... Eileen McLaughlin

### COSTUMES

The band is costumed in patriotic red and blue suits trimmed with white, gold and silver accents topped off by a derby.

## THEME: OF THEE I SWING PRESENTATION

In 1989, the Duffy String Band will take you on a patriotic trip through the Swing era. The familiar strains of America open our performance fading quickly into Reveille, calling our members to action. The band swings to American Patrol and is led through their paces by the Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy. The swing party continues as the band breaks into the famous American Bandstand Boogie. The Yankee Doodle Boy helps close out our Star Spangled spectacular as the band plays a grand finale of Stars and Stripes Forever.

### MUSICAL SELECTIONS

America, Reveille, American Patrol, Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy, American Bandstand Boogie, Yankee Doodle Boy, Stars and Stripes Forever.

## TRILBY STRING BAND

### OFFICERS

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### THEME: NO BUSINESS LIKE SHOW BUSINESS

#### PRESENTATION

The band starts playing **CALIFORNIA HERE I COME** while doing various choreographed steps. The band then forms an inverted "V" while playing **HOORAY FOR HOLLYWOOD** and at the end of the song, the front of the inverted "V" does an about face and on the back of their backpieces are various movie studio logos and the band plays **LET'S GO TO THE MOVIES**. The inverted "V" opens and three dancers appear in rain slickers and do a choreographed dance to **SINGIN' IN THE RAIN**.

The outer lines form a curtain affect and the next routine, the Eddie Canter story, featuring 8 musicians in tuxedos and Eddie Canter doing his famous dance appears while the band plays **IF YOU KNEW SUSIE**. We'll then present the Wizard of Oz characters (Scarecrow, Cowardly Lion, Tin Man, Dorothy and Toto) performing while the band plays **WE'RE OFF TO SEE THE WIZARD**.

The final routine represents the movie **MUSIC MAN** and features 24 members who are part of the pit band doing precision drilling to **76 TROMBONES**. At the end of the music, the entire band will be in the shape of an "M". The band will then exit while playing **TAKE YOUR GIRLIE TO THE MOVIES**.



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Happy second birthday to Little Jerry IV — You bring much happiness into our lives.  
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## UPTOWN STRING BAND

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Captain ..... Joe Trinacria

### ASSISTANTS

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Music Librarian ..... Mike Jacobs  
Drill ..... Ed Armstrong, Mike Jacobs,  
Joe Pfefferle, John Diviny  
Co-Captain ..... Joe Casee

### THEME

Co-Ordinator ..... Tony Bordoni  
Make-Up ..... Women of Uptown  
Costumes ..... Andrew Basile  
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Band Presentation ..... Len Cammuccio  
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### THEME: "HOBO SHENANIGANS" PRESENTATION

The UPTOWN men of means by no means will perform antics demonstrating the carefree life of a hobo. After riding through a shanty town on the Chattanooga Choo-Choo, a group of vagabonds jump from the train to be met at the junction by dancing hobos. Upon finding discarded umbrellas, our unlikely cast of characters smile and dance and then pack up their troubles. Then it's **ONE** for the money — **TWO** for the show . . . as a group of rock 'n rolling hobos say "Don't you step on my blue suede shoes!"

As the band of happy wanderers depart, side by side, they discover that the best things in life **ARE** free!

### MUSICAL SELECTIONS

When You Wish Upon A Star, Couple of Swells, Together Wherever We Go, King Of The Road, Chattanooga Choo-Choo, Shanty Town, Tuxedo Junction, Smiles, Let A Smile Be Your Umbrella, Pack Up Your



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Troubles, Consider Yourself, Blue Suede Shoes, Side By Side, Best Things In Life Are Free.

### COSTUMES

The costume is a traditional hobo suit with orange jacket and multicolored patches trimmed with sequins and highlighted with colored rags. The pants are dark blue trimmed with patches outlined with gold sequins. A multi-colored tie compliments the suit. To top off the outfit, a light blue crushed top hat is adorned with feathers and a daisy!

Our captain, **Joe Trinacria**, marking his sixth year of leading Uptown up Broad St. dressed as "**THE KING OF THE ROAD**" with his traveling stick bag, worn shoes and no money arrives on the Chattanooga Choo-Choo with the Uptown hobos to welcome the New Year on Broad St.

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The Durning String Band would like to wish everyone a Happy and Healthy 1989.

The year 1988 has been a year of change for the Durning String Band. Accounting for most of the change that has occurred is the fact that the Durning String Band has merged with the Garden State String Band of Gloucester, N.J. After months of meetings, negotiations and various legal matters to resolve, the memberships of both respective organizations voted on September 8, 1988 to merge as one organization. The result of the action is that the Durning String Band has moved its headquarters to Gloucester, N.J.

### THEME: CUSTARD'S LAST STAND PRESENTATION

Durning's 1989 theme changes the history books in a humorous sort of way as they present **CUSTARD'S LAST STAND**. Just as there was at The Little Big Horn, the front line of Durning will consist of Cavalry and Indians. The Cavalry is awakened with "REVEILLE". The Indians appear to their song of "KAWLIGA." The Cavalry marches in military style to "F TROOP". Once again the Indians renounce their presentation to a second verse of "KAWLIGA". At this point the fantasy begins. General "Custard" leads his mystical cavalry and sets the stage for an ice cream stand illusion to the song "ICE CREAM", complete with life size banana splits and sundaes. From the custard



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stand appears three different flavors of Indians which is "SWEET GEORGIA BROWN". General "Custard" brings his stand to life as the band swings and sways to "WHO'S IN THE STRAWBERRY PATCH WITH SALLY?" and "BOOGIE, WOOGIE BUGLE BOY". Since neither the Cavalry or Indians can declare victory at this get together, the band continues its highly generated spirit as they conclude its presentation with "HAMPS BOOGIE WOOGIE".

### COSTUMES

The costumes consist of typical Cavalry and Indian dress complete with back pieces of plumes. In addition, there are Cavalry as cones of custard ice cream, as well as Indians as sugar cones of ice cream in flavors such as, lemon, lime and orange. The two suits representing ice cream have an overlay and backpiece which complement each other to convey a flavor of custard on a cone.

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### THEME: FRACTURED FAIRY TALES PRESENTATION

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Act 1 — 3 little pigs — the 3 little pigs aren't afraid of the wolf. When they strut their stuff they can't get enough.

Act 2 — Humpty Dumpty doesn't fall. He jumps off the wall and has a ball.

Act 3 — This pie sure does fly, oh me, oh my, when the black birds dance this pie flies high.



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Act 4 — The phrase kids will be kids is often heard and seen when they start to play and move it's really keen. And you know this music is really pumping, when this band plays, "This Joint Is Really Jumping!" In this fairy tale!

Finale — Fairy tales can come true — it can happen to you, but anything goes when you're young at heart.

### MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Theme from "Fractured Fairy Tales", Someday My Prince Will Come, Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf, I Feel Good, Sing A Song of Sixpence, Flying Home, Get Ready, Kids, This Joint is Jumping, Young At Heart, Anything Goes.

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### MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Overature: Blues in the Night  
     Birth of the Blues, St. Louis Blues March,  
     Those Old Piano Roll Blues, Blue Suede  
     Shoes  
 Recap: Blues in the Night



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### COSTUMES

What a crew, we're all in blue, almost everything's blue, all tried and true. A flamboyant jacket in peacock lame trimmed in gold, it's the sight of the day. This suit is layered in metallic brocade, the blues will shimmer in every shade. Slashes of color in pom-poms and feather, will sway in the breeze regardless of weather. A pant of moiré with it's bell and more slashes, reflect both the mood and the light in bright flashes. We'll sustain your attention with an accent of fuscina, hold onto your hats, this band's gonna blues ya, and speaking of hats, a festive derby's our topper. Regardless of angle, we're a visual show stopper.

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The Band would like to congratulate one of its Active-Senior Members, **Jim "Shoes" Moran, Sr.** on his recent nomination to the Old Timers' Hall of Fame.



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Shoes, an organizer and life-long member of the Band, has both held various offices and served the Band in many ways over the years. He is one of three generations of his family in our organization.

The officers and members salute Shoes on his nomination and are proud to call him one of our own.

### THEME: PLAYING WITH A FULL DECK PRESENTATION

Our whimsical episode begins as **THE JOKER** frees his contemporaries from their card box. Watch as they spill forward. You then are transformed into our **HIGH SOCIETY** world full of fun and animation. Rhythms and colors abound in this world and are shuffled about freely in a playful manner.

Presiding over the Band's **HOUSE OF CARDS** are **THE JACKS, QUEENS, AND KINGS**, all of whom are dressed in regal splendor. Our face cards come to life before your eyes. Their presence is highlighted by

stately choreography and song.

Not to be outdone by the face cards, **THE NUMBER CARDS** make their appearance and add an energy all their own to our surrealistic episode. Costumed appropriately for the occasion — the colors red and black dominate as hearts, diamonds, spades, and clubs swell to the forefront — our rank and file first mix and then blend together for you with the help of precision drill and upbeat music.

Making their grand entrance near the finale are **THE ACES**. These special and dignified cards appear dressed in their most elegant attire. Look closely at what they have chosen to wear — they have spared no expense to impress you and to **BRING DOWN THE HOUSE**.

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### THEME: GYPSY IN MY SOUL PRESENTATION

This band of happy vagabonds loves the carefree life on the road. Whether they're welcoming their king with a tambourine serenade, commanding his favorite bears to perform, capturing the breathless energy of a Hungarian dance, or even telling a fortune or two in a mystical little tea room, they will undoubtedly set fire to your spirit of adventure. So after they've gone on to other highways and byways, you may find yourself feeling a bit fancy free and wanting to wander. But don't worry! It's probably just the gypsy in your soul.

### MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Gypsy, Happy Wanderer, Song Of The Vagabonds, Gypsy Sabre Dance, Hungarian Dance #5, Tea For Two, In A Little Gypsy Tea Room, Great Balls of Fire, Soul Man, Dark Eyes, Gypsy In My Soul, and Play, Fiddle, Play.

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### COSTUMES

A kaleidoscope of colors and textures are used to illustrate the vibrant gypsy spirit. The traditional ensemble includes puffed shirt sleeves and pants, vests, scarves, and ribbons. And of course, no self respecting gypsy would be fully dressed without his golden earring.

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### THEME: "PLAYIN' THE PLAIDS"

#### PRESENTATION

Entrance: Scottish solen slow step.  
Presentation: Military maneuvers leading into authentic Scottish jigs and reels as performed by the **GORDON** and **MacLAINE** clans. After joining ranks the clans loosin' their plaids a bit and swing to the sounds of Loch Lomond. The rival clans let "by gones be by gones" as they join in camaraderie before exiting to Scotland the Brave.

#### MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Amazing Grace, Scotland the Brave, Men of Harlech, Kerry Dance, Campbells are Coming, Charlie My Darlin', Loch Lomond, Auld Lang Syne,  
Reprise: Scotland the Brave

#### COSTUMES

Authentic portrayal of the tartans worn by the **GORDON** and **MacLAINE** clans. All costumes include traditional

accessories worn by the Scots, i.e. kilts, cape, sashes, busby hat, knee socks, spat, etc. Velvets, sequins and other iridescent materials have been used to accent the suits and give them that "true Mummer" flash and sparkle.

#### SPECIAL THANK YOU

The men of Avalon would like to take this opportunity to say a special thank you to **MR. JIM McKNIGHT, SR.** for all his time, effort and artistic contributions in the preparation of our 1989 performance.

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### THEME: SOUND TRACKS PRESENTATION

All-Aboard . . . All Aboard! Dance routines in a train station setting combined with precision band movements as Polish American String Band depicts their notion of the railroad.

Watch for the dancing engineers entering from the train gates; the colorful tunnel illusion plus devious villain Snidley Whiplash, hero Dudley Do-Right and the innocent heroine Nell, as these noted characters reenact a familiar railroad rescue scene.

### MUSICAL SELECTIONS

With music arranged to simulate train sound effects, the sixty-four bandsmen will play selections including Skimble Shanks (from CATS); Petticoat Junction; Dudley Do-Right; Tuxedo Junction; Locomotion; Choo-Choo Charlie; Casey Jones; Chatanooga Choo-Choo and Light At The End Of The Tunnel ( from STARLIGHT EXPRESS).

### COSTUMES

Outer perimeter of the band will wear backpieces depicting a train complete with cow-catcher and caboose. The inner bandsmen will be dressed as engineers wearing sequined red and blue lamésuits trimmed with boa and colored tinsel. All bandsmen will don a trainsmen hat.

### CAPTAIN

Captain Ray Danielewicz will portray Choo-Choo Charlie dressed in an elaborate engineers costume complete with his own frame work engine and coal car.



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### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Polish American String Band is proud to recognize three of our members recently elected to various Mummies' "Hall of Fame" status:

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The band would also like to acknowledge and thank the Polish American Association (2806 E. Allegheny Avenue) especially Jack Stepnowski (Steward) and Frank Furness (President) for submitting their "train" theme concept, the basis for "SOUND TRACKS."

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### THEME: AT THE STRUTTERS BALL PRESENTATION

In South Philadelphia and in New Orleans . . . during the Mardi Gras and the Mummers Parade . . . at weddings, parties and yes, even funerals . . . the people of these two great cities have "strutted" up and down the streets of their town to the sounds of Dixieland, Jazz and String Band music. Dressed in feathered, masked and sequined costumes, they hold their umbrellas high and proudly "strut their stuff", keeping alive the heritage and traditions of past generations.

"AT THE STRUTTERS BALL" is the title of a gala event created and presented by the **JOSEPH A. FERKO STRING BAND** in honor of the greatest "strutters" of all time. The theme of this party brings together, for the first time on Broad Street, Strutters from South Philadelphia and New Orleans. Each unique style of music and dance will be portrayed throughout this action packed extravaganza for all to compare and enjoy.



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The "King" of the Strutters Ball, **CAPTAIN BILL SPEZIALE**, starts the party off on the right foot with a toe tapping version of . . . **HOT TIME IN THE OLD TOWN TONIGHT**. Black and silver costumes complement our unique jazz arrangement of . . . **HAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN**.

Twenty four sax players, in contrasting pink and gold costumes, break out for some good ol' mummers struttin' to an all time favorite . . . **ALABAMA JUBILEE**. This saxophone ensemble shows their versatility by quickly changing the mood and style, high stepping to the . . . **DIXIELAND ONE STEP**.

The party begins to pick up tempo as we jam to the . . . **DARKTOWN STRUTTERS BALL** and then strum along with the . . . **BANJO PICKERS BALL**.

As the band strikes up the spiritual classic . . . **WHEN THE SAINTS GO MARCHING IN**, we find **CAPTAIN BILL** as the "Grand

Marshal" of a traditional New Orleans "Jazz Funeral" procession. With their black umbrellas in rhythmic cadence, the "second line" of marchers shuffle and strut to a reprise of . . . **HAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN**.

Not to be outdone by their Southern counterparts, a brigade of Philadelphia Mummers come out in full force. Dressed in their finest New Years' Day "Suit", with boa trimmed umbrellas, (**triple tiered of course**) they strut their stuff to a reprise of the . . . **ALABAMA JUBILEE**.

The perennial favorite of every "New Years Shooter" . . . **O' DEM GOLDEN SLIPPERS**, brings the festivities to an exciting and memorable conclusion.

The officers and members of the Joseph A. Ferko String Band are proud to announce that **Nicholas "Duke" Buonpastore** has been inducted into the "Hall of

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## GREATER KENSINGTON STRING BAND

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Last year's 2nd prize Captain, Joe Lippincott, is sidelined this year as he recovers from back surgery. While the band surely misses Joe with all his talent, showmanship, and enthusiasm, they are confident that Co-Captain Scott Moyer will fill the gap. Scott is a bass player and a dancer and a showman in his own right.

The band also announces that Joe Deighan, their President of 16 years, is retiring as a band officer in March, 1989. Joe also serves as President of the Philadelphia String Band Association.

Greater Kensington wishes all their members, families, and friends a Health, Happy, and Prosperous New Year.

### THEME: "BIEN CARIBBEAN" PRESENTATION

January 1, 1989 marks the 43rd consecutive appearance of the Greater Kensington String Band in the Philadelphia Mummers' Parade.

The champions of the 1988 look to repeat as winners



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in 1989 with the island theme "BIEN CARIBBEAN." Greater Kensington String Band has always prided itself on being different and this year's theme presentation is further proof.

The 67 performers take the audience on a Caribbean Holiday. Gumbay comes to Broad Street. Led by Music Director, Steve Groman, the band will play a medley of "WOMAN IS SMARTER", "MATILDA", "YELLOW BIRD", "PEANUT VENDOR", "JAMAICA FAREWELL", "MARYANN" and "PUERTO RICO."

Steel drums are being used for the **FIRST** time ever on Broad Street. The unique and distinctive sound of the two sets of drums lends itself to the authenticity of the theme. The drums were made in the islands and imported to Philadelphia.

The presentation, quite simply put, is dance time Caribbean style. Drill Master, Bill Patterson has put together an exciting and entertaining island show.

You will see three different costumes as the show develops. All island type characters such as the dancing **CONSTABLES**, the multiplumed **PEASANTS** and the **ELITE** of the seas, the pit band.

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### THEME: "STAGEFRIGHT"

#### PRESENTATION

Just when you thought the streets were secure and your family safe . . . along comes a nightmare on Broad Street.

Fright is put on the stage immediately as the cemetery gates are opened to an "OVERTURE OF THE FUNERAL MARCH AND STRAINS OF THE PHANTOM OF THE OPERA" with casket doors opening to reveal the Living Dead and creatures crawl from their graves. The Phantom of the Opera emerges to lead these rogues from the cemetery to a demonic, choreographed "THRILLER". BIBBIDI-BOBBIDI-BOOOO" & "CASPER THE FRIENDLY GHOST" call to the spirits for the Ghosts to appear



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with their "JEEPERS CREEPERS". Out of the darkness appear the Skeletons dancing their "SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL" to be joined by the Ghosts in a bone rattling review. A swirling, fiendish circle creeps to center stage only to explode as the Frankenstein Monsters woo the Witches to "AIN'T SHE SWEET". The Phantom of the Opera gathers his creature cast around him as these deadly dancers trip the fright fantastic to "I'VE HAD THE TIME OF MY LIFE". This chorus line of Witches, Skeletons, Frankenstein Monsters, Ghosts, Living Dead, Freddy Kruger and the Phantom will put the fright on the stage as they rage into the night.

The musical arrangement and stage direction are carefully integrated to compliment each phase of the show. Popular and traditional songs are spiced with nightmarish harmonies to fully support the varied choreography and show presentations. Formation drilling is unusual as the band body constantly rotates to feature both stage left and stage right performances.

### COSTUMES

Costuming clearly presents each character costume. Outrageous is the theme of the night and each performer is an embellished creature. The Living Dead in huge coffin backpieces are in 18th Century garb of rose velvet and purple cerise; Ghosts are high flying backpieces on Skeleton performers; Skeletons are dressed in bone-chilling costumes of royal blue cerise with crushed top hat and tails; Witches wear a garish and spellbinding orange cerise and silver sequined gown with skull-topped witch hat. Frankenstein Monsters & Freddy Kruger are in familiar designs.

The Captain is the Phantom of the Opera, dressed for opening night in red and white moiré, trimmed in black and silver sequins and lace. His headpiece is the heavily plumed chandelier.

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### THEME: THERE'S NO BUSINESS LIKE SNOW BUSINESS

#### PRESENTATION

A group of Eskimo tribesmen framing the entire band will be recognized as one could only imagine from text book pictures, but in a more picturesque wardrobe consisting of snow white pants, parka and boots, more commonly known to this hearty group as "Mukluks". Trimmed in ice blue fur, the parka has the hood, sleeves and bottom accented by simulated white fur and sequins covering the entire front. A backpiece containing 350 white plumes, highlights the "Northern Star" in conjunction with the "Aurora Borealis". What a beautiful sight to behold!

Emerging from within the band comes a happy tribe on their way to a celebration. On the frozen tundra of Alaska, a gaily clad band of revelers will don a color scheme of predominantly ice blue trimmed with white fur.

Following these cool musicians onto the frozen dance floor comes a group of hot-footed dancers, who are sure to stir some excitement from the villagers looking in



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on this gala spectacle. Dressed to the nines in pure white with silver trim and black fur, these high-steppers illustrate what an Eskimo tuxedo might look like. This facet of the presentation was contrived by Drill Master Charlie Roetz, who, along with the participants, have spent many extra hours making this a great show for Broad Street and the annual "Show of Shows".

Happiness personified will be the appearance of three Penguins. This fabulous trio consists of our Drill Master and the two youngest members of our saxophone section, Franny Kelly, Jr. and Danny Muller.

At this writing, many facets of Captain Bob Shannon, Jr.'s costume are still being decided upon. However, we can assure you Bob will again be a top-notch contender for the coveted Captain's Prize.

Musical selections so ably arranged by our Musical Director Jim Fox, Jr. are sure to be pleasing to the ears and hearts of one and all. We at Quaker City feel most fortunate to have someone of Jim's calibre putting it

together for us all year long. Selections to be played are an Eskimo prayer to "LET IT SNOW" so they may take a "SLEIGH RIDE" to the "HALL OF THE MOUNTAIN KING" to do the "MAPLE LEAF RAG", "BEYOND THE BLUE HORIZON". So, "BUTTON UP YOUR OVERCOAT" and we'll be "PUTTING ON THE RITZ" and "INKA - DINKA - DOO" (Eskimo Love Song).

To our dear friend Duke Buonpastore, a former member of Quaker City String Band and a long time member of the Joseph A. Ferko String Band, our heartiest congratulations upon his induction into the "Mummers' Hall of Fame" in 1989.

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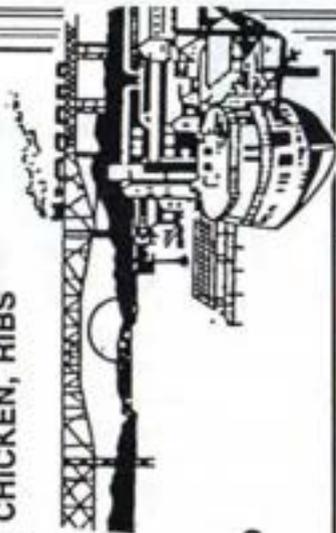
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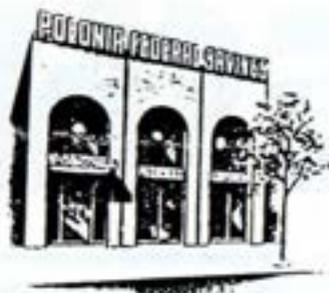
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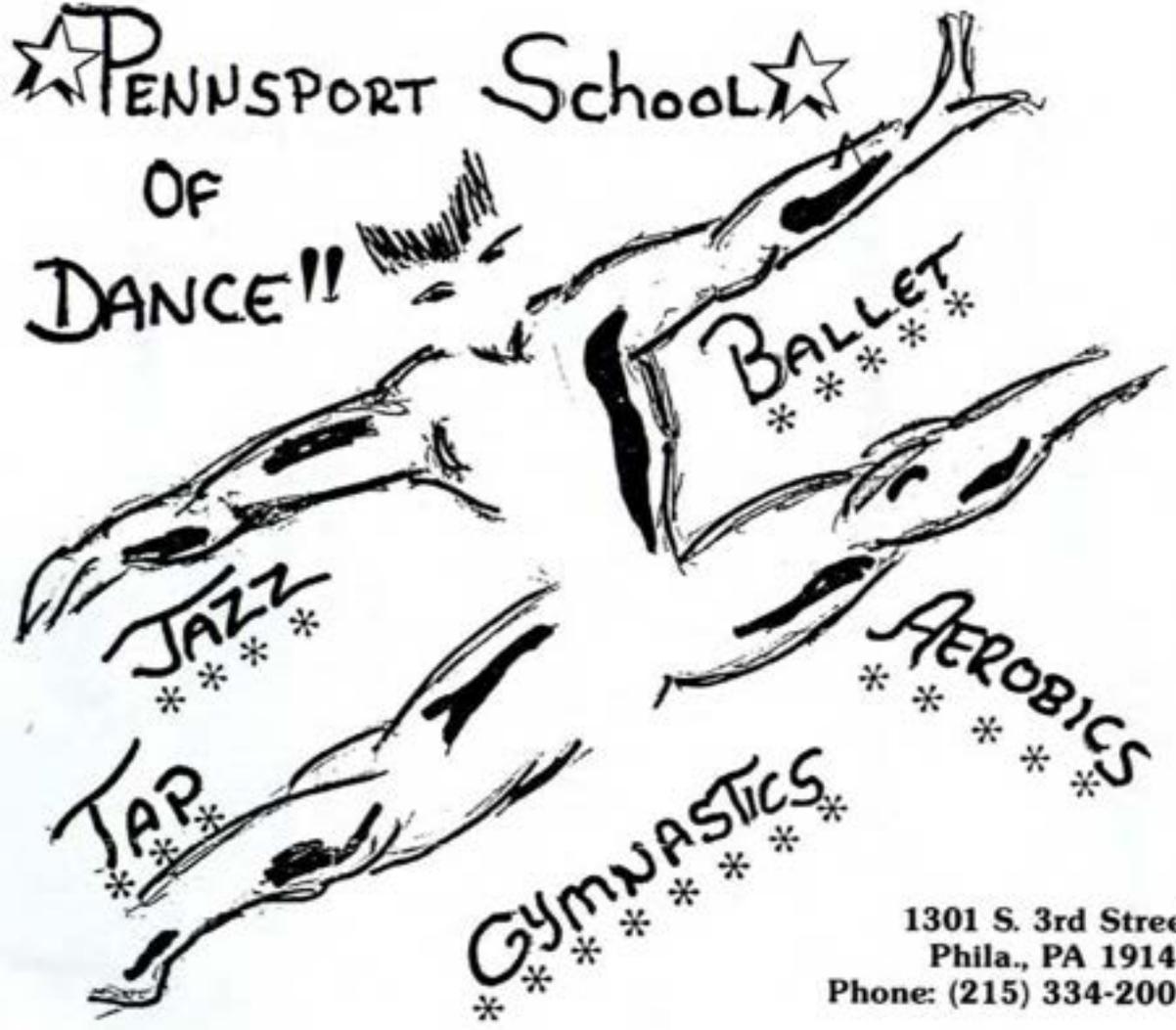


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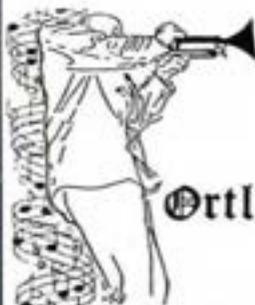
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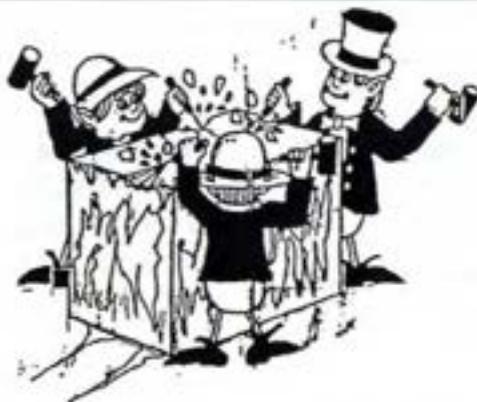


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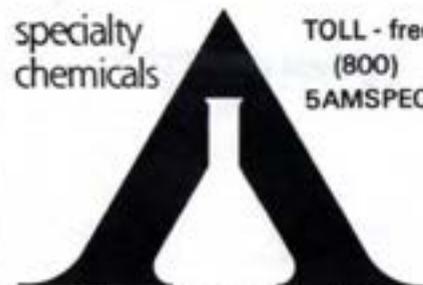
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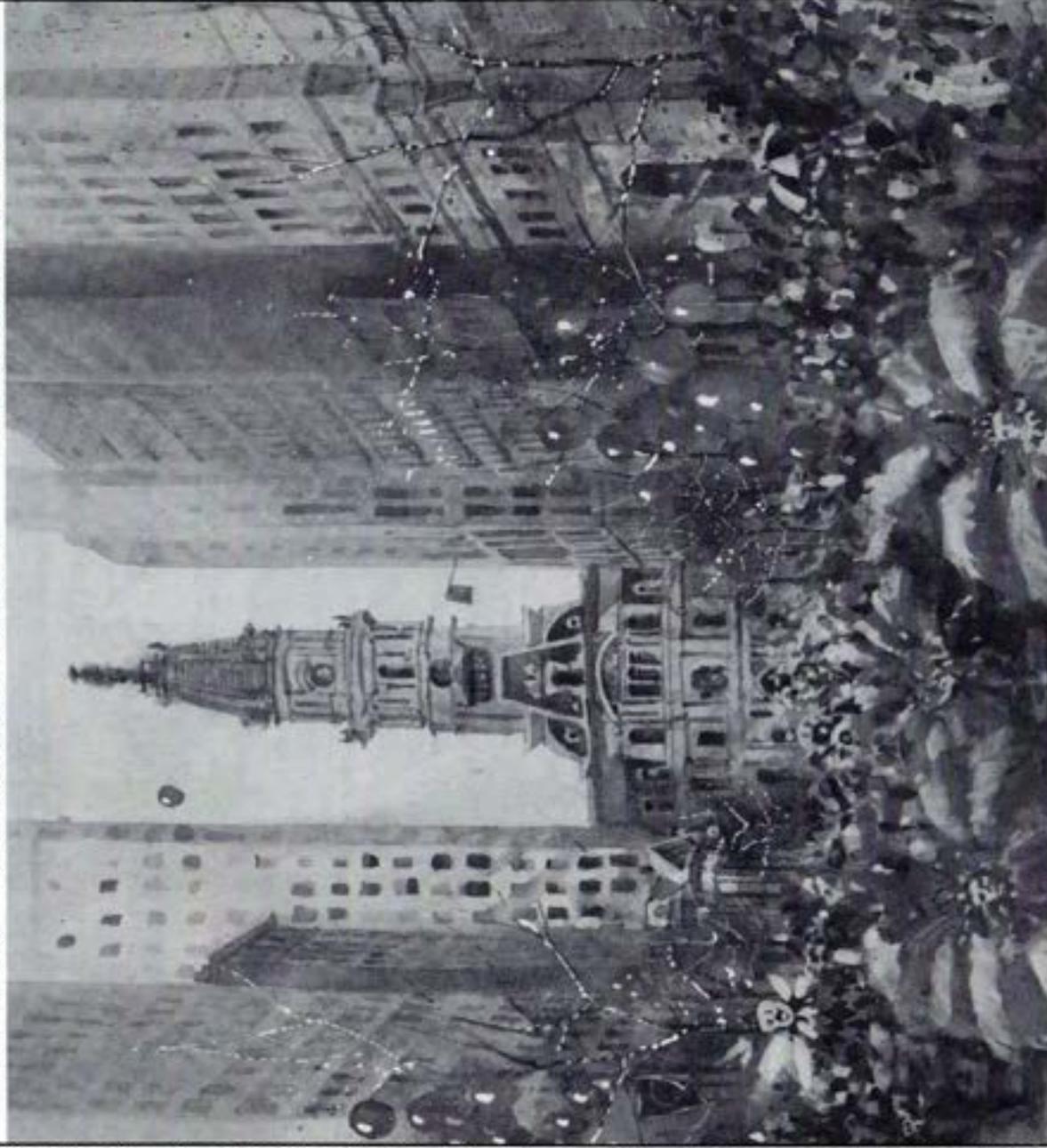
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