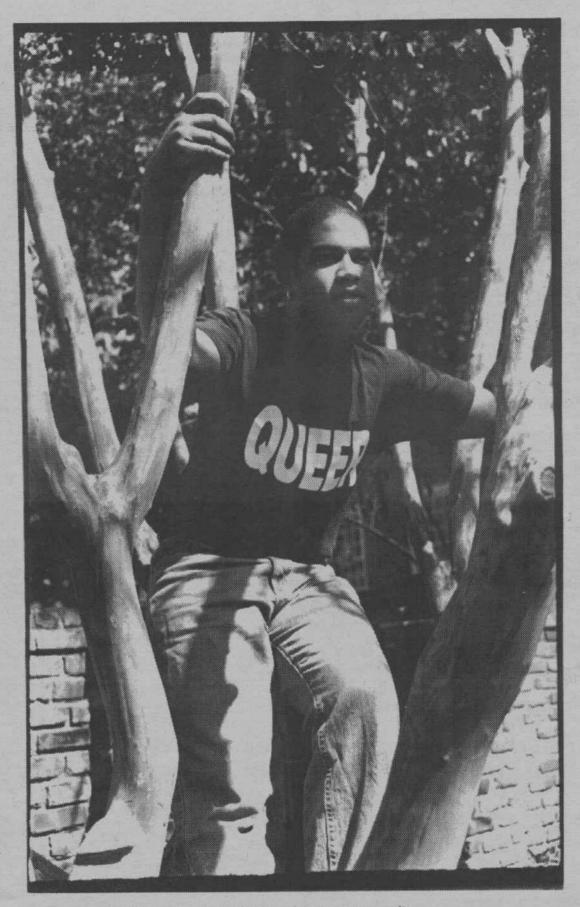
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Junior Quentin Johnson is a vocal member of the gay community.

When I was young and wore saddle shoes and pigtails and milk mustaches to school, I had no problems. ¶ You were my friend unless you stole my food at lunchtime, called me bossy or didn't invite me to your birthday party. If you did that, I was hurt and I'd crawl into a little cocoon until I felt better. Then I'd play with you again, because it was so easy to forget those things.