

## NEWS & NOTES

**6/Funnel Vision** Battling the elements and egos on the set of *Twister*...The EW talk-show quiz...Celebs sashay at the New York fashion shows...HOT SHEET...MONITOR...and more.

## FEATURES

**18/COVER The Spy Who Came Back From the Cold** BY BENJAMIN SVETKEY *Goldeneye's* Pierce Brosnan takes on a highly dangerous assignment: updating 007 into an agent for the '90s. **PLUS:** Ranking all the movies; the best and worst of Bond.

**32/What Pryce Glory** BY JEFF GORDINIER Brit thespian Jonathan Pryce, best known on these shores for his car spots, is shifting into high gear with *Carrington* and the upcoming *Evita*.

**38/Friends in High Places** BY DAN SNIERSON A behind-the-scenes look at where TV's most popular twentysomethings hang out: Monica and Rachel's place (fridge included) and Central Perk.

**42/Yesterday...Once More** BY JEFF GORDINIER With a six-hour documentary and new releases, Beatlemania is back. But do the Fab Four still matter? **PLUS:** Ken Tucker reviews the TV special.

## REVIEWS

**56/MOVIES** OWEN GLEIBERMAN on *The American President*; also *Fair Game* and *Carrington*. **PLUS:** Star candidates.

**65/TELEVISION** KEN TUCKER on *ER's* sophomore season. **PLUS:** Patient extras line up for the chance to play nearly dead on *ER*.

**70/BOOKS** MARK HARRIS on Faye Dunaway's autobiography, *Looking for Gatsby*; also George Lardner Jr.'s *The Stalking of Kristin*.

**76/MUSIC** CHRIS WILLMAN on Melissa Etheridge's *Your Little Secret*. **PLUS:** A new payola scandal; symphonic Smashing Pumpkins.

**82/MULTIMEDIA** KEN TUCKER on CD-ROMs of *Baywatch*, *Frasier*, *Melrose Place*, and *90210*. **PLUS:** One-on-one with *Showgirls*.

**86/VIDEO** TY BURR on *Johnny Mnemonic* and three other cyberthrillers; also *Congo*.

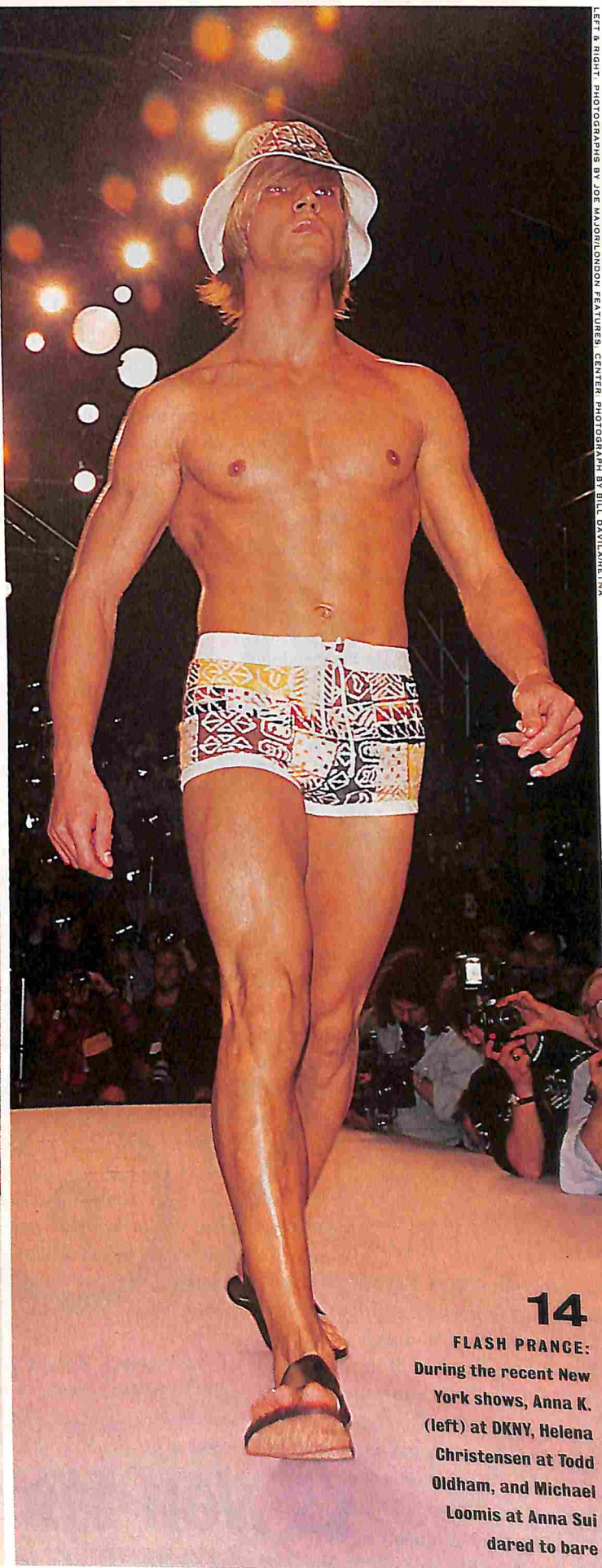
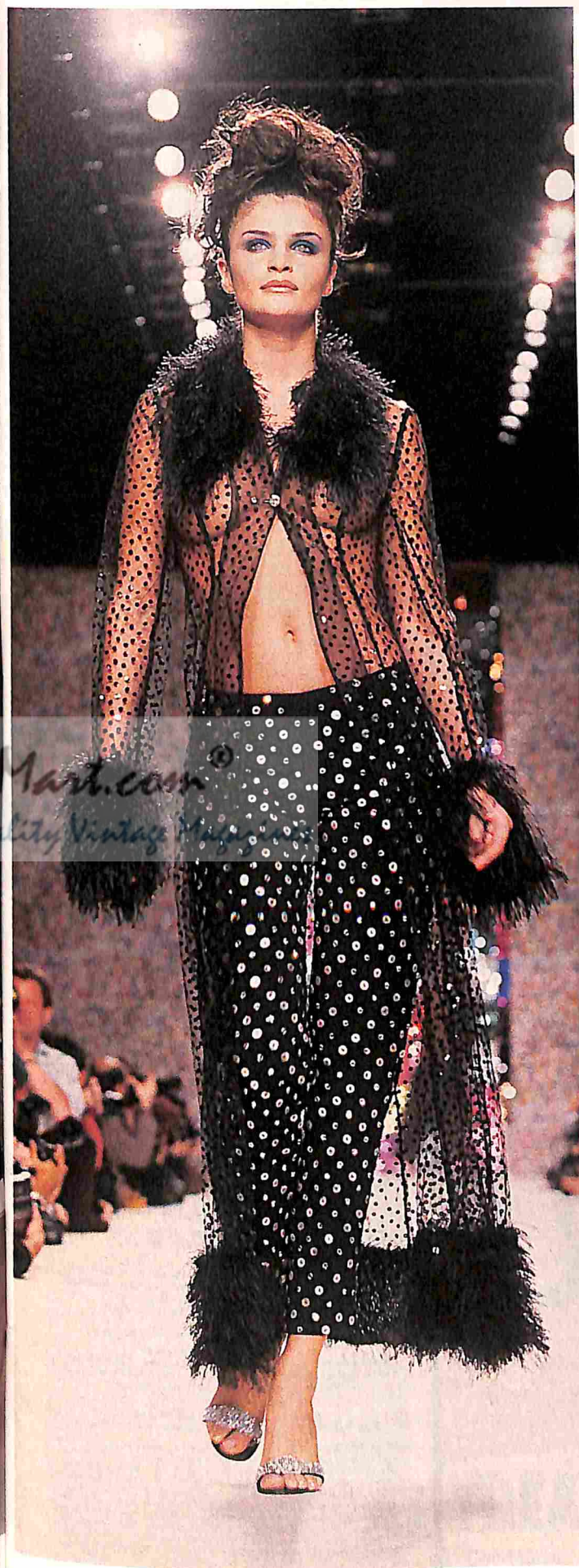
## DEPARTMENTS

**4/Mail** Power 101 picks and pans.

**94/Encore** Nov. 21, 1976: *Rocky* socks 'em.

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♦ **Shaken, not stirred:** What's your favorite Bond moment? Check out this week's cover story and join the discussions in our Movies bulletin boards on AOL and Pathfinder.

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**FLASH PRANCE:** During the recent New York shows, Anna K. (left) at DKNY, Helena Christensen at Todd Oldham, and Michael Loomis at Anna Sui dared to bare

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