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## HANK IV

### 3rd Person Shooter Hook or Crook • HOOK008

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LP with CD insert \$7.00 LIST

Colored LP with CD insert \$8.00 LIST



CD \$6.00 LIST

• Hank IV includes former members of Icky Boyfriends, The Roofies, Resineators, Coup de Grace, Mr & Mrs & Mr Evil, Leather Uppers, El Camino Cha-Cha Orchestra, and historical revisionist darlings, Bum Kon.

• Hank IV, under the guise of "The Themeweavers, LLC" recently won the theme song contest for Tom Scharpling's The Best Show on WFMU.

• Hank IV's EP, Silenzio et Morte, was named the #3 Demo of 2005 by DJ Terre T., WFMU's Cherry Blossom Clinic show.

• For fans of: Volcano Suns, Country Teasers, Thomas Jefferson Slave Apartments, The Fall, Crime, and HBO's The Wire.

• A limited edition of 200 copies are available on colored vinyl. Each LP comes with a free CD of the album in the sleeve.

# HOOK OR CROOK

Not to be confused with the well-known series of similarly monikered Hank Williams offspring, HANK IV is a San Francisco primitive bombastic rock combo trafficking an ill-advised mix of dual-guitar histrionics, panic-skiffle drum beats, craw-stick melodics and straw-boss vocal gymnastics.

In little more than a year, Hank IV have built a reputation as one of the Bay Area's most thoroughly entertaining (that is: way hard-rockin', hilarious, unpredictable, dance-worthy, snappy & wry) live acts, winning over both early twenty-something Mission sceneutantes and grizzled Revolver staffer/lifer types in a series of memorable, each-one-better-than-the-last, shows with the Country Teasers, Times New Viking, Quintron, Pterodactyl, Blowfly, Hospitals, Battleship and a heck of a lot more.

Now, despite the odds, these aged and well-bred gentlemen of taste and leisure have delivered a real thinking, drinking man's rock record. Recorded by Eli Crews (Erase Errata, Crime, Deerhoof, Flying Luttenbachers, No Doctors, Total Shutdown, XBXR) at New Improved Recordings in Oakland, CA and mixed by Tim Green (The Fucking Champs, Melvins, Comets on Fire, Flakes) at Louder Studios in San Francisco, Hank IV's Third Person Shooter promises to be one of 2006's most bafflingly beloved releases. Indeed, "Who will mourn the talking mime?!"

"What teacher's lounge did these guys meet in? These over 35s knocked out some great Crime meets Chain Gang meets Viletones meets Styrenes punk rock that harkens back to the dark grunt of late 70s Frisco punk, while remaining fresh. And now that I know that this band is made up of former members of Icky Boyfriends, Resineators, Mr & Mr & Mr & Mr Evil, Leather Uppers, Bum-Kon, and at least a dozen more bands. It really should be no surprise that these music freaks are one of the better bands I've heard in a frog's leap" - Scott Soriano, Terminal Boredom

### TRACK LISTING

1. Melonhead
2. Oyster
3. Family Adam
4. Mimehunter
5. Got Got\*
6. Tonight We Ride
7. Car in Zebra
8. Crime of the Scene\*
9. Hole In My Eye\*

\*Recommended Tracks

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