

Gidget goes punk — gag me!

What once was disdained as "socially corruptive," can now be found in sales bins at Sears. Punk clothing has been taken on a 180 degree trip, or at least for a spin in a suburban cul-de-sac.

Billy Shaffer

Like any good movement, punk fashion spewed out in the mid-70s like pus from an infection to protest oppressive complacency. Pop music was bland, there were no more "issues" like those in the late '60s, and everyone was content to sit on their arses. Almost everyone.

Enter the Sex Pistols. And the Ramones, Patti Smith, Generation X, the Dead Boys, etc., etc.. Blooey! It was time to throw convention through the window and wake the sleeping dogs. The more outrageous the better. Slam-dancing, ripped clothes, and funny sunglasses.

As with any media phenomenon, this press darling was soon taken under the proper guidance of the mar-

keteers. Not the least of these was Malcolm McLaren, outfitter for the Sex Pistols and later the creator of Adam Ant and Bow-Wow-Wow.

McLaren owned a London Boutique called SEX, and punks wanting to learn the look — but not creative enough to do it themselves at home — flocked to the shop. Within months people were buying rip-torn t-shirts. Sort of like buying tie-dyed t-shirts at K-Mart in the late '60s.

The verdict was in and so were bizarre clothes and strange hairstyles. The popularization continued to the point that when Joe Strummer of the Clash appeared on the cover of Combat Rock in a mohawk, it looked cliché.

The trend has continued. People who were appalled just four years ago, are now wearing things they used to sneer at. Strange patterns and colors and the individualistic nuances that characterized the original idea behind punk garb are now wash-and-wear. No self-respecting punk of today (there are a few left) would be caught dead in the "manufactured punk" that ex-preppies now sport.

Sid Vicious is undoubtedly rolling in his grave.

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Visually-oriented things like posters and lamps, should be bought with long-range investment in mind, Golter said.

The student can take these wherever he or she moves in the future, while things like used sofas and chairs and dressers are likely to be sold or left behind.

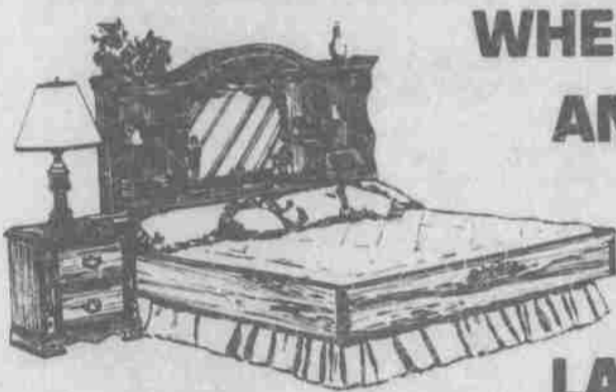
A student might want to spend a little more for higher quality posters, but would still be spending less than they would for

artwork or tapestry.

Inexpensive, practical odds and ends can add convenience to an apartment. Miller & Paine has posters, lamps, artwork, mirrors and clocks of all sizes, letterholders and other things.

To redecorate an apartment, Golter said students can expect to spend at least 200 to 350 dollars. That includes furniture. "And that's going to take some looking," he said.

"But it could certainly be done."



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- 6:00 20-Minute Workout
- 7:00 Little Rascals
- 7:30 Tarzan Theatre
- 9:00 Roy Rogers Theatre
- 10:30 Western Theatre
- 12:00 Kids, Inc.
- 12:30 America's Top 10
- 1:00 Saturday Showcase
- 4:30 America's Choice
- 5:00 College Football
- 5:30 NFL Week in Review
- 6:00 Hardy Boys/ Nancy Drew Mysteries
- 7:00 Big 8 Movie
- 9:00 Greatest American Hero
- 10:00 Music Magazine
- 10:30 College Football Wrap Up
- 11:00pm Cowboy Classics
- 1:00 am Tales of the Macabre
- 3:00 Big 8 Late Show
- 5:00 I Love Lucy
- 5:30 Green Acres

SUNDAY

- 6:00am 20-Minute Workout
- 6:30 On Target
- 7:00 Calvary Temple
- 8:00 World Tomorrow
- 8:30 Jimmy Swaggart
- 9:30 Rex Humbard
- 10:00 Kenneth Copeland
- 11:00 Jerry Falwell
- 12:00pm The Lundstroms
- 12:30 Sunday Afternoon Movie
- 5:00 Weekend Magazine
- 5:30 Music City USA
- 6:00 Star Search
- 7:00 Big 8 Movie
- 9:00 Fame
- 10:00 Solid Gold
- 11:00 Sunday Late Show
- 12:00am Sunday Late Movie
- 5:00 I Love Lucy
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