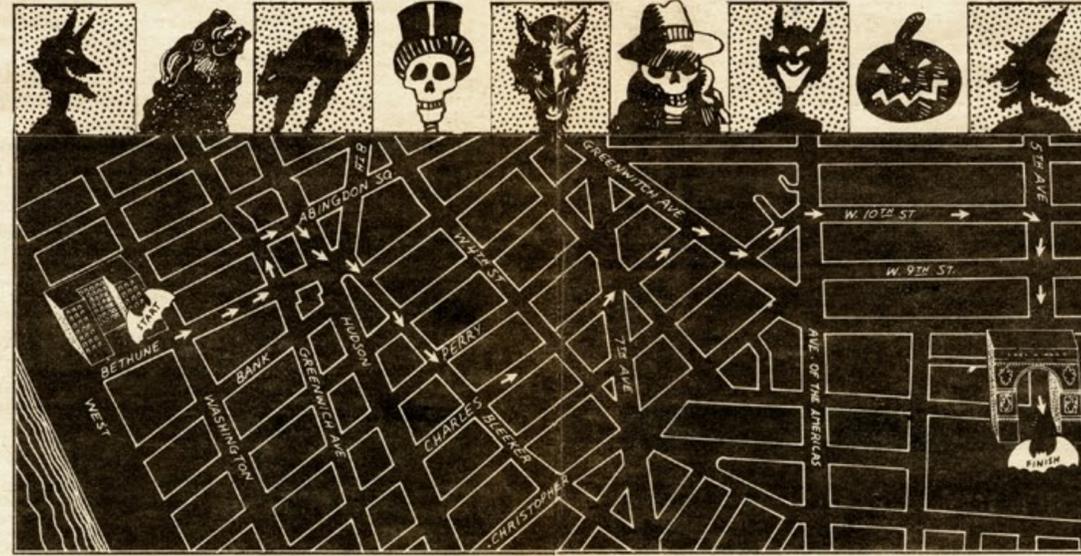


HALLOWE'E'EN



The Celts started the whole thing, dressing up on All Hallow's Eve and dancing and singing and tying someone to a rack and killing him. Historical texts say they did it to celebrate winter's onset. Who knows? The Romans later annexed the holiday (after annexing the Celts) and renamed it All Soul's Day. They kept things lively for close to an eon. And so it comes to us, as Halloween: egg fights, cheap spook masks, chalk socks and angel hair. (No apples with razors). Larry Racioppo likes the day enough to have spent the last

five Halloweens photographing trick-or-treaters in Sunset Park. The photographs are on view at the new 11th street East Gallery, 330 East 11th Street, Saturdays and Sundays from noon to 6 p.m. Ralph Lee likes Halloween so much he holds a yearly parade, with his famous puppets, salsa bands, streetside ghouls, and 10,000 or so locals who know a good party when they see one. The route map to this year's parade is drawn by Marc Rosenthal. Don't miss it.

