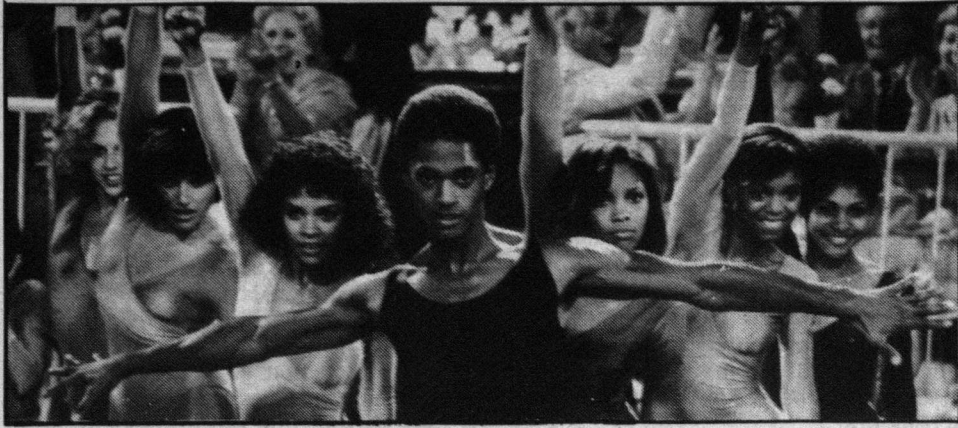


Jeepers, it's so crazy, it just might work



Energetic young hopefuls dance their way to fame in *Fast Forward*.

Fast Forward
Columbia Pictures
Rialto 2 Theatre

review by Don Grygas

The movie *Fast Forward* proved to be an entertaining show after a rather shaky start.

The movie is about eight high school kids from Ohio who form a dance group called "The Adventurous Eight." These kids have big dreams of becoming great dancers and they finally get one chance to "strut their stuff" at a dance competition in New York. They go to New York only to get railroaded out of the competition by a high ranking businessman who has turned the competition totally commercial. Then by some stroke of great luck, they meet Ida Sabol who eventually saves the fate of the group as well as the fate of the movie.

Ida's late husband formerly owned and operated the dance competition, and Ida uses this influence to give the kids the big break that they so desperately need. The kids

finally get on stage and steal the hearts of the audience and the judges; they come out victorious and well on their way to fame and fortune.

At the beginning of the show, there is not much dialogue nor any background information presented, which leads to the audience being totally lost during the first ten minutes of the show. All that is presented is a bunch of high school kids running around without saying anything. The young acting cast leaves a lot to be desired in the beginning, but they improve as the film progresses. With the introduction of Ida, the show is saved. She adds class, humour, and experience which allows the younger cast to settle down and put some meaning and emotion into their acting.

All in all, the show was entertaining, and the character of Ida Sabol is well worth the price of admission. On a scale of 1 to 10 I would rate the show a seven for the dancing displayed throughout and for the character of Ida Sabol.

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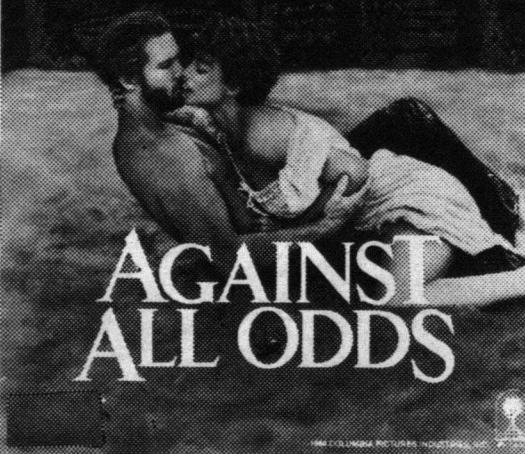
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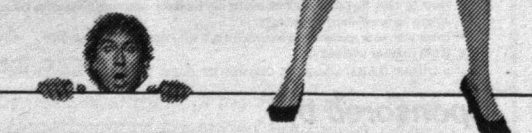
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The Woman in Red

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ENTERTAINMENT Trivia

by Don Teplyske

TELEVISION

Topic: *Star Trek*

1. What were the furry creatures that created chaos aboard the 'Enterprise'?
2. How many years of its five year mission did the 'Enterprise' complete?
3. What was the name of McCoy's nurse?

MUSIC

Topic: *Flashes-in-the-pan*

4. Their first album, in 1977, contained the dance hits "San Francisco" and "Fire Island."
5. In 1983, after their second flop album 'Round Trip,' this former number one band called it quits.
6. Their one, and only, hit was "Afternoon Delight."
7. Former porn queen Andrea True had only one hit. What was its repetitive, one word title?

HOCKEY

8. How did Toronto get Rick Vaive and Bill Derlago?

9. Who was Bobby Orr's longtime defensive partner?
10. What team was the Edmonton Oilers first NHL playoff opponent?

Last Week's Answers

1. Marc Almond and David Ball composed Soft Cell.
2. The Brothers Mael are known as Sparks.
3. Steely Dan was composed of Donald Fagen and Walter Becker.
4. The Kemps are members of Spandau Ballet.
5. Sidney Freedman wrote to Sigmund Freud.
6. Rosie's was the 4077th club.
7. B.J.'s wife was Peg.
8. Hawkeye was from Crabapple Cove, Maine.

Starting within the next couple of weeks will be a MAJOR trivia contest, in which you can win MAJOR prizes associated with a MAJOR motion picture.

Details will follow next week concerning this MAJOR movie contest.

As usual, this week's prizes are not known but may include a limited edition Ann Mortifee interview album (oooooh!) and a postcard of the Students' Union Building (aaaaaah!) Drop your answers at Room 282, SUB before next Wednesday.

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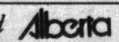
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