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School, an odd omission considering that the main purpose of Slusarenko's project is to raise awareness about these organizations.

The screening will feature a performance of *Hedwig* songs by queer neo-folkie Holcombe Waller and Portland's own Hedwig, Wade McCollum. **A-**

—Stephen Blair

DO I LOOK FAT?

4 p.m. Oct. 8

This informative documentary examines mainstream gay culture's obsession with body image, which often leads to eating disorders among gay and bisexual men.

EL CALENTITO

6 p.m. Oct. 8

In this Spanish film, female punk band Las Sioux prepares for a musical showcase for a potential producer on the eve of a 1981 military coup. Will the unfolding political events jeopardize their gig?



Amnesia: The James Brighton Enigma

SMALL TOWN GAY BAR

8 p.m. Oct. 8

This acclaimed documentary visits small towns in northeastern Mississippi where bars serve as the glue holding together groups of queers who simply have no other place to be together. Director Malcolm Ingram (who, interestingly, served as Jason Mewes' "wrangler" on the set of *Jay and Silent Bob Strike Back*) will be in attendance.

LOOKING FOR CHEYENNE

7 p.m. Oct. 9

This French romance integrates compelling political concerns into the story of a Parisian science teacher pining for her ex-girlfriend Cheyenne, a committed activist who has left the city to live entirely "off the grid."

POSTER BOY

9 p.m. Oct. 9

This intriguing drama involves an ACT UP member (Jack Noseworthy) undergoing a crisis of conscience after hooking up with a closeted college student (Matt Newton, Jerri's blind boyfriend from *Strangers with Candy*) whose father is a powerful, conservative U.S. senator. Co-starring Oscar nominee Michael Lerner (*Barton Fink*) and Karen Allen (*Raiders of the Lost Ark*).

RED DOORS

7 p.m. Oct. 10

Dad Ed is a recent retiree whose hobby is the half-hearted (though frequent) suicide attempt—at least when he's not staring blankly at videotapes of his daughters when they were little. First daughter Samantha is a high-powered exec on the verge of marrying another driven corporate type she doesn't love. Second daughter Julie is a med student and dyke with a crush on famous actress Angelina, who just happens to be researching a part at Julie's hospital. Third



The Gymnast

daughter Katie is a sweet-faced gangsta girl who inexplicably plays scatological and verminous pranks on a high school classmate. Mom tries to survive by pretty much ignoring all this bad stuff, busying herself with elaborate meals, reassuringly served on a big Lazy Susan.

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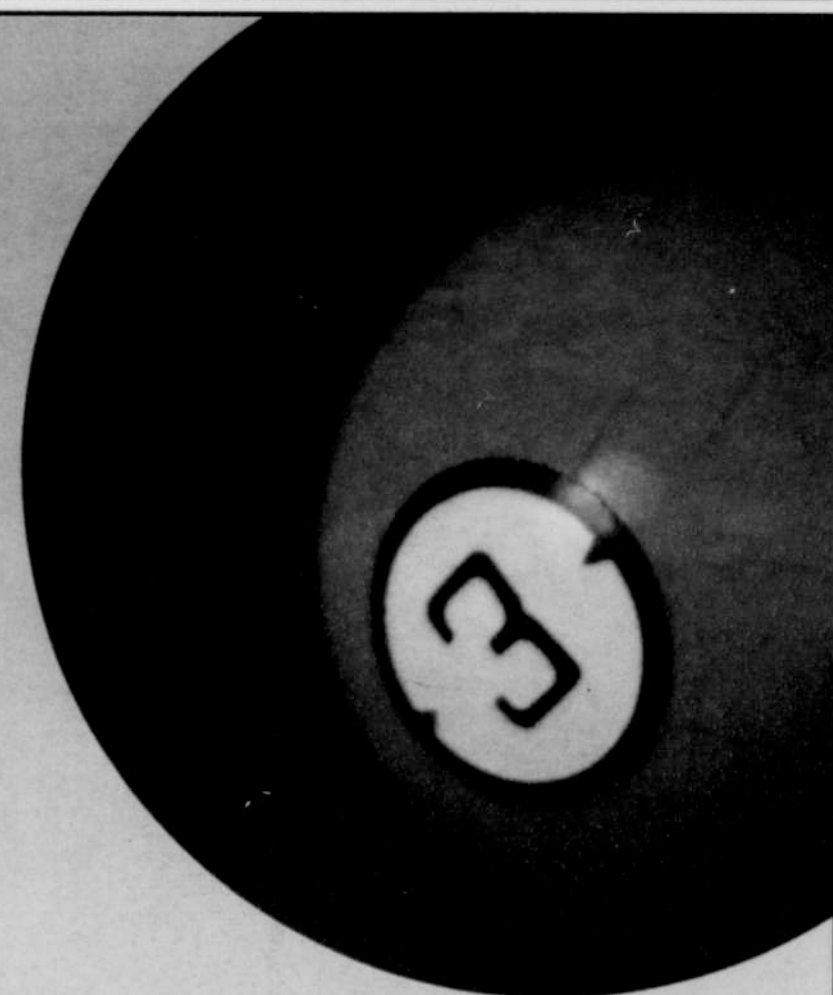
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