



phrenic artist. Raised on a prairie farm in midwestern Canada, he had experienced such a brutal childhood hat he had become extremely withdrawn, eventually retiring into a private world of weird fantasies. In one of these, he imagined that if he cut the lesh off his arm (lower right chamer) he would be shocked back into uman feelings. When he actually nade some cuts on his arm, he was dmitted to a hospital for psychiatic treatment. Here he set to work

Symbols inside a Skull

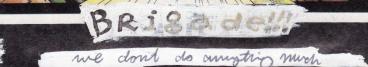
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The grotesque painting at left, reminiscent of Hieronymus Bosch's art, vas made by a 26-year-old schizo-

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its become obvious that all meaning is constructed

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