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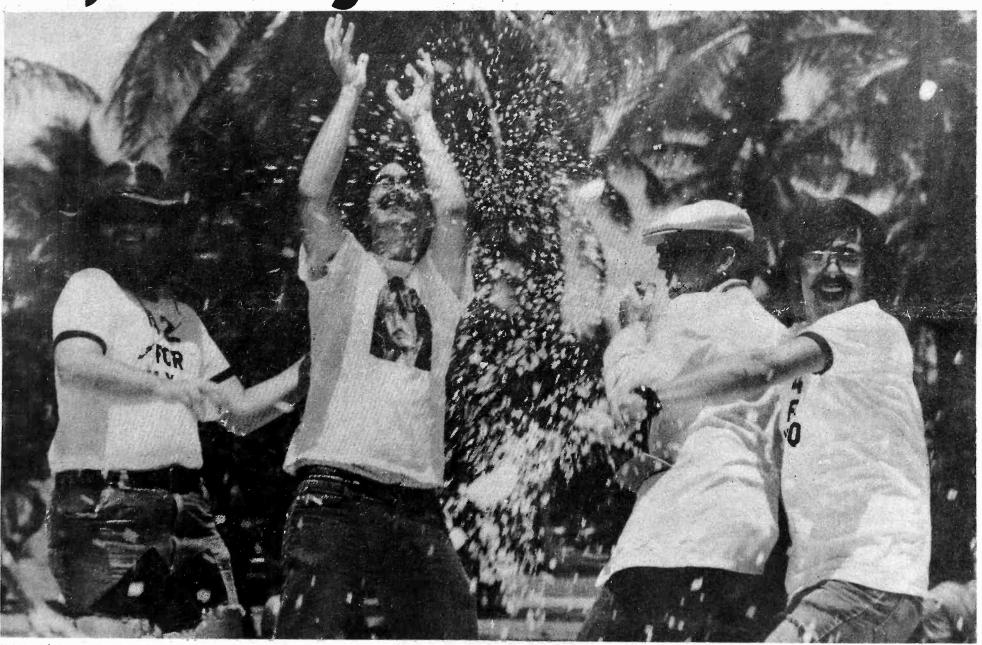
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DEAN TYLER, PART 2 SUPERSTAR LP RELEASES SET

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Major Re-Alignment At United Artists



WMYQ/Miami personnel are shown amidst 25 tons of snow that the station dumped on Key Biscayne last weekend in their "First Annual WMYQ Snow-storm." Station hid ten dollar bills in the snow, attracting over 5000 Miamians to the scene, which included live bands, snowball fights, etc. Shown (from left) are Steve Hammill, News Director; Dean Mitchell, Music Director; Greg Austin, AM Drive; and Lee Logan, Program Director.

UNITED ARTISTS REGROUPS

... Following on the heels of the announcement that U.A. will no longer be distributed by Phonodisc, Inc. and is now being handled through independents, came the news Monday that the company is in the process of streamlining some of its departments. The following people have left the label: Jay Butler, National Director of R&B Promotion; Greg Lewerke and Bill Roberts, Product Managers; Peter Burke, West Coast Manager Of Product Acquisition; Phyllis Chotin, National Tour Press Coordinator with LeeMandell, Vice President of International departing last week. National Media Buyer, Pam Starke, is leaving to accept a similar position with ABC Records. According to one source "the changes are due to realignment and streamlining of the staff, directly due to the change of distributors plus some minimal cost cutting." More personnel changes are expected to be announced sometime next week. Unconfirmed at press time is a rumor that Sal Licata, Vice President, Sales, has mamed Dan Alvino as National Sales Director.

CANCER TAKES THE LIFE OF INDUSTRY GREAT

.. Al Helfer, nationally known baseball broadcaster and Vice President and

news department chief of KRAK, country radio in Sacramento, died of cancer in a Sacramento hospital Saturday, May 18.

.. KRAK General Manager, Manny Slater, said of Al Helfer: "He lived a full, fascinating and interesting life. Al did everything any man could want to do. He faced his death with courage and dignity. He was a pro till the end. I have lost a dear friend of 40 years and he will be missed."

BAY CITY ROLLERS RIOT

The Associated Press in New York reported that "hysterical fans mobbed the Scottish Rock Band Sunday at a British Broadcasting "Fun Day" and at least forty-four persons were injured; four required hospitalization. The melee broke out when the Bay City Rollers were helicoptered into Mallory Park, an auto race track north of London to perform before some 50,000 spectators. The show was billed as a rock and motor race festival. Fans (most of them young girls) surged toward the group, causing police and security men to drag them back with firehoses. "They just went mad when the rollers arrived," a police spokesman said."

ELLIOT RE-JOINS KHJ

... Mark Elliot will re-join the staff of KHJ-Los Angeles on June 2nd, assuming the 9am-12noon shift.

EUROPEAN ROCK MUSIC POLLS

POP MAGAZINE POLL 1975

Top Group

- 1. SWEET
- 2. Deep Purple
- 3. ELP
- 4. Yes
- 5. Pink Floyd

Top Singer

- BRIAN CONNOLLY
- 2. Robert Plant
- 3. Ian Gillan
- 4. Jon Anderson
- 5. Peter Gabriel

Top Bassist

- 1. Glenn Hughes
- 2. STEVE PRIEST
- 3. Greg Lake
- 4. Jack Bruce
- 5. Chris Squire

Top Drummer

- 1. Carl Palmer
- 2. Ian Paice
- 3. MICK TUCKER
- 4. Keith Moon
- 5. Nick Mason

Top Guitarist

- 1. Ritchie Blackmore
- 2. Eric Clapton
- 3. Rory Gallagher
- 4. ANDY SCOTT
- 5. Jimi Hendrix

MUSIEK EXPRESS POLL 1975

Top Recording Group

- 1. SWEET
- 2. **Yes**
- 3. ELP4. Deep Purple

Top Vocalist

- 1. David Bowie
- 2. BRIAN CONNOLLY
- 3. Jon Anderson
- 4. Ian Gillan

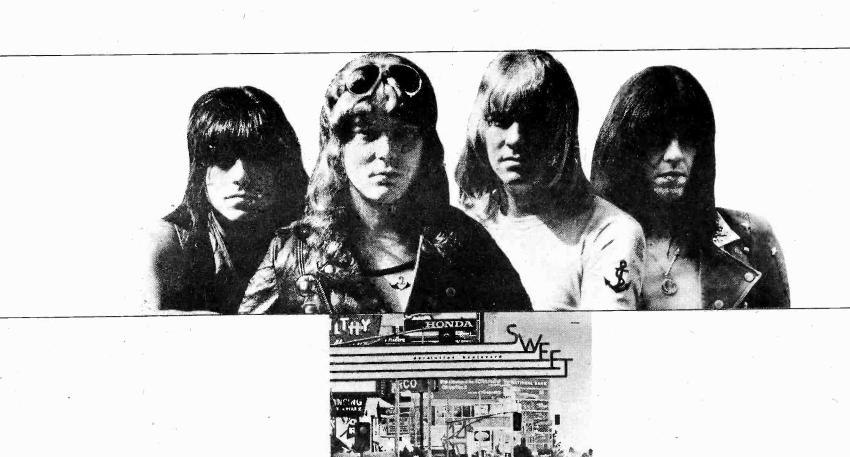
Top Live Group

- 1. ELP
- 2. SWEET
- 3. Yes
- 4. Deep Purple
- 5. Genesis

Top Drummer

- 1. Carl Palmer
- 2. Pete York
- 3. Ian Paice
- 4. MICK TUCKER
- 5. Ginger Baker

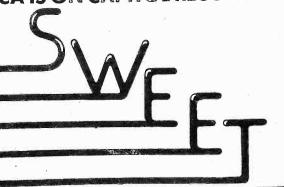
FIRST PLACE WINNERS (FOR THREE YEARS IN A ROW) BRAVO MAGAZINE POLL 1975



The Album DESOLATION BOULEVARD

Includes The Single BALLROOM BLITZ

SWEET HAS SOLD 26 MILLION RECORDS AND RECEIVED 28 GOLD AND SILVER DISC AWARDS AROUND THE WORLD...AND THEIR NEW ALBUM IN AMERICA IS ON CAPITOL RECORDS AND TAPES.





WRC's FM Goes All Disco - WMYQ All Gone?

Rumors had been circulating for several weeks that the new format on WRC's FM, WKYS-Washington, D.C.) would not be the rock that was on the AM. The announcement became official with the disclosure that the new sound would be called "93 KYS, Washington Disco." We talked with Gordon Peil, the program director, who noted that "disco music" was really a true reflection of the most popular music in the city. It also would reflect accurately demographics of the city. Station will have black and white jocks. Some automation will be used, mostly overnight and on weekends. Music will be R&B singles with crossover appeal. The format will kick off July 2nd. Station is looking for talented jocks, contact Gordon at the station.

WMYQ ALL GONE

Rumors have been circulating the industry for weeks that Bartell's WMYQ-Miami was throwing in the rock and roll towel in favor of a Spanish format. A local Miami newspaper columnist picked up on it and began writing several articles on the supposed change.

WMYQ program director Lee Logan began getting a bit upset over the heavy rumors, so the station hit the air last week with promos saying "This Friday at 3 p.m. the brand new WMYQ will be all gone." This obviously added fuel to the firey rumors, and the station was deluged with calls

On Friday, at 3pm, Logan went on the air and played the Spanish version of "Groovin" by the Rascals, he followed that with "Rock & Roll Hoochie Koo" and the rock format continued. They then began the "All Gone Machine." Listeners are invited to call up with whatever bugs them and telt it to the "All Gone Machine," it then makes a bunch of digestive sounds, burps and says "all gone," apparently curing the listener's problems. Station also throws in a few \$100 bills to help the cure along and prove to Miami, that at least this week, the rumors aren't true.

WBBF'S BADGE ASS

WBBF-Rochester recently presented their "Badge Ass Weekend," giving away 200 "Official Force" badges complete with real pigskin case with the original Dragnet theme, obtained from a local collector. The actual badges, donated by Warner Brothers Records were given away to callers along with an album of the winner's choice.

Station also held "The Second BBF Battle of the Superstars," taking over 6000 calls to determine Rochester's favorite artists. Winner was Elton John followed by the Beatles, Three Dog Night, Chicago, John Denver, the Beach Boys, and more. They also held the "Great Swaperoo Weekend" trading albums, \$10, \$20, and \$50 bills for any junk listeners could come up with.

WAYNESBORO PING PONG WEEO-Waynesboro is hiding bing-pong balls in 7 major

ping-pong balls in 7 major shopping centers in the area, colored up with the station's call letters. Listeners who find the balls win a 10-speed bicycle.

PRIZE PACER

WGH-Norfolk has their announcerscruising around town in the "WGH Prize Pacer," giving on the air announcements on the

whereabouts of the Pacer, listeners who find the car win prizes such as watches, radios, cash and more.

BUMPERSTICKER BATTLE

KOB-Albuquerque ran the "Money-maker bumper sticker Promotion" recently, distributing bumper stickers in local restaurants. They hired Miss New Mexico to ride around town, call in her location, and have listeners find her to win prizes if they have a bumper sticker on their car. KOB's PD, Larry Sherman told R&R one problem involving the use of a pretty girl in this type promotion: Apparently one overanxious potential winner showered abuse on the lovely lady, forcing her to use her twoway radio to call for police protection! Response to the promotion was great, but Larry suggests that other stations have men do the cruising.

WALK WALK WALK

WVLK-Lexington raised over \$30,000 for their "Walk For Mankind," with station jocks Brian Thomas and Jim Jordan leading the 26-mile walk that over 5000 participated in. KRSP-Salt Lake City's March of Dimes Walkathon collected \$220,000 in pledges for the charity.

manned 24 hours a day for 3 days, callers will exchange record requests for their donations. John Lennon will be a special on the air guest during the weekend, the station's goalfor the fund raiser is \$120,000.

NEW NAFMB HEADQUARTERS

The National Association of FM Broadcasters are newly located at: Suite 1450, 500 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10036, new phone is (212) 869-8873.

R&R's offices will be closed Monday, May 26 in observance of Memorial Day.



KKXL-Grand Forks' new logo shows some original artwork surrounding their theme "I listen to the new sound of KKXL."





It was a cold and rainy day when Led Zeppelin came to Seattle. So the OK1021/2 jocks served hot spiced tea to the 12,000 plus fans waiting in line. Pictured is John Walker, 7 to midnight man at the station.



Airplay, airplay, wherefor art thou airplay? That is the question posed by Romeo (Richard Palmese, Buddah Records, right) to John Sebastian, PD of KDWB-Minneapolis (resting with the roses), and Candy Flemming, the station's Music Research person, regarding the possibility of Sha Na Na's "Romeo & Juliet" being played.

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7 Nights a week. Stereo 102 is Disco 102

Fine visual from WPIX/New York for their nightly disco program.



One of WSGA-Savannah's most recent contests was "The Great Savannah Flood." The station "rained" prizes on listeners for 40 days and 40 nights, with a winner each hour of such prizes as TV sets, radios, stereo systems, albums,

RADIO

THE FCC (So You Can Understand It)

(So You Can Understand It) BY JASON SHRINSKY

LAW OFFICES OF STAMBLER & SHRINSKY

The FCC has proposed substantially new and different survey requirements for radio stations than those previously set forth in its PRIMER ON ASCERTAINMENT OF COMMUNITY NEEDS AND PROBLEMS. Although the Commission continues to speak of "deregulation" and continues the rhetoric of eliminating meaningless paperwork, the new proposal at the very minimum triples the responsibility previously imposed by the PRIMER.

A summary of the major particulars of the new "community survey requirements" is as follows:

- 1. At the outset, the new requirements purportedly apply only to renewal applicants.
- 2. The survey would be on a continuous basis. This means that each year an ascertainment need be made and not merely for a six month period prior to each renewal filing.
- 3. The survey will still consist of:
- (a) Annual personal consultations with community leaders in various categories.
- (b) General public survey.
- However, the particulars of the consultations are quite different. The continuous consultations survey could, however, include a multiplicity of dialogue techniques, such as luncheons, meetings, business discussions, etc.
- 4. The FCC has prepared a listing of 19 "typical institution and elements normally present in a community." An annual consultation(s) with leaders in each category would constitute a prima facie case of compliance with this mandate. The magic 19 follows closely the patterns that broadcasters have used in the past in persuading the FCC that a representative cross section of community leaders has in fact been personally contacted.
- 5. All stations of every size would have to make the required "community survey," but for an experimental period of (3) years, the FCC would exempt from certain of the below-indicated documentation in record keeping requirements, all stations and communities with less than 10,000, and which lie outside of standard metropolitan areas. The FCC states that this would involve a total of 1,900 commercial radio
- 6. All commercial stations including those smaller ones exempted from other ascertainment requirements would, each year on the anniversary date of its renewal, place in its Public File an annual listing of up to ten significant local problems and needs to serve during the prior year, and list the typical programs (excluding news) broadcast by the station to meet those needs and problems.
- 7. Some relief is seen by the proposal that consultations with community leaders could now be handled by an oridinary employee rather than management level employees, so long as 50 percent of said interviews were conducted by management level employees and the remainder were supervised" by such management level employees.
- 8. As if the station public file was not stuffed enough with the present requirements, the Commission is now requiring all except the stations in markets of less than 10,000 on the anniversary date of its renewal filing to annually place in its local inspection file, a sheet of paper setting forth the leader interviewed and identifying the needs and problems articulated by the leader. The station then has the further responsibility of categorizing the person interviewed within the Commission's magic
- 9. Thus, within 45 days of every community leader interviewed, the station must make a filing in its public file setting forth the date, time, place, subject discussed, etc., of the community leader consulted.
- 10. Within 45 days of its completion of the general public survey, all but the exempt smaller stations must place in the local public file a narrative description of the method used the number consulted and the population characteristics of the community and service area.
- 11. At its license renewal date, all stations would certify to FCC that all required data was in the public file, and must submit to FCC its annual community leader checklist.
- 12. The FCC has set June 30, 1975 as the cut-off date for comments.

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While it must be assumed that the Commission in good faith went forward to issue the Notice with an eye toward lessening the burden imposed upon broadcasters, I respectfully submit that upon reflection the reverse is true. In addition to music librarians at many broadcast stations, I can see the day now dawning when a public file librarian will be a full-time employee with the responsibility of overseeing mountains of paperwork and insuring the safety of those thousands of concerned citizens who will now be rampaging through the paperwork on a regular and continuing basis!

Top Quality 3M-177, 1 Mil Tape, in white boxes, on 7 inch reels. Only used once by major national syndicator. Value is \$3.75 a box, will sell for 75 cents a reel, complete with box. Call Dave (213) 466-9569-



Terry Nelson, morning drive personality at 99X-New York got a pie in the face during his show. Listeners were then invited to call Terry and tell him who they'd like to see hit in the face with a pie.

REPORT ON RECENT (APRIL) FCC DEVELOPMENTS

The month of April saw a truly extraordinary outpouring of FCC rulings of significance for the entire Communications Industry. Only a brief summary of all of these many FCC Rulings would include the following:

I. ANNUAL EMPLOYMENT REPORTS

We remind all Broadcast Stations that their Annual Employment Reports (FCC Form 395) are due to be filed by May 31, 1975. If you do not have a copy of this Report or need help in its preparation, please advise your attorneys.

II. FCC PROPOSES NEW, SHORTER, RENEWAL APPLICATION

The FCC has proposed a new Renewal Form (FCC Form 303-R) of which you've already read in our detailed memorandum, for Radio Stations which reduces the present form in half and eliminates many cumbersome questions. Comments may be filed by June 3, 1975.

III. FCC AMENDS SPONSORSHIP IDENTIFICATION RULES

FCC has amended its Sponsorship Identification Rules for broadcast stations and cable systems as they apply to broadcasts involving political and controversial issues of public importance to require the identity of the party on whose behalf or who "paid for" the broadcast. IV. STATION RENEWAL DESIGNATED FOR HEARING ON

FRADULENT BILLING
FCC designated the license of Station KXXL (Bozeman, Mt.) for allegedly engaging in fradulent billing practices and also denied the Parent Corporation's application for assignment of Stations KAFF-AMFM (Flagstaff, Az.) and transfer of control of KFLN (Baker, Mt.) and KWYS (West Yellowstone, Mt.).

V. FCC GRANTS RENEWAL REJECTING ASCERTAINMENT-EMPLOYMENT COMPAINT

A. The FCC granted the renewal of Stations KFRC-AM-FM (San Francisco) and dismissed Petitions filed by four San Francisco Community Groups alleging failure to adequately interview-program-employ members of local minority population on the basis that the Stations' interviews covered a broad section of all the minorities; its programming was not required to meet every ascertained problem; and that its employment of minorities was within the zone of reasonableness, (15 percent out of a minority population of 25 percent).

B. In a related action the FCC approved the assignment of Station WOAI (San Antonio, Tx.) and denied a similar complaint by a Mexican-American Group.

VI. FURTHER FCC RE-REGULATION

FCC in re-regulation made the following changes effective May 7, 1975: (a) No application or filing fee need be submitted to use an existing transmitter for auxiliary or alternate main purposes, only need to notify FCC and the engineer in charge within three (3) days after change; (b) an informal request must be made for repairs on defective antenna monitors when restoration cannot be performed within sixty (60) days.

VIII. FCC INQUIRES INTO USE OF AUTOMATIC TRANSMITTERS

The FCC requested comments by July 11, 1975 to its Notice of Inquiry, which we have already written to you in detail, regarding the use of automatic transmission systems for AM, FM and TV Stations whereby the systems are proposed for unattended operation.

IX. HOUSEWIVES, SHAVERS, AND FISH BEWARE

The FCC in a "major" decision has determined that thermostats on fish aquarium heaters, electric shavers, and vacuum cleaners cause undesirable interference to radio reception, which if not corrected might result in an FCC investigator pulling your plugs out!

X. STATION SET FOR HEARING ON SUSPECT OF ARSON

The FCC set for hearing the license of Station KFDR (Grand Coulee, Wa.) on issues as to whether the owner burned down the building in order to prevent FCC from inspecting its station's logs.



WCOL-Columbus has started celebrating the nation's Bicentennial with their new "Keep the Spirit" T-Shirt.



In a unique LP promo in New York, London Records' National Promotion Director Brian Interland, and New York promotion lady Doree Berg toured the Big Apple causing a mini-fandango. Celebrating the long-awaited release of ZZ Top's "Fandango," Brian and Doree picked up WQIV Program Director Tom O'Hair, and Music Director Caryn Jo Streicher causing a definte stir. Picured, Top (L to R) Brian Interland, Doree Berg, Bottom (L to R) Thom O'Hair, Caryn Jo Streicher.

NEXT WEEK IN R&K:

An exclusive interview with Jerry Garcia

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First Annual Dixie Rock Awards

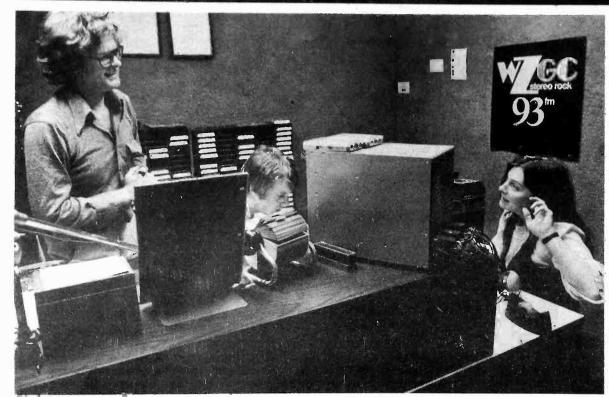
On the afternoon of Monday, April 28th, some of the most influential radio and trade press in Los Angeles were persuaded to participate in the competition for the First Annual Wet Willie Dixie Rock Awards. Contenders were cajoled into catching on to the already enthusiastic response to Wet Willie's newest Capricorn

single DIXIE ROCK when a muscle-bound hired hulk walked unannounced into their offices and playfully tossed them the "1,000 lb". Dixie Rock.

Their spontaneous reactions captured forever on film, the winners are cited below for their courage, strength and statesmanlike dignity.



Our congratulations to all the winners. And remember, with Wet Willie's DIXIE ROCK (CPS 0231) there are no losers. Wet Willie's new single "Dixie Rock" is from the album of the same name on Capricorn Records, Macon, Ga,



Elektra recording artist Judy Collins recently made a visit to Z93-Atlanta's studios. She's pictured here with (I to r) Barry Chase and Scott Woodside of the station.



WCOL-Columbus held the "Great American Yo-Yo Marathon," where the world's record was broken for continuous Yo-Yoing time, with the lucky participant keeping his Yo-Yo going for 71 and ¼ hours. Barry Manilow made an appearance giving away concert tickets and albums and trying his hand at the sport. Shown here with Barry is WCOL Music Director Dave Bishop.



KLOK/San Jose received this un-solicited drawing from a listener showing his outlook on the station. They liked the original so much they ran off copies to send to listeners requesting pictures. Anyone interested in having their own custom artwork like this can contact Dan O'Day at KLOK (408) 274-1170 Monday-Friday between 4pm and 12midnight.

IS EXPLODING ALL OVER THE COUNTRY

The new single from Tony Camillo's Bazuka is blasting its way up the playlists of major top 40 and R&B stations and is now a "Top Prospect" according to Gavin. Look at what's happening

he latest additions:

OMITE" FROM BAZUKA, ON A&M

THE **HOTTEST: CAPTAIN & TENNILLE** MICHAEL MURPHEY **AMERICA**

added this week.

Most added MCCARTNEY & WINGS VAN MCCOY FRANKIE VALLI

PARALLEL ONE

WFIL/PHILADELPHIA

Van McCoy Pilot
Ray Stevens
HOT
Dave Shultz 7-1
Herbie Mann 9-4
Roger Whittaker 13-8
John Denver 12-9
Harold Melvin 22-15

WQXI/ATLANTA John Leader

Glenn Campbell Charlie Daniels Captain & Tennille 17-7 Alice Cooper 20-15 Van McCoy 24-18

WABC/NEW YORK

John Denver (re-add) Van McCoy 7-1 John Denver re-add 12 Frankie Valli 17-14 Grand Funk 35-21

WPGC/WASHINGTON

Eagles Paul McCartney Linda Ronstadt Captain & Tennille HOT Michael Murphey 3-1 Grand Funk 10-4 America 22-12 Alice Cooper 24-15

WLS/CHICAGO Jim Smith

Linda Ronstadt Doobies HOT HOT America 13-8 Earth Wind & Fire 22-12 Linda Ronstadt add 15 Chicago 32-21

Paul McCartney

Earth Wind & Fire 11-5 Maior Harris 18-13 Pilot 20-15 Chicago 24 17 WRKO/BOSTON

Paul McCartney

HOT Roger Whittaker 15-6 Harold Melvin 13-9 Captain & Tennille 28-15 KFRC/SAN FRANCISCO

Alice Cooper Paul McCartney Jessi Colter Elton "Someone" "Tell Me When"

KDWB/MINNEAPOLIS

Linda Ronstadt Paul McCartney Elton "Someone' HOT BTO 15-8 Pilot 25-18

CKLW/OETROIT

Gladys Knight Gladys Knight
Elton "Someone"
Aerosmith
HOT
Spinners 8-3
Chicago 25-15
Alice Cooper 26-18
BTO 27-19

KSTP/MINNEAPOLIS

Van McCoy Dwight Twilley Ten CC Pilot Steely Dan Frankie Valli (days) HOT John Denver 5-1 Linda Ronstadt 13-3 Captain & Tennille 30-4

Paul McCartney Carly Simon Captain & Tennille HOT Van McCoy 6-1 Joe Simon 10-5 A⇔20-10

LSKQ/ST LOUIS

Captain & Tennille HOT Elton "Pinball," 8-3 America 12-5 Jessi Colter 19-14

WGCL/CLEVELAND

Orleans Joe Simon Disco Tex HOT HOT Bazuka 4-1 Doobies 16-7 AWB 18-11 Grand FUnk 21-12

WDRQ/DETROIT B.J. Thomas

Elton "Somebody"

Kool & The Gang
Frederick Knight "I Bet
You Didn't Know" нот HOT Major Harris 10-5 Harold Melvin 11-7 AWB "Person To Person19-Gladys Knight 20-15

K100/LOS ANGELES Eric Chase Key Gees

Key Gees
Beachboys
Paul McCartney
Kiss
HOT
Captain & Tennille 2-1
Grand Funk 12-7
Pilot 18-9

WRC/WASHINGTON DC

America Van McCoy Paul McCartney Joe Simon HOT Dawn 9-5 Chicago 21-14 Alice Cooper 25-17

WPEZ/ PITTSBURGH Charlie Lake Captain & Tennille

Captain & Tennille HOT Boomer Castleman 20-13

U100/MINNEAPOLIS Bob Hall

Eagles
Paul McCartney
Aerosmith
Elton "Meal Ticket"
HOT "Someone" Ten cc 10-5 BTO 13-6 Steely Dan 22-17 Carly Simon 23-18

WIXY/CLEVELAND Marge Bush

Tavares Van McCoy BTO HOT America 12-5 Bazuka 16-7 Linda Ronstadt 17-12 Joe Simon 23-13

99X/NEW YORK Al Casey

Freddy Fender Major Harris Paul McCartney HOT Frankie Valli 8-2 Ozark Mt 17-7

KJR/SEATTLE

Melissa Manchester Paul McCartney HOT Neil Sedaka 14-7 Supertramp 16-9

PARALLEL TWO

WKBW/BUFFALO Jim Quinn

Michael Murphey Pilot
Ten CC
HCT
Alice Cooper 8-2
Paul Anka 16-10
John Reid 19-13 Y 100/MIAMI

America Paul McCartney HOT John Denver 14-5 Major Harris 27-7 Van McCoy 24-8 Michael Murphey 30-20

KIOA/DES MOINES

Ten CC Steely Dan HOT Captain & Tennille 11-7 Roger Whittaker 15-9 Jessi Colter 21-14

WHBQ/MEMPHIS J. J. Jordan

Paul McCartney Sammy Johns Melissa Manchester Elton "Someone." Elton HOT HOT America 3-1 Linda Ronstadt 17-6 Doobies 19-10 Captain & Tennille 25-16

WSAI/CINCINNATI Melissa Manchester

Eagles Bee Gees Judy Collins Earth Wind & Fire Major Harris HOT Michael Murphey 15-6 Captain & Tennille 26-13 Olivia Newton-John 30-15

WERC/BIRMINGHAM Mike St John

Olivia Newton-John Van McCoy Carly Simon Ten CC HOT Captain & Tennille 15-3 Charlie Daniëls 22-9 Linda Ronstadt 21-11 Tanya Tucker 23-17

KGGO/DES MOINES Ted Scott

Ray Stevens Sha Na Na HOT HOT Alice Cooper 7-4 Captain & Tennille 12-6 Roger Whittaker 22-14

WZUU/MILWAUKEE

Captain & Tennille Olivia Newton-John HOT Pilot 18-3 Michael Murphey 11-6 Carly Simon 15-11

Mike Post Ace 10-4

Ray Stevens debut 7 Michael Murphey 18-12 BTO 20-14 WJBQ/PORTLAND Jeff Ryder

Steely Dan Jess Colter Karen Alexander HOT Pilot 16-5 Michael Murphey 18-7 America 24-18 Captain & Tennille 25-19

KAFY/BAKERSFIELD Bob Harlow

Mike Post

WJDX/JACKSON

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Michael Murphey Eagles Kiki Dee First Class HOT Paul Anka 10-5 Pilot 11-6 Major Harris 18-10 America 20-13

WSGA/SAVANNAH Jerry Rogers KBEQ/KANSAS CITY Bob Lawrence

Jimmy Wakelin Paul McCartney Lynyrd Skynyrd Ten CC HOT Michael Murphay 10-1 Boomer Castleman 16-8 Grand Funk 18-13 Gwen McCrae 29-18

KCBQ/SAN DIEGO Bryan White

Captain & Tennille Doobies Elton "Funeral for a Fri "Someone Saved" Kool & The Gang HOT America 9-4 Chicago16-11

KRIZ/PHOENIX Al McLaughlin

Captain & Tennille HOT Alice Cooper 10-3 America 12-5 Barry Manilow 18-8 Michael Murphey 26-12 Quean 23-15

Z96GRAND RAPIDS Lee De Young

Ten CC Paul McCartney Elton "Saved My Life" HOT America 4-1 WOAI/SAN ANTONIO

Linda Ronstadt AWB Alice Cooper HOT Earth Wind & Fire 10-7 Grand Funk 14-9 Doobles 21-15 John Denver 26-16

WYRE/ANNAPOLIS Ed Gursky

Supertramp Paul McCartney Eagles Kiss HOT Michael Murphey 13-8 Major Harris 15-9 Alice Cooper 19-10 Boomer Castleman 20-15

WGRD/GRAND RAPIDS Seals & Crofts Roger Whittaker BTO

BTO Grand Funk HOT America 5-1 John Denver 11-6 Michael Murphey 16-8 Linda Ronstadt 25-12 WOW/OMAHA

Grand Funk Ray Stevens HOT America 7-2 Linda Ronstadt 12-8

WPOP/HARTFORD Dick Springfield Roger Whittaker Frankie Valli Jessi Colter Karen Alexander "Isn't It

Always Love Paul McCartney HOT Herbie Mann 12-5

WBBF/ROCHESTER Hamilton Joe Frank

Charlie Deniels
HOT
Alice Cooper 9-5
John Reid 13-8
Pilot 22-15
Boomer Castleman 23-16
Kiss 27-17

WGNG/PROVIDENCE Mike West Paul McCartney Michael Murphey

KSJO/SAN JOSE Bob Michaels

KTKT/TUCSON Ed Alexander

KAKC/TULSA Gary Stevens

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WAPE/JACKSONVILLE

PARALLEL TWO

Paul McCartney Van McCoy Paul McCartney Malissa Manchester Ten CC (nites) HOT Michael Murphey 3-1 Alice Cooper 16-7 Earth Wind & Eira 20-Eagles Van McCoy First Class HOT HOT Michael Murphey 6-1 Blackbyrds 7-3 Earth Wind & Fire 15-9 Captain & Tennille 20-10 John Denver 23-16 Alice Cooper 16-7 Earth Wind & Fire 20-12 Doobles 23-13

WMYQ/MI AMI Dean Mitchell

Frankie Valli Kool & The Gang Dramatics K.C. & the Sunshine Band Ozark Mt 14-6 Herbie Mann 16-9 Major Harris 26-17

Joe Simon War Pilot HOT Grand Funk 5-2 David Bowie 8-5 America 12-9 Michael Murphey 18-12

KINT/EL PASO J.J. Mitcheli

Jessi Colter Roger Whittaker Van McCoy Jim Capaldi HOT KRSP/SALT LAKE CITY

Van MCCoy Paul McCartney Bee Gees Major Harris HOT Grand Funk 12-8 Roger Whittaker 20-10 Jessi Colter 26-17

WQAM/MIAM Wanda Porter None HOT Gwen McCrae 7-1 Chicago 8-2 Major Harris 10-3 Harold Melvin 28-10 Tavares 29-11 Doobles 24-14 WAVZ/NEW HAVEN

Paul McCartney Captain & Tennille HOT Pilot 7-2 Paul Anka 10-5 Harold Melvin 14-10 Herbie Mann 24-14 Major Harris 29-19 Alice Cooper 30-21

KOL/SEATTLE

Frankie Valli Steely Dan Glen Campbell Paul McCartney Bee Gees HOT chael Murphey Paul Anka Captain & Tennille Neil Sedaka Linda Ronstadt

America Supertramp Alice Cooper Pilot Ten CC

KING/SEATT&E Rick Donovan Paul McCartney Glen Campbell Eagles Jessi Colter HOT nerica 13-7 Earth Wind & Fire 17-11 Linda Ronstadt 20-12 Neil Sedaka 23-15

KLEO/WICHITA Paul McCartney

HOT Alice Cooper 9-6 Chicago 18-12 Supertramp 26-15 Major Harris 27-17

WAKX/DULUTH Chris T. Bryan Jon Paul McCartney HOT Melissa Manchester 11-2 Northern Light 14-4 Linda Ronstadt 15-7 BTO 20-9 Ten CC 18-10

KKLS/RAPID CITY

Ten CC Mike Post Tanya Tucker Lynyrd Skynyrd Hollies HOT Boomer Castleman 13-10 Led Zeppelin 15-11 Dwight Twilley 23-15 Chicago 26-16

KOWB/FARGO

Tanya Tucker tanya Tucker
Dwight Twillty
Sugarloaf
Del Shannon
Sammy Johns
HOT
Pilot 2-1
Captain & Tennille 18-5
Doobies 20-7
Jessi Cotter 24-14

WNAM/NEENAH

Northern Light Steely Dan Carly Simon Bee Gees (nites) HOT Nell Sadake 7-1 Grand Funk 10-4* America 13-5 Linda Ronstadt 22-15 Doobies 24-17 Captain & Tennille 27-18

KYSN/COLORADO

HOT John Denver 14-8 Alice Cooper 17-10 Linda Ronstadt 24-17 Pilot 23-18 Carly Simon 25-20

Mac Davis Berry White Ray Stevens Mike Post Kiki Dee Canyon Tom Scott Paul McCartney HOT Linda Ronstadt 10-4 Captain & Tennille 18-8 Bad Co 22-14 Disco Tex 24-18

WAKY/LOUISVILLE John Randolph

Mac Davis Bee Gees Rhodes Kids John Reid Bimbo Jet Del Shannor Trini Lopez HOT Joe Simon 7-2 Ace 13-6 Bezuka 19-10 Charlie Rich 30-19

WROK/ROCKFORD KKAM/PUEBLO Paul Ehlis

Bad Co Carly Simon Styx HOT Barry Manilow 4-1 Leo Sayar 12-6 Grand Funk 46-10 'Kraftwerk 22-16 Eagles Paul McCartney Ten CC Sweet Leaf HOT Linde Ronstadt 16-10 Led Zeppelin 14-11 Captain & Tennille 26-15 WORG/ORANGEBURG

WEEO/WAYNESBORO Sammy Johs Seals & Crofts Frankie Valli Seals & Crofts War

Hayward & Lodge Gladys Knight War Lynyrd Skynyrd Dr. Hook Del Shannon WAMS/WILMINGTON Herbie Mann Boomer Custleman HOT Pilot 10-4 America 14-10 Captain & Tennille Chicago 21-16 Fallenrock 27-20 Jay Christian Melissa Manchester Harold Melvin Pilot HOT HOT Earth Wind & Fire 9-1 Alice Cooper 13-5 Herbie Mann 20-11

WRON/ROWLING GREEN WOSH/OSHKOSH Daniel R. Davis

Ten CC Orleans Frankie Valli Tanya Tucker HOT Michael Murphay 13-7 Captain & Tennille 18-13 Pilot 25-19 Del Shannon Herbie Mann Elvin Bishop Janis lan Lynyrd Skynyrd Sammy Johns HOT Tavares 8-1

WVOP/VIDALIA

Orleans (re-add) Ambrosia Ben E King HOT Captain & Tennille 3-1 Elton "Pinball" 20-12 Alice Cooper 22-15 Joe Simon 28-17

WCAO/BALTIMORE

Frankie Valli Joe Simon Paul McCartney Faul mccarrney
Eagles
HOT
John Derwer 5-1
Major Harris 7-2
Chicago 13-7
Michael Murphey 20-13
Doobies 21-15 Jessi Colter 24-14 War 29-20

KILE/GALVESTON

Haròld Melvin Pilot Supertramp HOT John Denver 10-3 AliceCooper 9-4 Grand Funk 12-5 Chicago 13-8 Captain & Tannille 25-15 WFOM/MARIETTA

Steely Dan Dwight Twilley Gien Campbell Paul McCartney HOT Michael Murphey 16-9 Linda Ronstadt 16-10 Bad Co 24-15

Paul McCartney Orleans Hollies Eagles Steely Dan Frankie VallI HOT Alice Cooper 10-7 Blackbyrds 14-10 Captain & Tennille 20-13 Pilot 23-18

WNCI/COLUMBUS

WVLK/LEXINGTON Jim Jordan Carly Simon Gordon Lightfoot HOT Captain & Tennille 9-3 Gary Edwards 14-8 Major Harris 18-11 Sha Na Pa 20-14 Herbie Mann 29-15

WEAQ/EUCLAIR Doobies Supertramp Melissa Manch Melissa Manchester Bee Gees Van McCoy Ted Neely HOT Michael Murphey 23-7 Paul Anka 20-12 Captain & Tennille 24-19 KJRB/SPOKANE

WDRC/HARTFORD

Earth Wind & Fire 22-16 Carly Simon 30-25

Tanya Tucker

Ray Stevens HOT Pilot 17-12

Paul McCartney Kiss Ten CC Jessi Colter MFSB HOT Michael Murphey 5-1 America 8-3 Captain & Tennille 19-12 Mike Post 23-16

KKXL/GRAND FORKS

Michael Murphey 1-1 War 23-16 WLEE/RICHMOND Bob Paiva

Van McCoy Gladys Knight Seels & Crofts Rolling Stones "L Roger Whittaker BTO Eagles Boomer Castlema Frankia Valli HOT John Denver 6-3 John Denver 6-3 Linda Ronstadt 15-11 Harold Melvin 26-15

Michael Murphey 25-19 Doobles 30-22

WCDL/COLUMBUS
Dave Bishop

PARALLEL THREE

Tavares War Van McCoy Ten CC Steely Dan HOT Pilot 10-2 Jessi Colter 19-9

WISM/MADISON

Paul McCartney Bazuke Jessi Colter HOT John Denver 5-1 Michael Murphey 12-5 Alica Cooper 16-10 Captain & Tennille 28-19

KJOY/STOCKTON David Kraham

Earth Wind & Fire "That's Dwight Twilley Rubettes Melissa Manchester Frankie Valli HOT an CC 10-5 Captain & Tennille 14-B BTO 24-16 Jessi Colter 28-17 Brecker Brothers 30-19

WIBG/PHILADELPHIA Sandy Mirzoeff

Glen Campbell Eagles Frankie Valli Janis Ian Steely Dan HOT HOT
Dave Schultz 13-7
Michael Murphey 14-10
Harold Melvin 20-15
Linda Ronstadt 21-16
Ten cc 25-17
Captain & Tennills 26-19

WRFC/ATHENS

Sammy Johns
Eagles
Gwen McCrae
Olivia Newton-John
Glen Campbell
Hamilton Joe Frank & Reynolds (c Charlie Daniels (nites) Dwight Twilley (nites) HOT

Captain & Tennille 2-1 Pilot 5-3 Alice Cooper 12-6 America 15-10

WGH/NORFOLK Jessi Colter Joe Simon Van McCoy HOT Grand Funk 12-7 Carpenters 14-11 Alice Cooper 15-12 Harold Melvin 28-22

Dick Smith

Ten CC
Major Harris
Tanya Tucker
Van McCoy
Glen Campbell
Dwight T willey (re-add)
HOT
Frankie Valli 13-6
Captain & Tennille 20-7
Gladya Koinb 17-10

WORC/WORCHESTER

Gladys Knight 17-10 Grand Funk 21-15 Hayward & Lodge 27-18 WBBQ/AUGUSTA

Paul McCartney Glan Campbell Bee Gees Emmylou Harris Captain & Tennille 4-1 Michael Murphay 7-2 Joe Simon16-10 Supertramp 25-14 Pilot 22-15 Gwen McCrae 39-21

Eagles Eagles
Dwight Twilley
Frankie Vaili
Roberta Flack
HOT
Harold Melvin 13-4
Captain & Tennilla 12-6
Michael Murphey 18-13
Carly Simon 21-17
Bee Gees 26-20 WAIR/WINSTON-SALEM Tim Byrd

KDZA/PUEBLO Randy Jay Sesis & Crofts Paul McCartney Frankie Valli Elvis Presley Jessi Colter Four Tops Leo Sayer Tony Troutman HOT Michael Murphey 3-1 Captain & Tennille 20-10 Linds Ronstadt 19-14 Pilot 21-17 War 31-26 Eddie Kendricks 21-15 Bed Co 23-16 Guess Who 31-20

WRIE/ERIE Jim King

Barry White

Bee Gees Glen Campbell Sammy Johns Trini Lopez

Trini Lopez
Diamond Head
HOT
Michael Murphey 4-1
Jessi Colter 15-9
Gwen McCrae 21-13
WJON/ST CLOUD
Tom Kay

Dwight Twilley
Paul McCartney
Blood Sweat & Tears
Carly Simon
Bey City Rollers
Del Shannon (days)
Mike Post (days0
HOT

Northern Eight 1-1 America 10-4 Grand Funk 16-9 Elton "Pinball" 20-12 Ray Stevens 24-17

KREM/SPOKANE

Elton "Pinball" 3-1 Earth Wind & Fire Captain & Tennille BTO 30-21

Paul McCartney

HOT Pilot 14-5 Doobies 18-8 Linde Ronstadt 15-9 Captain & Tennille 22-12 Boomer Castleman 20-13

WROV/ROANOKE Chuck Holloway

HOT Michael Murphey 6-1 Captain & Tennille 12-6 Doobles 14-10 Elvis Presley 23-17

KSLY/SAN LUIS OBISPO John Tobin

Van McCoy Stealy Dan Gien Campbell HOT Captain & Tennille 5-1 Elton "Pinball" 9-2

Ten cc 19-9 Ray Stevens 18-10

WACI/FREEPORT

Leo Sayer Elvin Presley

Van McCoy Ambrosia (nite HOT

Linda Ronstadt 8-5

Michael Murphey 17-9 Alice Coper 24-11 Jessi Colter 28-16

WRMA/MONTGOMERY Bob Kitzmiller

Ace 14-7 Michael Murphey 17-11 Gwan McCrae 20-14

Hamtilon Joe Frank & Reynolds

8TO Ten CC Donny Gerrard HOT

Tavares 4-1

Eagles Ten CC Gwen McCrae HOT

Eagles First Class HOT

Bee Gees

Frankie \
Dwight T
Hollies
Ten CC
HOT

WTRU/MUSKEGON Elvis Preslay Bobby Vinton Eagles HOT Linda Ronstadt 20-11 Jessi Colter 18-12 Michael Murphey 22-18 Captain & Tennille 35-22 Frankie Valli Pilot Carly Simon Paul McCartney HOT John Denver 4-1 Michael Murphey 17-9 Jessi Colter 19-14 Chicano 22-17 Chicago 22-17

KEEL/SHREVEPORT Mike Steele KDON/SALINAS

Peter Frampton Tavares Mike Post Ray Stevens Carly Simon Steely Dan HOT HOT Captain & Tennille 13-1 Linda Ronstadt 7-4 Major Herris 23-10 Chicago 20-16 Herble Mann 27-18

KCPX/SALT LAKE CITY Captain & Tennille Seals & Crofts

Benny Bell "My Fanny" Glen Campbell Paul McCartney HOT Alice Cooper 13-7 Jessi Colter 18-10 BTO 21-16 Doobies 23-17

KGW/PORTLAND Sydney Coker

Linda Ronstadt 10-3

WYSL/BUFFALO Ed Dobosie

BTO
Major Harris
Kiss (nites)
String Drive Thing (nite)
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Teveres
Van McCoy
First Class
Frankia Valli
Sammy Johns
Beachboys
HOT
Elton "Pinball" 4-1
Doobles "Charity Brown" 18-10
Michael Murphy 21-14
Jessi Colter 27-19

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ACE-3:09 How Long...(Anchor)

LP: An Ace Album

P2 WSAI 3-1 IWKBW 5-3 WHBQ 8-8 Y100 4-2 WY RE 6-11 WA VZ 1-2-20 WGNG 3-1 WOAI 7-6 KBEQ 10-9 KAFY 2-3 KAKC 8-17 KTKT 5-14 KING 19-23 WGRD 3-5 WOW 15-18 KRIZ 7-7 KCBQ 1-1 WMYQ 6-7 WPOP 7-4 WSGA 9-15 WBBF 8-10 KINT 4-6 WAPE 2-5 WJBQ 23-23 WAKX 12-14 P1 P3 F I KHJ 4-4 K100 3-3 KFRC 6-9 WABC 13-10 99X 16-13 WPIX 20-10 WFIL 6-17 KSTP 6-19 U100 6-9 WPEZ 8-8 CKLW 9-8 WRKO 1-1 WQXI 9-17 WLS 8-10 WIXY 1-1 WGCL 7-2 WPGC 4-5 KSLQ 2-1 WCFL 5-11 WCAO 1-5 WQAM 2-8 WQAM 2-8 WAKY 13-6 KGW 13-21 WISM 4-7 WFDM 3-2 WERC 16-29 WROK 6-8 WRIE 3-2 KYSN 8-14 WSOP 7-6 KDON 18-25 WACI 5-10 KKLS 3-3 KILE 7-12 WORG 1-4 WLE 5-4 WLE 5-4 WLE 5-4 WLE 5-4 WLE 5-1 WORG 7-12 WORG 7-14

> AMERICA-3:16 "Sister Golden Hair" (WB)

LP: Hearts

F1 KHJ 19-14 K100 13-10 KFRC 21-18 WABC a 26 WFIL 18-13 KSTP 9-7 KDWB 19-14 U100 8-8 WPEZ d 22 CKLW 17-13 WRKO 7-5 WQXI 13-9 WLS 13-8 WIXY 12-5 WGCL 22-21 WRC a 18 WPGC 22-12 KSLQ 12-5 A NUMB 6-4
KURB 8-3
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WISM 8-6
WGH 25-2
WEOM 17-14
WERG 8-6
WROK 5-3
WRISP -7
KYSN 2-2
WBGN 11-10
WYOP 19-16
WOOP 19-16
WOOP 19-16
WHOM 16-12
WACI 6-3
KKLE 2-1
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KJOY 5-8
WYEN 11-10
WEFO 13-10
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WEFO 13-10
WLE 2-1
KKLE 2-1
WURE 12-9
KJOY 5-8
WYEN 11-10
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AVERAGE WHITE BAND 3:34 Cut The Cake (Atlantic)

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WBW 17-14
WOAI a 25
KBEQ a 20
KIKR 24-20
KING 29-27
KLEO d 25
WOW 19-15
WMYQ 15-14
WBBF 10-21
WBBF 10-21
WBG 09-21
KDON 25-23
WORG on
WTRU 30-26
WLEE 16-13
WBC 19-16
WFC 22-21
WFC 36-31
KTLK d 33
WSAR 15-11
WOSH 28-24
WAIR 19-14 WIXY 19-16 WGCL 18-11

PAUL ANKA-3:14 I Don't Like To Sleep Alone

WABC 16-15 WKBW 16-10 WCFL 11-15 WHBQ 9-4 WZUU 17-18 WAVZ 10-5 WGNG 10-5 WGNI 12-12 KAFY 18-17 KING 11-10 KIOA 8-11 KLEO 7-10 WPOP 14-15 WYOV 9-11 WJDX 5-8 WAPE 13-14 WQAM 20-24 WQAM 20-24 WCOL 12-20 KJRB 10-8 KGW 7-7 WJON 13-24 WISM 14-18 WGH 11-9 WRIE 4-11 WFOM 5-5 WROK 11-9 WRIE 4-3 WVOP 4-2 WACI 14-20 WORG 14-26 WTRU 11-7 WRCI 2-6 WEEQ 20-12 WEEQ 15-15 KTLK 13-11 WAMS 9-10 WOSH 8-14 **BACHMAN-TURNER** OVERDRIVE-3:33 Hey You (Mercury)

LP: Four Wheel Drive P3 WCFL 35-26 WCAO 30-27 WBBQ 30-22 WCOL d 29 KQWB 30-25 WAKY d 28 KJRB 25-22 KGW a F1 KHJ a K100 d 21 KSTP d 20 KDWB 15-8 U100 13-6 WPEZ a CKLW 27-19 WDRQ 17-17 WRKO d 28 WQXI d 26 WIXY a 34 WGCL 24-22 WZUU d 17 KJR on WYRE d 22 WGNG d 28 KAKC a KTKT d 26 KRSP 29-21 WGRD 30-21 KIOA 28-23 WYOV 20-18 WAPE d 29 WAKX 20-9

KGW a 1-15
KGPX 21-15
WJON 37-32
WISM d 29
WGH on WFOM 39-24
WROK 25-22
WRIE d 38
KYSN 30-25
WSBQN d 26
WVOP a
WACI 35-30
KKLS d 26
KILE d 34
WORG d 29
WT RU 35-25
WLEE a
KJOY 24-16
WROV d 30
WULK d 29
WNCI d 36
WEAQ 32-25
WEEG d 32
WORC d 29
WNCI d 36
WEAQ 30-25
WEAG 32-25
WREC d 32
WORC d 39
WSLA 26-18
WAIR d 30
WOSH 22-18
WAIR d 40
WYSLA

BAD COMPANY-3:35 Good Lovin' Gone Bad LP: Straight Shooter

P3 WCAO 26-24 WCOL 25-24 WGOL 25-24 WFOM 24-15 WERC d 26 WROKA KYSN 31-28 WBGN d 30 WVOP on KILE 16-16 WROY 17-15 WNCI 22-14 WEAQ 30-27 WRMA on KKXL 18-24 WAIR 23-16 KINT 25-2**2** WAPE 5-3 WAKX 29-27 KSTP on U100 14-14 WPEZ on WQXI 10-8 WGCL 19-17

BLACKBYRDS-2:54 Walking in Rhythm *(Fåntasy)* LP: Flying Start

P1

KAFY 15-19 KAKC 19-20 KTKT 7-3 KING 18-22 KLEO 8-7 WOW 14-11 WMYQ 7-5 WPOP 5-3 WSGA 20-20 WBBF 25-24 KINT 7-7 WAPE 8-6

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CAPTAIN & TENNILLE-3:15 Love Will Keep Us Together (A&M)
LP: The Captain & Tennille

NCAO 28-26 WBBQ 4-1 WCOL 4-1 WCOL 4-1 WCOL 4-1 WAKY 29-21 KGWB 18-5 KJRB 19-12 KGW d 23 KCPX a WJON 22-19 WGM 26-19 WGH 30-25 KEEL 8-6 WFOM 29-24 WERC 15-3 WROK 29-21 WRIE 35-2 KYSN 20-13 FI KHJ 1-1 K100 2-1 KFRC 14-5 WPIX a WFIL d 25 KSTP 30-4 KDWB 22-17 WPEZ a 24 CKLW d 29 WRKO 28-15 WQXI 17-7 WIXY 29-26 WPGC a 29 KSLQ a 19 WSAI 26-13 WHBQ 25-16 WZUÜ a KJR 21-6 WYRE on WYRE on WAVZ a WGNG 26-22 KAFY 1-1 KAKY 20-10 KRSP 15-13 KING 66-7 KCGQ a 15-9 KCGQ a 15-9 KCGQ a 15-9 WJDX 15-6 WSGA 7-4 KINT 19-16 WAPE 29-25 WJBQ 25-19 WAKX d 21 WROM 29-21 WRIE 35-22 WRIE 35-22 WRIE 35-22 WROM 3-1 WBGN 19-11 WOP 3-1 WAC 138-31 WAC 138-31 WAC 138-31 WAC 138-31 WAC 15-11 WAC 26-21 WLEE 42 WLK 9-3 WAC 24-19 WROM 2-6-21 WEG 20-13 WORC 20-7 WKK 22-10 KJU 20-10 KTLK 22-12 WAC 12-6 WAC 11-6 WAC

Several top 5 positions at key stations

BOOMER CASTLEMAN-3:33 Judy Mae (Mums)

K100 d 22 KSTP d 23 KDWB 6-3 WPEZ 20-13 CKLW d 30 WIXY 24-22 WPGC 20-21

P3 WCAO 24-21 WBBQ 26-24 WAKY 16-12 KJRB 14-11 KGW d27 KJRB 14-11 KGW d27 KJRD 35-27 WERC 25-20 WRIE 36-35 KYSN 29-22 WBGN 30-25 WOPO 30-28 KMCI 32-28 KKLS 13-10 WRG 24-21

KKLS 13-10 WORG 24-21 WTRU 31-27 WLEE a KJOY 17-14 WROV 20-18 WNCI 28-25 WRMA d 16 WRFC 24-23 WEEO a WORC on KKXL 21-12 KTLK 20-13 WSAR 27-24 WOSH d 23 WAIR 32-27

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CARPENTERS-3:45 Only Yesterday (A&M)

Р1 KHJ 14-20 K100 8-18 KFRC 3-6 WABC 12-16 KSTP 15-6 KDWB 16-15 WPEZ 16-16 WRKO 22-26 WQX' 18-20 WLS 6-5 WIXY 7-14 WPGC 14-19

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NGW 9-11 KCPX 11-27 WJON 3-7 WJON 3-7 WISM 7-9 WGH 14-11 WFOM 10-7 WERC 19-29 WROK 10-12 WRIE 5-4 KYSN 5-9 WACI 7-12 KILE 19-18 WORG 2-8 WTRU 9-20 WLEE 4-2 KJOY 12-20 WPOV 21-21 WYLK 24-25 WEAQ 12-11 WEEO 7-7 WORC 4-3 KKXL 22-17 KTLK 2-4 WAMS 7-6 WOSH 2-1 WAIR 17-21

CHICAGO-3:30 Old Days (Columbia)

LP: Chicago VIII

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KHJ 24-17
K100 15-13
KFRC 26-22
WABC 31-22
9X 18-18
WFIL 25-24
KSTP ral 15
U100 7-7
CKLW 25-15
WRKO 24-24
WRK 25-15
WRKO 24-24
WRX 18-13
WLS 32-21
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JESSI COLTER-3:19 I'm Not Lisa (Capitol)

LP: I'm Jessi Colter

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KHJ d 23
KFRC a
KFRC a
KSTP 21-16
WRKO a
WQXI 5-5
WIXY 11-9
KSLQ 19-14
KSL

ALICE COOPER-3:29 "Only Women" (Atlantic)

LP: Welcome To My Nightmare

P2 WSAI d 23 WKBW 8-2 WZUU 9-10 KJR 22-21 WYRE 19-10 WAVZ 30-21 WGNG 30-21 WGNG 30-21 WGNG 30-21 KAKC 42-4 KTKT 12-18 KRSP 18-15 KING 21-18 KING 21-18 KING 21-18 KING 21-18 WGRD 7-15 KIOA 1-4 KLEO 9-6 WOW 20-17 KRIZ 10-3 WDDY 3-20 WSGA 5-5 WBBF 9-5 KINT 1-1 WAPE 16-7 WJBQ d 24 WAKX 5-6 PI F1 KHJa K100 17-1 4 KFRC a WFIL 15-14 KSTP 8-8 KDWB 7-5 U100 3-2 WPEZ 9-7 CKLW 26-18 WRKO 15-18 WGXI 20-15 WPGC 24-15

WCFL 17-10 WCAO 19-11 WCAO 19-11 WCDL 8-8 WAKY 0 27 KQWB 7-8 KJRB 18-15 KGW 18-10 KCPX 13-7 WJON 7-5 WJSM 16-10 WGH 15-12 WFOM 26-21 WERC 13-10 WROK 18-14 WRIE 15-15 KJSN 10-7 WBON 9-7 WGO 22-15 KDON 6-5 WACI 24-11 KKLS 4-4 KILE 9-4 WORG 4-1 WTRU 15-12 WERU 15-12 WERU 15-12 WERU 15-12 WERU 15-12 WACI 24-11 KKLS 4-4 WORG 4-1 WRU 15-12 WERU 15-12 WERU

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Another with a big gain week

JOHN DENVER-2:47 Thank God I'm A Country Boy (RCA) LP: Evening With John Denver

WSAI 8-5 WKBW 4-4 WHBQ 7-7 Y100 14-5 WZUU 4-4 KJR 7-5 WY RE 3-2 WGNG 15-12 WGNG 15-12 WGNG 15-16 KBEQ 2-1 KAFY 11-6 KAKC 5-1 KTKT 23-16 KING 3-4 WGRD 11-6 KIOA 3-5 WGRD 11-6 KIOA 3-5 WGRD 11-6 KIOA 3-5 WHYQ 23-24 WPG 24-29 WMYQ 23-24 WPG 24-29 WNG 22-29 WNG 23-29 KINT 6-8 WAPE 15-24 WJG 7-3 WAKX 4-8

DOOBIE BROTHERS-3:39 Take Me In Your Arms
(WB)

LP: Stampede Р1 KHJ 28-26 K100 20-17 KFRC 23-21 WP1X on WFIL d.22 KSTP 25-18 KDWB 20-20 U100 11-11 WPEZ 19-17 CKLW 21-27 WRKO 26-22 WQXI 16-10 WLS a 23 WIXY S1-28 WGCL 16-7 WPGC 18-17

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WHBQ 19-10
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WYRE 24-23
WCAO 21-15
WGMM 24-14
WGMQ 12-15
WGMG 28-25
WGMS 22-19
KAKC 28-21
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KRSP 22-19
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WGM 21-21

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THE EAGLES-3:28 One Of These Nights (Asylum) LP: One Of These Nights

P2 P1 U100 a 16 WPGC a 26

P3 WCFL 40-37 WCAO a WIBG a WFOM d 39 WRIE a KYSN a WLEE a WROV a WRFC a KTLK a WSAR a KKAM a WSAI a KJR a WYRE a WGNG a KTKT a KING a

EARTH, WIND & FIRE-2:50 Shining Star (Columbia) Of The World

> P3 WSAI 25 WKBW 15-16 WHBQ 6-5 Y100 1-1 WZUU 13-12 KJR 13-12 KJR 13-12 KJR 22-26 WAVZ 22-26 WAVZ 22-26 WGNQ 1-0-7 KBEQ 22-25 KAFV 4-2 KTKT 15-9 KNSP 9-9 KNING 17-11 WGRD (-4 KIDA 7-8 KCBQ 11-9 WMYQ 8-3 WMYQ 8-3 WMYQ 8-3 WMYQ 8-3 WFG M 19-14 WBBF 11-9 KINT 23-12 WAKX 23-24 WDRC 22-16 WCFL 15-12 WCAO 2-6 WQAM 1-4 KQWB 19-18 KJRB 7-5 KGW 15-22 KCPX 16-13 WJON 34-30 WISM 11-8 WGH 23-26 WFOM 12-8 WFC 9-16 WBGN 1-3 WACI 11-17 KILE 3-7 WORG 5-3 WTRU 18-15 WLEE 3-6 KJOY 13-26 WEEO 13-11 KTLK 19-15 WAMS 9-1 WAMS 9-1

FREDDY FENDER-2:32 Before The Next Teardrop Falls (ABC/Dot)
LP: Before The Next Teardrop

NZI WSAI 29-30 WKBW 11-11 WY RE 12-12 WGNG 5-2 WGNG 5-2 WGNG 3-3 KEQ 4-5 KAFY 3-4 KAKC 29-26 WGRD 19-23 KCBQ 10-12 WPOP 22-14 WOV 4-5 WSGA 11-11 F 1 KHJ 3-3 KFRC 11-7 WABC 8-4 99X a 11 WFIL 17-11 CKLW 5-6 WRKO 19-17 WQXI 22-25 KSLQ 5-12

WCFL 6-3 WCAO 14-16 WQAM 19-23 KQWB 16-15 WFIE 1-1 WBGN 7-17 WORG 6-5 WTRU 28-31 WLEE 1-1 WEAQ 4-9 WORC d 24 KTLK 5-7 WAIR 1-10

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GRAND FUNK-2:55 Bad Time (Capitol)

LP: All The Girls In The World

PI KHJ 9-8 K100 12-7 KFRC 18-17 WABC 35-21 WPIX d 19 WFIL 11-7 KSTP 14-10 WRKO 6-8 WQXI 19-22 WLS 9-7 WIXY 14-10 WGCL 21-12 WPGC 10-4 KSLQ 11-7

P2
WKBW 22-18
WHBQ 29-24
Y100 d 27
WZUU 16-8
WYRE 9-7
WAVZ 15-16
WGNG 17-16
WGNG 17-16
WGNG 18-12
KAFY 9-7
KAKC 20-16
KTKT 14-21
KRSP 12-8
KING 25-21
WGRD 20-25
KLEO 16-22
WOW a 20
KCBQ 19-14
WPOP d 29
WJDX 3-3
WSGA 18-13
XINT 5-2
WJBQ 15-14
WAKX 26-16

MAJOR HARRIS-3:22 Love Won't Let Me Wait (Atlantic) LP. My Way

KHJ 18-13 KFRC 5-2 99x a 19 WPIX d 20 WFIL 3-3 CKLW 28-22 WDRQ 10-5 WRKO d 16 WQXI 1-3 WIXY 27-21 WPGC 6-3 KSLQ 4-2

WISM 38-24
WISM 78-24
WISM 78-116
WERG 21-16
WERG 27-21
WERG 12-21
WERG 12-21
WHOP 10-7
KILE 28-19
WORG 28-2
WAMS 34-17-15
WAIR 29-24
WYSL 8

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HAYWARD & LODGE-2:49 I Dreamed Last Night (Threshold)

PI KSTP d 28 U100 d 27

KJR on KAFY 27-23 WJDX on WAPE 30-27 WAKX d 29

WBBQ 32-27 WCOL 32-30 KGW a WISM on KYSN 36-30 WACI d 37 WORG a. KJOY d 30 WNCI 26-24 WRFC 35-29 WORC 27-18 WSAR d 29

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ELTON JOHN-5:14 (Soundtrack) (Polydor) LP: Tommy

WSAI 11-9
WKBQ on
WHBQ 16-12
Y100 on
WZUU 1-2
KJR 1-2
WY RE 1-1
WAVZ 4-11
WOAY 1-1
KBEQ on
KAKC 17-18
KTKT on
KRSP 4-6
KING on
KIOA 30-30
KLEO 6-8
WOW on
KIOA 30-30
KLEO 6-8
WOW on
KRIZ 1-1
KCBQ 2-2
WMYQ 11-13
WPOP 1-1
WSGA 1-2
WSGA 1-2
WSGA 1-2
WSGA 1-2
WBBF 1-1
KINT 3-4
WAPE 25-26
WBQ 1-1
WKK 17-22

P3 WCAO 2-8 WGAM 3-6 WBBQ 9-7 WCOL 2-7 WAKY 9-16 KQWB on KJRB 12-21 WJON 20-1-2 WISM 3-4 WGH on WERC 1-4 WRIE on KYSN 1-1 WBGN 17-9 WKTS 01-1 WKGN 17-9 WVOP 20-12 KDON 0n WACI 4-4 KKLS 14-12 KILE 1-2 WORG 16-15 WLEE 10-10 KJOY 3-1 WROV 1-9 WNCI 9-5 WEAQ 11-10 WEFC 17-16 WEEO 1-2 KKXL 2-2 KTLK 0n WAMS 16-12 WOSH 0n WAIR 24-18



MELISSA MANCHESTER-3:25 Midnight Blue

PΙ WPIX on KSTP 29-27

P2 WSALa WHBQ a KJR a WJDX 17-12 WAPE a WAKX 11-2

-P3

HERBIE MANN-3:00 Hijack (Atlantic)

LP: Discotheque

P1 KFRC 16-15 WABC 11-13 99 X 2-5 WFIL 9-4 WRKO 2-3

WCFL 27-27 WCAO 15-9 WBBQ on WCOL 23-21 WISM 27-23 WGH 17-13 WFOM 27-22 WRIE 29-26 KYSN on WOOP on KDON 27-18 WORG 18-16 KJOY 6-10 WROV 27-26 WULK 29-15 WEEO a WORC 8-8 WSAR 1-3 WAMS 20=11

P3

MCCARTNEY & WINGS-3:53 Listen To What The Man Said (Capitol) LP: Venus & Mars

Pl	P2	P3		
KHJ a 30 K100 a KFRC a 99 X a WPIX a 24 U100 a 22 WRC a 21 WPGC a WRKO a	WHBQ a 29 Y100 a KJR a WYRE a WAVZ a WGNG a KAKC a KTKT a KING a Z96 a KIOA a KIOA a KIOP a WSOP a WSOP a WSOP a WSOP a WSOP a WSOP a WSOP a KIOA a	WCAO a WBBQ a 38 KJRB a KCPX a WJON a WSM a WFOM a KYSN a 36 WTRU a WNCI a KKXL a KTLK a WAIR a 36 KCAM a		

VAN MCCOY-3:27 The Hustle (Avco)

K100 22-20 KFRC 30-26 WABC 7-1 99X 1-1 WPIX 6-1 WFIL a KSTP a WDRQ d 20 WRKO a WQXI 24-18 WIXY d 33 WRC a 19 WPGC 15-10

P2 Y100 24-8 KAFY n KTKT a KRSP a WMYQ d 26 WPOP d 19 WJDX a 26 WAPE a 30 KSJO a

WCFL a 38
WCAO 29-22
WBBQ 35-29
WCOL a
WAKY 24-22
KCPX d 29
WGHa 30
KEEL 20-16
WFOM d 37
WERC a
WNIE d 40
WOP on
WACI a
WLEE a 27
WEAQ a 37
WEAG a 37
WEAG a 37
WEAG a 37
WEAG a 37

P3

HAROLD MELVIN Bad Luck (Phy/Int)

Pl KHJ 25-22 K100 21-19 KFRC 22-19 WABC 4-5 99X 3-3 WFIL 22-15 CKLW d 26 WDRQ 11-7 WRKO 13-9 WGCL 20-18

WCAO d 18 WCAM 28-10 WCOL 38-35 WGH 28-22 WFOM d 36 WRIE 36-33 WVOP on KDON d 33 KILE a WI FE 26-15 WHBQ d 26 WAVZ 14-10 WMYQ 20-19 WPOP 30-28 WLEE 26-15 WORC on WSAR 13-4 WAMS a 24

P3

MICHAEL MURPHEY-3:15 Wildfire (Epic)

P2

LP: Blue Sky-Night Thunder

KHJ 26-19 KFRC 15-8 WPIX on WFIL 24-21 KSTP 1-5 KDWB 2-1 U100 2-1

WZYU 11-6 KJR 3-1 KJR 3-1 KJR 3-1 WAYZ 26-22 WGNG 3-3 WGAG 3-3 KAFY 24-16 KJR 1-7 KJR 1-2 KJR 1-2 WGRD 16-8 KJOA 2-1 KJEO 2-2 WGW 3-3 KRIZ 26-12 KGR 24-12 K WPEZ 24-18 CKLW 29-25 WRKO 21-20 WQXI 3-2 WIXY 25-23 WGCL 23-19 WPGC 5-1 KSLQ 9-4

WCFL 37-31 WCAO 20-13 WBBQ 7-2 WCOL 1-4 WCOL 1-1 WCOL 1-1 KCWB 1-1 KCWB 1-1 KCWB 1-2 WJON 2-2 WISM 12-5 WGM 19-16 KEEL 4-1 KEEL 4-1 WFOM 15-9 WERCK 2-1 WFOM 2-2 WFOM 15-9 WERCK 2-1 WFOM 17-9 WERCK 2-1 WYOP 8-5 KDON 2-2 WACI 17-9 KKLS 1-1 KLLS 1-1 KLLS 1-1 WLLS 1-1 WLL WPOP 29-25 WVOV 18-12 WJDX 2-2 WSGA 10-1 WBBQ d 25 KINT 18-12 WAPE 3-1

Several big jumps to top 5-most all demos



ORLEANS-3:30 Let There Be Music (Asvlum) LP: Let There Be Music

P1 P2 UÌ00 19-29 WGCL a 20

P3 WBBQ 37-33 WCOL 37-34 WISM on WROK d 26 KYSN a 37 WVOP ra KILE 26-24 WTRU 34-29 WROV 22-19 WYRE on WGNG on KLEO 24-21 WBBF d 30 KINT d 23

ORLANDO AND DAWN-3:26 He Don't Love You (Elektra) LP: "He Don't Love You"

Ρ1 P2 P3 WCFL 2-9 WCAO 9-11 WQAM 14-1 WBBQ 8-16 WSA! 1-3 WKBW 14-15 WHBQ 4-9 Y100 19-15 WZUU 2-1 KFRC 9-16 WABC 2-3 V10019-15
WZUU 2-1
WYRE 5-5
WZUU 2-1
WYRE 5-5
WAVZ 2-3
WGNG 1-3
WGNG 1-3
WGNG 1-3
WGNG 1-8
KBEQ 5-10
KAFY 5-8
KAKC 6-11
KTKT 1-2
KRSP 2-3
KING 9-9
WGRD 2-3
KIOA 5-2
KLEO 17-14
WOW 4-5
KRIZ 3-6
KCBQ 5-5
KRIZ 3-6
KCBQ 5-5
WMYQ 19-18
WPOP 2-6
WYOV on
WBBQ 20-26
WYOV ON 99X 9-10 WFIL 5-10 KSTP 12-25 WPEZ 10-11 CKLW 7-10 WRKO 8-11 WQXI 21-23 WLS 10-11 WIXY 5-11 WPGC 1-6 KSLQ 1-11 WCOL 14-23 WAKY 17-17 KJRB 13-24 KGW 8-17 KCPX 2-5 WJON 5-6 WISM 1-3 WGH 1-1 WFOM 4-4 WERC 18-28 WROK 14-23 WRIE 7-13 KYSN 6-8 WBGN 2-2 KJON 3-6 WACI 1-2 WLIE 21-29 WORG 8-13 WTRU 2-2 WLEE 9-18 WOW 2-14 WVLK 15-24 WNCI 4-11 WEAQ 14-15 WRFC 6-3-8 WBCO 3-8 WROK 3-4 KILE 21-29 WORG 3-13 WIN 15-24 WOK 14-11 WEAQ 14-15 WRFC 6-3-8 WORD 3-8 WORD 3-8 WORD 3-8 WORD 3-8 WORD 3-17 WOSH 10-17

OZARK MOUNTAIN DAREDEVILS-3:16 Jackie Blue (A&M) LP: It'll Shine When It Shines

P3 WCFL 8-13 WAKY 28-25 KCPX 4-4 WGH 2-2 WROK 3-7 KHJ 6-12 K100 7-12 KFRC 20-24 WABC 9-8 99X 17-7 WPIX 13-7 WFIL 2-5 KSTP 10-30 WPEX 2-3 CKLW 13-14 WRKO 12-18 WSAI 5-21 WKBW 9-12 WKBW 9-12 WKBW 9-12 WYRE 10-16 WYRE 10-16 WAVZ 5-4 WONG 17-19 KBEQ 8-6 KAFY 8-13-22 KRSP 17-28 KING 5-5 WGRD 17-20 KIOA 13-15 WOW 5-6 KRIZ 14-19 KCBQ 4-8 WMYQ 14-6 WPOP 6-9 WBBF 3-2 WBG 6-10



PILOT-(3:03)Magic (EMI)

LP: Pilot

Pl KHJ 20-15 K100 18-9 KFRC 27-25 WFIL a KSTP a KDWB 25-18 WPEZ 4-2 WRKO 3-2 WQXI 26-21 WIXY 26-24 WGCL 10-6 WPGC 26-24

WKBW a 25 WHBQ 28-25 V100 d 30 WZUU 18-3 KJR d 22 WYRE 8-6 WAVZ 7-2 WGNG 31-6 KAFY d 28 KAKY d 23 KTKT 8-4 KRSP 7-4 KING d 26 WPOP 9-10 WOV 8-10

WJBQ 16-5

WBO 25-25 WCQWB 20-2 KURB 27-23 KURB 27-23 KUPV 29-24 KUPV 36-31 WGW 29-24 KUPV 36-31 WGW 29-24 KUPV 29-24 WFOM 25-20 WFOM 25-2 WROV d 22 WVLK d 28 WNCI d 35 WEAQ 19-17 WRMA d 19 WRFC 5-3 WEEO 10-4 WORC 10-19 KKXL 6-4 KTLK 14-5 WAMS a 25 WOSH 25-19

ELVIS PRESLEY-3:00

T-R-O-U-B-L-E (RCA) P1 P2 WHBQ 20-17 WVOV a WJDX 14-21 WSGA 31-26 KAKC a WAPE 18-16 WQXI 12-11

PS WBBQ 29-26 WJON 39-33 WFOM 30-25 WERC d 30 WRIE a 39 WBGN 27-24 WAC1 a WORG on WROV 23-17 WVLK ar WNCI 36-34 WREC 32-30 WAIR on KDZA a 42



QUEEN-3:00, Killer Queen (Elektra)

LP: Sheer Heart Attack

P2 P3 Р1 K100 13-15 KFRC 17-23 WFIL 4-6 KSTP 3-11 KDWB 5-4 WYRE 11-17 WYRE 11-17 WCFL 7-2 WQAM 5-5 WYRE 11-17 WAYZ 1-1 WGNG 12-20 KBEQ 12-7 KAFY 7-5 KAKK 2-4 KTKT 10-19 KRSP 14-11 KING 14-16 WGRD 10-14 KRIZ 23-15 KCBQ 6-6 WMYQ 2-2 WPOP 24-20 WJDX 8-4 WSGA 12-10 WBBF 4-6 KINT 14-11 WAPE 9-9 WJBQ 11-16 WAKX 9-12 WISM 10-12 WGH 10-8 WFO M 14-12 WROK 13-18 WRIE 8-8 KYSN 18-15 WVOP 13-22 WTRU 8-10 WLEE 7-16 KJOY 22-27 WVLK 6-13 WEAQ 6-13 WEAQ 6-13 WRFC 3-5 WEEO 5-6 KTLK 12-17 WAMS 15-20 WOSH 27-20 WAIR 8-6 KDWB 5-4 U100 12-19 WPEZ 5-5 CKLW 16-16 WQXI 15-19 WLS 2-1 WIXY 8-18

LINDA RONSTADT-2:52 When Will I Be Loved (Capitol) LP: Heart Like a Wheel

P2 WSAI 7-7 WHBQ 17-6 WZUU 14-13 KJR 23-20 WYRE 16-13 WAVZ 19-17 WGNG 23-21 WOAI a 24 KBEQ 17-11 KAFC 7-6 KTKT 13-8 KRSP 13-12 KING 20-12 KING 20-12 KUGRD 25-12 KLEO 15-13 WOW 12-8 KRIZ 5-2 WGRD 23-22 WPOP d 23 WSGA 4-6 KINT 15-17 WAPE 17-15 WJBQ d 22 WAKX 15-7 KHJ 13-10 K100 9-6 KFRC 13-11 WABC a KSTP 13-3 KDWB a 22 CKLW 24-23 WRKO 5-4 WQXI 6-4 WLX a 15 WIXY 17-12 WPGC a 28 KSLQ 13-10

WLEE 15-11 KJOY 21-21 WROV 10-7 WVLK 21-19 WNCI 10-4 WEAQ 21-18 WRFC 10-7 WEEO 34-28 WORC 25-25 KKXL 11-11 KTLK 15-9 WSAR 14-12

SEALS & CROFTS-3:47 I'll Play For You (WB) LP: I'll Play For You

P1 P2 Рζ WSAI 27-21 WHBQ 14-13 WAVZ 25-23 KTKT d 30 WGRD a 24 WPOP 3-11 WVOV 15-15 WJBQ on WAKX 24-15 WBBQ 12-9 KGW d 28 KGW d 28 KCPX a WJON 25-21 WJON 25-21 WGH on KEEL 1-2 WRIE 24-20 WACI 23-21 KILE 8-6 WORG a 23 WLEE a 30 WVLK 28-17 WEEO a 38 WORC 24-17 KTLK 35-28 WSAR 8-16 KDZA a 39

NEIL SEDAKA-3:43 The Immigrant (Rocket)

LP: Sedaka's Back

P1 P2 P3 KJRB 20-18 KGW 23-19 WJON 9-13 WFOM 19-13 WRIE 14-18 KYSN 19-17 KDON 22-20 WACI 22-33 KKLS 6-7 KILE 22-30 KJOY 18-23 WEEO 19-18 WSAR 22-22 WOSH 5-4 WZUU d 16 KJR 14-7 KING 23-15 WOW d 19 KINT 11-10

SHA NA NA-3:10 (Just Like) Romeo & Juliet (Kama Sutra)

P1 P3 WBBQ 27-19 WCOL 17-15 KQWB 23-22 KCPX 34-25 WJON 28-22 WISM on KEEL 24-22 KYSN on WBGN 16-12 WVOP 30-25 WACI 36-34 WROV on WVLK 20-14 WNCI 25-22 WEAQ 27-24 KDWB 8-6 WIXY 34-31

JOE SIMON-3:47 Get Down, Get Down (Spring)

P1 P3 WCAO a 30 WBBQ 16-10 WCOL 31-25 WAKY 7-2 WGH a 29 KEEL 35-24 WFOM 33-30 WERC 17-14 KYSN d 39 WBGN 13-8 WYOP 28-17 KDON d 31 KILE 32-27 WLEE d 24 KJOY 43 WNCI 30-28 WRC 13-8 WRC 13-8 WRC 13-8 WRC 13-8 WAIR 25-19 P3 KHJ d 27 WABC 21-19 WPIX 10-5 WDRQ 3-6 WQX! 2-1 WIXY 23-13 WGCL a 23 WRC a 22 WPGC 21-16 KSLQ 14-16 WHBQ 1-2 KBEQ 24-22 KAFY a WMYQ 13-8 WJDX ra 14 WSGA 26-21 KINT a WAPE d 28

SRG Humor Information Service

By STONEY RICHARDS

Hello Americans. Here is the SRG. **HUMOR-INFORMATION NEWS ...** Page one ... West Coast rumors say that the American military in an effort to make the Vietnamese refugees feel more at home, have requested permission to conduct B. 52 bombing raids over Camp Pendleton ... Senator George McGovern has become one of the more popular men around Washington these days. Not so much because of his recent trip to Cuba but because he's the only one with a great supply of Havana cigars ... In sports, it seems as if Muhammad Ali has made his choice for the next contender to defend his title against — it'll be the Philadelphia Flyers... Do you recall the young placekicker who missed two field goals two years in a row causing the University of Michigan to lose to Ohio State two years in a row? It's been reported that he tried to commit suicide twice with a .48 pistol — no problem though — he was wide to the right both times...

In Washington, the House Ethics Committee has told Congressmen not to accept free rides in company planes when traveling to campaign engagements. After all, it is somewhat of a tradition that if someone is going to be taken for a ride it should be the CONGRESS driving and the people given the ride... And the Vietnamese refugees at Camp Pendleton have reportedly been a little upset lately. It apparently has something to do with a practical joke being spread around the camp saying that William Calley will be appointeed new camp custodian...

THAT'S THE NEWS, NOW MORE MUSIC ... That was THANK GOD I'M A COUNTRY BOY by Catfish Hunter and before that HE DON'T LOVE YOU LIKE I LOVE YOU a request from Gulf Oil for South Korea. Coming up next, President Ford's solution to save the economy, LOVE WILL KEEP US TOGETHER followed by Sammy Johns' CHEVY VAN better known as "four on the floor."

AND NOW THE REAL NEWS (the following are all true stories about people places and things in the news) New Jersey's Bergen County Vocational School refused to rehire Raymond Gramaglia to teach printing because his work was so poor. But now it seems that someone has realized Gramaglia's true talent and has high praise for him — the Secret Service. Apparently Gramaglia has been arrested for printing \$10 and \$20 counterfeit bills. The Secret Service says the bills were of"excellent quality"!!...

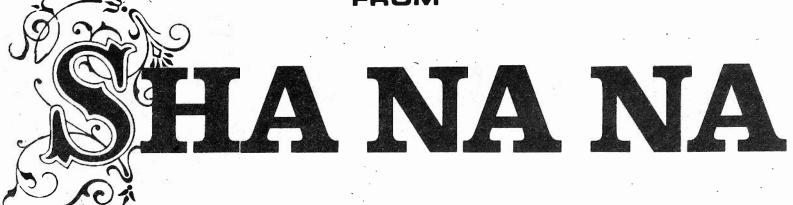
It's not who you are but who you know. David Allen Johnson was sentenced to sixty days in jail for fleeing from an officer but when he surrendered at a Milwaukee jail, he was turned away. Deputies at the jail said they needed certain papers from the clerk of the court.

"The people who run the jail are perfectly willing to lock up people but we have to have the right paper to do it," was the reply given by Lt.Joseph Littel. "We just don't take a citizen's word that he belongs in jail." Johnson went back to the judge who told the baliff to "use your influence" to get Johnson in jail. So back to iail and this time Johnson was admitted. "A baliff's word is good with us. We can trust him if he

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CARLY SIMON-3:43 Attitude Dancing (Elektra)

LP: Playing Possum

P1 WZUU 15-11 KJR d 23 WYRE 25-24 WGNG d 27 WPIX a KSTP on U100 23-18 WPGC 25-23 KAFY 28-21 KTKT d 29 KRSP 27-24 KRSP 27-24 KING d 29 WGRD d 29 KIOA 25-26 KLEO a KRIZ 30-28 WPOP d 30 WVOV a WSGA 27-25 KINT d 25

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KGW 30-26
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WJON a 39
WISM 29-27
WGH on
KEEL 29-23
WFOM 34-31
WERC a
WROK a 29
WRIE 37-32
KYSN 25-20
WBGN on
WVOP on
KDON a
WACI 39-38
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WORC on
KKXL 28-25
KTLK 32-27
WSAR 21-17 WAPE 27-23 WOSH d 26 WNAM a

Had a good week

STEELY DAN-3:30 Black Friday (ABC)

LP: Katy Lied

P1 P2 KDWB 26-25 U100 22-17 WPEZ 21-29 WRKO d 30

KJR on WYRE on KRSP.d 30 KIOA a 28 WBBF a KINT on WJBQ a WAKX a KOL a

P3 WBBQ a n WCOL a KQWB 38-30 KJRB d 28 KGW on WISM on WGH on WFOM a KYSN a KDON a KKLS d 28 KJOY d 28 WOOV 29-27 WNCI d 37 WRMA on WRFC d 31 WEEO d 33 WORC on KKXL 35-29 WSAR 30-27 WAMS on WNAM a KSLY a

P3

RAY STEVENS-2:53 Misty (Barnaby)



P2 **P1** KAFY a KIOA 22-20 WOW a WVOV d 7 KGGO a WFIL a WIXY 22-20

P3 WDRC a WCAO on WCOL 39-37 KQWB 17-17 WJON 24-17 KEEL 9-10 WRIE 34-30, WBGN 28-22 KDON a WACI 40-36 WLEE d 25 KJOY 27-22 WNCI a WRFC a

SUPERTRAMP-3:00 Bloody Well Right (A&M)

LP: Crime Of The Century

P3 P2 P1 KILT a WBBQ 23-14 KQWB 35-28 KJRB 24-29 KGW 19-15 WJON 17-11 WKBW 10-8 KSTP 20-22 U100 4-10 WKBW 10-8 KJR 16-9 WYRE a KAFY n KRSP 19-18 KING 22-19 KIOA 29-25 KLEO 26-15 KINT d 24 WAPE 19-17 WAKX d 23 WJON 17-11 WGH on WFOM 32-29 WRJE 30-29 KYSN on KKLS 18-14 KILE a KJOY 20-18 WROV d 28 WEAQ a 34 WEEQ 24-24 WSAR d 21 WAMS 8-7 WAJE 26-22 WAIR 26-22

10CC-3:25 I'm Not In Love (Mercury)

LP: The Original Soundtrack

PI P2 **P3** WSAI a
WKBW a 29
KJR on
WYRE d 25
Z96 a 29
KIOA a 29
KLEO d 30
WSGA a 34
KINT 23-18
WAPE a n
WAKX 18-10 WCAO on WBBQ 24-20 WCOL a KQWB 32-26 WFIL d 26 KSTP a KDWB 12-11 U100 10-5 WQXI on WLOLA KQWB 32-26 KJRB a WJON 26-25 WJSM 23-20 WGH on WFOM 40-35 WERC a WROK on KYSN 33-26 WVOP on KKLS a KJOY 10-5 WROY a WEAQ 35-30 WRMA a WRC 21-20 WORC a KKXL a WSAR on WOSH a KKAM a KREM a

TAVARES-3:19 Remember What I Told You (Capitol) LP: Hard Core Poetry

P1 WFIL 21-18 WDRQ 21-19 WQXI 30-29 WLXY a 32 WIXY a 32 WPGC 23-22

P2 WPOP 26-26 WJDX 27-22 WSGA 33-30

KILT a WCFL 21-19 WQAM 29-11 WBBQ 33-28 WCOL a WAKY 14-15 KQWB 37-32 KQWB 37-32 WGH on KEEL 11-8 WFOM 37-32 WERC 27-22 KYSN 39-34 WBGN 8-1 WVOP d 27 WVOP d 27 KDON a WACI d 39 WORG on KJOY d 29 WROV 28-25 WVLK 1-1 WEAQ 38-33 WRMA 4-1 WRFC 19-18 WEEO 25-22 WOSH 20-16 WYSL a

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DWIGHT TWILLEY BAND-3:09 I'm on Fire (Shelter)

P2 PI KSTP a U100 d 25 WYRE on

WBBQ 40-32 WCOL 34-31 KQWB a 37 WJON a 36 WISOM on WYRE on WGNG on KAKC 11-8 KTKT on KLEO 22-20 KCBQ 21-17 WMYQ 17-16 WVOV a 21 KINT on WFOM a WROK d 30 KYSN 38-32 WVOP a WYOP a
WACI 26-23
KKLS 23-15
KILE 27-20
WORG on
KJOY a
WROV 26-23
WNCI 20-19
WRMA 18-15
WRFC a n
WORC ra
KKXL 25-22
KTLK 39-32
WSAR a
WOSH 12-9
KREM a KSJO a

TANYA TUCKER-3:05 Lizzie & The Rainman (RCA) LP: Tanya Tucker

P3 **P1** P2 KJR on KTKT d 27 KRSP 30-25 KIOA 24-22 WPOP on WVOV 16-17 WJDX 21-16 WSGA 32-27 WDRC a WBBQ 36-31 WBBQ 36-31
WCOL 30-28
WAKY on
KQWB a 36
KJRB on
WJON 19-16
KEEL 33-28
WFOM 38-33
WERC 23-17
WRIE 39-36
KYSN on
WOOP on
WACI 30-25
KKLS a
KILE 23-17
WTRU d 33
WVLK 30-23
WNCI 38-31
WEAQ 28-23
WRFC 29-27
WORC a
KKLL a
KTLK d 40
WOSH a
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ROGER WHITTAKER-(3:38) The Last Farewell (RCA)

LP: Special Kind of Man

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says this is a prisoner," said Lt. Littel. You might say that this is one of the few cases where a "player"went directly to jail-but was sent back to 'go.'

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Sullivan Letter

by Terry Sullivan

ACE consists of four Englismen and an Irishman (drummer FRAN BYRNE) ... MICHAEL MURPHEY and BOOMER CASTLEMAN once had a group in Los Angeles called THE LEWIS AND CLARK EX. PEDITION ... ALBERT HAM. MOND says he never gets homesick for his native Britain (or Gibralter, where he lived as a child) -- but he does get homesick for Southern California when he's away ... LINDA RONSTADT is one of the backup singers on MARIA MULDAUR'S "Gringo En Mexico" ...

... NEIL SEDAKA has a home in the Catskill Mountains of New York State, apartments in New York City and London, six pianos, a Cadillac, and a ROLLS ROYCE ... many people think TANYA TUCKER is still fourteen or fifteen. Actually, she'll be seventeen on October 10th... BARRY WHITE says he still plans to retire when he's 32 — and he'll be 32 on September 12, 1976 ... CHARLIE KULIS pronounces his name "KOOL-is" OSMONDS have been banned from every major hotel in London because of damage done in past years by their British fans. They're scheduled to arrive in London tomorrow (5-24) for a series of concerts and will stay in a rented house ... BOBBY GOLDSBORO's seven-year old hit, 'Honey,'' is a hit all over again in Britain, where it made No. 1 a couple of weeks ago...

THE THREE DEGREES have been complaining to British writers about all the "dirty old men" in the British Isles. The Degrees spend a lot of time in Britain, where they've had three big hits. Their latest, "Take Good Care of Yourself," is in the British top-ten... 250 members of the Tokyo division of the TOM JONES fan club have chartered a plane to see Tom at Caesar's Palace in Vegtas next month... GERRY **BECKLEY of AMERICA wrote and** sings lead on "Sister Golden Hair." He's the one with the glasses...

JANIS IAN once made an album called "The Secret Life of J. Eddy Fink." Her real name is Janis Fink ... the members of KRAFTWERK have been performing in dark suits, white shirts, and conservative ties. They also have short hair... Among the people who'll be celebrating birthdays tomorrow (5-24) are BUB DYLAN (who'll be 34), PATTI LABELLE of LABELLE (31), and TOMMY CHONG of CHEECH & CHONG (35). TOM T. HALL's birthday will be on Sunday (he'll be 39), PEGGY LEE will celebrate on Monday (she'll be 55), and GLADYS KNIGHT will be blowing out the candles on Wednesday (she'll turn 31)... for a free sample of the 26-page Sullivan Letter, plus introductory rates, write to the Sullivan Letter, 888 Seventh Avenue, New York City 10019 or call (212) 362-7047.

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LW	TW	
	0	ELTON JOHNCaptain Fantastic (MCA)Heavy play on all
1	2	DOOBIE BROTHERS Stampede (WB)"Dealing" "Fandango" "Crossroad"
8	3	ZZ TOPFandango (London)""Tush" "X" "Thunderbird" lead
2	4	BAD COMPANY Straight Shooter (Swan Song)"Preacher" "Makin Love" "Star"
4	5	STEELY DAN Katy Lied (ABC)"Wu" "Firday" "Lightning" lead
-	6	BACHMAN TURNER 4 Wheel Drive (Merc)"Devil" "Hey You" "Time" and title
3	7	JEFF BECKBlow By Blow (Epic)"Jam" "Thelonious" and "Woman"
7	8	CARLY SIMON Playing Possum (Elektra)"Dancing" "More" "Slave" "Waterfall"
-	9	JAMES TAYLOR Gorilla (WB)"""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""
5	10	LED ZEPPELIN Physical Graffiti (Swan Song)" "Trampled" "Kashmir" and "Boogie"
12	•	HOT TUNA America's Choice (Grunt)""Sleep" "Divide" "No. 7"
20	12	TRIUMVIRATSpartacus (Capitol)""March" "School" and title lead
6.	13	JOAN BAEZDiamonds & Rust (A&M)"Sky" "Fountain" "Hello" and title
13	14	IAN HUNTERIan Hunter (Col)"Bitten" "Love" "Excited" "Boy"
10	15	LEON RUSSELLWill O The Wisp (Shelter)""Hideaway" "Lady" and "Island"
-11	16	KINKSSoap Opera (RCA)"Music" "Neon" "Duck" "Star"
22	1	SPIRITSpirit Of '76' (Merc)"Stone" leads, variety of cuts
17	18	BLOOD SWEAT & TEARS. New City (Col)"Life" "Ride" "Shack" lead
14	19	AEROSMITHToys In The Attic (Col)"Emotion" "Crying" "No More"
16	20	10CC
-	2	MINNIE RIPERTON Taste Of Paradise (Epic)"Down" and title lead
9	22	CHICAGO
30	23	ROBERT PALMER Sneakin Sally (Island)""Julia" "Shoes" and title
21	24	PETER FRAMPTON Frampton (A&M) "Show Me" "Nassau"
-	25	AMERICA Hearts (WB) "Daisy Jane" "Sister" lead
15	26	LYNYRD SKYNYRD Nuthin Fancy (MCA) "Special" "Railroad" "Whiskey"
18	27	ELVIN BISHOP Juke Joint Jump (Capricorn) "Feels Good" and title
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	28	MARTIN MULL Days Of Wine & Neurosis (Capric) "Easy" and "Girls"
23	29	JAMES GANG Newborn (Atco) "Merry Go Round" "Hotel" lead
_	30	NICKY HOPKINS No More Changes (Merc) "Trip" "Lady" "Changes"

THE MOVEMENT ON THIS CHART REFLECTS WEEKLY AIRPLAY AND IN NO WAY ATTEMPTS TO FABRICATE A TREND

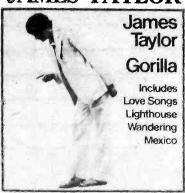
Suggested New Product

BTO



FOUR WHEEL DRIVE (MERC) Their fans & formula are consistent. "Devil," title track and Hey You" (single) lead.

JAMES TAYLOR



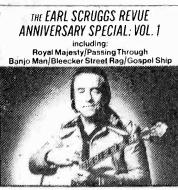
GORILLA (WB) Long-awaited tasty collection. Many good people & selections. "How Sweet" to be single.

KENNY VANCE



KENNY VANCE (ATLANTIC) Huge immediate reaction, many good cuts, "Rainy Day Friend" stands out.

EARL SCRUGGS



VOLUME ONE (COL) Incredible line-up & diversity.

AOR

I am honored to have been named National Coordinator for The National Association of Progressive Radio Announcers. NAPRA is growing daily and we congratulate the twenty-five newly appointed Regional Committee members. They are Robert Williams, KZAP; Doyle, KMET; Bob Cole, KIKI; Linda Thompson, KDKB; Stan Garrett, KZEL; Mark Cooper, KUDL; Jeff Pollack, KMYR; Tony Raven, KLOL; Mike Murphy, KWH-P; Phil Cook, KEXL; Kevin Cowan, WSAC; Art Penhallow, WRIF; Denny Sanders, WMMS; Ron Britten, WDAI; Jim Packard, WIBA; Gary Granger, WSHE; Sonny Fox, WNOE; Jack Crawford, WKDA; Lee Stamp, WABB; Keith Carter, WJDZ: Alison Steele, WNEW; Michael Tearson, WMMR; Gordon Wingarth, WPLR; Steve Downes, WYDD and Pete Larkin, WMAL.

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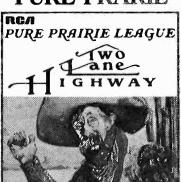
One of the beautiful aspects of Album Oriented Rock Radio is that not only does it support a variety of musical genres and weave them together into one cultural environment, but it is as faithful to its roots as it is anxious to meet its

The quality that makes music, or any art form for that matter, great, or classic, is perpetual modernness. It is historically satisfying to see such acts and artists as Joan Baez, Blood Sweat and Tears, Jeff Beck, Spirít, Hot Tuna, Elvin Bishop, Nicky Hopkins, and The Kinks mixed in the TOP 30 AIRPLAY chart with a Lynyrd Skynyrd, 10 CC, and Triumverat.

Progressive Rock is unusual in as much as you can go back over ten years and find product that sounds as good and as vital as if it were recorded today. The form, in many ways, is rising way above merely being a reflection of commercial Pop Culture.

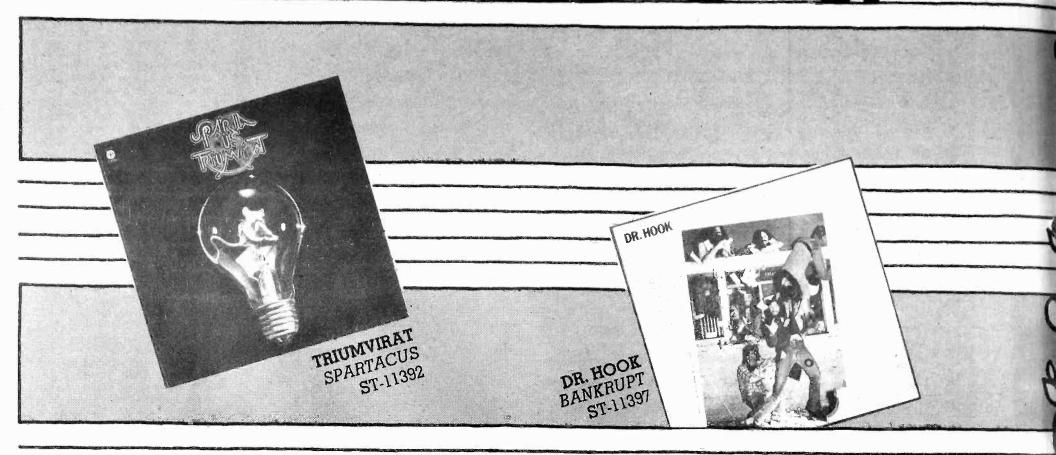
The family trees have roots and branches that have become so entangled as to form a rich history that has run parallel to the era of our lives development.

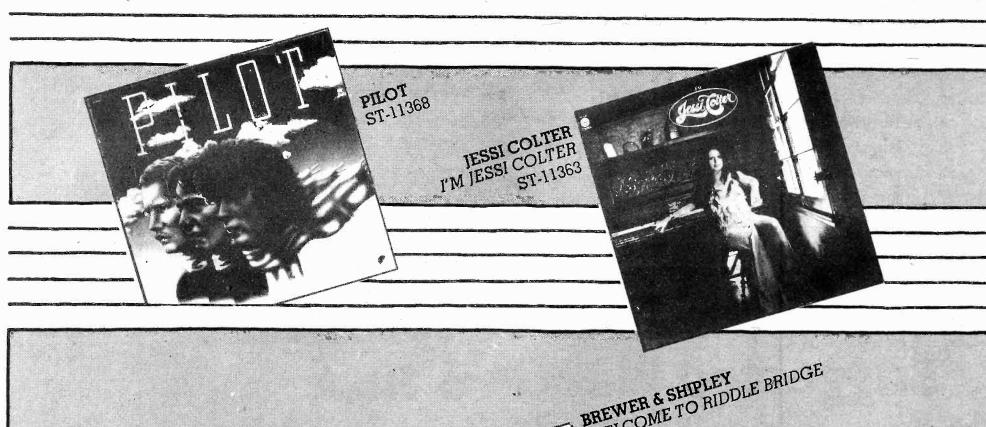
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TWO LANE HIGHWAY (RCA)

Group's success has been long overdue. Try title track.

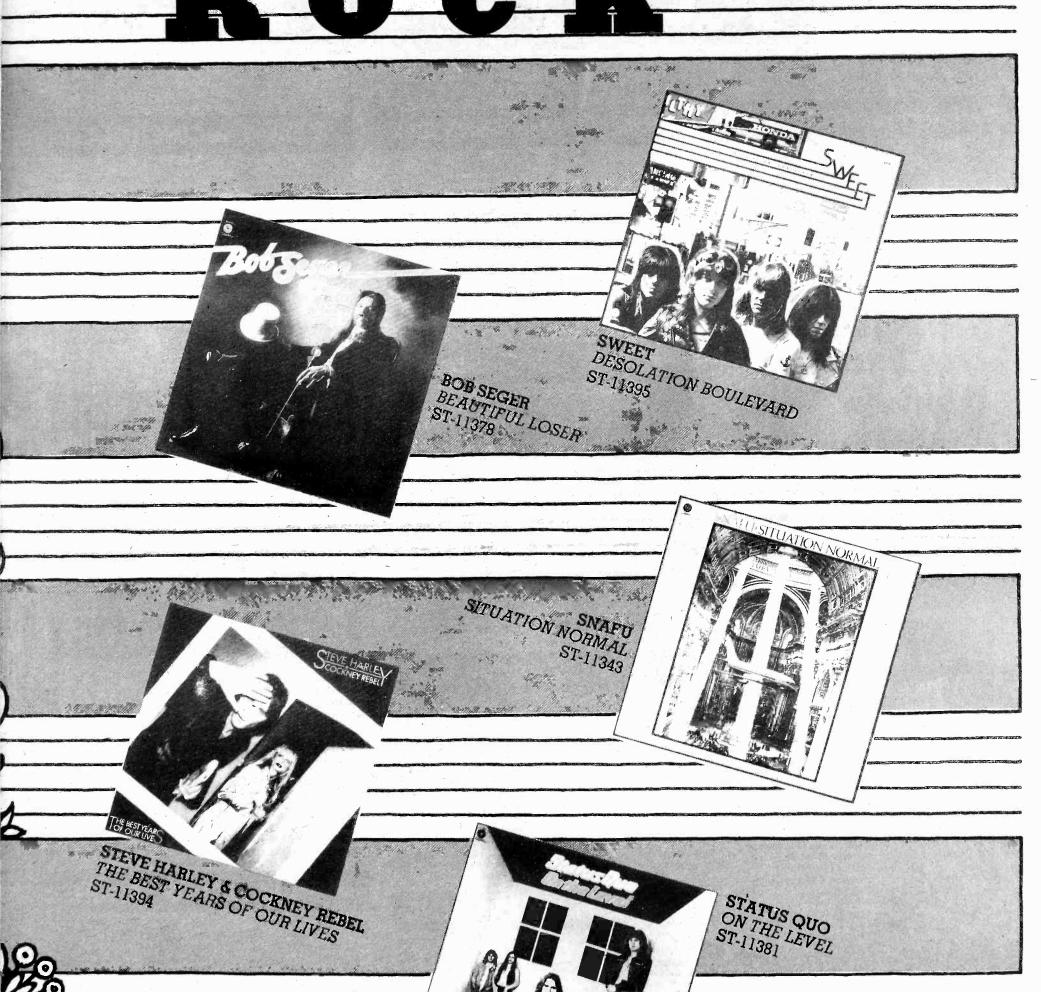




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Spartacus (Capitol)

MINNIE RIPERTON

A Taste of Paradise (Epic)



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The Hottest:

DOOBIE BROTHERS

Stampede (WB)

ZZ TOP

Fandango (London)

BAD COMPANY Straight Shooter (Swan Song)

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STEELY DAN
Katy Lied (ABC)

WHEW FM/HEW YORK

ADDED:
Brewer & Shipley
John Stewart
BTO (Merc)
Elf (MGM)
Koko Taylor (Alligator)
Janis Joplin (Col)
Jessie Colter
James Taylor (WB)

HOT:
John Mark (Col)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Joan Baez (A&M)
Peter Frampton (A&M)
10CC (Merc)
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)
ZZ Top (London)

DENNIS ELSAS, Music Director: Playing entire Lps.

NEXT WEEK IN R&R: An Exclusive Interview With Jerry Garcia

WERC FM/BIRMINGHAM

ADDED: Mike Greene (GRC) BTO (Merc) Alex Harvey (Vertigo) HOT:
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
10CC (Merc)
Hayward & Lodge (Threshold)
Brecker Bros (Arista)
Elvin Bishop (Capricorn)
Chicago (Col)
Tommy (Polydor)
Steely Dan (ABC)
Bad Co (Swan Song)
Leon Russell (Shelter)
Elliot Murphy (RCA)
America (WB)
Seals & Crofts (WB)
ZZ Top (London)
Doobie Bros (WB)

MIKE ST. JOHN, Music Director: Greene's "Love You". BTO's "Artist". Harvey's "Soul". Bishop's "Feels Good". Bad's "Preacher". Leon's "Lady". Murphy's title. America's "Dalsy". S&C's "Rabbit". ZZ's "Tuch". Doobie's "Music Man". Playing 10 CC, Dan Fogelberg, and Dino & Sembello singles.

KZOK FM/SEATTLE

ADDED:
Donald Byrd (Blue Note)
Smokey Robinson (Tamla)
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Ian Hunter (Col)
Manhattan Transfer (Atl)
BTO (Merc)

HOT:
Jeff Beck (Epic)
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
Earth Wind & Fire (Col)
Bad Co (Swan Song)
Hayward & Lodge (Threshold)
Chicago (Col)
Ramsey Lewis (Col)
America (WB)
Carly Şimon (Elektra)
Steely Dan (ABC)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Journey (Col)

NORM GREGORY, Music Director: BTO's "Drive" "Devil" "Artist". Beck's "Jam" "Brain". Bad's "Preacher" "Makin Love". Chicago's "Hideaway" "Old Dáys" "Spirit". Carly's "Love" "Slave" "Waterfall". Dan's "Wu" "Lightning" Doobie's "Music Man" "Hangman" "Dealin". Playing 10 CC, Eddie Kendricks, Dwight Twilley, Grover Washington, Del Shannon, J.D. Blackfoot, Albert Hammond, Linda Ronstadt, Todd Rundgren, Gordon Lightfoot, Kraftwerk, Hollies and AWB singles.

WGRQ FM/BUFFALO

ADDED:
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)
10CC (Merc)
James Gang (Atco)
John Prine (At!)
Black Oak Arkansas (Atl)

HOT: Tommy (Polydor) Earth Wind & Fire (Col) Supertramp (A&M)

Black Oak Arkansas (Atl)
ROGER CHRISTIAN, Music Director: New adds are features of the week. Playing entire Lps. Playing AWB single.

WKDA FM/NASHVILLE

ADDED:
BTO (Merc)
James Taylor (WB)
Elliot Murphy (RCA)
Pure Prairie League (RCA)
John Mark (Col)
Tomita (RCA)
Eloy (Chess)
Black Oak Arkansas (Atco)
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)

HOT:
Jeff Beck (Epic)
ZZ Top (London)
Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA)
Steely Dan (ABC)
Emmylou Harris (Reprise)
Bad Co (Swan Song)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
Carly Simon (Elektra)

JACK CRAWFORD, Program Director: Beck's "Lovers" "Woman" "Dust". ZZ's "Thunderbird" "Rock" "Tush". Lynyrd's "Special" "Whiskey". Dan's "Daddy" "Wu" "Friday". Emmy's "Boulder" "Queen" "Far Gone". Bad's "Lovin" "Star" "Makin Love". Doobie's "Take Me". Zep's "Trampled" "Kashmir" "Boogie". Carly's "Dancing" "More". Playing Hot Chocolate, Atlanta Rhythm Section, and Dan Fogelberg singles.

WBAB-LONG ISLAND

ADDED:
Spirit (Merc)
Deadly Nightshade (Phantom)
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Alex Harvey (Vertigo)
Nicky Hopkins (Merc)
Al Kooper (Col)
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)
James Gang (Atco)
Kenny Vance (Atl)
Blue Goose (Anchor)
Robert Palmer (Island)
John Mark (Col)
Elf (MGM)

HOT: Kinks (RCA) Joan Baez (A&M) ZZ Top (London) Doobie Bros (WB) Carly Simon (Elektra) Muddy Waters (Chess) Ian Hunter (Col) Elliot Murphy (RCA) Kansas (Kirshner) Mick Ronson (RCA) Hot Tuna (Grunt) Ronnie Lane (A&M) 10CC (Merc) Strawbs (A&M) Steely Dan(ABC)

BERNIE BERNARD, Music Director: Spirit's "Feeling". Harvey's "Soul". Hopkin's "Trip". Vance's "Echo". Palmer's "There's You". Doobie's "Hangman". Carly's "Summer" "Dancing". Murphy's "Bittersweet". Kansas' "Song For America". Ronson's "Billy". Lane's "Poacher" "Anniversary". CC's "Not In Love" "Paris". Dan's "Rose". Playing Nektar, Phoebe Snow, Pilot, and Ellis & Chase singles.

WPDQ JACKSONVILLE

ADDED: Triumvirat (Capitol) Free (A&M) BTO (Merc) Pure Prairie League (RCA) HOT:
Emmylou Harris (Reprise)
Carly Simon (Elektra)
Lonnie Liston Smith (Fly Dutch)
Peter Frampton (A&M)
ZZ Top (London)
Henry Gross (A&M)
Omega (Passport)
Tomita (RCA)
David Bowie (RCA)
Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA)
Kinks (RCA)
J.D, Blackfoot (Fantasy)

 $\label{eq:BILL_BARTLETT} \textbf{BILL BARTLETT}, \textbf{Program Director: Playing entire Lps. Playing J.D.} \\ \textbf{Blackfoot, Tom Scott singles}.$

WMMS FM/CLEVELAND

ADDED:
Atlantis (Polydor)
BTO (Merc)
Beau Brummels (WB)
Curtis Mayfield (Curtom)
Pure Prairie League (RCA)
Minnie Riperton (Epic)
James Taylor (WB)
Bobby Womack (UA)
Hawkwind (Atco)

HOT:
Ian Hunter (CoI)
Aerosmith (CoI)
Chicago (CoI)
Bad Co (Swan Song)
Carly Simon (Elektra)
Beach Boys (CapitoI)
Alex Harvey (Vertigo)
Armegeddon (A&M)
Ace (Anchor)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Ambrosia (20th)
Hot Tuna (Grunt)

JOHN GORMAN, Program Director: Entire Atlantis. BTO's title, "Hey You", "Devil" "Time" and "Change". Beau's "Why" "Wolf". Mayfield's "Billy" "In Love" "Monday" "Hard Times". League's title, "Memories" "Kansas City" "Harvest". Entire Riperton and Taylor. Womack's "No. 1" "Something On It" "Get It" "Check It" "All Over". Hawkwind's "Assault" "Opa-loka" and "Seas" (after midnight) Playing AWB, AABB, Bee Gees, Charity Brown, Jim Capaldi, Faces, Garland Jeffries, Augustus Pablo, Todd Rundgren, Lea Roberts, Joe Simon, Del Shannon, Phoebe Snow (B), SHF, Dwight Twilley, 10 CC (B), War, and Valentino singles.

WEBN FM/CINCINNATI

ADDED:
Joan Baez (A&M)
John Mark (Col)
James Taylor (WB)
Tomita (RCA)
Hawkwind (Atco)
Robert Palmer (Island)
Earl Scruggs (Col)
Weather Report (Col)
Jimmie Walker (Buddah)
Minnie Riperton (Epic)
Ian Hunter (Col)
BTO (Merc)
Triumyirat (Capitol)

HOT:
Carly Simon (Elektra)
Ambrosia (20th)
Jeff Beck (Epic)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Peter Frampton (A&M)
Emmylou Harris (Reprise)
Leon Russell (Shelter)
ZZ Top (London)
10CC (Merc)

TOM KENNEDY, Program Director: Baez's title, "Hello". Mark's "Liars" "Bay". Taylor's "Lighthouse" "Wandering" "Fool" "Mexico". Hawkwind's "Assault" "Speed". Palmer's title, "Julia". Scruggs' "Banjo" "Swimming" "Romance". Riperton's "Feelin" "Down To It" and title. Triumvirat's "March" "Sword". Playing SHF single.

WORJ FM/ORLANDO

ADDED:
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Minnie Riperton (Epic)
BTO (Merc)
Martin Mull (Capricorn)
James Taylor (WB)
Ronnie Lane (A&M)
Robert Palmer (Island)
King Crimson (Atl)
James Gang (Atco)

HOT:
Doobie Bros (WB)
Tomita (RCA)
Hayward & Lodge (Threshold)
Hot Tuna (Grunt)
Carly Simon (Elektra)
Monty Python (Arista)
Jeff Beck (Epic)
ZZ Top (London)
Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA)

MIKE LYONS, Music Director: BTO's "Time" "Hey You". Mull's "Nurse" "Dog" lead. Taylor's "Sweet" Ralmer's title, "Julid" and "Fun." Python's "Actor" "Elephantoplasty". Skynyrd's "Special" "Railroad" "Losin". Playing Jim Capaldi, Dwight Twilley, Herbie Mann, 10 CC, Kiki Dee, Lea Roberts, and War singles.

KUDL FM/KANSAS CITY

ADDED: BTO (Merc) Pure Prairie League (RCA) Hot Tuna (Grunt) Diamond Reo (Big Tree) Alex Harvey (Vertigo) Dr Hook (Capitol) Jim Stafford (MGM) HOT:
ce (Anchor)
.merica (WB)
Jeff Beck (Epic)
ZZ Top (London)
Brewer & Shipley (WB)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Peter Frampton (A&M)
Ian Hunter (Col)
Orleans (Asylum)
Jesse Colin Young (WB)
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Rick Wakeman (A&M)

MARK COOPER, Program Director: Ace's "How Long" "Sniffln". America's "Sister" ZZ's "X". Doobie's "Fandango" "Crossroad". Hunter's "Bitten". Wakeman's "Lancelot" "Merlin". Playing Todd Rundgren, Hawkwind, War, SHF singles.

KNAC FM/LONG BEACH

ADDED: Seastones (Round) Beau Brummels (WB) Upp (Epic) James Taylor (WB) Matin Mull (Capricorn) BTO (Merc) Weather Report (Col) David Bromberg (Col) Nicky Hopkins (Merc) Dr. Hook (Capitol) Bobby Bare (RCA) Tom Paxton (Pvt Stck) James Gang (Atco) King Crimson (Atl) Phil Manzanera (Atco) Chris DeBurgh (A&M) Blood Sweat & Tears (Col) Elliot Murphy (RCA) Esperanto (A&M) Joan Armatrading (A&M) Triumvirat (Capitol)

HOT:
Bad Co (Swan Song)
Joan Baez (A&M)
Jeff Beck (Epic)
Blue Oyster Cult (Col)
David Bowie (RCA)
Chicago (Col)
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
lan Hunter (Col)
Linda Ronstadt (Capitol)
ZZ Top (London)
Sassafras (Chrysalis)

RON MCCOY, Program Director: Sassafras (import) "Ohio". Playing entire Lps.

ALBUMS

WQIV FM/NEW YORK

ADDED:
James Taylor (WB)
BTO (Merc)
Nicky Hopkins (Merc)
Ronnie Lane (A&M)
Hawkwind (Atco)
John Cale (Island)
Brewer & Shipley (Capitol)

HOT:
Robert Palmer (Island)
Hot Tuna (Grunt)
Elvin Bishop (Capricorn)
Joan Baez (A&M)
Jim Dawson (RCA)
Leon Russell (Shelter)
Manhattan Transfer (Atl)
Eric Clapton (RSO)
Ruppert Holmes (Epic)
Steely Dan (ABC)
Doobie Bros (WB)

THOMO'HAIR, Program Director: Receiving a little action on Paxton. Playing Ike & Tina Turner single.

KMYR-ALBUQUERQUE

ADDED:
Beau Brummels (WB).
Nicky Hopkins (Merc)
Spirit (Merc)
King Crimson (Atl)
Elliot Murphy (RCA)
James Gang (Atco)

HOT:
Armegeddon (A&M)
Joan Baez (A&M)
Elvin Bishop (Capricorn)
DoobieBros (WB)
John Hammond (Capricorn)
Hot Tuna (Grunt)
Kinks (RCA)
John Prine (Atl)
Monty Python (Arista)
Jeff Beck (Epic)
Bob Dylan (Col)
Leon Russell (Shelter)
Rick Wakeman (A&M)

JEFF POLLACK, Music Director: Armegeddon's "Tightrope" leads. Baez's "Sky" and "Fountain". Bishop's title, and "Feels Good" lead. Entire Doobie. Hammond's "Statesboro". Tuna's "Sleep" "Divide". Kinks' "Neon" "Music" "Duck". Prine's "Middleman" "Rain" and title. Python's "Novel" leads. Entire Beck. Dylan's "Lily". Entire Leon. Wakeman's "Merlin" "Lance".

WAAF FM/WORCESTER

ADDED:
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)
ZZ Top (London)
Free (A&M)
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Jimmie Walker (Buddah)
BTO (Merc)
John Mark (Col)
Spirit (Merc)
Karen Beth (Buddah)

HOT: 10CC (Merc) Ambrosia (20th) Danny O'Keefe (Atl) Aerosmith (Col) Seals & Crofts (WB) Janis Ian (Col) Eric Anderson (Arista) Leon Russell (Shelter) Bad Co (Swan Song) Carly Simon (Elektra) Hayward & Lodge (Threshold) Jimi Hendrix (Reprise) Steely Dan (ABC) Evie Sands (Haven) Mike Greene (GRC) Jeff Beck (Epic)

JOE CAPOBIANCO, Music Director: Triumvirat's "Capitol" "Liberty". Mark's "Hill". CC's "Not In Love" "Minestrone." O'Keet's "Good Day" "Quits". Aerosmith's "Crying" "Emotion". S&C's "Rabbitt" "Fire". Leon's "Hideaway". Bad's "Anna" "Makin Love". Steely Dan. Sand's "Love" "My Mind". Playing Alice Cooper, Kiki Dee, Beach Boys singles.

WZMF-FM/MILWAUKEE

ADDED:
Doobie Bros (WB)
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)
Brecker Bros (Arista)
Minnie Riperton (Epic)
James Taylor (WB)
BTO (Merc)

HOT:
Tommy (Polydor)
Supertramp (A&M)
ZZ Top (London)
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
Jeff Beck (Epic)
Ian Hunter (Col)

JOHN HOUGHTON, Program Director: Doobie's "Fandango" "Dealing" "Rainy Day". B\$&T's "I Rm. Country" "Life". Brecker's "Skunk" "Speakin" "Sponge". Tommy's "Wizard" "Acid" "Preacher". Supertramp's "School" "Dreamer" "Right" lead. ZZ's "Ballamese" "X" "Tush". Hunter's "Bitten" "Excited" "Love" and "Boy".

WCOL FM/COLUMBUS

ADDED: Blood Sweat & Tears (Col) Minnie Riperton (Epic) BTO (Merc) Seeger/Guthrie (Reprise) HOT:
Supertramp (A&M)
Grover Washington (Kudu)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Carly Simon (Elektra)
Hayward & Lodge (Threshold)
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)

BOB GOODING, Program Director: BS&T's "Ride" "No Show" "Shack" "Applause" and "Man". Riperton's "Down" "Love" "Simple Things" "Love I Have". BTO's "Time" "Why You" "Broke" and title. S&G's "Go" "Valley" "Gambler". Playing Jim Capaldi, and Bee Gees singles.

KMET FM/LOS ANGELES

ADDED:
King Crimson (Atl)
James Taylor (WB)
BTO (Merc)
Spirit (Merc)
James Gang (Atco)
Black Oak Arkansas (Atco)
Donald Byrd (Blue Note)
Dr. Hook (Capitol)
Sweet (Capitol)
New Birth (Buddah)

HOT:
ZZ Top (London)
Ambrosia (20th)
Leon Russell (Shelter)
Carly Simon (Elektra)
O'Jays (PI)
Ace (Anchor)
Bad Co (Swan Song)
Chicago (Col)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Led Zeppelin (SwanSong)
Steely Dan (ABC)
Queen (Elektra)

JOE COLLINS, Music Director: BTO getting immediate reaction.
Playing Ike & Tina Turner, and Dwight Twilley singles.

WLIR FM/LONG ISLAND

ADDED: James Taylor (WB) BTO (Merc) Pilot (EMI) 2nd Flight Nicky Hopkins (Merc) Elf (MGM) Minnie Riperton (Epic) Brewer & Shipley (Col) HOT:
Bonaroo (WB)
Hot Tuna (Grunt)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Steely Dan(ABC)
Leon Russell (Shelter)
Phil Manzanera (Atl)
George Duke (BASE)
Orleans (Asylum)
Richard Torrance (Shelter)
Snafu (Capitol)
Lon & Derrek (A&M)

GIL COLQUITTE, Music Director: Playing SHF single. Seals & Crofts were excellent in concert with terrific response. Tower Of Power next.

WCMF FM/ROCHESTER

ADDED:
Hawkwind (Atco)
David Sancious (Col)
Weather Report (Col)
James Taylor (WB)
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Matin Mull (Capricorn)
Elf (MGM)

Phil Manzanera (Atco) Kinks (RCA) Doobie Bros (WB) Robert Palmer (Island) Brecker Bros (Arista) Mike Greene (GRC) Aerosmith (Col) Ian Hunter (Col) Steely Dan (ABC) Bad Co (Swan Song) ZZ Top (London) Hot Tuna (Grunt) Monty Python (Arista) Ambrosia (20th) Lovecraft (Merc) Flash Fearless (Chrysalis)

BERNIE KIMBLE, Program Director: Playing entire Lps. Playing Bee Gees, and Ted Neely singles.

WWWW FM/DETROIT

ADDED: BTO (Merc) Spirit (Merc) Sweet (Capitol) Dr. Feelgood (UA) HOT:
Aerosmith (Col)
Bad Co (Swan Song)
David Bowie (RCA)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Peter Frampton (A&M)
Ian Hunter (Col)
Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA)
10CC (Merc)
ZZ Top (London)

PAUL CHRISTY, Program Director: BTO's title, "Devil" "Hey You" "Broke" and "Blues". Spirit's "Dog" "Joker" "Stone" and "Victim". Sweet's "Blitz" "Six-teens" "No" "AC-DC". Aerosmith's "Emotion" "No More". Bowie's "Fame". Doobie's "Maxine" "Fandango" "Take Me". Frampton's "Dáwning" "Show Me". Hunter's "Bitten" "Who Do In Love". ZZ's "X" "Tush".

WIIN AM/ATLANTA

ADDED:
BTO (Merc)
Robert Palmer (Island)
Ruppert Holmes (Epic)
Hustler (A&M)
Cockney Rebel (EMI)
Snafu (Capitol)
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)
Hawkwind (Atco)
Kids (Atco)
Phil Manzanera (Atco)

James Gang (Atco)

King Crimson (Atl)

HOT: Led Zeppelin (Swan Song) Jimi Hendrix (Reprise) Doobie Bros (WB) Bad Co (Swan Song) Tommy (Polydor) Carly Simon (Elektra) ZZ Top (London)

Black Oak Arkansas (Atco)
SEBASTIAN, Music Director: Playing entire Lps. Playing String
Driven Thing, Garrett Scott, and Nils Lofgren singles.

WBCN-FM/BOSTON

ADDED:
Cockney Rebel (Capitol)
Jessi Colter (Capitol)
Deadly, Nightshade (Phantom)
Ronnie Lane (A&M)
Suzi Quatro (Arista)
Wayne Shorter (Col)
Smokey Robinson (Tamla)
James Taylor (WB)
ZZ Top (London)

HOT:
Aerosmith (Col)
David Bowie (RCA)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Kinks (RCA)
Martin Mull (Capricorn)
O'Jays (PI)
Danny O'Keefe (Atl)
Orleans (Asylum)
Tom Scott (Ode)
Steely Dan (ABC)

BOB SLAVIN, Music Director: Taylor's "Angry Blues" "Gorilla". Doobie's "Dealing". Entire Kinks. Mull's "Easy" and "Girls". Playing David Misch, SHF, and K.C. & Sunshine singles.

WXRT FM CHICAGO

ADDED:
Dr Hook (Capitol)
Martin-Mull (Capricorn)
James Taylor (WB)
Minnie Riperton (Epic)
David Sancious (Epic)
Triumvirat (Capitol)

HUT:
10CC (Merc)
Steely Dan (ABC)
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
Old & In The Way(Round)
Tomita (RCA)
Janis Ian (Col)
Jeff Beck (Epic)
Judy Collins (Elektra)
Kraftwerk (Vertigo)
Robin Trower (Chrysalis)
Jimi Hendrix (Reprise)
John Prine (Atl)
Bad Co (Swan Song)

JOHN PLATT: Hook's "Levitate" "Makin It Big" and "Cooky". Taylor's "Mexico" "Lighthouse" "Sweet". Riperton's title, "Love" "Lament".

WMMR PHILADELPHIA

ADDED:
James Taylor (WB)
Minnie Riperton (Epic)
Pure Prairie League (RCA)
Martin Mull (Capricorn)
Brewer & Shipley (Capitol)
Weather Report (Col)
David Sancious (Epic)
Elf (MGM)
Nicky Hopkins (Merc)

HOT:
lan.Hunter (Col)
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Joan Baez (A&M)
Doobie Bros (WB)
Robert Palmer (Island)
Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)
Alex Harvey (Vertigo)
Monty Python (Arista)
ZZ Top (London)
Spirit (Merc)

T. MORGAN, Program Director: Hunter's "Bitten". Triumvirat's "School". Baez's title. Palmer's title. BS&T's "Ride". Harvey's "Snake

KWST FM/LOS ANGELES

ADDED:
Jess Roden (Island)
Kenny Vance (Atl)
Jamess Gang (Atl)
Eric Mercury (Merc)
Triumvirat (Capitol)
Minnie Riperton (Epic)
Phil Manzanera (Atl)
James Taylor (WB)

HOT: 10CC (Merc) Supertramp (A&M) Ruppert Holmes (Epic) Spirit (Merc) Steely Dan (ABC) Leon Russell (Shelter) String Driven Thing (20th) Bad Co (Swan Song) David Bowie (RCA) Ian Hunter (Col) Kinks (RCA) John Mark (Col) Sailor (Epic) Led Zeppelin (Swan Song) George Duke (BASF) Journey (Col)

DAVID PERRY, Music Director: Playing entire Lps. Playing John Li Vigni single.

KPRI FM/SAN DIEGO

ADDED: Kansas ((Kirshner) James Taylor (WB) BTO (Merc) HOT:
Kiss (Casablanca)
Chicago (Col)
Bad Co (Swan Song)
Steely Dan (ABC)
Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
Rick Wakeman (A&M)
Carly Simon (Elektra)
ZZ Top (London)
Doobie Bros (WB)
America (WB)

ADRIAN BOULT, Music Director: Kansas' "Road". Taylor's "Sweet'. Entire BTO. Kiss getting strong requests. Wakeman's "Merlin". ZZ's "X" "Tush". Doobie's "Maxine" "Fandango" "Dealin" "Take Me". Playing Dwight Twilley, 10 CC, and Charlie Daniels singles.

KSHE FM/ST. LOUIS

ADDED: BTO (Merc) Freddie King (Shelter) Hawkwind (Atco) Pure Prairie League (RCA) Mike Greene (GRC) Triumvirat (Capitol) King Crimson (Atl) Jess Roden (Island) Spirit (Merc)

HOT: Blood Sweat & Tears (Col) Ian Hunter (Col) Hot Tuna (Grunt) Rusty Weir (20th) John Prine (Ati) Aerosmith (Col) String Driven Thing (20th) Michael Quatro (UA) Peter Frampton (A&M) 10CC (Merc) Journey (Col) Jeff Beck (Epic) Bad Co (Swan Song)

SHELLY GRAFFMAN, General Manager: Playing entire Lps. Playing Atlantis, SHF, Hustler, Tom Scott, Johnny Winters, and Rick Derringer

WABX FM/DETROIT

ADDED: String Driven Thing (20th) Martin Mull (Capricorn) Pure Prairie League (RCA) Minnie Riperton (Epic) Triumvirat (Capitol) Phil Manzanera (Atl) BTO (Merc) James Taylor (WB) Upp (Epic) Michael Urbanick (Col) Earl Scruggs (Col) Wether Report (Col) Rupert Holmes (Epic)

Beach Boys (Capitol) Hot Tuna (Grunt) Aerosmith (Col) Peter Frampton (A&M) King Crimson (Atl) **Bob Seger (Capitol)** George Duke (BASF) Ian Hunter (Col) Mahhattan Transfer (Atl) Flash Fearless (Chrysalis)

Curtis Mayfield JIM SOTET, Playing entire Lps. Playing Parliaments, and Dwight Twilley singles.

WPLJ-FM/NEW YORK

ADDED: Hot Tuna (Grunt) BTO (Merc) James Taylor (WB) HOT: Tommy (Polydor) Chicago (Col) Led Zeppelin (Swan Song) Earth Wind & Fire (Col) Bad Co (Swan Song) Jeff Beck (Epic) Harold Melvin Carly Simon (Elektra) Judy Collins (Elektra)

LARRY BERGER, Program Director: Tuna's "Sleep" "No. 7". BTO's "Hey" "Blues" Taylor's "Mexico", Tommy's "Wizard" "Listening" "See Me" "Free" "Eyesight" and "Sensation", Beck's "Jam" "Theionious" "What I Mean". EWF's "Happy Feeling". Melvin's "Bad Luck" "Place". Playing AWB, and Joe Simon single.

KOME FM/SAN JOSE

DANA JANG, Music Director: Taylor's "Mexico" "Angry Blues"

'Music' "Fool". Riperton's title. BTO's title. Beau, B&S, Duke, Hawk-

wind, Lovecraft, and Mull in PM only. Playing Phoebe Snow, and

America (WB)

Bad Co (Swan Song)

Elvin Bishop (Capricorn)

Earth Wind & Fire (Col)

Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA)

Carly Simon (Elektra)

Leon Russell (Shelter)

Joan Baez (A&M)

Doobie Bros (WB)

Steely Dan (ABC)

Jeff Beck (Epic)

Chicago (Col)

KLOL FM/HOUSTON

ADDED: David Bromberg (Col) James Taylor (WB) Weather Report (Col) Joan Armatrading (A&M) Ronnie Lane (A&M) Ray Charles David Sancious (Epic) Triumvirat (Capitol) Nicky Hopkins (Merc) Lovecraft (Merc) BTO (Merc) Spirit (Merc) Blood Sweat & Tears (Col)

Bad Co (Swan Song) David Bowie (RCA) Led Zeppelin (Swan Song) Leon Russell (Shelter) Jesse Colin Young (WB) ZZ Top (London) Hayward & Lodge (Threshold) Epic Clapton (RSO) Joan Baez (A&M)

JIM HILTY, Music Director: Bromberg's "World" "Sleep" "Hollow", Taylor's "Sweet". Report's "Shirt" "Fire". Armatrading's "Land" "Blue" "Touch". Lane's "Poacher" "Stone". Charles' "City" "Sunshine" "God" "Green". Sancious' "Image" "Time". Triumvirat's "School" "March" and title. Hopkin's "Lady" "Changes" "Trip". Lovecraft's "Love You" "Smile". BTO's title, "Devil" "Hey You" "Fling". Spirit's "Joe" "Stone" "Lady". BS&T's "Ride" "Life" and

WKTK FM/BALTIMORE

ADDED: BTO (Merc) Blood Sweat & Tears (Col) Triumvirat (Capitol) Wayne Shorter (Col) Nicky Hopkins (Merc) Soft Machine (Harvest) King Crimson (Atco) Kinks (RCA) James Gang (Atco) Ronnie Lane (A&M)

Hot Tuna (Grunt) Robert Palmer (Island) Jeff Beck (Epic) Spirit (Merc) Aerosmith (Col)

JOHN REEVES, Program Director: Crimson's "Schizoid Man".

HOT:

Playing War single.

WESTCHESTER

ADDED: Pink Floyd (EMI) Catfish Hodge (20th) King Crimson (Atl) Phil Manzanera (Atco) Kids (Atco) Atlantis (Polydor) Hawkwind (Atco) Elf (MGM) Triumvirat (Capitol) John Mark (Col) James Gang (Atco) Black Oak Arkansas (Atco)

HOT: Blood Sweat & Tears (Col) Kinks (RCA) Hot Tuna (Grunt) Blue Goose (Anchor) Ronnie Lane (A&M) Robert Palmer (Island) Aerosmith (Col) Snafu (Capitol) Robert Hunger (Round) Valdy (Haida) Rabbitt (Island) Elvin Bishop (Capricorn)

MAJOR TOM, Music Director: Phil Manzanera and King Crimson getting good immediate reaction. Will be having Dana Gillespie in live concert. Had Jim Dawson, Buzzy Linhart, and Taj Mahal.

Dwight Twilley singles. KBPI FM/DENVER

ADDED: James Taylor (WB)

BTO (Merc)

Minnie Riperton (Epic)

Beau Brummels (WB)

George Duke (BASF)

Martin Mull (Capricorn)

Hawkwind (Atco)

Lovecraft (Merc)

Brewer & Shipley (Capitol)

ADDED: David Bromberg (Col) Earl Scruggs (Col) BTO (Merc) Kinks (RCA) Spirit (Merc) Brewer & Shipley (Capitol) Minnie Riperton (Epic) James Taylor (WB) Beau Brummels (WB)

HOT: Doobie Bros (WB) ZZ Top (London) Michael Murphey (Epic) Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA) America (WB) Carly Simon (Elektra) Eric Clapton (RSO) Led Zeppelin (Swan Song) Bad Co (Swan Song) Joan Baez (A&M) Steely Dan (ABC) Hot Tuna (Grunt) Pure Prairie League (RCA) Jeff Beck (Epic) Elvin Bishop (Capricorn)

WHCH FM/HARTFORD

ADDED: Minnie Riperton (Epic) Ruppert Holmes (Epic) Triumvirat (Capitol) James Taylor (WB) Beau Brummels (WB) John Cale (Island) David Snacious (Epic) Linda Ronstadt (Capitol) Ponys Curtis Mavfield (Curtom) Czelsaw Niemen (CBS) Ronnie Lane (A&M) Brewer & Shipley (Capitol)

HOT: Peter Frampton (A&M) Nils Lofgren (A&M) Jess Roden (Island) Ambrosia (20th) Bad Co (Swan Song) Spirit (Merc) Kenny Vance (Atl) Elvin Bishop (Capricorn) George Duke (BASF) Carly Simon (Elektra) Aerosmith (Col)

PAUL PAYTON, Music Director: Riperton's "Baby" "Down". Holmes' "Hand" and "Rifles". Triumvirat's "School". Beau's "Why"
"Cowboy" "Gate". Cale's "Hotel" "Jeweler" "Loving Kind" and
"Wilson". Mayfield's side 2. Lane's "Anniversary" and "Tin" lead.
B&S's "Success" "Satisfled" "Hostage." Roden's "Broadway"
"Change". Entire Ambrosia, "Nice" "Aware" "Yesterday" lead.
Bad's "Call" "Star" "Good Lovin". Spirit's "America" "Stone"
"Banger". Entire Carly Aerosmith's "Record" "Emotion". Playing "Banner". Entire Carly. Aerosmith's "Record" "Emotion". Playing Phoebe Snow (B), and 10 CC singles.

Correspondents' Corner



JEFF POLLACK MUSIC DIRECTOR KMYR-FM Prior to his coming to KMYR-FM, Albuquerque, Jeff Pollack was the music director of KCFR, and an air personality at KFML, both in Denver.

He has travelled extensively in Europe, compiling interviews with many of the biggest names in the music business today. As quoted in the Rocky Mountain News, "Jeff is regarded as one of the foremost authorities on British Pop Music in the area."

Besides his duties as Music Director, Jeff is also on the air at KMYR-FM from 2-6 PM.

KDKB FM/PHOENIX

ADDED: Beau Brummels (WB) James Taylor (WB)
Martin Mull (Capricorn) Minnie Riperton (Epic) David Bromberg (Col) BTO (Merc) Lovecraft (Merc) Nicky Hopkins (Merc) Triumvirat (Capitol) Weather Report (Col) Sailor (Epic) James & Bob Purify (Casablanca)

Spirit (Merc) Doobie Bros (WB) Armegeddon (A&M) Joan Baez (A&M) Elliot Murphy (RCA) John Mark (Col) John Stewart (RCA) Kinks (RCA) ZZ Top (London) Jeff Beck (Epic) Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA)

LINDA THOMPSON, Music Director: Playing entire Lps.

WQDR-FM/RALFIGH

ADDED: James Taylor (WB) Manhattan Transfer (Atl) Kinks (RCA) Journey (Col) Spirot (Merc) Aerosmith (Col) Elton John (MCA)

Doobie Bros (WB) Pure Prairie League (RCA) Bustin Carly Simon (Elektra) Bad Co (Swan Song) America (WB) Judy Collins (Elektra) Chicago (Col) Steely Dan (ABC) 10CC (Merc) Jesse Colin Young (WB) Janis Ian (Col) Joan Baez (A&M)

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BILL HARD, Program Director: Playing entire Lps. Playing Linda Ronstadt, Seals & Crofts, Alice Cooper, Supertramp, and Gordon

Progressive Singles:

ATLANTA RHYTHM SECTION "Get Your Head Out Of Your Heart" (Polydor) JOHNNY WINTER "Golden Olden Days Of Rock & Roll" (Col) SOUTHER HILLMAN FUREY "Mexico" (Asylum)

Editor's note: The Elton John album received unprecedented heavy airplay on almost 100 percent of our reporters, immediately after stations reports went to press. Individual station reports will be printed next week.

"I'm very seriously considering getting out of radio..."

-Continued from last week-

R&R: The message itself-parallels ... I was in country music radio for 7 years and I've always been a lover of R&B music, as you are. And I found that R&B and country music parallel so much because it's truth, it's honesty. Dean, your personalities, your jocks, how closely do you work with them?

TYLER: We work closely, some more closely than others, cause some can sort of do their thing a little more independently, but I work pretty closely with all of them. In different ways with each one, cause each guy's an individual personality, and that's part of what we're all about, everybody had to do their own thing, they have a basic format, a basic concept, but they have to be themselves as much as possible because that's what the whole idea of our personalities is to relate to the audience, to be believable, warm, and therefore if they are trying to project my personality it's not going to work, because I have none.

R&R: Do you allow them to be unique unto themselves?

TYLER: They have to do their own thing, even to the degree in the music. They have basic outlines they have to follow, certain records, or certain categories they have to play from, but except for some basics, they can choose from within that category as they see fit, depending on what they played before it, and then what they're going to play after it, but I think that music is an extension of the individual's personality.

R&R: So you also allow them musical latitude.

TYLER: There is a certain amount of freedom, as long as it conforms with the image of the station, and at the same time allows them to retain their image. One guy may be slightly more contemporary than another guy, but then they were put in the time slots they're in because of that relationship to a slightly more or less contemporary style, like the guy that's on 8midnight, his whole attitude is more contemporary than the guy who is on 10-3 p.m. for example, or 10-1 p.m. in this case, because 10-1 we're appealing to housewives, in the evenings we're trying to appear a little blt more contemporary. Let's face it, many of the people who are listening 10-larewatching TV after 7 or 8 at night, and we know that, so there wouldn't be any point in trying to get them. The odds are that you're not going to unless you're giving away thousands of dollars, and we don't do that. We have agood team, and they are super guys, and probably the best crew that I've ever worked with, they're not all perfect, but then I'm not either, so it works

R&R: What if one of your guys comes to you with a record and says, "Dean I've just got to play that damn record!" And you don't like

TYLER: That has not really ever happened. I've had guys come to me and say, "hey what do you think of this or that," and they may have a reason why they asked, and I evaluate their reason for thinking it should be played, and it may In-



DEAN TYLER THE R&R INTERVIEW by Mike Kasabo

fluence me to some degree, but not to any great degree, because I try to look at the, to use a trite term, big picture. If the 8-midnight man is getting requests for a certain record, and I mean a lot of requests, then it shows that there is a certain segment of his audience out there that is listening for that record, and if I don't feel that it's totally adverse to what we're doing sound-wise, then we may consider it.

I know also that there are a lot of people, particularly the young people who will call up every station in the city and half of them, they probably never listen to, they get of a phone book play this, because they're a member of the fan club. So that's why I say, if I think the record doesn't belong, I don't care how many calls we get for it, we won't play it. But if there is record that I'm on the fence about, and if we're getting some requests for it, then that's another story. But, generally speaking, 25 to 49 callers, except for the cults, are women who are really into an Engelbert or something.

At this point he's the type of artist that we play almost tokenly, unless he's got something super strong. I

can't pay too much attention to request action, but it's a factor, it's kind of hard to put in words because you know what triggers me to do a certain thing at a certain time is a little difficult to explain, it's just a feeling, a hunch that I have, and I do it. I've never had a guy come to me and say, "God I've got to play this record!" That's not to say they're not into music, most of them are. Some of them are basically personalities. One thing that I do insist, is that they try to at least get into the music and be aware of the music, and they are. I'veheard a lot of other personality formats where what they do is "That was" and "This is" and that doesn't wash with me.

R&R: Do you want your guys to become a part of that music?

TYLER: Yes, it has to be a part of them, and they have to be a part of th music. Just like they have to relate to the guys in the newsroom and vice versa.

R&R: Dean, do you find yourself doing anything differently during an ARB?

TYLER: No, not a tremendous amount. I find with the kind of radio we do, record sales for example,

speaking from a music standpoint, cannot be the total reason we do or don't play a record. It certainly is a factor. It will depend on the sale of an album, to a great degree. Let's just take a guy off the wall. Gordon Lightfoot has a single out that I think really belongs on our radio station and doesn't seem to be selling significant single sales, but the album is doing well, then I figure that those sales are in support of my decision to play that record.

What I'm saying is not every record I play do I feel is a hit, although that's my first consideration. Do I think it's going to be a hit? Do I think it's going to have mass appeal? Fortunately, or unfortunately, I get the word that an awful lot of stations and people do follow what WIP does. So, therefore, I can't always lay back and say well let's see what everybody else does. As far as an ARB is concerned, I don't say well we're not gonna add any new records, or we're only gonna add one this week, because I don't want too many unfamiliar sounds, because I think with our kind of radio, as important as it is to play hits, and that's valid, it's also important that we do not get too

repetitive, cause I don't think the adult can stand the repetition of too many songs too many times. There are certain records that they can handle just as the younger person handles a smash, over and over, they can't get enough of it, for X number of weeks or months, that's true, but I worry a great deal about repetition on our kind of radio.

R&R: When do you start thinking about pulling a record? Is it based on dropping from the charts, or your personal feeling?

TYLER: It's a combination of both, and we have sort of a limited play and we have increased play and then we have a maximum play and sometimes a record will go from limited play to maximum play and never get into the increased play category. Or it might start in increased play, if you want to use that as a category, rather than limited play, and then a record may go to maximum play and it may be there a week or two, and it may cut down to a lesser degree play and then back up again, based on what I think is the right balance of that particular week for the station.

As far as how long a record is on there's the old axiom, when in doubt leave it out, if Ihave a strong question about a new record, I won't play it. By the same token, if I don't have a certain number of records that I feel are super strong for us, I will tend to leave maybe a maximum play hit record on a week or two longer when I can't replace it, rather than worry about ... my God, we're down a couple of records on our maximum play, and that means the repetition is greater.

And then, too, it depends on the record. There are some records that can last three, four, five weeks maybe with maximum play and for our audience they will accept them, because it's their kind of a record. There are other records that may be bigger records, but that I feel that I have to get off of a little bit sooner. Or cut back on a little bit sconer. There isn't really any set length of time but I would say for a record that is a smash and is totally accepted by our audience, let's say a Carpenters, if I have to use an example, let's use them. I would say that you can easily live with them for three and a half months.

If it's necessary, and again it depends on the specific record. A number of the things that they have done have almost been standards when they released them, because they were familiar material, their own interpretation of. And this is the thing I look for, if I hear a record that is already a standard, a re-do of a great oldie, it doesn't have to be a rocker oldie, it may be an old oldie, but something that our audience can relate to, that is immediately familiar. I base an awful lot of what we do on the familiarity, how easily is it relatable to our audience. Let's face it, the adult, musically, is not as sophisticated in many cases as a kid is, and is therefore discriminating. They buy records, they listen to records, they relate to records based on the artist involved. If I feel that our audience can tap their toe to it, can hum along with it, can near song that sounds familiar to them after one or two listens, then they could be a very important record for

If it happens to be a hit besides, wow, that's fantastic. And of course the artist. Now I find that the Carpenters are very very strong for us, Jim Croce when he was releasing things was a super heavy for us. A Tony Orlando record that is not a blockbuster immediately for a rock station, becomes immediately important for us, because our

audience is so into that artist. Conversely, they have their own little cult things, just like the rock stations do. There are certain records by certain artists that a rock station will go on almost immediately if they are not waiting for the rest of the world to break it for them. Because it is that artist, or same thing for an R&B station, for us there is that little cult too. Carpenters is almost an automatic and Tony Orlando is also an automatic. It may be that if Tony Orlando was to come out with a new bomb, I might not play it really heavy, but the odds are that I'm going to play it some, because they expect it, the audience wants to make their own decision, and I like to think that they're intelligent enough to make that decision. I may think it's garbage, but what the heck do I know compared to the vast audience out there.

R&R: Well they're the bottom line.

TYLER: But if I feel that it's a risk record, by anybody, then I'll just keep down the play so that I figure that I'm giving us the edge in odds.

R&R: In the area of contests, do you get involved in that very much? TYLER: Oh yeah, we do a lot of contests. We were I guess the originator of the cash call.

R&R: Oh really.

TYLER: Yeah. Cash call has been on WIP for over 10 years.

R&R: Are you aware of the recent FCC ruling on that?

TYLER: Yes. We cover that. It takes some of the plus out of it, but we don't have any problems with it. R&R: How do you cover it, specifically?

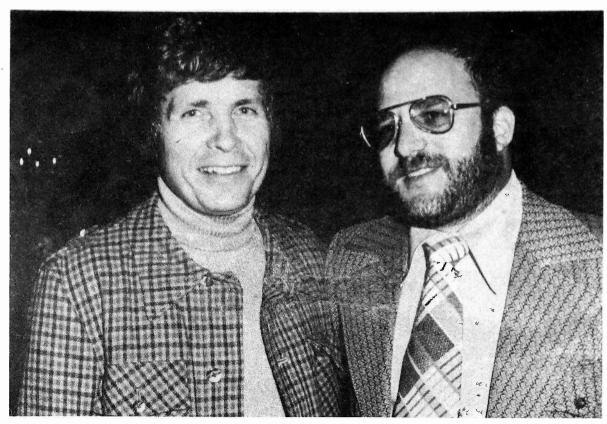
TYLER: First of all, no call goes on the air unless the people know that they're being called and what they're being called for.

R&R: You simply handle that by informing them when you call?

TYLER: Yeah, none of the calls are live, it's all done on tape. So before they're put on the air they're informed fully what's gonna happen. Sure that takes some of the spontaneity out of it, there's no question, but it does cover us legally. We've done some formal and informal research and found that according to these studies, which would include the ERA study that we had done by Willis Duff and Sebastian Stone and Dr. Turicchi, that "cash call" and "don't say hello," if they're done right, are the two most successful kinds of contests that you can run. Now there are spin-offs of that, of course, but my theory has always been in a promotion, that you can't run it more than a couple of weeks, without it beginning to wear. Cash call is the exception to that.

R&R: No one gets tired of cash. TYLER: That's right. And secondly, if you do it right, it doesn't take much time on the air, it's a constantly changing thing. Every call is a little bit different, and until you've actually completed the call, everybody has a chance to win, everybody! Cause you don't have to have a card in, or you have to do this, or you have to qualify. Hey if you're in the phone book you're eligible. It's kind of a thing, I suppose if you ask me privately what ! thought of cash call, I might have stopped it, in fact I did consider it very strongly a few years back, but it's kind of a competitive thing

I'm amused by the fact that one way or another a new station comes in or a new format and they all try to do it. Whether it be "hi-lo" which is really nothing more than a spin-off of cash call, or whatever they all do it, in some form or another. So it's sort of like traffic reports, I don't know if traffic reports are worth a damn, but they're competitive. As long as competition is doing it, you do it to remain competitive. Anybody that drives the same route to and from work every day knows what the traffic problems are. And if something extreme happens, you cover it as part of your news, cause



Tyler with Bruce Greenburg of Pye Records

then it's vital, But the fact is that there are people who listen to your radio station cause you do traffic reports, and every day they're gonna hearthat the Expressway is jammed up westbound, at 4:30 in the afternoon. It's been that way since the Expressway was built. But they want to hear the guy in the helicopter say that.

R&R: To confirm what they already know.

TYLER: Exactly, and if other people are doing it, you do it to be competitive. We found that cash call is a thing that makes sense for us to continue. It's easy to do, it's been established here for a long time, and it's amazing how many people do relate to the cash call station. And hey, any plus I get besides the call letters and the frequency has got to be a plus. There are very few people in this area that don't know WIP is the cash call station if they've lived here over a month. It would be foolish for us to drop it. But that is an on-going thing, sometimes we run it very little, once or twice a day up to maybe every hour. We fluctuate that, but we do a lot of other promotions.

We have a couple of standard things, we have a thing that we do each year in conjunction with the Philadlephia Eagles, which has been unbelievably successful. It's amazing how many people, including clients will say to us when we get into the fall of the year, "hey are you gonna do a Pigskin Payoff again this year?" And there's just so much good reaction to it that we've been unable to drop it. We've done it for 4 years now. There's a Think Mink thing which has been run by a lot of stations, that we've gotten into each year. Again, because there's so many requests for it.

R&R: You're viewing your contests then much like proving a hit record, if it works for you, you will continue to utilize them instead of continually trying to come up with something new.

TYLER: And I must say from an me. I say hey I want to do this thing, and I think it's a great idea and it's gonna work, and I will get, not interference, I can still do what I want, but people will say to me from management and sales departments and listeners and the air staff, hey I'm getting a lot of calls, are we gonna do this or that. Like right now we're into a thing, there's a Devon Horse Show here which is the largest horse show in the world. It relates ... it's done on the main line, which anybody that's ever heard of Philadelphia relates to. But it attracts all kind of groups, ethnic groups, demographic groups,

anyway you want to break it down, it is the biggest horse show in the world, it attracts all kinds of people, it's like a carnival atmosphere, it's also got great equestrian performances and so forth.

For years one of the TV stations here, was involved with it, and had their "blankety blank" TV day. Last year they asked if we would have WIP Day, and we did and they grossed the most money they ever made. A month and a half ago, I was getting calls from listeners saying, are you gonna have the WIP Day at the Devon Horse Show again this year?" It would be foolish for us not to do it, because all it means is a little effort, we mail out tickets in any quantity up to 25,000 we have that many tickets that we give out, it's for charity, it's a day when we have one-on-one contact between our air personalities and listeners. We try to line up a couple of guests, whoever is in the area, like this week Paul Williams is gonna be in the area, he's committed, we have tentative arrangements with Freddie Prinze and James Taylor, just brief, hello how are you, and say a few words. Maybe talk about their latest release, maybe about their appearances coming up in the area, whatever.

As far as summing up promotions is concerned, I'm very promotion minded, I always was when I was in rock radio. I believe promotions should be fun, I don't think that buying an audience is an answer to anything. I think that if your audience can have some fun with it, if your guy on the air can have some fun with it, that's what it's all about. I worry sometimes about getting too cluttered cause we have again a very heavy commerical load, and sometimes we don't do promotions that I would like to do because the timina's right or the situation is now's the time to do it, because it's in town, or it's something we can tie in with. I don't do it because I know our logs are very heavy commercially and therefore rather than trying to get too cluttered, I leave it

There are times, right now is one of them, when I think we're getting a little cluttered because we've got a lot of outside activities coming up, when you get into the summer months a lot of people are asking you to do things. Our personalities are in demand, and we do what we can with that, but I think promotions have to be fun for both the listener and the guys on the air. If you knew what our annual budget was dollar wise for promotons you'd say I can't believe it. Like we've got a new station in the market, that is a new format, and they are going whole hog with a major promotion, dollar

wise, and they have already blown out more than my annual budget! Ok fine, I'm not knocking that at all, I'm just saying that that's where it's at, with WIP today, the budget is way down dollar wise because of the economy. So we have to improvise, and we try to do things that are fun and that involve as many people as possible.

R&R: If you were teaching a radio class, what sort of suggestions would you give to a young person who wants to pursue the career of a program director?

TYLER: Don't. I did this recently at a broadcasting school. First of all, I think the most important thing is, and I guess this may be kind of pointless, because I don't think there are too many program directors who haven't been on the air before. But man, you better know exactly what is possible.

In other words, you can't expect your people to do things that can't be done, and how can you really know they can be done unless you've done them yourself. I think, you can't just study to be a program director and then be one, or you can't take a guy out of the sales department or a guy who has been hanging around the station for a long time and who has a lot of good ideas and be a program director. I'm not saying you can't do it, I'm saying you're working under a handicap, I think you gotta get out there and do it in the trenches, which may sound kind of dramatic, but I think you've got to be a jock, and I don't mean just go on for a couple of months just to get the feel of it, I think you should really have made your living by winning or losing, maybe being out of work because your ratings weren't good enough, if that's the kind of operation you are involved in.

Heavyweight programmers around really know how a traffic department operates, because they've done it. A guy who has been a jock for a while and has got great ideas and starts putting them into use at the station, they say hey that's becomes the pretty good, and he program director, and then a month later he decides hey this is pretty good, I think I'll drive upstate and I'll tell them a few ideas and they'll give me a few bucks for it, the next thing you know, he's a consultant, and he's running 95 radio stations and he's telling the sales department stay the hell out of my way, I don't want to hear from you, I want to do it my way, and it's gonna work, and maybe it does, but I'm talking about the guy who really wants to get into radio, who really wants to know radio, has got to know the shortcomings of a salesman, I'vebeen a salesman, got to know how a

traffic department works, it's the god awfullest job in the radio station. I've done traffic. I've written copy. Maybe that's a fittle bit of pride coming out, but I think that there are a lot of guys around who are very brilliant guys, but they really don't know what radio is all about.

It's the chance to rip oft a lot of money, maybe rip off isn't a kind . word, cause maybe they're doing a lot of good for the business too, but they really haven't learned radio. If your question is, how do you go about learning radio to get into programming, I think you have to know how it all works, because as much as programmers don't like to have meddling from the sales department or the general manager, at the same time a knowledge of what those people are up against, and they're up against a lot too, is a hell of a help to a programmer too.

R&R: You've worked with a lot of people, a lot of pros. Who's contributed the most to you?

TYLER: There's one guy who is head and shoulders over all the rest of them, of radio people to me, a fellow named Roy Schwartz, Roy was the operations manager at WIBG my first time there, hewas the guy who along with one or two other people in the company wanted me to come back to Storer Broadcasting and I went to WHN in New York, because I've never had that desire to work in New York, I loved it, it's an exciting town, but it didn't turn me ontowork there, it wasn't my lifelong goal or anything like that. I went to WHN to be under him again, he was the operations manager there and I went there as his assistant.

I think that there's no question, as far as the basics of radio are concerned, I've learned more from him than any other single person. Roy and I are still very good friends, although I don't get to see him too much anymore, he's still in radio, runs a couple of stations and owns pieces of a couple, I believe. A lot of good radio people know him, although I'm sure that today's contemporaries may not be as aware of Roy. Roy was very instrumental in the big success that Hudson & Landry, for example, had out in L.A. He was general manager there. Roy is a little quieter in radio than a lot of people, even when he was working in some pretty big markets. But he sure taught me a hell of a lot. There are probably others, and I'm not trying to short anybody.

R&R: How many hours a day do you normally work? Seems to me you work forever.

TYLER: Seems to me I do too. I've cut down I guess to some degree, I get up very early, I'm in here early.

R&R: 7:30, 8 o'clock?

TYLER: Well normally I'm in here between 7:30 and 8:30 a.m. And some days it will be earlier, and some days it won't be until 9 or a little after, it depends on how much I've worked, and I work almost every night that I'm home. If I'm not out with artists, or doing something other than being here at the station, then I usually put in a good couple of hours at home at night. This is one of the reasons that I say music takes so much time, because a good deal of it is with music. I always work some on the weekends. When I was at WIBG, I worked 7 days a week. I worked maybe 16, 18 hours a day every day practically. That's one of the reasons I left there, my circulation got so bad that there was no blood being pumped to the lower half of my legs, the doctor said you got to give up what you're doing. That was a long time ago, some of it is probably my fault, maybe I'm not as well organized as I should be, I don't know. Some of it's been eased by a couple of people that I know have with me, that have helped some. The air personalities do help take some of the load off, because there's a lot of things that I can let them run with. But I guess I still work a good

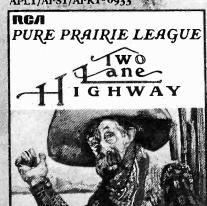
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NEW HEAD FOR COLUMBIA

Goddard Lieberson is retiring as President of the CBS-Records Group, Director and Senior Vice President of CBS Inc. after thirty-six years of service with the label. Walter R. Yetnikoff is the new President of Columbia who was previously the President of CBS Records International and has been with the firm since 1961... Capitol has realigned their A&R-Promotion functions with Senior Vice President, Al Coury, to devote his entire energies to artist acquisition and development leading a team of Rupert Perry, Larkin Arnold, Bob Buziak, John Carter, Dave Cavanaugh and John Palladino. Responsibility for the direction and management of the promoton team now rests with Bruce Wendell, National Promotion Manager with his team consisting of Bob Edson, Paul Ahern, Matt Parsons and Ray Tusken. Coury and Wendell will report directly to Brown Meggs, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer.. Although Kraftwerk's contract with Phonogram has expired with that group's present status, label wise, unknown Phonogram will be releasing three completed albums by the group: "Kraftwerk," "Kraftwerk II" and "Rolf And Florian." One of these three albums will be shipping sometime in August ... Joe South is signing with Island Records... David Clayton Thomas will make that last walk down the aisle with long time girl friend June 23rd in Toronto, Canada... Steven Stills has signed to Columbia with his first album "Stills" for that label to be out in early June Crosby, Nash and Young are still under contract to Atlantic with the Crosby, Stills & Nash album on that label in the process of being re-worked scheduled to be available sometime this summer.. One of the Rolling Stones was spotted during the Al Green Concert at the Westchester Premier Theatre in New York being "rolled" out the men's room reportedly after being a little too ''stoned'' to maneuver under his own steam... Street talk is that Steely Dan is leaving ABC for Warner Brothers... Helen Reddy will have her new single out the end of May off her new album which is reportedly better than anything the much awarded singer has done. Helen has been named an honoree for the 11th Annual Music Awards Dinner And Dance Of The Humanitarian Award on June 14th... Many upper level discussions have been circulating that one of the largest American Record Labels is to be acquired by foreign interests....

THE OTHER DIVINE MISS M

Arita's songwriter-songrtress Melissa Manchester paid R&R a visit while on her promotional swing through the country. A member of a distinguished musical family said Melissa "I was turned down by every major record company when I first started making the rounds. There was one record contract that I wanted very badly. I got all dressed up in my basic black, hippy, but classy outfit and my bass player and I went down to the 57th Street audition studio in New York to play for Clive Dav and the Columbia heavies... he turned me down! I don't know if he even r members that time, but when we get into the top 5 nationally, I might get up enough nerve to ask him if he remembers that audition! As a child I was totally into classical music and if you believe that you get the highest freedon from discipline than I suggest you get into the classics. The scope and range Preceived from that early training has been invaluable and gave me my love and appreciation of music. The string lines from many Motown songs contain Tchaikowsky lines

Gentle Giant is a very good example of the heavy classical influence as is ELO. My family was liberated as far as music goes (her father was a basoonist with the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra) and encouraged me to expand and experiment. My father said 'learn to play the moog, enough of this. Get with it. You have to learn all forms and use the vehicle... explore and expand.' They're my harshest critics!

I started cheating on my piano lessons when I was five years old. I had a good ear and could play almost anything by ear, but only in the key of C and then I would improvise. My teacher would ask me where I was on the page and I didn't know because I couldn't read the music! I can read now and force myself as a discipline to write the music down rather than use a cassette." Melissa's new single "Midnight Blue" is starting to come home and bears out her philosophy as a writer. "The content of female writers right now is basically about being female. I want to expand this and reach everyone. The best songs are those that are simple and universal; music that appeals to everyone regardless of sex, age, religion, etc. I compete against myself and keep trying to top myself. One writes best about one's own experiences so I try to learn, experience and involve myself more in life which will enrich me as a person and certainly contribute to my ability as a songwriter." Melissa is on the last legs of her U.S. tour and promotional swing through the country and the end of this month she should be home in New York getting ready to write the material for her new album.

QUICK CUTS

Max Baer is producing a movie "Ode To Billy Joe" based upon the lyrics of Bobbi Gentry's hit single of the same title. The screenplay for the movie, which has yet to have a cast, was penned by Herman Raucher who is famous for his other screenplay, "Summer Of '42." The movie will be filmed entirely in Mississippi sometime this August...

Nickel Knowledge department: When the Iron Butterfly was finishing up an album sometime back, it was quite late at night and everyone was exhausted. Everyone kept trying to come up with a title for the LP they had just completed when one person said in a sleepy, mumbled voice "how about 'In The Garden Of Eden?" Everyone agreed that was the perfect title and immediately informed the record label that was what they wanted to appear on the album. The record company thought it was a rather strange - title, but put the album out as the group wished which, when garbled, is "In-A Gadda-Da-

Congratulations to Mike Brewer (of Brewer & Shipley) and wife, Sandy, Continued on page 29

Music On Upswing In May

May is turning out to be a blockbuster bonus for retailers, radio stations and consumers with nothing but the "heavies" to pick and choose from. Elton John's album, "Captain Fantastic & The Brown Dirt Cowboy," shipped platinum in two days last week featuring numerous works of art enclosed with the record. Atlantic and London Records have announced they will be shipping two new Rolling Stones albums on May 27 and 28. And, as if that weren't enough, the long awaited "Venus And Mars" album by Paul McCartney is shipping this month with sales predictions running over the three million mark. The superstar's releases should guarantee heavy traffic into retail stores insuring a good resurgence of crowds in record stores.

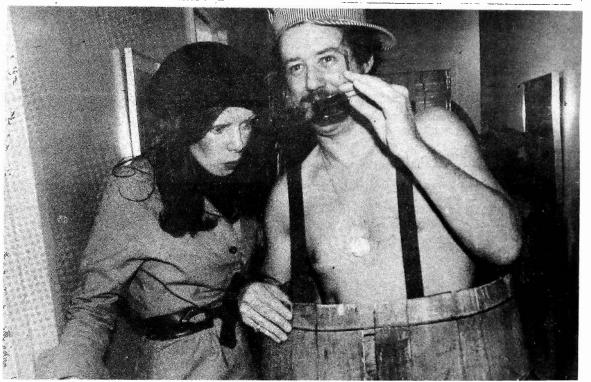
Elton's album contains two separate books; one being a "scrapbook" of early Elton and Bernie pictures, career mementos, exerpts from Elton's diary, a comic book plus a lengthy lyric book decorated with pictures and cartoons, a poster and a fan club entry blank. Under separate cover, MCA also sent out ironon decals of "Captain Fantastic," "The Brown Dirt Cowboy," Loretta Lynn and Roger Daltrey plus posters of Olivia Newton-John advertising her singing "Richard's Window" in the movie "The Other Side Of The Mountain" and another poster of Elton's album marking it as one of the most enthusiastic and elaborate promotions of label product in quite some

The new Rolling Stones album on Atlantic Records titled "Made In The Shade" is a greatest hits album to be released May 28th. On May 27th London Records is releasing a Stones' album as well as "Metamor-

phosis," which is the previously unreleased ABKCO material and represents the group's final commitment to Alan Kiein. The album sports fourteen tracks, some of which have been recently reworked by Jagger and features all six of the Rolling Stones including the late Brian Jones. A single off the album "I Don't Know Why" will be shipped on May 19th with the B side titled "Try A Little Harder." The album was bld on by several major labels, but the Stones apparently had no choice in the matter. At the time the commitment was made to ABKCO. London Records. was their distributor and the agreement apparently included this particular material. The album has slipped out and is being played by several radio stations, including WABC.

Bhaskar Mennon, President and Chief Executive Officer of Capitol Industries - EMI, Inc., announced that Capitol and Paul McCartney have concluded an exclusive recording agreement for the USA, Canada and Japan. A separate agreement covering all other territories of the world has been concluded between Mr. McCartney and EMI Records. The first recording under the new agreement, the album "Venus And Mars," will be released worldwide in May on the Capitol label. May 16th is the date of the new Mc-Cartney single "Listen To What The Man Said." Rumor is that the former Beatle was re-signed for an unprecedented amount of money and that the amount involved exceeded Elton John's price in renewing with

-Candy Tusken



Columbia's Bob Sherwood was demonstrating that "these are truly trying times" much to the curiosity of Buddah's Kathi Turo who happened to bump into his barrel in New York. Bob's not telling us what this promotion is all about, but we're sure he'll fill us in to his "secret" when it arises.



The "Newborn" James Gang is about to expose themselves for the next seven weeks. Pictured (I-r): Dale Peters, Jim Fox, Bubba Keith, Richard Shack.

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who are expecting their first child in late June after twelve years of marriage... Tom Catalano has produced his first album for his Tom Cat label for Nancy Nevins which marks a debut LP for the six foot songstress who is also auditioning for the part of Janis Joplin in "Pearl." The autobiography of the famous singer is being produced by Marvin Wroth noted for his production of 'Lenny." ..

Lamont Dozier is writing and producing a gospel album for his kid sister, Norma. No label deal has been set, but Lamont's been talking to ABC... GRC's first quarter earnings for 1975 are up by 68 percent over last year's and also have another reason to celebrate with their first gold record, "Chevy Van" by Sammy Johns, being certified for the two-year old label.. Donald Byrd has written his first motion picture soundtrack for "Cornbread, Earl And Me" starring former UCLA All-American basketball star, Keith Wilkes, to bereleasedon Fantasy Records. The Blackbyrds will sing the title song of the film.

Yes embarks on its forty city U.S. tour June 17th through July 22nd with Ace set as the opening act... Local Los Angeles favorite, British singer Michael Desbarres, opened at the Starwood last week to an audience of industry heavies including several A&R people and a number of publicists. Word is that CBS' Don Ellis has snapped up the former Silverhead singer ... Jo Jo Gunne, who have been together for the past five years, have split up with keyboardist-leader Jay Ferguson and drummer Curly Smith looking to form a new group....

OVERNIGHT SENSATIONS

Like most groups who have been working for years and finally get that big break, The Tavares are not overnight sensations. The five brothers have been working professionally since they were children and are more than familiar with the "chitlin' circuit" they have been working since the late fifties. You might vaguely remember them back in 1962 when they were billed as Chubby And The Turnpikes when they enjoyed a regional hit in the Northeast "I Know The Inside Story" on Captiol Records. The record was released but the label couldn't locate the group. Local sales manager, Brian Panella started beating the bushes asking every record store and radio station if they had heard of the group or knew where he could find them. Said Brian "affer asking just about everyone, I was in a small retail store, Bove's Music Shop in Providerce, R.Land asked the owner if he knew of the group. Two little kids were standing there browsing through records and said "hey, we know them; they're up at the pool hall" and out they ran. About ten minutes later a red Chevelle pulled up and the entire family piled out. It was like a circus with seven brothers and three sisters.

They started singing acapella and did those great dance routines they have. It really knocked me out. A whole crowd of people came in and Boves never had so many people in his store at once!" Even though the single did fairly well, Capitol did not sign the group. Time went by, buf Brian kept in contact with the group who changed to their family name, Tavares. Then in 1972 Brian caught their act at a club in Canada. "They were even better than before and I got a tape on them and decided to manage them myself. I took the tape to Al Coury who fell in love with them and wanted to sign them immediately. I told him 'I think it's only fair to tell you that you had this very same group exactly ten years ago when they were known as Chubby And The

"Al fell out and said 'that's the same group that we scouring the woods for ? Fantastic, I love it!" Capitol signed them and their first five singles hit top five nationally on the Soul charts with their previous "She's Gone" achieving a number one spot nationally. Their current "Remember What I Told You To Forget" has already sold over a half million and is their first Pop crossover hit already in the Top 30 of the national Pop Charts... it was a long time

THE SHOW MUST GO ON

Country superstar Waylon Jennings decided to give a live concert for selected friends at Cherokee studios in Los Angeles last week to be broadcast later on KWST radio. The audience of a hundred kept waiting for Waylon to start the show, but a squabble between the label and the studio had sprung causing a delay. It seems that RCA insisted that Waylon had to use the RCA engineers and Dee Robb who is the chief engineer and part owner of the studio said"this is my turf and my studio and I'm going to engineer it."The argument lasted for about fifteen minutes with Robb winning out in the end and a relieved audience finally got to see Waylon..

Eric Clapton and his band that appeared on his last two albums will begin their U.S. tour in Tampa June 14 taking in 21 cities concluding July 11 in St.





Capricorn's Larry Saul promises the R&R staff that Marshall Tucker's single "This Old Cowboy" is a surefire hit. Keeping Larry honest, or else, is left to right Linda Goettsch, Chris Blase, the Capricorn cowgirl, Marjie Arnold and Candy Tusken.



Members of THE HOLLIES stopped in this week to present their new Epic single, "Another Night" to R&R staff member Candy Tusken. Pictured above are (1 to r.) Lindy Franklin, Epic Records Publicity, Tony Hicks of the Hollies, Linda Goettsch of R&R, Bobby Elliott of the Hollies, Candy Tusken, and Bud Q'Shea, Epic Records Regional Promotion man.



The lovable Charlie Daniels paid R&R a visit telling us his old nickname used to be "The Icebox" when he weighed in at over 300 pounds. Charlie has since slimmed down to svelte 250 charming both Buddah's lovely promotion lady on the left, Dale White an R&R's Candy Tusken. Charlie's on a radio promotion swing throughout the country and has a hot single crossing over to Pop "Long Haired Country Boy."



Dennis Weaver, star of TV series "McCloud", visited Radio and Records recently to talk about his new album on Ovation Records, "One More Road." With Weaver is R&R's Linda Goettsch.



Captiol's resident "gladiator" promotion manager in Seattle, Rich Fitzgerald, dreamed up this promotion for Triumverate's new album "Spartacus." Rich rented a genuine gladiator's chariot, two horses plus appropriate Roman costumes and rode the streets of Seattle dropping off copies of the album to KISW-FM, KJR, OK1021/2, KZOK-FM, KZAM-FM plus Tosh's One Stop, The Brass Ear, Discount Records, University Book Store, Music Street and Budget Records. L to R is Larry Krutsinger, Captiol Sales Manager; "Ride 'em Rich" Fitzgerald; Steve Iverson, Asst. Manager, Campus Music Store and Phil Muthersbaugh, Capitol Sales Manager.



THE BOYS SIGNIN' IT ... Shown here during Casablanca's Hugh Masekela signing are (I to r) Buck Reingold, Casablanca's vp director of pop activities, Cecil Holmes, label's vp, director of r&b activities, Hugh Masekela (sitting), Stu Levine, Masekela's producer, an Neil Bogart, label's president. First Masekela LP release is called "The Boys Doin' It."



KICKING OFF their promotion campaign for Jlm Stafford's latest LP, "Not Just Another Pretty Foot," MGM-Polydor Records designed an inflatable footmobile as a direct tie-in to the album title and cover theme. Flaying host to this unique marketing display, conceived and executed by independent markeing consultant Macey Lipman, is Tower Records' manager Charlie Shaw, at the Los Angeles-Sunset location. Pictured are (I to r): Macey Lipman, Charlie Shaw, Jim Stafford and Rick Stevens of Polydor Inc.



Seen visiting the KWST studios in Los Angeles recently was Joan Baez, whose new A&M album Diamonds and Rust was recently released. Shown with Joan are (front row): John Detz, general manager; Joan Levine, KWST; Jan Basham, A&M promotion. (Back row), David Perry, music director; Lenny Bronstein, A&M special projects, and Jim McKean, program director.

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17	7		DON WILLIAMS/You're My Best Friend (ABC/Dot)
9	6	5	CHARLEY PRIDE/I Ain't All Bad (RCA)
18	12	6	NARVEL FELTS/Reconsider Me (ABC/Dot)
21	14		LINDA RONSTADT/When Will I Be Loved (Capitol)
19	11	8	T.G. SHEPPARD/Beat The Morning (Melodyland)
12	10	9	DAVID WILLS/Barrooms To Bedrooms (Epic)
4	5	10	MICKEY GILLEY/Window Up Above (Playboy)
25	19		TANYA TUCKER/Lizzie & The Ramman (MCA)
5	8	12	GARY STEWART/She's Acting Single (RCA)
.9	4	13	B.J. THOMAS/Another Somebody Done (ABC)
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23	20	22	GEORGE JONES/These Days (Epic)
8	15	23	JOE STAMPLEY/Roll On Big Mama (Epic)
13	13	24	CONNIE CATO/Hurt (Capitol)
27	23	25	BARBI BENTON/Brass Buckles (Playboy)
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37 BOBBY BARE/Warm & Free/Huntsville (RCA)

39 PRICE MITCHELL/Personality (GRT)

38 ROY CLARK/Love Yourself In Morning (ABC/Dot)

40 FREDDY FENDER/Before Next Teardrop (ABC/Dot)

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TOM T. HALL Deal (Mercury)

MERLE HAGGARD Movin' On (Capitol) JOHNNY RODRIGUEZ Just Get Up (Mercury) LA COSTA

House Runs On Sunshine (Capitol)

Most Requested

MERLE HAGGARD Movin' On (Capitol) JERRY JORDAN Phone Call From God (MCA) **CONWAY TWITTY**

Touch The Hand (MCA)

TANYA TUCKER Lizzie (MCA)

NEW & ACTIVE

MERLE HAGGARD Movin' On (Capitol)

Strong sales, airplay and phones... Hottest mover in the country... debut 16 KCKN, No. 1 WMAQ, debut 32 KPOK, 40-29 WBAM, debut 30 KENR, debut 30 WUNI, debut 32 KBFW, 30-26 KTUF... More picks at KKYX, KAYO... added at KTCR, KSPO, WDEE, WPLO, WBLU, KSPO, KOOO, WJQS, KAHU, WXCL, WUBE, WWOK, WHO, WESC, KWJJ, KBOX (Both) KSOP and

> TOM T. HALL Deal (Mercury)

Most added of the week, including: KJJJ, KFOX, KERE, WIRE, KSON, WBAM, WXCL, WUBE, KKYX, KCKC, WWOK, WJJD, WHK, KCKN, WHO, WUNI, KENR, KSOP, KWMT, WIL (both), KRMD, WSUN, WPLO, WISZ, KTUF, KUZZ, pick WHOO.

JOHNNY RODRIGUEZ Just Get Up (Mercury)

Continues very strong.. 40-30 KAYO, Picks at WIL, KRMD, added KSPO, KTCR, WEET, KJJJ, KFOX, KOOO, KHEY, KPOK, KSON, KAHU, WXCL, KLAC (both), KRAK, WCMS, KBUL (both), KWJJ, KSOP, WDEE, WSUN.

CONWAY TWITTY Touch The Hand (MCA)

Moving very well... pick-30 KRMD, debut 29 WMC, debut 32 WSUN, 38-30 WISZ, debut 32 WUBE, 38-20 KIKK, debut 19 KCKN, Pick WSLR, added at WEEP, KJJJ, KFOX, KNEW, KHEY, WIRE, KSON, WONE, KLAC, KTCR.

LA COSTA "This House Runs On Sunshine" (Capitol) Picking up with more adds at KCKN, KKYX, WINN, WJQS, KAHU, WXCL, WWOK, KRAK, WHO. KSOP, WBLU, WISZ, WHOK-FM, Pick WIRE.

JOHNNY PAYCHECK "I Don't Love Her Anymore" (Epic) Strong first eek adds including: KOOO, EBAM, KBFW, KRAK, WESC, WUNI, KENR, KSOP, WPLO, WBLU, KTUF, WHK, KKYX.

KENNY O'DELL "My Honky Tonk Ways" (Capricorn) Looks even stronger than his last record ... added at KHEY, KPOK, KAYO, KLAK, KBOX, KENR, WHOO, WDEE, WPLO, KTUF, KCKN, WPNX:

RAY PRICE "Farthest Thing From My Mind" (ABC) 38-29 KSPO, added at KHEY, WJQS, WWOK, KWJJ, WUNI, KSOP, WHOO, WDEE, WISZ, KTUF. HANK THOMPSON "That's Just My Truckin' Luck" (ABC-Dot) Picked up adds at KOOO, KERE, KPOK, KAYO, WHO, KLAK, KSOP, WDEE, KTCR, KČKN, KKYX.

GARY STEWART "You're Not The Woman" (MCA) Pick WPNX, added at WINN, KCKN, WJQS, KAYO, WBAM, KBOX, WDEE, WISZ, KHOS.

BOBBY G. RICE "Freda Comes, Freda Goes" (GRT) starting to move .. ex-30 KHOS, 32-20 WUNI, 34-26 WHO, 35-29 WISZ, 23-17 KPOK, 19-13 KAYO, 33-24 WBAM, 15-8 WSLR, added KJJJ.

ANNE MURRAY "Stranger In My Place" (Capitol) added at K000, WBAM, WHO, KSOP, KWMT, WHOO, WISZ, KCKN, HK, KKYX.

ELVIS PRESLEY "T-r-o-u-b-l-e" (RCA) Pick and getting phones at KSPO, debut 22 KCKN, 36-29 WHOO, 17-12 KENR, 30-19 WUNI, No. 1 KIKK, debut 31 WUBE, added at WONE, WJJD, WESC... Debut 36 R&R Country Top 40 list. TOMMY OVERSTREET "That's When My Woman Begins" (ABC-Dot) debut 35 KSPO, 22-15 KPOK, 23-14 WUNI, 27-17 KHOS, added KNEW, KUZZ, KLAK, KAYO, KFOX, No. 18 KIKK.

REX ALLEN, JR. "Lying In My Arms" (WB) debut 34 KBFW, added KOOO, KERE, WBAM, WUBE, KRAK, KSOP, WHOO, WDEE.
CHARLIE RICH "Everytime You Touch Me I Get High" (Epic) added WEEP, KSPO, WJQS, WUBE, WEET, WWJO, WHN, ex-29 KSO, debut 33

BILLY THUNDERKLOUD "What Time Of Day" (20th) 28-21 KSOP, Pick

WCMS, added: KAHU, WHN, WJQS, KWJJ, KENR, KRDM, WDEE. MAC DAVIS "Burnin' Thing" (Columbia) added at these stations first week:

WIRE, KAYO, KBOX, KENR, WIL, WDEE, WBLU, KCKN. CONNIE SMITH "Why Don't You Love Me" (Columbia) picking up more

adds at KFOX, KOOO, KWMT, KAHU, WBLU, WMNI, WHN, 34-28 KAYO.

JOE STAMPLEY "Unchained Melody" (ABC-Dot) debut 33 WMC, 30-25 KBFW, debut 31 WWOK, debut 29 KIKK, 31-19 WISZ, more adds include: KLAK, WHOK-FM, KRMD.

GENE WATSON "Love In The Hot Afternoon" (Capitol) add and request WXCL, No. 1 KENR and KIKK, pick to 22 KBOX, added also at KCKC, WJJD, KLAK, WISZ, KNEW.

SUSAN RAYE "Ghost Story" (Capitol) more adds at WCMS, KBUL, KSOP, KRMD, WSUN, KHOS, WHOK-FM.

DIANA TRASK "There Has To Be A Loser" (ABC-Dot) picked up adds at KRAK, WHO, WESC, KUZZ, KCKN, WPNX, KKYX.

DAVE DUDLEY "Fireball Rolled A Seven" (UA) ex-25 KOOO, 29-19 KPOK, 19-12 KBUL, 35-27 WHOO, 38-28 KHOS...adds at KNEW, KUZZ, WONE.

RECORDS TO WATCH

KAY ADAMS "Never Got To Nashville" (Granite) on KBUY as a pick, also

being aired at KKYX, KHEY and WBAP (nites).

AMAZING RHYTHM ACES "Third Rate Romance" (ABC) 15-9 WUNI ...

DORSEY BURNETTE "Molly" (Melodyland) added at WSLR, KKYX. JOHNNY CARVER "Strings" (ABC) added WBAM, WPNX, WHO, KSOP, WHOO, KTUF.

BOOMER CASTLEMAN "Judy Mae" (Mums) added WISZ, WHOK-FM, 23-16 KBOX, on WMAQ and WEEP.

DONNY & MARIE "Make The World Go Away" (MGM) add WSLR, KBOX.

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T. G. Sheppard. Tennessee sippin' music. Blended in the true country tradition. Processed carefully with T. G.'s golden hits, "Devil in the Bottle" and "Trying to Beat the Morning Home."
T. G.'s music is smooth, light,

and easy on the ears. Aged in the studio and mellowed note by note into the finest country album you ever tasted. "Devil in the Bottle." T. G. Sheppard. On Melodyland Records. Eat your heart out, Jack Daniels.

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The legendary HUGH CHERRY is now doing an all-night radio show on KNEW, Oakland - San Francisco. He's on 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. Cherry replaces RAY MARTIN, who is currently looking for employment. Call (415) 652-2822 . . . DALE EICHOR reports from Fort Dodge, Iowa at KWMT, they have acquired STEVE DOUGHERTY from KSO, Des Moines. Dougherty will be working as a newsman... New weekender at WMAQ, Chicago is RON HELTON, formerly with KLAK, Denver ... DON WEST is the new Program Music director of KZON, Santa Maria, California. He was recently with KPTL in Carson City, Nevada.

AL HELFER, vice president and news department chief of KRAK, Sacramento, died last Saturday (17) at the age of 63. Helfer was a nationallyknown baseball broadcaster, who started in radio in 1927. He joined KRAK in 1970. Cause of death has been listed as cancer.

DAVE DONAHUE, Program Manager of WHK, Cleveland, told me he has put together some sixty second patriotic featurettes to tie in with the Freedom Train currently travelling the country. He said if anyone was interested in doing something similar, if the Freedom Train is coming to your market, feel free to contact Donahue for a sample tape. Write to him at WHK, 5000 Euclid, Cleveland, Ohio 44103.

WUBE, Cincinnati has a promotion called "Nashville's Calling" on-the-air now. Country artist have been calling the station and answering a special question, such as "What is your favorite food?" Listeners are asked to guess what the artist will answer. If they correctly guess, they win a gift from WUBE. Artist who might be interested in participating, please get in touch with station Program Manager, MIKE MILLARD, at (513) 621-6960.

Let it be known: Country radio is strong in Mobile, Alabama. WUNI, music director LARRY JAMES furnished me with a copy of a recent pulse taken in that market. The survey, based on Men and Women total 18 plus, showed WUNI: No. 1 men and women 6-10 a.m., No. 1 women and No. 2 men 10 a.m., to 3 p.m. and No. men and No. 2 women 3 to 7 p.m. We'll be featuring the Pulse and ARB results of most of the markets in upcoming R&R issues, as they become available to us.

HANK SNOW and the STATLER BROTHERS continue to perform for sellout crowds during their tour of the northwest country. SAMMY TAYLOR of KWJJ, Portland reports the show was the biggest in sometime now. The same was true of the show's performance in Seattle. GARY VANCE of KAYO in Seattle, said the highlight of the Seattle concert was the surprise birthday cake given to Hank Snow during the show., Snow recently turned Speaking of sell-out: Seven shows were sold out in Paris, France, when the Nashville Rockin' Show was booked to appear with France rock and roll star EDDIE MITCHELL. The Nashville' performers were under the direction of Monument recording artist-musician CHARLIE MC COY.

PLAYBOY records has signed country artist WYNN STEWART. I talked with producer EDDIE KILROY last week and he said the label has been so successful of late with their country artists, such as MICKEY GILLEY and BARBI BENTON, they have decided to open a Nashville office and division. By the way, the new MICKEY GILLEY single will be out in a couple weeks. I'm not at liberty to mention the name yet, but I will mention, it continues in the line of country-classic recuts that Gilley has done so well with and it is NOT a release from the current album . . . CON BIO RECORDS, less than six months old, will soon move into its own modern operation in Nashville according to Comptroller JEFF WALKER. The new offices will be at 824 19th Avenue South.

It's always good to hear from GEORGE K. GIBB at WCKC in Milton, Florida. He wrote to let us know WCKC is celebrating their first anniversary. George would like to invite artists and radio stations to send birthday greetings to be aired during the month long celebration. Radio stations are asked to include a jingle or logo as part of the salute. Send tapes to WCKC, 703 Berryhill Street, Milton, Florida 32570. Also, as part of the celebration, the station is "Taking Listeners to Lunch." Each hour, the first caller to wish Happy Birthday to the station gets a free lunch compliments of WCK-... Happy first anniversary also to WSUN, St. Petersburg, Florida. Station program director, TOMMY CHARLES, has been with the station since it went country a year ago.

KLAC, Los Angeles is holding their second annual talent search. The general public is invited to send in audition tapes and cassettes. 12 finalists will be selected by "a panel of experts in country music." The finalist will appear on a talent show, June 12 which will air on KLAC. The winner will receive a Granite records contract, which include one single produced by CLIFFIE STONE. The winner will also act as KLAC's representative in the California finals of the Grand Ole Opry national talent search. The show, in California is scheduled June 28 in cooperation with KSON in San Diego.

WHOO, Orlando is holding a "Classified" contest in cooperation with MGM records. It's a tie-in with the new C.W. Mc Call release of the same name. The station, reports MIKE BURGER, is asking for the most unique classifieds to be 25 words or less. The best entries will win a C.W. Mc Call album. (By the way you can enter the all new R&R Country Contest: You send me \$500 and by return mail, I'll be happy to send you 25 words or less. Hurry and enter today. I may be fired tomorrow.(. . . MARTY SULLIVAN said KRMD, Shreveport will take part in the first annual Polk Salad festival in Blanchard, La. He said a fiddlin' contest will be one of the highlights of this year's event ... This weekend DON WERNTZ of WFRL, Freeport, Illinois will MC a 30 hour dance marathon as part of a benefit.

Finally, I would like to thank TERRY SLANE of KAHU, our reporting station in Hawaii, for the good time we had last week. Terry came all the way from Hawaii just to visit R&R and see WAYLON JENNINGS and JESSI COLTER here in a Los Angeles concert. In my book Terry you're "tops!" By the way, while he was in Hollywood, Terry got to meet the star of "Deep Throat," LINDA LOVELACE. He told me she said she really hated doing that movie because it was a real pain in the neck!! . . . I know you'll be choked up, but I've got to say "Bye" till next week . . . Keep it happy.

P.S. BOB WILLS: Your music will help us remember, but you will be

missed.



Captiol records' recording star BUCK OWENS was special guest D.J. for an hour at WEEP, Pittsburgh, while in town for an engagement at the Twin Coaches. Buck spun records, read commercials and gave traffic reports and news. Buck is shown with WEEP afternoon personality, JONATHAN RHODES, as WEEP program director ED SALAMON, looks on.

Perform On **ABC Special**

A tremendous opportunity has just been opened up for the lucky act that is selected winner of the Grand Ole Opry's glorious 50th Anniversary talent search this October!

According to the Opry's Coordinator, Mike Slattery, "we've just learned that our winning act of the talent search will perform on a gigantic ABC Network country music TV 'Special' this fall!" This 90-minute country music spectacular will be produced in Nashville at the Grand Ole Opry House and will be centered around the 50th birthday of the world famous Grand Ole Opry. It will feature the biggest names in country music, in addition to the talented winner selected in the Opry's nationwide talent search.

'This is truly a chance of a lifetime for a new artist," adds Slattery. "We're pleased that ABC has offered to give our new talent this fantastic opportunity for national exposure on Network television — it's a real tribute to the outstanding performers who are entering the Opry's talent search around the country."

And if just performing on ABC's 90-minute spectacular isn't enough, the Opry's other announced prizes for winners of its 50th Anniversary talent search include appearances on the Opry, a recording contract, a "talent showcase" at Opryland, songwriting contracts with Tree Music, cash awards, and much more!

The Opry talent search is being held around the U.S. and Canada by over 300 country radio stations and is open to all country performers 16 years or older who are not under recording contracts. There is no

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Opry Winner To COUNTRY ALBUMS

Album cuts getting good response from airplay: BRENDA LEE (MCA): "Lucky" and "Still"

JERRY REED (RCA): "The Telephone", "City of New Orleans" and "When My Blue"

TANYA TUCKER (MCA): "San Antonio Stroll" and "Traveling Salesman'

MICKEY GILLEY (Playboy): "Movin' On" DON GIBSON (MGM): "If You Want Me To, I'll Go"

BOBBY BARE (RCA): "Alimony"

CONNY VAN DYKE (ABC-Dot): "Goodnight Sweetheart"

ROGER MILLER (Columbia): "Lady America"

BOBBY G. RICE (GRC): "Love Me Tonight" DON WILLIAMS (ABC-Dot): "Love Me Tonight"

JESSI COLTER (Capitol): "What Ever Happened to Blue Eyes" and "Storms Never

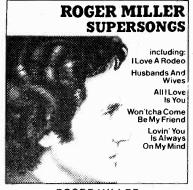
FREDDY FENDER (ABC-Dot): "Wasted Days" (next single) and "Wildside of Life"

JOHNNY RODRIGUEZ (Mercury): "C.C. Rider," "Fraulien" "Texas Up Here Tennessee'



JOHNNY RODRIGUEZ Just Get Up and Close The Door (Mercury)

The very best Nashville musicians come together once again with the top new country star of the decade, JOHNNY RODRIGUEZ, and under the excellent direction of producer JERRY KENNEDY, have put together an exceptional piece of material. STRONGEST CUTS include: "Too Many Rivers;" a half Spanish-half English version of the country classic, "Fraulein;" a mellow-country boogie version of "C.C. Rider;" a recut of the JIM REEVES hit (also flip of the latest Rodriguez single,) "Am I That Easy To Forget" and also strong is an uptempo cut called "Texas Up Here Tennessee." Let JOHNNY GIMBLE bend your ear with an excellent fiddle solo on that cut.



ROGER MILLER Supersongs (Columbia)

ROGER MILLER is a man of many moods and this is proven by the many musical moods he displays on this his latest effort for Columbia. The album features two Miller singles, "Our Love" and "I Love A Rodeo." BEST CUTS: The easy listening patriotic "Lady America," "Husbands and Wives," a recut of an earlier hit. Also, a funny, ala-Roger Miller humor, cut called "Wanda Iguana" and another strong side is "All t Love Is You," featuring a fine melody line. Crossover Country stations might want to feature "Won'cha Come Be My Friend." For your information this is the first total album ever produced by Miller.

-Jim Duncan

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Biff Collie INSIDE

Pity poor T.G. Shepard! Had to close his Umbrella Productions office in Memphis. The reason? He's hiring somebody else to do the promotion, and this time, it's on him! Bill Browder couldn't make it as an artist a few semesters ago, so he shot for a promotion-production office of his own. Last year he found a song he wanted to record with someone, but couldn't fine one in nine labels he pitched it to who were even warm to the song. Bill Browder produced the record . . . on himself, then put it out on his own; created some interest, and sold it to Melodyland for their first country release. It happened, all the way to Number 1, Bill Browder became "The Good" Shepard, now, with his second Number 1 comer in a row, he has given up producing and promotion, this time for good! (and that ain't bad!)

Next weekend will be a wild one for Loretta Lynn and company in Humphrey County's hottest Hoop-Te-Doo ever done. Among other things, they'll have live music on every street corner of the County seat, Waverly, Arts & Crafts Fair, square dancing in the streets, a parade, fishfry, and amateur contest, and the winner of the amateur contest will perform with Loretta on her two concerts.

Storms on the seas of domestic tranquility continue to rage in the country music community. Jerry Lee Lewis, Tommy Cash, and now Ernest Tubb and his wife Olene's marriage of 26 years has crumbled. Who else? (I don't want to talk about it!)

A copy of the spectacular produced in Meridian, Mississippi the past three days will be available to all stations free. If you would like to run the show, as a Public Service, write Biff Collie, 808 16th Ave. So., Nashville, 37203. It's an hour show. Edited from three four hour shows with all the biggies who made the pilgrimage to the cradle of the first country music hall of famer, Jimmie Rodgers.

Who's News? Kristofferson and wife Rita both finishing their latest album projects. Kris just contracted to star in another picture, shooting in England in September. He's really done well in the movies, hasn't he? Nashvillian Hope Powell received the "Best in Show" award from the North Carolina Professional Photographers Association. The winning portrait was a painting of Marty Robbins . . . Friends can't see Marty making it through this year without racing. Marty said he quit because of economics. His car (the latest one wrecked) was comparable, Marty said, to Richard Petty's winning car. Marty didn't give figures, but Petty's current racing machine cost \$35,000.

Jeannie Seely built Hank Cochran a "Yodelin' Balcony" on their new Williamson Country home. That's nice, Jeannie, but did you have to install a 16 track facility??! ... Leon Ashley, on the air with his first record release in too long, says quick action reminds him of the biggest thing he ever wrote, his classic song and record of "Laura". Parton is on her way, thanks to a back-handed assist from Nashville WSIX-FM Program Director Bill Gerson. Stella gave him the wrong acetate, he put it on, the calls came in, orders began. And the "A" side was changed to "I Want To Hold You In My Dreams Tonight." Look out Dolly! Here comes your little sister!



RCA Records division vice president, Jerry Bradley, and RCA recording artist Johnny Russell (right) sat in the middle of 17th Avenue South in the "heart" of Nashville's music complex recently to drink a toast to the singer's signing of a new long-term contract with RCA Records.



NASHVILLE - Staff members at WENO Radio in Nashville, Tennessee, received an honorary "Rhythm Guitar" from the Oak Ridge Boys. WENO was the first country station in the nation to pick the Oaks' new single, "Rhythm Guitar." Pictured above, seated left to right are: Duane Allen, Don Howser, DJ, WENO, Johnny K., MD, WENO; standing left to right are: Bill Golden, B. James Lowry, Don Breland, Jo Bonsal, Richard Sterban, Mark Ellerbee, and Garland Craft.



Moe Bandy, General Recording Corporation artist, recently appeared in Amarillo at The KDJW Anniversary Show on April 1, according to Ann Tant, GRC's National Country Promotion Director. Ms. Tant presented KDJW's program director, Dugg Collins, with a plaque from GRC, in appreciation for three number one records by Bandy.

Bob Wills-1906-1975

one of its greats. The memory of BOB the beat in country music, but they didn't WILLS will live forever because of the music talk about a memory of mine, which I'll he gave to the world. RADIO & RECORDS cherish till the day I die. That night in columnist BIFF COLLIE in Nashville ex- Houston in 1950 when, for the first time, I presses a memory he has of BOB WILLS and took my trumpet and became, for a little we at R&R felt it is a fitting tribute to the memory of "The King of Western Swing":

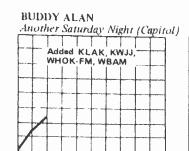
From the Turkey, Texas beginning to the end in Fort Worth, in the 70 years that JAMES ROBERT WILLS lived, his music, his voice, his magic touched people in everycorner of the world. He belongs in the Hall of Fame as The Statue of Liberty belongs in America.

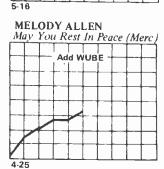
In Tulsa last week, they remembered

Tuesday, May 13, 1975 country music lost many special moments of the man who put while, a Texas Playboy. As I stood there, my horn poised to play on The Master's cue, my heart beat so fast I wondered if I could live till my time came... Then, He looked across the bandstand at me, waived his fiddle bow (as if it were a magic wand), and nodded his big white hat at me as if to say: "Alright, Biff my boy, make yourself a memory...' And I dld... Oh, How I did... Thanks Bob, for the memory!

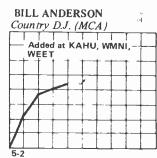
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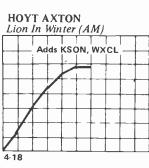
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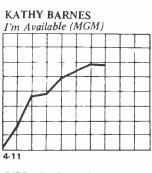


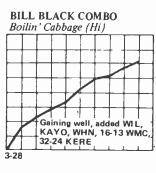


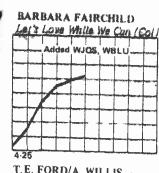


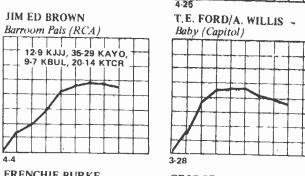


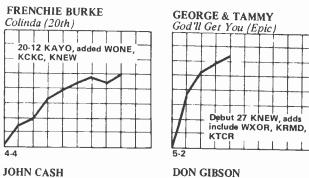












MAC DAVIS
Burnin' Thing (Columbia)

Storms Never Last (RCA)

Added WJQS, KBOX, KSOP, WHOO, WSUN, 36-28 KRMD

DOTTSY

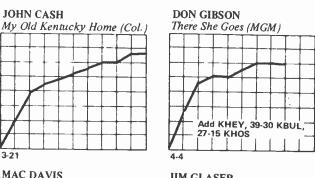
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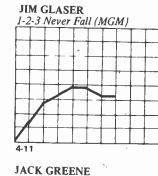
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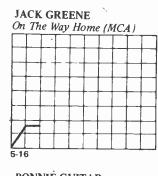
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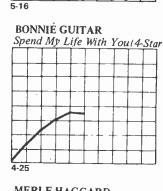
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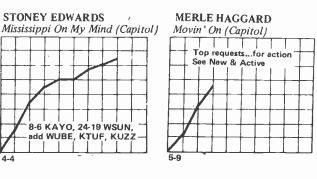
See New & Active

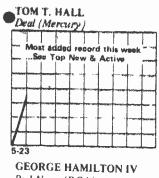


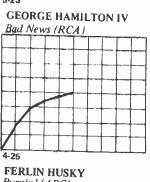


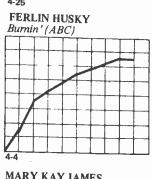


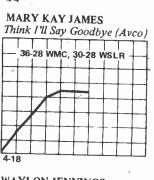


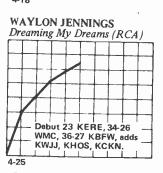


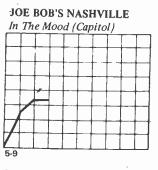


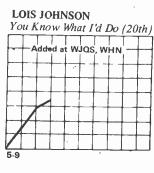


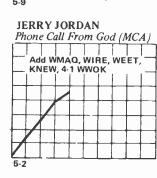


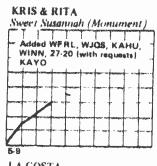


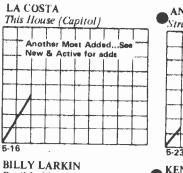


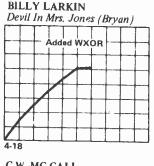


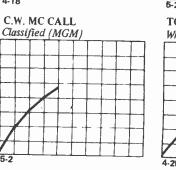


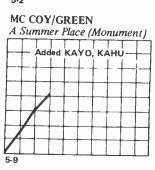


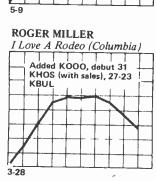


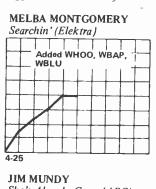


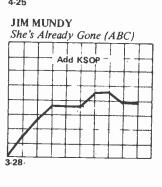


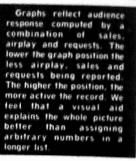


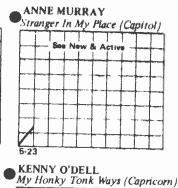


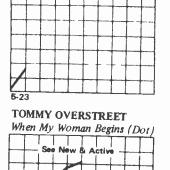


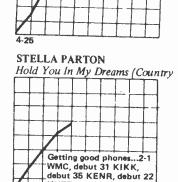




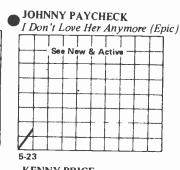


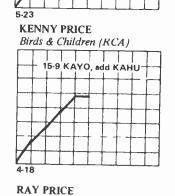






KUZZ, added WCMS







WHOK-FM

SUSAN RAYE

4-25

DEL REEVES

WHOK-FM

BOBBY G. RICE

Fredda Comes (GRT)

MARTY ROBBINS

It Takes Faith (MCA)

BETTY JEAN ROBINSON

Add KFOX

On Silver Wings (4-Star)

Puttin' In Overtime (UA)

dded KOOO, KHEY, KRAK,

Ghost Story (Capitol)

New & Active

COUNTR

Astirisk (*) denotes records Most Added this week

KHEY/EL PASO

Johnny Rodriguez Don Gibson

Don Gibson
Del Reeves
Jessi Colter &
Ray Price
Kenny O'Dell
George Hamilton IV
Conway Twitty

Tom T. Hall* Anne Murray

Connie Smith George Morgan

Merle Haggard

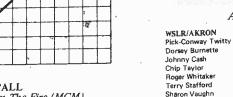
Jacky Ward Billy Parker Price Mitchell

Freddy Weller Buck White Kris & Rita

WBAP/FORT WORTH

WFRL/FREEPORT, ILL

Melba Montgomery





TILLIS / BRYCE

Mr. Right/Mrs. Wrong (MGM)

Add KLAC, V KHOS, WHN



Margo Smith Conway Twitty Jerry Jordan

WHK/CLEVELAND

Jeris Ross Connie Eaton Charlie Rich Tom T. Hall* Johnny Paycheck

Jacky Ward

Anne Murray

Rex Allen, Jr. Stoney Edwards Melody Allen Bobby Penn Charlie Rich Mac Davis

Merle Haggard Eddie Raven Tom T. Hall*

Freddy Weller Narvel Felts Johnny Russell Bobby G. Rice Bill Anderson Connie Smith Connie Eaton

Johnny Carver Kenny O'Dell Diana Trask Mike Kirby Wallis Sisters

KBOX/DALLAS

Pick-M, Haggard Dottsy Donny & Marie Gary Stewart

WONE/DAYTON Conway Twitty Eddie Rabbitt

Frenchie Burke Dave Dudley Cal Smith

KERE/DENVER

Hank Thompso

Rex Allen, Jr

Hank Thomps Gene Watson

Buddy Alar

Shelia Tilton Kenny O'Dail Tommy Overstreet Joe Stampley

WHO/DES MOINES

Pick-M, Haggard*

WDEE/DETROIT

Johnny Rodriguez Gary Stewart

Johnny Paycheck Guy Mitghell

Guy Mitchell Rex Allen, Jr. Billy Thunderkloud Herik Thompson Bobby Vinton Ray Price Kenny O'Dell

Mac Davis

Jan Howard KLAK/DENVER

Fluis Preslev

Mac Davis Judy Lynn (flip) Kenny O'Dell

WUBE/CINCINNATI

KUZZ/BAKERSFIELD

WPLO/ATLANTA

Merle Haggard

Johnny Paycheck

Roy Rogers

Tom T. Hall* Tillis & Bryce Kenny O'Dell

WESC/GREENVILLE, S.C. Anne Murray Ray Price Tom T, Hall* Johnny Paycheck Amazing Rhythm Aces Elvis Presley Diana Trask Merle Haggard* La Costa Gary Stewart Gene Watson KAHU/HAWAII KBFW/BELLINGHAM, WS

Lloyd Green/C. McCoy Merle Haggard* Roy Head La Costa* Kenny Price Johnny Russell Johnny Paycheck Sharon Vaughn Dottie West Jeris Ross WJJD/CHICAGO KENR/HOUSTON Gene Watson Tom T. Hall* Elvis Presley WMAO/CHICAGO Linda Ronstadt Tanya Tucker (MCA)

Mac Davis
Kenny O'Dell
Johnny Paycheck
Billy Thunderkloud
Tom T. Hall*
Amazing Rhythm'A
Charlie McCoy KIKK/HOUSTON Mac Davis
Johnny Paycheck
Gary Stewart
C.W. McCall
Billy Thunderkloud
Amazing Rhythm Aces
Tillis & Bryce WIRE/INDIANAPOLIS

Mac Davis

Mac Davis

Tom T. Hall*

Jerry Jordan

Tommy Overstreet

Jeris Ross

Conway Twitty

Pick-La Costa* WJQS/JACKSON, MISS

WJOS/JACKSON, M Charlie Rich Dottsy Merle Haggard* Rita Remington Billy Thunderkloud Kris & Rita Ray Price Barbara Fairchild Lois Johnson La Costa* Gary Stewart KCKN/KANSAS CI wmni/columbus, ohio WPNX/COLUMBUS, OHIO KCKN/KANSAS CITY Roy Rogers La Costa" Anne Murray Dr. Hook Gary Stewart

Kendalis Tom T. Hall* Kenny O'Dell Wallis Sisters Waylon Jenning Leona Williams Charlie McCoy Mac Davis June Carter Cash Hank Thompson Diana Trask WHOK-FM/LANCASTER WHOK-PM/LANCASIER
Pick-Boomer Castleman
Roger Whitaker
La Costa*
Eddie Raven
Susan Raye
Joe Stampley
Del Reeves
Buddy Alan

KFOX/LONG BEACH Tommy Overstreet Betty Jean Robinson Connie Smith Connie Smith Terry Stafford Tom T. Hall * Johnny Rodriguez * Conway Twitty Brian Shaw

KLAC/LOS ANGELES Conway Twitty Tillis & Bryce Johnny Radriguez (both)

WINN/LOUISVILLE Kris & Rite Gary Stewart Eddle Rabbitt La Costa

WMC/MEMPHIS

La Costa* Tom T, Hall* Tompall Tanya Tucker (Col) Dickey Lee

WWOK/MIAMI Merle Haggard* Tom T, Hall* La Costa* KTCR/MINNEAPOLIS Pick-Hank Thom Pick-Hank Thomps Roy Rogers Merle Haggard * Johnny Rodriguez * Conway Twitty Vicki Fletcher

KWMT/FORT DODGE, IOWA WITNI/MOBILE Donna Fargo Tom T. Hall* Johnny Paycheck Ray Price

WBAM/MONTGOMERY Pick Johnny Carvel Rex Allen, Jr. Gary Stewart Johnny Paycheck Buddy Alan George Morgan Brenda Pepper Olivia Newton-Joh Olivia Newton-John Tom T, Hall* Anne Murray

WXOR/MUSCLES SHOALES Larry Hosford George & Tammy Billy Larkin

WHN/NEW YORK Tillis & Bryce Billy Thunderkloud Lois Johnson C.W. McCall Connie Smith Bill Black Combo

WCMS/NORFOLK Pick-Billy Thunderk loud Stella Parton Johnny Rodriguez Chip Taylor Susan Raye

KNEW/OAKLAND Jerry Jordan Frenchie Burke Gene Watson Dave Dudley C.W. McCall Tommy Overstreet Conway Twitty

KOOO/OMAHA Anne Murray
Hank Thompson
Johnny Paycheck
Rex Allen, Jr.
Johnny Rodriguez*
Connie Smith
Del Reeves
Roger Miller
Merle Haggard*

WHOO/ORLANDO WHOO/ORLANDO Pick-Tom T. Hall* Melba Montgomery Billy Swan Rex Allen, Jr. Johnny Carver Anne Murray Freddy Weller Kenny O'Dell Dottsy Dottsy Ray Price Wallis Sisters WXCL/PEORIA, ILL Freddy Weller

Heddy Weller
Hoyt Axton
Johnny Rodriguez
Merle Haggard
Gene Watson
Tom T, Hall
Terry Stubbs
La Costa* KJJJ/PHOENIX Tom T, Hall*
Johnny Rodriguez*
Conway Twitty
Bobby G, Rice Chip Taylor Fargo Tanner

KTUF/PHOENIX Tom T, Hali*
Stoney Edwards
Ray Price
Johnny Carver
Johnny Paycheck
Kenny O'Dell WEEP/PITTSBURGH Conway Twitty Charlie Rich

Roy Head Margo Smith KPOK/PORTLAND

Hank Thompson Kenny O'Dell Brian Shaw Fargo Tanner Johnny Rodriguez Jeris Ross

KWJJ/PORTLAND Leona Williams George Morgan Tompall

Ray Price Billy Thursderkloud Buddy Alan Waylon Jannings Red Simpson Johnny Radriguez* Merte Haggard*

WEET/RICHMOND

Bobby Bare Johnny Hodriguez* Conway Twitty Bill Anderson Jerry Jordan Charlie Rich

WBLU/ROANOKE WBLU/ROANOKI La Costa* Jerry Max Lane Merle Haggard* Marie Owens Mac Davis Johnny Paycheck Connie Smith Barbara Fairchild Melba Montgorner

KRAK/SACRAMENTO KRAK/SACRAMES
Diana Trask
La Costa*
Roy Acuff
Stonewall Jackson
Johnny Paycheck
Johnny Rodriguez*
Brian Shaw
Del Reeves
Rex Allen, Jr.
Brenda Pepper

WWJO/ST, CLOUD, MINN

Jeris Ross Charlie Rich Bobby Bare Merle Haggard

WIL/ST. LOUIS Bill Black Combo Mac Davis Tom T. Hall* Billy Parker Pick-Johnny Rodriguez*

WSUN/ST. PETERSBURG Marshall Tucker

Susan Raye Tom T. Hall* Johnny Rodriguez* Dottsy Jeanne Pruett Sharon Vaughn KSOP/SALT LAKE CITY

ASUP/SALT LAKE
Anne Murray
Hank Thompson
Merle Haggard*
Roy Head
Johnny Paycheck
Tom T. Hall*
Johnny Rodriguez*
Rex Allen, Jr.
Ray Price
Kris & Rita
Johnny Carver Johnny Carve Dottsy La Costa* Connie Eaton Jim Mundy Eddie Raven

KKYX/SAN ANTONIO KKYX/SAN ANT
Pick-M. Haggard*
Jüstin Tubb
La Costa
Ronnie Seesions
Hank Thompson
Donna Fargo
Johnny Paycheck
Orsey Burnette
Diana Trask
Stu Phillips
Anne Murray
Tom T. Hall*
Roy Rogers Roy Rogers Johnny Darrell

KCKC/SAN BERNARDINO Gene Watson Jacky Ward Tom T. Hall* Frenchie Burke Rosemary Clooney

KSON/SAN DIEGO Tom T. Hall *
Conway Twitty
Margo Smith
Hoyt Axton
Johnny Rodriguez *

KAYO/SEATTLE

Tommy Overstreet Gary Stewart Hank Thompson Pick-M. Haggard* Bill Black Combo Kenny O'Dell Charlie McCoy Mac Davis Mac Davis KRMD/SHREVEPORT

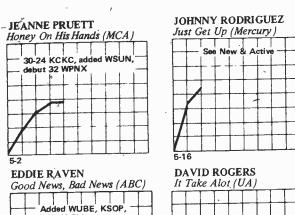
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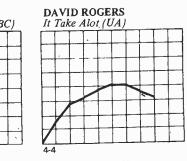
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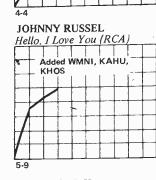
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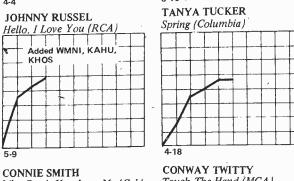
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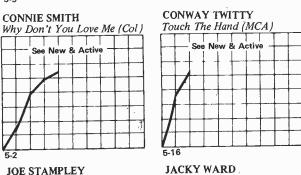
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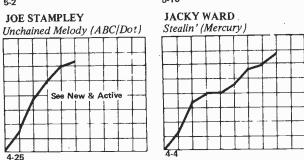


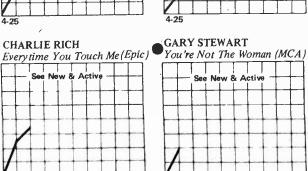


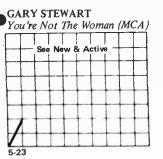


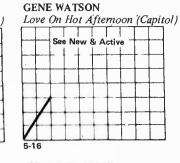


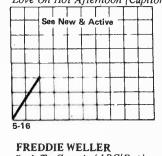


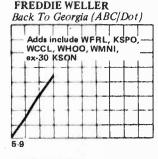


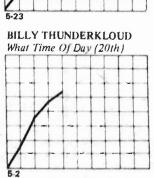


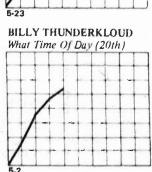


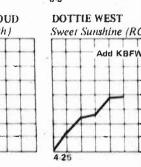




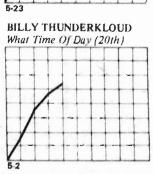


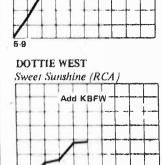












POP

Radio & Records POP/30

5/9 3 2 MICHAEL MURPHEY/Wildfire (Epic) JOHN DENVER/Thank God I'm A Country Boy (RCA) 3 1 CAPTAIN & TENNILLE/Love Will Keep Us Together (A&M) 5 CARPENTERS/Only Yesterday (A&M) 7 **5** AMERICA/Sister Golden Hair (WB) 13 8 10 **6** GORDON LIGHTFOOT/Rainy Day People (Reprise) 9 11 CHICAGO/Old Days (Columbia) 5 2 TONY ORLANDO & DAWN/He Don't Love You (Elektra) 12 10 PAUL ANKA/I Don't Like To Sleep Alone (UA) 10 NEIL SEDAKA/The Immigrant (Rocket) 4 6 JESSI COLTER/I'm Not Lisa (Capitol). 16 14 19 13 12 RAY STEVENS/Misty (Barnaby) 23 GLADYS KNIGHT/The Way We Were (Buddah) 20 16 14 DON MCLEAN/Wonderful Baby (UA) SEALS & CROFTS/I'll Play For You (WB) 26 21 21 18 16 TANYA TUCKER/Lizzie & The Rainman (MCA) 22 20 MELISSA MANCHESTER/Midnight Blue (Arista) 18 B.J. THOMAS/Another Somebody...Song (ABC) 11 6 19 LINDA RONSTADT/When Will I Be Loved (Capitol) 24 22 28 FRANKIE VALLI/Swearin' To God (Private Stock) 9 12 21 ROGER WHITTAKER/The Last Farewell (RCA) 22 MAJOR HARRIS/Love Won't Let Me Wait (Atlantic) 29 26 28 27 23 FRANK SINATRA/Anytime (Reprise) 24 TEACH-IN/Ding-A-Dong (Philips). 25 HAYWARD & LODGE/I Dreamed Last Night (Threshold) 26 SHA NA NA/(Just Like) Romeo & Juliet (Kama Sutra)

FIRST CLASS/Funny How Love Can Be (UK)

NEIL DIAMOND/The Last Picasso (Columbia)

28 10CC/I'm Not In Love (Mercury)

30 VAN MCCOY/The Hustle (Avco)

RADIO NEWS

30

WWDC—WASHINGTON

Station held a live broadcast from the area's biggest garage sale last Sunday. Station invited its listeners to come out and participate in the trading, or just simply browse around. Station personalities Johnny Holliday, James Michael Wilson, Dick Hemby, Bob Benson and Camille hosted the fund-raising project. Proceeds from the \$1.00 entrance fee will go to the Prince George County Unit of the American Cancer Society and the Largo High School Band.

KOY-PHOENIX

Station ran a "What's In The Bread Box" contest. Listeners were given hourly clues in order to "precisely" identify the contents of the KOY Bread Box. Winner was given a choice of a brand new boat, a new car, a diamond ring or \$2,500 in cash. Winner took the cash.

WCBM-BALTIMORE

Dexter Beane, stations music director, married the former Jan Brandhoff of Baltimore, May 3 in that city. The newly weds spent a week at various resort areas in celebration.

NEW REPORTERS

R&R would like to welcome Tom McKay, music director of KNX-FM-Los Angeles and Rick McCaffrey, MD at WKIP-Poughkeepsie, N.Y. to our family of Pop reporters.



Sonny Melendrez, weekend personality from KMPC radio in Los Angeles is the happy winner of the recent Redbone "Only You and Rock and Roll" contest which was run through R&R. Shown presenting the prize, a silver and turquoise necklace, are Tony Bellamy and Lolly Vegas of Redbone, Sonny Melendrez, and Pat Vegas of Redbone. Redbone is presently touring Canada with Grand Funk Railroad.

TYLER INTERVIEW
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NEW & ACTIVE

BOBBY VINTON

Wooden Heart (ABC)

Polish power continues ... first week adds include WIP, KEX, WTAE, WGN, KFI.

OLIVIA NEWTON-JOHN Please Mr. Please (MCA)

Play is from LP, in anticipation of single. Add KULF, WCMI, WTAE, WSM, KOY.

CARLY SIMON
Attitude Dancing (Elektra)

Looks solid ... add KWAV, KDIG, WFIR, KSD, KAKE, K101, WNEU.

OTHER STRONG ACTION: MAC DAVIS "Burnin' Thing" (Columbia) add KIIS, WREC, WSB. C.W. MCCALL "Classified" (MGM) Add KCRA, KWAV, hot at KNBR, KSD, WGN. MFSB "Sexy" (Phy-Int) add KNBR, WGN, WMAL. MIKE POST "Rockford Files" (MGM) Add KMEN, KCRA reports hot. **JOHN** STEWART "Survivors" (RCA) still blazing hot at KHOW, add KULF, K101. HERB ALPERT "Coney Island" (A&M) Add KHOW, KVI. HAMILTON, JOE FRANK & REYNOLDS "Fallin" In Love" (Playboy) add WREC, WCMI, WIP. CHARLIE RICH "Everytime You Touch Me" (Epic) add WIP, KWAV, WCMI, WGN, WMAL. JAMES TAYLOR "How Sweet It Is" (WB) Add KNX-FM, WIP, KNBR, WASH. DONNY & MARIE OSMOND "Make The World Go Away" (MGM) add WMAL, KEX, WGN.
SAM NEELY "Sanctuary" (A&M) add KFL ELLIOT LURIE
"Think I'm Fallin' In Love" (Epic) add WHOK, WREC. JUDY COLLINS "Send In The Clowns" (Elektra) hot LP action, just out as a single, big play expected. SOUTHER, HILLMAN & FURAY "Mexico" (Elektra) KIIS, KWAV. BLOOD, SWEAT & TEARS "Got To Get You Into My Life" (Columbia) Add KAKE, KFI, ANNE MURRAY "Dream Lover" (Capitol) add WSB, KFI. ENGELBERT HUMPERDINCK "Forever & Ever" (Parrot) add WGN, WIP, BEEGEES "Jive Talkin" (RSO) add WFIR.

POP NOTES

BY MIKE KASABO



The industry thrives on excitement. The release of Elton John's latest album "Captain Fantastic And The Brown Dirt Cowboy" proves it. Not since the Beatles have I witnessed the frantic rush to the nearest turntable. It's much too early to get a line on what the single will be. However, we've noted extremely strong reaction to the last cut on side one "Someone Saved My Life Tonight."

Melissa Manchester's "Midnight Blue" reporting hot at WHOK, KHOW and is new at WNEU, WREC (actually a re-add), KCRA.

The Hayward & Lodge single "I Dreamed Last Night" picked up loads of new play . . . add KOY, WHIO, WASH, WFIR, KDIG, KCRA, KULF, KNX-FM, KHOW, WSPA. All this activity is no big surprise in light of the fact that Hayward & Lodge come from one of the most popular groups ever . . . The Moody Blues.

The delay in getting out Olivia Newton-John's single "Please Mr. Please" hasn't hurt the airplay pattern at all . . . check New & Active.

Van McCoy's "The Hustle" which has been around for several months, has now jumped into the mainstream of things by charting No. 30 on this week's Pop-30. Latest adds include: KSD, KOY, KVI, KULF. Two other instrumentals are picking up steam very fast . . . "El Bimbo" by Bimbo Jet on Scepter is starting to report hot in several markets . . . St. Louis, Des Moines, Chicago, San Francisco. "Gypsy Fox" Jan Davis Guitar on Ranwood seems to be following up nicely to his last one . . . add WHIO, KDIG.

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Some brand new releases to be on the lookout for: "Who is He?"
Bill Withers (Sussex), "Rhinestone Cowboy" Glen Campbell (Capitol), "All Alone Am I" Wayne Newton (Chelsea), "Ain't No Love" Tom Jones, "Forever And Ever" Engelbert Humperdinck (Parrot), "Changing Horses" Dan Fogelberg (Epic), "The Seeker" Dolly Parton (RCA), "One Man Band" Leo Sayer (WB), "Rag Doll" Sammy Johns (GRC)

We had the chance to sneak preview the new Charlie Rich albumthis week. Over all production is very polished, very up-town sounding. Included in the LP is Rich's version of the 1963 Lenny Welch smash "Since I Fell For You," "Pass On By"...which strikes me as 'symphonic blues', and a very mellow country cut "All Over Me." Album is due any day now.

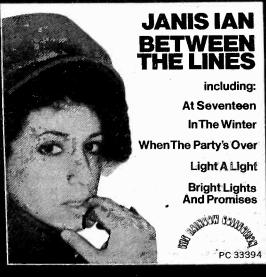
Good response to several cuts from the Jon Mark album at WMAL... "Joey" and "Signal Hill." B.J. Thomas getting good play at KRNTon "Crying" from his latest set.

"Maiden In Spain" Jan Davis spinning well at KFI. And the LP cut of the week (now a single) is "How Sweet It is" James Taylor . . . on WASH, WIP, KNBR, KNX-FM.

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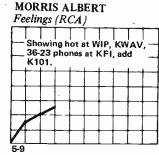
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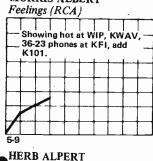
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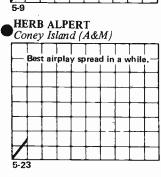
Add KDIG, WHIO.

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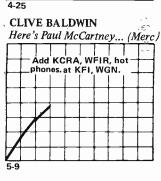
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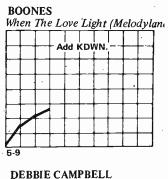


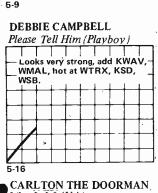


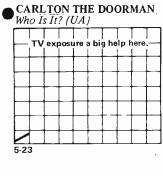


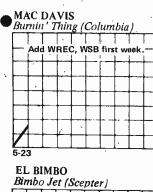


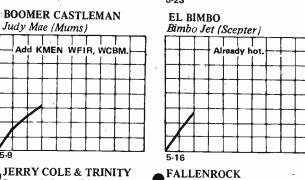


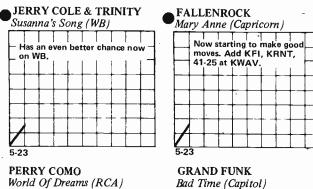


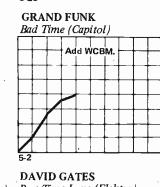


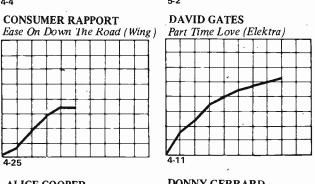


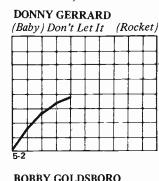


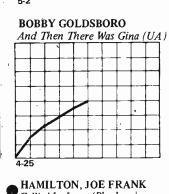


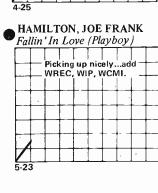


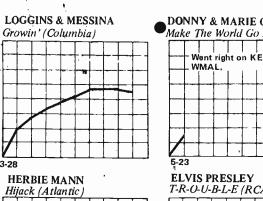


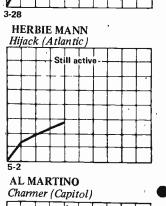


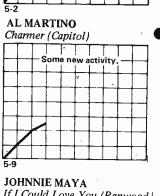


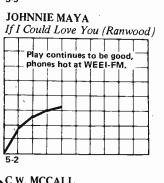




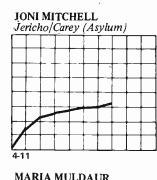


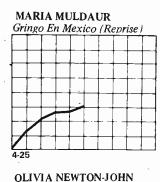


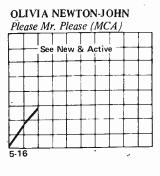


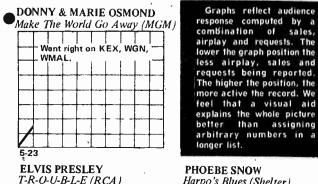


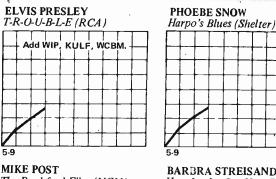


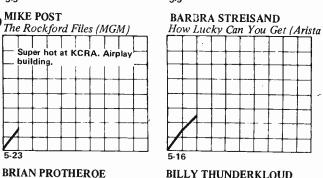


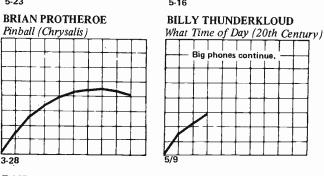


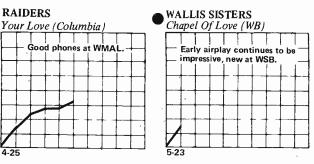


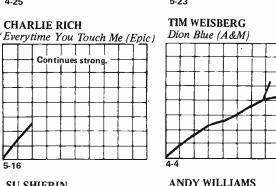


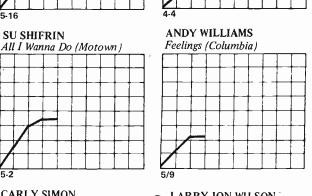


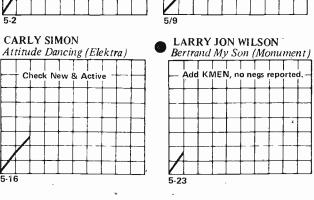












KOY-PHOENIX Chicago Jessi Colter Major Harris Hayward & Lodge

Jessi Colter Teach-In KSD-ST. LOUIS

Andy Williams Van McCoy Neil Diamond Debbie Campbell-PHONES

WSM-NASHVILLE Ted Neeley Olivia Newton-John

HOT Paul Anka Barry Kaye Bee Gees

KI01-SAN FRANCISCO

Carly Simon Morris Albert Sky King AWB John Stewart PHONES Roger Whittaker Olivia Newton-John

WMAL-WASHINGTON Donny & Marie Osmond Bimbo Jet Charlie Rich MFSB HOT Raiders Teach-In 10CC

KAKE-WICHITA Carly Simon Tanya Tucker Blood, Sweat & Tears

Teach-In KVI-SEATTLE Frankie Valli Van McCov Herb Alpert

WSB-ATLANTA Anne Murray (Dream) Eddie Rabbitt Herman's Hermits Judy Lynn Wallis Sisters PHONES

Billy Thunderkloud Al Martino J. Colter "Come On In" WTRX-FLINT

Teach-In Evie Sands Phoebe Snow HOT Seals & Crofts Debbie Campbell Tanya Tucker Gladys Knight

KRNT-DES MOINES Fallenrock Horthern Light (nite)
PHONES
Bimb Bimbo Jet

WHIO-DAYTON 10CC

Johnnie Maya Hayward & Lodge Danny O'Keefe George Fischoff Hoyt Axton Tanya Tucker Su Shifrin Jan Davis HOT Don McLean

WGN-CHICAGO

Bohby Vinton Donald Byrd Herman's Hermits Donny & Marie Osmond Charlie Rich Judy Collins Del Shannon Henry Mancini Conway Twitty Engelbert Humperdinck Gilbert O'Sullivan

KMPC-LOS ANGELES

Clive Baldwin

Tanya Tucker Ray Stevens (re-add) Doobie Bros Gladys Knight

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WASH-WASHINGTON Hayward & Lodge Phoebe Snow Neil Diamond HOT Van McCov Gordon Lightfoot Michael Murphey Captain & Tennille **Judy Collins**

J. Taylor "How Sweet" WCBM-BALTIMORE Grand Funk Elvis Presley Boomer Castleman Consumer Rapport

KDWN-LAS VEGAS Marie Muldaur Seals & Crofts Neil Diamond Boones Cantain & Tennille Roger Miller PHONES Michael Murphey

WCMI-ASHLAND

Charlie Rich Hamilton, Joe Frank Olivia Newton-John Teach-In Consumer Rapport Elton (Pinball-nites) Sha Na Na Linda Ronstadt

WEEI-FM-BOSTON Eric Andersen Waylon Jennings

Karen Alexander **PHONES** Johnnie Maya Judy Collins 🥃

KEX-PORTLAND **Bobby Vinton** Donny & Marie Osmond Don McLean PHONES Roger Whittaker Ray Stevens Michael Murphey Frank Sinatra

KSD-ST LOUIS Tommy Roe Carly Simon Carry Sillion Captain & Tennille Jessi Colter PHONES Seals & Crofts Gordon Lightfoot

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KFI-LOS ANGELES Frankie Valli Phoebe Snow

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KDIG-SAN DIEGO

Tanya Tucker Frankie Valli Hayward & Lo Donny Gerrard Neil Diamond Jan Davis Randy Edelman Carly Simon PHONES Frankie Valli

KWAV-MONTEREY

Wallis Sisters Debbie Campbell Charlie Rich Ray Stevens Ray Stevens
Souther, Hillman & Furay
Carly Simon
Herman's Hermits
C.W. McCall
HOT America 1st Class Fallenrock Morris Albert

KCRA-SACRAMENTO

Seals & Crofts Melissa Manchester Gladys Knight Hayward & Lodge Barbra Streisand (Arista) Neil Diamond Clive Baldwin Frankie Valli Andy Williams C.W. McCall Major Harris 10CC Phones: WREC-MEMPHIS Mac Davis Hamilton, Joe Frank & Reynolds Elliot Lurie Gladys Knight Melissa Manchester (re-add) Elvis Presley

KULF-HOUSTON 1QCC Teach-In Hayward & Lodge Elvis Presley Olivia Newton-John Neil Diamond

Tanya Tucker

KMEN-SAN BERNARDINO

Boomer Castleman Mike Post Larry Jon Wilson Frankie Válli Teach-In-1st Class

KIIS-LOS ANGELES Hayward & Lodge Maria Muldaur Four Tops Tanya Tucker Boz Scaggs Mac Davis Souther, Hillman & Furay

WRAL-BALTIMORE Arlee Harden Henry Mancin

Judy Lynn WGR-BUFFALO

America KNBR-SAN FRANCISCO Dan Fogelberg Mac & Katie Kissoon Billy Swan MFSB Gilbert O'Sullivan HOT

C.W. McCall KNX-FM-LOS ANGELES Eric Clapton Marlena Shaw Sam Neely Peter Frampton

Bill Withers Hayward & Lodge Don McLean PHONES J. Baez "Dida" KHOW-DENVER

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Hayward & Lodge Teach-In HOT Chicago Gladys Knight Guess Who Alice Cooper

WMTS-FM--MURFREESBORO Rick Nelson 1st Class Phoebe Snow

WIP-PHILADELPHIA Elvis Presley (nite) Engelbert Humperdinck Bobby Vinton (day) Charlie Rich Paul Williams
Hamilton, Joe Frank
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Tyler

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10 hours a day, and most days more than that, maybe 12 or 14.

R&R: How is your relationship with other programmers and radio people in your markeet?

TYLER: Let me tell you that that's one of the real good parts of this business, and I guess I have a reputation of being a grouch and a bastard, and I am! But some of the people that I've met, I guess It would be in any other business too, but a guy like Jay Cook is a real pleasure to know, because I find him to be a superguy, and I know we're competitors, and all that, but recently I was asked if I would talk, or be involved in some panels at another convention, and the question was raised "supposing you and Jay were on the same panel, would that work? Can you function or would it become one of those personal things that nobody really cares about?" I said hey, there's nobody I enjoy sitting down with more to have dinner with or sit and talk to than Jay Cook and Butterball Tamburowho's at WDAS AM-FM in town.

To a degree we're all competitors, but these guys ... the pleasures that I get are being able to sit down and talk to these guys, not necessarily about business, so we may fight tooth and nail all day long, when the work day's done I've made some pretty fine relationships. I may not show it when I talk to him on the phone or when they come into my office, but I really care about them. That goes for radio people in general and in the record business, believe it, or not.

R&R: Jay Cook still wants to know what happened to your 18 to 34's. TYLER: The only thing I can say about that is, we just got a Pulse In, and Pulse has done some revisions in it, and ás i told you before, 18 to 34 hey you know, we get hurt, but we have to target in on something, so 25-49 is out target, and when you break out the 18 to 34 into 25 to 34, which is what we have to go for ... you can't be all things to all people. I agree, and Jay and I have talked about this, you've got to think of tomorrow, but the point is that if a station Is doing all talk, they're doing it for the dollars they can make today, and you worry about tomorrow as you go, and if WIP wasn't interested in where tomorrow is gonna be, we would still be playing mostly Tony BennettandFrank Sinatra and etc., which we don't do anymore.

We are contemporizing, there's no question that you have to keep pace with that ever-maturing audience. But who's to really say, if you boil it down, that those that are 18 to 24 today are gonna dig what they do dig today, when they hit 25 to 30 to 35, they may be right where the 30 year old of today is, I don't know, I don't think anybody else knows. And with the one thing that's happened in Philadelphia which I think is one of the most active radio markets in the country, is the great fragmentation of audience and the highly diversified formats that are available. If we wanted to make it a super dog fight with a WFIL tomorrow, who knows who would win. There's no queston that it's very smart of them to be interested in 18 to 34. I can remember the day when WFIL was only interested in the teens up to maybe 24, now they're looking 18-34, and that's smart on their part. But we cannot afford at this point to forsake anybody we can get between 18 and 34 and totally wipe out our 35 to 49, that's still a super buying audience to us.

R&R: Do you have any designs to get into management eventually?

TYLER: Not too many. In fact-I'm very seriously considering getting out of radio.

R&R: You really are? TYLER: Yep.

R&R: Do we have a scoop here? TYLER: I think a lot of people that are around me know that I'm a little tired of it, I think an awful lot of radio has gotten very sterile.

R&R: Back to TV?

TYLER: I don't know. Maybe into the music business. I've had a lot of success in that, I guess as a fringe person, sort of walking the line between radio and TV. A program manager has a lot less time to spend in creativity and a lot more that he has to spend in reports and getting licenses and worrying about the business of radio, and that's fine, but I miss some of the creativity.

We have a relatively small staff here, certainly a small programming staff, and there are a lot of times when I'm busy doing reports andworrying about business things. I would like to be in the studio doing "my thing," quote, unquote. There was a time when I did a lot of that, I miss that a little bit. With all the problems that there are in radio and the music industry sometimes I think there's a little more room for creativity in the music business as this point, because I guess in some ways it's younger.

R&R: A lot of people have done just that, Bob Sherwood for one example is now with Columbia.

TYLER: I don't know that that's for me, I don't say management isn't, but one thing that I think, we have a general manager here who is a beautiful guy and who started out on the air, and then into programming, and one thing that a programmer who gets in general management has to remember, is that he's now a general manager and he has to be just that, general. He cannot fall back on his strength, which supposedly would have been in programming it that's where he came from. I would worry very much that Dean Tyler, General Manager, would still be trying to pick records and still be involved in programming, and that would be a disaster for any guy that worked for me. That's just why I don't play golf more, because I have a violent temper. And golf is a bad game for me then. R&R: Would you throw your clubs?

TYLER: | would, | don't do it anymore, because my son is a good golfer and he humbles me. I just don't play golf for that reason, and that may be a bad comparison but what I'm saying is, I wouldn't want to be a general manager who is constantly in the programming department. And I'm afraid that I would be. So, and this is all in my head, I haven't made any decisions yet, but I'm thinking if I'm gonna go into management, and there has been a lot of pressure to do that, would I be a bad general manager, would I be able to be what a GM is supposed to be, or would I be continually dabbling into the areas that I felt were the strongest for me?

And that takes a certain amount of strength to say heylook, I was in programming and I was on the air but god damn it I've got a guy working for me now, I hired him to do that, so I've got to leave that alone and I've got to worry about the other areas, which although I'm familiar with, I know less about, and that is the overall operation of the station, and again the bottom line and all of that. I just wonder if I have that kind of discipline, or whether I'd be saying to the PD, god damn it, this guy's not right, or that record's wrong, or you should be doing this, or let's dothis kind of promotion. I could never tolerate that working for a general manager, and I wouldn't want to be that kind of a general manager. I don't know that that's really what's for me. But something different has to be.

R&R: So you do feel a change coming up, in some direction?

TYLER: Absolutely, very soon.

Continued from page 30 CONNIE EATON"If I Knew Enough To Come Out of The Rain" (ABC) adds

KSOP, WMNI DONNA FARGO "Hello, Little Bluebird" (ABC-Dot) added WUNI, WINN,

GEORGE MORGAN "From This Moment On" (Four Star) added KERE, WBAM, KWJJ, WHO, KWMT.

CHARLIE MC COY "Juke" (Monument) added KSPO, KAYO, KENR, BRENDA PEPPER "You Bring Out The Best In Me" (Playboy) adds at

WBAM, KRAK, KRMD ROY ROGERS "Cowboy Heaven" (20th) added at WPLO, KTCR, KCKN,

KKYX BILLY SWAN "Woman Handled My Mind" (Monument) added KSPO, WHOO

BRIAN SHAW "You Burned The Love" (RCA) more adds include KFOX, KPOK, KRAK, WHO, KRMD. CHIPTAYLOR "Early Sunday Morning" (WB) starting to pick up a bit ... 32-

23 WHOO, more adds at KAHU, WSLR, WCMS, KJJJ. FARGO TANNER "Don't Drop It" (AVCO) added KJJJ, KPOK.

SHARON VAUGHN "The Fire That Burns At Home" (ABC-Dot) added

WSUN, WSLR, KBFW. WALLIS SISTERS "Chapel of Love" (WB) added WPNX, WHOO, KHOS,

RECORD **INDUSTRY NOTES**

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Louis. Eric is featuring Yvonne Elliman (of Jesus Christ' Superstar fame) with a surprise superstar guest being hinted at by promoters Robert Stigwood lavid Gates, is on tour this week in the states marking it his first since his split with the popular group... Stevie Wonder's former producer, Clarence Paul, has turned performer with his first album "I'm In Love Again" on London being released sometime next month. Clarence wrote "Hitchhike" and "Fingertips" among many other smash songs for Stevie, Marvin Gaye, Gladys Knight, Mary Wells, Smokey Robinson, etc... Atlantic has signed Philadephia disco band, Tramps, which is composed of the rhythm section of the MFSB...

The new Spinners album, "Pick Up The Litter," will be out in June as produced by Thom Bell... Roxy lead singer, Bryan Ferry, will be heading into the studio this summer with Arif Mardin to produce a solo album for him... Bob Crewe's Eleventh Hour (the group who had the original 'Lady Marmalade') has finished up a session for a new single aimed at the disco market.. A big hello to the Phonogram-Mercury family who are heading out to Chicago for a weekend powwow with their new distributors, Phonodisc, The entire personnel of the label including the promotion, sales, A&R, publicity and executive staffs will meet with the Phonodisc people to discuss and plan their mutual futures together ...

MCCARTNEY & WINGS Listen To What The Man Said (Capitol)

Almost 50 percent of our reporters added it this week several did not get their copies in time. Add KHJ, KFRC, WPGC, WBBQ, KJR, see Parallels.

RAY STEVENS Misty (Barnaby)

20 percent of our stations reported it this week.Add WF1L, 22-20 WIXY, 22-20 KIOA, add WDRC, see Parallels.

EAGLES

One Of These Nights (Asylum)

Added at 20 percent of our reporting stations, WSAI, WPGC, KJR, WCAO, 40-37 WCFL, 25-23 KRIZ, see Parallels.

ELVIS PRESLEY T-R-O-U-B-L-E (RCA)

20 percent of our reporters on it, some good movement, 12-11 WQX1, 39-33 WJON, 20-17 WHBQ, 31-26 WSGA, see Parallels.

MELISSA MANCHESTER Midnight Blue (Arista)

20 percent of our reporting stations are on it, picked up nice adds and had some very good top 15 chart action: 26-10 WCOL, 17-12 WJDX, 16-14 KEEL, add WSAI, WHBQ, KJR, see Parallels.

WAR

Why Can't We Be Friends (UA)

20 percent of our stations are on it, 10-8 KSLQ, 27-22 KTKT, 29-20 KQWB, 23-16 KKXL, 26- 20 KEEL, see Parallels.

MIKE POST "The Rockford Files" (MGM) 23-16 KJRB, 33-27 WCOL, 27--21 KCPX, 36-31 WEAQ, 31-22 KRSP, 2-5 KEEL, add 29 KAFY, debut 36 WBBQ, add WVOV, KKXL, WNCI, KKLS, WJON, KDON, on WSAR, WORC, WJDX,

KJR. GWEN MCCRAE "Rockin' Chair" (Cat) 29-18 WSGA; 25-17 WJDX, 7-1 WQAM, add KILT, debut 24 WQXI, 39-21 WBBQ, 1-1 WMYQ, 20-14 WRMA, debut 30 WAKY, debut 38 WFOM, debut 21 WDRQ, debut 24 WVOP, 8-18 at Y100, add WRFC, WROV, on WORC. ~

OLIVIA NEWTON-JOHN "Please Mr. Please" (MCA) Mostly off of requests, 26-18 WJDX, 29-27 KFRC, 30-15 WSAI, 31-24 KCPX, on WQXI, WGNG, add WRFC, WERC, KTKT, WZUU, debut 26 KJRB, debut 31 KKXL, debut 40 WFOM, debut 24 KTLK, 26-25 WRIE, 34-33 WSGA, debut 27 KKLS. KISS "Rock & Roll All Nite" (Casablanca) 26-19 KQWB, 27-17 WBBF, 32-26 WNCI, 5-4 at U100, 25-22 WACI, 28-23 KKLS 35-33 WCOL, 33-27 KKXL, 21-20 WJON, add K100, WYSL, KJRB, WYRE, on KINT, WSAR.

BEE GEES "Jive Talkin" (RSO) 30-26 WISM26-20 WSAR, 40-34 KWQB, 30-27 WJON, add 39 WBBQ, add WSAI, KRSP, WNAM, WEAQ, KREM, KOL, KEEL, debut 28 WBGN, on KING, KSTP.

ELTON JOHN "Someone Saved My Life" (MCA) LP cut) seems to be surfacing as the premiere cut from the Captain Fantastic album, add at: KHJ, CKLW, WDRQ, KCBQ, WPGC, KDWB, WRKO, 99X, WHBQ; WMYQ, KAKC, U100, Z96, WAVZ.

NORTHERN LIGHT "Minnesota" (Columbia) 14-10 KQWB, 2-2 KSTP, 7-6 KKXL, 6-5 WOSH, 1-2 KDWB, 28-26 WCOL, 25-24 at U100, 5-4 WEAQ, 27-20 WNCI, 1-1 WJON, 14-4 WAKX, debut 29 KKLS, 20-25 KILE, add WNAM, the record is definately proving itself in markets outside of Minneapolis.

GLEN CAMPBELL "Rhinestone Cowboy" (Capitol) debut 28 KHJ, debut 29 WRKO, add WQXI, WFOM, WJDX, WIBG, WRFC, KCPX, WORC, KING, KOL, KSLY, WBBQ, add 32 KEEL.

STYX "You Need Love" (Wooden Nickel) 38-34 WEEO, 25-23 KQWB, 33-26 WEAQ, 28-27 KRSP, 27-27 KIOA, 28-26 KCPX, 16-16 KRIZ, 21-21 KKLS, 19-28 KKXL, on KYSN, WVOP, WISM, KINT, add WROK.

GLADYS KNIGHT "Way We Were-Try To Remember" (Buddah) 20-15 WDRQ, 17-10 WORC, 29-19 WIXY, 38-33 WCFL, 18-16 WOW, add CKLW, 31-24 KDON, debut 34 WBBQ, add 29 WLEE, 36-31 WRIE, add WRFC, WORG, on WRMA.

CHARLIE DANIELS "Long Haired Country Boy" (Kama Sutra) 22-9 WERC, 28-22 WSGA 10-5 WAKY, 18-15 WBGN, 35-29 WAIR, 31-29 WEEO, 24-23 at U100, add WQXI, add 29 WBBF, add WRFC, WVLK, on WJDX, debut

DISCO TEX "I Wanna Dance Wit' Choo" (Chelsea) 14-12 WFIL, 29-23 WOW, 36-22 WCOL, 24-18 WNCI, 25-20 WCAO 28-25 WAIR, add 24 WGCL, 30-29 WGNG, on WVOP, debut 28 WOSH, on WISM, 26-32 WCFL.

BEACH BOYS "Sail On Sailor" (Brother) 15-12 KJOY 13-11 WHBQ, 30-27 KEEL, 28-24 KQWB, debut 20 WRMA, 5-10 KJR, 16-16 KGW, 19-19 WVOV, add K100, WYSL, on WAIR, WBGN.

BAZUKA "Dynomite" (A&M) 19-10 WAKY, 27-19 WCOL, 4-1 WGCL, 16-7 WIXY, 20-15 WERC, add WISM, debut 29 WNCI, 8-4 WRMA, add 30 WMYQ. FIRST CLASS "Funny How Love Can Be" (UK) 31-25 KEEL, 30-29 WIXY,

37-32 WEAQ, 35 32 WACI, 32-32 WEEO, addd KTKT, WGNG, WYSL, KTLK CONSUMOR RAPPORT "Ease On Down the Road" (Wing & Prayer) 5-6 WABC, 13-7 WAV2, 24-19 KDON, 7-6 at 99X, 23-22 WPOP, 28-28 WLEE, debut 26 WSAR, on WVOP, add WYSL.

SAMMY JOHNS "Rag Doll" (GRC) add KQWB, debut 28 WQXI, add 33-KEEL, debut 37 WBBQ, add WYSL, WRFC, WBGN, WORG.

EDDIE KENDRICKS "Shoe Shine Boy" (Motown) .32-30 WIXY, 22-21 CKLW, 28-22 KDON, 21-15 WAIR, 1-4 WVOP, 29-29 WCFL, on WYSL, 19-28 WORG. LYNYRD SKYNYRD "Saturday Night Special" (MCA) 16-13 U100, 6-8 WAPE, add KKXL, WEEO, WSGA, WBGN, KKLS

HOLLIES "Another Night" (Epic) add KYSN, KKLS, KKXL, KREM, WACI nites, on KING, WEEO.

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17	12	5	•	AMERICA/Sister Golden Hair (WB)
9	6	6	2	EARTH WIND & FIRE/Shining Star (Columbia)
6	4	4	6	JOHN DENVER/Thank God I'm A Country Boy (RCA)
20	16	9	(4)	MICHAEL MURPHEY/Wildfire (Epic)
1	2 .	1	5	ELTON JOHN/Philadelphia Freedom (MCA)
15	11	8	6	GRAND FUNK/Bad Time (Capitol)
3	3	3	7	ACE/How Long (Anchor)
2	1 .	2	8	TONY ORLANDO & DAWN/He Don't Love You (Elektra)
23	20	13-	-9	CHICAGO/Old Days (Columbia)
39	24	22	1	CAPTAIN & TENNILLE/Love Will Keep Us Together (A&M)
13	9	16	11	ELTON JOHN/Pinball Wizard (Polydor/S,T.)
26	21	17	1	LINDA RONSTADT/When Will I Be Loved (Capitol)
22	19	14	B	ALICE COOPER/Only Women (Atlantic)
4	5	7	14	B.J. THOMAS/Another SomebodySong (ABC)
N_ 4	28	25	- (1)	DOOBIE BROTHERS/Take Me In Your Arms (WB)
29	25		1	MAJOR HARRIS/Love Won't Let Me Wait (Atlantic)
8	7	11	17	CARPENTERS/Only Yesterday (A&M)
10	10	12	18	QUEEN/Killer Queen (Elektra)
30	23	21	19	JESSI COLTER/I'm Not Lisa (Capitol)
9	8	10	-20	OZARK MT DAREDEVILS/Jackie Blue (A&M)
14	13	15	21	FREDDY FENDER/Before the Next Teardrop Falls (ABC/Dot)
	30	27	22	PILOT/Magic (Capitol)
33	26	24	23	ROGER WHITTAKER/The Last Farewell (RCA)
16	14	19	24	PAUL ANKA/I Don't Like To Sleep Alone (UA)
37	34	29	25	JOE SIMON/Get Down, Get Down (Spring)
18	15	20	26	BLACKBYRDS/Walking In Rhythm(Fantasy)
	35	32	27	BOOMER CASTLEMAN/Judy Mae (Mums)
5	7	18	28	LEO SAYER/Long Tall Glasses (WB)
35	32	30	29	HERBIE MANN/Hijack (Atlantic)
12	22	28	30	SAMMY JOHNS/Chevy Van (GRC)
• 0	38	35	· 31	TAVARES/Remember That I Told You To Forget (Capitol)
	2	38	32	VAN MCCOY/The Hustle (Avco)
	40	34	33	HAROLD MELVIN/Bad Luck, Part I (Phy/Int)
11	18	26	34	BARRY MANILOW/It's A Miracle (Arista)
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-	37	37	36	SUPERTRAMP/Bloody Well Right (A&M)
e.	-	39	37	AVERAGE WHITE BAND/Cut the Cake (Atlantic)
*	•	7	38	CARLY SIMON/Attitude Dancing (Elektra)
4	4	4	39	GWEN MCCRAE/Rockin' Chair (CAT)
-	-	2	40	10CC/I'm Not In Love (Mercury)

THIS CHART IS CALCULATED FROM TOP 40 RADIO STATION AIRPLAY AND CHART MOVEMENT

WET WILLIE "Dixie Rock" (Capricorn) 28-25 WBBQ, 30-24 WROV, debut 40 WEEO, 30-30 WAIR, on WBGN, WFOM. DEL SHANNON "Tell Her No" (Island) add KQWB, WBGN, WAKY,

WEEO, WJON, on WYRE

JOHN REID "It Hurts Even a Little Now" (Arissta) 19-13 WKBW, 13-8 WBBF, add WAKY, 13-13 KDWB, 9-13 WRFC, on U100.

GUESS WHO "Seems Like I Can't Live..." (RCA) 1-1 WAKY, 31-20 WAIR, 11-8 WRMA,, 14-28 WORC, on WBGN, WAMS.

EL BIMBO "Bimbo Jet" (Scepter) debut 29 WSAI, debut 36 KCPX, add WBBQ, on WLEE, WPIX, add WAKY.

OTHERS GETTING SIGNIFICANT ACTION: AMBROSIA (20th) add WVOP, debut 39 KTLK, 38-34 WJON, on U100. HAMILTON, JOE FRANK & REYNOLDS (Playboy) add 28 WBBF, add WBGN, WRMA, WRFC, and several more. KIKI DEE (Rocket) add WNCI, WGNG, 40-34 KTLK, and several others. O'JAYS (Phy-Int) 15-9 WAKY, 23-19 WEEO, add KBEQ and more. BARRY WHITE (20th) add WABC, KEEL, WNCI, WBGN. ELTON JOHN album key cuts other than "Someone Saved My Life" are "Mealticket" on WABC, WBBF, WPGC, and several others, and "Captain Fantastic..." on KHJ, WABC, WBBF and many more. TEMPTATIONS (Motown) 13-11 WPGC 24-21 WVOP, 37-35 WAIR, and several more. FALLENROCK (Capricorn) debut 40 at WCOL, 27-20 WEEO, 36-35 KQWB and more. KOOL & THE GANG (DeLife) add WDRQ, KCBQ, WMYQ, on KINT.

National Request **Tabulation**

1. ELTON JOHN "PINBALL"

2. MICHAEL MURPHEY
3. ELTON JOHN "PHILADELPHIA"

4. CAPTAIN & TENNILLE

5. ALICE COOPER

6. JOHN DENVER

7. PILOT 8. QUEEN

9. AMERICA 10. SAMMY JOHNS