

Sexual Representation Collection

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**1950s-70s Transvestite/Forced Feminization Zines Collection**

**Description and Finding Aid**

**Accession Numbers**

(2022.001.001.001 - 2022.001.001.013)

Physical Extent / Format

13 Paperbacks

**Dates**

c. 1958-1978

**Background Information**

Nutrix Co. (i.e. "New Tricks") was originally established as Nutrix Novelty Library, as the mail order component of Irving Klaw and his sister's New York used bookshop; Nutrix sold magic tricks and novelties. After seeing a little girl rip a picture of Clark Gable from a photo magazine at their bookshop, the Klaws expanded into selling still photographs of movie stars, later further growing to include pinups of movie stars and erotic photographs, some of which they offered through a biannual mail-order catalog know as Cartoon and Model Parade. As success came, the store moved, hours increased, and the business was renamed as "Irving Klaw's Pin-Up Photos" and then soon changed again to "Movie Star News." This prompted Klaw to stop selling books and focus on erotic photography. Klaw, the self proclaimed 'pin up king', not only sold movie stills and celebrity pin-ups but was taking his own pin-up photos as well, with models such as

Bettie Page. By the late 1940s, Klaw was shooting many 'damsel in distress' type images, popularized by movies of the era, as well as fetish and bondage images. In 1955, Klaw had to appear in the Senate, The company was limited to mail order due to legal difficulties, Nutrix Co. was eventually sold to Edward Mishkin, who changed the name to Mutrix Co. Mishkin was also arrested for publishing materials related to sadism and masochism in the 1950s, and again for porn in the 1960s, with his appeal denied in the Supreme Court in 1966. This collection includes zines published by both Mutrix and Nutrix, with all of the zines having an emphasis on bondage and gender. Some are erotic stories with illustrations while others are more typical magazines, with readers submitting their own pictures.

### **Restrictions on Access**

None

### **Topics of Interest to Researchers**

- Fetish, Bondage, Discipline
- Forced Feminization
- Transgender, Transvestite

### **Notes**

Location	Accession Number	Title	Author	Publisher	Issue Number	Year	# of Pages	Price	Condition	Notes
Folder 2022.001.001.001-.002	2022.001.001.001	Mastered Males Disciplined by Tame-Azons	N/A	Mutrix Corp., Candor Books Inc.	N/A	1963	62	\$4.98	Good condition, slight water damage and age on edges	
Folder 2022.001.001.001-.002	2022.001.001.002	Bound in Dresses	"Ruth"	Mutrix Corp., Wholesale Book Corp.	N/A	1966 (tentative)	51	\$5	Good condition, some bent pages and wear	
Folder 2022.001.001.003-.004	2022.001.001.003	Transvestite Marriage	Andrea Doria	Mutrix Corp., Wholesale Book Corp.	No. 1	N/A	60	\$5	Good condition, some ripping pages near the back	
Folder 2022.001.001.003-.004	2022.001.001.004	Transvestite Lawman	N/A	Mutrix Corp.	N/A	1966	50	N/A	Good condition, slight rip and bending on back cover	
Folder 2022.001.001.005-.006	2022.001.001.005	Decision Day	Amy Camus	Mutrix Corp., Wholesale Book Corp.	N/A	1970	48	\$4.98	Good condition	
Folder 2022.001.001.005-.006	2022.001.001.006	Dominating Tame-Azons Shame Men into Subjection	N/A	Mutrix Corp., Candor Books Inc.	N/A	1963	62	\$4.98	Good condition	
Folder 2022.001.001.007	2022.001.001.007	The Feminization of Jim Scranton!	"Ruth"	Lee's Marci Gras Enterprises, Inc.	No. 660	1978	54	\$3.50	Good condition	
Folder 2022.001.001.008	2022.001.001.008	Exotique Correspondence Digest	N/A	Burmel Publishing Co.	2	1958	63	\$2.49	Good Condition	

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Folder 2022.001.001.009	2022.001.001.009	Baby Faced Bride Groom	Francis Eberhart	Empathy Press	Book 4	1976	58	N/A	Good Condition, slight discolouration	
Folder 2022.001.001.010	2022.001.001.010	Man at Her Feet!	Evelyn Astin	Flag Publications [?]	N/A	1960s	3-50 [pgs. 19-22 repeat]	\$3.50	Good condition	
Folder 2022.001.001.011	2022.001.001.011	Forced Femininity	Gene Bilbrew	Selbee Publications	Connoisseur Series. No. C-20	1963	64	N/A	Good Condition, slight staining	
Folder 2022.001.001.012	2022.001.001.012	The Corset: Stories of Transvestism	Nan Gilbert	Abbé de Choisy Press	N/A	1967	24	N/A	Good condition	
Folder 2022.001.001.013	2022.001.001.013	Correspondence Annual	Gene Bilbrew [?]	Pigalle Imports	N/A	1959	96	N/A	Good Condition, slight ripping along spine	