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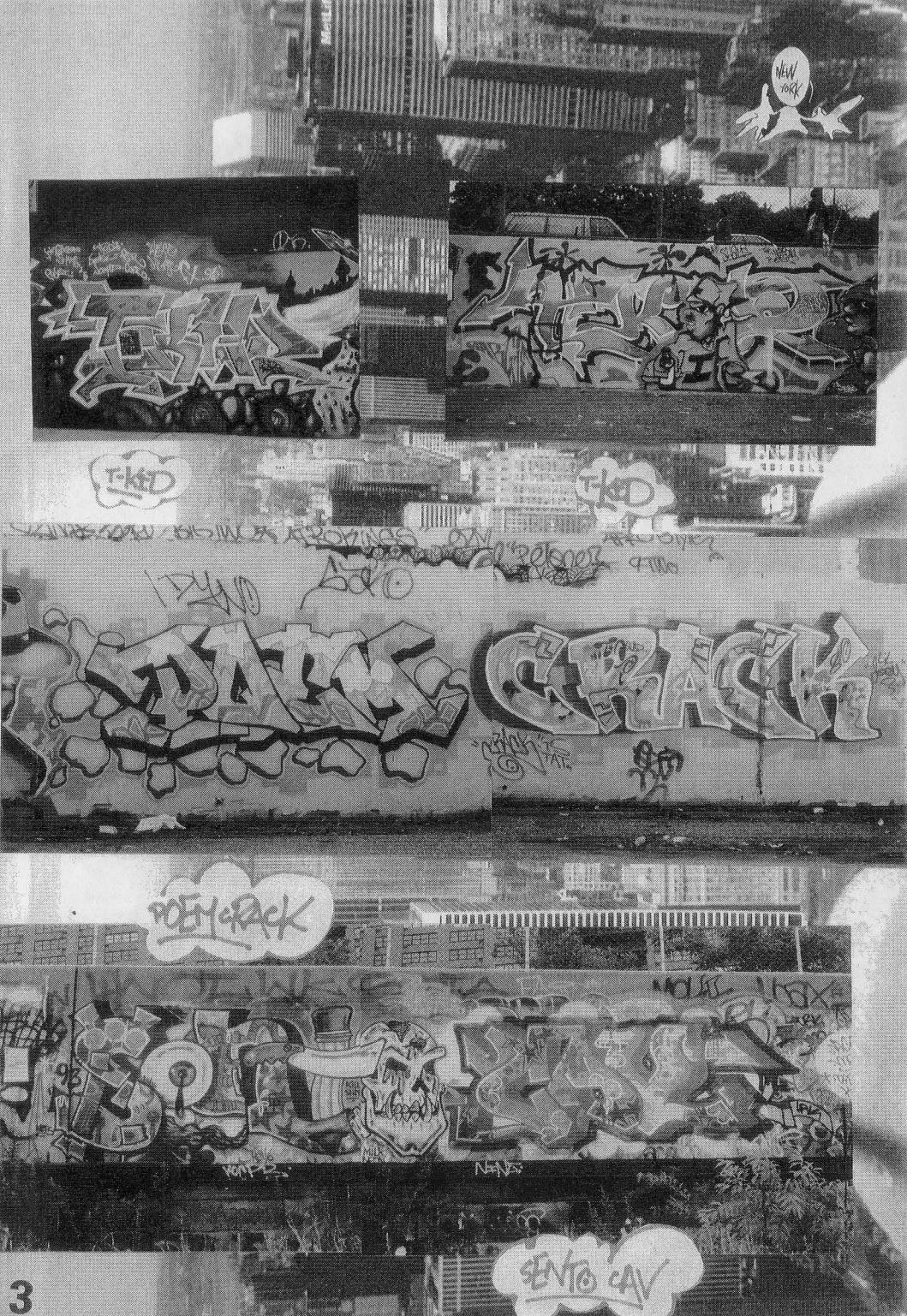
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FREDRIK, JERRY, GUNNAR (BERLIN)  
DZO, TELL, DIE, DVEK (DANMARK)  
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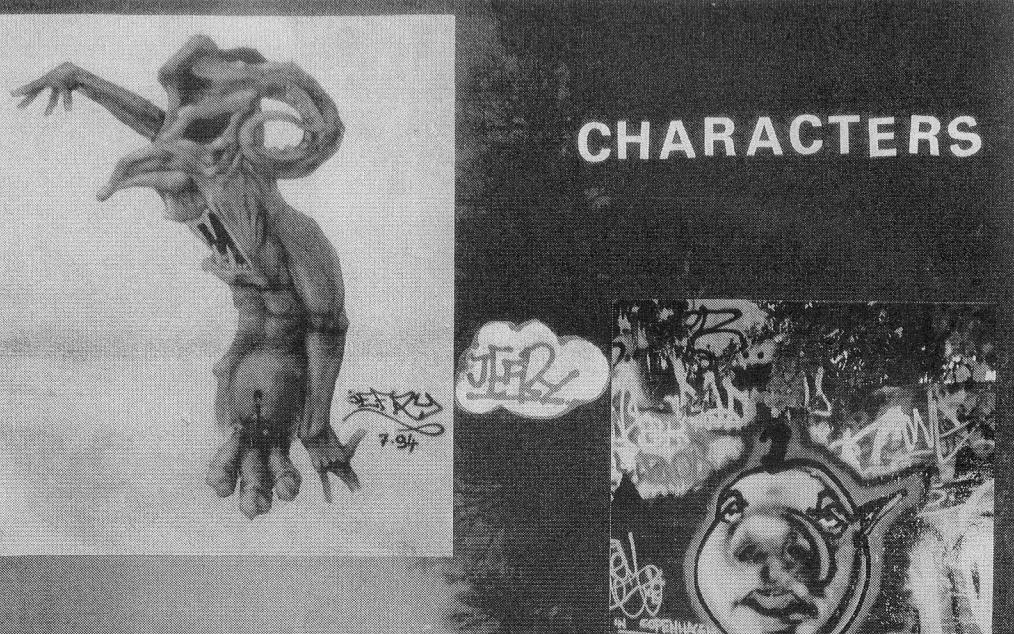


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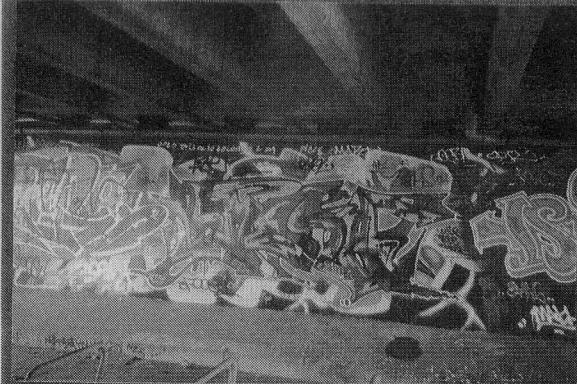


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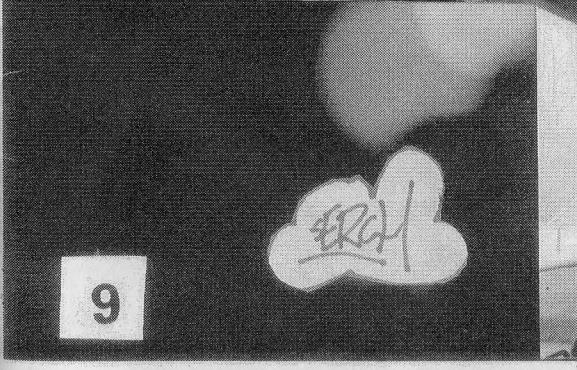
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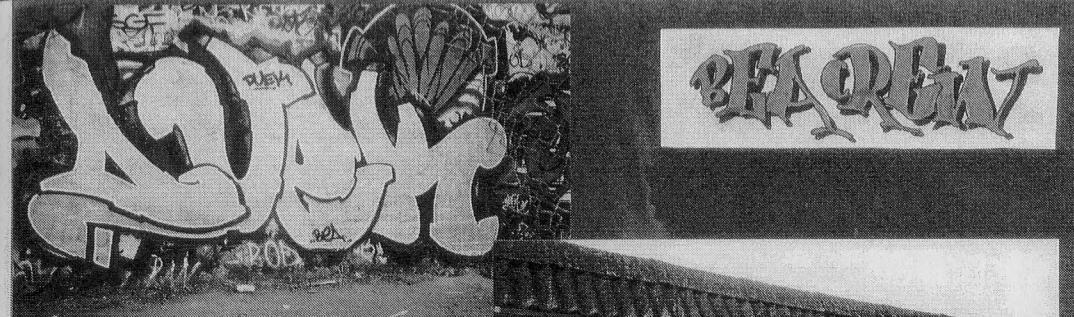


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Late at night, Raymond jumps the train yard fence and becomes "Zoro," the mysterious graffiti artist with the "Wild Style." His artist's brush is a spray can, his studio the tenements and subways of the South Bronx. He and his friends, the street rappers, scratchers and break dancers, are not only survivors; they're the best at their art—they know it might be their only chance to get out of the ghetto.

And Raymond gets that chance. But his home is the street; its explosive energy is the inspiration for him. But as a graffiti artist, he says, means "taking risks." In the end, Raymond and the other street artists merge their unique talents to rock the community in an event that will never be forgotten. Featuring Grandmaster Flash, rappers Chief Rocker Busy Bee, the Fantastic Five, Cold Crush Four, Double Trouble, and the gravity defying break dancing of the Rock Steady Crew and others.

RUNNING TIME: 82 minutes; color  
RELEASE DATE: 1983  
RATED: R

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GRANDMASTER FLASH, CHIEF ROCKER BUSY BEE, FANTASTIC FIVE, COLD CRUSH FOUR, DOUBLE TROUBLE AND THE ROCK STEADY CREW  
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# B-BOYING

- It all started in Oslo sometime back in 1983. A guy came across some videos from the states and we got blown away. This brand new dance got us started and a handful of B-boys were dancing every day. We thought we were the only ones, until the 10th of July 1984. That night, Beat Street opened in Oslo. The biggest movie theater in the city was packed. Before, during and after the show, thousands of B-boys & B-girls were crowding the street outside. There was total chaos, traffic was held up both ways and it was just crazy. A New York-based crew called City Street Rockers flew in to do a show at the premiere. They ended up staying in Norway for months to teach B-boying to all the wannabees. Everyone saw the potential and everybody wanted a piece of the action. The shop owner who hired City Street Rockers filled his shop with fatlaces, kongs, graffjackets, sneakers etc. With Beat Street, the scene in Norway exploded. Within months hundreds of crews were formed all over Norway. Some of the crews disappeared at an early stage, while others kept going and developed their skills and soon became stars. Some of the biggest stars were: Gordon, Albin, Kelly and Espen of the Pop Force crew, Bing, Julius, Jeanette & Johnny of 5th Avenue, Tommy P. & Eoren T. of Five Frig Force, Morten & Tobia of Nike Rockers, Mike, Robin & Thomas of the crew, Thomas, Peter & Pan 2 of the Break Boys, Sean, Raide & Aaron of the Funky Rockers. With all these talents B-boying suddenly got a lot of attention from the media. Apart from well paid shows in clubs, the crews got into tours,

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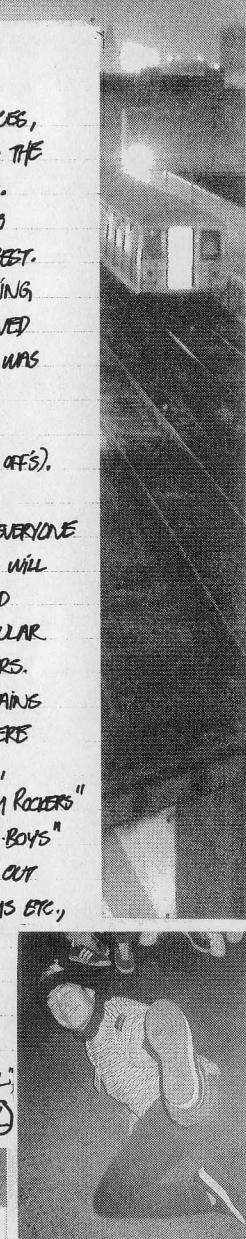
- instructional videos, classes, advertisements, TV performances, articles & interviews in magazines & newspapers. Towards the end even battles between fighting crews got sponsored. This mediaphase was probably the main reason why so many B-boys quit dancing, and people lost their interest. In 1986 there were practically no B-boys left. B-boying was dead, killed by the media. The hip hop movement lived on through the music and the graffiti, but something was missing.

AFTER A WHILE, SOME KIDS SHOWED UP IN THEIR "HIP HOP UNIFORMS" DANCING NEW JACK SWING (READ: MTV RIP OFFS). THE MUSIC AND THE CLOTHES MADE EVERYONE THINK THAT NEW JACK SWING WAS THE ONLY HIP HOP DANCE. TO SHOW EVERYONE THAT B-BOYING ALWAYS HAS BEEN, STILL IS AND ALWAYS WILL BE THE ORIGINAL HIP HOP DANCE, SEAN AND MYSELF STARTED TO PRACTICE AGAIN IN 1992. WE GOT TOGETHER ON A REGULAR BASIS AND IN 1993, ATOMIC B-BOYS COUNTED FIVE MEMBERS. (SEAN, TECHROC, KARMA, SKAZ & MYSELF). TODAY, THE SCENE CONTAINS SEVERAL B-BOYS, B-GIRLS & CREWS. TO MY KNOWLEDGE, THERE ARE FIVE CREWS IN NORWAY; "BRALESTEG" FROM Moss, "JUDICIO DIVISION" FROM Oslo (ARE YOU STILL DOIN' IT?), "RHYTHM ROCKERS" FROM Oslo, "BREAK PATROL" FROM Oslo (FEMINAS) AND "ATOMIC B-BOYS" FROM Oslo. IF I'M WRONG AND THERE ARE MORE CREWS OUT THERE, LET ME KNOW. IF YOU DON'T REPRESENT AT JAMS ETC., OBVIOUSLY, WE DON'T KNOW WHO YOU ARE....

- ILLROCK-  
(A.K.A. PAY TWO) 1996..

(+THE BIG HELP FROM BROTHER "ANIMAL")

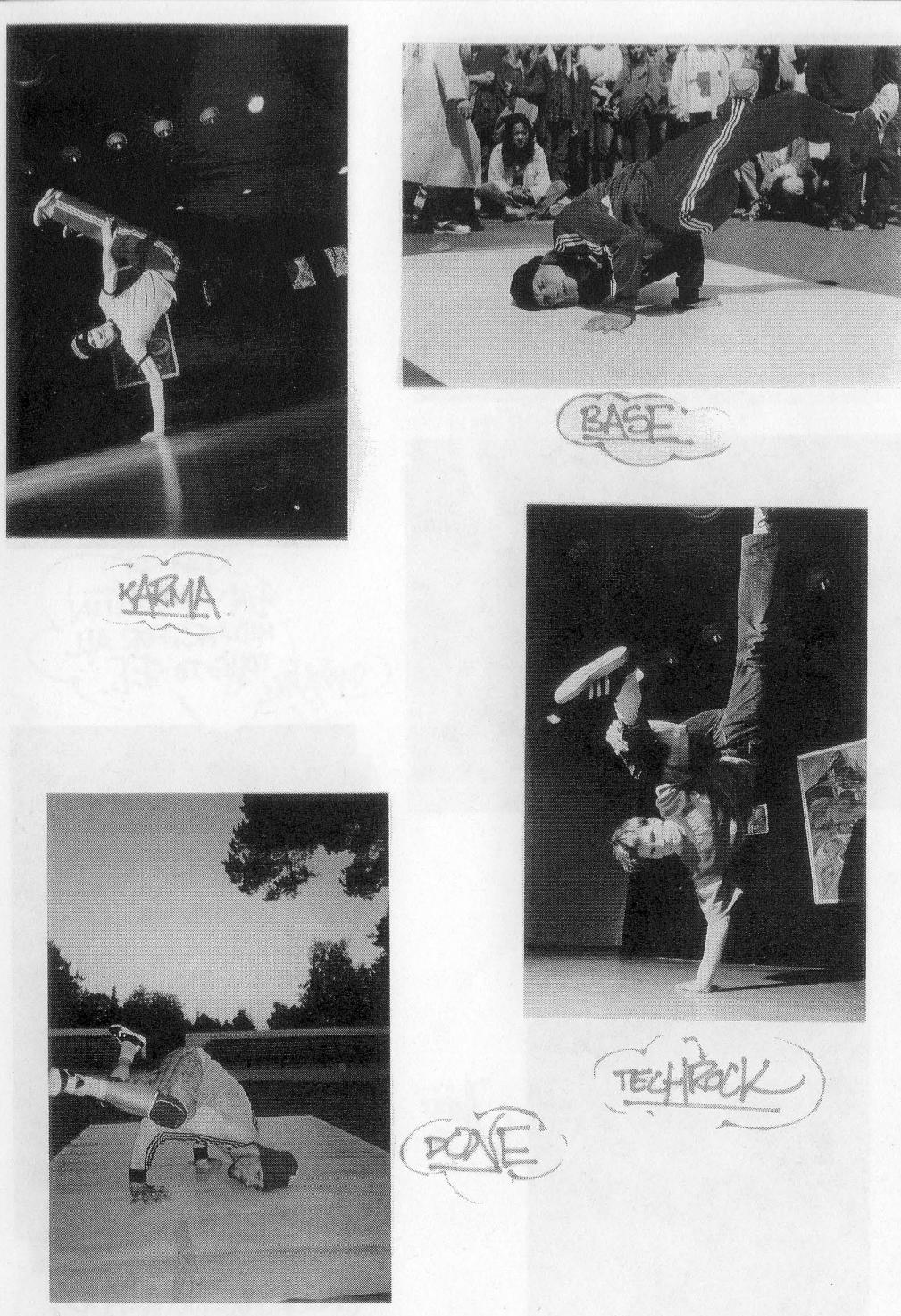
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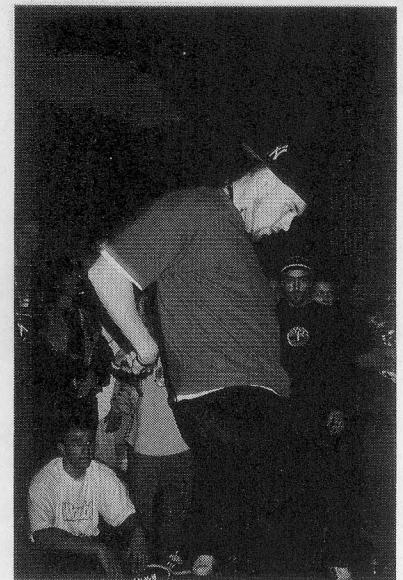
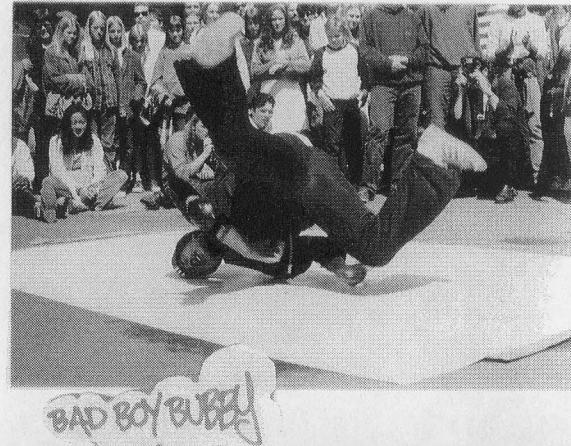
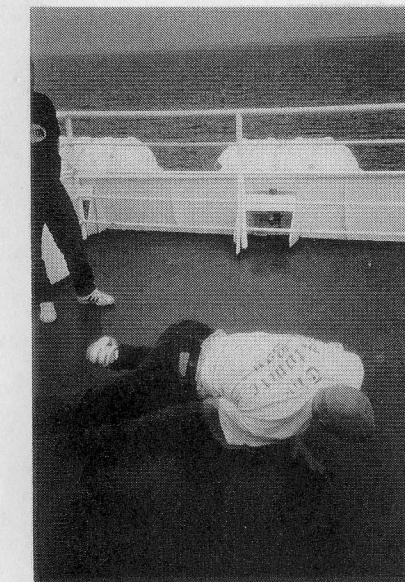
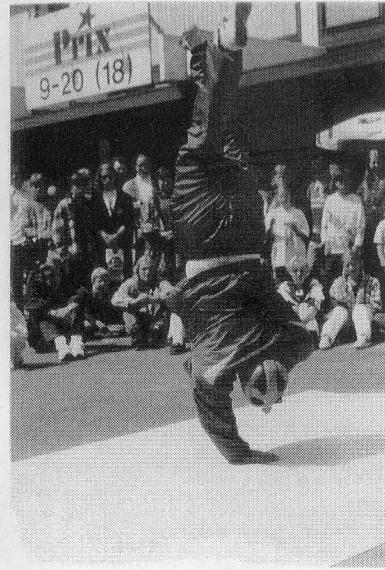
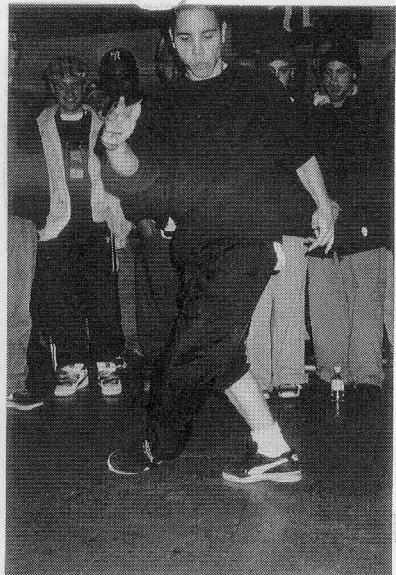
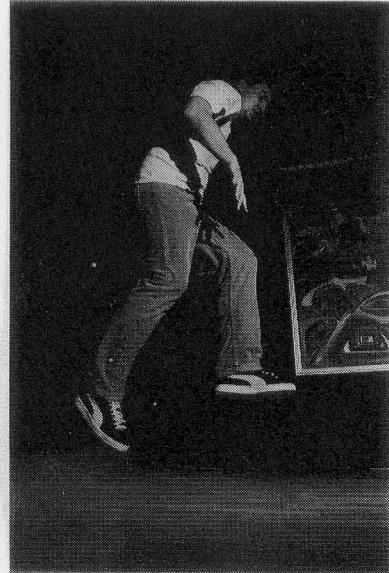
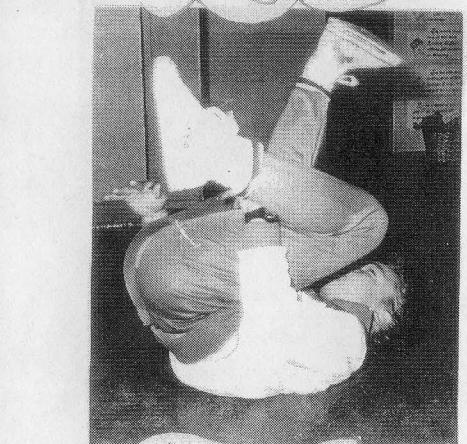


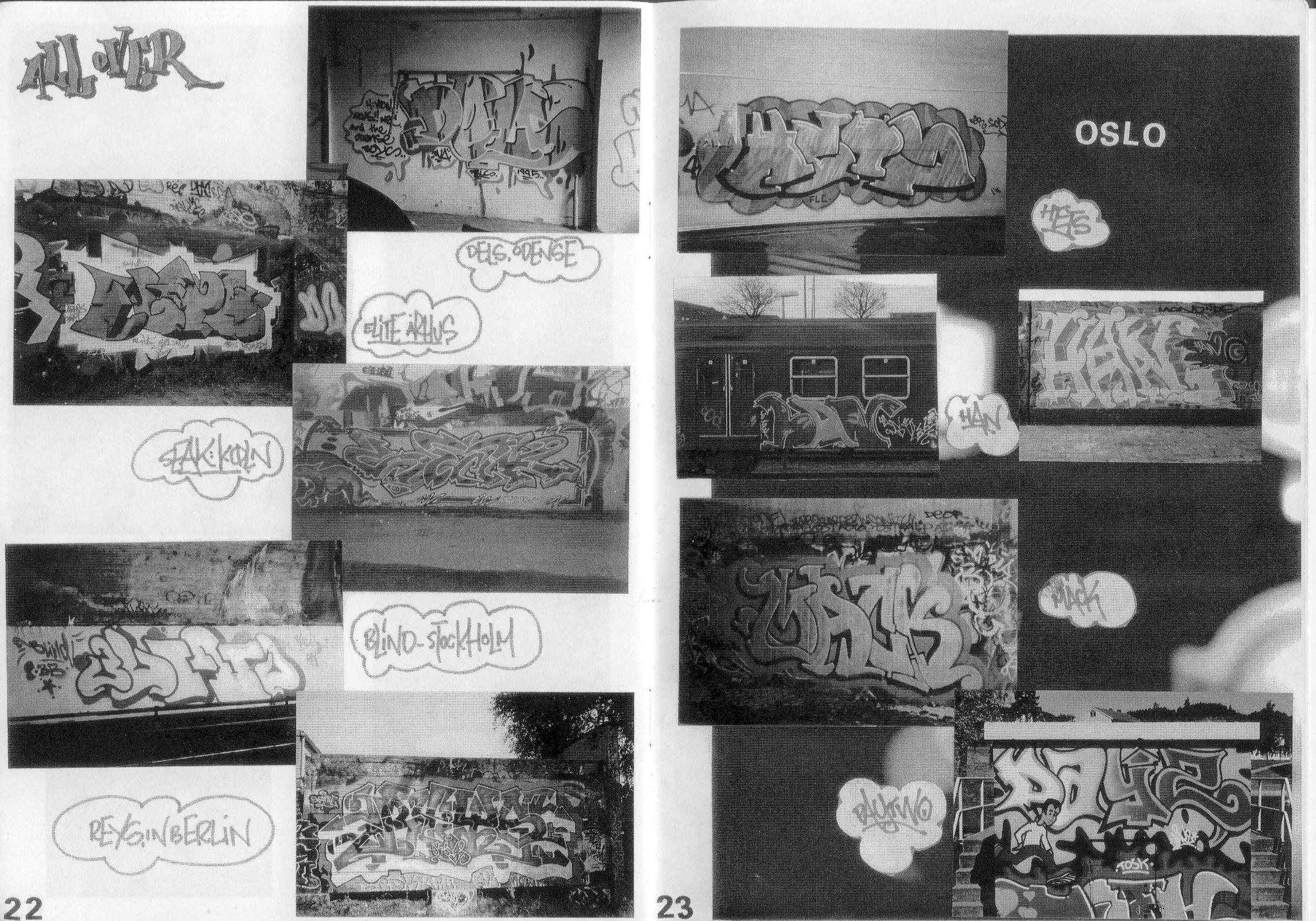


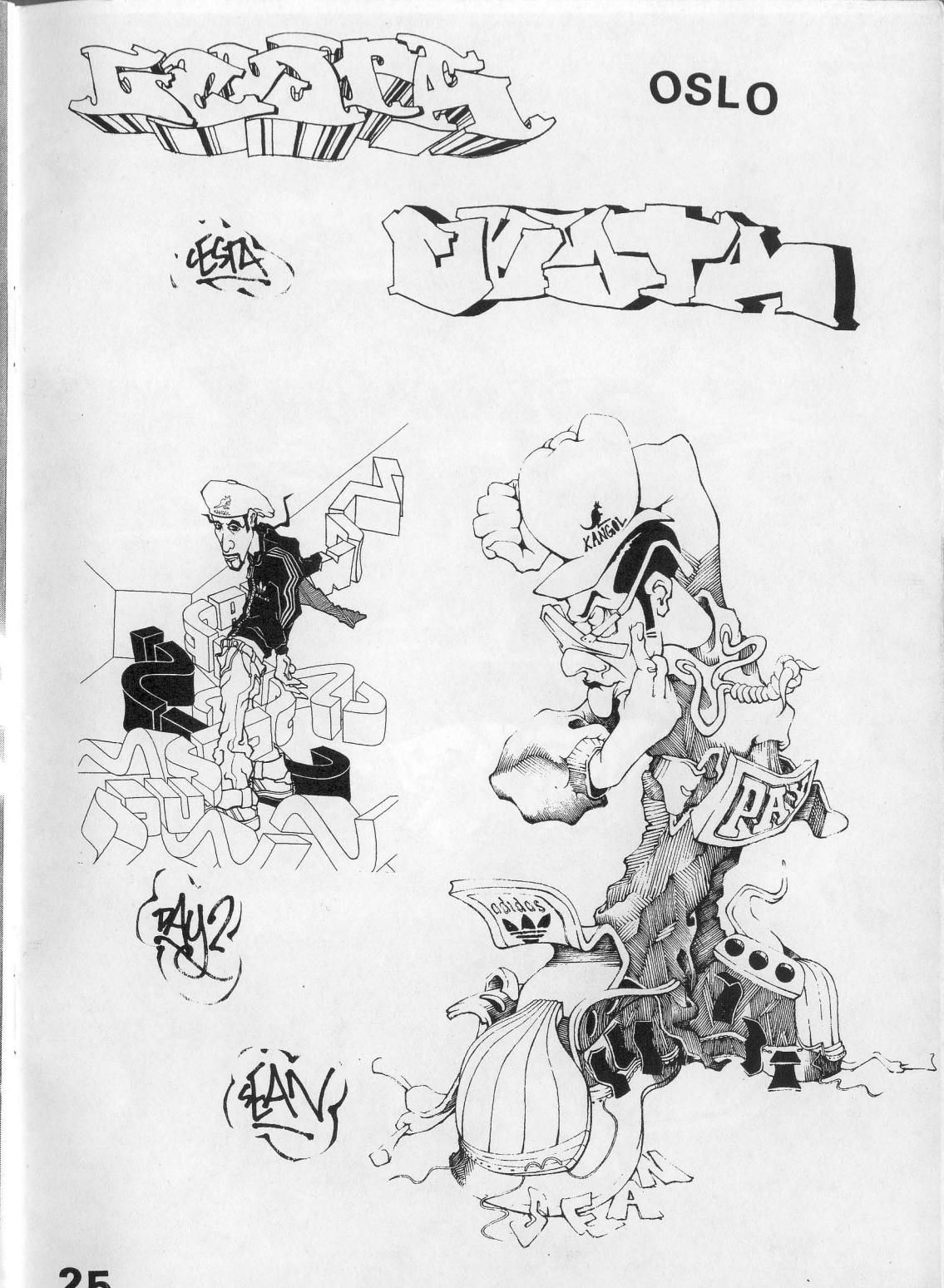
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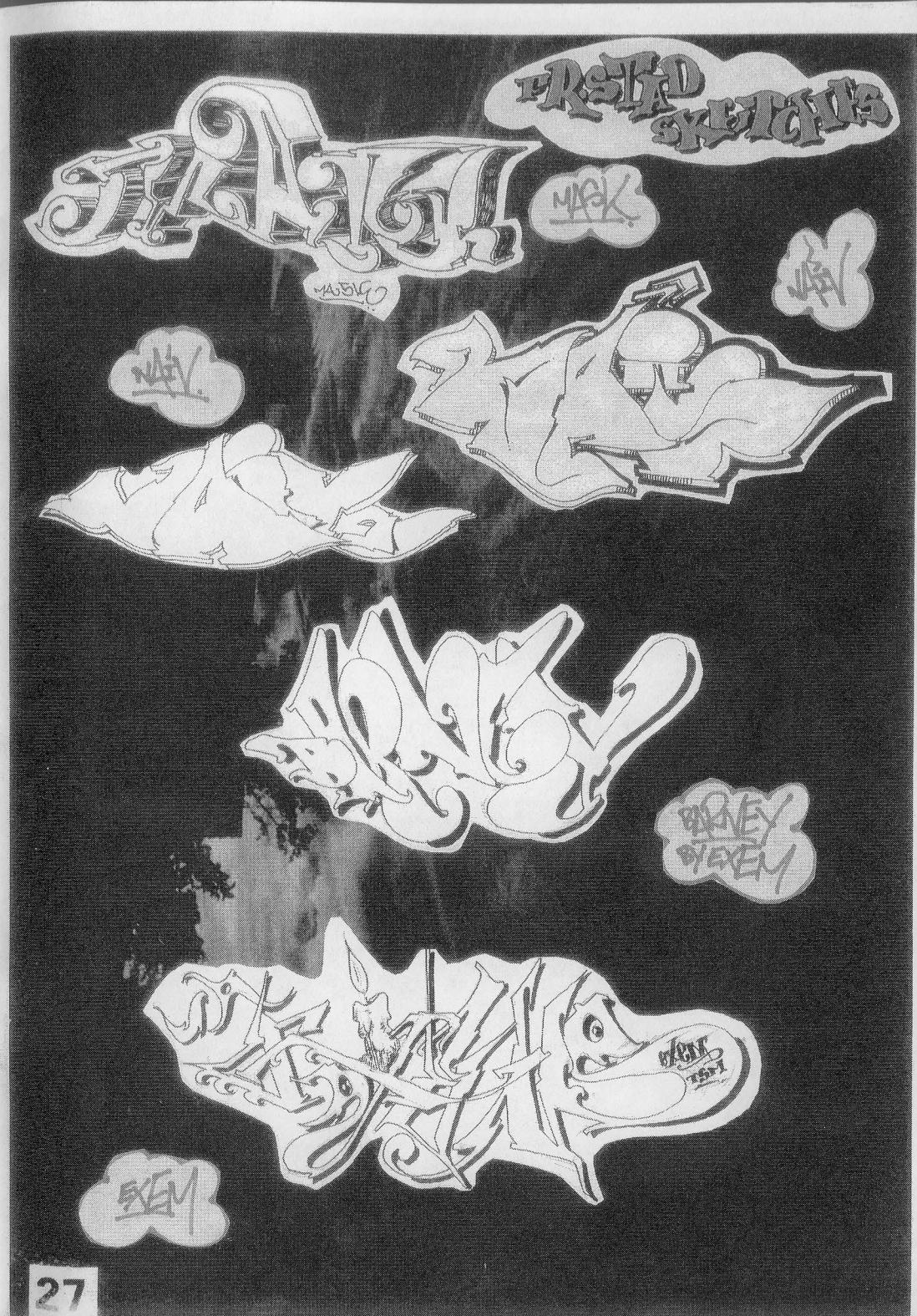


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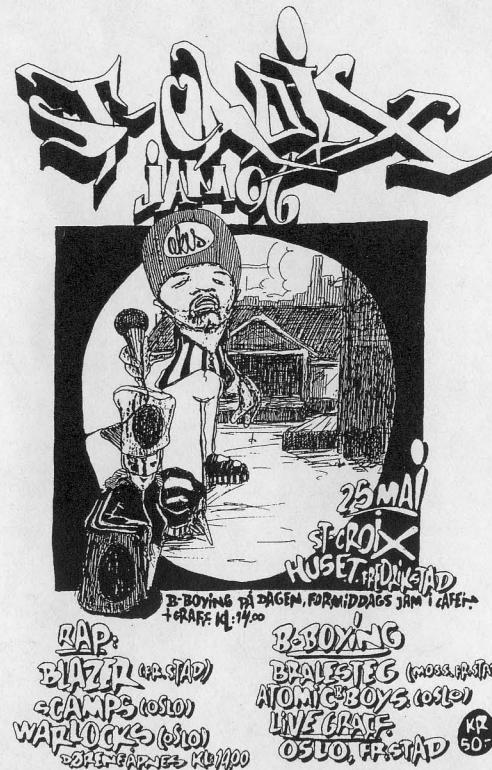




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