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NATRAns Focus On Airplay Alternatives

ANTIGUA, British West Indies-Product exposure alternatives to ra-dio airplay are available, NATRA convention attendees were told last week at the Halcyon Cove and Anchorage hotels here.

Labels are now offering their acts to the market in visual form via theaters, drive-ins and discos in both full length and short feature films.

The four-day event drew approximately 750 persons.

The standing-room-only crowd of label and radio representatives during a "Promotion And Programming" session also learned that new black-oriented shopping centers are willing to play black product in their clothing stores, furniture stores that (Continued on page 53)

Sony-Paramount Set Home Video Test

NEW YORK—The shaping of the first marketing network for home video hardware and software packages announced last week by Sony and Paramount Pictures will be watched keenly by competitive consumer videotape/disk systems as well as other segments of the entertainment industry.

The uncertain stake of music in the emerging home video mart—no-body really knows what type of "sight" programming will "sell" with top contemporary soundscould become clearer with results of

initial efforts by both Sony/Paramount Home Entertainment Center and the soon-to-be-launched Home Video Inc. rental plan of Teletronics.

Geared to the "razors & blades" concept, the Sony-Paramount joint venture will test a variety of marketing plans under the direction of Les Wunderman, of Wunderman, Ricotta & Kline, market research arm of Young & Rubicam, with tests in at least two major markets within six to 12 months

Certainly the direct marketing (Continued on page 48)

SELLER RETAINS RETAIL CHAIN

Handleman Buys Nehi's Rackjobbing Operation

FBI's Texas Sweep Bags 100,000 Tapes

LOS ANGELES-More than 100 FBI agents have swept through Texas in a series of state-wide raids on more than 75 offbeat outlets in which almost 100.000 alleged pirated 8-track tapes were confiscated.

The music runs the gamut from pop to country to Latin.

The raids, carried out simultaneously from FBI offices in San Antonio. Dallas and Houston, focused primarily on illegal tape dealers in flea markets, pawn shops, swap meets and convenience stores where many pirated tapes are distributed.

However, FBI spokesmen in the three Texas cities say that some retail record stores were also involved.

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Nippon Retailers Fear Discounter

TOKYO-Daiei, largest mass merchandise discount chain in Japan, has entered the disk and tape retailing arena with direct purchase agreements involving six record companies and two prerecorded tape manufacturers,

Japanese record retailers have already reacted strongly to the Daiei move, as it could have far-reaching effects on the current market practice of selling product mainly at suggested list price levels.

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LOS ANGELES-Nehi Record Distributing Corp. here has sold its rack operation to the Handleman Co.. thus becoming the second rack-jobbing/retail combine in recent weeks to lop off its wholesaling wing and concentrate in the retail area.

Nehi's retail chain is the growing Peaches operation with seven stores and an eighth opening in Dallas on Aug. 20.

Earlier, Allan Rosen of Recordland USA, Lubbock, Tex., had sold his rack wing to Sam Marmaduke of Western Merchandisers. Amarillo. to zero in on his two-state Flipside store chain (Billboard, July 4).

Nehi rack employes here were told Tuesday (3) by Tom Heiman, Nehi founder/president, that he had sold the rack section to Handleman. Employes were given the opportunity to choose whether they would join the Detroit-based rackjobbing giant, with only one deciding against making the move.
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SENSATIONAL YANCEY is no ordinary southern lady. She's exploding on the rock scene today as a potential worldwide super star. In Germany, Bellaphone is calling her first album a real sensation and Astor Records in Australia said, "We think this is the greatest album we have heard this year." More and more U.S. stations are picking up on this dynamite talent through her debut album on GRT Records and Tapes Yancey 8012.

Sexy Sideshows Titillating N.Y. & Vegas Discogoers

Religious Music Execs Predict Pop Inroads

By GERRY WOOD

ESTES PARK, Colo.—Exhibiting more diversity, promise and commercial acumen than ever before, religious music is on the verge of making "dramatic inroads" into secular music and "revolutionary changes" within the framework of gospel mu-

That's the opinion of the nation's top religious music executives and artists who gathered here for the second annual Christian Artists' Music Seminar and Camp July 25-31.

To back their opinion, they cite aggressive marketing techniques, quality craftsmanship on LP prod-

(Continued on page 55)

By RADCLIFFE JOE

NEW YORK-Some discotheque operators in New York and Las Vegas, hard-pressed to keep pace with rising competition, have begun offering sex-oriented attractions as a boxoffice draw.

Among the sexy sideshows being offered are topless dancers, drag shows, and a swingers' club for couples only.

At the Hollywood Discotheque which was opened in Manhattan's Times Square area as a straight disco three years ago, the management has revamped the operation and introduced topless dancers and miniskirted barmaids in an effort to attract what club spokesperson Jerry Cohen calls "a clean heterosexual

Cohen explains that the strategy (Continued on page 44)



When the New York Times recently said "He is singing some of the best and more sadly truthful songs around, remarkably moving" the he they referred to is PETER ALLEN and one of those best songs is obviously THE MORE I SEE YOU because it is definitely moving onto playlists and charts everywher* as well as moving his latest album TAUGHT BY EXPERTS (SP 4584) ON A&M RECORDS & TAPES. (Advertisement)

"That'll be the Day"

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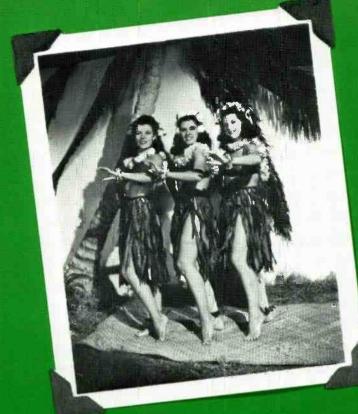
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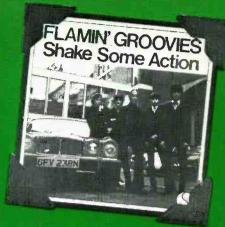


John Mayall/A Banquet In Blues ABCD 958

The British blues master's latest is one of his finest, with a long list of honored guests that includes Jon Mark, Johnny Almond, Sugarcane Harris, Blue Mitchell, and 19 more. A veritable feast.



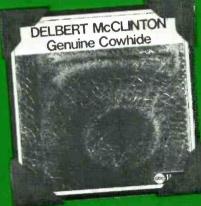




Flamin' Groovies/Shake Some
Action SASD 7521

The Groovies are a fanzine favorite with one of the most eagerly awaited albums of the year—mid-seventies English rock. The Flamin' Groov es are back in 'Action.





Delbert McClinton/Genuine Cowhide ABCD 959

To anyone who missed Delbert's last album, "Genuine Cowhide" is going to be a genuine surprise. It's a without-looking-back collection of rock and roll classics like "Pledging My Love," "Please Please, Please," "It's Love Baby (24 Hours A Day)," and "Lovey Dovey."



Randy Cornor/ My First Album

At 22 he's Houston's hottest session guitarist and lately he's become a singer, with two big hits already under his belt—"Sometimes I Talk In My Sleep" and "Heart Don't Fail Me Now"—both on his ABC/Dot debut album.



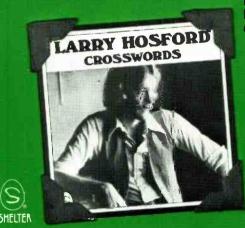
Buck Trent/Bionic Banjo DOSD 2058

He's one of the Hee Haw regulars and Roy Clark's chief sidekick. He's also a bonafide, down-with-it, can't-quit-it, sweet-talking superpicker. His new album features his hit single. The Wrestling Matches."



Christine McVie/The Legendary Christine Perfect Album SASD 7522

Before joining Fleetwood Mac, Christine McVie recorded a solo album under her maiden name, Christine Perfect. It featured some very popular friends and contained her English classic, "I'd Rather Go Blind." A collector's item for the past couple years, it's now being released in this country for the lirst time.



Larry Hosford/Crosswords SRL 52003

Larry Hosford writes new Western style music with a trucker's authority and a poet's command of language. He's an artist of the first rank with a brilliant second album.



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FROM THE ABC FAMILY OF LABELS

CBS Into **Court To** Confront **Bootlegs**

By IS HOROWITZ

NEW YORK-A frontal assault on the longfestering problem of bootleg disks has been launched by CBS Records in a first action in recent memory against a retailer selling such

CBS, in cooperation with Bruce Springsteen and top talent showcase The Bottom Line, filed a suit against a local dealer Friday (6) to stop the sale of an album said to have been illicitly recorded during an appearance by the artist at the club.

Defendant in the action, initiated in New York State Supreme Court, is The Record Breaker, a shop in the city's Greenwich Village area. The album is a two-record act, purported to have been recorded live last August, at a time when Springsteen was enjoying a strong career surge.

Credits on the album list Coral Records Ltda., of Rio de Janeiro, as manufacturer. The double-fold package, with photos of the artist, is being offered to consumers at \$7.99.

N.Y. RETAILER SUED

New York, in common with many other metropolitan areas, has figured as a thriving market for bootleg product, although most of the dubious material consists of older jazz and personality performances, much of it deriving

from broadcast pickups.

For the most part, the records are sold openly by some of the largest stores in the city. Despite sporadic complaints by affected artists in the past, no direct action against retailers or distributors of such material is recalled by close trade observers.

This is unlike cases involving pirated or counterfeit recordings, where the industry at all levels has been vigilant and often effective tracking down and prosecuting alleged of-

The plaintiffs in the current action seek an injunction against further sale of the Springsteen album and appropriate damages.

CBS' complaint charges that the album sold

by The Record Breaker is in violation of its exclusive contract with Springsteen. Causes of action by the other plaintiffs stress that no permission was given for the live recordings and that their rights were violated by using the name and likeness of the artist without permis-

In an affirmation filed with the suit by CBS attorney Don Biedeman, he states:

"This album is a rip-off, a flagrant tram-pling on the rights of CBS to Mr. Springsteen's exclusive services, on Mr. Springsteen's rights in his name and likeness and his live performance, and on The Bottom Line's right to its name and integrity. This album should never have been made, it should not be in circulation, and the only adequate remedy is to remove it from the marketplace and punish those who made and distributed it."

CBS is known to be considering other legal actions where bootleg product involving its artist is being sold.

RCA Top Brass See Banner Year Coming

By STEPHEN TRAIMAN

NEW YORK-Ken Glancy, RCA Records president and his parent RCA Corp. bosses share the expectation of continuing growth in the label's current areas of activity both in the U.S. and abroad:

The optimistic feeling was under-scored at the recent diamond jubilee

RCA convention photos on pages 34, 35.

convention in San Francisco in a telegram from Anthony Conrad. RCA Corp. chairman and president, congratulating all employes on the "fundamental role in the growth and development of recorded sound. I am sure that the achievements of your past will be equalled and even eclipsed in the promising and challenging years ahead."

Glancy himself, in briefly tracing

the company's 75-year history during his keynote talk, emphasized that "I'd like you to leave San Francisco with pride in being a part of a great tradition." However, he urged them to keep foremost in mind that the label's future depended on everyone remembering that "We're in the business of selling music and art-

Although the record division began its convention in the glow of the best six months sales and earnings in its history, the emphasis was on the future-particularly the development of new artists that has played a major role in the label's turnaround over the last three years.

"At the corporate level we're very pleased with the excellent performance of RCA Records," said Howard Hawkins, a corporate group ex-

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Stax' Bell **Acquitted** In Memphis

MEMPHIS-A U.S. District Court jury acquitted Al Bell, chairman and owner of bankrupt Stax Records, Aug. 2 of any part in defrauding Union Planters National Bank of \$18 million in false bank

The jury convicted Joseph P. Harwell, former vice president of the bank, on two of 11 counts against

The jury, in effect, accepted Bell's testimony that he was innocent and Harwell's testimony that he was the sole guilty party and Bell had no part of the fraud carried on from 1969 to 1974.

Sentencing of Harwell, who is already serving a five-year term on charges of embezzling \$284,000 from the bank, will be forthcoming.

Wynshaw Sentenced To a Year In Prison

NEW YORK-David Wynshaw was handed a one-year prison sentence in U.S. District Court here Tuesday (3) on each of three counts (two for tax evasion and one for conspiracy) he had pleaded guilty to earlier. Terms of the sentences call for them to run concurrently.

Wynshaw, formerly a Columbia employe, had bowed to charges of tax evasion for the years 1971 and 1972 and conspiracy to commit mail fraud. While he also faced fines in excess of \$25,000, none were

Wynshaw must turn himself over to U.S. marshals Tuesday (10). There is no appeal of the sentence, which was handed down by Judge

Justice Dept. Mulls Illegal Duping Action

certing practice by some tape pirates to claim victory out of court de-feats-like the recent decision against Ginette Gramuglia and Michelle Audio Corp. in the Second Circuit U.S. Federal District Court in Albany, is being observed philosophically, but not passively by the Justice Dept.

The followup challenges by Vermont tapers, for Justice to put up or shut up on promised prosecution of

GOP Meeting Delays Action On Copyright

WASHINGTON-Lobbyists for music, recording and other copy-right interests have until after the Republican Convention to press their cases with members of the full House Judiciary Committee.

The House Judiciary Committee's first meeting on the draft revision bill out of the Kastenmeier subcommittee planned for this week was put over until after the convention recess (Aug. 11-23). The earliest hearing date possible would be Aug. 24. committee sources indicate.

Late in the afternoon of Aug. 3 the subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties and the Administration of Justice voted unanimously-and joyfully-by show of hands to approve the amended H.R. 2223 it has worked on for the past six months,

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recordings, will not lure the department into a shouting match. Justice sources indicate. (Vermont is one of only five states without an antipiracy law.)

The Justice Dept. will not reveal its present plan for prosecution of piracy of the older, noncopyrighted recordings, but one source says: "There are several cases under investigation which will probably result in charges being brought." So far, cases involving illegal compulsory licensing use of pre-1972 recordings have been brought by music publishers, or by the duplicators against the Justice Dept. and its prosecution policy. its prosecution policy.

Strange court history has been made since the Justice Dept. announced its intention in February 1975 to prosecute the pirating of pre-1972 recordings, whether or not mechanical royalties are offered.

Unauthorized tape duplicators continue to claim the right to copy the older recordings under the federal copyright laws' compulsory li-censing provision.

This allows music to be recorded by anyone, once a negotiated first recording is made and mechanical royalties are paid. But the provision calls for "similar use," which the courts and Congressional com-

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U.S. Judge Rules 2 Distribs Doing Intrastate Sales

By JOHN SIPPEL

LOS ANGELES-Both WEA and Eric-Mainland Distributing, San Francisco independent label distributorship, have been granted partial summary judgments on specific counts alleged by Charles and Jane Zoslaw, owners of Marin Music Centre, Mill Valley, Calif.

Plaintiffs instituted their suit in Federal District Court in San Francisco, in January 1975, alleging individual labels, branches and distributors were discriminating against them in favor of competing chain retailers (Billboard, July 24).

Judge George B. Harris held in both the WEA judgment and in the Eric-Mainland decision that defendants' activities did not fully fall into interstate commerce and there-

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Chicago Flip Side Stores Mix Disk & Clothes Sales

By ALAN PENCHANSKY

CHICAGO-Albums, straight-leg <mark>jeans and Western shirts create a</mark> novel collage in the windows of the newest area Flip Side store where the motto is "Music for your mind, threads for your body."

The new 4,200 square foot shop-

ping mall location in suburban Hoffman Estates, about 45 express-way minutes northwest of the Loop, is the fifth in the chain, but the first to offer sportswear along with records, tapes, audio supplies, head supplies and Ticketron.

"If it works we're planning more units like it," explains Carl Rosen-baum, 35, who, with his brother

Larry, 32, created the first Flip Side eight years ago on the city's north

Along with that still-thriving location and the new store, the Rosenbaum's have Flip Sides in outlying Downers Grove, Buffalo Grove and Lake Zurich. Their business also has grown to include concert promotion at the Auditorium Theatre and the Chicago International Ampitheatre.

'We just wanted to be more to our customers," the elder brother explains about the decision to combine records and clothing. "We sat back and thought about what else they (Continued on page 16)

L.A. Starwood Club Obtains Theater For Concert Hall

By ED HARRISON

LOS ANGELES-The Starwood. a popular pop club here, has pur-chased an adjacent but defunct movie theater with plans of convert-

ing it into a major rock showplace. Tentatively to be called the Starwood Annex, the new 1,200-seat venue will offer an alternative to the prestigious 500-seat Roxy and the 4,000-seat Santa Monica Civic Auditorium, with opening scheduled for late October or early November.

According to Ray Stayer, Starwood manager, and Ed Choran, talent director, the new club will offer

"the same intimacy as a nightclub" as well as a "talent showcase facility for record companies and the press.

Starwood Annex promises to be the ultimate in concert venues. Formerly the Paris Theater, which burned down in January, it was purchased for \$250,000 with an additional bulk sum to be invested in sound, lighting, stage, refurbishing and other equipment.

The Annex will feature subterranean parking with valet parking service for record company personnel, members of the press and other

v.i.p.s. Because structured seats limit occupancy, festival type seating will

The general public will be accommodated throughout the main floor and in the balcony on foldout-step seats. A private club for post-show parties will be located on the mezzanine level, with that the only place liquor will be served.

Among the special features the Annex will include will be facilities for videocassette taping and a stage to be designed on hydraulic lifts for elevation.

Stayer says he will not book acts that can't sellout on at least two nights. "I won't run a show for the hell of it. It's not just a concert hall but a complete entertainment facility." On unbooked days the facility can be used as a first class rehearsal studio and Stayer is willing to copromote concerts or rent it out because of its location in the heart of Hollywood.

"The format has been well thought out to cover every need of (Continued on page 38)

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L.A.'s RECORD DEPOT

Disco Disks Hypo Store Gross 50%

pot, Inc., a retail record outlet here, is now billing itself as a disco record shop, and has increased its sales by at least 50%, says Bill Schumacher. co-owner with Bill Branam.

Last year, the two-year-old outlet grossed approximately \$200 a day. As of six months ago when the disco department was built in, the shop has been grossing about \$425 a day. claims Branam.

The owners contend that the shop's success is due in part to Branam actively seeking out small independent labels with good disco product.

Branam says that with unknown labels, major distributors are not likely to stock the product immediately, therefore other record shops are not generally aware of the records. This, he says, gives him the added advantage of having the merchandise before other retailers.

He cites an LP by D.C. Larue on the Pyramid label as an example, noting that In-Tune Record Distributors in Los Angeles was the only outlet stocking the LP

"I could not get the LP from any one-stop. In-Tune would buy approximately 25 of the record each week. I would buy all of them, and each time In-Tune would restock, I would buy them out.

"That was because no other shop in the city was stocking the album. This has been our biggest selling disco album. We have sold 10 times more of this album than any top pop

'I also went to Record Merchandising to advise them that CTI and Scepter Records were releasing 12inch singles. They said they were not going to handle 12-inch records.

"They seem to feel that there is no future in 12-inch singles and they are not worth stocking and distributing. I have many customers who frequent discos asking for these records, and I just can't get them on this coast. I am now going directly to the labels for 12-inch product."

The outlet, which was primarily known as a pop oriented record shop although it stocked jazz, soundtracks and classical music along with its pop product, now stocks 90% r&b due to its disco trade. It houses approximately 500 disco singles and 500 LPs.

Its clientel has also changed. Fifty percent of its customers now come from the gay community, says Schumacher

The outlet prints a weekly disco record survey which it sends to more than 20 clubs in the city. Half of those nightclubs are gay, according to Branam.

"The deejays from these discos help us to distribute the surveys in their clubs. The spinners all have our business cards. When one of their customers asks about a record the deejay has played, he will write the name of the record on the back of our business card. This brings in customers," says Branam.

"We are able to pull in the deejays because the deejays on the West (Continued on page 72)

NATRAns To Welcome Label Help

By JEAN WILLIAMS

ANTIGUA, British West Indies-For the first time in its history, the National Assn. of Television & Radio Announcers (NATRA), is inviting record labels to take part in initiating change within the organization.

At its 1976 convention here, Kitty Broady, NATRA's president, urged the body of radio and label representatives to come together as a unit to initiate new policies for NATRA.

In the past, label representatives were encouraged to join the group as associate members, but without voting powers. Previously only the regular membership initiated policy.
Participating members will now also have a voice, Broady said.

She admitted that during NATRA's 21 years record companies have been its strongest outside supporters and now she feels it's only fair that they have a hand in its structure and new policy decisions. Label representatives at this conference outnumbered radio personalities more than 10 to one.

Other suggested changes include bringing in label presidents and other label executives to inform the organization of changes at the label level, a retirement plan, NATRA to act as a clearing house for deejays seeking employment, and group insurance for its members.

Several label representatives charged the organization with clos-ing its doors to them while they continued their support. Broady admitted that this has been the case, but that NATRA is now being structured to include all people involved in the industry, and not only radio personalities.

'Police Woman' Out

LOS ANGELES-A&M Records has released a single of the theme music from Columbia Pictures Television's "Police Woman."

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MERCER TRIBUTE-Among those honoring the late Johnny Mercer at ASCAP's tribute are, left to right, Jimmy Rowles, Margaret Whiting, Harold Arlen, William B. Williams, Alec Wilder, Mel Torme and Al Hibbler. Others participating in the salute were Stanley Adams, Bing Crosby, Dinah Shore and

Bob Thiele resigned as president of Flying Dutchman Records, a company formed in 1969 and distributed by RCA for the past three years. He intends



going into freelance production. In his 30 years in the business. Thiele has headed a&r for Impulse for eight years, did a&r for Roulette and Dot and was head of a&r for Coral for eight years. ... Rick Swig promoted to associate director, national promotion for Epic and Associated Labels, from Northeast region promotion marketing manager, ... At Capi-tol Records Don Grierson to director, merchandising and advertising from national merchandising manager. Bass named Chrysalis Records national promotion director. He joins the label from Rocket Records where he held the

post of album promotion director. ... At London Records Jerre Hall has been appointed national promotion manager. He previously represented the label as a regional promotion manager. ... Melvin Moore joins Pye in the newly created post of r&b promotion director. A former Ink Spot, he had been doing national promotion for Brunswick. ... Margie Buffet promoted to West Coast artist relations manager at Capitol from a previously held position of national artist relations coordinator. Also at Capitol, Bruce E. Garfield upped to director, press and artist relations from his former post as national publicity manager. Kathryn Schenker joins Capitol as





bara J. Harris named director of artist relations from a similar post at Atlantic. Freddie Mancuso appointed vice president in charge of

press and artist relations manager, East Coast. She was for-

merly East Coast director artist relations and publicity at

MCA Records. ... At ABC Records New York offices, Bar-

Bass promotion at Island Records from promotion director at Chrysalis. . . . Several changes in MCA's promotional field staff include the relocation of Bob Osborne from San Fran-

cisco to Los Angeles. Replacing Osborne as S.F. promotion manager is George Mangrum, music critic and independent promotion executive. Frank Horowitz named promotion manager in Boston and Dave Loncao replaces Horowitz as promotion manager in Cleveland.... Rich Girod moves from promoting multiple labels handled by Chicago's MS Distributing to A&M Records' secondary Midwest markets promo-Shelly Heber has left 20th Century Records, where she held a marketing post, to join Golden Gate Records in San Francisco doing promotion and marketing.





Lippin has been named director of national publicity for Rocket Records. She will be responsible for coordinating all Rocket public relations activities in the U.S. She joins the label from a similar post at ABC Records. . . Marion Somerstein to ABC Records in New York as publicist where she held similar position at Atlantic. . . . Steve Feld moves to Polydor as assistant publicity director from prior p.r. posts with Peter Levinson Communications and Morton D. Wax Associ-... Allen Levy, former UA publicity director. joins Ro-

derick Falconer as press and media coordinator and creative

At Memorex, Harry Hensman named general manager, video division from engineering/development manager. computer tape division, while David Berry is upped to marketing manager, video, from product manager. ... Charles Trausch joins Audio Magnetics as Midwest zone manager, from a similar post at Capitol Magnetics and Sten Lundgen joins the Gardena, Calif.-based blank tape firm's worldwide



technical support group, from European operations manager for Passavant.



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Frank Brill leaves his ABC Entertainment post as vice president, variety programs to join Jerry Weintraub's newly created Management III Productions division as executive vice president, effective Sept. 1.... Joe Lucas, former president of Commercial Distributing, appointed vice president and general manager of World International Group, Inc., a new promotion and distributing service. Lucas was formerly
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Contemporary Acts **Bolster WB Music**

LOS ANGELES-Ed Silvers is in an enviable position. Riding the crest of record breaking sales periods for last year and the second quarter of the current fiscal year, the president of Warner Bros. Music finds contemporary music business coming his way.

So much so that he will bolster his New York staff to meet the demands of new artists who have helped swell the company's songwriting roster.
"We have to activate the New

York professional staff more than it is," Silvers says, adding, he is looking for a songsmith to work with Henry Marks, head of the East Coast professional department.

In recent months WB Music has (Continued on page 16)

Thiele Goes Independent; Departs Flying Dutchman

NEW YORK-Bob Thiele is moving into independent record production, following his resignation last week as president of Flying Dutch-man Records, distributed by RCA for the past three years.

Thiele cites a number of reasons for his departure from the company he formed in 1969: problems with creditors, stockholders and with RCA involving the direction he wanted to go with the label.

Although he would not specify how much money is owed creditors, Thiele explains that the costs involved were incurred prior to his going with RCA, and that he and his family have loaned Flying Dutchman money to pay off its indebted-

Among the major stockholders in the company are Thiele, Schwartz Brothers of Washington, D.C. and the Robert Mellin publishing com-pany of England. The others, Thiele indicates, are individuals.

Thiele says he'll be available to stockholders, creditors and RCA officials for the next week or so. "The future of Flying Dutchman is in their hands," he says.

Referring to future projects. he says: "I need the freedom to record whom I want and to sign who I want." Referring to Lonnie Liston Smith and Gil Scott-Heron as the kinds of acts he brought to Flying Dutchman, Thiele says there are la bels "who have shown an interest in the kinds of things I intend to do."

In a letter sent to Ken Glancy, RCA's president, Thiele writes: "You, Mel Ilberman and Myron Roth have been a joy to be associ-

Thiele expects to complete an LP for RCA with Slam Stewart, with RCA also releasing two of his newest works by Bud Freeman and Bucky Pizzarelli and Shelly Manne (playing Richard Rodgers).

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Retailer Reports 8-Track Sales Up

LOS ANGELES-Soul and pop 8-track tapes have increased in sales over singles and albums at the Dolphin retail record chain here, according to Ruth Dolphin Wiggins,

owner of the operations.

Gospel sales are also up now, equaling the sales of all other forms

of music, says Wiggins.

She feels that tape sales have picked up due to an increase in automobile tape players. Noting that many record customers have switched to tapes, she says both older and young persons are purchasing tapes.

There is also an upsurge in gospel tapes, but Wiggins says that gospel tapes are difficult to get. "We lose a large number of gospel tape sales because we can't get the product. Nashboro Records seems to be the only label that is consistent with its gospel product, but people also want a lot of the old Savoy product and I just cannot get it."

Unlike many retail outlets in the Los Angeles area that contend sales are generally down in the summer months, the Dolphin chain of three stores, one of the oldest black owned retail chains in the city, peaks during this time.

Wiggins says her business increases during the summer months because young record buyers are out of school and many secure jobs. This extra money affords them the luxury of purchasing the record they could not afford during the school

On the other hand, she says her overall retail business is down from 1975 due to the economy crunch and heavy competition in the area.

Because of this situation, she has lowered her prices. Album prices now range from \$3.99-\$4.49 down from \$4.99, and singles are 85 cents down from \$1.

Last year, the chain raised its LP prices from \$4.29 to \$4.99 and singles from 89 cents to \$1.

She says customers are more conscious of discounts and now go where they will get a price reduction.
In 1975, r&b LPs were her biggest

sellers and jazz sales were not far behind. This year, notes Wiggins, jazz sales are down from other forms of music, but it is still a consistent seller.

When speaking of jazz, she does not include contemporary jazz offered by such acts as Grover Washington. George Benson and a few others.

The operation has decreased its advertising budget because of its slump in sales and has also been forced to terminate five of its 18 staff members.

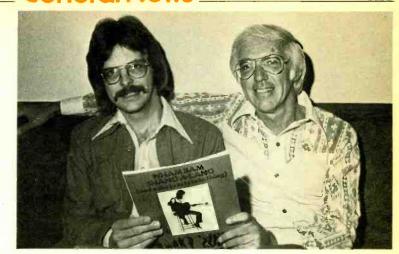
Wiggins feels that her lack of radio advertising has in part been responsible for maintaining low sales, but, she says, "I have not been able to budget for advertising during the

Dolphin's previously advertised on KJLH and the currently inoperative KAGB, both primarily LP contemporary r&b/jazz/MOR outlets.

Joe Maimone Dies

NEW YORK-Joe Maimone, with Capitol Records for the past 25 years, most recently as promotion manager for the Eastern region, died in Teaneck, N.J., Aug. 4 after a long illness. Maimone, who was 59, is survived by his widow, Cathy, and two sons, Joseph and Christopher.

General News_



SUCCESS STORY-TWICE-The odds are long on an unknown Maryland songwriter (Rick Giles, left) sending a demo tape to a publisher he didn't know (Colgems Music's Irwin Schuster, right), who eagerly took it, then sold the song to the first label chief he approached, Arista's Clive Davis. The result: "Wham Bam Shang A Lang," the Silver single produced by Tom Sellers and Davis, currently climbing the charts.

PUSHING COPYRIGHT REVISION == AGAC Continues **Lobbying Activity**

NEW YORK-The American Guild of Authors & Composers which feels it has played an important role in influencing key elements of copyright revision this past year. intends to maintain an active posture in Washington.

"We have come to the conclusion that we must have a continuous presence in Washington to keep legislators aware of the needs of song writers," says Ervin Drake, AGAC president.

Drake stresses that his group does not consider the revision bill ideal, either in its House or Senate version, but that it is the best that can be achieved at the present time. "Our first duty is to see that it passes with-out undue delay," he says. While AGAC has given up its

battle to boost the statutory mechanical royalty rate to 3 cents, it intends to do everything it can to see that the House rate of 2½ cents per tune is written into the final law rather than the Senate's 21/2 cents.

AGAC's maintenance of a permanent Washington connection is necessary, in Drake's view, to argue the interests of songwriters during periodic rate adjustment deliberations by commissions called for in the revision bills.

The first review is scheduled for 1980, and will be held at 10-year intervals thereafter. Among payment formulas to be reviewed are those involving mechanical and jukebox royalties, and performance fees to copyright owners from cable television and public broadcasters.

AGAC was able to raise a \$50,000 war chest from voluntary contributions by its members to finance its legislative campaign in the past year. Lew Bachman, executive director of

ABC Cuts To 5 Warehouses

LOS ANGELES-Don England, ABC Records vice president of sales/distribution, has trimmed down warehousing from eight to five nationally and strengthened coordination with the addition of branch marketing coordinators.

ABC has closed depots in Boston, Beltsville, Md., and Cleveland, Remaining depots are in Woodside. N.Y., Elk Grove, Ill., Dallas, Atlanta and Burbank

Additionally, ABC Records has added a sales office in San Franthe organization, says it plans to continue to solicit such contributions in the future to underwrite the continuing drive.

While AGAC is represented in

Washington by the law firm of Patton. Boggs and Blow, it supplements their activities by frequent writer junkets to meet on a personal level with legislators.

Only last week a group of AGAC writers, together with colleagues from the Nashville Songwriters Assn. (NSA), met with members of the House Judiciary Committee and its chairman, Congressman Peter Rodino, to urge prompt consideration of the revision bill. Contact was also made with members of the House Rules Committee in a further attempt to keep the bill moving smoothly through the legislative

A Tattoo Campaign

LOS ANGELES-Newly formed Tattoo Records has undertaken a major marketing campaign for the label's initial releases of Becky Hobbs "From The Heartland," and the soundtrack from the motion picture. "The Omen.

The campaign will consist of radio time-buys, in-store purchase displays, mobiles and posters. Tattoo is distributed by RCA.

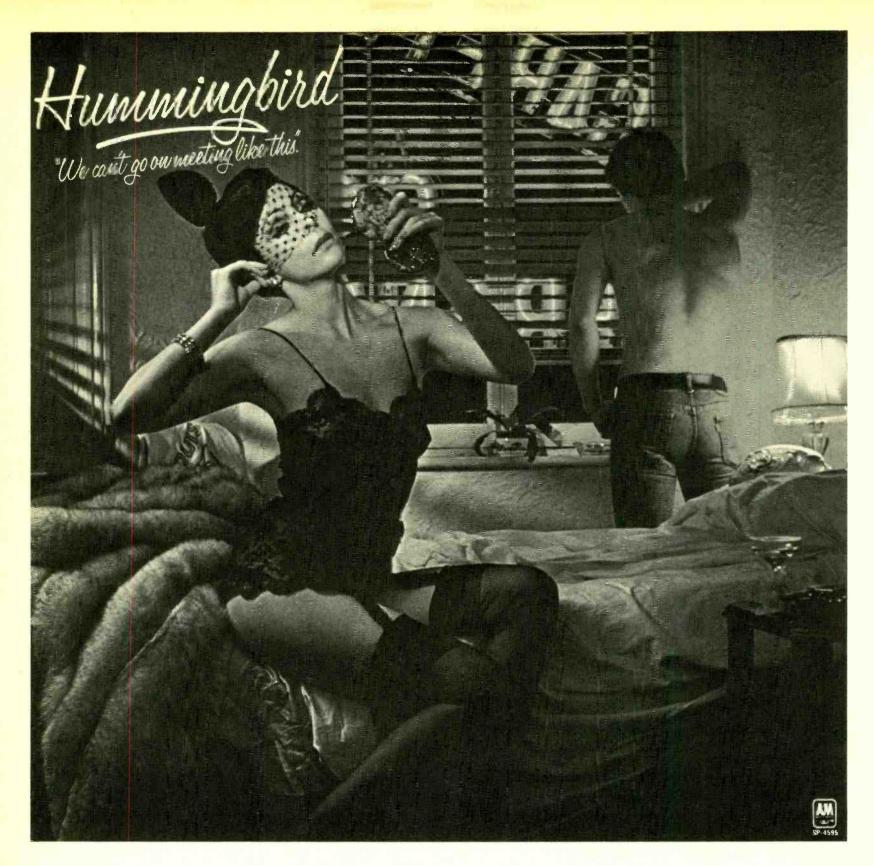
N.Y. TIMES, RCA DICKER

NEW YORK-RCA Records is deep in negotiations with the New York Times to acquire the firm's music publishing subsidiary, but at week's end the deal was not yet ready for signing.

While a Times spokesman would not identify RCA or any other po-tential buyer as a prime prospect. sources at the record company do confirm that discussions between the two firms are being held.

At the Times, senior vice president Benjamin Händelman indicates that it may be as much as two weeks before a sale agreement may be reached.

The intention to spin off its music publishing division surfaced recently (Billboard, July 31), less than three years after the Times had acquired the Metromedia-Tommy Valando catalogs for a reported \$4



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FBI Bags Illegal Texas Tapes

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The raids continued throughout the state during the week following the initial assault on July 24. "These things have a way of snowballing," says Ted Gunderson, special agent in charge of the FBI's Dallas office. "One guy we hit will tell us of others and it just keeps spreading. So there will be a continuous investigation for months to come.'

No arrests were made in any of the raids, but information obtained as a result of investigations related to the Texas operation will probably lead to arrests in the near future of manufacturers and suppliers of pirated product, FBI sources say. These arrests are the primary objective of the recent raids

"As a result of this raid, we are gathering information for the U.S. Attorney's office and we would anticipate grand jury action against possible suppliers and manufacturers in the near future," Gunderson says.

"Although we hit the retail end here," says Charles Steadman, media relations officer for the FBI's Houston office, "our efforts are aimed at the distributors and manufacturers. The idea is to scare the retailer so he won't rebuy the illegal product. But hopefully he'll also identify the person who brought him the stuff, and that person in turn will identify the one he got it from."

Aside from directly removing the allegedly illegal material from the market, the raids were also intended to serve as a strong warning to deal-

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ers that they will be arrested for any future violations.

Gunderson adds that his office suspects that the manufacturers of the alleged pirated tapes are probably located in the Southwest U.S. None of the FBI spokesmen, however, would comment on a report that some of the bootleg manufacturers are operating factories in Mexico and smuggling the pirated product across the border.

But Andrew Ortiz, editor and publisher of Mundo Musical Internacional, a Latin music magazine, says, "We know that some manufacturers are operating in Tijuana and Mexicali. They bribe the border guards to look the other way while they slip the stuff across, then they ship it from there to places all across

Ortiz helped organize a meeting between FBI agents and representatives of Latin record companies held a week before the raids started.

The Latin company representatives supplied the FBI with names of suspected pirate selling product dealers and helped instruct the agents on the identification of illegal Latin product which was included among the material seized.

The pirated tapes, which were selling on the streets from \$1.50 to \$2, contained material duplicated from dozens of record companies in the pop, country and Latin fields. Although FBI sources refused to identify the specific artists or labels involved, one spokesman says the confiscated material was composed of "almost anything that is currently

popular on a mixture of labels." The pirated material included current hits as well as older product.

Gunderson says the 50,000 tapes confiscated in the jurisdiction of the Dallas FBI were being stored pending possible court action. The other two FBI offices involved were also storing the confiscated tapes in their jurisdictions, Houston with 40,000 and San Antonio with 17,000.

The FBI in recent months has stepped up its operation against tape piracy. Losses to record companies were enormous in the past year as a result of underground production, FBI sources say.

The stepped up FBI campaign reflects its recent policy shift, giving the music piracy problem a high priority on its list of whitecollar crimes. "We're not doing this because we're worried that Elton John is starving,' explains the FBI's Steadman, "but the loss to the government in tax revenues from unreported sales is substantial.'

This is the first time that raids of this magnitude have been conducted in Texas, although the FBI has conducted similar operations in California, Arizona and Louisiana. Some FBI agents from Los Angeles, San Diego and Phoenix were sent to Texas in preparation for the raids because agents in the Texas offices were not as familiar with the tape piracy business. Los Angeles agents in particular are considered experts in the matter.

Although the FBI's Los Angeles office refused to take credit for the Texas operation, Fritz Bohne, news media coordinator for the FBI's office in San Antonio, says the raids were coordinated out of Los An-

And an FBI spokesman in the Houston office adds: "The office in L.A. is pretty much responsible for what's going on across the country in the piracy thing. They're kind of coordinating from there.

Representatives of many American record manufacturers assisted the FBI in the operation as did industry organizations such as the RIAA and NARM.

Storer Regains 646,229 Shares

LOS ANGELES-Storer Broadcasting Co. has repurchased 646,229 shares of its common stock from the executors of the estate of founder George B. Storer for \$22.50 per share or a total purchase price of \$14.540.152.50 cash.

As a result of the purchase, the total issued and outstanding shares of Storer common stock have been reduced by 14.2% from 4,548.065 to 3,901.836. The repurchased shares will be held as treasury stock pending further determination by the board of directors.

RCA Top Brass

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ecutive vice president and president of RCA Communications, of which the label is a division.

As to the future, Hawkins would only comment that "It's still too soon to respond more definitively on RCA's Selecta Vision videodisk project and what role RCA Records might play in its development and marketing.'

The convention focus was on the role of talent and product. A 10screen multimedia presentation spotlighted the major release thrust for late summer and fall which Glancy believes will produce a second half eclipsing the marks of the first six months.

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1975 High	Low	NAME	P-E	(Sales 100s)	High	Low	Close	Chan	ge
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9%	4 3/4	Ampex	14	111	8%	81/2	8%	_	1/8
91/8	25/8	Automatic Radio	9	55	81/8	73/4	81/8	+	1/8
20%	101/8	Avnet	8	433	20%	19%	20%	+	1/2
251/2	15	Bell & Howell	_	45	203/4	20%	20%	+	1/8
61	463/4	CBS	12	508	593/4	591/4	591/2	+	1/4
71/8	41/2	Columbia Pictures	6	95	5%	5%	5%	100	1/8
16%	81/4	Craig Corporation	5	42	15	14%	14%	+	3/4
63	48%	Disney, Walt	22	1035	52%	51	511/4	_	1/2
5%	33/4	EMI	13	48	41/8	4	4		1/8
201/8	183/4	Guif + Western	5	585	191/2	191/8	191/4	+	1/8
7 %	5	Handleman	11	28	6	5%	6		_
27	143/4	Harman Industries	5	10	20	191/2	191/2		1/2
83/4	3%	KTLT	6	4	20%	20	20		_
113/4	7	Lafayette Radio	7	9	81/2	81/2	81/2	-	1/8
251/4	191/4	Matsushita Electronics	18	175	227/8	22%	221/8	+	3/8
361/4	291/6	MCA	5	125	30%	30%	301/2		_
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301/8	18%	RCA	14	881	291/2	271/8	271/8	- 1	1 1/2
101/8	8%	Sony	30	1944	93/4	91/2	9 %	+	1/8
401/4	16	Superscope	7	65	271/4	21	21	+	1/4
47%	261/2	Tandy	10	1046	331/4	321/4	321/2		3/4
10%	51/4	Telecor	8	6	71/2	71/2	71/2	-	1/8
4 %	1 1/2	Telex	10	78	31/4	31/4	31/4		-
7 1/8	21/8	Tenna	12	73	3 %	3%	3%		1/8
121/2	81/4	Transamerica	10	1661	123/4	121/2	123/4	+	1/4
15	83%	20th Century	6	79	10	93/4	9%	-	1/8
25 3/4	121/2	Warner Communications	6	86	19%	191/4	19%		1/8
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GRT	_	15	123/4	133/4	Wallich's M.C.	_	-	1/16	5/16
Goody, Sam	3	_	21/8	2 %	Kustom Elec.	7		2%	81/8
Integrity Ent.	4	8	1/8	1 1/8	Orrox Corp.	_	_	3/4	1
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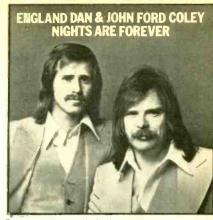
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- 7 Pine Knob Pavillion, Detroit, Michigan

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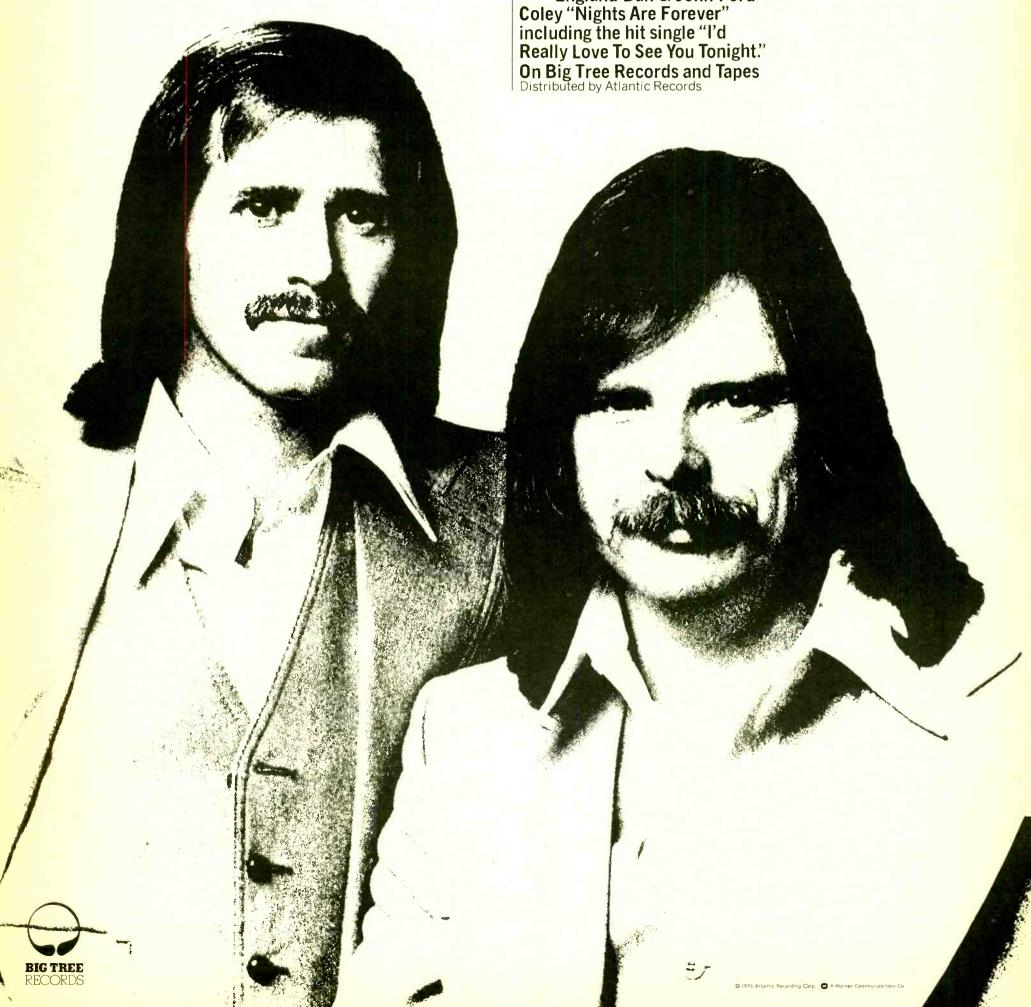
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Artist Development Capitol Goal

Singles, LPs & Careers Vital, Says Don Zimmerman

By CLAUDE HALL

LOS ANGELES-"We're in the artist development business," says Don Zimmerman, Capitol's chief executive officer and executive vice president, "and that means singles to albums to long-range careers and relating the artist to the consumer."

Artist development means building a catalog of an artist in such a manner that it always remains vital.

In this regard, he mentioned the recent repackaging of the Beatles' "Rock 'N' Roll Music" two-LP set and previous repackaging of the Beach Boys. "Not only are sales of the Beatles package doing exceptionally well, but, equally significant, it revitalized their entire catalog, both as a group and as individuals. All at regular price.

"I would say that catalog sales, as a direct result of the promotion hinging on the repackage, leaped threefold. We can run Beatles promotions all year long, of course, but that package gave us the perfect vehicle to merchandise them more effec-

He says that Capitol will continue to repackage Beatles, "But with a certain amount of integrity so that consumers won't be misled. He or she may already have all of the songs on various albums, but would prefer the new concept version that we'll be providing.

"In terms of profit, you can't make enough money on singles to support employes or artists. Perhaps a small company can still make money with singles, but a large company (Capitol has roughly 3,800 employes) has to make valid budget projections. And you can't fool yourself on those projections.

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DEVELOPS OWN ACTS

Ariola Sticks To **Controlled Growth**

By ED HARRISON

LOS ANGELES-After its first year in business, Ariola America is adhering to its policy of developing new talent instead of becoming in-

volved in the competitive battle of signing established acts.

The objective behind Ariola, explains Jay Lasker, label president, is to continue to provide a small label that's highly personalized and flexible to meet the needs of budding artists whom larger companies don't have the time and finances for.

"Many acts leave a label because they weren't handled properly," says Lasker. "There's less chance of that happening with a smaller label because we're able to devote the atten-

With 10 acts currently on its roster, most with non-established track records, Ariola has had a number of singles on the pop and soul chart, most notably Sons Of Champlin (Hot 100 and LP charts) and Billy Ocean on the soul chart.

In holding steadfastly to expanding at a minimized rate, Lasker feels the economics aren't right for buying top name acts, despite Ariola being owned by Bertlesman of Germany, the second biggest media association in the world.

"If our guess is wrong on a name act that previously sold well, our other acts can't balance the loss. There must be a balance between established acts with dedication to new ones.'

Lasker says that you only see the winners in big companies and that "there must be 50 losers to every

Insofar as to what has selling potential, he feels it's a purely instinctive business. "It's like a fireman jumping when he hears the bell. When you hear a record with hit possibilities, there's a voice that says go and do something with it."

Lasker feels that advertisements for established acts are served up "like a menu—here it is, we've got it." Although he admits this approach sells records, it also makes it difficult on new acts because nobody has ever heard of them, therefore limiting its success. "Advertising must be done on a selected basis with the market in mind.'

'SELMA' CAST LP ON WAY

NEW YORK-"Selma," original caster of the staged musical tribute to the late Dr. Martin Luther King, is being rush-released by Cotillion to coincide with the play's opening at Detroit's Music Hall Center Tues-

The label has built a sales campaign to center around scheduled openings of the show in Chicago, Baltimore and then New York later this fall.



Don Zimmerman: artist careers are his concern.

Memphis Acad. **Elects Phillips**

MEMPHIS-Johnny Phillips, 28, engineer-producer for Select-O-Sound Recording Studio, has been elected president of the Memphis Chapter of NARAS.

Other new officers: Ted Sturges of Audio Dimensions Studio, first vice president; Gerald Stephenson of Malaco Sound Studios in Jackson, Miss., second vice president; Batelle Axton, founder and owner of Fretone Records, secretary; Jud Phillips Jr., Southern office manager for Phonogram and Mercury Records. secretary-treasurer.

The new Board of Governors: Ron Capone, B. B. Cunningham Jr., Don Dortch, Jack Gilmer, Carl Marsh, Bowlegs Miller, Dick Steff. Phyllis Wickham and Robert Thomas.

Robert Taylor, president of the Memphis musicians union local, was elected the chapter's national trustee. Eddie Ray, president of Eddie Ray Music Enterprises, Inc., was elected alternate.

Free Advice To Disco Ops Offered By N.Y. Firm

By RADCLIFFE JOE

NEW YORK-In a move aimed at discouraging what is felt to be an escalating problem of rip-offs by disco equipment and package deal suppliers, operators of a N.Y. lighting equipment supply company have begun offering free consultations and seminars to anyone seeking advice in setting up a discotheque.

According to Howard Rheiner, sales manager of the 40-year-old Times Square Theatrical & Studio Supply Corp., the company has been propelled into the move by an alarming number of disgruntled discotheque operators who have been turning to it for help in undoing wrongs committed by so-called experts in the disco business.

In a critical broadside that is almost guaranteed to spark the ire of disco package suppliers everywhere. Rheiner says that one of the major problems of the disco industry is that it has spawned too many overnight

These include many total concept designers, package deal suppliers who offer unwitting discotheque op-

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A Brooklyn Raid

NEW YORK-A raid by investigators from the Consumer Frauds and Economic Crimes Bureau here resulted in the arrest of Melvin Cox for the alleged sale of pirated record-

The raid conducted July 13 turned up a number of alleged pirated recordings at his Record Distributing Corp. in Brooklyn.

Cox faces a fine of up to \$100 and/or imprisonment for up to one year per count.

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New Companies

Marsel Records Inc., a division of Marsel Enterprises Inc., has been formed in Hollywood by Gavin Murrell, president of the label. Offices are located at 6464 Sunset Blvd. with initial release planned for Sep-

Mellvrie Music, ASCAP, is launched in Cleveland, Tenn., by Dr. Donald B. Gibson. First release is by Don Revere on the Revere la-

Sky-Child Records formed in Oswego, N.Y., by Alvin Dahn, who has previously released singles on the Yo-Yo and Schuyler labels. First release on Sky-Child will ship this fall.

VIZ Record Co., Inc. and VIZ Music Publishing, ASCAP, founded in Glen Ellen, Calif., by R. Jay Vizcarrondo. Initial release is "There Was A Time"/"You Are You And I Am I" by Jason Stone.

See Factor of New York has opened See Factor Pacific in Hollywood. Firm specializes in lighting concerts and nightclubs.

Austin Tojas Sounds, a management and booking firm, started in Austin by Carlyne Majer, Marcia Ball has signed the first management/booking agreement. Among the acts being handled are Sir Doug & the Texas Tornadoes and Alvin Crow & the Pleasant Valley Boys.

Jim Mahoney & Associates, entertainment industry public relations firm, will be known as Mahoney Wasserman & Associates, Inc. with the addition of Paul Wasserman as a partner. New offices in Beverly Hills will be located at 9885 Charleville

Ersel Hickey and Ruth Lieberman of Rameses II Records have opened an independent distributorship in New York called the Ram/ Com Distribution Corp. First label distributed will be their own.

Kieffer/Jaffe, a new advertising firm with specialization in the audio/electronies fields, formed in Los Angeles by Lawrence Jaffe and Townsend Kieffer.

Al Bunetta Management in Los Angeles has relocated to 4121 Wilshire Blvd, Associated companies involved in the move include Baad Bus Co., Big Ears Music, Inc., ASCAP, and Gamma Annie Music. Inc. BML

Kingdom Sound, a 16-track studio has opened in Syosset, Long Island, headed by Bill Civitella.

Phil Strassberg Public Relations formed in Los Angeles by the veteran newspaperman and publicist. Initial clients include Muledeer, Judy Carter and Eddy Manson. Firm is located at 5151 Woodman

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David Brokaw and Kathy Gangwisch, publicists, have formed Brokaw-Gangwisch Public Relations in Kansas City, Mo. The agency will work in conjunction with the Brokaw Company of Los Angeles.

Nice Man Management, Inc., a talent management firm, launched in Spencer, fowa by Larry A. Johnson and Gregg Schuller (712) 262-

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Irvin Arthur Associates, a new personal management firm, formed in Los Angeles by Irvin Arthur, former entertainment booking agent. First clients include Muledeer, Judy Carter, Stephen Michael Schwartz and pop group Strut.

David Libert Agency, a new booking firm, formed in Los Angeles by David Libert. First signing is Bootsy's Rubber Band.

Around The Sounds-Jazz launched in Los Angeles by Christine Caparelli, Organization is dedicated to the promotion and support of jazz on the West Coast through seminars and workshops. Members include Laurindo Almeida, Joanne Grauer, Rod McGrew and Patrice Rushen. Willie Bobo is executive vice president. Organization is located at 2614 Carnegie Lane, Redondo Beach, Calif.

SONG AND DANCE-Dr. Hook, Capitol Records group, isn't bashful when it comes to performing-anytime, anyplace. Here, Ray Sawyer (in hat with feather) claps hands as Dennis Locorriere strums and sings in the middle of Harrods department store, Knightsbridge, London. Group dropped by the record department to autograph its latest album "A Little Bit More." Francis is at left, next to Rik Elswit, Jancd Garfat in rear at right in glasses.

FOR JAPANESE MARKET

N.Y. In Direct To Disk Parade With Pair Of LPs

CHICAGO-Two direct to disk albums were cut last week at Media Sound in New York City, indicating that a resurgence of interest in direct mastering is not restricted to California alone (Billboard, July 31).

However, the LPs-one a big band, the other a salsa session-will not be released in this country. They were cut here for the Japanese market, to appear on Nippon Phonogram's Eastwind jazz label.

N. Ito, president of Nippon Phonogram, was in the country for

the taxing direct disk sessions, being produced in conjunction with Ivan Mogull Music based in New York. In May, Ito had captured the Cedar Walton jazz sextet at Media Sound. using the direct disk process.

Last year, Ito explains, Eastwind cut its first direct disk album, "That Three," featuring Shelly Manne, drums, Ray Brown, bass, and Joe Sample, piano, in California. The disk was supervised by the late Oliver Nelson.

Copyright

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under leadership of chairman Robert W. Kastenmeier (D-Wis.).

The euphoria produced optimistic estimates that the full Judiciary Committee might need only one or two hearings to vote its acceptance of the amended bill.

members of the parent judiciary committee become embroiled in major issues like a cable tv compulsory licensing rate: the new concept of a permanent three-man copyright royalty commission, and a modified approach to the compulsory licensing use of nondramatic musical works by the Public Broadcasting Service something equally new to the House Judiciary committee.

Among other changes from the basic working text of \$.22, the Kastenmeier Subcommittee dumped the Senate bill's copyright royalty tribunal concept, with its periodic meetings of ad hoc panels chosen from the membership of the American Arbitration Assn. Instead, the subcommittee voted for a permanent, Presidentially appointed threemember royalty commission to conduct future statutory rate reviews.

in the full Judiciary committee are mechanical rates. The subcommittee raised the compulsory licensing rate for recording music to 24 cents per tune, or .6 of one cent per minute of play. The Senate bill's rate is 21/2 cents and ½ cent per minute of play.

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fore the Robinson-Patman act doesn't fully apply.

Maxwell Keith, counsel for the Zoslaws, has filed a motion asking Judge Harris to reconsider his judgments.

Judge Harris held that plaintiff's contention that the two defendants were engaged in interstate commerce was not documented. He noted that an insignificant number of drop shipments had been made to defendants' customers from out-of-state sources. In the Eric-Mainland finding, an affidavit from Richard Orr, distributor controller, showed the following:

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1971	\$10,844	\$2,324,596					
1972	\$ 9,539	\$1,640,068					
.1973	\$ 6,443	\$3,834,670					
1975	\$ 909	\$3.341.595					

No reference to 1974 was made except to note that no drop shipments were made in that year.

Judge Harris also emphasized that testimony indicated that less than .02% of the indie label house busi-

Waring At Festival

STROUDBURG, Pa.—Fred Waring, with a 200-voice chorus rather than orchestra, will highlight the Song of America Festival to be staged Aug. 19 at the Worldwide Church of God Conference Center.

ness since 1973 was done in drop shipments. The judge noted that there must be considerable interstate shipping. Both defendants argued that they were in intrastate commerce, with the judge picking up on the fact that both the WEA branch and Eric-Mainland stayed primarily within the state of California's borders.

In the Eric-Mainland decision, Judge Harris pointed up that Mrs. Emily Champlin, distrib buyer, in an affidavit disproved the plaintiff's contention that records are ordered at the customer's 'instance,' hence placing the entire transaction in which records and tapes enter from out of state, pass through the warehouse and thence to a customer in a continuous stream of commerce, thus satisfying the "in commerce" requirement of the federal law.

She testified that recorded product is ordered on the basis of anticipated sales and not specific customer requests. She denied ever having ordered from a label based solely on an advance solicitation by distrib salesmen. Other testimony indicated that product remains on the average of two months in the warehouse before it is sold.

In the WEA finding, the judge held that the only interstate shipments were "a few drop shipments of Nonesuch albums" which were insufficient to apply Robinson-Patman Act jurisdiction.

RIAA Gold Record Winners

Singles

Starland Vocal Band's "Afternoon Delight" on Windsong; disk is its first gold single.

Albums

Helen Reddy's "Music, Music" on Capitol; disk is her eighth gold album.

Steve Miller Band's "Fly Like An Eagle" on Capitol; disk is its second gold album.

David Bowie's "Changesonebowie" on RCA; disk is his sixth gold album.

A PBR Followup

LOS ANGELES-PBR International's second single through T.K. Records is "Baby Let's Go To Mexico" by J.J. Light. T.K. has already released "The House Is Rockin" by Bobby Caldwells from PBR. T.K.'s territory is the U.S., Mexico and South America for all PBR product.

Chicago Flip Side Stores

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buy besides music—head supplies, concert tickets and clothing."

Rosenbaum hastens to add that the new venture is not simply a record store with a clothing department, but a complete clothing store. "We've got shoes, we'll have leather coats, suits. It's not just pants."

The brothers say they opened with \$30,000 in records and \$50,000 in garments. Giving equal space to each, an imaginary line runs through the store's center. T-shirts, head supplies, blank tape and record care products also get prominent display.

"We're working very hard to make it one store," Larry explains. "We don't want it to look like a clothing store using records as a prop."

The brothers were asked what is involved in selling clothing, as contrasted with records.

Larry: "It's a whole different thing from the record business in the buying alone, when you're buying for three months in the future, instead of buying merchandise that you're going to pick up tomorrow. All of our back-to-school merchandise has been ordered for two months."

Carl: "As far as working the store itself it's a lot different in that you don't sell records, you don't go out and ask your customer, 'Hey, can I help you, have your heard the new Led Zeppelin?' Clothing has to be sold, you have to have people on the floor."

Larry: "It's hard to find the right personnel, because you want them laid back in records and aggressive in clothes and not have the aggressiveness feed over into the record department."

The brothers explain that all store personnel work both records and clothing.

"We've found it's a lot easier to learn to sell clothes than to answer questions about music," Larry explains, pointing out that they would rather train knowledgeable record personnel to sell clothing, than work the other way.

"The Flip Side stores have a reputation for being knowledgeable," he notes, "and it's very important that our sales people be able to answer questions about product."

"There's so much more to learn about music," both brothers affirm.

They say they will not be able to assess the experiment with clothing until after the fall season.

Launched in June, the new Flip Side anticipates Playtique, a combined record store/boutique to open Aug. 16 in the Playboy Building on North Michigan Ave. (Billboard, July 4). There the slogan is "Clothes for your body, music for your soul."

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Contemporary Acts Spur WB Music \$

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been on a signings kick because of its success in the market with those contemporary artists whose music it has placed on recordings or in the print (folio book) area.

Income from contemporary artists represents 70% or more of WB Music's earnings, Silvers says. The remaining 30% accrues from the firm's long established catalog.

"In 1971 we had no contemporary music." Silvers says in his Sunset Blvd. office overlooking Beverly Hills. "We always had a well earning standard catalog ... but people were beginning to say that publishing was dying. Now, I think people in the business are acquiring a healthy respect for publishing again."

Several months ago Silvers spoke of taking it easy, but business has been so brisk that he finds there is no time for letdowns. Business has been building by 30% for the past few years, he says. The firm's L.A., New York, Nashville and overseas offices have all contributed to the music wing's success. Posted first six months earnings before taxes were \$2.9 million (up from a similar period in 1975 of \$2.2 million) or earnings after taxes of \$1.5 million (up from \$1.1 million for the same period last year).

The music operation's figures are generally combined with those of Warner Communications Inc. record labels (Warner Bros., Atlantic, Elektra/Asylum) and the combined quarterly figures—recently announced in New York (Billboard, July 31)—have accounted for more than 54% of Warner Communications' income.

In recent months Silvers has strengthened his songwriter roster by signing Gary Wright (renewal), the Eagles. Jackson Browne (renewal), Yes, Sweet, Genesis, Rush. Michael Franks, Lomax, Jackie Carmine Appice, Shawn Phillips, Daniel Moore, Steve Cannady, Harlan Sanders (out of Nashville), Gary Tigerman, Adam Mitchell, Bob Lenox and Elliot Tucker. The last three are staff writers.

Silvers only has 10 staff scribes, claiming "that's all we can handle on a one-to-one basis." Tim Wipperman operates the Nashville office and Marks the Manhattan outpost.

"Most of the writers are in Los Angeles," Silvers says, adding: "One of the things I am trying to do is develop the same image in New York that we have in L.A. So we are looking for a song craftsman. We need to build a staff of New York writers and we need someone to fill a job without title, someone who has been on the fringe of success, is totally aware of song structure, has contacts and knows how to promote."

Working with Marks in New York in the professional department are Peter Mohen and Ivan Augenblick. Working in the Coast professional department are Craig Aristei, head of the department plus staffers Bob Stabile, Michael Sandoval and Chris McNary.

In signing Yes, the progressive rock band on Atlantic, WB Music sees its material as crossing into the jazz field. "Yes' music is very complex," notes Silvers. "But with the emergence of jazz artists again, we feel they'll be interested in recording their music.

"We feel the impact of jazz. We've signed for print Chick Corea, Stanley Clarke and John McLaughlin." Corea's first songbook (\$5.95) will be out within two months.

Silvers acknowledges that his professional staff does best when it has songs written by singer/writers which can be used by other artists in their albums.

"The major part of our income comes from recording artist's own mechanical sales and his performances, but you can develop a large part of your income from print and from cover recordings.

"Single business dollars are very small. Very few people are cutting singles for the sake of cutting a single. The song usually emerges as a cut on an album."

Silvers estimates that more than 50% of his signings were done before

the act became a known entity.

"The trick," Silvers says con-

fidently, "is to recognize music before it becomes the pop music of the day."

The Nashville office, currently operating with its third head in three years, ("the others didn't work out for us") is primarily concerned with placing country copyrights. Silvers believes it will take upwards of five years to "build authenticity and image there. We're just an entity there now."

The publisher's folio business has its own star sparkling roster of new and established names: Bill Withers, Bob Dylan, James Taylor, Eric Carmen, Stanley Clarke, Chick Corea, Stephen Stills, Patti Smith, Joe Walsh, Neil Diamond, Boz Scaggs, Leon Russell, Dan Fogelberg, Linda Ronstadt, Grateful Dead, Jefferson Starship, Don Kirshner Music and Fools Gold, among others.

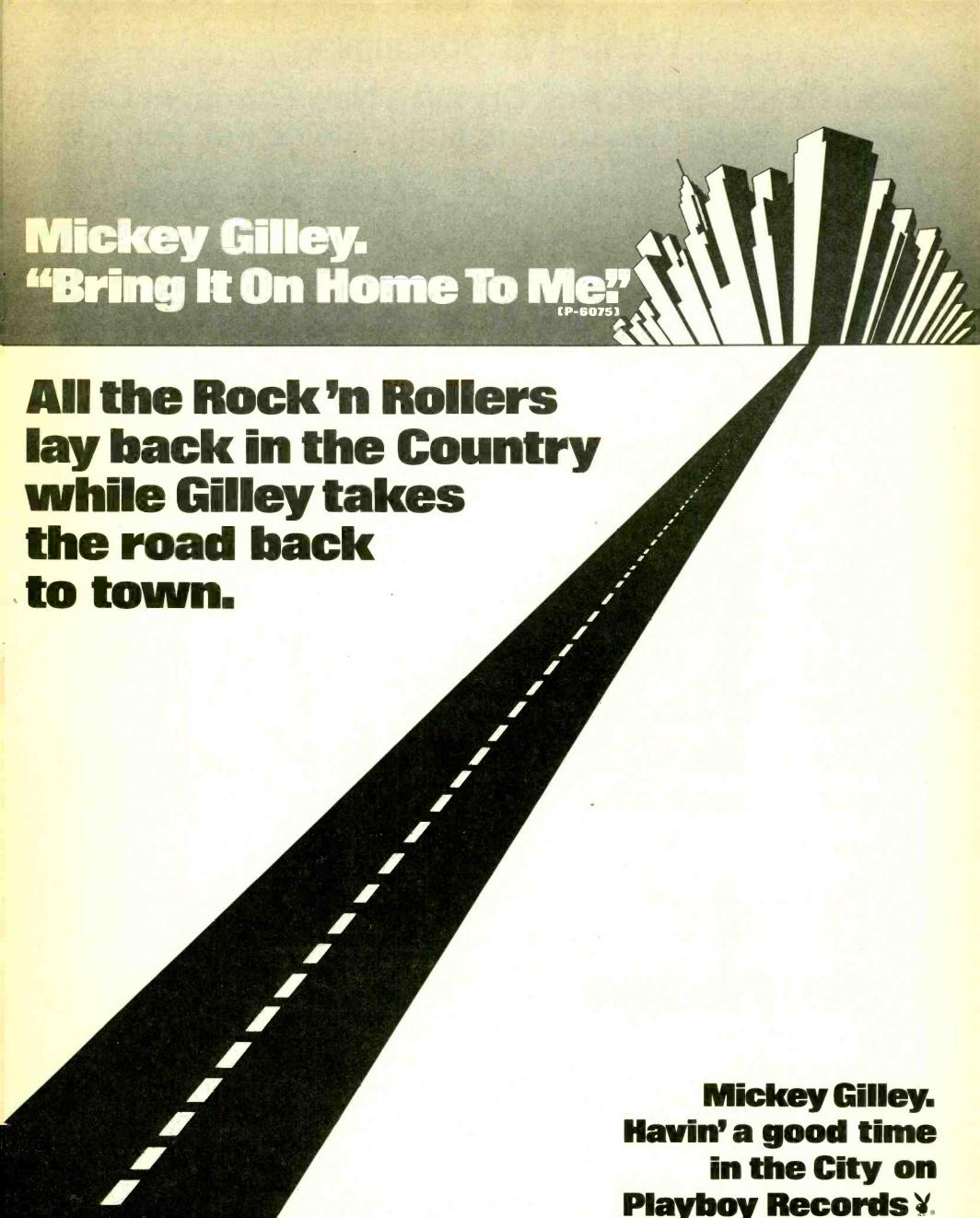
What Silvers has done in five years is aggressively romance the top names in pop music to add additional strength to the firm's prestigious middle-of-the-road standards catalog. He has also developed a small company atmosphere with this giant publishing house, where rank doesn't matter, only getting the right song to the right artist.

The Warner Communications family of labels are among Silvers' clients, but by no means is he an inhouse publishing outlet.

The firm's company owned publishing ventures in England, Germany, France, Italy and Australia are erupting with profitability," Silvers boasts.

"They are staffed with the same kind of young, aggressive, music oriented people that we have in the U.S. We don't want to be known as a banking company."

A banking company? "Yes. Publishers had developed the image of becoming financiers for artists and artist managers. You need a happy balance of financier and musicman. You need to be able to exploit the music and fulfill your role as publisher."



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Radio-TV Programming

Label Execs Assert Ads On TV New Format At Conn. Are Now Major Experimentation WWYZ For Adults

By PAUL GREIN

LOS ANGELES—Television advertising of records and tapes—a field once limited almost exclusively to mail-order houses and outfits like K-Tel—is now an area of major experimentation on the part of key labels, a survey of advertising executives reveals.

This has happened as labels began to overcome their skepticism that tv is too expensive, that record ads on tv

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Tony Muscolo of Anti/Muscolo Promotions. Los Angeles, indicates among

the topics to be discussed at the two-day meeting will be manager cooperation,

research, limited budgets, talent development, technical sound, dealing with

long and short playlists, secondary market rack problems, how to get stores

Secondary Radio Conference—will be held Sept. 10-11 at the Sheraton-Tara

"look cheap," that the tv audience is too broad, that the visual element of tv can hurt a record act, and that time buys would be too complex to negotiate.

The increasing label involvement with tv is demonstrated by Joel Davis of American Media Consultants, a firm that places ads for MCA, Warner Bros., Motown.

Capitol, Island and the WEA group, in addition to 40 other non-industry advertisers.

"Of the \$90 million of broadcasting time we buy a year, roughly \$5-\$6 million goes for label ads. The figure for the first six months of this year has doubled over the first six months of 1975. We're not increasing our number of label accounts, but there is more activity with the ones we do have."

Capitol has always been one of the most active labels in tv. Its first major campaign, for the Beach Boys' "Endless Summer" LP two years ago, cost \$300,000, according to Dan Davis, the label's merchandising-advertising-creative services head, and resulted in a No. I charting and sales of more than 2 million units.

Capitol's biggest campaign to date is the \$500,000 effort to promote the Beatles' "Rock'N'Roll Music" LP, while a "Soulful Summer" to push is planned to pitch Tavares. Natalie Cole, Nancy Wilson, the Sylvers, Bill Cosby and new group Sun.

"We make spots on probably 50% of our acts now," says Davis, who also cites pushes behind Wings, Helen Reddy and the Steve Miller Band.

Still, Capitol is conscious of the cost issue, which has long been the major stumbling block to tv advertising.

Davis notes that "just production on an average 30-second tv spot will run \$2.500 to \$5.000. On a 60-second spot it can go as high as \$10.000 to \$12.000. But an average radio spot only costs \$300 to \$500 to produce."

One reason for the limited availability of tv time, and hence the inflated costs for it, is given by American Media's Joel Davis.

"Eighty-eight more national advertisers have just started using tv. Sears, for example, is now one of the largest tv users, while until a few years ago they were print-only."

Mickey Elfenbein, vice president of K-Tel, offers several other reasons for the high costs.

"Rates are high every four years because you have the primary and federal election coverage and also the Olympics using up available to

"But this year we're also coming out of a recession, so major advertisers are spending what they didn't spend a year or two ago. And, as a result, you have tv stations jacking up their prices. Since the rates have become so astronomical, everyone's looking for new ways to advertise.

Barry Grieff, advertising director for A&M, points out that the costs of a massive tv campaign may even be prohibitive. "When you start talking about spending \$500.000 to promote an album, you could go gold and still wind up losing money."

A&M nonetheless is coming off a major "Christmas In May" tv campaign, is planning a tv push for "Frampton Comes Alive" aimed at the over-25 demographics in 50 secondary markets, and will have its most comprehensive campaign to date in the fall.

One problem with both the lack of (Continued on page 26)

'Music Hall' To Beam Over 120 Stations

loneliness.

NEW YORK—"Music Hall America," an hour music-variety series, will debut on at least 120 tv stations this fall, according to Henry A. Gillespie, president, Viacom Enterprises here.

The show will be produced at Opryland, U.S.A., Nashville. Though the format will be open, many of the artists featured will be leading country music artists.

Lee Miller will produce; he was executive in charge of the highly acclaimed "Missiles Of October" to documentary last year and he has also done the "Cher" show, plus specials with Cass Elliott and others.

Director is Lee Bernhardi. Music director is Bill Walker who was music director on the Johnny Cash to show and before that was music director for Eddy Arnold; he has been featured on countless albums and singles as musician, arranger, conductor and producer not only in the U.S., but in Australia.

Name Change For Schulke

LOS ANGELES—Stereo Radio Productions, New York area firm, has changed its name to Schulke Radio Productions Ltd. The reason, according to president Jim Schulke, is because "of a seeming desire of the industry to label a format with the name of the person who is most identified with it. Since everybody calls us 'Schulke' or the 'Schulke format,' we decided to take advantage of it." The firm produces beautiful music programming for syndication.

However, several subsidiaries of Schulke Radio Products will continue as Stereo Radio Productions in order to preserve the name.

The Schulke format is an outgrowth of the old Quality Media Inc. rep firm that began programming WOOD-FM in Grand Rapids, Mich., years ago and evolved from that as FM grew. Recently, its Manhattan offices and Los Angeles studios were consolidated into a new facility in South Plainfield, N.J.

'Ballad' Special Free To Stations

LOS ANGELES—A 25-minute radio special commemorating the reissuing of the patriotic classical "Ballad For Americans" is being distributed free to radio stations by Burns Media Consultants here. George Burns, president, was commissioned by United Artists Records, which is releasing the LP. To obtain a copy of the radio special, program directors merely have to call 213-654-6413.

Craig is billing the station as "YZ-Connecticut's natural 92," with 92 being the frequency of the FM station. Since the station began airing adult music, response has reportedly been tremendous. The format shift began June 21.

WATERBURY, Conn.—WWYZ, a 50.000-watt FM outlet here, has finally ended its beautiful music programming and has shifted to an adult contempo-

Craig, who served as mid-day personality at Hartford's WDRC for six

rary format under the direction of veteran Hartford air personality Bob Craig.

years and then moved to WPOP in the same slot until that station dumped its

Top 40 format, believes he is filling one of the gaps that exists in Connecticut broadcasting by airing an adult format at WWYZ. "We're playing the soft side

of rock," explains the program director. "We play songs of life, love, and

The formerly-automated station now has live personalities.

WWYZ was the former WATR-FM. Both stations, WATR-AM and WWYZ are still housed in the same building. WWYZ has had a stormy background, first simulcasting with its AM sister, then going to Spanish music. Three years ago, WWYZ began programming a Bonneville beautiful music package. With the transmitter of the station in Meriden, which is in the center of the state, WWYZ covers Connecticut and portions of Long Island, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and a good portion of Vermont.

After WPOP's Top 40 demise in June of 1975, Craig joined WNAB in Bridgeport, which owns WWYZ and WATR. Craig realized that the 50,000-watt FM station in Waterbury was a sleeping giant. "The station was just lying dormant," says Craig. "Its efforts were fruitless with four other beautiful music stations in the market. I approached management about changing the format."

Craig's suggestion became a reality. He realized that this type of programming was needed while working in Hartford.

"I realized that there was a lack of adult contemporary music in Connecticut. It always seemed the most viable route to go if I were ever to program a station."

The "adult contemporary" Craig is talking about is the soft side of contemporary artists. YZ airs Carly Simon. Joni Mitchell. Poco. Don McLean. Jackson Brown, Cat Stevens and many others.

"We have no rotation," says Craig. "The music is based on a format predicated by sound. It is low key in style, with segmented programming in a cascading effect.

"We have an appealing format which is in between the format of WEEI-FM in Boston, on the MOR side. and WCTU in New York, which is more progressive.

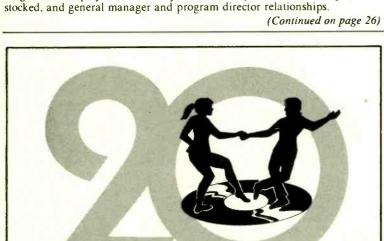
"In Hartford and New Haven there is a plethora of progressive stations. There was a lack of MOR, despite the fact that area is a vast FM market, perhaps one of the largest in the country.

"When programming, I took into consideration the good minds and the transient white collar type workers who would think of YZ as an oasis for their want of adult contemporary music. Our programming is tapered to the adult life style. There is no metallic rock or sophomoric teeny bopper music. We play acoustical music, staying away from the electrical."

Craig felt and still feels there is something missing in the Hartford-New Haven market.

"There are only progressive and beautiful music FM stations in the market. We are the only adult contemporary FM station.

"When WPOP switched formats. (Continued on page 26)



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Billboard Singles Radio Act Playlist Top Add Ons Singles Radio Act Regional Breakouts & National Breakouts

Based on station playlists through Thursday (8/5/76)

TOP ADD ONS -NATIONAL

CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now (Columbia (D) K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—(Shake, Shake, Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK) JEFFERSON STARSHIP-With Your Love (Grunt)

D-Discotheque Crossover

ADD ONS-The two key products added at the radio stations listed: as determined by station personnel

PRIME MOVERS-The two products registering the greatest proportionate upward movement on the station's playlist; as determined by station personnel.

BREAKOUTS-Billboard Chart Dept. summary of Add On and Prime Mover information to reflect greatest product activity at Regional and National levels.

Pacific Southwest Region

TOP ADD ONS:

CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now (Columbia) CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)
ALAN PARSONS PROJECT—Dr. Tarr & Profes:

* PRIME MOVERS:

ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY-I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree)
PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way

WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A Fifth

BREAKOUTS:

CHICAGO-II You Leave Me Now (Columbia) CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)
ALAN PARSONS PROJECT—Dr. Tarr & Professo

KHJ-Los Angeles

- CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket)
- WAR Summer (U.A.)
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 26-19
- ★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 23-17

KDAY-Los Angeles

- RONNIE DYSON—The More You Do It M. McCOO & B. DAVIS—You Don't Have To
- * NONE

KIIS-Los Angeles

- ◆ HELEN REDDY—I Can't Hear You No More
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)
- ★ PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way
- ★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade

KEZY-Anaheim

- D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your
- STEVE MILLER BAND Rock'n Me (Capitol) D★ BOZSCAGGS-Lowodown (Columbia) 24-
- ★ WAR-Summer (U.A.) 33-26

KFXM-San Bernardino

- Do K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—Shake Your Booty (TK)
- CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket) * ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY-1'd Really
- Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 22-4 D★ BEEGEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

BO-San Di

- ALAN PARSONS PROJECT Dr. Tarr & Professor Fether (20th Century)
- De TAVARES-Heaven Must Be Missing An
- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 30-13
- ★ KEITH CARRADINE—I'm Easy (ABC) 26-11

KAFY-Bakersfield

- HALL & OATES—She's Gone (Atlantic)
- JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love
- ★ CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 23-15

KRIZ-Phoenix

- ALAN PARSONS PROJECT—Dr. Tarr &
- CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now
- ★ PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way
- * ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE Don't Go Breaking

My Heart (Rocket) 4-1 KBBC-Phoenix

- OLIVIA NEWTON-JOHN Don't Stop
- GALLAGHER & LYLE—Heart On My Sleeve
- * EASY STREET-I've Been Lovin' You
- (Capricorn) HB-23 * SILVER-Wham Bam Shang-A-Lang (Arista)

KTKT-Tucson

- Do TAVARES-Heaven Must Be Missing An
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now
- * OHIO PLAYERS-Who'd She Coo (Mercury)
- * BOBBIE GENTRY-Ode To Billy Joe (W.B.)

KQEO-Albuquerque

- SPIN Grasshopper (Ariola America) GRIAN GARI-Better Than Average
- (Vanguard) D* LOU RAWLS—You'll Never Find Another
 Love Like Mine (Phila, Int'l.) 27-20

 * WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music

KENO-Las Vegas

- HELEN REDDY— I Can't Hear You No More
- CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now
- PETER FRAMPTON Baby, I Love Your Way (A&M) 30-20

 ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A

Pacific Northwest Region

. TOP ADD ONS:

CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now (Columbia) D) K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND - (Shake, Shake Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK) HEART-Magic Man (Mushroom

* PRIME MOVERS

WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A Fifti ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking M WAR-Summer (U.A.)

BREAKOUTS:

CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)

K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—(Shake, Shake Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK) HEART - Magic Man (Mushroom

KFRC - San Francisco

- D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your
- * WALTER MURPHY/RIG APPLE BAND-A
- Filth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 26-14

 D★ LOU RAWLS—You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) 15-10
- KYA-San Francisco D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND - Shake Your
- CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket)
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) HB-13 ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 5-1

- WILD CHERRY-Play That Funky Music (Sweet City)
 ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum)
- D★ BOZ SCAGGS Lowdown (Columbia) 20-13

 ★ PARLIAMENT Tear The Roof Off The Sucker (Casablanca) 6-1

KNDE—Sacramento

- Do K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your
- VICKI SUE ROBINSON Turn The Beat ★ MANHATTANS — Kiss And Say Goodbye
- (Columbia) 15-8

 ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking
- My Heart (Rocket) 6-3 KROV-Sacramento WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music
- (Sweet City)
 CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now * MANHATTANS—Kiss And Say Goodbye
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 6-1

PRIME MOVERS-NATIONAL

ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) WILD CHERRY-Play That Funky Music (Sweet City)

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- CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now
- * ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking
- My Heart (Rocket) 15-10

 D★ BOZSCAGGS—Lowdown (Columbia) 19-14 KJOY-Stockton, Calif.
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now
- STEVE MILLER BAND-Rock' Me (Capitol) ★ ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum) 27-14
- ★ BLUE OYSTER CULT—The Reaper
- HEART—Magic Man (Mushroom) • LADY FLASH—Street Singin' (RSO)
 ★ WAR—Summer (U.A.) 30-23

★ CLIFF RICHARD - Devil Woman (Rocket)

- KISN-Portland . CHICAGO - If You Leave Me Now
- STEVE MILLER BAND—Rock'n Me (Capitol) ★ FLEETWOOD MAC—Say You Love Me (Reprise) 28-13
- ★ CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket)

KING-Seattle

- TAVARES—Heaven Must Be Missing An Angel (Capitol)
 HEART—Magic Man (Mushroom)
- * WILD CHERRY-Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 20-12 * BEACH BOYS-Rock And Roll Music

- CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now
- * WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND -A

Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 21-13 * WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music

- KTAC-Tacoma • NATALIE COLE-Sophisticated Lady
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now
- * ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 15-7

 ★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 24-17

KCPX—Salt Lake City

- DR. HOOK—A Little Bit More (Capitol)
 OLIVIA NEWTON-JOHN—Don't Stop
- Believin (MCA)

 ★ WAR—Summer (U.A.) 28-20
- ★ ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum) 19-12
- KRSP-Salt Lake City • HELEN REDDY - I Can't Hear You No More
- OLIVIA NEWTON-JOHN Don't Stop ★ RED SOVINE—Teddy Bear (Starday) 29-12

WAR—Summer (U.A.) 24-17 KTLK-Denver

- CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now
- LINDA RONSTADT That'll Be The Day
- BEACH BOYS-Rock And Roll Music
- * JOHN TRAVOLTA-Let Her In (Midland

North Central Region

• TOP ADD ONS:

ICAGO-If You Leave Me Now (Columbia) FLEETWOOD MAC-Say You Love Me (Reprise)
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★ PRIME MOVERS:

HALL & OATES-She's Gone (Atlantic) WINGS-Let 'Em in (Capitol)
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BREAKOUTS:

CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now (Columbia) IFFFERSON STARSHIP-With Your Love CLIFF RICHARD-Devil Woman (Rocket)

CKLW-Detroit

- Do ROZ SCAGGS Lowdown (Columbia) CHICAGO - If You Leave Me Now
- D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your ★ SWEENY TODD—Roxy Roller (London) 23-17

WTAC-Flint, Mich.

- . CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket).
- JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love
- ★ HALL & OATES—She's Gone (Atlantic) 25-
- ★ KEITH CARRADINE—I'm Easy (ABC) 9-4

WGRD-Grand Rapids

- ★ BEATLES—Got To Get You Into My Life
- * QUEEN You're My Best Friend (Elektra)

Z-96 (WZZM-FM) - Grand Rapids

- HEART Magic Man (Mushroom)
- WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City)
- ★ WINGS-Let' Em In (Capitol) 21-14
- * BEATLES-Got To Get You Into My Life

WAKY-Louisville

- WAR-Summer (U.A.)
- Do BEE GEES-You Should Be Dancing (RSO)
- ★ KEITH CARRADINE—I'm Easy (ABC) 12-4
- * ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY-I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 17-10

D. LOU RAWLS-You'll Never Find Another

WBGN-Bowling Green

- Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) • FINGERTIPS-Shelter Me
- * WINGS-Let Em In (Captiol) 21 14 D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—Shake Your

Booty (TK) HB-25

- WGCL-Cleveland • VICKI SUE ROBINSON - Turn The Beat
- SWEENY TODD-Roxy Roler (London)
- ★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade (W.B.) 19-13

* BEACH BOYS-Rock And Roll Music

- WIXY-Cleveland
- . MARVIN GAYE After The Dance (Tamla) • JEFFERSON STARSHIP - With Your Love
- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A

★ HALL & OATES—She's Gone (Atlantic) 24-

- WSAI-Cincinnati HENRY GROSS—Springtime Mama
- LADY FLASH-Street Singin' (RSO) * VICKI SUE ROBINSON—Turn The Beat
- Around (RCA) 14-8 * ORLEANS-Still The One (Asylum) 25-20

Q-102 (WKRQ-FM)-Cincinnati

GEORGE BENSON — This Masquerade

CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now

(Colum bia) ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE - Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 6-3

WCOL-Columbus

 LEON & MARY RUSSELL—Rainbow In Your Eyes (Paradise)

★ WILD CHERRY - Play That Funky Music

★ CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket) ★ HALL & OATES—She's Gone (Atlantic) 23-

CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now

WCUE-Akron, Ohio

- CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)
- BROTHERS JOHNSON—Get The Funk Outta ★ HEART - Magic Man (Mushroom) 26-15
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking

BREAKOUTS-NATIONAL

CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now (Columbia) CLIFF RICHARD-Devil Woman (Rocket) JEFFERSON STARSHIP-With Your Love (Grunt)

- 13-Q (WKTQ) Pittsburgh
- WINGS-Let Em In (Capitol) • FLEETWOOD MAC-Say You Love Me
- * ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE Don't Go Breaking
- My Heart (Rocket) 25-15 D★ LOU RAWLS—You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila, Int'l) 16-8

- WPEZ-Pittsburgh • PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way
 - FLEETWOOD MAC Say You Love Me
- D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—Shake Your Booty (TK) 25-15
- ★ WINGS-Let 'Em In (Captiol) 20-13
- WRIE-Erie, Pa. CLIFF RICHARD - Devil Woman (Rocket)

LADY FLASH—Street Singin' (RSO) AMERICA-Amber Cascades (W.B.) 30-24 ★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love (Grunt) 29-25

- WJET-Erie, Pa.
- ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum) • JEFFERSON STARSHIP - With Your Love
- * HALL & OATES-She's Gone (Atlantic) 25-

★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade (W.B.) 15-9 Southwest Region

. TOP ADD ONS:

(D) K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—(Shake, Shake, Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK) (D) BOZ SCAGGS-Lowdown (Columbia)

Heart (Rocket) GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade (W.B.)

* PRIME MOVERS:

BREAKOUTS CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)) K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-(Shake, Shake Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK)
CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)

ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking My

- KILT-Houston De BOZ SCAGGS-Lowdown (Columbia) • JEFFERSON STARSHIP - With Your Love
- * CLIFF RICHARD-Devil Woman (Rocket)

* PARLIAMENT—Tear The Roof Off The

- Sucker (Casablanca) 32-23 KRBE-Houston . CLIFF RICHARD - Devil Woman (Rocket) JOHN TRAVOLTA—Let Her In (Midland)
- * OHIO PLAYERS—Who'd She Coo (Mercury) ★ KEITH CARRADINE—I'm Easy (ABC) 17-14
- KLIF-Dallas D

 K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND — Shake Your Booty (TK)

 WAR—Summer (U.A.)

* ELTON JOHN / KIKI DEE - Don't Go Breaking

• ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY-I'd Really

Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree)

★ WINGS-Let 'Em In (Captiol) 23-10 KNUS-FM - Dallas

★ WINGS-Let 'Em In (Capitol) 21-11 ★ CARPENTERS—I Need To Be In Love (A&M)

KINT-EI Paso

- ORLEANS-Still The One (Asylum) • CHICAGO — If You Leave Me Now
- * ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 10-4
- D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

- WKY-Oklahoma City CLIFF RICHARD - Devil Woman (Rocket)
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now
 - WALTER MURPHY/RIG APPLE BAND-A

Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 15-8

- D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake You
- HELEN REDDY-! Can't Hear You No More

* WILD CHERRY-Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 20-12 ★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade

- ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum)
 CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now

* FLEETWOOD MAC - Say You Love Me ★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade

KEEL-Shreveport D. BOZSCAGGS-Lowdown (Columbia)

ELLISON CHASE-Let's Rock (Big Tree)

DR. HOOK-A Little Bit More (Capitol) 21-★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Realfy Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 11-4

WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A Fifth

Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK) * PRIME MOVERS:

Heart (Rocket)

D) BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)
ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love BREAKOUTS:

ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking My

- D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your

- WDHF-Chicago
- * ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE Don't Go Breaking KEITH CARRADINE-I'm Easy (ABC) 14-9
- SYLVIA—You Sure Love To Ball (Motown)
- D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—Shake Your

WNDE-Indianapolis

★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade WOKY-Milwaukee

★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking
My Heart (Rocket) 15.8 My Heart (Rocket) 15-8

★ HELEN REDDY—Music'ls My Life (Capitol) (Continued on page 22)

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D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO) KAKC-Tulsa

- D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your
- D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your Booty (TK) KISS—Detroit Rock City (Casablanca)
- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 16-12

Midwest Region • TOP ADD ONS CHICAGO-II You Leave Me Now (Columbia) D) K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-(Shake, Shake

- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A Fifth WAR-Summer (U A.) PETER FRAMPTON-Baby: I Love Your Way
- WLS-Chicago
- * ELTON JOHN / KIKI DEE Don't Go Breaking
 My Heart (Rocket) 11-1

 D* BEE GEES You Should Be Dancing (RSO)
- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock)

 Do TAVARES—Heaven Must Be Missing An
- WVON-Chicago • ISLEY BROS.—Harvest For The World (T-
- AL WILSON Baby, I Want Your Body (Playboy) 21-20 ★ JOE SIMON—Come Get To This (Spring) 24-
- Booty (TK)

 OHIO PLAYERS—Who'd She Coo (Mercury)

 BEACH BOYS—Rock And Roll Music
- WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music

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The group specializes in western swing,
a melange of country, blues and jazz
pioneered nearly 40 years ago by
Bob Wills and His Texas Playboys.
The versatile band also plays be-bop,
boogie, mainstream country, blues and
Cajun music with equal zeal!"

—Jon Bream Minneapolis Star

Their new album
WHEELIN' AND DEALIN' (ST-11546)
includes their new single,
Bobby Troup's ROUTE 66! (4319)



Playlist Top Add Ons Playlist Prime Movers *

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WZUU-FM - Milwaukee

- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A
- . WINGS-Let 'Em In (Capitol)
- D★ BEE GEES-You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

WIRL-Peoria, III.

- WAR-Summer (U.A.)
- SILVER—Wham Bam Shang-A-Lang (Arista)
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 25-14
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 12-5

KSLQ-FM-St. Louis

- STEVE MILLER BAND Rock'n Me (Capitol)
- ISLEY BROS. Harvest For The World (T
- ★ HEART-Magic Man (Mushroom) 19-10
- * ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking

KXOK-St. Louis

- FLEETWOOD MAC Say You Love Me
- GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade
- D★ LOU RAWLS—You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) 13-7
- D★ BEE GEES-You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

KIOA-Des Moines

- CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket)
- D. BEEGEES-You Should Be Dancing (RSO)
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 18-10
- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 10-16

KDWB-Minneapolis

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- PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way
- VICKI SUE ROBINSON—Turn The Beat Around (RCA)
- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 15-5
- D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

WDGY-Minneapolis

- PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way
- ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really
- * WINGS-Let 'Em In (Capitol) 9-4
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking

KSTP-Minneapolis

- HALL & OATES-She's Gone (Atlantic)
- . CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now
- D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)
- ★ CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)

WHB-Kansas City

- ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY-I'd Really
- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A
- ★ WINGS-Let 'Em In (capitol) 10-4
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 5-1

KOIL-Omaha

- WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City)
- Do CANDI STATON—Young Hearts Run Free
- ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 20-11
- VICKI SUE ROBINSON—Turn The Beat Around (RCA) 23-15

KKLS—Rapid City, S.D.

- HENRY GROSS—Springtime Mama
- . CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now
- ★ WINGS-Let 'Em In (Capitol) 12-6
- ★ ALAN PARSONS PROJECT—Dr. Tarr & Professor Fether (20th Century) 14-11

KQWB-Fargo, N.D.

- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A
- . JEFFERSON STARSHIP With Your Love
- ★ SILVER—Wham Bam Shang-A-Lang (Arista)
- ★ HENRY GROSS—Springtime Mama (Lifesong) 20:17

Northeast Region

TOP ADD ONS:

GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade (W.B.)

N.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—(Shake, Shake
Shake) Shake Shake (T.K.) Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK)

CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)

* PRIME MOVERS:

WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock)
WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet VICKI SUE ROBINSON-Turn The Beat Around

BREAKOUTS

(D) K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-(Shake, Shake, Shake) Shake Your Booty (TK)
CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)
JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love

WABC - New York

- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A
- PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way
- D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 6.4

WPIX-New York

- WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A
- JEFFERSON STARSHIP-With Your Love
- ★ KEITH CARRADINE-I'm Easy (ABC) 21-15
- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 12-8

- DIANA ROSS One Love In My Lifetime
- . CURTIS MAYFIELD Only You Babe D★ RITCHIE FAMILY—The Best Disco In Town
- D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

WPTR-Albany

- DIANAROSS—Dne Love In My Lifetime
- LADY FLASH Street Singin' (RSO)
- D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)
- D★ LOU RAWLS—You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) 19-9

WTRY-Albany

- HELEN REDDY—I Can't Hear You No More
- JEFFERSON STARSHIP With Your Love
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 11-1
- * K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your

WKBW-Buffalo

- K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your
- GEORGE BENSON This Masquerade
- * WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A
- Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 23-9 ★ BEATLES—Got To Get You Into My-Life (Capitol) 17-8 WYSL—Buffalo

- . K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your
- CANDISTATON—Young Hearts Run Free
- * VICKI SUE ROBINSON—Turn The Beat ind (RCA) 24-3 ★ WILD CHERRY - Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 17-9

WBBE-Rochester, N.Y.

- ERIC CARMEN—Sunrise (Arista) SAMMY JOHNS—Peas In A Pod (W.B./Curb)
- ★ CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)
- D★ CANDISTATON—Young Hearts Run Free

WRKO-Boston

- WAR-Summer (U.A.)
- GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade
- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—1'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 22-9
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 26-14

WBZ-FM-Boston

- CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now
- * WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A
- ★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 26-15

WVBF-FM - Boston

- D. K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your
- WAR-Summer (U.A.)
- wild CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) HB-19
- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 25-15

WORC-Worcester, Mass.

- RICK SPRINGFIELD—Take A Hand
- ERIC CARMEN—Sunrise (Arista)
- D★ CANDI STATON—Young Hearts Run Free
- ★ CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)

WDRC-Hartford

- D. BOZ SCAGGS—Lowdown (Columbia)
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)
- ★ VICKI SUE ROBINSON—Turn The Beat Around (RCA) 12-5

★ WINGS-Let 'Em In (Capitol) 13-7

- WPRO-Providence • WILD CHERRY-Play That Funky Music
- ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum)
- ★ PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, | Love Your Way D* K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your

Mid-Atlantic Region

TOP ADD ONS

Of Beethoven (Private Stock)
ERIC CARMEN—Sunrise (Arista)

* PRIME MOVERS:

GEORGE BENSON-This Masquerade (W.B.)
ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking M

WILD CHERRY-Play That Funky Music (Swei

BREAKOUTS: D) BOZ SCAGGS—Lowdown (Columbia)

HELEN REDDY—I Can't Hear You No Mor

CHICAGO - If You Leave Me Now (Columbia

- WFIL-Philadelphia WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock)
 - D. BOZ SCAGGS-Lowdown (Columbia)

 - ★ WILD CHERRY Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 22-13 ★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade

- WIBG-Philadelphia WAR – Summer (U.A.)
- * NONE

- WIFI-FM-Philadelphia • FLEETWOOD MAC - Say You Love Me
- CHICAGO-If You Leave Me Now
- ★ ORLEANS-Still The One (Asylum) 28-20

★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 19-12 WPGC-Washington

- Do BOZ SCAGGS Lowdown (Columbia)
- ERIC CARMEN Sunrise (Arista) D* K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—Shake Your

D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO) WGH-Washington

- HELEN REDDY-I Can't Hear You No More
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 19-9 ★ EARTH, WIND & FIRE—Getaway (Columbia) 26-19

WCAO-Baltimore

- HELEN REDDY- | Can't Hear You No More
- PAUL DAVIS Superstar (Bang) D★ TAVARES—Heaven Must Be Missing An Angel (Capitol) 19-10
- D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND—Shake Your Booty (TK) 25-16

WYRE-Baltimore

- CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket)
- De BOZSCAGGS-Lowdown (Columbia)
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 14-5
- ★ ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum) 28-20
- WLEE-Richmond, Va. DR. HOOK-A Little Bit More (Capitol)
- JAMES TAYLOR-Shower The People (W.B.) ★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 12-6

Southeast Region

- TOP ADD ONS:
- JEFFERSON STARSHIP-With Your Love CHICAGO—If You Eeave Me Now (Columbia)
 CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)

* PRIME MOVERS

WILD CHERRY-Play That Funky Music (Sweet ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE-Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket)

DR. HOOK—A Little Bit More (Capitol)

BREAKOUTS

JEFFERSON STARSHIP-With Your Love CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)
CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)

- WQXI—Atlanta FLEETWOOD MAC — Say You Love Me (Reprise)
- D

 LOW RAWLS You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila, Int'l.) D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your

★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 14-6

- Z-93 (WZGC-FM) Atlanta
- WAR-Summer (U.A.)
- ★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music

★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE - Don't Go Breaking

- WBBQ-Atlanta JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love
- RICK DEES Disco Duck (RSO / Fretone)
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 10-4

★ LEON & MARY RUSSELL — Rainbow In Your Eyes (Paradise) 11·6

- WFOM—Atlanta
- D. BOZSCAGGS-Lowdown (Columbia) • ERIC CARMEN -- Sunrise (Arista)
- ★ KEITH CARRADINE—I'm Easy (ABC) 10-4

* DR. HOOK-A Little Bit More (Capitol) 17-

- WSGA-Savannah, Ga. • JEFFERSON STARSHIP-With Your Love
- LINDARONSTADT—That'll Be The Day ★ ELTON JOHN/KIK! DEE—Don't Go Breaking
- My Heart (Rocket) 8-1 ★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 13-8

• WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A PETER FRAMPTON—Baby, I Love Your Way

- ★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 28-20 D★ LOU RAWLS — You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) 12-7
- Do TAVARES—Heaven Must Be Missing An Angel (Capitol)

SILVER – Wham Bam Shang-A-Lang (Arista)

Y-100 (WHYI-FM) — Miami

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★ CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now (Columbia) 27-16 * SEALS & CROFTS-Get Closer (W.B.) 23-13

BJ 105 (WBJW-FM) - Orlando

- NONE
- ★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE Don't Go Breaking
- D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your

Q-105 (WRBQ-FM) — Tampa/St. Petersburg

- SILVER Wham Bam Shang-A-Lang (Arista)
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now
- D★ LOU RAWLS You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) 24-19

★ WAR-Summer (U.A.) 20-16 WQPD-Lakeland, Fla.

- STEVE MILLER BAND Rock'n Me (Capitol)
- ERIC CARMEN-Sunrise (Arista)
- ★ HELEN REDDY—I Can't Hear You No More (Capitol) 39-22

★ WAR-Summer (U.A.) 28-20 WMFJ-Daytona Beach

JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love

CHICAGO — If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)

★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking D★ BEE GEES-You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

- WAPE-Jacksonville D

 BOZ SCAGGS—Lowdown (Columbia)
- D★ LOU RAWLS—You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) 24-16

JEFFERSON STARSHIP - With Your Love

★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade (W.B.) 14-9 WAYS-Charlotte

- CLIFF RICHARD Devil Woman (Rocket)
- D★ TAVARES—Heaven Must Be Missing An Angel (Capitol) 16-6

D★ BEE GEES—You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

- WGIV-Charlotte
- NATURAL FOUR-Free (Curtom) B.B. KING/BOBBY BLAND—Let The Good Times Roll (ABC/Impulse)

★ JOHN HANDY—Hard Work (ABC/Impulse)

★ CURTIS MAYFIELD—Only You Babe

- WKIX-Raleigh, N.C.
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now

• JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love (Grunt)

★ JAMES TAYLOR—Shower The People (W.B.)

WTOB-Winston-Salem JEFFERSON STARSHIP—With Your Love

★ DR. HOOK—A Little Bit More (Capitol) 25-

★ ELTON JOHN/KIKI DEE—Don't Go Breaking My Heart (Rocket) 14-2 ★ WILD CHERRY—Play Tha't Funky Music (Sweet City) 11-4

CHICAGO — If You Leave Me Now

WTMA-Charleston, S.C.

Do TAVARES—Heaven Must Be Missing An Angel (Capitol)

• EARTH, WIND & FIRE—Getaway (Columbia)

★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND—A Fifth Of Beethoven (Private Stock) 14-2

- WMAK-Nashville

- CLIFF RICHARD—Devil Woman (Rocket)
- JAMES TAYLOR Shower The People (W.B.)
- ★ WALTER MURPHY/BIG APPLE BAND-A
- HENRY GROSS—Springtime Mama
- ★ WINGS-Let 'Em In (Capitol) 11-2
- WGOW-Chattanooga
- JEFFERSON STARSHIP With Your Love

★ WAR-Summer (U.A.) 28-18 WERC-Birmingham

★ CHICAGO—If You Leave Me Now (Columbia) HB-24

CLIFF RICHARD - Devil Woman (Rocket)

- WHHY-Montgomery

KAAY-Little Rock

WORD-Spartanburg, S.C.

- TYRONE DAVIS—Give It Up (Columbia)
- MARSHALL TUCKER BAND Long Hard
- ★ DR. HOOK A Little Bit More (Capitol) HB-
- ★ WILD CHERRY Play That Funky Music

WLAC - Nashville

- ORLEANS-Still The One (Asylum)
- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now
- ★ WILD CHERRY Play That Funky Music
- (Sweet City) 11-2 D★ LOU RAWLS—You'll Never Find Another Love Like Mine (Phila. Int'l.) 11-2

- VICKI SUE ROBINSON Turn The Beat Around (RCA)
- JEFFERSON STARSHIP With Your Love

★ SILVER—Wham Bam Shang-A-Lang (Arista)

- WHBQ-Memphis
- D * K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND Shake Your

- ORLEANS—Still The One (Asylum)
- D★ CANDISTATON—Young Hearts Run Free (W.B.) 27-15
- MICHAEL FRANKS—Popsicle Toes

- CHICAGO If You Leave Me Now (Columbia)
- BLUE OYSTER CULT—The Reaper
- ★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP With Your Love (Grunt) 22-13 ★ PAUL DAVIS—Superstar (Bang) 23-15

- ★ ENGLAND DAN/JOHN COLEY—I'd Really Love To See You Tonight (Big Tree) 25-15

WMPS-Memphis

- HALL & OATES—She's Gone (Atlantic)
- WSGN-Birmingham

D★ BEE GEES-You Should Be Dancing (RSO)

- ★ BEATLES—Got To Get You Into My Life (Capitol) 20-14

OLIVIA NEWTON-JOHN — Don't Stop Believin' (MCA) ★ GEORGE BENSON—This Masquerade

- ★ WILD CHERRY—Play That Funky Music (Sweet City) 12-5
- MICHEAL FRANKS—Popsicle Toes
- ★ CATE BROS.—Can't Change My Heart (Asylum) 21-13

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D★ K.C. & THE SUNSHINE BAND-Shake Your

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The Mama's & The Papas,
Steppenwolf, Three Dog Night,
Jim Croce, Joe Walsh,
Rufus and Steely Dan among others...

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Billboard Album Radio Action

Playlist Top Ad Ons ● Top Requests/Airplay ★ Regional Breakouts & National Breakouts Based on station playlists through Thursday (8/5/76)

Top Add Ons-National

CHRISTINE McVIE-The Legendary Christine Perfect Album (Sire) MICHAEL DINNER—Tom Thumb The Dreamer (Fantasy) BONNIE BRAMLETT-Ladies Choice (Capricorn) JOAN ARMATRADING-(A&M)

ADD ONS-The four key products added at the radio stations listed; as determined by station

personnel.
TOP REQUESTS/AIRPLAY— The four products registering the greatest listener requests and airplay; as determined by station personnel.

BREAKOUTS-Billboard Chart Dept. summary of Add Ons and Requests/Airplay information to reflect greatest product ac tivity at regional and national

Western Region

TOP ADD ONS:

GRAND FUNK RAILROAD-Good Stagin' Good

BONNIE BRAMLETT-Ladies Choice (Capricol ENGLISH DAN & JOHN FORD COLEY-Nights Are Forever (Big Tree) CHRISTINE MCVIE—The Legendary Christine

Perfect Album (Sire)

★TOP REQUEST/AIRPLAY

JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt)
PETER FRAMPTON—Frampton Comes Alive BOZ SCAGGS-Silk Degrees (Columbia)
JESS RODEN BAND-Keep Your Hat On (Is

BREAKOUTS: GRAND FUNK RAILROAD-Good Singin' Good

BONNIE BRAMLETT-Ladies Choice (Capirco ENGLISH DAN & JOHN FORD COLEY-Nights Are Forever (Big Tree) CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary Christine
Perfect Album (Sire)

KLOS-FM-Los Angeles

- ENGLISH DAN & JOHN FORD €OLEY—
- GRAND FUNK RAILROAD Good Singin
- BONNIE BRAMLETT Ladies Choice (Epic)
 BLUE OYSTER CULT Agents Of Fortune
- ★ FLEETWOOD MAC—(Reprise)
- ★ BOZ SCAGGS—Silk Degrees (Columbia)
- WINGS At The Speed Of Sound (Capitol) ★ PETER FRAMPTON — Frampton Comes Alive

KWST-FM-Los Angeles

- DUKE & THE DRIVERS—Rollin' On (ABC)
- CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary Christine Perfect Album (Sire)
- * VIVA! ROXY MUSIC-(Atco)
- RICHIE FURAY BAND-I've Got A Reason
- ★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt) * JESS RODEN BAND-Keep Your Hat On

KSML-FM-Lake Tahoe/Reno

- CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary Christine Perfect Album (Sire)
- HUMMINGBIRD—We Can't Go On Meeting
- Like This (A&M)

 JOHN MAYALL—A Banquet In Blues (ABC)
- BONNIE BRAMLETT Ladies Choice
- ENGLAND DAN & JOHN FORD COLEY—
- Nights Are Forever (Big Tree)

 BYRON BERLINE—Sundance (MCA) ★ COUNTRY JOE McDONALD—Love Is Fire
- ★ BEACH BOYS 15 Big Ones (Brother/
- * AVERAGE WHITE BAND—Soul Searching
- ★ JESS RODEN BAND—Keep Your Hat On

KGB-FM-San Diego

- JON ANDERSON Olias Of Sunhillow
- CROSBY/NASH—Whistling Down The Wire MARK ALMOND—To The Heart (ABC)
- YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE Go
- DWIGHT TWILLEY BAND—Sincerely (Shelter)
- ★ GEORGE BENSON—Breezin' (Warner Bros.) ★ PETER FRAMPTON—Frampton Comes Alive
- * JEFFERSON STARSHIP Spitfire (Grunt) ★ BOZ SCAGGS—Silk Degrees (Columbia)

Top Requests/Airplay-National

JEFFERSON STARSHIP-Spitfire (Grunt) VIVA! ROXY MUSIC -(Atco) ROD STEWART-A Night On The Town (Warner Bros.) STEELY DAN-Royal Scam (ABC)

KLBJ-FM-Austin

KISW-FM - Seattle GINO VANNELLI—The Gist Of The Gemini BOBBY BLAND & B.B. KING—Together Again . . . Live (ABC/Impulse)

* JEFFERSON STARSHIP-Spitfire (Grunt)

★ GEORGE BENSON — Breezin' (Warner Bros.)
 ★ AVERAGE WHITE BAND — Soul Searching

★ MICHAEL FRANKS-The Art Of Tea (Warner

GRAND FUNK RAILROAD—Good Singin'

JESS RODEN BAND—Keep Your Hat On

(Island)
COMMANDER CODY & HIS LOST PLANET
AIRMEN—We've Got A Live One Here
(Warner Bros.)
Are You Ready For T

WAYLON JENNINGS-Are You Ready For The

NATURAL ACT — Timothy & Ms. Pickins (Half

★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt)
★ ROD STEWART—A Night On The Town

(Warner Bros.)

★ CROSBY/NASH—Whistling Down The Wire

GRAND FUNK RAILROAD-Good Singin' Good

GINO VANNELLI-The Gist Of The Gemini

CHRISTINE MCVIE-The Legendary Christine

★TOP REQUEST/AIRPLAY

ROD STEWART-A Night On The Town (Warne

GRINDERSWITCH-Pullin' Together (Capri-

RICHIE FURAY BAND-I've Got A Reason (Asy

GRAND FUNK RAILROAD-Good Singin' Good

Playin (MCA)
GINO VANNELLI-The Gist Of The Gemini

CHRISTINE McVIE-The Legendary Christine DUKE & THE DRIVERS—Rollin' On (ABC)

• GRAND FUNK RAILROAD—Good Singin

DUKE & THE DRIVERS - Rollin' On (ABC)

★ RICHIE FURAY BAND—I've Got A Reason

* GRINDERSWITCH-Pullin Together

(Capricorn)

★ ROD STEWART—A Night On The Town

AVERAGE WHITE BAND—Soul Séarching

TRIUMVIRAT—Old Loves Die Hard (Capitol)
 GRINDERSWITCH—Pullin' Together

RAY THOMAS—Hopes, Wishes & Dreams

(Threshold)

• EARTHQUAKE—8.5 (Beserkeley)

• GRAND FUNK RAILROAD—Good Singin'

* BOB SEGER & THE BULLET BAND - Live

★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt)

★ HEART - Dreamboat Annie (Mushroom Records)

★ BLUE OYSTER CULT—Agents Of Fortune

GINO VANNELLI—The Gist Of The Gemini

JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M)
 HUMMINGBIRD—We Can't Go On Meeting

JOHN MAYAL—A Banquet in Blues (ABC)

★ ROD STEWART -- A Night On The Town

★ ALAN PARSONS PROJECT—Tales Of

GEORGE BENSON - Breezin' (Warner Bros.) JAMES TAYLOR - In The Pocket (Warner

PETER IVERS - (Warner Bros.)

VIVA! ROXY MUSIC-(Atco)

KADI-FM-St Louis

KZEW-FM-Dallas

ike This (A&M)

Good Playin' (MCA)

• CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary

TOM SNOW—(Capitol)

VIVA! ROXY MUSIC-(Atco

KSHE-FM-St. Louis

BREAKOUTS:

DUKE & THE DRIVERS-Rollin On (ABC)

★ JEFF BECK—Wired (Epic)

TOP ADD ONS:

Southwest Region

KOME-FM-San Jose

- YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE-Go GINO VANNELLÏ—The Gist Of The Gemini WIDOW MAKER—(United Artists)
 TRIUMVIRAT—Old Loves Die Hard (Capitol)
 JON ANDERSON—Olias-Of Sunhillow
 - TOOTS & THE MAYTALS Reggae Got Soul

 - DAVID SANBORN Sanborn (Warner Bros.) • THE METERS-Trick Bag (Reprise)
 - BONNIE BRAMLETT Ladies Choice
 - * MARK ALMOND-To The Heart (ABC)
 - ★ JEFF BECK-Wired (Epic)
 - * STEELY DAN-Royal Scam (ABC)
 - * ROD STEWART A Night On The Town

Midwest Region

TOP ADD ONS:

HUMMINGBIRD-We Can't Go On Meeting Like CHRISTINE McVIE-The Legendary Christine

MICHAEL DINNER-Tom Thumb The Dreamer DAVID SANBORN-Sanborn (Warner Bros.)

★TOP REQUEST/AIRPLAY

VIVA! ROXY MUSIC—Atco) STEVE MILLER—Fly Like An Eagle (Capitol) JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt) HEART-Dreamboat Annie (Mushroom Rec

BREAKOUTS

HUMM". .: SIRD-We Can't Go On Meeting Like CHRISTINE McVIE-The Legendary Christine Pertect Album (Sire)
MICHAEL DINNER—Tom Thumb The Dreamer

(Fantasy)

DAVID SANBORN—Sanborn (Warner Bros.)

WABX-FM-Detroit

- ◆ CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary
- DUKE & THE DRIVERS-Rollin' On (ABC)

- * VIVA! ROXY MUSIC-(Atco)
- * ROD STEWART A Night On The Town
- * STARZ-(Capitol)
- ★ POINTBLANK-(Arista)

WMMS-FM-Cleveland

- ARTFUL DOGER-Honor Among Thieves
- CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary hristine Perfect Album (Sire)
- MICHAEL DINNER Tom Thumb The Dreamer (Fantasy)
- GRAND FUNK RAILROAD—Good Singin
- HUMMINGBIRD—We Can't Go On Meeting Like This (A&M)
- DAVID SANBORN Sanborn (Warner Bros.)
- * STEVE MILLER-Fly Like An Eagle (Capitol)
- * VIVA! ROXY IUSIC-(Atco)
- * JEFFERSON STARSHIP-Spitfire (Grunt)
- ★ DWICHT TWILLEY BAND—Sincerely

WXRT-FM-Chicago

- JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M)
- HUMMINGBIRD—We Can't Go On Meeting
- MICHAEL DINNER—Tom Thumb The
- GARY BURTON QUINTET—Dreams So Real
- * HEART-Dreamboat Annie (Mushroom
- ★ BOZ SCAGGS—Silk Degrees (Columbia)
- ★ BLUE OYSTER CULT—Agents Of Fortune
- ★ STEVE MILLER—Fly Like An Eagle (Capitol)

WCOL-FM-Columbus

- BUDGIE-If I Were The Brittania I'd Wave The Rules (A&M)
- YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE—Go
- RICK SPRINGFIELD—Wait For Night
- (Chelsea) DAVID SANBORN—Sanborn (Warner Bros.)
- HUMMINGBIRD—We Can't Go On Meeting Like This (A&M)
- CROSBY/NASH—Whistling Down The Wire
- * AEROSMITH-Rocks (Columbia)
- ★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt)
- * ROY AYERS UBIQUITY Everybody Loves.
- ★ PETER FRAMPTON Frampton Comes Alive (A&M)

WZMF-FM-Milwaukee

- MARK ALMOND—To The Heart (ABC)
- ELECTRO MAGNETS—(EGM)
- RUNAWAYS—(Mercury)
- * RICK DERRINGER-Derringer (Blue Sky)
- * AEROSMITH-Rocks (Columbia)
- * HEART-Dreamboat Annie (Mushroom
- ★ BLACKMORES RAINBOW—Rainbow Rising

Southeast Region

. TOP ADD ONS:

YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE - Go (Island) JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M)
DWIGHT TWILLEY BAND—Sincerely (Shelter) JESS RODEN BAND-Keep Your Hat On (is

★TOP REQUEST/AIRPLAY

YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE-Go (Island) ANDY PRATT-Resolution (Nemperor)
ROD STEWART-A Night On The Town (Warner

SOUTHSIDE JOHNNY & THE ASBURY JUKES - I Don't Wanna Go Home (Epic)

BREAKOUTS:

YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE-Go (Island) JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M)

OWIGHT TWILLEY BANO—Sincerely (Shelter) CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary Christine Perfect Album (Sire)

WMAL-FM-Washington

- BARRY MANILOW—This One's For You
- JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M)
- . PETER IVERS-(Warner Bros.)
- CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary Christine Perfect Album (Sire)
- JOHN MAYALL—A Banquet In Blue (ABC)
- JESS RODEN BAND—Keep Your Hat On
- **★ WARREN ZEVON**—(Asylum)
- ★ ANDY PRATT—Resolution (Nemperor)
- * SOUTHSIDE JOHNNY & THE ASBURY
- * YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE—Go

WKTK-FM-Baltimore

- JOAN ARMATRADING-(A&M)
- (Island)
- GRAND FUNK RAILROAD—Good Singin Good Playin' (MCA)
- MARK ALMOND—To The Heart (ABC)
- WILD CHERRY—(Epic)
- THE METERS-Trick Bag (Reprise)
- ★ YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE—Go * RODSTEWART—The Night On The Town
- ★ STEELY DAN—Royal Scam (ABC)
- ★ CHICAGO X—(Columbia)

National Breakouts

CHRISTINE McVIE-The Legendary Christine Perfect Album (Sire) MICHAEL DINNER-Tom Thumb The Dreamer (Fantasy) BONNIE BRAMLETT-Ladies Choice (Capricorn)

WKDA-FM - Nashville

- ENGLAND DAN & JOHN FORD COLEY— Nights Are Forever (Big Tree)
- RICK SPRINGFIELD-Wait For Night
- RAY THOMAS-Hopes, Wishes & Dreams
- YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE—Go (Island)
- * JEFFERSON STARSHIP-Spitfire (Grunt)
- ★ AEROSMITH—Rocks (Columbia) * STEVE MILLER-Fly Like An Eagle (Capitol)
- ANDY PRATT-Resolution (Nemperor)

WORJ-FM-Orlando

- BOBBY BLAND & B.B. KING—Together Again . . . Live (ABC/Impulse)
- . GINO VANNELLI-The Gist Of The Gemini
- ★ HEART Dreamboat Annie (Mushroom
- * GEORGE BENSON-Breezin' (Warner Bros.)
- * ALICE COOPER-Alice Cooper Goes To Hell

• TOP ADD ONS

BONNIE BRAMLETT-Ladies Choice (Capri MICHAEL DINNER-Tom Thumb The Dreamer

ROD STEWART - A Night On The Town (Warner JEFFERSON STARSHIP-Spitfire (Grunt)

JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M) KRIS KRISTOFFERSON—Surreal Thing (Monu

WNEW-FM - New York

- KRIS KRISTOFFERSON-Surreal Thing
- DAVID SANBORN -- Sanborn (Warner Bros.) ■ JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M)
- CHRISTINE McVIE—The Legendary
- ★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt)
- * ROD STEWART—A Night On The Town
- (Warner Bros.) * STEELY DAN-Royal Scam (ABC)
- KRIS KRISTOFFERSON-Surreal Thing • MICHAEL DINNER-Tom Thumb The
- JESS RODEN BAND—Keep Your Hat On
- BYRON BERLINE—Sundance (MCA) ◆ LA SEINE — That's Like The River (Ariola
- * ROD STEWART A Night On The Town (Warner Bros.)
- ★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt)

- WOUR-FM Syracuse/Utica BONNIE BRAMLETT – Ladies Choice
- (Capricorn) MICHAEL DINNER—Tom Thumb The
- Dreamer (Fantasy) • KRIS KRISTOFFERSON—Surreal Thing
- ASLEEP AT THE WHEEL Wheelin' & Dealin'
- THE METERS Trick Bag (Reprise) BLUE OYSTER CULT—Agents Of Fortune
- ★ MARKALMOND—To The Heart (ABC)
- * VIVA! ROXY MUSIC-(Atco) ★ JAMES TALLEY—Trying Like The Devil
- * GRINDERSWITCH-Pullin' Together

- BARRY MANILOW—This One's For You
- JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M)
- CURVED AIR—Airborne (BTM Import)
- * ROD STEWART—A Night On The Town (Warner Bros.) ★ TRIUMVIRAT—Old Loves Die Hard (Capitol)
- ★ VIVA! ROXY MUSIC-(Atco)
- ENGLAND DAN & JOHN FORD COLEY— Nights Are Forever (Big Tree)
- MICHAEL DINNER Tom Thumb The
- DAVID SANBORN Sanborn (Warner Bros.)
- HUMMINGBIRDS—We Can't Go On Meeting Like This (A&M) ★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfire (Grunt)

★ LEON & MARY RUSSELL—Wedding Album

- WHCN-FM-Hartford
- LaSEINE That's Like The River (Ariola
- GRAND FUNK RAILROAD Good Singin' Good Playin' (MCA)
- MICHAEL DINNER—Tom Thumb The Dreamer (Fantasy)
- THE METERS Trick Bag (Reprise) ★ DOOBIE BROTHERS—Takin' It To The
- Streets (Warner Bros.)

* ANDY PRATT-Resolution (Nemperor) ★ ALICE COOPER - Alice Cooper Goes To Hell

- ▼ TRIUMVIRAT—Old Loves Die Hard (Capitol)
- BACK STREET CRAWLER—2nd Street (Atco) • POINTBLANK-(Arista) MARK ALMOND—To The Heart (ABC)
- GINO VANNELLI—The Gist Of The Gemini
- (Warner Bros.) * STEELY DAN-Royal Scam (ABC)
- * AVERAGE WHITE BAND—Soul Searching © Copyright 1976, Billboard Publi-cations, Inc. No part of this publi-

★ JEFFERSON STARSHIP—Spitfore (Grunt)

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JOAN ARATRADING-(A&M)

- DWIGHT TWILLEY BAND—Sincerely
- TRIUMVIRAT—Old Loves Die Hard (Capitol)
- * PETER FRAMPTON Frampton Comes Alive
- YAMASHTA, WINWOOD, SHRIEVE-Go
- RICHIE FURAY BAND-I've Got A Reason
- DWIGHT TWILLEY BAND Sincerely (Shelter)
- * ALAN PARSONS PROJECT Tales Of

Northeast Region

JOAN ARMATRADING-(A&M) THE METERS-Trick Bag (Reprise)

★TOP REQUEST / AIRPLAY

STEELY OAN-Royal Scam (ABC) VIVA! ROXY MUSIC-(Atco)

BREAKOUTS: BONNIE BRAMLETT-Ladies Choice (Capri MICHAEL DINNER-Tom Thumb The Dreamer

- THE METERS-Trick Bag (Reprise) BONNIE BRAMLETT — Ladies Choice
- * REVERBER(-Timer (PA/USA)
- WBAB-FM—Babylon
- BARRY MANILOW—This One's For You
- * SOUTHSIDE JOHNNY & THE ASBURY
- * YAMASHTA, WINWOOD & SHRIEVE Go

WMMR-FM-Philadelphia

(Arista)

- EARTHQUAKE—,8.5 (Beserkeley) JOHN MAYALL—A Banquet in Blues (ABC)
- BONNIE BRAMLETT—Ladies Choice (Capricorn)
- ★ BEACH BOYS 15 Big Ones (Brother/

WLIR-FM - New York

- BONNIE BRAMLETT—Ladies Choice
- Dreamer (Fantasy) JOAN ARMATRADING—(A&M).
- * SPIRIT-Farther Along (Mercury) ★ RICHIE FURAY BAND—I've Got A Reason

- PAT METHENE-Bright Size Life (ECM)
- COUNTRY JOE McDONALD Love Is Fire
- * ROD STEWART A Night On The Town
- CHUM-FM-Toronto
- WAYLON JENNINGS—Are You Ready For The
- ROD STEWART A Night On The

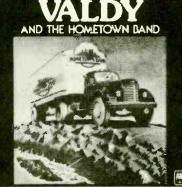
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VALDY "VALDY AND THE HOMETOWN BAND" ON A&M RECORDS AND TAPES
SP 4592



Radio-TV Programming

New Format At Conn. WWYZ For Adults

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Hartford was left without solid Top 40 radio," Craig says. "The last day of WPOP playing music was the sad-dest day in Hartford radio. WPOP and WDRC had one constant battle for years."

Hartford's closest stations to Top 40 remain WRCQ, which is gold formatted, and WDRC, which has a format that changes with sharp con-trast throughout the day, from MOR

to Top 40, to progressive.
"WDRC is a number of things to a number of people." adds Craig. "It cannot be called a Top 40 station, however." Craig is a firm believer that specialty formats will be the only way for stations to go in the fu-

"Specialty formats have a strong image, and can be sold easily," he says. "In the first month of operation, YZ had at least one dozen advertisers come to it who found the format unique and appealing."

Other specialty stations have also fared well in Connecticut. WIOF, a semi-automated country station which is also in Waterbury, has done well in the Connecticut books.

"I don't want to reveal any secrets about my 'cascades'," he continues.

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"But, what we basically do is set a mood in each segment, from beginning to end.

The station's library consists of three shelves of albums. It is about 1,000 titles strong, and growing daily

"We follow the trades to see what is popular," says Craig. "Numbers have no bearing on what we play. Record sales do not have a direct bearing on the format."

Craig says that the record companies have been good to the station in supplying the type of music they need. He has special thanks to Merv Amols of Capitol, Dave Demeurs of Columbia, Pat Rustici of Warner Bros., John Allen of MCA, Linda King from A&M. Tracy Garneau of Aquarius and Frank Berman of Alpha.

"They were all very extending in helping us," says Craig.

Craig uses file cards to index the LPs in the library. The announcers pull the index cards with the LPs and use the cards to recap each music segment. Craig himself pre-programs the music they will pull from the library.

"Our listener comments have been overwhelming," says Craig. 'We have had calls from Vermont to Long Island, with people saying that it was 'about time" someone thought of playing the kind of music they like. It was really exciting to think that many people would spend the money for a toll call to us. Letters have come in every day since the change.'

Craig stands by his belief that good programming makes a station successful

"Regardless of whether a station is on AM or FM, it is good programming which makes a station a winner. All the talk about AM losing to FM is nonsense. There are no AM or FM records, it is just the station which is AM or FM."

Craig believes that MOR stations in the area are programming tune-

"Many AM stations are trying to

cover too broad a base in MOR programming. The result is they are airing tune out factors to the older, or more sophisticated listeners.

YZ utilizes five full-time personalities. They have a low key approach, and convey information about the music to the audience.

"Our personalities are a communicative vehicle to the audience. They speak on a one-to-one basis, in a warm personal manner, without expanding on words," says Craig.
In the morning slot is Glenn Colli-

Bryant Thomas, formerly of WPOP. works the 11 a.m.-3 p.m. shift. Craig follows from 3-6 p.m. Jack Becker and Bill Calvert fill the two nighttime slots. Ted Sellers works week-

Craig began his career 13 years ago at WLTN in Littleton, N.H. He worked at WICH, WDRC, WPOP, and also part-time at WHDH in Boston. His longest stint was at WDRC, where he was mid-day personality for six years. MIKE ADASKAVEG

A Major Experimentation

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available tv time and the high cost for it is that it precludes repetition.

Derek Church, advertising and merchandising manager for Motown, notes that "the key to effective tv is repetition. It is better to hit hard for four days than to have ads on occasionally for a month.'

Motown's recent campaign featuring Smokey Robinson. Diana Ross. Marvin Gaye and the Temptations ran for two weeks in June in four markets: Los Angeles, New York, Atlanta and Chicago.

Bob Siner, vice president of advertising and merchandising for MCA, disputes this need for repetition by saying "merchandising an artist isn't the same as merchandising soap. You can't take soap on tour or take it station-to-station or get it played on the radio." Siner feels that because an artist with hit product is promoted in all these other ways, occasional tv spots would, in some

cases, be enough.

MCA's to activity to date has centered around Elton John, Neil Sedaka. Olivia Newton-John, the Who, Lynyrd Skynyrd and the soundtrack from "The Sting."

Another problem with soaring tv costs is noted by Motown's Derek Church. "You can't just have a tv spot and expect the consumer without any further stimulus to go out and buy an album. Advertising has to be on several levels. But twis so expensive that you have to de-emphasize or even exclude some of these other reinforcing forms.'

Linda York, a media buyer for Warner Bros., indicates that WB has responded to this problem by cutting back sharply on consumer print. In this way the label has managed tv campaigns on Rod Stewart and the Staple Singers' "Let's Do It Again."

Another main reason for the re-luctance of labels to enter the tv field was a feeling that record ads on tv tend to "look cheap."

Mickey Elfenbein of K-Tel. which

pioneered the field of advertising records on tv 10 years ago in Canada and five years ago in the U.S., defends the attention-grabbing, admittedly hard sell ads his company runs by saying, "We employ what we think is the most effective advertising in moving large quantities of rec-

Barry Grieff of A&M notes. "that's obviously worked for them, but they're selling a bargain, not an emotion. We're selling someone's artistry, and the artists that are attracted to A&M's style wouldn't tolerate a hard sell. And we have an interest in the longevity of an artist; we're not just trying to get the maximum exploitation out of any one album."

Derek Church of Motown notes, though, that there are really two kinds of television ads. "One is put on by the manufacturer, and usually emphasizes the quality of the product, and the other is put on by the merchandiser, and just tells you

where you can go to get it at the right price."
Church notes that most tv ads for

records in the past have not been manufacturer-sponsored, but now that they are, there should be more sophistication, subtlety and soft sell.

MCA is even investigating a new approach, according to Bob Siner. 'In our past ads we've just let the viewer know a record was available: we didn't give him a reason to buy it."

Siner is also concerned with what was another long-time roadblock to label participation on tv, the feeling that the tv audience is too broad.

"Very few acts are conducive to tv. If they aren't mass appeal, it won't pay off. Actually radio is the best buy in terms of efficiency, as you can key in much closer on a specific audience '

For the most part even Joel Davis of American Media concedes that "in many cases to is wrong." He notes that there are matching to demographics for any artist, but says that in some cases there are so few shows that have the desired audience that you can't wage an all-out campaign.

"You can count on one hand the number of shows that reach the acid rock audience. You'd have 'Midnight Special,' 'Rock Concert,' and

'Saturday Night.'
He notes, though, that most artists have a broader base than is reached by radio. For this reason he feels a tv campaign on an Elton John, who is already getting maximum radio exposure, would be a worthwhile ef-

Davis of Capitol also sees the significance of tv advertising in possibly widening the record-buving base. "Everybody's after that 25-40 'blue denim' audience, in addition to (Continued on page 32)

Boston Meet

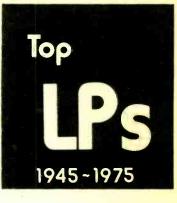
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Registration fees have been set at \$20 for college students, \$25 for persons in commercial radio and \$35 for record executives.

Purpose of the conference, according to the advisory committee, is to bring together secondary radio, major market radio, retail, whole-sale, and promotion representatives to "solve some of the problems that exist and to show the influence the secondary markets have on the entire music industry."

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Personal Appearances Nixed By MANN POWER Personal Appearances Nixed Herbie, But He Is Hyperactive

By ELIOT TIEGEL

LOS ANGELES-Herbie Mann is stepping aside from doing personal appearances-for an indefinite period.

The reason: the studio musicians he's been using for the past four years are now being hired by top name contemporary pop acts, so each time he goes out on the road, it's a matter of getting new personnel and by the time they've run through the books they're ready to come home to New York.

So Mann is trying an experiment: he's cutting out personals in favor of doing recording work, producing other artists and waiting until his agency, Sutton Artists, puts together a major 10-15 city tour for him in the right concert halls which will enable him to hire the right musicians and know they'll be with him and not with some rock act.

Mann has three final dates left before he goes into his experimental stage: Friday (13) he and his group play with the Denver Symphony: Saturday (14) they play the Convention Center in Reno and Monday (16) they play at the Uptown Theater in Kansas City during the Republican Convention.

"The way I've been working, using studio musicians on and off, I'm never sure who my band will be," Mann admits. "A lot of pop groups have stopped using their friends in the studios and are using regular studio musicians instead. Peter Frampton hired my drummer and Judy Collins hired my bassist." The lure is, of course, more money and more dates

"The only way I can put together a band is to tour," Mann says. Mann's concept of staying around New York most of the time and going out on weekends to do concerts is not viable anymore.

So while he waits for a major tour to be developed, he'll be doing recording work. He goes to Germany in the next few months to cut an LP which Atlantic will distribute. He'll also be featured in a plethora of LPs-new and repackaged-which Atlantic will be issuing in the next several months, including, November, when it'll be Herbie Mann

The flutist plus vocalist Cissy



Herbie Mann: seeking new vistas for the next two years.

Houston and his band, featuring guitarist Albert Lee, just taped their performance at the Great American Music Hall in San Francisco. That

LP is blues flavored.

He recently completed an LP, infusing Brazilian carnival rhythms with his jazz: cut an LP in Japan with Buddish monks and Japanese musicians which Atlantic will release on its Finnidar avant-garde label, and has prepared a Latin LP plus a Roy Ayers package. The last three will be part of a 12-LP release by Atlantic in September

"I feel it's time again for Brazilian music to happen," Mann says. "The Brazilian musicians have been listening to pop and the reason Brazimusic was popular years ago was because Latin music got bor-

Playing on this LP are members of his "last" band: Pat Rebillot, piano; Jeff Merinov, guitar; Tony Levin, bass; Armen Halburian, percussion: (plus Rubens Bassini, Dam Um Ra-mon and Ralph McDonald all on percussion) and Brazilian guitarist Tristal. This potpourri LP of jazz. pop, samba and rock will be out in November.

He's also has set for November a compilation of acts he cut for Embryo, a label he ran for Atlantic in the mid-1960s, which features the Brecker Brothers, Larry Coryell, Ron Carter, Hubert Laws, John

McLaughlin, Miroslav Vitos and Herbie Hancock. The LP will be called "The Best Of Embryo—Ahead Of Its Time," Mann says. The Latin LP features four bands

doing "early salsa" as Mann calls it. They are Mann and the Machito rhythm section: Charlie Palmieri, Mongo Santamaria and Willie Ro-

The Roy Ayers package is tracks that Mann produced for Atlantic eight years ago and which he has remixed.

Mann speaks of several adventurous recording projects like working with the Average White Band's rhythm section.

And while his music will be get-

ting to the public via recordings, Mann envisions playing the Carnegie Halls of the nation in person. 'If necessary I'd rather do two shows for 6,000 people than one for 12,000 in a stadium where nobody can hear anything.'

His record production company, Five Faces Of Music, has vocalist Cissy Houston under contract. He has been discussing a production deal with several labels, but isn't ready to reveal the affiliation.

12 Jazz Hours On Philadelphia WHYY-TV Bill

PHILADELPHIA-While there is a dearth of jazz rooms now operating in the city, WHYY-TV, public service channel here, will fill the gap with a 12-week hour-long jazz con-cert series, "At The Top." Produced by WXXI in Rochester, N.Y., the series was taped on location in nightclubs and concert halls in Western New York state, including Rochester's Top Of The Plaza.

Showing Saturday nights at 8 p.m., the video concerts begin with Two Generations Of Brubeck Following programs spotlight The New York Jazz Quartet with Roland Hanna: Joe Williams, Stanley Turrentine, trumpeter Freddie Hubbard, composer-pianist Keith Jar-rett, Woody Herman, Count Basie, vocalist Gil Scott-Heron, Taj Mahal, and DeeDee Bridgewater. Final concert will be a special tribute to the late Bix Beiderbecke with Jimmy McPartland, Joe Venuti and others.

LOS ANGELES-There'll be a Jazz Beat

Old-Timers Prance At L. A. Festival

hot time in the old town the night of Sept. 17 and the following two evenings when a legion of old-timers perform on the Wilshire Ebell Theater stage at what is being billed as the Los Angeles Jazz Festival.

John Lee Hooker kicks off the festivities on a bill in which Little Brother Montgomery, Sunnyland Slim, Lowell Fulson, Cousin Joe, Lloyd Glenn, Duke Burrell and Bob Hite also will appear.

On Saturday, producer Floyd Levin will produce "A Night In New Orleans" featuring Joe Venuti, Barry Martyn's Legends Of Jazz, Art Hodes, Red Callender, the New Orleans leans Society Orchestra, the Eagle Brass Band and Rosy McHargue's Ragtimers.

Sunday's session will be built around the music of Louis Armstrong with Barney Bigard, Cosy Cole, Arvell Shaw, Teddy Buckner, Trummy Young and Dick Cary sharing the stand.

Levin has scaled tickets from \$4 to \$7. all reserved, and performances the three nights will start at 8:30

LOS ANGELES-KVMT in Vail, Colo., has a show called "Bridge Street Jazz" which airs seven nights a week from 6-7 p.m. with music director John Bradley as host.

"We concentrate on solid contemporary jazz but often feature dixieland, the blues and virtually every aspect of past and present jazz, writes Bradley

"We would like to expand the show," says Bradley, "to two or three hours. However, we are in desperate need of album service from all labels. KVMT has been on the air since the fall of 1974 and the present staff has been here since spring of 1976.

KADX in Denver is simulcasting "At The Top, the hour-long jazz show done with KRMA-TV Sat-urdays at 8 p.m. Then the station airs a series of shows from the Agora Club in Cleveland which goes on the air at 10 p.m. for an hour. Thursday (12) the station is presenting the CTI Summer Festival at Red Rocks Amphitheater.

John Sutton, air personality and music librar ian, writes that the outlet is also programming "Jazztract," Wednesdays at 9 p.m. and that show involves playing an entire LP and giving it a solid sendoff.

New personnel at the station include Steve Burke as operations and music director. He also pulls a 3:15 to 8:15 p.m. air slot. Other DJs in

clude Chuck Edwards, 8:15 p.m.-1:15 a.m.; Bill Neal, 1:15 a.m.-6:15 a.m.; Lauren Hendricks, 6:15-10:15 a.m., and Sutton, 10:15-3:15 p.m. Besides broadcasting jazz 24 hours, station also beams in quadraphonic QS, Sutton notes.

The Downtown club in the Buffalo Statler Hil ton has had a successful run with jazz acts and plans additional outings in this direction. Room reopens Sept. 7. The room's second season fea tured Milt Jackson, Flip Phillips, Roy Eldridge, Bucky Pizzarelli, Spider Martin, Dizzy Gillespie, Cap Mangione, Earl Hines, Jackie & Roy Kral, Marian McPartland and Charlie Byrd.

Zim Records of Jericho, N.Y., owned by Art Zimmerman, distributes product by Spotlite of England, Amigo, Dragon and Tangent Records of Sweden. Two ex-patriot Americans, Red Mitchell and Dave Holland, appear on several of the disks. Zim also acts as distributor for the No/Gap label whose release this month features Paul Quinichette and Tommy Bryant with the No Gap Generation Jazz Band, Company also handles broadcast remote projects done by WBBM in Chicago and released by special arrangement with Charlie Ventura. These dates were cut durng the mid-1940s and feature such names as Charlie Parker, Coleman Hawkins and Pepper

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			ard Jazz LPs
This	Last Report	Weeks on Chart	TITLE Artist, Label & Number (Distributing Label)
1	1	19	BREEZIN George Benson, Warner Bros. BS 2919
2	6	9	BOB JAMES THREE CTI 6063
3	3	9	GOOD KING BAD George Benson, CTI 6062
4	2	13	THOSE SOUTHERN KNIGHTS Crusaders, ABC/Blue Thumb BTSD 6024
5	4	13	HARD WORK John Handy, ABC/Impulse ASD 9314
6	5	10	FEVER Ronnie Laws, Blue Note BN-LA628-G (United Artists)
7	10	13	YOU ARE MY STARSHIP Norman Connors, Buddah BDS 5655
8	9	10	EVERYBODY COME ON OUT Stanley Turrentine, Fantasy F 9508
9	8	13	FLY WITH THE WIND McCoy Tyner, Milestone M 9067 (Fantasy)
10	7	17	LOOK OUT FOR #1 Brothers Johnson, A&M SP 4567
11	11	19	ROMANTIC WARRIOR Return To Forever, Columbia PC 34076
12	15	9	ARBOUR ZENA Keith Jarrett, ECM 1070 (Polydor)
13	13	13	SALONGO Ramsey Lewis, Columbia PC 34173
14	12	17	BLACK MARKET Weather Report, Columbia PC 34099
15	14	42	FEELS SO GOOD Grover Washington Jr., Kudu 24 S1 (Motown)
16	16	10	EARL KLUGH Blue Note BN-LA596-G (United Artists)
17	17	24	THE LEPRECHAUN Chick Corea, Polydor PD 6062
18	26	6	THE NEED TO BE Esther Satterfield, A&M SP 3411
19	19	40	TOUCH John Klemmer, ABC ABCD 922
20	20	44	KOLN CONCERT Keith Jarrett, ECM 1064/65 (Polydor)
21	18	19	AURORA Jean-Luc Ponty, Atlantic SD 18163
22	31	6	OH, YEAH? Jan Hammer, Nemperor NE 437 (Atlantic)
23	NEW	ENTRY	EVERYBODY LOVES THE SUNSHINE Roy Ayers Ubiquity, Polydor PD-1-6070
24	24	22	OPEN YOUR EYES YOU CAN FLY Flora Purim, Milestone M 9065 (Fantasy)
25	25	19	PRIMAL SCREAM Maynard Ferguson, Columbia PC 33953
26	21	10	THE PAUL DESMOND QUARTET LIVE Horizon SP 850 (A&M)
27	27	40	CITY LIFE Blackbyrds, Fantasy F 9490
28	MEW	ENTRY	SUMMERTIME MFSB, Philadelphia International-PZ 34238 (Columbia/Epic)
29	30	9	THE MEAN MACHINE Jimmy McGriff, Groove Merchant GM 3311 (PIP)
30	NEW	ENTRY	THE MAIN ATTRACTION Grant Green, Kudu 28 (CTI)
31	33	13.	BIRD/THE SAVOY RECORDINGS Charles Christopher Parker, Savoy SJL 2201 (Arista)
32	40	10	MYSTERIES Keith Jarrett, ABC/Impulse ASD 9315
33	37	4	BLACK WIDOW Lato Shifrin, CTI 5000
34	35	4	NEW LIFE (Dedicated To Max Gordon) Thad Jones & Mel Lewis, Horizon SP 707 (A&M)
35	28	6	ALL THE THINGS WE ARE Dave Brubeck, Atlantic SD 1684
36	34	10	OSCAR PETERSON IN RUSSIA Pablo 2625.711 (RCA)
37		ENTRY	OTHER FOLKS' MUSIC Rahsaan Roland Kirk, Atlantic SD 1686
38			STEPPIN' OUT WITH A DREAM Ahmad Jamal, 20th Century T 515
39		ENTRY	NIGHTFLIGHT Gabor Szabo, Mercury SRM-1-1091 (Phonogram)
40	MÉT	N ENTRY	DREAMS SO REAL Gary Burton Quintet, ECM-1-1072 (Polydor)

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Rack Singles Best Sellers

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- AFTERNOON DELIGHT-Starland
- DON'T GO BREAKING MY HEART-John & Kiki Dee-Rocket 40585
- LET HER IN-John Travolta Midland International 10623
- GOT TO GET YOU INTO MY LIFE-
- LOVE IS ALIVE—Gary Wright— Warner Bros. 8143
- LET 'EM IN-Wings-Capitol 4293
- ROCK & ROLL MUSIC-Beach Boys-Warner/Reprise/Brother
- I'D REALLY LOVE TO SEE YOU TONIGHT—England Dan & John Ford Coley-Big Tree 16069
- GET CLOSER—Seals & Crofts— Warner Bros. 8190
- SHOP AROUND—Captain &
- Tennille—A&M 1817 YOU'RE MY BEST FRIEND-
- MOONLIGHT FEELS RIGHT
- Starbuck—Private Stock 45039 'M EASY—Keith Carradine—ABC
- KISS AND SAY GOODBYE-Manhattans—Columbia 3-10310
 THE BOYS ARE BACK IN TOWN a 3.10310
- YOU SHOULD BE DANCING-Bee
- BABY I LOVE YOUR WAY—Peter Frampton—A&M 1832
- I'LL BE GOOD TO YOU—Brothers Johnson—A&M 1806
- MISTY BLUE-Dorothy Moore-
- A FIFTH OF BEETHOVEN—Walter

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Murphy & The Big Apple Band— Private Stock 45073

- 21 MORE, MORE, MORE (Part 1)-
- IF YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN-Neil
- TEDDY BEAR-Red Sovine-Starday
- WHAM BANG SHANG-A-LANG-
- Silver—Arista 0189

 DEVIL WOMAN—Cliff Richard—
 Rocket 40574
- SAY YOU LOVE ME-Fleetwood
- Mac—Reprise 1356
 SUMMER—War—United Artists 834
- YOU'LL NEVER FIND ANOTHER
- LOVE—Lou Rawls—Philadepl International 3592
- BOOGIE FEVER—Sylvers—Capitol
- SILLY LOVE SONGS-Wings-
- Capitol 4256
 WITH YOUR LOVE—Jefferson
- Starship—Grunt 10746
 GET UP AND BOOGIE—Silver
- Convention—Mid. Int'l. 10571
 (Shake, Shake Shake) SHAKE YOUR
 BOOTY—K.C. & The Sunshine
 Band—TK 1019
 TEAR THE ROOF OFF THE
 SUCKER—Parliament
- Casablanca 856
- LAST CHILD-Aerosmith-Columbia 3-10359 NO, NO JOE—Silver Convention—
- Midland International 10723
- PLAY THAT FUNKY MUSIC—Wild Cherry—Epic 8-50225 SPRINGTIME MAMA—Henry

- THIS MASQUERADE—George Benson—Warner Bros. 8209 MAKING OUR DREAMS COME TRUE (Theme From "Laverne & Shirley")—Cyndi Greco—Private Stock 45086

Rack LP Best Sellers

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- FRAMPTON COMES ALIVE-Peter
- WINGS AT THE SPEED OF SOUND—Capitol SW 11525 2
- FLEETWOOD MAC-Reprise
- BEAUTIFUL NOISE—Neil Diamond— Columbia PC 33965
- ROCK 'N' ROLL MUSIC The Beatles Capitol SKBO 11537
- THEIR GREATEST HITS 1971-1975—EAGLES—Asylum 7E-1052
- ROCKS-Aerosmith-Columbia PC
- DREAMWEAVER—Gary Wright— Warner Bros. BS 2868
- CHICAGO X-Columbia PC 34200
- SONG OF JOY—Captain & Tennille—A&M SP 4570 SPITFIRE-Jefferson Starship-
- Grunt BFL1-1557 NIGHT AT THE OPERA—Queen— Elektra 7E-1053
- LOVE WILL KEEP US TOGETHER-
- HISTORY-AMERICA'S GREATEST
- ALIVE!-Kiss-Casablanca NBLP 7020
- KIND OF HUSH—Carpenters— A&M SP 4581
- ENDLESS SUMMER-Beach Boys-
- pitol SVBO 11307 GREATEST HITS-Eiton John-
- FLY LIKE AN EAGLE-Steve Miller Band-Capitol 11516
- 15 BIG ONES—Beach Boys Brother/Reprise MS 223

- 21 DONNY & MARIE FEATURING SONGS FROM THEIR TELEVISION SHOW—Donny & Marie Osmond—Kolob PD 6068
- CHICAGO IX CHICAGO'S
 GREATEST HITS—Columbia
- DREAMBOAT ANNIE—Heart— Mushroom MRS 5005
- GET CLOSER—Seals & Crofts— Warner Bros. BS 2907 JOHN TRAVOLTA-Midland
- rnational BKL1-1563
- TRYIN' TO GET THE FEELIN'—
 Barry Manilow—Arista AL 4060
- HERE AND THERE—Elton John— MCA 2197 CHANGESONEROWIE—David
- Bowie—RCA APL1-1732

 COME ON OVER—Olivia Newton
- John, MCA 2186
- OLE ELO—Electric Light Orchestra-United Artists UA-LA630-G BREEZIN'—George Benson—Warner Bros. BS 2919
- IN THE POCKET—James Taylor— Warner Bros. BS 2912
- CONTRADICTION—Ohio Players-Mercury SRM-1-1088
- LED ZEPPELIN (IV)-Atlantic SD GREATEST HITS-Seals & Crofts-
- Warner Bros. BS 2886
 ALICE COOPER GOES TO HELL—
 Warner Bros. BS 2896
- WIRED-Jeff Beck-Epic PE 33849 ARE YOU READY FOR THE
- COUNTRY—Waylon Jennings— RCA APL1-1816 DESTROYER-Kiss-Casablanca
- LOOKIN' FOR #1-Brothers Johnson-A&M SP 4567

Memphis P/M Acquires New Acts

MEMPHIS-Phonogram/Mercury's office here has signed several local acts since the label opened its office here two months ago to develop Southern

The new signings by Jud Phillips Jr., office manager, include the Bar-Kays; Con-Funk-Shun: Oliver and the Rockettes, and the Treasurers. Memphis artists already recording for the label before the new signings are: Jerry Lee Lewis and O.B. McClinton.

"We are making progress in talent acquisition and production," says Phillips. "I have taken my time to be selective in signing artists because we want to make sure that we keep up the heritage of the Memphis recording industry and its grassroots elements

Radio-TV Programming

Vox Jox

By CLAUDE HALL

LOS ANGELES-Jim Gallant is leaving WIOD in Miami to return with wife and pets to Kansas City, When I was down there a couple of months ago, WIOD sounded very good-in fact, better than any other MOR station in the nation that I'd listened to aside from when Budd Clain programmed WSPR in Springfield. Mass., years and years . Rich (Brother) Robbins was hanging out last week at KGBS-AM in Los Angeles (now to be known as KTNQ), the first of a series of people to be hired by new program director Jimi Fox.

Dick McGarvin, former disk jockey at KSFO in San Francisco. dropped by last week to bring me his album, "Peaceful." He has been doing voiceovers and tv acting the past year or so, including an NBC-TV movie that you'll be seeing soon V movie that you'll be seeing soon. Buddies can reach him via 213-874-2200. . . . Lineup at WEKY in Richmond, Ky., includes Jack Daniels 5a.m., program director Roy D. (Dale King) Wasson 9-noon, (Brother John) K. Roberts noon-4 p.m., Mark Anthony 4-8:30 p.m., Larry C. Jaynes 8:30 p.m.-1 a.m., and James Michael Reid on week-ends. Wasson says: "The station desperately needs all record companies to start rock singles and album service and stop country service. We have been on the air around 25 years

Label Execs

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the younger demographics that listen to the radio. So tv is definitely tapping a new audience.

Another reason labels avoided tv is outlined by Grieff of A&M.

Tv is visual, and if the visual image you present is different from what the listener conjured up, you're not helping the act, you're hurting it.

"Some acts have strong visual appeal, like the Tubes or an outrageous looking act like Kiss. But if a rock band looks like every other rock band, showing that image on tv would make the act look mundane."

Motown's Derek Church feels. though, that "establishing a visual identity, especially if the image presented on tv is the same as the album cover, will increase the chance of recognition at point of purchase."

Capitol's Davis feels that "music today is no longer just audio; it's become a visual medium as well. Music stars are now entertainers, and creating a visual image on tv can only help."

A final reason that labels were reluctant until now to enter the tv field was that they would have to master the complex area of tv time buys.

Mickey Elfenbein of K-Tel explains that "it took us years to develop this expertise. It's not going to be easy for labels to develop this

Most labels have solved this problem by working with professional media buying services which buy huge amounts of time and get a price break as a result.

A&M's Grieff points out that much is unknown about the worth of tv advertising in terms of motivating the consumer.

"In fact, our main push in tv advertising is not so much to the consumer, as to let merchandisers know that we are behind a product. You tell them you are planning a massive print campaign and they yawn. But tv is the new toy, so it intrigues them

and have never been country that I know of. We have been rock for as long as rock music existed. We are trying to break hits and are gaining listeners and accounts in Lexington 25 miles away. Right now, we must buy or tradeout 95% of our records and can't buy new records since they aren't in the racks."

Bobby Vee recently performed in Europe and he bumped into, of all things, some Vox Jox readers such as Sgt. "Rip" Van Winkle of Armed Forces Radio in Brindisi, Italy, who says that Armed Forces Radio is doing some very creative things in talk and music. Rip, why don't you send me an aircheck (cassette or reel-to-reel) one of these days? Ron Frasier and his wife got into the movie "Close Encounter Of A Third Kind" by Columbia Pictures.

Bob McAlester, general manager of KORL in Honolulu, writes: "Regarding the Hawaii item mentioned in your July 31 issue, some of the material is quite in error. In the future, could you check more than one source for a more balanced picture? Hawaii is developing into an aggressive and extremely profitable mar-ket. With the influx of professional broadcasters, it is an unfortunate time for unfavorable and inaccurate publicity." McAlester refers to a letter from Jefferson Foxx about visiting Hawaii. Foxx deplored the low salaries in Hawaii.

George Waters, KVON in Napa, Calif., writes: "Just read the letter in the column from Jefferson Foxy regarding pay in Honolulu. He thinks it's amazing people will work there for \$2.25 an hour. Why not? If you're going to starve, better Honolulu than New York, San Francisco, Chicago, or Los Angeles. I know of a number of FM stations that pay that kind of salary, even in the largest U.S. markets. I'd be willing to bet that WBIG where Foxx works starts people at \$125 a week, which only works out to \$3 an hour. We do. As program director, I'm not proud to say that, but it's true. And if anyone wants to leave, there will probably be 100 applicants for his job within one week

"From time to time, you and other industry publications do interviews with consultants, 'stars,' etc., who wonder where the talent is in radio. With a reasonably good announcer working 40 hours a week (minimum) and busting his butt for an average of \$150 a week in a medium size market (check the NAB handbook on wages; you'll be appalled), it's no wonder anyone with talent (or intelligence) either gets out of radio or moves into sales. In fact, in order to eat, I'm doing selling here-not hardly my favorite job. But as long as so-called radio schools and colleges keep cranking out thousands of 'qualified' radio people each year, the situation is not going to improve. What is happening, as I see it, is that good announcers are moving into areas where they can pick up side money doing other things, and still stay on the air a few hours a day doing what they enjoy. Or, they are getting out of radio entirely

"What can we do? Somehow we've got to make it known to sales managers who now run medium and small market stations that people are worth something; that automation still takes people to run it. Otherwise, Hawaii at \$2.25 an hour is always going to look better than Chicago at

\$2.50. After all, what's 25 cents when you're starving anyway?'

KCLD is an adult contemporary station in St. Cloud, Minn., about 30 minutes from Minneapolis, and the lineup now has Bruce Vidal 6-10 a.m., operations manager J.J. Justin 10-noon, Terry "Flick" Fleck noon-3 p.m., program director Scott Slocum 3-7 p.m., Duke Bremmer 7-10 p.m., Jack Hanson 10 p.m.-2 a.m., Rock Lundorf 2-6 a.m., with Joe Henderson and Joel Folger handling weekend work. . . . Ken Noble moved to WKLS (96 Rock) in Atlanta Aug. 1. He'd been doing mornings at KTFM in San Antonio. "Here's something I can't understand. With the exception of KQXT, a beautiful music station, the FM band actually lost in listenership in San Antonio for the first time in two years. The two album rock station dropped. Why? Album rock is doing great in other markets. What is wrong with the San Antonio market?" I don't know, Ken, but I'd think that the caliber of people on the AM band have a lot to do with it. Had the pleasure of meeting quite a few of them at Bill Gavin's recent regional meeting in Austin. They impressed me. And, of course, Ken Dowe is in

Bill Bailey has resigned as program director of WIXY in Cleveland. He's looking and you can reach him via 216-467-2306. . . . CKCM in Montreal is looking for a personality. It's a 3.5 million market. Pays well, five-day work week.

San Antonio. Need I say more?

Bubbling Under The HOT 100

- 101-WE BOTH NEED EACH OTHER, Norman Connors, Buddah 534
- -GIVE A BROKEN HEART A BREAK, Impact, WMOT/Atco 7056
- 103-DISCO-FIED, Rhythm Heritage, ABC 104-I NEED IT, Johnny Guitar Watson, DJM
- 1013 (Amherst) 105-SLOW MOTION, Dolls, Mercury 73807
- 106-THE END IS NOT IN SIGHT (The Country Tune), Amazing Rhythm Aces, ABC 12202 107-KILL THAT ROACH, Miami, Drive 6251
- 108-BRAND NEW LOVE AFFAIR, Jigsaw, Chelsea 3043
- 109-L.O.D. (Love On Delivery), Billy Ocean, Ariola America 7630 (Capitol) 110-HEART ON MY SLEEVE, Gallagher & Lyle,

A&M 1850

Bubbling UnderThe Top LPs

201-THE RUNAWAYS, Mercury SRM-1-1090 (Phonogram)
202-JAN HAMMER, Oh, Yeah?, Nemperor NE

437 (Atlantic) 203-BEN SIDRAN, Free In America, Arista AL

204-JOHN MILES, Rebel, London PS 669

205-PLEASURE, Accept No Substitutes, Fantasy F 9506 206—**PFM, Chocolate Kings, Asylum 7E-1071** 207-CITY BOY, Mercury SRM-1-1089 (Phono

gram)

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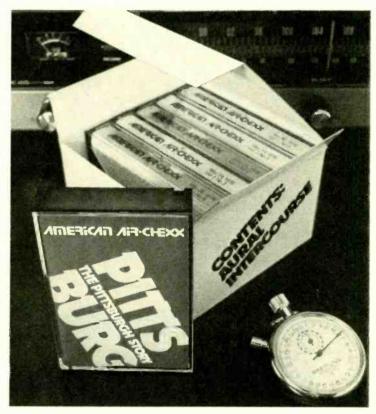
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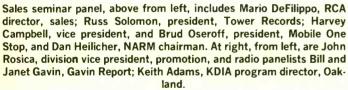






Branch awards for top sales performance in the first six months go to, clockwise from top left: DALLAS—Front row, Peggy Graham, Wayne Edwards, Al Mathias, John Betancourt, manager Tom McCusker, Mel Ilberman, division vice president, commercial operations; back row, Jim Alston, John Kane, Roger Moore, Edmond Hubert, Bert Williams; MINNEAPOLIS—Mario DeFilippo, RCA director, sales; Bob Heatherly, Jerry Cunningham, manager John Swenson, Ron Geslen; SAN FRAN-CISCO—Eddie Humber, Kent Mitchell, David Newmark, manager Charlie Rice, Charles Clendenin; DENVER—Keni Johnson, manager Mike Ketchum, Ilberman, Robin Wren, John Rosica, division vice president, promotion, Del Wood. Branch managers receive plaques and all staffers get original mold replicas of the "Nipper" trademark.









RCA president Ken Glancy is on both the giving and receiving end. Above, he presents a gold record to Starland Vocal Band for its Windsong single "Afternoon Delight," to manager Jerry Weintraub, group members Margot Chapman, Taffy Danoff, Jon Carroll, Bill Danoff and producer Milt Okun. At right, he is presented one of the first copies of John Denver's new LP "Spirit" by Weintraub, Management III chairman and Denver's manager.













Showcase spotlight is shared by, from top, Waylon Jennings, who brought his own show, and wife Jessie Colter, courtesy of Capitol, who shared the stage on "Suspicious Minds" from the RCA LP "The Outlaws"; D.J. Rogers, who headlined the r&b show at Bimbo's Club, with selections from his new LP, "On The Road Again"; Rhythm, a new group signed to the label, with its debut album "Rhythm" this month; The Tymes, getting it down with selections from its upcoming LP, "Turning Point"; Free Beer, whose new LP "Highway Robbery" was recently released by RCA, appeared in the pop showcase closing night. Included are Sandy Allen, Werner Fritzching, Michael Packer, Robert Potter and Dan Daley, on pedal steel guitar.



RCA's John Rosica, division vice president, promotion, and Paul Kantner of Jefferson Starship, chat at Bimbo's, prior to Waylon Jennings' show.



Mort Weiner, Custom Label sales director; Tattoo artist Becky Hobbs, and Charlie Hall, Atlanta branch chief.



Singer-songwriter Harry Nilsson is congratulated by Don Burkhimer, RCA division vice president, West Coast.



Discussing David Bowie's recent European tour are his associate, Pat Gibbons; Bob Summer, RCA International chief; Billboard publisher Lee Zhito.













Clockwise, from top: At opening night reception, from left, Eddy Arnold, Nashville chief Jerry Bradley, Ronnie Milsap, Chet Atkins, RCA commercial operations boss Mel Ilberman, Steven Young; Ken Glancy presents Daryl Hall & John Oates a gold record for the single "Cara Smiles;" Morris "Feelings" Albert with artist relations chief Frank Mancini, business affairs manager Marty Olinick; Ken Glancy with Red Seal a&r productor Peter Dellheim, Boston Pops conductor Arabete Peter Dellheim Boston Pops conductor Arabete Peter ducer Peter Dellheim, Boston Pops conductor Arthur Fiedler; Nashville artists Gary Stewart and Steven Young with Mel Ilberman, division vice president, commercial operations; after the closing show, John Denver chats with Aztec Two-Step, Rex Fowler, left, and Neal Shulman; Mrs. Jack Kiernan, singer Lucio Battisti just signed to RCA Records. RCA Italy's international department manager Francesco Fanti; Jack Kiernan, division vice president, marketing; Jefferson Starship's Grace Slick talks with the group's manager, Bill Thompson, and Ken Glancy; Tokugen Yamamoto, RCA Records' Far East representative, with Ichiro Okuno, president of RVC Corp., RCA's Japanese joint venture with Victor of Japan; Mrs. Howard Hawkins; Howard Hawkins, RCA Corp. group executive vice president and president of RCA Communications, in which post he is in charge of RCA Records, and John Walton, the label's senior counsel.











Talent

"TUNNELVISION' SCORE

Lambert & Potter Gamble On Film Music Pays Off

LOS ANGELES-Dennis Lambert & Brian Potter, the writer-producer team that runs Arista-distributed Haven Records, made one of the most unusual film score deals ever when they created the soundtrack of "Tunnelvision."

Unlike the usual movie score, which consists of three or four themes in various orchestrations and key changes, "Tunnelvision" required almost 200 separate pieces of music to represent various bits of sound for the far-out spoof of tele-

Unlike the usual 60-day movie scoring deadline, Lambert & Potter finished the entire score in five days and recorded it in a full 24-track stu-

dio so they could go with a soundtrack album if the movie's success justified it.

Also, as opposed to the usual big fees for movie composers, Lambert & Potter worked for no money in advance and actually paid for the production themselves in return for a percentage of the film profits. Since "Tunnelvision" has been playing to strong grosses with the help of an aggressive promotion campaign, the music team stands to make a sub-

stantial amount of money.

In fact, they have already been offered more than 10 times the amount of their recording investment to sell their share of "Tunnelvision." And

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Nightclub Op's Jazz Show **Beamed Over 40 Stations**

CLEVELAND - Hank LeConti, operator of the Agora Club here, has his new taped radio series "New World Of Jazz" syndicated to 40 major U.S. outlets including KBCA in Los Angeles and WRVR in New York.

The hour-long show is given free to participating stations with the airing of three commercials by national sponsor Sansui. The U.S. headquar-

ters of Sansui is reported so pleased with the series that arrangements are being made to air segments in

The Agora regularly books name jazz acts each Tuesday night and now records the sets via its own Agency Recording Studio, located in the same building.

LeConti has for years played rock recording artists mainly on Monday one-nighters and gone with local dance groups on weekends. His unusual booking policies are a longrunning success in the Ohio market.

"I worked two years on syndicating a show of rock acts taped live at the Agora and only got it as far as 17 markets, mostly secondary," says LeConti. "Now in only six weeks the jazz show is in the top 40 U.S. mar-kets. And the Sansui advertising agency. Frank Barth in New York. tells me we could easily expand to the top 100 markets."

Artist Ronnie Laws has already purchased recording rights to the tape of his Agora sets and plans to have it released as a live album.

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Windy City Show Moved To New Site

CHICAGO-Windy City Productions here is shifting its "World Series Of Rock-Game Three" concert headlining Yes, Peter Framp-ton, Lynyrd Skynyrd and Gary Wright to Hawthorne Race Track from Comiskey Park and to Sunday

(15) from Friday (13).

Spokesmen for Windy City said the move of the afternoon concert was being made in order to get an available Sunday date and not shut out potential ticket buyers who must on Fridays.

Windy City broke a Chicago ban of almost eight years on large out-doors concerts (following crowd de-structiveness at a Sly Stone date) with a sold-out July 10 show at Co-misky with Aerosmith, Jeff Beck and Derringer. There was no trouble

from the 60,000 attending.

A second "World Series" date with Kiss at Comisky is being rescheduled to an indoors venue, after the baseball stadium sought to ini-

pose a 6 p.m. curfew.
Windy City will cut off sales for the Hawthorne Race Track concert at 60,000 tickets and run free buses to the suburban facility from a number of central Chicago locations.

L.A. Talent Search Successful 43 Schools Participate In Taylor Juve Competition

LOS ANGELES-Moses Taylor Jr.'s High School Talent Search In-ternational has nearly quadrupled its participation by local schools, from 12 to 43, as it completes a sec-

ond full year of operation.

Taylor hopes to extend the teen talent competitions to San Diego and San Francisco next year as he steps towards reaching his full goal of 15 cities and ultimately a tele-

"Having proved to Los Angeles school officials in our first year that we were running an honest operation, it was much easier this time to get principals to let their students participate," says Taylor.

Winners of talent competition shows held at participating high schools go on to participate in citywide finals at a professional auditorium with celebrity judges officiating. This year's finals were held in the Scottish Rite Auditorium and the grand prize winner was a rock group led by flutist Carol Chaikin of Palisades High School. In all, there were eight 1976 prize winners.

Prizes are shares in a pool of college scholarship money which is maintained in a special bank account solely for that purpose. The money comes from \$2 ticket admissions to the semifinals and finals. Some 800 attended the grand prize show this June.

Talent Search is also partially funded from the admission grosses, in addition to receiving several small grants and free office space at the RCA Records building in Holly-

This year, to raise additional operating expenses, Taylor has set up an affiliate organization, Supporters Of

By NAT FREEDLAND



Talent Search winner: Flutist Carol Chaikin of Pacific Palisades High School leads her jazz-rock combo to first-prize victory at the 1976 High School Talent Search International finals.

Developing Artists. Annual membership in this group is \$50 for individuals and \$200 for corporations, tax deductible. Members get discount admission to Talent Search events and a newsletter and year-

Taylor sees the purpose of Talent Search as twofold. He wants to provide a sort of "artistic Little League" for high schoolers whose talents lie in the performing arts rather than organized athletics. And he feels that a creative outlet is a strong incentive for keeping artistically oriented teens from dropping out of high school, particularly in the Inner City deprived areas although Talent Search is open to high schools anywhere in greater Los Angeles.

He sees community service an-

nouncements by KHJ plugging Talent Search this year as a vital factor in its growing success. For 1977, Taylor would like to hire a student as campus representative in each participating school.

"I've already had calls from De-troit. Boston and Chicago—all cities with school racial troubles-about

bringing Talent Search there." says Taylor. He visualizes out-of-town Talent Search contests as condensed into a two-week period. There would be only one show of citywide finalists chosen from auditions at a rented studio, with promotion for the show taking place during the entire audition period.

One thing Taylor doesn't worry about is a shortage of valid performers for his contests. "Over and over again, I get knocked out by the high degree of talent there is among school kids who haven't the slightest idea of how to get into show busi-

Diamond L.A. **Run A Sellout** Within Hours

LOS ANGELES-Neil Diamond's Sept. 13-20, eight-show engagement at the Greek Theatre here has set a house sellout speed record as some 11,000 persons showed up at the boxoffice to snap up the limit of two tickets apiece in one morning.

All 37.000 available tickets were gone shorlty after noon as local computer ticket agencies and the Greek boxoffice went clean.

At one point, police had to be called out because traffic was backed up one mile down the Vermont St. main approach to the theater. Hundreds of Diamond fans camped out overnight to be at the Greek as soon as tickets went on sale

For each show, the first 26 rows were sold to the public with no seats

held for industry or press V.I.P.s. The ticket scale is \$6.50-\$12.50. Diamond's New York stand this weekend (13-15), will be the first concerts allowed in the 14,400-capacity Forest Hills Stadium since a drug-crazed youth stabbed two concertgoers to death there five years

Signings

Dennis Wilson to Caribou Records. He is the first Beach Boy ever to set a solo deal while continuing to perform with the 15-year-old group.

Carole Sager to Flektra/Asylum, The New York-based songwriter is best known for co-writing "Midnight Blue" with Melissa Manchester. Bandana to Haven Records.

The Funky Kings, West Coast-based group, to Arista. Group members include songwriter-performers Jack Tempchin (known for his hits by the Eagles), Richard Stekol and Jules Shear. An album, produced by Paul Rothschild, will be released later this month. . .. Rich Billay, singer songwriter, to Atlantic/Atco. His debut single,

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R&B, POP & COMIC ROUTINES

RCA New Talent Program Displays Promising Acts

pop showcases at the recent RCA convention here, starring D.J. Rogers and Starland Vocal Band respectively, focused on the label's (and its custom affiliate's) array of new talent-with varying degrees of promise shown by the two comic-emcees and supporting groups.

Donald Banks, whose first LP is due soon, displayed his comic versatility as r&b emcee, particularly with a running "reverend" impression that bridged two of the acts. Opening act Rhythm was a bit nervous, but the splashy group had a few spunky sparks-particularly in an upbeat "We Got Rhythm." The Tymes, looking to break through to the top here as it has in the U.K. and elsewhere on the continent, displayed the pro touch on its recent hit single, "It's Cool," and a moving "Savannah Sunny Sunday" from its new "Turning Point" LP.

Rogers evoked an onstage charisma and audience rapport at the July 29 Bimbo's showcase that has him only a short way from the top-evidenced by his recent hit single, "Say You Love Me," and the solid crowd reaction to "All Right Now." Also heard were a fine "I'm So Glad I'm Here" that opened the set, and an upbeat "Hard Times."

A rousing "One More Day" from his new LP closed the soul evening, with Rogers bringing "my family" to the stage-Rhythm, the Tymes, Banks, Lou Courtney and Ron

Moseley, RCA r&b a&r chief who had reason to be proud of the

group's combined talent display.

Another bright comic, L.A.'s Steve Landesberg, just signed to the label, had some great routines and kept the pop showcase that closed the convention July 30 in the St. Francis ballroom really moving along.

New trio Rosie opened the show—a bit nervous, "like the Olympics for Group displayed some promise but needs to concentrate more on its best type of material—lively funky tunes such as "Roll Me Through The Rushes," its first single, and "Ole Man Trouble." Free Beer, another group new on RCA, was at its best with a catchy folk-country blend heard in its opener, "Bullfrog." "It's Gonna Be Alright" and its debut single, "Walking The Floor."

Starland Vocal Band got a surprise intro from its Windsong label chief John Denver, who had flown from Alaska to Wood's Hole, Mass., and back to San Francisco just to handle that chore.

His proteges put on quite a show. opening with the new single "California Day," off the debut "Starland Vocal Band" LP that could eclipse the success of recent No. 1 "Afternoon Delight" that closed the all too brief set. In between were "Start All Over Again," "Baby You Look Good To Me Tonight," featured on the recent tour with Denver, and a rousing "Hail, Hail Rock & Roll."

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New On The Charts

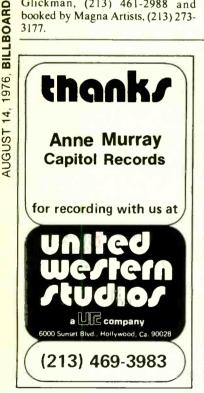


JOHN HANDY "Hard Work"-57

Though this is Handy's first time on the Hot 100, he has been recording since 1958 on Columbia, Roulette, MPS and now ABC/Impulse. His debut LP for the label is in the upper half of the album chart.

The jazz saxophone stylist who has been nominated for two Grammy Awards and has played nearly every major jazz festival is on the charts with a straightforward, mostly instrumental jazz cut that should appeal to soul and pop formats.

Born in Dallas and now living in L.A., Handy is managed by Zach Glickman, (213) 461-2988 and booked by Magna Artists, (213) 273-





Chris Hillman: From the **Back Seat To Front Row**

NEW YORK-For most of his musical career, Chris Hillman has chosen to take a back seat, leaving the spotlight to others. But, he's been recognized as the musical backbone of each band he's been with.

After a term with his own bluegrass ensemble. The Hillmen, he went on to careers with several wellknown bands where he usually went unnoticed or underrated. These include stints with the Byrds (where he gave the headlines to Roger McGuinn and David Crosby), The Flying Burrito Brothers (Gram Parsons and Rick Roberts), Manassas (Steve Stills) and the Souther-Hillman-Furay Band (J.D. Souther and Richie Furay).

Now, at long last, he's decided to take a chance on his own with the Chris Hillman Band. In the beginning, Rick Roberts and Firefall served as his backup group, but they gradually went on their own. Hillman is now out on the road touring with his new quintet—hoping to break into the spotlight on his own.

The release of his first solo LP on Elektra Records is a breakthrough, according to Hillman. He put a lot of time and effort into the album and says it's a good indication of where his music is at today.

"I feel that the mix-up of cuts on the LP is a good cross-section of rock and country," he states. "It's also kind of funny how the LP came together, since we kept shuffling back and forth from studio to studio, with more than 15 being used before the final result."

As an instrumentalist, Hillman

plays guitar, bass and mandolin.
"Although I've been working on the road with basically a rock group, I hope to make some further changes and add or subtract a couple of other instruments," he says. "During each performance we try to give the audience a taste of each phase of my career, but we are centering on the new songs from our LP."

One of the subjects Hillman freely discusses is a possible reunion of the Byrds. He says the first aborted LP was an unhappy moment for all of the original members, but he is not adverse to attempting another shot if they could find the right producer.

In the future, Hillman would like to play concert dates with the band, gradually breaking away from the clubs. "We enjoy the closeness of playing in a club setting, but would like to perform in concert as well,' he says. "At the present time, I like the feeling of being on my own.'

L.A. Starwood Annex Due

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record companies and there is no major market with a comparable venue," says Stayer.

On nights when both the Starwood and Annex are simultaneously showcasing events, Stayer plans to book contrasting acts, so not to compete with himself. "If a black group is at the Annex, then we'll book a white act at the Starwood."

With a projected \$6.50 ticket price, customers will be able to use the same ticket for admission to the Starwood once the show lets out. "It's found business," explains Sta-yer. "It will generate more business at the Starwood."

Unlike the Roxy which books two shows a night, the Annex will be a one-show a night hall.
"The Starwood allows room to

stand up, move around, dance without being cramped. The bands enjoy it because they can relate to the crowd. We attract the cash customers, the street people who create the hype," says Stayer.

To further distinguish the Annex from other venues will be the forma-tion of a record store with eye catching window displays at the main en-

The other side of the entrance will include a proposed ice cream parlor.

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new sound equipment while refurbishing its 1,000 seat main room. Stayer says that by September, "We want to establish the Starwood as a major venue with the biggest and best sound and lighting systems in Los Angeles."

Lambert & Potter

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Lambert & Potter had spent \$20,000 on studio time and musicians

The pair also owns the publishing and recording rights to the score. A single of the main theme has already been released on Haven. "Tunnelvision" was Lambert & Potter's first full film score, although they had provided main title songs for "Shaft In Africa" ("Are You Man Enough?") and "Billy Jack" ("One Tin Soldier").

"Tunnelvision" producer Neil Israel had worked with the duo while at ABC-TV where he hired them to write the network's "This Is The Place To Be" jingle.

Yes & Frampton Calif. Success

LOS ANGELES-Anaheim Stadium's first advance sellout for a rock concert was racked up by the Yes/Peter Frampton July 17 show which sold out all 55,000 tickets 10 days before the event for promoters Wolf & Rissmiller.

The same bill also went clean in advance at San Diego's Balboa Stadium with 35,000 on hand July 18, a first for that facility too. Combined gross for both shows was some \$900.000.

Ziv Grabs Rights

LOS ANGELES-Worldwide distribution rights, with the exception of Africa, for "James Brown's Future Shock" have been acquired by Ziv International. The 26-hour series features many top soul and rock names with Brown as host. Although concentrating on tv sales, Ziv will also package the footage for discos and theatrical release.

New On The Charts



MICHAEL FRANKS "Popsicle Toes"

From the time Franks entered UCLA in 1963 until the early '70s when he was teaching and working on his doctorate there and at U.C. Berkeley, his preoccupation shifted between academia and the music industry.

Music won out several years ago when he signed with Brut. A writing contract, with WB Music, followed six months later by a recording contract with Reprise, led to the release last February of "The Art Of Tea," the LP that includes the current single.

Produced by Tommy LiPuma, who handled the No. 1 "Breezin'" album for George Benson, and featuring members of the Crusaders and L.A. Express as musicians, "Popsicle Toes" is a soft, jazzy cut that features cool, low-key vocals underplaying some clever, sexy lyr-

Now living in Los Angeles, 32year-old Franks is without a manager or agent at the moment, but can be contacted through Carl Scott or George Gerrity at Warner Bros. in

No Veto Of **Rock Events** In Burbank

LOS ANGELES-Ritchie Blackmore's Rainbow successfully went on at Starlight Bowl in Burbank here Friday (3), despite a report received and printed in Billboard last week that the Burbank City Council had vetoed the show because promoter Jack Berwick was presenting only hard rock at the 6.000-seat facility instead of balancing the schedule with cultural shows.

Berwick explained that the Blackmore date had simply been switched in order to accommodate a free municipal festival. An Average White Band date, also reported by Billboard as vetoed by the City Council, was never finalized due to commitments by the group to another local facility.

All the shows this season at the Starlight have been profit-makers, with sellouts by Genesis, Jeff Beck and J. Geils. Other successful head-liners were Grover Washington Jr., Todd Rundgren and Kingfish.

Coming up this month for the Starlight are a CTI Jazz package Saturday (14) and Marshall Tucker Band with the Outlaws Aug. 20. Pacific Presentations put on the Blackmore show in conjunction with Berwick's Cinevision Productions.

Campus

Many Topics At Mgt. Seminar In Arizona Sept. 13

NEW YORK-Two major groups of performing arts presenters will unite Sept. 13 to offer a public events management seminar in Scottsdale, Ariz.

Sponsored by the Assn. of College, University and Community Arts Administrators and the Western Alliance of Arts Administrators, this day-long seminar will cover many encompassing topics.

Discussion topics will include program planning, contracts and negotiations, tickets and boxoffice, publicity and promotion and technical management.

According to Lynn Bonde, seminar organizer from Stanford Univ. the sessions are designed to aid and inform presenters of performing artists and attractions, and to assist them in upgrading their skills.

Staff for the meetings will be drawn from the membership of both groups. Faculty-includes Tom Bacchetti, director of public events at Stanford Univ.: Kay Barrell, techni-cal consultant at Technical Design and Management Services; Shelton Stanfill, director of cultural programs at Colorado State Univ.; Bob tewart, assistant director at Simon Fraser Univ.'s Centre for Communication and the Arts, and Drew Stewart, agent for Herbert Barrett Mgt.

The seminar will precede the week-long annual booking meeting of the Western Alliance. This organization has a membership composed of arts presenters in the west and agents from throughout the U.S.

The other group has more than 550 members, who transfer information concerning the presentation of live talent.

Univ. Retaining A Boston Agency

NEW YORK-In one of the more interesting booking moves of the upcoming school year, the Univ. of Massachusetts at Amherst has retained Boston-based Natural Acts to serve as talent coordinator for the school's three clubs.

Although much of the talent booked into these clubs (the 1,500seat Hatch, the Blue Wall, Top of the Campus) will be local, some of it will be nationally known.

According to Gregg Snerson of Natural Acts, his firm was enrolled by Eric Fox of the school to work with various student groups.

Among the acts booked for September are the Rhinestones, Orchestra Luna and Rhythm, while Snerson says he is presently negotiating for the Gary Burton Quartet and the James Cotton Band.

Among the other duties Natural Acts will perform is concert promotion on campus in the future

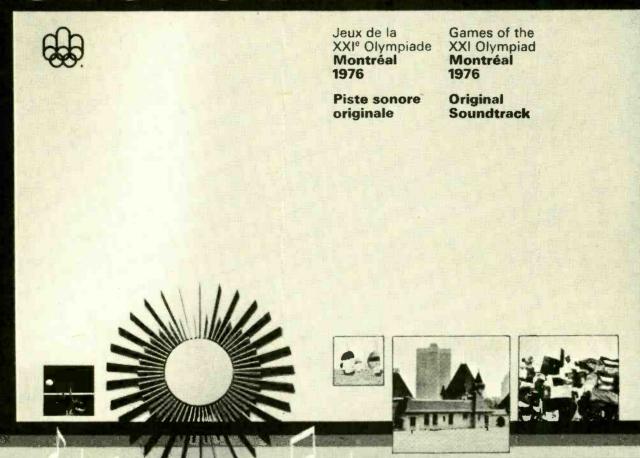
Snerson says to his knowledge this is the first time a large area school has retained a full-time talent buyer.

More than 25,000 students are enrolled in this school, he says, with another large nucleus of students at neighboring schools.

Entertainment in the other halls on campus will continue to be booked by student activities and organizations.

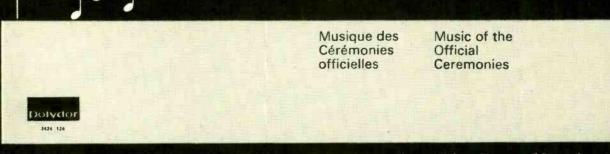
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A double-barreled evening of high-quality, sophisticated, contemporary pop music by two of Columbia's most impressive talents was served up by Ian and Joel Aug. 3.

Janis lan, the diminutive Grammy-winner, switched effortlessly between electric and acoustic guitar and piano to provide back grounds for her complex textured but hypnotically accessible ballads. Though able to throw effective quips at her impressive backup band or the audience whenever things got a bit confused onstage, Ian is basically the kind of artist whose multi-layered songs like "Between The Lines," or "Belle Of The Blues," gradually rivet the listener's attention by sheer excellence of material.

Although the headliner set was briefly halted several times because of what Ian described as horrendous foul-ups in the stage monitor ampli fiers, from the audience it was just about impossible to tell something was wrong. Each note came across with perfect pitch and great verve If it hadn't been so cold that night, doubtless even more of the audience would have stayed put for the standing ovation and sensitive solo encore of "Star."

MCA, which sells everything from pita to botas outside the facility, is missing a bet by not renting stadium blankets for the changeable weather

Opener Billy Joel started off being introduced as "Billy Joe" by the announcer and ended with a wild, standing ovation and a genuine demand <mark>e</mark>ncore. In between, he turned in the most dy namic and satisfying set this reviewer has ever seen him perform in L.A.

loel is a brilliant singer, a truly stupendous piano player and a writer of powerful, if not always terribly commercial songs. He is one of those talents who makes you wonder why he hasn't made it to the absolute top year after year.

Performing his one major single, "Mr. Piano Man" near the start of the set with an almost desperate intensity, Joel swiftly went on to prove he has a lot more fine music in him

The late-night blues depth of "New York State Of Mind" was no less impressive than the fleet-fingered instrumental "Root Beer Rag" and his cult classics "Captain Jack," "Travelin' Prayer" and the Stravinsky-influenced "Billy The Kid." He even threw in a dead-perfect Joe Cocker imitation, just fooling around while a bad microphone was being changed.

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STARLAND VOCAL BAND **TONY BIRD**

Cellar Door, Washington, D.C.

Local favorites Starland made a triumphant return "home" three nights beginning July 11. With the No. 1 single "Afternoon Delight" and its album moving up rapidly, the group easily soldout each of the two shows each night, with a large number turned away.

After touring for several months as the open ing act for John Denver, the Windsong Records artists demonstrated they have learned much about performing in front of an audience. They have excellent stage presence, even though all of the four members of the vocal band were no ticeably loose in front of the hometown crowd 'You can't heckle us," Taffy Danoff teased at one point, "we've got the No. 1 record."

The group performed most of the songs from its first album, bringing incisive interpretations to all, most of them far superior to the recorded versions. The vocal intricacies were strong and fascinating to see and hear, and Margot Chapman, Taffy and Bill Danoff and Jon Carroll work well together. They were ably supported by a trio of musicians, including another local favorite, steel guitarist Danny Pendleton

The Starland Vocal Band is ready to break loose from Denver and move out on its own. It probably shouldn't play the 20,000-seat arenas, but it's ideally suited to concert hall size

Epic artist Tony Bird was a puzzling opening act. A native of the Central African Republic who has traveled widely in Africa, Bird shifts from normal voice into falsetto and dialect in every one of his songs, losing the audience and sound ing mannered and forced. His songs, many self penned, had interest but could not be u stood or appreciated. BORIS WEINTRAUB

GORDON LIGHTFOOT LEONA BOYD

Universal Amphitheatre, Los Angeles Opening of a four-night engagement here out being introduced and with only a wordless bow to the sellout crowd. Before his 75 minutes were up though the Reprise artist had infused quite a bit of good-natured personality into his

This easy-going approach was seen when Lightfoot broke a guitar string on the uptempo new song, "Race Among The Ruins," and noted he wouldn't take time out to fix it because "it won't change the sound much.

Toward the end of the show, before going into the gentle ballad, "Last Time I Saw Her," a loosened-up Lightfoot let off with a string of PG rated one-liners, many of them directed at members of his four-man backup unit.

During the set-closer of the infectious "The Auctioneer," he kidded the audience not to clap because it would throw his rhythm

Ironically, much of this casual rapport with the audience came about through jousting with them over the choice of material. After opening with four songs from the new "Sumertime Dream" album, Lightfoot noted that his crite rion in selecting songs, which resulted in the omission of such old favorites as "Carefree Highway" and "Rainy Day People," was an adherence to Shakespear's adage, "to thine own-

In opening his two-song encore with the new tune "I'm Not Supposed To Care," he said, "This is just as good as 'Beautiful.' I have 120 songs on record and I can't do them all.'

The 18-song set, which did include monster "Sundown" and "If You Could Read My Mind," featured seven songs from the new al-

The encore was closed with "Old Dan's Records," and though there was demand for a second encore, Lightfoot simply returned onstage with his wife and took a bow

Musically the set consisted of tight, tasteful, country-tinged pop material, all featuring excellent guitar work and Lightfoot's strightforward, unaffected, sincere vocals.

In a half-hour turn opening the evening, classical guitarist Leona Boyd performed alone and without vocal accompaniment. While her sooth ing, faultlessly executed set held audience interest, her crisp, cool manner and mechanical "next I'm going to play" approach were off-set-

Also taking attention away from her fine recital hall stylings was the rather presumptuous way she took an encore without completely leaving the stage, much less waiting to see if au dience demand would justify one. PAUL GREIN.

DR. HOOK **POUSETTE-DART BAND**

Roxy, Los Angeles

Dr. Hook, a zany and totally outrageous group, proved immensely entertaining July 23, performing songs from its past and some new ones from its Capitol LP "A Little Bit More."

Always sarcastic, the group opened with "Get My Rocks Off," as all six members danced and frolicked along the stage, gesturing obscenely with the microphones. Lead vocalist Dennis Le corriere and Ray Sawyer's congenial stage demeanor, which included some hilarious im provisational raps with the audience was char acteristic of the entire show; irreverent, vaudevillian and off the wall.

The good Doctor's brand of medicinals in cluded the masochistic "Freakers Ball," "If I'd Only Come And Gone," its hit ballad "Only Six-teen" and "Everyone's Making It Big But Me."

Crowd pleasers such as "Cover Of The Rolling Stone" and Sylvia's Mother," soloed by Lecorriere, evoked the largest response.

The Pousette-Dart Band, also on Capitol.

made its premief California appearance opening the show. This East Coast band displayed a refreshing blend of folk and country melodies led by singer/songwriter Jon Pousette-Dart.

Utilizing the mandolin, banjo, bass and guitars, the group competently showed rhythmic and vocal diversity.

"That's A Woman" highlighted the cohesive harmonies of the band. "May You Dance" was a good example of the different musical modes of the group as it swayed into a disco-flavored

DICK CLARK BOBBY VEE GARY U.S. BONDS SHIRELLES

Thunderbird, Las Vegas

Clark of "American Bandstand" tv fame is really the star of this show-the "Good OI Rock 'N' Roll" extravaganza that opened several

weeks ago, but Vee, singing better than when he was a teenage idol and graced the Billboard Hot 100 Charts, proved virtually a show-stopper July 25 in a Larry Klein production so tight that pausing is almost an impossibility.

Vee, with a modern version of his million-sell ing "Take Good Care Of My Baby" and an au dience-electrifying medley of "My Girl"/"Hey Girl" that is ultra 1976, displayed total audience command-urging the audience to a handclapping thunder, cooling it back to soft contemplation on his "Take Good Care Of My Baby" backed only by Jim De Noon on guitar, then rousing them again with his medley closer. He also paid tribute to the Vee of old with "Rubber "Devil Or Angel" and "The Night Has A Thousand Eyes."

Gary U.S. Bonds opened the show, which was tied together by highly entertaining chatter from Clark and film clips ranging from tv commercial out-takes to old bandstand bits. Bond served dynamic, rousing versions of his hits such as "New Orleans," and "Twist, Twist, Senora."

The Shirelles, fun but not exactly the Shirelles of vore, closed the show with songs like "Dedicated To The One I Love" and "Will You Still Love Me Tomorrow." The six-man band of Jim De Noon & Combustion backed the singers. CLAUDE HALL

BEN SIDRAN

Amazingrace, Evanston Ill.

Long-time favorite on the Chicago-Madison Wis. axis, Sidran drew a near-capacity North shore crowd here July 24. At the Slipped Disc, the record store immediately adjacent to the venue, a mammoth window display touted the jazz artist's new Arista album.

Songs from the LP, including the title cut "Free In America" predominated, with an in-strumental version of the album cut "Let's Make A Deal," dedicated, Sidran said, to Monty

A political undercurrent ran throughout the performance, surfacing in the final number, Mose Allison's "Down To The Bone," that was interpolated with a brief but direct pitch for NORML, the National Organization to Reform Marijuana Laws. Sidran, who wore a NORML Tshirt during the evening, now closes all his shows with this appeal.

In sympathy with Sidran's views, the predominantly college age crowd also seemed to accept that political activism was integral to the verbal and instrumental articulateness Sidran combines at the keyboard.

Sidran also covered Mose Allison's "Your Mind Is On Vacation, But Your Mouth Is Working Overtime"; the song by Sidran's predominant influence was linked ith oldie theme-mate "You Talk too Much," also from the album, in a bouncing rendition. Billy Joel's "New York State of Mind," was the other non-original.

Siran's warm reception at Amazingrace was enhanced by the open, relaxed atmosphere of the two-tiered club, and the clean, open-sound ALAN PENCHANSKY

FREDDY FENDER

Magic Mountain, Los Angeles

Somehow or another, Fender must have invited 3,500 personal friends into the showcase theater Aug. 3, because there was standing room only and you could have become rich from just the film and flashbulb concession. He pulled nothing fancy; he switched from English to Spanish without hesitation; he even sang a couple of cajun tunes in tribute to his record producer Huey Meaux.

The audience loved it all and when he wrapped up a well-paced, dramatic 40 minutes onstage with his hit "Wasted Days And Wasted Nights," it was to a standing ovation

Fender, with enormous vocal flexibility, launched his show with "Jambalaya" and weaved through songs such as "Today, I Started Loving You Again" and "Wild Side Of Life." It was a conventional country type of show, until he kicked into a strong, raunchy, rousing "Alle En El Rancho Grande" with warm Mex-Tex fla-

Later, he even dived into a rock tune and performed exceptionally well on Fender guitar. He also did his next record release, "She's Living It Up And I'm Living It Down" and it has all of the hit characteristics of his past tunes.

Fender was supported by a local band called Old Glory who'd learned Fender's songs the past week by listening to his records. Ron Eglit on pedal steel and Steve Spurgin on drums were key forces in the five-person group. In fact, Fender highlighted the work of Eglit from time CLAUDE HALL

Billboard Special Survey For Week Ending 8/1/76 Top Boxoffice

ARTIST-Promoter, Facility, Dates

œ	*DENOTES SELLOUT PERFORMANCES	Sales	Scale	Receipts
	Stadiums & Festivals (Mor	e Thar	20,000	
1	JETHRO TULL/ROBIN TROWER/POINT BLANK-Gulf	36,000	\$7.50-\$11.00	\$356,000
2	Artists, Stadium, Tampa, Fla., July 31 LYNYRD SKYNYRD/TED NUGENT/38 SPECIAL/ POINT BLANK—Sound 70 Prod., Speedway, Nashville, Tenn., July 30	13,865	\$7.50-\$10.00	\$108,621
	Arenas (6,000 To 20	0.000)		
1	EARTH, WIND & FIRE/RAMSEY LEWIS/EMOTIONS— Dimensions Unlimited, Capital Centre, Landover, Md., July 30, 31 & Aug. 1 (3)	56,361	\$6.50-\$8.50	
2	EAGLES/BOZ SCAGGS—Electric Factory Concerts, Spectrum, Philadelphia, Pa., July 27, 28 (2)	33,096	\$6.50-\$8.50	\$262,000
3	ZZ TOP/BLUE OYSTER CULT/OUTLAWS—Feyline, McNichols Arena, Denver, Col., Aug. 1	17,102	\$8	\$136,816*
4	FLEETWOOD MAC/HENRY GROSS/CATE BROS.— Cellar Door Concerts, Capital Centre, Landover, Md., July 27	18,787	\$5.\$7	\$123,876*
5	BARRY MANILOW/LADY FLASH—Electric Factory Concerts, Robin Hood Del-West, Philadelphia, Pa., July 31	9,970	\$5-\$8	\$70,260
6	JAMES TAYLOR/DAVID SANBORN—Blossom Music Center, Blossom Music Center, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, July 28	17,828	\$3.50·\$5. <mark>50</mark>	\$70,216
7	DOOBIE BROS./FIREFALL—Daydream Prod., Brown County Arena, Green Bay, Wis., July 27	7,200	\$6.50- <mark>\$7.50</mark>	\$46,200*
8	LOGGINS & MESSINA/POUSETTE-DART BAND— Feyline, Red Rocks Park, Denver, Col., July 26	6,707	\$6.50	\$44,268
9	LINDA RONSTADT—John Bauer Concerts, Coliseum, Portland, Ore., Aug. 1	5,600	\$5.\$7	\$37,442
10	NANCY WILSON/LOU RAWLS—Eugene Harvey Prod., Shea's Theater, Buffalo, N.Y., July 25	5,200	\$ <mark>6.50-\$7.50</mark>	\$36,108
11	TONY BENNETT/WOODY HERMAN—Blossom Music Center, Blossom Music Center, Cuyahoga Falis, Ohio, July 29	6,055	\$3.50- <mark>\$6.50</mark>	\$27,420
12	MICHAEL MURPHY/LEO KOTKE-Feyline, Red Rocks Park, Denver, Col., July 30	4,552	\$6	\$27,072
13	JUDY COLLINS—Blossom Music Center, Blossom Music Center, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, July 27	5,667	\$3.50-\$5.50	\$22,975
14	GEORGE CARLIN/MANHATTAN TRANSFER—Feyline, Red Rocks Park, Denver, Col., July 29	3,397	\$ <mark>6.50</mark>	\$22,105
	Auditoriums (Under	6,000)		
1	ATLANTA RHYTHM SECTION/JOHN T. LEACH BAND—Alex Cooley Inc., Fox Theater, Atlanta, Ga.	3,933	\$6.50	\$25,500*
	July 31	0.000	20 50 27 50	

Signings

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produced by John Madera, Tom Sellers and Artie Ripp, has been rush-released. . Locust, four piece progressive rock group, to Annuit Coeptis. Act is the label's first exclusive. . . . The Sound of Memphis to Rameses II, with Ersel Hickey and Ruth Lieberman producing the group's first product. ... **Special Delivery**, r&b group, to Mainstream. Also signing separately to the label is the group's former lead singer Terry Huff.

QUINCY JONES/BROS. JOHNSON-Satellite, Music

Hall, Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 1 HEART/CATE BROS.—Contemporary Prod., Memorial Hall, Kansas City, Kan., Aug. 1

TODD RUNDGREN/MAN-Bill Graham, Community

Theater, Berkeley, Calif., July 31

LILY TOMLIN—Northwest Releasing, Paramount

Northwest, Seattle, Wash., July 30 LILY TOMLIN—Northwest Releasing, Auditorium,

Elizabeth Theater, Vancouver, B.C., July 29 TODD RUNDGREN/MAN—Bill Graham, Performing Arts Center, San Jose, Calif., Aug. 1

Portland, Ore., July 31 LILY TOMLIN—Northwest Releasing, Queen

'Grand Ole Opry'' stars, Lonzo & Oscar, sign five-year contract with Bernie Terrell Show. They'll also record on World International Records, owned by Terrell. Promotions and bookings handled by Billy Wilhite Talent Agency. . . . Even Stevens, Elektra/Asylum artist, to Melva Mat thews for personal management and booking. Epic's Joe Stampley and ABC/Dot's Sue

Richards to Lavender-Blake Agency for exclusive

Lon & Derrek, A&M artists, to BNB Manage . Iceberg Slim, best-selling author of black theme suspense books, to Laff Records as a spoken-word artist. . . Liverpool Express to Loyal Garner, long-running entertainer at Honolulu's Ilikai Hotel, to Hula Records of Hawaii. . . . Bootsy's Rubber Band to the new David Libert Agency of Los Angeles.

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Sammy Walker to Warner Bros. after record Sweeney Todd, Canadian group, to London Records, debuting with "Roxy Roller" single.

James Vincent to Caribou Records. A single and LP are scheduled to ship in early September. . . . The Impressions to Cotillion. Group has had several major hits in its 15-year career. Joe Beck, jazz-pop guitarist-producer, to Polydor. He will record and produce for the label.

Brook Benton to Springboard International's Musicor label. In his career, he has sold more than 25 million records.

Steve Cannady to Warner Bros. Music for publishing. Managed by Good Karma Produc tions, he has written for, recorded and toured with the Ozark Mountain Daredevils.

Marcia Ball to Austin Tejas Sounds with ex clusive management and booking agreement.
... Alvin Crow & The Pleasant Valley Boys, Sir

Doug Sahm & The Texas Tornados, Paul Ray & The Cobras, and Uranium Savages also to Austin Tejas Sounds with exclusive booking agreement

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Sound Business

Studio Track

LOS ANGELES-The Fifth Dimension, Tom Waits, the Alessi Brothers, and Silver, continue to work on LP projects at Filmways/ Wally Heider Recording here. Independent producers Phil Gernhard and Tony Scotti were in to mix some sides on Chuck Conlon with Mic Lietz engineering. Annette St. Marie was in to record for ABC Records under the aegis of producer Harold Beatty with L.T. Horn engineering. Indigo recorded some tracks for Sweet Reliable Productions with Eric Jacobson producing and Mic Lietz at the board. Independent producer Richard Delvy was in to work on several television projects. Delvy arranged, produced and engineered "The Hot Ones" tracks for CBS-TV network promo package touting next season's shows. Delvy also produced and engineered some music segments for next season's Bill Cosby CBS-TV special.

Rita Coolidge was in doing vocal overdubs for her A&M LP at Sunset Sound Recorders. David Anderle produced with engineering chores handled by Marty Lewis, assisted by Jack Rouben. Producer Steve Goldman was in to do overdubs for a John Klemmer LP for ABC/Dunhill Records. Billy Taylor engineered, assisted by, Mark Howlett. Also, Steve Goldman was doing an LP for ABC/Dunhill artist Dirk Hamilton. Billy Taylor engineered with Reed Stanley assisting. Valerie Carter with Columbia Records was in again to mix her album. George Massenberg engineered with Jack Rouben assisting. Bill Schnee was in briefly to mix an A&M single for Charlie & The Pep Boys: Also, Bill was in to mix a single for A&M artists Joe Green & the Gap. Studio manager Bill Robinson engineered a radio series for the Teamsters Union, featuring Irish tenor Phil Reagan. Walt Heebner produced.

Over at Hollywood Sound Recorders, Caldera and Side Effects just wrapped up LPs for Capitol and Fantasy, respectively. Wayne Henderson produced both while Rik Pekkonen handled engineering on both projects. Jimmy Bowen also just produced a Tom Flynn single for Columbia with John Guess engineering. In progress are LPs for Steve March with Rik Pekkonen both producing and engineering, and Tom Jans with Joe Wissert producing and Tom Perry engineering.

Eddie Harris was in recently at The Village Recorder in West L.A. doing some overdubs and mixing an album. He produced himself with Bruce Swedien engineering and Tim Kramer, second engineer.

At Salisbury Sound, Buddy Carroll is producing his next single for Wenra Records with Phil Salisbury engineering. Salisbury Sound is a new facility, located in the forest of Jack London State park, near Santa Rosa, Calif.

At Divista Studios here. John Brown III was in cutting tracks with David Colvin both producing and engineering.

A lot's been happening at the new Different Fur Music studios in San Francisco. Brian Auger and the Oblivian Express recorded a new album for Warner Bros. Auger is also working there on Lenny White's new LP to be released by Nemperor. Neil Schwartz engineered both. Pat Gleeson, synthesizer wizard, will also be laying down tracks on White's album, and is working on his own completely synthesized LP for Mercury assisted by Julian Priester and engineering by Neil Schwartz, Seth Dworken, and Skip Shimmin. All women rock band BeBek'Roche was also in recording its first LP on Olivia Records. Sandy Stone was at the console with Linda Tillery producing. Margie Adam finished her first solo LP with Joan Lowe engineering. Neil Schwartz also engineered the debut album of Larry Cross and Phil Teas. Danny Sofer produced with Terry Delsing assist-

In studio activity elsewhere: Olivia Newton-John recorded an LP for MCA at Creative Workshop in Nashville produced by John Farrar and engineered by Brent Maher. Larry Gatlin wrapped up an LP for Monument produced by Fred Foster and Brent Maher engineering, as did Grady Martin for Monument with Martin and Fred Foster producing and Maher again at the console.

In Chicago, blues guitarist and composer Sun Seals has completed recording his second LP for Alligator Records. Recorded at Curtom Studios, the sessions were co-produced by Seals in association with Bruce Iglauer and Richard McLeese of Alligator. Engineer Fred Breitberg was at the controls. The sessions also marked the return to recording of Alberto Gianquinto, who played piano, organ, electric piano and clavinet. Gianquinto was an original member of the James Cotton Blues Band, and produced, wrote for, and toured with Santana.

Albhy Galuten, Karl Richardson and BeeGee Barry Gibb are produc-ing a single release for Barry's younger brother, Andy Gibb from Australia for RSO Records at Criteria in Miami. Musicians on the date include Harold Cowart, Tubby Bielger, Tim Renwick, Joey Murcla and Galuten. Karl Richardson's been handling the board. Rosewater Blue, a new group from Gainesville, is being produced and engineered by Jack Adams. Adams is also engineering LPs for Gordon Edwards and Steve Gadd. South American Vytas Brenner just returned to the studios after an extremely successful South American and European tour. Jack Adams is working on a final mix with Bremmer on his new triple LP which was recorded live in Caracas. Andromeda, a Maryland group, is currently working on an album with Steve Klein handling engineering.

Kingdom Sound, Syosset, N.Y., is taking a highly personal, client centered approach to attracting new business to their facilities. A special packet of material about Kingdom Sound is being sent to potential customers in both the music and advertising business. The packet contains a rate card; a Long Island Railroad schedule since the studio is close to the LIRR; a color brochure from the nearby Heritage Motor Inn; and a postcard which offers a free dinner for two with the first five or more hours of recording time. Potential clients are also offered the opportunity of being met at the train station or at a location of their own choice and being driven to the studio.

President Rush Beesley of Sundance Productions in Dallas has announced the addition of two new specialists to his staff. Steve Blackson will serve as vice president, manager of operations for the video production division, while Ian Wagner joins the staff as a photographer for production services. *

Down at Studio in the Country, Bogalusa, La., Kansas has been recording its fourth album for Kirshner Records. Jeff Gilxman and studio owner Bill Evans both produced and engineered on the studio's new Harrison 3232 automated console. It was the first album recorded on the new board and the second LP for Kansas at Studio in the Country.

Cincinnati's Fifth Floor Studios taped Paul Revere and the Raiders for an NBC special from Kings Island. The studio also broadcast a live radio concert with Ben Sidran, and in a separate concert the Sons of Champlain, both in cooperation with radio station WEBN-FM. Charlie Daniels was also in recently to record an hour special for WMMS in Cleveland. Jim Krause and Rich Goldman engineered these sessions. Incidentally, the Fifth Floor has added 16 channels of dbx noise re-

Sound Waves 'The Ideal Sound Source'

NEW YORK-"The Ideal Sound Source" is not the name of some new super group-not yet. The phrase is asked by acousticians to describe a condition that is perhaps part scientific, part copout. "The Ideal Sound Source" is that theoretically perfect speaker system which exists only in text books, and possibly in the imaginations of a few ad writers.

Like the friction-less motor/generator that runs at 100% efficiency, its value is primarily as a reference point, with which to compare that non-ideal sound source, the practical loudspeaker.

The ideal sound source is said to be a source of sound of infinitely small dimension. Since it is so small, it radiates sound energy in all direc-tions at once; in other words, into a perfect sphere, provided there are no obstructions around, such as walls, ceilings and floors.

As long as we're being theoretical, it should be no problem to suspend this ideal source off in free space somewhere, far away from such surfaces. And while we're at it, we may as well assume that our speaker has a perfect frequency response too, so that all frequencies are radiated equally into our free space.

But now we come to that not-so-ideal sound source, the real-world loudspeaker. It's certainly not infinitely small, and so our problems begin, for it turns out that the speaker's mass acts as an obstruction to the radiation of small wavelengths; that is, to high frequencies. The speaker magnet assembly gets in the way, preventing these high frequencies from radiating into a completely spherical pattern.
In fact, the high frequencies may

tend to become focused into a comparatively narrow angle, radiating in a mostly forward direction. On the other hand, longer wavelengthsthat is, low frequencies—pass right around the speaker assembly, as if it weren't there at all.

So, the listener behind the speaker doesn't get to hear as much of the high frequencies as the listener up front. Of course, people don't usually listen to speakers from behind.

For one thing, the speaker is probably placed up against a wall. The wall blocks all radiation into the rear of the room, by reflecting the rear-bound radiation back towards the front of the room. Since this energy is mostly low frequencies, the result is that the listener hears more bass.

When the speaker is placed in a corner, the narrow beam of high frequencies still may not be affected, while on the other hand the low frequencies are once again forced into a narrower angle, resulting in even more bass in front of the speaker.

Finally, when the speaker is placed at the intersection of two walls and a ceiling (or floor), bass is increased to a maximum.

Which is the "correct" location for the speaker? The answer to that one depends on a combination of factors. Some speakers have been specifically designed for corner placement. Others are intended to be placed against the wall. Still others have been designed to stand at some distance from the wall. And, some manufacturers don't say anything at all about recommended speaker placement.

But in any case, changing a speaker's location with respect to nearby room boundaries will profoundly affect the sound in the room. Often even more so than

keeping the location fixed and changing the type of speaker.

In the recording studio control room, it is common to find four speakers in a row in front of the console. If the room is small, speakers one and four may wind up in the corners. Therefore, the apparent bass response of the program changes considerably, depending on whether the inside or the outside pair of speakers are in use.

Another consideration is the amount of space behind the speakers. If the speakers are suspended at some distance from the wall-a common occurrence-low frequencies will radiate back to the wall and then forward again. Depending on the distances involved, some frequencies will cancel out, resulting in very poor bass response. Some studios eliminate this problem by flushmounting the speakers in the wall, so that no energy can radiate backwards.

Roy Allison, of Allison Acoustics, Inc., has done considerable research on the subject of speaker placement within the listening room. His paper, "The Influence Of Room Boundaries On Loudspeaker Power Output" is available from the AES. Allison observes that, "Conventional loudspeakers oriented in typical-use positions in living rooms exhibit variations on the order of 5 to 12 dB in low frequency power output." The same may easily be said of studio control rooms.

He states that, "Some improve-

ment within the normal woofer frequency range is obtained when the voofer is placed very close to one boundary only. Significant improvement is obtainable if the woofer is placed vary close to two intersecting boundaries, and several feet from the other."

The company's Allison:one and Allison: two speaker systems are designed with these conditions in mind, with the system to be placed against one wall, but at a distance of several feet from the corner of the room. By way of contrast-the recently introduced Allison:three system is designed specifically for corner placement. The specifications claim flat bass power output, with the condition that the speaker is on the other hand, the Electro-

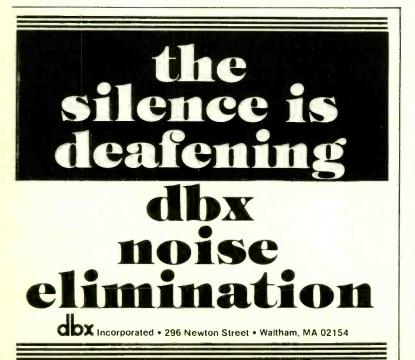
Voice Interface: A speaker system is designed with one tweeter mounted on the rear of the enclosure, which the company claims helps maintain constant acoustic power in the upper octave of the system. Just don't place it against the wall though.

These contrasting design philosophies illustrate that the design of the ultimate speaker system is by no means standardized yet, and each manufacturer has his own ideas about speakers and their placement. When selecting a speaker for the home of the control room, it's a good idea to check the manufacturer's recommendations before purchase.

It may very well be that the speaker you like in Studio A will not sound nearly so good in Studio B. Then on the other hand, it might sound much better.

Cosby Sets Group

LOS ANGELES-Chicago has been set to appear on the premier of the Bill Cosby Show, which debuts Sept. 19 on ABC-TV. Other major rock artists and groups will be featured on the weekly show.



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Melody Song Shops (Brooklyn, Queens, Long Island) **Retail Sales**

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- RUBBER BAND MAN-The Spinners-
- 2 YOU SHOULD BE DANCING—Bee Gees-
- 3 NIGHT FEVER—The Fatback Band—Spring
- 4 I GOT YOU—Gloria Gaynor—Polydor (LP)
- 5 EVERY MAN/MY LOVE IS FREE—Double Exposure—Salsoul (LP)
- 6 DR. BUZZARD'S ORIGINAL SAVANNAH BAND-RCA (LP)
- SUMMERTIME-MFSB-PIR (LP)
- 8 BEST DISCO IN TOWN—The Ritchie
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- 10 BLACK WIDOW—Lalo Schifrin—CTI (LP)
- 11 ONE FOR THE MONEY-The Whispers-
- 12 HELPLESSLY/SO MUCH FOR LOVEment Of Truth - Salsoul (disco/disk)
- **YOU + ME = LOVE**—Undisputed Truth-Whitfield Records
- 14 SUN, SUN, SUN-Jakki-Pyramid
- 15 I GOT YOUR LOVE—Stratavarious—

Downstairs Records (New York) Retail Sales

- DR. BUZZARD'S ORIGINAL SAVANNAH BAND-RCA (LP)
- 2 YOU SHOULD BE DANCING—Bee Gees-
- 3 BEST DISCO IN TOWN—The Ritchie Family-Marlin (LP)
- 4 EVERY MAN/MY LOVE IS FREE-Double
- 5 I GOT A FEELING/PUT ME IN THE NEWS-
- 6 GIVE A BROKEN HEART A BREAK-Damon
- Harris & Impact—Atco
- 7 JAWS/FLAMINGO-Lalo Schifrin-CTI (LP) 8 SOMETIMES—Lesley Gore—A&M
- 9 I DON'T WANNA LOSE YOUR LOVE-The
- 10 LIFE ON MARS-Dexster Wensel-PIR
- BAD GIRL—Mannhattan Express—Friends
- 12 CRAZY DANCIN'-Bottom Line-Greedy
- 13 | I GOT YOUR LOVE—Stratavarious-Roulette (disco/disk)
- 14 YOU'RE MY PIECE OF MIND-Faith, Hope & Charity—RCA
- 15 SUN, SUN, SUN—Jakki—Pyramid (disco/

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- This Week
 1 YOU SHOULD BE DANCING—Bee Gees-
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- 3 LET'S MAKE A DEAL/I GOT YOU/DARLING
- BE MINE—Gloria Gaynor—Polydor (L HEAVEN MUST BE MISSING AN ANGEL/ DON'T TAKE AWAY THE MUSIC
- Tavares Capitol (LP)
 YOUNG HEARTS RUN FREE/RUN TO ME-
- 6 WHERE THE HAPPY PEOPLE GO-The
- YOU'LL NEVER FIND ANOTHER LOVE LIKE
- BEST DISCO IN TOWN—The Ritchie
- Family—Marlin (LP)

 ONE FOR THE MONEY—The Whispers—
- SUN, SUN, SUN—Jakki—Pyramid (disco/
- GIVE A BROKEN HEART A BREAK—Damon
- MY LOVE IS FREE/EVERYMAN—Double
- Exposure—Salsoul (LP)

 13 DESPERATELY—Barrabas—Atco (disco/
- 14 I WANNA FUNK WITH YOU TONITE/ NIGHTS IN WHITE SATIN—Giorgio
- Oasis (LP)

 YOU + ME = LOVE-Undisputed TruthWhitfield Records (disco/disk)

Colony Records (New York) **Retail Sales**

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- 2 YOU SHOULD BE DANCING-Bee Gees
- 3 SUN, SUN, SUN-Jakki-Pyramid
- 4 IGOT YOU-Gloria Gaynor-Polydor (LP)
- 5 ONE FOR THE MONEY—The Whispers
- BEST DISCO IN TOWN-Ritchie Family
- DON'T TAKE AWAY THE MUSIC—Tavares-Capitol (LP)
- 8 SUMMERTIME—MFSB—PIR (LP)
- 9 LOW DOWN-Boz Scaggs-Columbia
- 10 GIVE A BROKEN HEART A BREAK-Damon Harris & Impact—Atco
- 11 SUPER DISCO—The Rimshots—Stang
- 12 PARTY LINE—Andrea True Connection— Buddah (LP)
- 13 NIGHT FEVER—The Fatback Band—Spring
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- ONE FOR THE MONEY—The Whispers—
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- 14 ALWAYS THERE—Side Effect—Fantasy
- 15 GETAWAY—Earth, Wind & Fire—Columbia

Discos

TO AVERT RIP-OFFS

N. Y. Firm Offers **Gratis Club Advice**

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Disco Mix_

NEW YORK-Calla Records, distributed by

Pye/ATV, is releasing the new Persuaders LP. "It's All About Love." There are three strong

disco cuts. "Count The Ways" is the strongest, followed by "Two Women" and "Sure Shot." The

album was produced by Norman Harris. It has a

strong Philadelphia sound, not unlike Double

Roulette will release two more disco disks

this week. Both will be commercially available.

"You Got The Power" by Camouflage is a discoized version of the original tune by Sue

Cramer. The record has a good rhythm break

which builds into another break consisting of vo

cals going in and out. It runs for 7:55 minutes

The other release is by Whirlwind, Titled "Full

Time Thing (Between Dusk & Dawn)" the tune

has a strong sound with a good rhythm section

The arrangement is definitely Philadelphia, but

Morningstar Records, distributed by

Springboard International, has released "Please

Love Me Again" by the VIP Connection. This

record was popular in New York clubs about six

months ago but at the time was available only as

an import. Now that it is available domestically

in commercial quantities and should do well in a

lot of areas. The sound is a lot like the Ritchie

Family, and the song is similar to the English

Omaha, Neb., now has a record pool. Those

wishing further information should contact Mike

Newman, Omaha Record Pool, 2556 Marcy

NEW YORK-The Pacific Na-

tional Exhibition of Vancouver.

B.C., will sponsor a disco dance party Aug. 29 to fill a void resulting

from the cancellation of an Isaac

Hayes/Dionne Warwick concert

which was originally scheduled as

part of the Exhibition's Fairtime

The party, which will be held in

the Vancouver Coliseum, will fea-

ture both live and recorded music.

and will offer up to \$3,000 in prizes

for the best dancers in five dance

The winning couple in each catery will receive a \$250 prize, with

\$150 going to the first runner-up and \$50 to the second runner-up. There

will be a dance-off among the five

successful couples for a grand prize

eral manager. Pacific National Exhi-

bition, the show sponsors decided on

the disco dance party as an alterna-

tive to the concert when Hayes'

agents informed that they were can-

celling their appearance because a prospective U.S. Northwest tour.

built around the Exhibition's con-

Cost of admission to the disco

dance party is \$2.50, and holders of

tickets to the Haves/Warwick show

can turn them in for refunds, or can

trade them for admission to the disco

party, with the exhibition paying the

Jingle Rearranged

With a Club Sound

NEW YORK-"Give Your Cold

To Contae," the popular jingle for Contae cold capsules, has been rear-

ranged into a disco tune for a 60-sec-

ond commercial spot. It will be heard on national radio in its new

The popular commercial, composed by Tom McFaul of Lucas/

McFaul, has already enjoyed a wide

variety of arrangements, including

rock, folk, country, Latin, big band,

soul and baroque. The disco ar-

rangement was created by Ogilvy

and Mather under the supervision of

David Scott, the firm's senior vice president/creative director.

cert date that did not materialize.

According to John Rennie, gen-

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According to Rheiner, his company is adamant in its opposition to package deals, because it has seen too many companies ripped-off by this total concept proposal."
"Especially vulnerable in this sort

of deal is the small businessman, the little guy with a limited capital who wants to turn a sagging business into profitable discotheque."

Rheiner discloses that Times Square Theatrical has discovered that many people advertising themselves as disco consultants, or package deal suppliers, or total concept designers, offer no service, no replacement parts, and in many cases cannot be reached on the telephone for help and advice after the project is completed. "Here is where the little guy who is trying to make an avocation of his discotheque gets the wrong end of the stick," says Rhei-

The fimes Square Co. executive suggests that entrepreneurs in the market who want to establish a discotheque, especially those without previous experience in the field. should shop around before commit-ting themselves to any arrangement.

He feels that the best way to go about this would be to buy equipment piecemeal, then employ licensed technicians to put the whole thing together. "In this way, the investor is assured of what he is getting for his money, and is guaranteed expert installation and service. He is also likely to save a lot of money over what he would pay in ordering a package," says Rheiner.

Rheiner admits that there are people who have neither the time

nor the inclination to shop piecemeal for the equipment they want. To these he suggests that they be very specific in asking for what they want. "They should at least have a working knowledge of equipment. and should not hesitate to ask questions," he says.

Rheiner also stresses that a discotheque operator should never pay the 100% cost of outfitting his club in

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Disco Operators Use Sex To Up Business

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in using topless dancers is based on the club's desire to utilize "all the elements that make Times Square the unique attraction it is."

The club rotates about 50 dancers a week, putting on two or three at a time on a specially constructed stage. There is neither a cover charge nor a minimum and a buffet meal is served daily.

Cohen hopes that the club, which will be used as a pilot for other discos planned by the management, will attract a cross section of disco fans. At the same time close audience screening is being undertaken to eliminate what Cohen calls the "unsavory elements" that helped cause the deterioration of the original Hollywood discotheque.

Hollywood's new push is being backed by a heavy media advertising schedule

At Percival's on Manhattan's East side, the policy is a club for couples.

The room features a disco dance floor, game room and other attractions for the swinging set. With the exception of Wednesday nights when singles are admitted, the club has a couples only policy. Admission is \$16 a person. This provides access to all the featured attractions, as well as all the drinks a person can consumer on the premises.

There is also an annual member-

There is also an annual membership fee of \$30, which entitles holders to a reduced admission rate of \$12 per person.

At Percival's, as at Hollywood, the emphasis is on disco music and dancing, with the sex oriented features being used as a supplementary customer draw.

And in Las Vegas. Le Cafe was once a small piano bar which has been transformed into a gay discotheque (see separate story in this issue). Where a featured attraction is drag shows which are both locally produced and imported from Los Angeles. San Diego and Phoenix.

Vegas Computerized Floor Pulls 'Em In

By HANFORD SEARI

LAS VEGAS—A new, multi-computerized disco dance floor is generating large crowds, in-business excitement among competitors and an upsurge in the total disco craze in this entertainment capital.

The \$10,000 unit, a product of Varaxon in Ithaca, N.Y., was installed at this city's most popular gay bar. Le Cafe on July 18 as part of a refurbishing effort by owner Marge Jacques.

"To my knowledge it is the only such dance floor by Varaxon on the West Coast." speculates Jacques. "It is much more elaborate, specialized and intricate than the average lighted floor."

A hangout for show business celebrities and locals, the 250-capacity club houses the 12 by 16 foot, 6-inch

To Avert Rip-offs

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advance. "If you're using a package deal supplier, no more than 25% of the total cost should be paid upfront. The rest of the money should be released only after you're totally satisfied with the end results."

Rheiner also feels that customized equipment is also a no no. He says it is usually overpriced, and what the customer gets is generally little more than an overworked theme. Says Rheiner: "Stock equipment used ingenuously, can be made to look like customized equipment at a fraction of the cost."

Even as Rheiner warns against being duped by fastbuck operators in the disco designing business, he also urges club operators not to try cutting costs by using inferior equipment and inexperienced or unlicensed technicians. "In the final analysis this method usually ends up costing much more, and can be an insurmountable headache," says Rheiner.

The disco lighting expert says that his firm's free seminars and consultations will stress all these points, and will work closely with all club operators to insure they get the best for their needs and budget. "We will be informative and we will be objective, even if it means that we lose a sale in the process," he assures.

raised floor alongside a semi-circular bar area. An unconditional oneyear guarantee covers the plexiglass surfaced floor.

According to Jacques, seven-year owner of the bar, the computerized floor involves three-basic colors—red, green and blue bordered by a yellow chaser. Some 96 different patterns and 1,600 combinations are possible with the floor's three elements.

The elements include a matrix decoder, sound-to-light color organ and yellow chaser which can work both independently or together. The entire unit also is either fully automatic or can be operated manually.

Varaxon sent out a technician to set up the shipped floor which took four hours to assemble. The guarantee contains a clause which says the New York state-based firm will send an electronics expert if any difficulties arise.

Jacques reports a double expansion floor extension can be bought in sections at a \$5.000 price tag. The entire unit uses basic watt voltage output at 15 amps.

output at 15 amps.

Located at the corner of Paradise Road and Tropicana Ave. near McCarran International Airport, about 10% of Le Cafe's customers are straight, says Jacques. A custom built four-speaker, two hanging component sound system provides stereo music.

A gradual change from a small, elegant piano bar over the years, the club offers locally as well as out-oftown produced drag shows from Los Angeles, San Diego and Phoenix.

Situated on a seven-acre lot. Jacques has an 11-year lease on the building, which she hopes to expand while looking for a second location to open yet a second club here.

Le Cafe employs three DJs, gets about 10-15 records a week and many promotions before other discos and record stores, says Jacques. The club has a staff of 10 who coordinate activities and management

Jacques credits Billboard's first disco confab for receiving more promo-record material and ideas for the best floor product, since deejay Twiggy attended the December show in New York.

Clarksdale Dims Lights In Disco Gig

NEW YORK—Discos took to the streets in Clarksdale, Miss. In a giant open air disco party scheduled for Saturday (7), the streets were blocked off, and lights dimmed to facilitate the full effects of an illuminated dance floor that was laid on the street for the 3.000 townsfolk who were expected to attend.

The party, which was staged with the cooperation of the local police and the electricity supply company, was sponsored by the Billy Holcomb Corp, to celebrate the opening of the Sun Flower Mall.

The floor, by Varaxon of Ithaca, N.Y., was part of \$22,000 worth of disco equipment that was supplied by mobile disco operator Kinchen O'Keefe. Other equipment used at the party included amplifiers, preamps, turntables and mikes by Technics: mixer by TEAC, and four Altec Speakers. There were 1,700 singles and albums ranging in musical selections from pop, country, blues and MOR available.

When in regular use the \$8,500 dance floor is operated from the top of a specially outfitted flatbed trailer, and the equipment is housed in a specially customized van. According to O'Keefe, an intricate system of filing and cross-filing has been developed for easy location of the music.

The system which is operated under the name, Movin' N' Groovin' Disco, also travels around the state, playing at a variety of disco parties. A staff of four persons operates the equipment.

Dance Scene Goes Into Concert Halls

PHILADELPHIA—The disco dance scene, following up on the increasing use of live units at the clubs here, has now invaded concert halls in the area with disco dance concerts.

The 8,000-seat Centrum, at nearby Cherry Hill, N.J., July 24, had Sutton-Ashby Productions promoting a discothon with Archie Bell & the Drells, Double Exposure, Philly Devotions, Brother To Brother, Case and Earth Bound, and the Andrea True Connection. A disco fashion show was also added with "Disco Butch" presiding over the dance concert that took a \$7 ticket.

At nearby Asbury Park, N.J., a "Beach Party '76" disco dance concert was put together July 30 by Tony DeLauro and Shore Productions in the resort's Convention Hall with staging by Steve Lyons, who recently staged "The World's Biggest Discotheque" at New York's Madison Square Garden. With deejay Papo presiding, the groups were headed by Archie Bell & the Drells plus Double Exposure and others.

Haunted House New Philly Spot

PHILADELPHIA—The city's newest discotheque has turned to live music instead of records, and a "spooky" decor to attract dancers. Called The Haunted House and located just across the city in suburban Cynwyd, the club was opened by Beanie Costelle on the site of what had been Beanie's, Charlie Mess's and other restaurants. First disco group in is a seven-piecer called Meridian Sun, Costello was formerly associated with the San Marco Restaurant nearby.

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Industry 'Mixed' On **Expanded CB Band**

NEW YORK-While the industry is expressing general approval of the FCC sanctioning of CB radio expansion to 40 channels from 23 effective next Jan. I (Billboard, Aug. 7), the long-awaited move raises some vital questions.

A slump already noted in the last two months for existing 23-channel sets could be extended as consumers wait for the "new" 40-channel units. some of which already are in the

And a corollary fear that the FCC may turn its attention from the need for further CB frequency allocations to other matters is also evidenced.

Discount pricing, already a factor on the low end with \$79.95 and lower specials of full 23-channel models. has many suppliers concerned. Several major companies in the field expect a giant shakeout of the newer, smaller firms who jumped on the CB bandwagon with limited capital and now have to contend with new technology as well.

Others are more optimistic on the 23-channel future, since both the emergency channel 9 and the widely used trucker channel 19 are both retained on the original band. For the mass market. 23 channels are more than enough for the new CB consumer, as opposed to the "hardcore" CB user who may wait for the 40-channel models

Superscope, which previously announced its entry into the CB market by the first quarter of 1977, will offer 40-channel units only. Fred Tushinsky, senior vice president, sales and marketing, indicates the company will not produce any 23-channel models.

Engineering reportedly has already been completed for Super-scope's 40-channel CB in anticipation of the increase in channel availability. "Consequently." he says, "there will be no delay in Superscope's introduction of CB units into the market."

Another firm expected to be in the market with 40-channel models early is SBE, a pioneer in the phase-lock-loop with digital synthesis circuitry that makes up to 80 or more channels available with just one

The company is expected to incorporate its new Touch/Com feature into some of the higher end models, introduced at the recent CES with controls for all key functions incorporated on the micro-phone. Also featured is an oversized LED channel readout, full range (Continued on page 50)

RCA Video Investment **Paying Off**

By STEPHEN TRAIMAN

NEW YORK-RCA's initial investment of some \$35,000 in videotape, film and editing equipment is starting to pay multiple dividends as just one example of how the music industry is "getting with it" in new merchandising and promotion tech-

The recent RCA convention in San Francisco provided a graphic set of examples—from the 10-screen multimedia presentation produced by Jack Maher to the videotape clips of the a&r quartet and custom label chiefs, to the additions of live talent tape for the library Steve Kahn is building.

The multimedia presentation involved 5,500 color slides screened over a total span of 120 feet, by 10 slide projectors and a 16mm film projector. Maher, director, custom label merchandising, began working with A.V. Services here back in June, with the final segment devoted to John Denver finished only three days before the film crew left for the convention to set up the complicated equipment.

Involved were Gary Yudman, a (Continued on page 50)



RCA video maven Steve Kahn is surrounded by array that includes (1) two Sony 2850 video recorder/editors; (2) Sony 12 and 17-inch monitors; (3) Sony 400 digital editor; (4) Sony 3800 portable color VTR with AC power sup-

ply; (5) portable lights; (6) two Kodak Ektagraphic slide projectors and Imagician 1214 dissolve unit; (8) 16mm B&H projector, and (9) Sony 2800 video

Decision Near On '77 Satellite Audio Expo

should be apparent if the CES move to allocate Chicago's McCormick Inn to audio/hi fi exhibitors has satisfied the rump group that had been seeking a separate expo. tentatively set for April 1977 in Las Vegas.

An IHF trade show committee is to meet Tuesday (10) with officials of CES in Chicago to discuss the plan of Jack Wayman, ElA/CEG senior vice president. It would set aside approximately 125 exhibit spaces and demonstration rooms at the Inn. across from McCormick Place, at "giveaway prices" compared to the \$4.50 per square foot rate at the main expo hall.

Floor plans and prices are to be available by Aug. 21, and Wayman reports that Irv Stern of Harman International, head of the rump group. had agreed to go along with the plan if it materialized.

Stern was quoted as saving, "If Wayman pulls a miracle, fine. We won't kill the goose that lays the golden egg." He doesn't anticipate support of the IHF, but would go ahead with a separate show on the basis of support from his own companies, plus claimed backing from Superscope, TEAC, Garrard, Soundcraftsmen. Infinity Systems, the "High End Group" of 18 firms that exhibited at the Bismarck during the Winter CES, and other smaller hi fi-oriented firms.

The Snitow Organization, whose 10-year pact to manage the Summer CES, and more recent Winter CES, ended this June, reportedly has reserved April 1977 dates in Las Vegas—between FC-77 in February and NEWCOM in May, CES is now managing its own shows with a new Chicago staff, headed by Bill Glas-

The IHE trade show committee meeting with CES officials includes Walter Stanton, Stanton Magnetics; Arthur Gasman, S.I.C.; Ed Hopper, Stereo Review, and Jerry Kalov, Jensen Sound Lab. The group is to complete its study and report to the IHF membership by the end of Au-

Another IHF committee was to meet in New York Tuesday (10) to "fine tune" the proposed national promotion campaign for a resubmission to members. Approval was deferred after the initial presentation during the Summer CES, at a heated membership meeting at which the trade show issue also came to a head (Billboard, June 26).

In a separate move, the CES board, following up on its original offer of assistance to the audio components group, will set up and sponsor a national audio component promotion program similar to those it has developed for other segments of the CEG.

Antenna Inc. Expands

CLEVELAND-Antenna, Inc., a manufacturer of CB antennas, is christening a new 40,000-squarefoot manufacturing facility here at 26301 Richmond Rd., Redford Heights, Ohio. This is the company's fourth physical expansion since it was organized early in 1975. The firm's headquarters remain nearby at 23850 Commerce Park Road, Cleveland, Ohio.

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Philly CB Expo Shaping

PHILADELPHIA-Although not as ambitious and expansive as anticipated by the original sponsors, the first 1976 Philadelphia CB Fair for consumers will go on as scheduled next weekend (13-15) at the centercity Philadelphia Sheraton Hotel.
Originally announced (Billboard,

July 4) as being staged by Information Design Corp. of America, a lo-cal firm, with the sponsorship of WFIL, leading rock station on the AM band, the new sponsor is another local firm, Advertising Distribution Services, headed by Mike

According to John Maguire, handling promotion for the show, some 50 exhibitors had been signed up by the end of July, including retail store chains like Radio Shack and Valley Communications along with manufacturers and distributors. Eric Brown of Information Design, who was to be the show manager, is still associated with the CB Fair, which will be geared entirely to the con-sumer. The radio station dropped out of the sponsorship reportedly because of financial requirements.

While WFIL will not be a sponsor, that station along with WRCP, local country music outlet here, will be used to advertise the CB Fair. Newspaper ads in the three daily papers will carry coupons for advance ticket sales. Admission will be \$3 with no

Oct. Noise Reduction Tests On U.K. Radio

LONDON -The Independent Broadcasting Authority has won Home Office approval to make radio tests of Dolby and Variable Pre-Emphasis systems in October. Pat Hawker, the IBA's principal engineering information officer, has announced that the two stations carrying out the tests will be BRMB in Birmingham and Capital Radio in

discount coupons circulated. The heaviest promotion for ticket sales is being conducted by the Maguires at many CB jamborees throughout the area each week.

While exhibitors will emphasize sales, the CB Fair will feature a variety of displays and clinics to provide CBers and others an opportunity to study, select and purchase the best equipment and accessories for their CB and communications needs

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Jack Maher: multimedia product presentation producer/scriptwriter

HARDWARE & SOFTWARE

Sony/Paramount Home Video Distrib Venture Looks Ahead

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club plan is high on the list, both Harvey Schein, Sony president, and Barry Diller, Paramount chief, acknowledge. Wunderman's involve-ment with both the Book of the Month Club and the launching of the first Columbia Record & Tape Club indicate that marketing poten-

"Everything seems revolutionary at the time," notes Wunderman. "But if we have books by subscription, records and tapes by subscription, we can assume the public will want to subscribe to a video service providing they can get home delivery, a good selection and service."

Both "partners" emphasize that the hardware/software network will not replace the current Sony dealer setup or Paramount distribution pipeline, "It's additional, supplemental distribution with the emphasis on the package," notes Schein, "There's great flexibility and a lot of testing and experimenting ahead." observes Diller, "and both our existing distribution organizations may participate.

Also emphasized was the necessity for the broadest based product possible, going far beyond the Paramount catalog that has such block-busters as "The Godfather." "Godfather: Part II." "Love Story" and "The 10 Commandments." Movies, other entertainment and educational software is to be offered.

The same outlook is shared by Mike Heiss, general manager of the Home Video subsidiary of Tele-tronics, which is partnered with Sony in S/T Videocassette Duplicating, a major 4-inch U-Matic videocassette duplicator soon to add Betamax duplication facilities in

Geared to rental of software as opposed to the hardware/software package purchase of the Sony/Paramount venture, Home Video will initially offer a wide variety of programming, probably with a combination of direct marketing and point-of-purchase availability at Betamax dealers.

Music may well be included in the

there's something of quality available and salable," Heiss says, "There are many rock shows on video out there, but we're not going to have one just for the sake of including that category," he notes, putting his finger on the big question mark in the music industry-what video/ music combination will sell in the

Neither the Feletronics venture nor the Sony/Paramount combo has any definite cost announcement, but Schein made an interesting observation on the intrinsic "reusability" value of the raw videocassette.

"If we can price a program for say \$5 above the cost of the blank cas-settes (currently \$15 for an hour Sony blank), it's conceivable people would buy it, see the film or other show a couple of times, then erase it and use the blanks to record their own shows off the air," he explains.

Sony's own research, based on the first 15 months of Betamax marketing in the U.S., shows that owners average about 15 blanks a year at the (Continued on page 50)

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Intermagnetics Sets 3 New Tape Plants

LOS ANGELES - Intermagnetics. 15 month old Santa Monica. Calif.-headquartered corporation specializing in establishing new magnetic tape manufacturing factories around the world, is opening three new such facilities in Asia to produce cassettes to market in the U.S. and internationally

The new plants are in Taiwan, Indonesia and Hong Kong.

In addition, the firm is close to finalizing three more contracts which are "virtually complete." according to Terry Wherlock, senior vice president in charge of international licensing. The other three will be in the Philippines. Malaysia and Thailand. On the drawing boards for the future are Latin America as well as Central America and Africa.

Intermagnetics sets up fully integrated tape manufacturing plants in emerging industrial nations, a business plan that began recently with a first venture in Korea (Union Magnetics). Each plant coats, polishes, slits, splices tape, as well as assembles cassettes.

Each plant is majority owned by local interests with Intermagnetics getting a return from an ownership stake ranging from 15% to 30% in addition to royalties.

The new facility in Taipei. Taiwan, is called Intermagneties Tai-

"The plant," says Wherlock, "will be fully integrated in molding, cutting, slitting, and its purpose will be twofold. One, to service the local market both with blank cassettes and cartridge, and two, to service us with production for exports.

"The plant has already been started, with offices and factories under construction, and the facility should start producing either late this year or early 1977. The two individuals who have spearheaded negotiations on the Taiwanese investors side are Stanley Tang and Jimmy

The name of the facility in Jakarta. Indonesia. is Madya Djaja Electronics

"The equipment will be shipped." continues Wherlock, "on Dec. 4 and this plant will be operating in late January or early February. This is part of a very substantial magnetic tape operation in Indonesia and again it will be the first coating operation in that country.

The Hong Kong facility, which will be running this month, is called Swire Magnetics. Intermagnetics recently entered into an agreement with Swire Pacific Ltd. of Hong Kong, part of the London-based Swire group which has approximately \$1.7 billion in sales, to build a total tape facility in the British

Motorola Into 40-Channel CB & Combos

By ALAN PENCHANSKY

CH1CAGO-Motorola will respond to the FCC's announcement of CB channel expansion with the availability of 40-channel underdash Mocat mobile transceivers by January 1977, according to Ted Donhauser, CB sales manager in the firm's automotive products division.

Donhauser indicates that Motorola also at that time will bring to market its first in-dash CB/AM-FM combos. In-dash combinations of CB, broadcast receivers and cassette or 8-track "will follow sometime later." Donhauser adds.

Donhauser explains that the new combos are both to be manufactured and distributed by Motorola's automotive products division. The firm's Mocat CB line, introduced in April, is manufactured by its communications division.

"Since the automotive products division does have an inherent familiarity with what goes into the dash, it makes sense," Donhauser observes. "A lot of people can put some box together that has both a CB set and an AM/FM radio com-

crown colony. While Hong Kong boasts several dozen cassette assembly operations, Swire Magnetics is the first total tape manufacturing facility in that city.

"This plant," notes Wherlock. "has produced its first production trials and will be going into full-(Continued on page 50)

bination, but there's a real art to crafting for in-dash.

Donhauser says Motorola will strive to merchandise the combos both in the OEM and aftermarkets.

He confirms that Motorola now is supplying Ford with under-dash CBs for factory installation on 1977 models. The units will earry the Aeronutronic Ford label. Donhauser says

Though indicated earlier that Motorola's Mocat line had sold-out for the year. Donhauser says anticipated demand has slackened with the announcement of channel expan-

The announcement has managed to put a crimp into the total sales picture of 23-channel CB sets for the total Christmas season. Donhauser notes.

"You wouldn't believe some of the prices that are already being of-fered in the marketplace," he says.

Nonetheless. Donhauser says, the Mocat transceivers still are being supplied on an allocation basis.

Of the four Mocat units, priced between \$179 and \$229, the top of the line model is selling fastest. Don-hauser informs. "The knowledgeable part of the marketplace was waiting for us to come out and they are buying it because they be-lieve inherently in our quality." he

Such a buyer. Donhauser says. wants the full complement of features the costlier unit provides

According to Donhauser, Motorola has plans to produce base station and portable hand-held CB transceivers for the consumer market



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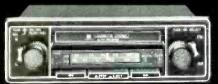
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approximate \$15 retail price, expected to lower as will the player/ recorder deck from the current \$1,300 when the market builds.

The interest of the competition in the Sony-Paramount distribution venture is obvious. As an independent, profit-making entity, the joint company will be looking for the best possible product in both hardware and software, both Schein and Diller acknowledge.

As such, the network that emerges could be used by Sanyo's V-Cord II. a 12-inch videocassette system incompatible with the 12-inch Sony Betamax, but with a two-hour cassette versus Sony's current one-hour limit, and due on the U.S. market later this year.

Also eving the new distribution system that finally emerges are the rival RCA and MCA/Philips videodisk systems, both looking to market

4th DAY FOR WINTER CES

WASHINGTON—The Winter CES officially has extended its 1977 run to four days, Thur.-Sun., Jan. 13-16 at Chicago's Conrad Hilton. Announcement came from Jack Wayman, senior vice president of the sponsoring EIA/CEG. Exhibit space already is going fast, according to the new CES expo management team headed by Bill Glasgow in Chicago.

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rently developing their own pipeline plane that also involve the traditional rackjobber.

"I'm confident we'll have a better mousetrap, sooner or later," Schein maintains, alluding to work underway at Sony on a longer cassette. "But if there's a better product, we'd get a license and produce it, just as our competition was licensed to manufacture the Sony U-Matic hardware and blank cassettes."

The Sony chief is pleased with the Gulf + Western affiliation in the project for some of its other subsidiaries as well as Paramount. Of particular interest is the Associates Corp. of North America consumer finance division with over \$1 billion in volume last year- a natural adjunct for the big-ticket video hardware/software package.

Other G + W companies include Oxford Films, a major educational media supplier: Simon & Schuster, the book publisher, and a new largescreen projection to venture that may also be included in future offerings of the new Sony/Paramount

Both Schein and Diller emphasize that much testing is ahead, and that no matter how good the product—timing is essential. They are determined to profit by the mistakes of the only prior home video marketing venture-the abortive Cartrivision experience that cost parent Avco more than \$40 million between the hardware and rental software.



Joint venture agreement creating Sony/Paramount Home Entertainment Center is signed by Harvey Schein, left, Sony (America) president, and Barry Diller, Paramount

Pictures board chairman.

RCA Video Pays Off

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live host who read Maher's script; Kahn, administrator, product merchandising, who coordinated talent for the presentation and produced the sound effects for the intro; art director Acy Lehman, who helped select all the visuals, and engineers Dick Baxter and Pat Martine. The A.V. Services team includes producer Vincent Hehesy, David Burkett. Brian Sheady. Melissa Foster. Irene and Garry Gorman.

Kahn's own production involved the four a&r chiefs-Tom Shepard. Red Seal: Mike Berniker, pop; Jerry

velop other product lines like head-

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The FCC will start receiving type-

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and all units "on file" by Nov. I will be approved with an effective on-sale date of Jan. I. 1977. All product

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Antennas will not be brought un-

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Bradley, Nashville, and Ron Moseley, r&b, in candid intros of their own division's new artists and product-complete with some natural self-consciousness that actually made the clips far more effective.

A separate segment highlighted the growing RCA custom label family and independent production deals, with each label rep introducing himself, his company and highlights of new product. Included were Bob Thiele, Flying Dutchman: Bud Prager. Phantom: Norman Schwartz, Gryphon: Kevin Eggers. Utopia: Harold Thau. Windsong. and Mort Weiner, who spoke for Bob Reno of Midland International: Sherwin Bash of BNB Associates, Tattoo: Norman Granz, Pablo: Don Cornelius and Dick Griffey, Soul

Kahn was one of the busiest persons at the convention, with his omnipresent video camera taping every act showcased, for upcoming presentations, including the next "biggie" for the Record Bar confab, Sept. 4 at Hilton Head Island, S.C.

In addition to some clips used at the recent J.L. Marsh video presentation (Billboard, July 24), the label's first such effort. Kahn got some excellent shots in San Francisco of D.J. Rogers, Waylon Jennings and Steve Young, Starland Vocal Band, Becky Hobbs, Rosie, Rhythm, the Ivmes. Free Beer and new comies Donald Banks and Steve Landesberg.

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Expanded CB: Mixed Views

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Paul Van Orden of General Electric believes that the early announcement by the FCC will permit an orderly transition to 40-channel units, since the additional channels will be largely unused for a considerable period of time due to all the 23-channel units in use.

"Clearly, it will take some period

continuing problem of tv interferences from CB, since the FCC set the new harmonic suppression limit at 60 dB, although both broadcasters and the EIA consumer electronics group have recommended a limit of Ĭ00 dB or more.

He says that interference is real, but that the difficulties are shared by manufacturers of the tys and other equipment, not just by the CB firms alone. "The tighter specification parameters to be invoked for CB equipment will help the situation. other electronies will be required to meet minimum accept-

Accessories manufacturers are also bullish about the CB channel expansion, with CBers expected to buy more boom mike headsets in the future, according to Sid Kitrell, Telex Communications marketing director.

He claims that with present mobile antennas, the current fall off in signal quality at the high and low ends of the band will be more pronounced on a 40-channel set. Headsets, delivering the signal directly to the ear, provide better clarity and intelligibility.

The noise-cancelling mikes used

Intermagnetics Growth

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(This exclusive two-part profile on Intermagnetics growth concludes next week with a look at the Singapore operation, and the vital quality con-

volume and squelch thumbwheels and a push-to-talk switch.

of time after the first of the year to have the new units flowing to dealers in substantial quantities, and they will command a premium price," he maintains, though other industry spokesmen feel the differential may be only 10% to 15%

Van Orden also comments on the

ability standards in the future.

in headsets like the CB-88 and other firms models, produce much nearer voice transmission. And with many consumers likely to wait until the new 40-channel sets are on the market, dealers will be looking to de-

scale production Tuesday (10). Its prime purpose will be to supply coated webs, not cassettes, to the assemblers who are located in Hong Kong. This plant is intended to service those people by providing them with a local, high quality range of coated webs.

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Wines, Capitol 4293 (MPL Communications/ATV, BMI) 6 2 1 I'D REALLY LOVE TO SEE YOU TONIGHT England Dan & John Ford Coley, Big Tree 16069 (Atlantic) (Dawnbreaker, BMI) 3 10 SHOWER THE PEOPLE lames Taylor. Warner Bros. 8222 (Country Road, BMI) 8 8 5 United Artists 834 (Far Out. ASCAP) 2 7 ANOTHER RAINY DAY IN NEW YORK YOU'LL NEVER FIND ANOTHER LOVE

Low Rawls Philadelphia International 3593 (Columbia/Epic) 4 10 (Mighty Three, BMI) 13 I'M EASY Keith Carradine, ABC 12117 (American Broadcasting/Lion's Gate/Easy, ASCAP) 5 DON'T GO BREAKING MY HEART Elton John & Kiki Dee, Rocket 40585 (MCA) (Big Pig/Leeds, ASCAP) 6 9 THIS MASQUERADE
George Benson, Warner Bros. 8209 (Skyhill, BMI) 20 6 10 GOT TO GET YOU INTO MY LIFE
The Beatles, Capitol 4274 (Maclen, BMI)
PEAS IN A POD 11 11 9 14 12 6 Warner/Curb 8224 (Captain Crystal/Chattahoochee/Legibus, BMI) EVERYTIME I SING A LOVE SONG
John Davidson, 20th Century 2293 (Peso, BMI) 10 MOONLIGHT FEELS RIGHT
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Dr. Hook, Capitol 4280 (Bygosh, ASCAP) 15 16 7 SEE YOU ON SUNDAY
Glen Campbell, Capitol 4288 (ABC/Dunhill/One Of A Kind, BMI)

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John Travolta, Midland International 10623 (RCA) (Midsong, ASCAP) 9 18 18 12 19 9 KISS AND SAY GOODBYE
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Boz Scaggs, Columbia 3-10367 (Boz Scaggs/Hudmar, ASCAP) 40 43 SONG FROM M*A*S*H*
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FUNNY HOW TIME SLIPS AWAY
Dorothy Moore, Malaco 1033 (TK) (Tree, BMI) 45 46 46 ONE LOVE IN MY LIFETIME
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SLOW HOT WIND
Henry Mancini, RCA 10731 (Northridge, ASCAP) 49 NEW ENTRY

Classical



UNACCUSTOMED ROLE-Ballet superstar Rudolf Nureyev autographs albums during a promotion mounted by Angel Records at Korvettes' 5th Ave. store in New York. More than 800 Angel ballet LP's were reported sold by the store that day, following heavy print and radio support. Backing Nureyev here are, from left: Renny Martini, Capitol branch manager; Tony Caronia, the label's regional classical manager; Korvettes executives Ben Bernstein and Russell Graham; and Mario Di Maria, of Hurok Attractions.

18 IN ALL

New Horowitz, Old Caruso Bracket RCA Summer List

NEW YORK-RCA Records moves into the late summer selling season with 18 Red Seal albums. among them a long-promised Vladimir Horowitz LP, two unusual packages assembled from vault masters, and the first of a planned series of \$4.98 "super specials."

The spread of new product is designed to bid for dollars from a broad spectrum of consumers, with standard orchestral and chamber works offered as well as show, movie and potential crossover items.

The group of records, due to be released later this month and next, will be supported by a strong trade and consumer campaign, with special emphasis to be placed on the Horowitz entry.

This album, his first since returning to the label after 13 years, couples sonatas by Schumann and Scriabin, and was taped live during a recital tour by the pianist this past season.

National publications will be used to plug the disk, say RCA executives, as well as "branch-initiated" newspaper ads. Radio time buys are planned in major markets and the campaign will include a series of instore promotions. In this area, WNCN and WQXR will carry Horowitz spots, and Korvettes will be the focus of a local dealer drive.

Use of a new computer restoration process in a Caruso album issued this month may portend a new stress on commercial exploitation of historic acoustic waxings in the RCA vaults. The process is said to remove horn resonances inherent in these old recordings and to provide startling improvements in their sound (Billboard, Aug. 7). Like others in the label's "Legendary Performers Series," the album will list at \$7.98. another departure for single-disk reissue sets.

Also rescued from limbo is a group of recordings made by Arturo Toscanini and the Philadelphia Orchestra in 1941. Damage to the masters held back release, except for one title issued some 10 years ago, until the label was able to laboriously rework the material to eliminate a

large number of the technical flaws.
Those that remain are said to be marginal in view of the overriding musical interest of the performances. The package of five disks, listing for the price of four, contains works by Schubert, Tchaikovsky, Mendelssohn, Berlioz, Debussy, Respighi and Richard Strauss.

Holst's "The Planets" is RCA's first "super special" to carry a reduced list price for a limited time, and to be followed up by other similar projects on a periodic basis (Billboard, July 24). The Ormandy-Philadelphia Orchestra record will be offered to dealers at \$2.54 (tape at \$3.62), with subdistributor prices pegged at \$2.36 and \$3.36 respec-

Other product in RCA's late-summer list includes an original cast production of Stephen Sondheim's show "Side By Side," and an album combining the talents of jazz pianist Claude Bolling and classical guitarist Alexander Lagoya. Sets by Leopold Stokowski, the Guarneri Quartet. Mario Lanza, Jean-Pierre Rampal, Dick Hyman, Julian Bream and Peter Serkin. A film scores package is also included, this offering works by Dmitri Tiomkin.

None of the albums offered in the August RCA list is being made available in simultaneous quad ver-

Limit Amateurs In Chorus Pact

LOS ANGELES-A three-year contract covering services of members of the Southern California chapter of the American Guild of Musical Artists (AGMA) with the Los Angeles Philharmonic Assn. was signed last week,

AGMA had operated for 30 years without a formal agreement. The pack limits the employment of amateur singers. Sixty professionals must be used in any given concert before simon pure performers are added to the chorus, in contrast to the situation in New York, where the Philharmonic management is free to hire 70 amateurs for every 70 pro

Negotiations were conducted by AGMA's Henry Reese and Ernest Fleischmann, executive director of the Los Angeles Philharmonic.

'QUINTESSENCE'

Pickwick Classic Label Will Debut With 20 Albums

NEW YORK-Twenty albums will comprise the initial release of Pickwick Records' now classical label, Quintessence, due for market introduction this fall.

The disks, featuring major European and American artists, are in the final stages of preparation for the scheduled label launch, with an additional 20 planned as an early followup release.

All Quintessence material is being licensed from established catalogs here and abroad and has been selected to appeal to a broad group of buyers, according to Peter Munves, head of the new label.

Price level of the line is yet to be determined, says Munves, although it is expected to be in the "economical" range. Marketing strategy is

now being blueprinted, he adds.

Among orchestras to be heard on early Quintessence disks are the New Philharmonia and the Royal Philharmonic. Conductors include Leopold Stokowski, Sir Thomas Beecham, Arthur Fiedler. Jascha Horenstein, Sir Adrian Boult, Sir John Barbirolli and Rudolf Kempe.

30 Disks Herald Major Fall Push **From Indie Orion**

By DAVE DEXTER JR.

LOS ANGELES-It's something like David challenging Goliath as the relatively small Orion label here readies an ambitious fall release of some 30 classical albums in competition with the mighty majors.

Based in suburban Malibu,

Orion's popgun becomes a cannon in September with LPs ranging from a previously unavailable package of Liszt's complete violin works performed by Endre Granat, accompanied by pianist Francoise Regnat. to two new works by the South American Alberto Ginastera performed by the Univ. of California at Irvine's orchestra conducted by Alvaro Cassuto.

Composer Ernst Krenek plays pi-ano in his second LP for Orion, his own "Aulokithara For Oboe, Harp And Tape." Pierre Huybregts, in another, serves up a program of sona-tinas by five Belgian composers from the piano. And pianist Richard Tetley-Kardos offers a little heard sonata and other selections by Glazunov.

Violinist Granat and Edith Kulbuck, at the harpsichord, are co-featured in a three-disk set of Bach's complete works for the two instruments which Orion will market as a "three for two" bargain entry.

Orion also has dipped into the parochial category with yet another package featuring the Goldman-Brown Duo performing Los Angeles composers exclusively in violin-pi-ano duets. And Pearl Chertok, harpist, will be represented in an LP devoted to solo harp compositions by American composers Siegmeister, Mondello, Starer, Haines and oth-

There are numerous others, each pegged at \$6.98 retail. By November, Orion executives report, the catalog will contain more than 260 albums, all recorded and released since the label was founded seven

Washington WEAM Goes R&B Format

By JEAN WILLIAMS

LOS ANGELES—WEAM in Washington is changing its one-month old Top 40 format to r&b in September.

The outlet, which brought in an entire new staff approximately six weeks ago to handle the Top 40 format, will now hire another staff to handle soul music.

Terry Watts from WRAP in Norfolk, Va., is the new general manager and Bernie Moody, the only black deejay at WEAM hosting a nighttime show, has been asked to remain.

According to Ed Rodriguez who is now program director of the station, the outlet went Top 40 following 1½ years as a progressive rock station.

He notes that its ratings dropped to 1.0, its lowest in the history of the station, and because Top 40 seemed to be working for other outlets the format was changed.

"Three weeks after creating a whole new station via the Top 40 format, Harold Thoms, the owner of the station, died. We didn't know it at the time, but he had planned to go to a black format before we went to Top 40" says Podriguez.

Top 40," says Rodriguez.

"I feel that this move to a black format may be good, but it's four years too late," he continues.

"We already have too many good black oriented stations here. We have WKYS that's doing disco, WHUR the Howard Univ. station doing progressive music, WOL and WOOK. These stations are good and we are coming in behind them."

Rodriguez has been asked to remain at the station to deal with operations. A new program director has not been announced.

WEAM was one of the first stations in Washington to go to a rock 'n' roll around the clock format in the late '50s.

Jazz oriented Norman Conners, who recently made his way up the r&b charts with his last two Buddah LPs, may lose his grip on the r&b market.

Although Conners has recorded four albums on the label, only his last two feature vocals by Michael Henderson, the most recent being "You Are My Starship." Henderson has also signed with Buddah, but as a single act.

According to Henderson, he will no longer record nor will he perform with Conners. He notes that the label will release his first LP "Solid" within the next two weeks.

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"I do not feel that I should sing with Conners anymore because I find that it's too confusing to the public."

He contends that people purchasing the new Conners LP feel that Conners is singing, because when the deejays announce the record, they tend to only mention Conners' name. "It will not do my own career any good to continue with him," he says.

Conners, who is a drummer and does not sing on his LPs, has a female singer, Phyllis Hyman, who records and performs with his group.

Henderson has never been a single vocal act. He formerly played bass for the Jackson Five, Aretha Franklin, Stevie Wonder, Rolling

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Billboard Hot Soul Singles.

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2	2	8	WHO'D SHE COO—Ohio Players (W. Beck. J. Williams, M. Jones, M. Pierce), Mercury 73814 (Phonogram) (Tight, BMI)	B	60	3	(Colgems, ASCAP) ONE LOVE IN MY LIFETIME—Diana Ross	68	NE	W ENTRY	GIVE A BROKEN HEART A BREAK-Impact
13	8	6	(Shake, Shake, Shake) SHAKE YOUR BOOTY—K.C. & The Sunshine Band				(T. McFadden, L. Brown, L. Perry), Motown 1398 (Jobete, ASCAP)				(B. Eli, L. Barry). Atco 7056 (WIMOT/Friday's Child. BMI)
4	. 5	11	(H.W. Casey, R. Finch), TK 1019 (Sheriyn, BMI). GET UP OFFA THAT THING—James Brown	36	37	7	WE THE PEOPLE—General Johnson (General Johnson), Arista 0192 (Music In General, BMI)	69	65	11	YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO—Chi-Lites (E. Record, B. Acklin), Brunswick 55528 (Jutio-Brian; BMI)
	, ,	6	(D. Brown, D. Brown, Y. Brown), Polydor 14326. (Dynatone/Belinda/Unichappell/BMI) SUMMER—War	37	35	8	TRY ME I KNOW WE CAN MAKE 70 72 3 THE		THE GOLDEN ROD—Roy Ayers Ubiquity (R. Ayers), Polydor 14337 (Roy Ayers		
15	Π΄	"	(S. Alle, H. Brown, M. Dickerson, J. Goldstein, L. Jordan, C. Miller, L. Oskar, H. Scott), United Artists				IT—Donna Summer (G. Moroder, P. Bellotte, D. Summer), Oasis 406 (Casablanca) (Sunday/Rick's, BMI)	1	81	2	Ubiquity, ASCAP) L.O.D. (Love On Delivery)—Billy Ocean
1	16	7	834 (Far Out, ASCAP) PLAY THAT FUNKY MUSIC—Wild Cherry (R. Parissi), Sweet City 8-50225	38	38	20	SARA SMILE - Daryt Hall & John Oates (O. Hall, J. Oates), RCA 10530 (Unichappell, BMI)		"	-	(Findon, Charles), Ariola American/GTO 7630 (Capitol) (Black Sheep/Heath Levy, BMI)
7	. 4	13	(Columbia/Epic), (Bema/Blaze, ASCAP) SOMETHING HE CAN	39	49	6	LOWDOWN - 807 Scaros	72	71	4	FREE — Natural Four (C. Jackson, M. Yancy), Curtom 0119 (Warner Bros.) (Jay's Enterprises/Chappell, ASCAP)
			FEEL—Aretha Franklin (C. Mayfield). Atlantic 3326	40	29	16	(B. Scaggs, D. Paich), Columbia 3-10367 (Boz Scaggs/Hudmar, ASCAP) THE LONELY ONE—Special Delivery	73	75	5	I AIN'T GONNA TELL NOBODY
8	3	14	(Warner-Tamerline, BMI) YOU'LL NEVER FIND ANOTHER LOVE		23		Featuring Terry Huff (T. Huff, R. Person, A. Clements), Mainstream 5581	血	85	2	(About You)—Carl Carlton (B. Sigler), ABC 12166 (Blackwood, BMI) YOU + ME = LOVE—Undisputed Truth
			LIKE MINE—Lou Rawls (K. Gamble, L. Huff), Philadelphia International 3592 (Columbia/Epic) (Mighty Three, BMI)	血	51	6	(Brent, BMI) FLOWERS—The Emotions		03	*	(N. Whitfield), Whitfield 8231 (Warner Bros.) (Stone Diamond, BMI)
9	6	13	HEAVEN MUST BE MISSING AN ANGEL (Part 1)—Tavares	42			(M. White, A. McKay), Columbia 3-10347 (Saggifire, BMI/Kalimba, ASCAP)	由	MEY	ENTRY	KILL THAT ROACH—Miami (W. Thompson, W. Clarke), Drive 6251 (TK)
10	,	12	(K. St. Léwis, F. Perren). Capitol 4270 (Bull Pen/Perren-Vibes. ASCAP) THIS MASQUERADE—George Benson	42	28	13	CAUGHT IN THE ACT (Of Gettin' It On)—Facts Of Life (H. Banks, C. Hampton), Kayvette 5126 (TK)	76	86	2	(Sherlyn, BMI) BABY, HOLD ON TO ME—John Edwards
11		1	(L. Russell), Warner Bros. 8209 (Skyhill. BMI) EVERYTHING'S COMING UP	13	53	4	(Irving, BMI) LEAN ON ME— Melba Moore	77	67	5	(D. Porter, R. Williams), Cotillion 44203 (Atlantic) (Robosac, BMI) COME ON & RIDE—Enchantment
			LOVE—David Ruffin (V. McCoy), Motown 1393 (Warner-Tamerlane/Van		33		(V. McCoy), Buddah 535 (Van McCoy/Warner- Tamerlane, BMI)	"	0,	,	(M. Stokes). Desert Moon 6403 (Buddah) (Desert Moon Songs/Willow Girl, BMI)
12	12	8	McCoy/Ocean Blue, BMI) WAKE UP SUSAN—Spinners (S. Marshall, T. Bell), Atlantic 3341	44	48	5	ROCK CREEK PARK—Blackbyrds (Johnson, Saunders, Toney, Hall, Killgo), Fantasy	78	88	2	IF I EVER DO WRONG—Betty Wright (B. Wright, W. Clarke, Alston 3722
13	14	11	(Mighty Three, BMI) HARD WORK—John Handy	45	69	2	771 (Blackbyrd, BMI) AFTER THE DANCE—Marvin Gaye	79	73	4	(TK) (Sherlyn, BMI) YOU TO ME ARE EVERYTHING—Broadway
14			(J. Handy), ABC/Impulse 31005 (Hard Work, BMI) CAN'T STOP GROOVIN' NOW, WANNA	46			(M. Gaye, L. Ware), Tamta 54273 (Motown) (Jobete, ASCAP)	80	84	5	(K. Gold, M. Denne), Granite 540 (Pye) (Colgems. ASCAP) JUST LET ME HOLD YOU FOR
١,,	,,,		DO IT SOME MORE—B.T. Express (B. Nichols), Columbia 3-10346 (Blackwood, BMI)	46	36	15	WHO LOVES YOU BETTER (Part 1)—Isley Brothers (T. Isley, M. Isley, C. Jasper, R. Isley, O. Isley, R. Isley), T. Neck 8-2260 (Columbia/Epic)	00	04	,	A NIGHT—Choice 4 (C.H. Kipps, Jr.), RCA 10714 (Charles Kipps, BMI)
15	15	8	ONE FOR THE MONEY (Part 1)—Whispers (J. Ailens, J. Bellmon, V. Drayton, R. Turner),				Isley, R. Isley, D. Isley, C. Jasper, R. Isley, O. Isley, R. Isley, T. Neck 8-2260 (Columbia/Epic) (Bovina, ASCAP)	81	78	5	THANK YOU FOR TODAY— Sister Sledge
			Soultrain 10700 (RCA) (Golden Fleece/Hip Trip Music Writers, BMI)	面	76	2	ONLY YOU BABE—Curtis Mayfield (C. Mayfield), Curtom 0118 (Warner Bros.)				(B. Eli, L. Phillips), Cotillion 44202 (Atlantic) (Oceans Blue/Friday's Child, BMI)
16	13	20	KISS AND SAY GOODBYE—Manhattans (W. Lovett). Columbia 3:10310 (Nattahnam/Blackwood, BMI)	48	47	21	(Mayrield, BMI) YOUNG HEARTS RUN FREE—Candi Staton	82	82	5	PORCUPINE — Nature Zone (S. Feldman, T. Dawes), London 235 (Music Development, BMI/Tom Dawes, ASCAP)
17	17	11	SOMEBODY'S GETTIN' IT—Johnnie Taylor (C. Jones, C. Colter, D. Davis), Columbia 3-10334 (Groovesville, BMI/Conquistador, ASCAP)	49	50	8	(D. Crawford), Warner Bros. 8181 (DaAnn, ASCAP) SLOW MOTION—Dells	83	83	3	YOU TO ME ARE EVERYTHING—Revelation
血	32	4	YOU SHOULD BE DANCING—Bee Gees (B. Gibb, R. Gibb, M. Gibb), RSO 853 (Polydor)	50	57	5	(I. Hunter, A. Moore, C. Leverett), Mercury 73807 (Phonogram) (Probe II/Las-go/Round/Gambi, BMI) I NEED IT— Johnny Guitar Watson				(K. Gold, M. Denne), RSO 854 (Polydor) (Colgems, ASCAP)
19	22	8	(Casserole/Unichappell, BMI) COTTON CANDY—Sylvers	51	52	8	(J. Watson), OJM 1013 (Amherst) Jon, BMI) SONG FROM M*A*S*H—New Marketts	84	NEW	ENTRY	CHANCE WITH YOU—Brother To Brother (B. Jones, B. Randle), Turbo 048 (All Platinum) (Gambi, BMi)
20	19	11	(K. St. Lewis, F. Perren, Yartan), Capitol 4255 (Perren-Vibes/Bull Pen, BMI) STRETCHIN' OUT (In A Rubber		J.		Altman. J. Mandel), Farr 007 (20th Century, ASCAP)	85	90	2	USE YOUR IMAGINATION—Kokomo (A. Spenner), Columbia 3-10380 (Anglo-Rock, BMI)
			Band) — William Bootsy Collins (W. Collins, G. Clinton), Warner Bros. 8215 (Backstage, BMI)	52	68	3	JIVE TALKIN'— Rufus Featuring Chaka Khan (Barry, Robin, M. Gibb), ABC 12197 (Casserole/Fiamm, BMI)	血	NEW	ENTRY	COME GET TO THIS—Joe Simon (G. Raeford, J. Simon), Spring 166 (Polydor)
21	25	8	THE MORE YOU DO IT (The More I Like It Done To Me)—Ronnie Dyson	53	59	5	AIN'T GOOD FOR	87	87	2	(Pee Wee, BMI) YOU NEED LOVE LIKE I
20	21		(M. Yancy, C. Jackson), Columbia 3-10356 (Jay's Enterprises/Chappell, ASCAP)	1	64	3	NOTHING—Luther Ingram (J. Baylor), Koko 721 (Klondike, BMI) LET THE GOOD TIMES				DO—Bobby Williams (G. Johnson, My Tynes, D. Woods), R&R 15312 (Lerobal/Music In General, BMI)
22	21	10	PARTY — Van McCoy (V. McCoy), H&L 4670 (Van McCoy/Warner- Tamerlane, BMI)		04	3	ROLL—B.B. King & Bobby Bland (S. Theard, F. Moore), ABC/Impulse 31006	88	NEW	ENTRY	IF YOU CAN'T BEAT 'EM, JOIN 'EM - Mark Radice
23	18	16	SOPHISTICATED LADY (She's A Different Lady)—Natalie Cole	55	55	10	(Warock, ASCAP) SUPER DISCO—Rimshots				(M. Radice), United Artists 840 (Desert Rain, ASCAP)
			(C. Jackson, M. Yancy, N. Cote), Capitol 4259 (Jay's Enterprises/Chappell, ASCAP/ Cole-Arama, BMI)	56	70	2	(T. Keith), Stang 5067 (All Platinum) (Gambi, BMI) ENTROW Part 1—Graham Central Station	89	NEW	ENTRY	DISCO IS THE THING TODAY—Meters
24	24	9	GET IT WHILE IT'S HOT-Eddie Kendricks (M. Holden, T. Life), Tamla 54270 (Motown) (Stone Diamond/Mills & Mills. BMI)		E.C.	10	(L. Graham), Warner Bros. 8235 (Nineteen Eighty Foe, BMI)	90	MEM	ENTRY	(Meters), Reprise 1357 (Warner Bros.) (Rhinelander/Cabbage Alley, BMI) ANYTHING YOU WANT—John Valenti
25	31	5	FUNNY HOW TIME SLIPS AWAY—Dorothy Moore	57	56	10	ALWAYS THERE—Side Effect (P. Allen, R. Laws, Jeffery), Fantasy 769 (Fizz/At Home, ASCAP)				(J. Valenti, J. Spinzsola), Ariola America 7625 (Capitol) (Minta, BMI)
26	20	13	(W. Nelson). Malaco 1033 (TK) (Tree, BMI) IT AIN'T THE REAL THING—Bobby Bland	58	5,8	7	JUST LIKE IN THE MOVIES—Bloodstone (P. Adams, B. Carhee), London 1067	91	96	2	SWEET LOVIN' — Chuck Armstrong
27	23	11	(M. Price, D. Walsh), ABC 12189 (Meadow Ridge, ASCAP) KEEP THAT SAME OLD	597	NEW	ENTRY	(Pap/Taya, ASCAP) GET THE FUNK OUT MA	92	97	2	(M. Tynes, D. Gilbert), R&R 15313 (Lerobal/5th, BMI) HOT STUFF—Rolling Stones
			FEELING — Crusaders (W. Henderson), ABC/Blue Thumb 269				FACE — Brothers Johnson (Q. Jones, G. Johnson, L. Johnson), A&M 1851 (Kidada/Goulgris, BMI)				(K. Richard, M. Jagger), Rolling Stones 19304 (Atlantic) (Knee Trembler, ASCAP)
28	34	7	(Four Knights, BMI) BABY, I WANT YOUR BODY—AI Wilson (R. Cason/B.R. Charles), Playboy 6076 (Caesars	60	66	4	OPEN UP YOUR HEART—Muscle Shoals Horns	93	80	5	SENSATION, COMMUNICATION TOGETHER—Albert King
29	26	9	Music Library/Wet Bull. ASCAP) BAD RISK/THERE YOU				(H. Calloway), Bang 725 (Web IV) (Muscle Shoals Sound/Cets, BMI)	94	89	3	(Mack. Rise, M. Davis), Utopia 10682 (RCA) (East/Memphis/Wild Rice, BMI) FACE TO FACE—Dee Ervin
			ARE—Millie Jackson (B. Clements, B. Mitchell/M. Jackson, K. Sterling), Spring 164 (Polydor) (Muscle Shoals, BMI/Double	61	54	9	ROOTS, ROCK, REGGAE—Bob Marley & The Wailers				(D. Ervin, W. Farrell). Roxbury 2027 (Pocket Full Of Tunes, BMI)
30	33	7	Ak/Shun/Pee Wee, BMI) BABY, WE BETTER TRY TO GET IT	62	62	11	WAITING AT THE BUS STOP—Kayges	95	95	2	BRAZILICA — Ramsey Lewis (M. White. N. Yarbrough), Columbia 3-10382 (Saggifire, BMI)
			TOGETHER—Barry White (B. White). 20th Century 2298 (Sa-Vette/January, BMI)	63	63	13	(R. Bell), Gang 1326 (PIP) (Delightful/Gang, BMI) TEN PERCENT—Double Exposure	96	NEW		THE PEOPLE WANT MUSIC—Controller (M.H. Bryant), Juana 3406 (TK) (Every-Knight, BMI)
31	27	10	I'M GONNA LET MY HEART DO THE WALKING—Supremes		,		(A. Felder, T. G. Conway), Salsoul 2008 (Caytronics) (Lucky Three/Golden Fleece/Mighty Three, BMI)	97	NEW		LIFE ON MARS (Part 1)—Dexter Wansel (D. Wansel), Philadelphia International 3599
			(H. Beatty, B. Holland, E. Holland), Motown 1391 (Holland-Dozier-Holland/Jobete, ASCAP/Stone Diamond/Gold Forever, BMI)	64	74	3	I LUV MYSELF BETTER THAN I LUV MYSELF—Bill Cosby (S. Gardner, B. Cosby), Capitol 4299	98	NEW E	NTRY	(Columbia/Epic) (Mighty Three, BMI) LOVE IS ALIVE—Gary Wright
32	30	13	HEAR THE WORDS, FEEL THE FEELING—Margie Joseph	133	77	2	(S. Garoner, B. Cosby). Capitol 4299 (Turtle Head, BMI) NO, NO JOE—Silver Convention	99	NEW E	NTAY ((G. Wright), Warner Bros. 8143 (Warner Bros., ASCAP) DANCIN' KID—Disco Tex & The Sex-O-Lettes
4	20		(L. Dozier, M. Jackson), Cotillion 44201 (Atlantic) (Dozier, BMI)				(S. Levay, S. Prager), Midland International 10723 (RCA) (Midsong, ASCAP)				(K. Nolan), Chelsea 3045 (Sound Of Nolan/Chelsea, BMI)
33	39	5	WE BOTH NEED EACH OTHER—Norman Connors (M. Henderson), Buddah 534 (Electrocord, ASCAP)	66	61	9	WHERE EVER YOU GO—Skip Mahoaney (S. Mahoaney, J. Purdie). Abet 9465 (Nashboro) (Excelleorec/Skipsong, BMI)	100	99	2	WHAT DID YOU DO WITH YOUR LOVE—Lloyd Price
			(Electional Address)				(Excellences Skipsolig, DMI)				(L. Price), LPG 111 (Loypriquan) (Lorijoy, BMI)

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sell radios, tape players and record players, and other outlets that cater to the same market as retail record

Also emerging from the session was the feeling that although the entire industry is aware of secondary markets, these markets have not been developed as major avenues for product exposure.

Dorothy Bronson, general manager of WLIB/WBLS in New York, with another idea, advised the labels to take their newer acts to public service television and to make the acts available to PBS for advertisements dealing with worthy causes. She asserted that on a local level the acts will gain a vast amount of expo-

While explaining her station's playlist, she noted that advertisers are dictating what product is aired because the advertisers are now aiming at an older market.

She said that the emphasis in

black radio for the late '70s is shift-ing from the youth market to the 18 to 49 age group, and for the most part the advertiser's products are not geared to teens.

At the same time, she emphasized the importance of numbers and station ratings, stating that radio is now structured to gain numbers.
"There is nothing more important

to a station than its numbers. The numbers affect everyone on staff." said well-known programmer Jerry Boulding during the "Programming For Modern Black Radio" session which he chaired.

He pointed out the importance of station ratings and how it affects la-"Record promotion persons should be concerned about ratings. The more they know about ratings the more valuable they are to their companies," he said.

Boulding said that black stations do not generally add as many records during rating periods as at other times. "Black stations are

fighting all of the pop and general market stations that have big signals and large budgets. What we can do," he said, "is to make sure that every piece of music is familiar to the audience by using the 'hit music pre-

"The first 20 minutes of every hour is the most important part of that hour. It's important for deejays and program directors and it affects the ratings.

He feels that if both the stations and labels understand the problems involved in programming for numbers, they can work closely together.

Boulding stressed educating announcers in the art of dealing effectively with ratings.

Educating radio personnel continued to be the theme as Dorothy Bronson advised a gathering during the "Management, A Role In Leadership" session to learn the technical side of radio.

'You may know records, you may know music, you may even be able to differentiate between labels, but this is only a tiny fraction of the total kind of knowledge and input you have in operating a station on a dayto-day basis," she said.

It was pointed out that there are 26 black-owned stations across the country and the question was asked concerning the type of training available in radio stations. Bronson feels that blacks may find a whiteowned station an excellent training ground for aspiring general man-

"White stations tend to teach (Continued on page 60)



HOMETOWN FAVES—Tavares greets fellow townsfolk in New Bedford, Mass., atop a flat bed truck, with the promotion ending with album giveaways and autographs given out in a park setting.

WANT BROADER AUDIENCE

The O'Jays Pop Up As Sophisticates

LOS ANGELES-In an effort to appeal to a broader audience, the Q'Jays have adopted a more sophisticated jazz/soft r&b/MOR sound on their new LP, "A Message In The Music," explains lead singer Eddie Levert.

"We are trying to point out to people that we are not just your average r&b group. We can really sing. are now attempting to attract both black and white audiences, the middle class, older crowd and even the snobs," he declares.

Levert notes the group is not moving away from the young record buyer but merely trying to expand its audiences.

"Our new sound will not change the rooms we perform in; young people will always be able to see us perform. "Our objective in taking on new sound is because our last two LPs were basically the same O'Jays' boom boom boom, with a little love song added. The new LP broadens our act. We can now come onstage and pull off a Frank Sinatra act. where he sits down on a stool and sings. We would never do this be-

"This musical area also gives us a lot of room to create a bigger production feel.

"The objective is to continue to advance. If you happen to be one of the frontrunners, the objective then is to stay out in front. To do that, we must continue to come up with new ways to do the same thing. We are just going to do more of what we do

Another change for the Phila-delphia International artists comes on the business level. Levert admits the group has not been involved with the handling of its career until now. "As the group grows," he says.

"so must we grow as individuals. We must take on the added responsibility of our careers.

"We have to go to meetings, we have to know where our tax dollars are going, know how much money we are making and where it's going. That's just a part of growing along with your singing success."
William Powell, an original mem-

ber, is no longer with the group, having been replaced by Sammy Strain, formerly of Little Anthony and the Imperials

Although Powell will continue to record with the group. Strain will not, but Strain will make all personal appearances.

The first single released from the album will be the LP's title cut, "A Message In The Music." Also included in the album is a religious tune, "A Prayer."

Bennett Record For United Way

LOS ANGELES-Tony Bennett's recording of "There's Always Tomorrow," written specifically for him by Sammy Cahn and Torrie Zito, will be used as the theme song for United Way of America's public service campaign.

Unlike most campaign songs which are usually jingles, Bennett's recording is a sensitive love song that will be released as a single on Improv Records. All proceeds from the record's sale will be donated to the campaign.

Bennett, who has been selected National Chairman of United Way's "To The People Campaign," will also be appearing on network talk shows promoting the song and will give concerts in 18 key cities in support of the campaign.

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Stones, Miles Davis, Four Tops and the Temptations.

Although he too has a jazz background, he notes that his new album contains music with across the board appeal, ranging from ballads to uptempo tunes.

The singer, who also writes music. has written all tunes on his album and two tunes on the new Dramatics

"James Brown's Future Shock" series, a variety and dance show, with Brown hosting, may soon get worldwide exposure.

Ziv International. Inc. has acquired the rights worldwide, with the exception of Africa, to the 26 hour-long shows which were filmed in Augusta and Atlanta.

Although major emphasis will be in television sales the films will also be sold to theaters, discos and other

Adam Wade, former television game show host and recording artist, is near completion of his first album for Don Kirshner. The LP which is being produced by Wally Gold, will be on Kirshner's label, distributed

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Country

Independents Form Co-Op To Solve Mutual Problems

NASHVILLE-Lower rates for pressing records and record sleeves. organizing a country music week stageshow of artists on independent labels, and providing a forum to help solve problems encountered by independents are three goals of the new Independent Label Assn. Co-op established here.

The organization plans to unite independent labels and work toward solving mutual problems as well as

prompting new activities.

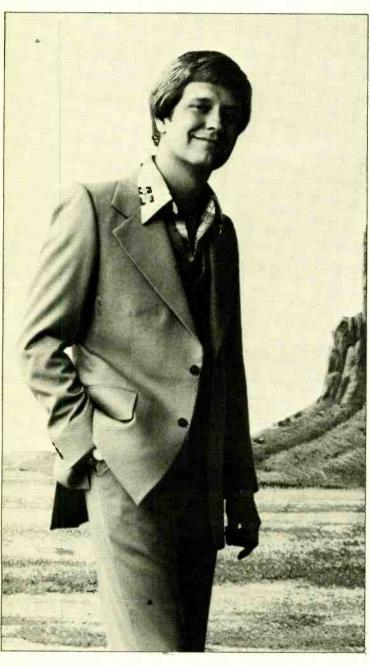
Besides the country music week

show, the group will sponsor a hospitality room during the celebration to offer deejays and program directors the opportunity to meet with the

artists performing on the show.

Leaders of the new association are Joe Lucas, Kansa Records, Nashville. president: Hal Freeman, Cin-Kay Records, Sherman Oaks, Calif., first vice president; Claude F. Branz. Savage Records, Nashville, third vice president; Kit Johnson, Kansa Records, secretary; and Gene Ken-

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The man who put Western back into Country is back...

Rex Allen, Jr.'s new album is RIDIN' HIGH. It features both the hits "Can You Hear Those Pioneers" and "Play Me No Sad Songs," plus both sides of the new single, "Teardrops in My Heart" and "Home-made Love" (WBS 8236).





REX ALLEN, JR. / RIDIN' HIGH.

Produced by Norro Wilson for Warner Bros. Records. BS 2958 William Morris Agency Nashville, Tennessee

Tuners Lobby In **Capital**

NASHVILLE-A group representing the Nashville Songwriters Assn. International made its second trip to Washington July 27-29 for some face-to-face lobbying with legislators deciding the fate of the

House copyright revision bill.
Patsy Bruce. Kenny O'Dell, Paul Richey, Eddy Raven, Don Wayne and Maggie Cavender met with more than 30 Congressmen on their trip on behalf of copyright revisions for songwriters.

They were joined by leaders of AGAC, writers Johnny Green and Eddie Eliscu of California and Hal David of New York in the multimarket persuasion effort as the bill passes through a crucial time period.

"Congressman Peter Rodino spoke to us for about 45 minutes," Cavender says. "He said the bill was high on his priority list and he felt we'd get a law through this year as long as we didn't try to tear it back apart."

Unlike the group's last Washington appearance, the songwriters did not sing their plea. Instead they confined their efforts to speakingboth in congressional offices and in a reception room near the committee

Keeping a sharp eye on the Washington deliberations, the group plans a return visit Sept. 20.

Heavy Nashboro Promo On Fall **Gospel Releases**

NASHVILLE-Full color posters for in-store display and radio promotion spots are two of the marketing ideas being implemented by Nashboro Records in one of the strongest release groupings yet for the Nashville-based predominantly gospel label.

Two new LPs by the Rev. Isaac Douglas are the first two in a series that will feature one of Nashboro's top artists along with various large choirs from different parts of the

"These are being issued because of increased interest in choirs as evidenced by national gospel charts and increased sales action on choir product already in stock," reports Nashboro's Shannon Williams.

B.S. Howell, Jr., Nashboro president, says of the six new soul-gospel albums—four are by artists making their debuts.

The posters will feature all of the new releases while individual 60second spots on each LP will be used for radio promotion. One Douglas album is with the Kings Temple Choir and the other with the Houston Mass Choir. The other releases are by the Soul Searchers, the Gospel Keynotes, Evangelist Rosie Wallace Brown and Eddie Brown,

and the Swanee Quintet.

Bob Richardson produced the Soul Searchers disk at Master Audio in Atlanta: the other five were produced by Williams.

Chellmans Move In

NASHVILLE-Chuck Chellman, freelance record promoter, and his wife Georgia Twitty, who heads up Veeson International, radio production firm, have acquired the building at 1201 16th Ave. S. here.

HALSEY STILL AGENT

Country Rolls On At Hughes Hotels

LAS VEGAS—The long-running "Country Music U.S.A." series will continue, Summa Corp. officials report with attempts to improve crowd appeal in new bookings.

Despite earlier indications the 18month association between Summa and Jim Halsey booking was on the rocks, the decision to continue the series was announced by Walter Kane, 75, entertainment director for the four major Hughes hotel main

"At one time long ago we considered changing the format," says Kane. "But at this time we have no intention of severing relations with the Halsey organization."

According to Kane, the multi-editioned series has been profitable and has never gone in the red, although several packages out of the 22 shows staged in the 550-capacity Jubilee Room have drawn less than half-full

Both Kane and Halsey agreed efforts were being explored to extend booking procedures to a six-month limitation instead of act-by-act signings. The reported last show would have ended the series Aug. 12. The best-drawing shows offered

top name stars such as Johnny Tillotson, the Oak Ridge Boys, Johnny Paycheck, Leroy Van Dyke and Barbara Fairchild, who along with the Oak Ridge Boys have been second billed with Halsey super-artist Roy Clark at nearby Summa property the Frontier Hotel.

Halsey, who operates his agency

Country Music Scores On Isle

NASHVILLE-The Statue of Liberty National Monument Park on Liberty Island in New York har-bor was the scene of an unprece-dented country music concert presented by Eastern States Country Music Inc. on July 24.
Michael J. Molinari, SESAC's

New York metro area marketing representative currently serving as vice president of the organization, arranged the concert with the cooperation of the Dept. of the Interior

and the National Park Service.

Crowds estimated at 1,000 watched performances by the Mickey Barnett Show, a popular North-east attraction, and the Staten Squares, a Staten Island square

dance club.
"This will be the first of many such concerts," notes Molinari, "as the National Park Service was very much impressed with our country music presentation."

out of Oklahoma City, predicts he will work for stronger acts in the future as headliners and attempt to land bigger budgets from Summa for the series.

"We feel country isn't weak in Vegas. Every show has been profitable. We've never lost any money and always been in the black," says

Southern California is seen by Halsey as a country market and feels the bigger name country stars at competitive Strip hotels help rather than hinder his packages, with his acts more crossover oriented.

Kane, who directs entertainment at the Desert Inn and Sands, other Hughes properties, hopes to improve the shows and attendance figures at reasonable rates, but still reports no definite plans have been set regarding a possible country review being booked at the Landmark.

The Landmark charges from \$8.95 minimum to \$14.50 for the 8 p.m. dinner shows while the midnight minimum at two drinks is \$7, much less than higher prices charged to see such Charlie Rich, Johnny Cash and Merle Haggard at other hotels, Kane concludes.

WWVA Will Host A Truckers Party

NASHVILLE—Screen Gems ra-dio station WWVA is hosting its fifth annual Truckers Jamboree in Wheeling, W.Va., Sept. 4.

More than 5,000 fans are expected for the show to be presented on the stage of the Capitol Music Hall, home of the Jamboree.

As a special tribute to the drivers, a Jamboree USA Truck Drivers Award will be presented with entries submitted by WWVA listeners and judged by a special panel. The winning driver will receive a trophy and will be invited along with his family to be guests of the Jamboree during Labor Day weekend.

We've always felt a special affinity for the trucker and we feel our annual Jamboree is one measure of our appreciation," comments Glen Reeves, director of the Janboree. They've always been great country fans, and the emergence of country trucking music has added a vital footnote to the history of the genre."

Country stars will headline the two shows at the Capitol Music Hall.

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For Religious Music, the Time Is Now

uct, increasing popularity of religious music in the secular marketplace, a new cooperation among the various styles of Christian music and an "evangelistic revival" spirit growing in America.

Recent trends have taken the music from its "Old Rugged Cross" base beyond Jesus rock into Jesus disco. Commenting on the vitality and originality now being displayed by one of the world's oldest forms of music, Rick Powell, composer-arranger-producer, predicts. "Gospel music is now at the point of potentiality that country music was 10 years ago."

Powell, who was involved in the infancy of the country music popularity boom, now sees religious mu-sic following the same path. "The exciting combination of talent and commitment will jump us ahead aesthetically of country and pop music," Powell says.

"It will also be tremendously com-mercial and will sell a lot."

Sponsored by the California-based Christian Artists Corp., the unique weeklong conference brought more than 1,000 registrants to an appropriate setting—the YMCA Camp of the Rockies. The gathering merged the views and music of several distinct forms of gospel music: traditional, contemporary Christian, Southern-country gospel, black gospel and Jesus rock

Among the artists and clinicians were Bob Benson of the John T. Benson publishing company; Chuck Bolta and the Jeremiah People; Ralph Carmichael, president of

Lexicon Music and Light Records; Andrae Crouch; Kathie Epstein; Cam Floria, president of Christian Artists Corp.: Walter Hawkins; Billy Ray Hearn; Dino: Honeytree: Paul Johnson, president of Paul Johnson Productions; Kurt Kaiser vice president of Word Records; Lil-lie Knauls; Bob MacKenzie, presi-dent of Paragon Associates; Randy Matthews: Jesse Peterson, president of Tempo Records; Bill Rayborn, vice president of Christian Artists Corp.: Gloria Roe; Hal Spencer, president of Manna Music; Thurlow Spurr, president of Splendor Productions: Paul Stilwell, L.A. director and record producer; Randy Stonehill; Mark and Diane Yasuhara-the Hawaiians recording group; the Imperials: the Rambos; and Jim Black of SESAC.

Six nights of concerts drew up to 5,000 paying customers per night to hear a range of entertainers that spanned from Lillie Knauls, black and traditional, to Randy Matthews, white and unorthodox. The shows were highlighted by a stunning performance by newcomer Larnalla Harris, and standing ovations for several other entertainers including Chuck Bolte and the Jeremiah People, Walter Hawkins, the Hawaijans and the Continental Orches-

An unusual aspect of the concerts was the acceptance of various forms of music by the audiences. Singing lyrics such as "What good is a key if there is no door?" and yelling like a Joe Cocker, Matthews won over the segment of the audience originally turned off by his lively, humorous approach by such comments as, "If you think I'm weird now, you should have seen me before the Lord fixed

Religious music must be flexible. insisted Matthews who noted, "Suddenly it became commercial. With the market came the money. And with the money came problems. What worked yesterday won't work today. What works today probably won't work tomorrow, even if it is commercial."

Commerciality and Christianity is an oil and water combination that finally seems to be mixing. That trend, plus the increasing integration of the various religious music forms into original new directions, portends a strong future for the music.

While Matthews, Bolte and others take a rock approach, the Continental Orchestra takes a symphonic tack. While Larnelle Harris sounds like a soul singer at times, the Rambos sound like Sunday-down-South-gospel and the Hawaiians sound almost operatic. The creative mixture prompted Kurt Kaiser to comment, "I've never been around so much talent in my life.

The concerts balanced a week of intensive seminars hosted by artists and executives, including publisher reading sessions in which various firm's copyrights were exposed by recordings and songbooks to artists, producers and other users of music.

"There's more quality in production now because the public is de-manding finer product," com-mented Hal Spencer. Jim Murray of the Imperials agreed, adding, "Musical tastes have changed-and the (Continued on page 58)



Representatives of six Nashville radio stations talk over the future of the Exit/In with its president Owsley Manier following formation of Nashville Radio which will sponsor and promote a benefit for the financially stressed club. Seated, left to right, are David Lombard, WVOL; Manier; and Mary Catherine Murphy, WSM-AM. Standing, left to right, are Jack Crawford, WKDA-FM; Johnny K, WENO; Mike Hanes, WKDA-AM; Ted Johnson, WSM-AM; and Mark Damon, WMAK-AM.

Exit/In To Receive \$ Help From Radio

NASHVILLE-Local radio is coming to the rescue of Nashville's financially troubled club, the Exit/

Representatives of Nashville radio stations have met to form Nashville Radio which will sponsor and promote a benefit concert for the club that needs at least \$80,000 to continue operating and successfully resolve bankruptcy proceedings.

"We hope to enlist the coopera-tion of every station in this market in sponsoring and promoting this concert," comments Ted Johnson, music director of WSM-AM.

"The Exit/In is providing a lot of great entertainment and exposing a lot of new talent to the people of Nashville," says Jack Crawford, pro-gram director of WKDA-FM. "I hope this effort is successful and we can preserve the club as it now ex-

Nashville Radio includes stations WVOL, WSM-FM, WKDA-AM, WMAK, WLAC AM and FM, WSIX AM and FM, WENO and 92-Q. The formats range from rock to easy listening to country

"We've been profitable for two

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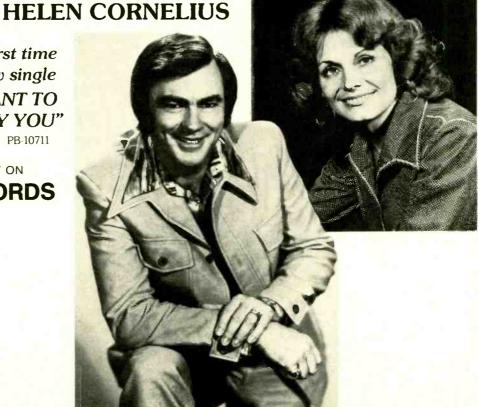
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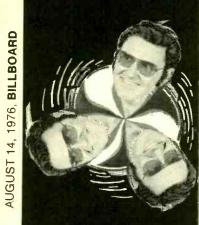
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25	25	10		(D. Fargo), Warner Bros. 8227 (Prima Donna, BMI) IT'S DIFFERENT WITH YOU—Mary Lou Turner (B. Anderson), MCA 40566 (Stallion, BMI)	60	36	11.	THINK SUMMER—Roy Clark (P. Evans, P. Parnes), ABC/Dot 17626 (September, ASCAP)	93	96	2	"A" MY NAME (A. Kasha, J. Hirsc
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29	29	9	1	TRUCK DRIVIN' MAN-Red Steagall (T. Pell), ABC/Dot 17634 (Belinda/Elvis Presley, BMI)	由	74	2	WHISKEY TALKIN'—Joe Stampley		and Gill		CRY - Bobby Wayr (E. Bruce, Jr.), Cha
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JUST YOU 'N' ME—Sammi Smith

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LOVE YOU ALL TO PIECES—Billy Walker (J. Allen, D. Kirby), RCA 10729 (Tree/Joe Alken, BMI) BROTHER SHELTON—Brenda Lee (B. Anthony, B. Morrison), MCA 40584 (B. Anthony, B. Morrison), MCA 405 (Combine, BMI/Music City, ASCAP)

LOVE IS THIN ICE—Barbara Mandrell
(G. Morgan), ABC/Dot 17644 (Pi-Gem/Cumberland,

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Thunderloud & The Chieftones
(H. Woods, J. Campbell, R. Connelly), Polydor 14338
(Robbins, ASCAP)

SAD COUNTRY LOVE SONG—Tom Bresh
(J. Beiand), Farr 009 (Screen Gems-Columbia, BMI) VAYA CON DIOS-Freddy Fender ABC/Dot 17627 (Morley, ASCAP)

THE WAY HE'S TREATED YOU—Nat Stuckey
(G.J. Price), MCA 40568 (Contention, SESAC)

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IABASH CANNONBALL—Charlie McCoy A.P. Carter), Monument 8703 (Columbia/Epic)



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Country

Nashville Scene

By PAT NELSON

Singer/songwriter **Don Williams** has set an all-time record with six LPs among the top positions on British LP charts. Williams leaves Sept. 17 for his second European concert tour this year and will be starring in several European television specials.

A September release date is planned for Linda Hargrove's next Capitol LP. Linda is taking a few weeks off from the road to concentrate on her songwriting and to work with her band for an upcoming fall tour. During a recent gig at Whiskey River Linda was visited by Larry Ballard who was in Dallas promoting his new Capitol single. "Silver Eagle."

David Byrd, vice president of Depot Music Inc., spent the July 24 weekend with WWVA Jamboree's general manager Glen Reeves discussing the possibilities of Depot's aritsts recording at the Jamboree's studio. Little David Wilkins and Crystal Gale were also there headlining the Jamboree Saturday night show.

Moe Lytle, Gusto Records president, recently presented Red Sovine with a Billboard Hot Country Singles plaque showing "Teddy Bear" in the No. 1 position. Sovine held the top spot on Billboard's chart for three weeks. Included in Sovine's busy schedule was a July 27 taping of the "Mike Douglas Show."

KLAC, country music radio in Los Angeles, will do its third remote broadcast from the 49th Los Angeles County Fair in Pomona, Sept. 17-Oct. 3. Art Nelson will be among the air personalities broadcasting from a special KLAC outdoor booth. . . . Faron Young was the grand marshal of the Nashville 420 Winston Cup Grand National Race at the Nashville Speedway July 17. . . . Mike Hoyer joined KFGO radio in Fargo, N.D., as nighttime deejay Aug. 2.

Donna Fargo made a promotional swing through Chicago July 22:23 plugging her new Warner Bros. single "I've Loved You All The Way" and appeared on the "Phil Donahue Show" while there. Then it was on to the Heart of Illniois Fair in Peoria July 24 where she performed before 25,000 fans along with Mickey Gilley and T.G. Sheppard. Fargo also appeared at the Center Stage in Milwaukee, Aug. 6-7.

Kelly Warren has finished her new LP for Little Richie Records at Woodland Sound Studios with Little Richie Johnson producing. National promotion on the LP will be handled by Johnson's Agency. . . . Tom Bresh appeared at the Fontainebleau Hotel in Miami July 30 where he received the Sullivan-Considine Award from the Fraternal Order of Eagles. The award is given each year to the entertainer whose lifestyle of deeds and actions best exemplify the highest order of humanitarianism. Bresh then went to Montgomery, Ala., where he performed on a CB show hosted by Hank Williams Jr., July 31-Aug. 1.

Ron Peterson, president of the Nashville Songwriters Assn., International, presented the organizers of Super Songwriters Night with appreciation certificates recently. The special benefit event was held June 22 at George Jones' Possum Holler club in Nashville for the association's work toward copyright revision and other projects for the benefit of all songwriters.

Tammy Wynette, Loretta Lynn, Roy Acuff, Barbara Mandrell, and Ronnie Milsap are among the August talent lineup performing on the "Opry Guest Star Show," a new feature of Opryland. Shows will be held Monday through Thursday at 1 and 2:30 p.m. at the Grand Ole Opry House during the entire season.

The Time Is Now

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public has been educated to like, and demand, better music.

Stilwell noted the arrival of gospel disco songs. "There's a lot of big band stuff coming, too." He also pointed to strong marketing ventures including religious music labels "going into Penney's, Sears and other secular outlets."

Several of the label and publishing company executives cited the youth of the performers—and the audience—as additional favorable factors which will influence the future of religious oriented music.

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This Week	Last Week	Weeks on Chart	TITLE—Artist, Label & Number (Distributing Label)
1	2	5	ARE YOUR READY FOR THE COUNTRY-Waylon Jennings, RCA APLI-1816
2	1	7	UNITED TALENT-Loretta Lynn & Conway Twitty, MCA 2209
由	5	4	TEDDY BEAR-Red Sovine, Starday SD 968 (Gusto)
4	3	11	20-20 VISION-Ronnie Milsap, RCA APL1-1666
5	4	10	FROM ELVIS PRESLEY BOULEVARD, MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, RCA APLI-150
6	6	15	HARMONY-Don Williams, ABC/Dot DOSD 2049
7	8	8	WHAT I'VE GOT IN MIND-Billie Jo Spears, United Artists UA-LA608-G
8	7	10	ONE PIECE AT A TIME—Johnny Cash & The Tennessee Three, Columbia KC 34193
9	10	12	SADDLE TRAMP-Charlie Daniels Band, Epic PE 34150 (Columbia)
10	11	6	THE BEST OF JOHNNY DUNCAN, Columbia KC 34243
11.	13	6	CHARLIE RICH'S GREATEST HITS, Epic PE 34240 (Columbia)
12	9	10	NOW AND THEN-Conway Twitty, MCA 2206
13	15	7	HANK WILLIAMS SR. LIVE AT THE GRAND OLE OPRY-MGM MG-1-5019 (Polydor)
	20	28	WANTED: The Outlaws—Waylon Jennings, Willie Nelson, Jessi Colter, Tompall Glaser, RCA APL1-1321
日本	19	4	ALL THESE THINGS—Joe Stampley, ABC/Dot DOSD 2059
16	22	4	ROY CLARK IN CONCERT, ABC/Dot DOSD 2054
17	17	22	THE SOUND IN YOUR MIND—Willie Nelson, Lone Star KC 34092 (Columbia)
18	18	6	THE WINNER AND OTHER LOSERS—Bobby Bare, RCA APLI-1786
19	21	9	ROCKY MOUNTAIN MUSIC-Eddie Rabbitt, Elektra 7E-1065
20	28	2	DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH-Jessi Colter, Capitol ST 11543
1	30	2	MY LOVE AFFAIR WITH TRAINS—Merle Haggard, Capitol ST 11544
2	12	29	ELITE HOTEL-Emmylou Harris, Reprise 2236 (Warner Bros.)
23	14	7	LOVE REVIVAL-Mel Tillis, MCA 2204
4	16	18	GILLEY'S GREATEST HITS-Vol. 1, Mickey Gilley, Playboy PB 409
5	27	7	LONG HARD RIDE-Marshall Tucker Band, Capricorn CP 0170 (Warner Bros.)
6	24	11	BECAUSE YOU BELIEVED IN ME—Gene Watson, Capitol ST 11529
7	29	3	LONE STAR BEER AND BOB WILLS MUSIC—Red Steagall, ABC/Dot DOSD 2055
8	31	7	IT'S A GOOD NIGHT FOR SINGING—Jerry Jeff Walker, MCA 2202
9	23	16	BLOODLINE-Glen Campbell, Capitol ST 11516
1	38	2	WHEELIN' AND DEALIN'-Asleep At The Wheel, Capitol ST 11546
1	26	14	LIVE-Willie Nelson, RCA APL1-1487
2	25	10	TOO STUFFED TO JUMP-Amazing Rhythm Aces, ABC ABCD 940
3	32	37	SOMEBODY LOVES YOU-Crystal Gayle, United Artists UA-LA 543-G
4	35	23	CHESTER & LESTER-Chet Atkins & Les Paul, RCA APLI-1167
5	34	23	IT'S ALL IN THE MOVIES-Merle Haggard, Capitol ST 11483
6	NEW ENT	RY	SURREAL THING-Kris Kristofferson, Monument PZ 34254 (Cotumbia/Epic)
37	39	3	LOVE LIFTED ME-Kenny Rogers, United Artists UA-LA607-G
8	36	8	MOTELS & MEMORIES-T.G. Shepard, Hitsville ME6-403 S1 (Motown)
9	41	4	BUCK 'EM-Buck Owens, Warner Bros. BS 2952
10	40	13	MEL STREET'S GREATEST HITS, GRT 8010
1	44	3	SONG BIRD-Margo Smith, Warner Bros. BS 2955
2	NEW ENTI		FOURTEEN GREATEST HITS—Hank Williams Jr., MGM MG-1-5020 (Polydor)
3	NEW ENTI	7	THE BEST OF MEL TILLIS, MGM MG-1-5021 (Polydor)
4	49	4	RAGIN' CAJUN-Doug Kershaw, Warner Bros. BS 2910
5	50	10	A LITTLE BIT MORE—Dr. Hook, Capitol ST 11522
6	MEW ENT	7	DOC AND THE BOYS—Doc Watson, United Artists UA-LA-601-G
7	47	2	REMEMBERING THE GREATEST HITS OF BOB WILLS—Columbia KC 34108
8	48	9	THIS IS BARBARA MANDRELL, ABC/Dot DOSD 2045
9	46	6	THE AMBASSADOR OF GOODWILL-Jerry Clower, MCA 2205
0	42	18	GREATEST HITS—Johnny Rodriguez, Mercury SRM-1-1078 (Phonogram)

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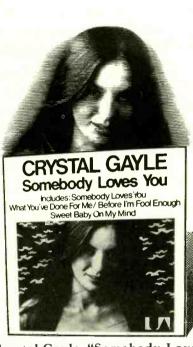
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nedy, Doorknob Records, Nashville, treasurer.

Membership initiation fees have been set at \$100 with annual dues of

\$25. Approximately 50 labels were represented at the initial meeting—and the next meeting is set for Friday (20) at the Musicians' Union hall.

The Tower Is Hot!



Crystal Gayle. "Somebody Loves You" (UALA 543-G) Featuring the latest Crystal Gayle hit, "I'll Get Over You" (UAXW 781-Y)



What I've Got In Mind Includes Sing Me An Old Fashioned Song What I've Got In Mind / Misty Blue Do Right Woman, Do Right Man



Billie Jo Spears. "What I've Got In Mind" (UALA 608-G) Featuring another in the succession of Billie Jo Spears' hits, "Misty Blue" (UAXW 813-Y)



ED BRUCE Includes Mammas Don't Let Your Babies Grow Up To Be Cowboys Sleep All Mornin'/Streets Of Laredo The Littlest Cowboy Rides Again



Ed Bruce. (UALA 613-G) A great album spearheaded by the great Ed Bruce hit single, "Sleep All Morning." (UAXW 811-Y)



JEAN SHEPARD Mercy, Ain't Love Good



Jean Shepard. "Mercy, Ain't Love Good" (UALA 609-G) The great voice of Jean Shepard put the title song on the singles charts. "Ain't Love Good." (UAXW 818-Y)



KENNY ROGERS Love Lifted Me Includes: Home-Made Love Love Lifted Me/You Gotta Be Tired



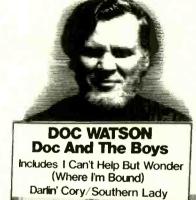
Kenny Rogers. "Love Lifted Me" (UALA 607-G) The name. The voice. The face. Kenny Rogers with another country smash, "While The Feeling's Good." (UAXW 812-Y)



BOBBY GOLDSBORO A Butterfly For Bucky Including: A Butterfly For Bucky I Wrote A Song [Sing Along] Best To Be Free/Chippin' Away Cuddle Up



Bobby Goldsboro."A Butterfly For Bucky" (UALA 639-G) Another big Bobby Goldsboro album, "A Butterfly For Bucky," (UAXW 793-Y) turned into a top 20 smash single.



Doc Watson. "Doc And The Boys" (UALA 601-G) The legendary Doc Watson with a new album featuring a classic rendition of "I Can't Help But Wonder Where I'm Bound." (UAXW

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CHART TOPPER A New Pinnacle Achieved By Don Williams, Ex-Pop Singer

By GERRY WOOD

NASHVILLE—Hitting the top spot on Billboard's Hot Country Singles chart this week with "Say It Again" and enjoying unprecedented success in England with six LPs, Don Williams has reached a new pinnacle in a career that has taken him from pop to country.

Amid all his success, Williams

Amid all his success, Williams plans some changes in his career; mainly less time on the road and more time writing.

"The road work is eating me alive," Williams claims. "I want to get things squared away to where I

can feel good about writing, recording and performing. That's a tough nut to crack because it constantly keeps getting out of proportion."

Williams, who writes most of his own material, notes he recently went three months without writing a song. When he goes that long without writing, he admits, "I just start getting out of sorts. I don't write because I want to. I have to."

Williams backed into country music after enjoying mixed success in pop music. He founded the Pozo Seco Singers which hit with "Time"

and "I Can Make It With You." When the group disbanded, Williams repaired to his Texas home, but later returned to Nashville to join the creative talent bank that Jack Clement was assembling at his JMI Records.

"I've never seen anything like the creative force at JMI, and I probably never will again. The creative energy and effectiveness so far outran the administrative ability that it started coming down around our ears." Suddenly the Clement creative combine collapsed, sending Clement, Williams, Bob McDill, Wayland Holyfield, Chuck Neese, Dickey Lee and Allen Reynolds in different, though upward, directions.

Two Williams LPs surfaced during that time, he learned production and mixing, and his writing skills improved. "I wrote more then than I have at any other time in my life. I had the time and the encouragement. It was like a family."

Though he produces himself, Williams is aware of the dangers of self-production. "You have to be careful to keep your perspective and to be objective about it. I have ways to test myself with the material. Whether I write a song or somebody else does, it either says it honestly and straightforeward or it doesn't. I like the music to say the same thing the song is saying."

Williams songs have also been recorded by Sonny James, Johnny Cash, Lefty Frizzell and Lobo. He figures he has written more than 500 songs. He has also appeared in the movie "W.W. & The Dixie Dance Kings" with Burt Reynolds and admits he'd like to do another movie if the role was right.

Though both ABC/Dot and the Jim Halsey Agency would like to see the pop-turned-country star adjust his trend back into the country-turned-pop crossover direction, Williams wouldn't want to consciously seek pop success if it effected "the kinds of songs I do and the production when I go into the studio."

He philosophizes, "If it's going to happen, it'll happen. If it doesn't happen, that's all right, too. I can't go in and try to contrive something

Don Williams: "I don't write because I want to. I have to."

that might get me a little better shot at the pop market."

The ABC/Dot artist leaves for his second European concert tour Sept. 17, playing London. Oxford, Liverpool, Southampton and other cities in England and other nations. Before returning to the U.S. Oct. 9. he'll star in several European tv specials.

He feels the future of country music is unlimited but he voices a warning about trends in country music: "I hope country doesn't lose a lot of things that have made it what it is. It has lost some already, primarily with country radio.

"I hate to see country music get on a format like Top 40 because one of the beautiful things about country music has been that the fans are still there whether you have a top 10 record or not.

"They don't leave you just because you don't have a top 10. Some stations have tightened up to 20. It's great for the artists that are popping, but it's unfair to the average country listener who wants to hear more than 20 records over and over."

Radio Aids

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years now," explains Owsley Manier, president and co-owner of the Exit/In. "But our profit margin is not enough to eliminate the debts incurred in our early years."

The 225-seat club showcases more than 300 artists per year, from country music to jazz and blues.

NATRA's Antigua Meet

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blacks in management discipline, because in an all-white culture, you must answer to others. Usually, with black-owned stations you tend to have more freedom to make decisions and you need to be prepared for this." said Bronson.

It was also brought out that most general managers come from sales departments, while Boulding charged that the biggest void in the radio industry is blacks in sales.

In keeping with the educational program, Lynn Noel of KERO-TV in California attended the conference on behalf of the McGraw-Hill tv stations to recruit and train personalities for different positions in tv. She noted that her stations are concerned about the lack of blacks in tv.

Another area of concern for blacks dealt with crossover records. Although it was acknowledged that labels strive to have their product cross into the pop market, a member of the audience during the "Crossover" music session suggested that the major problem lies in the promotion area. The entire body seemed to feel that a balance could be achieved

on both the radio and label levels if pop stations were more receptive to black promotion persons.

On the other hand, Neil McIntyre, program director and general manager of WPIX-FM, New York, who co-chaired the session with David Lampel, news director of WLIB/WBLS, felt that the black promotion representative has a legitimate argument. Dealing with crossover product on the radio level, black stations may be unable to maintain their identities because many pop stations are playing an abundance of black product, McIntyre said.

"If black radio had a great concern to be different in the market, it would get back into the community. It's now difficult for any station to obtain an identity. The music is so close, people often don't know which station they are listening to." said McIntyre.

Offering statistics, Lampel noted that the black audience is no longer loyal to the black station. "Nearly 45% of the black community is still loyal to black radio. In the past, black stations could look for approximately 75% or more from the community."

Jukebox Programming

Singleton Labels Push Solid Promo At the Jukeboxes

By ALAN PENCHANSKY

CHICAGO—"Eighty percent of your country singles are sold to juke-box operators," Tom McConnell, national promotion director for the Shelby Singleton Corp. points out, explaining why his firm regularly services more than 750 operators with sample releases on its Sun, Plantation and SSS labels.

"If you don't sell to operators, you don't sell records," McConnell continues. "The best way to get to operators is to send a sample."

McConnell says operators receive about 80% of all singles released by the Singleton Corp., with 10 title strips included for each 45. "If the operator wants to go on a record, he knows the title strips will be available, without delay," McConnell says.

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He says on average operators are mailed about two dozen sample singles per year.

With each mailing McConnell includes a survey card, asking who supplies the operator and soliciting remarks about the included singles.

These comments, McConnell says, have proven their value. He explains how they prevented him from "losing" a Webb Pierce record, "Appleton," backed with "That's Me Without You."

"We went with 'Appleton' as the single. I was getting airplay on it but the stations weren't getting any requests. Then the operators began telling us their meters were registering play on the flip side, which has the old Webb Pierce sound."

McConnell says they flipped the record and radio request response began. "But I would have completely lost that record," he explains. "I was beginning to go with a new record."

"You have to build up a line of communication with the operator," McConnell says.

McConnell says.

"You can't depend on distributors to get records played. They're in there with 500 different labels."

Operators also react independently of radio stations, McConnell believes. "If they hear it and like it, they'll buy it whether it's getting airplay or not."

Fla. Conclave: Waive Reg Fee

MIAMI BEACH—No registration fee will be levied at the Florida Amusement Merchandising Assn.'s annual convention and trade show that gets underway here Sept. 16, according to Bob Rhinehart, executive secretary for the association.

Rhinehart explains that a \$35 fee assessed last year has been deferred by the large number of exhibitors who are attending.

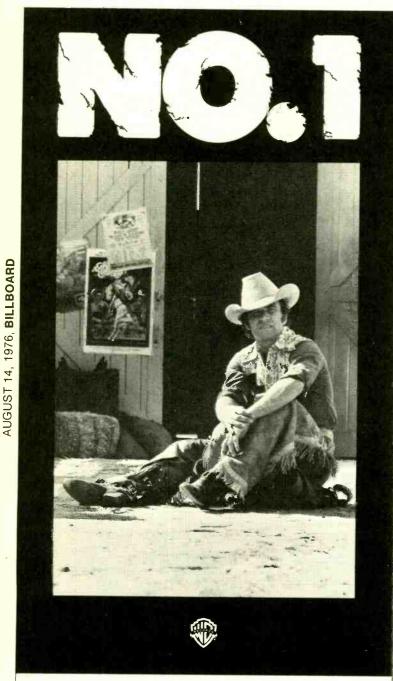
who are attending.

Slated for the Deauville Motel, the convention in keyed this year to a bicentennial theme.

"Our show is for a lot of the people who don't get up to Chicago for the big MOA convention." says Rhinehart.

A Cooper Salute

LOS ANGELES—"The Midnight Special" featured a two-part salute to Alice Cooper Aug. 6. The tribute traced Alice's career from "I'm Eighteen" through "Billion Dollar Babies" to his current Warner Bros. LP, "Alice Cooper Goes To Hell."



Six-time National All-Around Rodeo Champion **Larry Mahan** is busting out of Chute #1 over at Warner Bros. with his hard-riding first album, **King of the Rodeo**. Produced by Snuff Garrett and Steve Dorff, it includes Larry's first single, "Stunt Man" b/w "Larry's Salty Dog Blues" (WBS 8254).

Stand back and listen up!

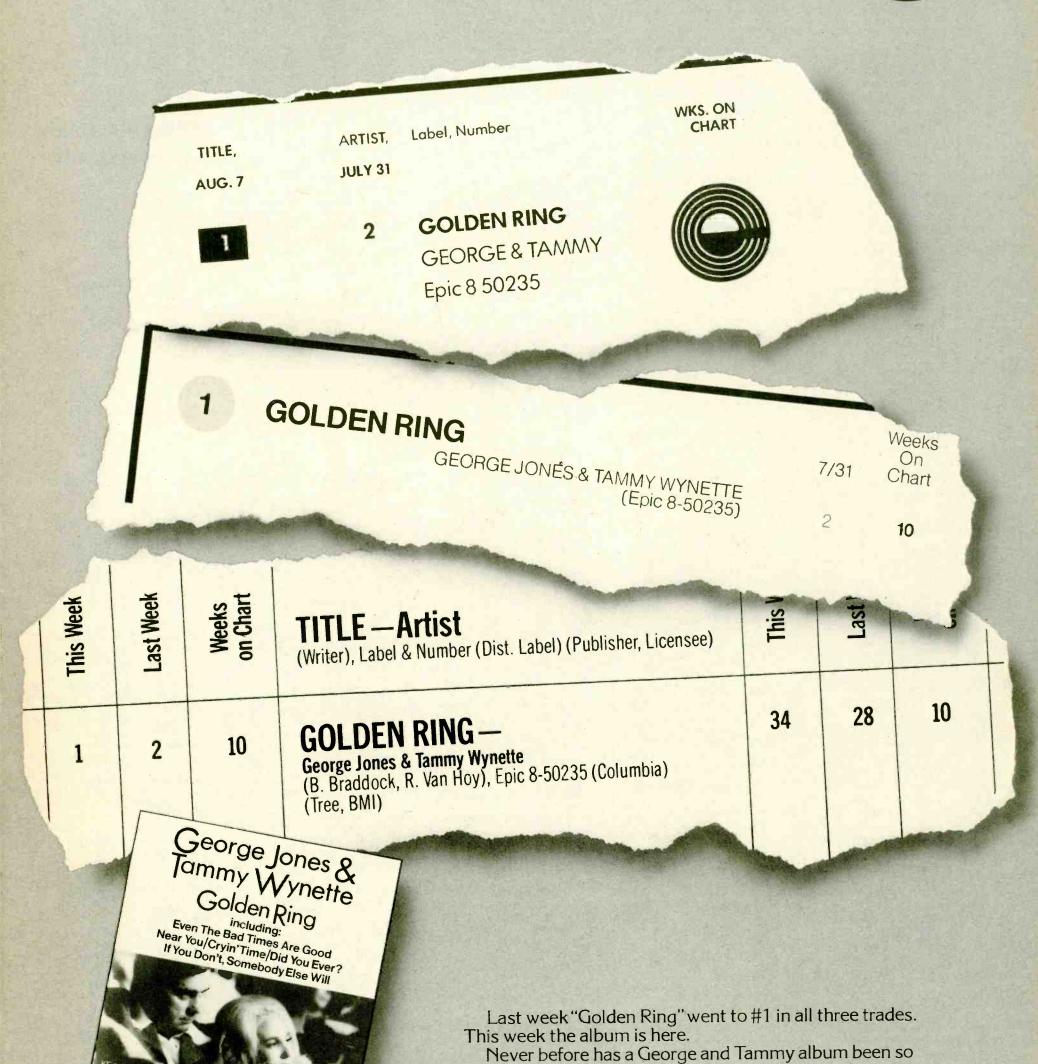




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1	1	DON'T GO BREAKING MY HEART-
		*Elton John/Kiki Dee (Rocket)-
		Big Pig (Gus Dudgeon)

- A LITTLE BIT MORE-Dr. Hook (Capitol)—Sunbury (Ron Haffkine/Waylon Jennings)
- JEANS ON-*David Dundas (Air)-THE ROUSSOS PHENOMENON-
- Demis Roussos (Philips)—MAM/ Britico (Demis Roussos)
- MISTY BLUE—Dorothy Moore (Contempo)—Intersong (Tom Couch/James Stroud) HEAVEN MUST BE MISSING AN
- ANGEL—Tavares (Capitol)—Heath Levy (Freddie Perren) KISS AND SAY GOODBYE— Manhattans (CBS)—April (Manhattans)
- NOW IS THE TIME—Jimmy James & The Vagabonds (Pye)—Subiddu/Chappells (Biddu)
- YOUNG HEARTS RUN FREE-Candi
- Bros. (Dave Crawford)
 HARVEST FOR THE WORLD—Isley
- Bros. (Epic)—Carlin (Isley Bros.) IN ZAIRE—*Johnny Wakelin (Pye)— Francis Day & Hunter (S. Elson/ 11
- K. Rossiter)
 DR. KISS KISS-5000 Volts (Philips)—Hensley/Intersong

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- (Philips)—Hensiey/Intersong (Tony Eyres) IT ONLY TAKES A MINUTE—°100 TON and a FEATHER (Jonathan King) (UK)—Anchor (J.K.) YOU ARE MY LOVE—°Liverpool
- 11 Express (Warner Bros.)-Warner Bros./Moggie (Hal Carter/Peter Swettenham) MYSTERY SONG—Status Quo
- 15 18 (Vertigo)—Shawbury (Status Quo) YOU'RE MY BEST FRIEND—*Queen (EMI)—B. Feldman (Roy Thomas 16 10
 - Baker/Queen)
 THE BOSTON TEA PARTY—
 "Sensational Alex Harvey Band
 (Mountain)—[ger/Panache (David
 Batchelox)
 - MAN TO MAN-*Hot Chocolate
 - MAN 10 MAN—"Hot Chocolate (RAK)—Chocolate/RAK (Mickie Most) LOVE ON DELIVERY—Billy Ocean (GTO)—Black Sheep/Heath Levy (Res Ender)
 - LOVE ON DELIVERY—Billy Ocean (GTO)—Black Sheep/Heath Levy (Ben Findon)
 YOU SHOULD BE DANCING—*Bee Gees (RSO)—Abigail (Bee Gees)
 BACK IN THE USSR—*Beatles (Parlophone)—Northern (George Martin)
 (Shake Shake Shake) SHAKE YOUR
 BOOTY—K.C. & The Sunshine
 Band (Jayboy)—Sunbury (K.C./Finch)
- 22 27
- WHAT I'VE GOT IN MIND-Billie Joe 23
- HERE COMES THE SUN-Steve Harrisongs (Steve Harley)
 LET'S STICK TOGETHER—*Bryan 25
- Ferry (Island)—United Artists (C. Thomas/B. Ferry)
 I LOVE TO BOOGIE—*T. Rex (EMI)—
- 26
- Wizard (Marc Bolan)

 NO CHARGE (NO CHANCE)— Billy
 Connolly (Polydor)—London Tree
 (Phil Coulter)

 LET 'EM IN— Wings (Parlophone)—
 McCartney/ATV (P. McCartney)

 I RECALL A GYPSY WOMAN—Don
 Williams (ABC)—Nems (Allen
 Reveolds (Don Williams) 27
- 29
- YOU TO ME ARE EVERYTHING-30 Real Thing (Pye)—Screen Gems
- (Ken Gold)
 A FIFTH OF BEETHOVEN—Walter 31
- YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO-Chi-Lites 32
- (Brunswick)—Burlington (Eugene Record) GOOD VIBRATIONS—Beach Boys 33 33
- (Capitol)—Rondor (Beach Boys) YOU'LL NEVER FIND ANOTHER
- LOVE LIKE MINE—Lou Rawls (Philadelphia)—Gamble-Huff/Car-lin (Gamble/Huff) LEADER OF THE PACK—Shangri Las
- Mellin (Redbird)
 ONE PIECE AT A TIME—Johnny Cash/Tennessee Three (CBS)— London Tree (Charlie Bragg/Don Davis) (W. Kemp) I THOUGHT IT TOOK A LITTLE
- TIME—Diana Ross (Tamla Motown)—Jobete London (Michael
- ME AND BABY BROTHER-War (Island)—Carlin (Jerry Goldstein) YOU JUST MIGHT SEE ME CRY—
- *Our Kid (Polydor)—B. Mason/ Cookaway (Tony Sellers) EXTENDED PLAY—*Bryan Ferry (Island)—Various (Chris Thomas/
- Bryan Ferry)
 IT'S TEMPTATION—Sheer Elegance
 (Pye)—Grade/Lynton/ATV (P.
- Grade/P. Lynton)
 BETTER USE YOUR HEAD—Little

Artists)—Chappell/Morris (T.

4 GIRLS, GIRLS, GIRLS-Sailor (Epic)-

5 SCHMIDTCHEN SCHLEICHER—Nico Haak

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(Philips)—Hanseatic/Intersong
6 GEORGIE—Pussycat (EMI)—Roba Music
7 EIN BETT IM KORNFELD—"Juergen Drews
(Warner)—Global
8 MY LITTLE WORLD—Waterloo & Robinson
(Metronome)—Schmolzi & Siezak
9 RIVER LADY (A Little Goodbye)—Roger
Whittaker (Aves/Metronome)—Slezak
10 SAVE YOUR KISSES FOR ME—Brotherhood
Of Man (Pve/Ariola)—Arends

Of Man (Pye/Ariola)—Arends
LIEDER DER NACHT—*Marianne
Rosenberg (Philips)—Radio Tele/Intro
MUSIC—John Miles (Decca/AEG

Telefunken)—Melodie Der Welt

13 LOVE ME LIKE A LOVER—Tina Charles

(CBS)—Finger Musik

14 ABER BITTE MIT SAHNE—*Udo Juergens

(Ariola)—Montana MISSISSIPPI—Pussycat (EMI)—Roba Music

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PANAMAN STORY—*Momoe Yamaguchi (CBS/Sony)—Tokyo
AKAI HIGH-HEEL—*Hiromi Ohta (CBS/Sony)—Watanabe
BEAUTIFUL SUNDAY—Daniel Boone (Disco)—Toshiba
GANPEKI NO HAHA—*Yuriko Futaba (King)—Teichiku
YAMAGUCHI-SAN CHI NO TSUTOMU-KUN—*Kozue Saito (Philips)—Zero
SOUL DRACULA—Hot Blood (Overseas)—Shinko

WAKATTEKUDASAI—*Akira Inaba (Disco)—

Yamaha KIRAMEK!—*Goro Noguchi (Polydor)—Fuji,

NP
KITANO YADOKARA— "Harumi Miyako
(Columbia)—Columbia
KOIBITO SHIKEN— "Chieko Matsumoto
(Canyon)—NET, PMP
YAMAGUCHI-SAN CHI NO TSUTOMUKUN— "Hiroshi Kawahashi (Columbia
Zero

Zero
BEAUTIFUL SUNDAY—*Seiji Tanaka

(Victor)—Toshiba SEXY BUS STOP—*Yuko Asano (RCA)—

Nichion
NATSUNI GOYOUJIN—*Junko Sakurada

(Columbia)—Kitty, NTV

SASAYAKA NA KONO JINSEI—*Kaze
(Crown)—CMP, PMP

JAGUAR—*Hideki Saijo (RCA)—Geiei
WAKARE—*Akira Inaba (Disco)—Yamaha
HARU URARA—*Masamitsu Tayama

(Victor)—Sun BONGAERI—*Masatoshi Nakamura

(Canyon)—Nichion
20 MEZAMETA TOKINIWA HARETEITA—

AMIGOS—Santana (CBS—MM)
DESIRE—Bob Dylan (CBS—MM)
A LOVE TRILOGY—Donna Summ

ITALY

(Courtesy Germano Ruscitto) As Of 7/27/76

(Durium)
4 LA BATTERIA, IL CONTRABBASSO—Lucio

Battisti (Numero Uno-RCA)
5 BUFFALO BILL-Francesco De Gregori

(RCA)
6 LA TORRE DI BABELE—Edoardo Bennato

(Ricordi)
SILVER CONVENTION—Silver Convention

(Durium) XXIIa RACCOLTA—Fausta Papetti (Durium) VIA PAOLO FABBRI no.43—Francesco

Guccini (EMI)
LA VOGLIA, LA PAZZIA . . . —Ornella Vanoni
(Vanilla—Fonit/Cetra)

XXIa RACCOLTA—Fausto Papetti (Durium)

11 MAHOGANY — Diana Ross (Tamla Motown—Rifi) 13 LET THE MUSIC PLAY—Barry White

(Phonogram)

14 ARIA PULITA—Luciano Rossi (Ariston—

BRAZIL

(Courtesy IBOPE-Rio de Janeiro) As Of 7/17/76 SINGLES

SHE'S MY GIRL-Morris Albert (Beverly)

LOVE HURTS—Nazareth (Philips)
THEME FROM MAHQGANY—Diana Ross

(Top Tape)
ALL BY MYSELF—Eric Carmen (Odeon)

TU TEN VAS—Alain Barriere (RCA)
MISTURA DE CARIMBO #2—Eliana

Pittman (RCA)
PAVAO MYSTERIOZO—Ednardo (RCA)
MORE, MORE, MORE—Andrea True

Connection (Tapecar)
CRY TO ME—Loleata Holloway (Tapecare)
HAPPY DAYS—Montezuma (Odeon)

LP's (Courtesy IBOPE-Sao Paulo)

ANJO MAU INTERNACIONAL-Trilha

Sonora (Som Livre)
FALSO BRILHANTE—Elis Regina (Philips)

MOCA CRIANCA—Agepe (Continental) 20 SUPER HITS—Various (Polydor) TOMMY—Trilha Sonora (Philips)

Ricordi) 15 ABBA—Abba (Dig-it—MM)

- 16 BARS—Stylistics (H&L)—Cyril 44
- Shane (Hugo/Luigi)
 SOUL SEARCHIN' TIME—Trammps
 (Atlantic)—Anchor
 AT THE HOP—Danny & The Juniors
 (ABC)—Yale (Danny & The
 Juniors)
- (ABC)—Yale (Danny & The Juniors)
 MORNING GLORY—James & Bobby Purify (Mercury)—EMI (Papadon)
 AFTERNOON DELIGHT—Starland
 Vocal Band (RCA)—Winter Hill
 (Milton Okun)
 SIDE SHOW—*Chanter Sisters
 (Polydor)—Cookaway/Cauliflower
 (Roger Cook/Greg Jackman)
 COMBINE HARVESTER—*Wurzels
 (EMI)—Keith Prowse (Bob Barrett)

- Barrett)
 NICE AND SLOW—Jessie Green
 (EMI)—Redbus Int Ltd. (Ken
 Gibson/Dave Hawman)

- 1 1 20 GOLDEN GREATS-The Beach Boys (EMI)
 LAUGHTER AND TEARS—Neil
- 2 Sedaka (Polydor)
 FOREVER & EVER—Demis Roussos
- (Philips)
 PASSPORT—Nana Mouskouri
- (Philips)
 CHANGESONEBOWIE—David Bowie
- (RCA)
 GREATEST HITS—Abba (Epic)
 A NIGHT ON THE TOWN—Rod
 Stewart (Riva)
 A LITTLE BIT MORE—Dr. Hook
- (Capitol)
 VIVA ROXY MUSIC (LIVE(—Roxy Music (Island)
 HAPPY TO BE—Demis Roussos (Philips) 13 12 10
- (Philips)
 KIND OF HUSH—Carpenters
 (A&M) 11
- (A&M)
 SAHB STORIES—Sensational Alex
 Harvey Band (Mountain)
 OLIAS OF SUNHILLOW—Jon
 Anderson (Atlantic)
 LIVE IN LONDON—John Denver
 (RCA)
 WINGS AT THE SPEED OF SOUND
 (Parlophone)
 BEAUTIFUL NOISE—Neil Diamond
 (CBS) 21 12 13
- 14 14
- 15
- (CBS)
 COMBINE HARVESTER—Wurzels
- (One Up)
 THE BEST OF GLADYS KNIGHT & 18
- THE PIPS (Buddah)
 GREATEST HITS—Eagles (Asylum)
 JAIL BREAK—Thin Lizzy (Vertigo)
 FRAMPTON COMES ALIVE—Peter
 Frampton (A&M)
 ROCK 'N ROLL MUSIC—Beatles 19 18 16
- 20 21 22 17
- (Parlophone)
 A NIGHT AT THE OPERA—Queen 23
- (EMI) SIMON & GARFUNKEL'S GREATEST
- HITS (CBS)
 THE DARK SIDE OF THE MOON—
 Pink Floyd (Harvest)
 SOUVENIRS Demis Roussos
- (Philips)
 DIANA ROSS (Tamla Motown)
 ALICE COOPER GOES TO HELL
 (Warner Bros.)
 BLUE FOR YOU—Status Quo

- 34 35 33
- BLUE FOR YOU—Status Quo
 (Vertigo)
 DESIRE —Bob Dylan (CBS)
 KING COTTON—Fivepenny Piece
 (EMI)
 MAN TO MAN—Hot Chocolate (RAK)
 RAINBOW RISING—Ritchie
 Blackmore (Polydor)
 INSTRUMENTAL GOLD—Various
 Artists (Warwick)
 A TRICK OF THE TAIL—Genesis
 (Charisma)
 15 BIG ONES—Beach Boys (Reprise)
 BREAKAWAY—Gallagher & Lyle
 (A&M) 36 37
- (A&M)

 O OLD TO ROCK 'N ROLL, TOO

 YOUNG TO DIE—Jethro Tull
 (Chrysalis)

 ROLLED GOLD—Rolling Stones
- (Decca)
 TUBULAR BELLS—Mike Oldfield 40 31
- (Virgin)
 ATLANTIC CROSSING—Rod Stewart 41 48 (Warner Bros.)
 MY ONLY FASCINATION—Demis
 Roussos (Philips)
 WISH YOU WERE HERE—Pink Floyd 42 39
- 43 46
- (Harvest)
 THE BEST OF JOHN DENVER (RCA)
 HOW DARE YOU—10C.C. (Mercury)
 I'M NEARLY FAMOUS—Cliff Richard
- THE BEATLES 1967-1970 47
- (Parlophone)
 ONE MAN SHOW—Mike Harding 48 (Philips)
 BAND ON THE RUN—Paul 49
 - McCartney & Wings (Parlophone)
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- (Warner)—Global
 2 DIE KLEINE KNEIPE—*Peter Alexander
- (Ariola)—Vabo/Melodie der Welt 3 FERNANDO—ABBA (Polydor)—Union/ Oktave/SMV

Canada

CHALLENGE EXPECTED

FMer Told To Drop **French Broadcasts**

MONTREAL-Radio station CHOM-FM, one of the most listened to FM stations in Canada and a station that broadcasts in both French and English, has been told by the Canadian Radio and Television Commission to drop all French content from its programming. The station will fight the order

The station came under pressure at a recent CRTC hearing from French stations in the Montreal market who felt that CHOM should be serving only the English-speaking market in Montreal.

Montreal is a bilingual city and CHOM has built its listening audience by using announcers that are bilingual and by running with a format that is progressive rock oriented and very popular with both the young English-speaking and French-speaking listeners. The station's listening audience is now predominantly French-Canadian.

The station's general manager Leslie Sole says that CHOM is now consulting with its lawyers and has every intention of fighting the CRTC edict. If the station wins, it would virtually remove the power of the CRTC to influence any programming policies of radio stations in Canada

Doug Pringle, one of the founders of CHOM who recently left to become more actively involved in his own syndication company, feels that if CHOM were to drop its bilingual policy, not only would the station suffer but also the public.

"CHOM has always captured the true spirit of Montreal. If you walk down the streets of this city you hear two languages, French and English. The station is one of the most listened to FM stations in Canada, so it obviously has the mandate of the public."

BMI Of Canada Gains Autonomy

TORONTO-BMI Canada Limited is now a totally autonomous Canadian-owned operation run by a nonprofit organization. The company was formerly a subsidiary of Broadcast Music Inc. of the U.S.

The shares of the company were recently acquired by the Music Promotion Foundation, a nonprofit organization with Canadian directors set up to hold shares for BMIC.

The new board of directors is comprised of Harold Moon, chair-man; Gordon F. Henderson, president: S. Campbell Ritchie, vice president and managing director, and Glyn Smallwood, secretary. Four more members will be

elected to the board in the Fall when BMIC holds its first official board meeting.

From The Music Capitals Of The World

TORONTO

Larry Evoy, formerly the leader of Edward Bear, has signed to Attic Records. Evoy's first release, to be produced by Hagood Hardy, is set for the Fall. . . . Trixter lead vocalist Lydia Taylor's single "Love A Little Harder" was produced by Willi Morrison and Ian Guenther of Three Hats Productions the company responsible for THP Orchestra's "Theme From SWAT."

The New Chamber Orchestra has announced a series of concerts to be held by the ensemble in Toronto parks this summer. The orchestra has also confirmed that its 1976/77 subscription series will feature such classical artists as Liona Boyd, John Avison, William Aide and Barry Tuckwell, among others. . . . The Irish Rovers, who are now in the middle of a cross-Canada tour, have added another member. His name is Bob O'Donovan and he's a fiddler. He was formerly a member of Sons Of Erin. . . . RCA Canada set an all time release high for itself in June and July with 11 LPs and 12 singles released. ... Murray McLaughlan and his band The Silver Tractors headlined a concert at Stratford's Festival Theatre July 26.

During Gary and Dave's recent 10-day appearance at the Zodiac I, CHUM-FM taped one of the band's sets for a live broadcast. After headlining at Ontario Place, the band set out on a mini-tour of the Maritimes which included a date at the Confederation Arts Centre in Char lottetown, P.E.I. The band recently signed with Music Shoppe International for agency repre-Cleo Laine broke the house record for 1976 for a concert at Ontario Place. Some 8,000 people were expected but the crowd eventually grew to 12,000. . . . Attic Records has just released Hagood Hardy's LP "Maybe Tomor-

Ron Nigrini was the opening act for Roberta Flack's two concerts at Hamilton Place in Hamilton recently. . . . Attic will release two jazz albums this month—Rob McConnell and the Boss Brass' "The Jazz Album" and Joel Schulman's "Nowhere But Here." ... Attic held their second annual convention at the Morrissey Tavern recently. ... Vic Franklyn played a two-week engagement at the Zodiac I starting the week of July 26. During the engagement he began tap-ing a forthcoming tv series which will air across

Canada this Fall. The series, 26 30-minute shows, will originate from the Zodiac I. In the fu ture Franklyn will tour western Canada and ap pear at the Imperial Room of the Royal York Ho tel this Fall. . . . GRT of Canada, CHUM-FM and Bernie Fiedler presented a live concert from the Riverboat Coffee House.

Anthony Newley appeared with Burt Bach arach at the O'Keefe Centre the week of July 19 To coincide with the engagement. United Artists released his first single for the label, "Teach the Children." . . . Carroll Baker has just completed taping here one-hour television special for CBC called "Sounds Good Country," Jim McKenna producing. The show will be broadcast in late Sept. She played a fair date with George Hamilton IV and Ronnie Milsap in Saskatoon recently and is currently in the middle of a tour of the Maritimes, RCA has just released her new "Car roll Baker" LP which includes her four number one country singles. . . . Charity Brown's new LP for A&M Records entitled "Stay With Me" has just been released. . . . Valdy and the Hometown Band showcased at A&M Records International meetings held in Los An<mark>geles recently. The</mark> Hometown Band, produced by Claire Lawrence, are currently recording their first album for A&M.... GRT of Canada is now represented by the national ad agency of John L. Sutton & Asso ciates. The company is now solely responsible for the majority of GRT Canada's national radio advertising. The Horseshoe Tavern has changed its book

ing policy from just straight country to progres sive country and bluegrass. . . . Murray McLaughlan, whose current album on the True North label distributed by Columbia, is report edly racking up excellent sales, will set out on a 50-date tour of Canada in Sept. ... Henry Gross' single "Shannon" has gone gold in Canada.... Bob Hope has been named as the official open ing attraction for this year's Canadian National Exhibition. The Beach Boys have added a mati nee concert to their scheduled appearances at the CNE with opening act The Garfield Band. Cliff Richard was in Toronto at the end of July to make the promotion rounds for MCA. Mendelson is now being managed by the Robert Fitzpatrick Corp. out of Los Angeles.

MARTIN MELHUISH

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International

Discount Chain Unnerves Dealers

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Basically, the retailers are worried that Daiei will start discounting records and tapes as it discounts other goods and will shake the practice of "retail price maintenance" to its

Daiei has annual sales in excess of \$2.3 billion, largest for the retail trade in Japan, and has 129 outlets spread throughout the country, 10 here and 27 in the Osaka area alone. In comparison to Daiei's annual sales tally, the total annual turnover of the Japanese record industry is approximately \$700 million.

While Daiei has, in fact, handled records in the past, it was only through retail tenants at certain locations

The six labels that have signed "contracted store" agreements with Daiei are Nippon Columbia, Victor Musical Industries, Toshiba-EMI. CBS/Sony, Canyon Records and

Public Targeted In Mechanical **Rights Campaign**

DUBLIN - The Mechanical Copyright Protection Society, the organization handling mechanical rights collection and distribution in Ireland, is implementing a campaign recently launched in the U.K. aimed at achieving a wider public appreciation of the fact that it is necessary to have a license to record copyright music from any source,

even for private use.

Advertisements asking, "Ever read the small print on a record label?" have been taken in the local music press.

"The response to date has been disappointing," says Vincent Smia-lek, manager of the Dublin office of the MCPS. "But we have indicated to the general public that it is an offense to reproduce music from records and from the broadcasting networks without permission from the copyright owners. This has been the main point of our campaign.

"It is hoped that in the near future that legislation authorizing a levy on blank cassette sales, or the issue of a license when a tape recorder is purchased, may soon be introduced. The MCPS, through the Irish Copyright Council, will urge the government to amend the Irish Copyright Act in order to secure this additional protection for copyright owners For an annual fee of \$2.88 includ-

value added tax at 8%, the MCPS issues an amateur recording license which permits the non-commercial recording of musical works for private purposes.

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Warner-Pioneer. Pony and Apollon Music Industrial Corp. are the two prerecorded tape manufacturers.

It's also understood that the chain is negotiating similar pacts with King Records, Polydor and Teichiku Records.

Minoru Sasaki, chairman of the board of directors of All Japan Record Retailers League, says, "The point we, the record retailers, are concerned with the most is the possibility that a giant chain of supermarkets will destroy the structure of retail price maintenance.

"There is no guarantee that they will not start discounting prices on records as they discount prices on other goods. Discounting is the way they expanded their business. How ever, there is nothing that we can do as a league to prevent them from entering into the record retail trade. This will interfere with the fair trade practice.

"I personally feel that the fixed price on records will be done away with in the near future. However this practice is favorable for both manufacturers and retailers. Therefore, we must try to keep this system as long as possible. There is nothing that we can do against a retailer who does not keep this promise on the fixed retail price. The only thing we can do is not to give them an excuse to break this promise."

The league has strongly opposed record retailers who issue so-called "service tickets," better known as "discount tickets."

There are 1,120 stores comprising

the major supermarket chains in Japan, and it is said that they operate on a 15% margin. Since the wholesale price of records is 70% of the reprice, it's possible for supermarkets to discount records by 15%

The Japan Phonograph Record Assn. is also paying a lot of attention to the newcomer into the industry. Takami Shobochi, president of the association, explains that, "The first thing I said to an official of Daiei is to refrain from discounting. I know very well that a characteristic and a main factor for the expansion of supermarkets has been the practice of discounting.

"The only thing we can do as manufacturers is to sign contracts directly with Daiei and talk with them over the possible problem There is no reason for us to be against the expansion of major supermarkets into record retailing business. However, I am very concerned if the record retailers, with whom we have been doing business for 40 to 50 years, will be disturbed about the way these major supermarkets operate.'

One of the Daiei chain stores located in Sannomiya, Kobe, has started to sell records already and is giving out 10% service tickets. A person with one service ticket will be able to buy a record at a 10% discount. A person with ten 10% service tickets will be able to get one record free. This Sannomiya store is the first Daiei outlet that started to sell records after Daiei signed the con-

PLUG MUSIC & MODE

Anchor To Attempt Tape Sales Splash

LONDON-Anchor is looking to double its prerecorded tape sales by the end of this year via a "Music To Take With You" campaign. The company will be emphasizing the attractions of tape as a music medium, as well as promoting the product of its own artists.

One key component of the push will be a special ABC cassette compilation featuring works by such artists as Louis Armstrong, Bobby Vinton, Richard Harris, Pat Boone, Count Basie, the Andrews Sisters, among others. It will carry a \$5.34 list price.

Anchor's tape advertising begins

lating trade through regular music stores as well as in non-traditional outlets such as gas stations and ma-

According to general manager Mike Hutson, the prerecorded tape business is holding up better than records at present. "Our efforts are intended to encourage tape sales generally. We want to make people think about what they can buy in the way of prerecorded cassettes, and make them aware of the breadth of repertoire available."

Anchor is supplying dealers with posters, mobiles and browsers.

Ship More U.K. EPs In Phonogram Wake

LONDON-There are distinct signs here of a revival of sales for the EP in the wake of Phonogram's chart success with the four-track release "The Demis Roussos Phenomenon," which has sold more than 400,000 units and is the first extended-play record to top the U.K. singles chart.

Island has issued two EP's, "Bryan Ferry" and "Eddie And The Hot Rods Live At The Marquee." Both have a suggested retail price of \$1.80 and are in four-color sleeves. None of the tracks on either disk is available in any other form.

Ferry himself suggested the idea of his release. He feels that a 45 rpm with four strong cuts offers buyers better value than one with a strong topside and a "filler" on the flip.

The Hot Rods' record was re-

leased to cater to audiences built by the group's live shows in recent months. The songs including "Satisfaction" and "Gloria," are not originals, and therefore not considered by Island to be suitable for orthodox single release. But they do figure in the group's in-person repertoire and the EP format was regarded as being the best way to handle release.

DJM's contribution to the reviving EP market is "Soda Pop Jive" with four tracks drawn from the company's recently-released album of the same name by Del Shannon, Johnny and the Hurricanes, the Dixie Cups and the Shangri-Las. The vintage material, between 12 and 17 years old, prompted the company to market it in a vintage style through the EP.

However the DJM release sells at the same price as the company's sin-

Another EP is expected from DJM, featuring 1960s items from Inez and Charlie Foxx, Toussaint McCall, Robert Parker and Aaron Neville.

Meanwhile, Phonogram says it

might consider a further EP if circumstances surrounding Roussos' record were repeated. Described at the time as "a calculated gamble" by company marketing boss Ken Maliphant, it was intended to meet demand from consumers receptive to Roussos through the nationwide screening of a BBC-TV documentary on the artist-but not necessarily prepared to pay album prices for his product.

But selling at normal single price, it turned into one of the biggest-selling EP's in U.K. industry history, even outstripping the chart positions of the Beatles' EPs in the 1960s. Maliphant says it is still selling and providing valuable consumer recognition for further exploitation of Roussos' product marketing efforts.

International Briefs

TEL AVIV-Israeli record companies recently met the requests of many United Nations soldiers serving in the Middle East by supplying them with Israeli-pressed records without any printed mention of the country of manufacture.

Many UN soldiers have plained that records which they bought in Israel were confiscated by Arab country customs officials when they discovered they were made in Israel. Some local record companies have also supplied the UN soldiers with locally-pressed records bearing sleeves printed in the U.S. or Eu-

Israelis Debut Pop Channel

By URI ALONY

JERUSALEM-The Broadcasting Authority has successfully launched a new pop network, Radio C, which broadcasts non-stop 19 hours a day

The need for an extra radio channel for pop has been evident for several years and now the IBA operates three stations—Radio A for classical music, plus talk shows; Radio B for home and family programs and Ra-

dio C for MOR and top 20 material.
The IBA has recently been under heavy pressure from advertisers who have had to wait, at times for over a

year, to get a radio spot. Some turned as an alternative to the Peace Ship, a pirate radio station operating off the coast of Israel. The opening of the new channel has drastically reduced the income of the Peace Ship and its owner, Abbie Nathan, is now thinking of television transmissions from the vessel, with commercial sponsorship.

Radio C is enjoying top listening

figures, with Galei Zahal, the Army radio station, and the Peace Ship in second and third places, respec-

International Turntable

Gerry Oord appointed managing director, RCA Record Division, U.K., effective Sept. 1. Oord recently resigned as director of group reper toire and deputy chairman of EMI in England (Billboard, Aug. 7).

Oord will replace George Lukan, who had requested three months ago to return to Australia for family and personal reasons.

Tony Roberts has resigned as chief executive of Bell/Arista Records U.K. to become general manager of Chappell's music division, his new job starting Sept. 1

He has headed up Bell/Arista for the past two years, during which time the company has grown substantially in size and sales achievements. Among the acts he signed were Slik and Linda Lewis.

Before joining the company he

ABC Firms Distribution For France

NEW YORK-ABC Records International has pacted with Disques Carrere in France for distribution of its product.

In addition to handling the entire ABC catalog (custom label titles included) in the French market. Carrere will also be distributing the goods in several territories around the world.

Among the territories are Polynesia, Tunesia, Tangier, Andorra, New Caledonia, Laos, Somalia and Madagascar.

Duration of the agreement, which was finalized by Steve Diener, president, ABC International, and Claude Carrere, president, Disques Carrere, is for three years. ABC was last distributed in France by EMI-Pathe Marconi.

ing director, of Warner Brothers' music-publishing arm, and prior to that was at Robbins and KPM.

John Cokell, general manager of Bronze Records in London, has left to become A&M marketing manager. He has been with Bronze for 18 months, having previously been with DJM for five years. As a result of his departure, Lilian Bron, Bronze managing director, has restructured various sections of the company. Arthur Cookson has been appointed international manager with overall responsibilities for all foreign licensee co-ordination. He was previously European promotions manager with Island. Working with Cookson will be Robert Leon, former transport manager with Bron Artists Management, now international product co-ordinator. Gail Clark, with the Bron Organization for four years, has been promoted overall product manager from product co-ordinator.

Shel Talmy, who produced "My Generation" for the Who, "Sunday Afternoon" for the Kinks and hits by Amen Corner, Manfred Mann and more recently **Chris White's** "Spanish Wine," has joined Power Exchange as a&r director. Among his first production jobs will be J.J. Barrie, a chart name with "No Charge. and Kristine, singer-writer who penned the Cliff Richard hit "Devil Woman.

Geoff Gibas has been appointed marketing and repertoire co-ordinator for EMI's international operations. He was most recently general manager of EMI's recorded tape di-... Unity Maclean, singles production manager at CBS, has left the company after four years to join Swan Song, where she is to work with press, promotions and market-. Bruno Kretzschmar has re-

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NEW YORK STATION PROMO

Latin & Country Co-Op On WHN

NEW YORK-Country music and the Spanish-speaking community here have embraced each other through WHN Country Radio's bilingual advertising and promotional campaign.

The recent high degree of interest in country vocalists of Spanish ori-gin (Freddy Fender, Johnny Rodriguez) motivated WHN to mass a media attack geared exclusively for this market.

According to Dale Pon, WHN's director of promotion and former sales manager of WFLJ, a number of commercials promoting the station were taken on Latin tv stations here, as well as the placement of billboards in Spanish neighborhoods.
"The billboards featured Fender

with a promotion for the station written in Spanish," he says. "We found that between the two segments of the campaign we noticed an increase in Spanish listeners."

Even before the large-scale success of Fender and Rodriguez, WHN had Latin listeners, but Pon

Fania Contributes

NEW YORK-The Leukemia Society of America and Harlem Teens For Self Help will each be recipients of cash donations from Fania Records honoring the memory of the late singer Tito Rod-

The donations, made at the request of the artist's widow. Tobi Rodriguez, are being made in conjunction with the release of the album "Fania All-Stars' Tribute To Tito Rodriguez" and a "Tribute To Tito Rodriguez" concert at Madison Square Garden here Friday (6).

feels the interest in these artists didn't hurt the current demographical surge by the station.

"In my opinion, there are basically two reasons that Spanish-speaking persons listen to WHN," he asserts. "One is because they know they'll hear a certain artist like a Fender or Rodriguez, and secondly because country music deals with adult life experiences that most of these older people can identify

Pon says another indication of the

upward movement of Spanish listeners is the large number of Spanish surnamed people phoning the

station's request and contest lines.

Although New York has seen a boom in the amount of Spanish people listening to country music, Pon notes that other parts of the U.S. have also found a good crossover märket

"When I go to Texas several times each year, I can see that the Mexican community is becoming more attracted to country music," he states.

Acosta Segura New Owner Of Mexican Discos Rex

MEXICO CITY-Jorge Acosta Segura, a&r and sales director for Discos Rex since its inception more than five years ago, has bought 100% interest from owner Luis Arturo Gil. No terms of the deal were announced, although Acosta Segura reports it was an outright purchase.

The new owner of the label, which basically was relegated to distribution of national product, says there will be an opening up of the foreign market. "Already, within the past month. I have made new licensee arrangements with four different countries, most importantly with Pepe Garcia's Latin International in the U.S.

The other outside deals, which Acosta Segura claims are only for starters are: Duplicassette in Caracas; Fenix in Guayaquil: Discos Fonia in Guatemala. Latter arrangement includes all of the distribution in Central America. "I am in the

process of negotiating with two other territories," adds the new head of Discos Rex.

Acosta Segura, who started in the record business at the age of 11 in 1950, also is mapping plans for a tighter integration of the entire operation. Currently, the 12 pressing machines owned by Rex are scattered in different parts of the city. "We're taking over some property adjacent to our offices to put them, along with a stamper and other equipment, all under one roof."

The purchase of Rex now makes the Acosta family one of the most potent and important running independent labels. Two older brothers. Guillermo and Jesus, have been guiding the fortunes of Discos GAS at a steadily increasing pace also since the early 1970s. Their headquarters are only four blocks apart.

Gil, who is an architect by profession, will resume his career in that business. He also will retain his majority holdings in Lagab recording studios, which he helped to design along with partner Val Valentin more than two years ago. Rex.

Biggest bulk of interchange of product will be with Latin International, perhaps due mainly to the reason that Rex has a strong catalog in mariachi and norteno type music.

Italian Award

LOS ANGELES-ABC Records' soundtrack LP from the film "Nashville." has been awarded best original soundtrack of the year by the Italian Discographic Critic. The award was made on the basis of sales results obtained by ABC Italian licensee CBS-Sugar.



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Latin Scene

Roberto Roena (International) putting finishing touches on eighth album. He rushed into the studio right after finishing his last one because "dissatisfied" with it. Charlie Palmieri is also in the studio, working on a new album with former long-time vocalist Victor Velazques, currently with Orquesta Ideal (Ar

Inca artist Tommy Olivencia in town and in high spirits after winning "best orchestra" award in Festival De Popularidad de Musica in Puerto Rico. His next album will mark his 20th anniversary in the music business. Tommy, who was using vocalist Lale Rodriguez, is now using Paquito Guzman and Simon Perez with his band, La Primarisima.

Ballad singer Yolandita Monge, with latest album Floreciando, on top of the charts, is already at work on second Coco album, being recorded

Gilberto Monroig also working on new album featuring five arrangements by Tito Fuente, and the balance of the album will be arranged and conducted by Mericana/Salsoul General Manager Joe Cain and will utilize string arrange

Veteran Cuban vocalist Frank "Hachito Grillo, who along with brother-in-law Mario Bausa, pioneered the Latin New York sound in the 1940s, and whose band has been an institution in New York for 35 years, will soon be recording for Coco Records. Lalo Rodriguez will be joining Machito on the album.

Larry Harlow will be the first salsa band from New York to appear in Tucson later this month Fania Records has just released a reunion LP

Larry recorded recently with Ismael Miranda. "Con Mi Viejo Amigo."

Speaking of Orchestra Harlow, vocal strength

has been added to the band in the form of ex-Ray Barretto and Orguesta Guarare singer/com ser Ruben Blades. Ruben won the composer of the year award from Latin New York Magazine this year for "El Cazangero."

T.R. Records will be releasing the best of La Orquesta Tipica Novel in a few weeks. In the meantime, Tito Rodriguez Jr., son of the late and truly great vocalist, is in the studio with his 12. piece band, being produced by Eddie Martines.

CARLOS DE LEON

MEXICO CITY

Louis Couttelenc and Guillermo Infante president and international vice president respectively of RCA De Mexico, left Aug. 2 for Tokyo to set up what is described as the first totally international sales convention ever" for the worldwide record company. It will take place in mid-spring of 1977 and will include not only all of RCA's global affiliates but all of its licensees as well. Infante recently withdrew as RCA's Latin American director to concentrate more on the Mexican operation, the Caribbean territory and specialized events such as the Tokyo '77 gathering. He is being succeeded by Adolfo Pino, RCA Ltd. of Argentina.

Manuel Villareal and his contingent of CBS executives back July 26 from their company's "mini" Latin American convention in Puerto Vallarta and the worldwide conclave in Los Angeles.

Several Polydor toppers from W. Germany here to inspect company's new local headquar ters, according to Mexican general director Luis Baston. MARY FISHER

Billboard SPECIAL SURVEY For Week Ending 8/14/76

Billboard Hot Latin LP Special Survey

IN NEW YORK

	POP LPs	SALSA LPs				
This Week	TITLE—Artist, Label & Number (Distributing Label)	This Week	TITLE—Artist, Label & Number (Distributing Label)			
1	EYDIE GORME La Gorme, Gala 2001	1	PACHECO El Maestro, Fania 00485			
2	CAMILO SESTO Amor Libre, Pronto 1013	2	PETE EL CONDE Pete El Conde, Fania 489			
3	YOLANDITA MONGE Floreciendo, Coco 123	3	CHEO FELICIANO The Singer, Vaya 48			
4	SOPHY Sentimientos, Velvet 1494	4	FANIA ALL STARS A Tribute To Tito Rodriguez, Fania 493			
5	RAUL MARRERO Apt. #2, Mericana 135	5	EDDIE PALMIERI Unfinished Masterpiece, Coco 120			
6	JULIO IGLESIAS El Amor, Alhambra 23	6	HARLOW & ISMAEL MIRANDA Con Mi Viejo Amigo, Fania 494			
7	IRIS CHACON Iris Chacon, Borinquen 1298	7	CONJUNTO CANDELA Conjunto Candela, Combo 2002			
8	BOBBY CAPO Simplemente Amor, Mericana 137	8	FAJARDO Charanga Roots, Coco 124			
9	MORRIS ALBERT Dime, Audio Latino 4085	9	TIPICA IDEAL Vamonos Pa Senegal, Artol 6004			
10	MARCO ANTONIO Tiempe Y Destiempo, Arcano 13316	10	CHOCOLATE En El Rincon, Salsoul 4108			

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	POP LPs		SALSA LPs				
1	YOLANDA DEL RIO La Nueva Dona de La Cancion, Arcano 3337	1	EL GRAN COMBO Mejor Que Nunca, EGC 013				
2	JUAN GABRIAL Juan Gabrial, Arcano 3283	2	JOHNNY PACHECO El Maestro, Fania 00485				
3	EYDIE GORME La Gorme, Gala 2001	3	KAKO & AZUQUITA Kako & Azuquita, Alegre 6003				
4	CAMILO SESTO Amor Libre, Pronto 1013	4	EDDIE PALMIERI Unfinished Masterpiece, Coco 120				
5	VICENTE FERNANDEZ A Tu Salud, Cys Cys 1464	5	FANIA ALL STARS Tribute To Tito Rodriguez, Fania 493				
6	LOS FELINOS Chicanisimo, Musart 10570	6	HARLOW & ISMAEL MIRANDA Con Mi Viejo Amigo, Fania 494				
7	RICHARDO CERATTO Richardo Ceratto, Latin International 5042	. 7	PETE EL CONDE Pete El Conde, Fnia 489				
8	MARIO QUINTERO No Mas Contigo, Orfeon 973	8	CONJUNTO CANDELA Conjunto Candela, Combo 2002				
9	GRUPO EL TREN Grupo El Tren, Orfeon 38029	9	CELIA CRUZ/PACHECO Tremendo Cache, Vaya 37				
10	LOS ZORROS DEL NORTE Que Metida De Pata, Musimex 5091	10	CHEO FELICIANO The Singer, Vaya 48				

'Nostalgia' Flames Brighter In U.K.

LONDON-The nostalgia boom here, evidenced by a sellout London Palladium bill featuring Johnnie Ray and the Inkspots last week, is continuing its show of strength via release plans by record companies as

A compilation album featuring 20 recordings by Jan and Dean, U.S. duo whose surfing sound was a big-selling trend in the 1960s, is being promoted by United Artists in the U.K. through consumer competitions on local radio and newspaper. The LP "Ride The Wild Surf" includes the duo's major hits.

Howard Berman, UA sales promotion manager, says: "Though Jan and Dean have not been in the public eye for several years, there is still a major buying public for their product. Like the Beach Boys, they lived out the whole surfing sound and myth and we are counting on this album being a best seller.

Meanwhile, World Records is on a different kind of nostalgia kick through promotion of a series of albums of music from the great London musicals.

Two releases, "The Co-Optimists," featuring Stanley Holloway, a show which had a five-year run in London's West End, and "Rudolph Friml In London," spearhead the

Bryan Tyrrell says that 15 albums in the retrospect series are being pushed, under the slogan "The Great Shows In Retrospect." He adds: "There is a great deal of nostalgia around at the moment, particularly with revivals of 'Very Good Eddie' and 'Irene' in the West End theaters and we want to make people aware of the rare and often historic recordings we have available in the World Records catalog."

The Friml album includes original cast recordings of "Rose Marie,"
"The Vagabond King" and "The
Three Musketeers," all Friml scores.

Other retrospect albums being promoted are Fred and Adele Astaire's "Lady Be Good," "Rodgers And Hart In London," "Noel Coward—The Great Shows," "Cole Porter In London" and "Jerome Kern In London," along with albums featuring original recordings of music by Ivor Novello.

Current big-selling singles in the U.K. include the Beatles' "Back In The USSR," the Beach Boys' "Good Vibrations," "Leader Of The Pack" by the Shangri-Las and "At The Hop" by Danny and the Juniors.

From The Music Capitals Of The World

LONDON

Polydor has given the Spring label (artists including the Fatback Band, Millie Jackson and Jay and the Techniques) its own identity in the U.K., product having previously been on the Polydor label with a Spring logo. . . . Kursaal Flyers signed to a long-term worldwide recording pact with CBS, a "friendly and amicable move" from Jonathan King's U.K. label.

Spark Records planning a \$18,000 promotion to break Tommy Hunt, soul artist, in the com pany's biggest promotion to date, building the campaign round his new single "Loving On The Losing Side." ... Winners of television talent series "New Faces," the group Scobie Smith has signed with Pye Records

Alex Everitt, formerly with Leeds Music here. has set up a new company, Everblue Music.... DJM signed Original Cast, a group comprising Sue Glover, Sunny Leslie, David Martin and Tony Burrows, all session singers and solo artists associated with 16 top ten singles with combined sales of 26 million units. . . . October and November tourists here include Tammy Wynette, Carl Perkins, the Dillards, Wanda Jackson.

Dave Edmunds, first a chart name with "I Hear You Knocking," now with Swan Song, Led Zeppelin's record company.

Roger Whittaker opened at London's Talk Of

The Town, his fourth appearance at the nitespot.

EMI launched the debut album by Instant Sunshine, a four-man line-up in the Kings Sing-ers style, with a reception at lppy Dols res taurant in the "notorious" Shepherds Market . Good plaudits for the "old-timers" bill at the Palladium, including Johnnie Ray, Frances Faye, Billy Daniels and the Ink Spots

Long John Baldry celebrating 20 years in mu sic, including the "discovery" of Rod Stewart, with the release of "This Boy's In Love Again" on GM, his first U.K. release in two years. Speculation that Jonathan King may leave pop. sell up U.K. Records, and write books, his origi nal ambition. . . . Following departure from EMI, Rod McKuen pondering new deal for his Stanyan label....This year Andre de Vekey, Billboard re-gional publishing director, celebrates his 45th anniversary in music business, having started as a professional musician in 1931, aged 18.

Son, Ben, for Warner Bros. promotion chief Bill Fowler and wife Sandra. ... Currently tour ing U.S. with Elton John, Scots comedian Billy Connolly, opens new U.K. tour at Banff, a Scott-ish township where he was booed off stage in his early days. ... Rick Wakeman to disband his English Rock Ensemble backing group because he's involved in so much film, to and jingle . First 10,000 singles for Thin Lizzy's "Jailbreak" to have special Vertigo glossy sleeves with color pictures of the band.

Robert Stigwood appointed David Gideon Thomson as deputy chairman of the Robert Stig-. Edwin Starr now signed to GTO for U.K. and Europe. ... Rolling Stone, Keith Richard, on drugs possession charge here, plus three driving offenses.

Bay City Roller fans attacked Nazareth singer Don McCafferty at London's Heathrow Airport after he allegedly called the BCR group "a load Eric Clapton performed to 14,000 fans at the Crystal Palace "garden party," his first show here for 18 months. Veteran publicist Leslie Perrin back in action after a long spell in hospital.

PETER JONES ter a long spell in hospital.

Teichiku Records is launching a new "Jazz Creation Series" Aug. 25 with such LPs as "After The Rain" by Mabumi Yamaguchi Quintet/ Quartet, "Good Life, Susumu" by Susumu Arima Trio and "Milky Shade" by Kazumi Watanabe Quartet. The company will be releasing products of young Japanese jazz artists in this series. Six young composer-musicians of the Yamaha Junior Original Concert returned recently to Japan after a successful special concert tour in France. The six, Fumio Kitagawa, 15, piano, Yuka Urano, 12, electone organ, Michiru Osh-ima, 15, electone organ, Makiko Kobayashi, 9, o, <mark>Junko Yokoyama,</mark> 15, piano and Yuki<mark>ko</mark> Tanaka, 16, electone organ, were invited to the 13th Festival de la Rose d'Or de la Chanson in Antibes to perform their own compositions in a two-hour special gala show July 10, the final day of the festival. Their performances were video-taped by the French national television—TF-1, and it will be televised in France in late Septem ber as a special 52-minute program. The five girls and one boy also gave a concert in Marseilles. Genichi Kawakami, president of Yamaha Music Foundation, who was invited to the Rose d'Or festival as a special honorary judge also returned to Japan. . . . Yasuyoshi Tokuma, president of Tokuma Musical Industries, left for Las Vegas to join Hiroshi Itsuki of his company who opens his shows there Aug. 1. . . . The 8th annual Nemu Jazz Inn, starring Sadao Watanabe Trio, Paul Bley Trio and Four King Cousins (Tina Cole, Cathy Green, Caroline Elliot and Candy

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NO-SHOWS, DELAYS BLAMED

French 'Woodstock' Try Misses

PARIS-The failure of many of the widely-advertised major artistssuch as Miles Davis, Jean-Luc Ponty, Al Jarreau, Lenny White, Taj Mahal and many more-to show at the Rivera '76 jazz-rock festival organized by Michael Lang at the Castellet motor-racing circuit near Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, was certainly a prime cause of the event's failure to achieve anything like the status of a Gallic Woodstock.

Held on a 700-acre site, the two-

International_

day festival, reportedly a \$1 million venture, was intended to attract 200,000 fans. In fact it produced an estimated 30,000.

Everything was conceived on an over-ambitious scale, even down to the 100 kilometers of film intended to record the scene, a la-Woodstock, for posterity. Much of the thunder

Jazz Festival Wins Plaudits

By JUUL ANTHONISSEN

HAGUE-The ambitious threeday North Sea Jazz Festival promoted by Paul Acket and Mojo and based very much on the format of the Montreux Jazz Festival was a major success.

Held in the Hague Congress complex, the festival featured jazz in at least five halls simultaneously from 7 p.m. until 4 the following morning with more than 50 groups and

Major highlights were a big band battle between the Thad Jones-Mel Lewis Band and the Count Basie Orchestra, an inspired set by the Stan Getz Quartet, a spectacular presentation by the Sun Ra Arkestra and some superbly crafted music by the Cedar Walton Quartet in which ten-orist George Coleman was outstanding. Coleman is rapidly emerging as one of the modern giants on the tenor saxophone.

There were fine performances, too, from the Horace Silver Quintet, from the supreme masters of the cool school, Warne Marsh and Lee Konitz, and from the ever-ebullient

Dizzy Gillespie.

Joe Albany, Sir Charles Thompson and Randy Weston impressed with solo piano recitals and trumpeter Pee Wee Erwin proved himself to be a much under-estimated soloist.

Organization of the festival was efficient and ancillary attractions included presentations of jazz films videocassettes, photographic exhibitions and an extensive record market. The festival will be staged again next year.

EMI To Handle Motown In Italy

ROME-FMI will distribute Motown product here beginning in September, says John Bush, director of EMI Italiana.

Bush says EMI will unveil a new Motown logo and present the new Stevie Wonder album at the company's annual convention in Sep-

"I had a happy personal association with Motown when I was with EMI in Mexico, and I expect we can get the job done here," says Bush. who describes his successful negotiations with Ken East, international director of Motown, as "a meeting of the minds."

Motown has, until now, been distributed in Italy by Ri-Fi.

had already been stolen by prior jazz events in neighboring Nice, Antibes, Salon de Provence and Nimes.

The fact that the start was half a day late didn't help matters, either. Delays are endemic to festivals, but when stretched to this length they are intolerable. And the non-appearance of many big names did not engender much enthusiasm among the crowd who finally had the impression that they were there to take part in a Woodstock-style film rather than to listen to music.

Those acts which did appear were separated from one another by time gaps which were unbearably long, even by jazz-rock festival standards.

Among the artists who did appear, Joe Cocker failed to make much impression on the audience with five numbers: the Crusaders and Larry Corvell did rather better; and Eddie Palmieri demonstrated rhythmic ex-

But all in all the conditions did not favor the creation of inspired musical performances.

SUDDEN U.K. CHANGE

New Roles Mapped For Island Operation

By BRIAN MULLIGAN

LONDON-In an unexpected change of responsibilities at Island Records here, David Betteridge has been replaced as managing director by Tim Clark, marketing director.

Promotion of Clark means that Betteridge takes over as chairman, with special responsibilities for financial direction of the company. The move is part of a revamping of Island's administration which will isolate the financial side from the routine aspects of talent acquisition, marketing, production, sales and distribution.

The decision of Betteridge to stand down from the managing director position comes some three months after the fifth anniversary of a similar decision by Chris Blackwell, joint founder of Island with

Dealer Input

By DAVID LONGMAN

LONDON-Selecta, the U.K. distribution subsidiary of Decca, is operating a sale-or-return program to more than 1,250 dealers throughout the country.

The campaign is known as "Singles Scale Out" and follows five months of pilot attempts.

Ralph Smedley, Selecta sales

manager, says that six copies of any one record at most are sent to dealers on an s-o-r basis and those chosen are thought to have chart potential. In two months, six have been picked, including new releases from Robin Sarstedt, Ray Thomas (only in the London area), the Chi-Lites and Hamilton Bohannon.

The scheme was originally envisaged to boost Decca-only product, though now all Selecta material is taken into account. "If, say, Trojan comes to us with a request for a record to be included, we consider it but the final decision is up to us.

Through computerization, it is possible to send out any record to an area where it is thought there is a demand. Smedley says: "The secret of making the plan a success is to be selective about which product is included. There is no point lumbering a dealer with stock. A record sent out s-o-r has to be related to television or radio exposure-as happened with the Ray Thomas record, then heavily promoted on London's Capital

Smedley claims the percentage of returns has, so far, been very small. "The intention is not to hype the dealer but to offer a worthwhile service. If a dealer wishes to join the scheme, all he has to do is fill out an agreement, which can be cancelled by a phone call."

Betteridge, to relinquish the chief executive's role in favor of concentrating on talent acquisition.

Blackwell resigned his post some months after the first unsuccessful bid by the WEA group to purchase the company—and towards the end of 1975, WEA made another pur-chase attempt. However negotiations finally broke down about nine months ago.

This move to separate the financial side from the other operations is latest in a series of changes which have seen several staff departures, among them head of a&r Richard Williams, along with Robert White, business affairs manager, who has just joined Bell/Arista in a similar capacity.

Betteridge says that Island's turnover in the U.K. this year has increased some 42% from the same period of 1975. "While outlook is healthy in terms of volume, we have been taking into account current market trends and streamlining every aspect of our operation in order to function more effectively and efficiently than before."

Clark's climb to the managing directorship has been over 11 years, having joined the company as production assistant. In 1968 he was appointed assistant to Betteridge as well as production supervisor and in 1971 was made a director with special responsibilities for marketing.

Island's business affairs director Tom Hayes continues to work directly with Betteridge while Fred Cantrell goes on as general manager with sales and promotion responsi-

Mountain Execs Killed In Crash

LONDON-Bill Fehilly and Bob Storm, co-directors of Mountain Management, Mountain Music and Panache Publishing, were killed when the Piper Aztec charter plane they were traveling in crashed on its way to Blackpool Airport in the North of England.

Fehilly's son Liam was also a victim. The three were returning from a visit to Nazareth group members' "tax haven" on the Isle of Man.

Fehilly formed Mountain six years ago with Derek Nichol. He had a long-standing association with Nazareth, Alex Harvey and the Baker Gurvitz Army, all currently under the Mountain banner.

He was also chairman of Top Flight Entertainment. Storm was the legal brain behind Top Flight and worked with Mountain in the capacity of legal and financial consultant.

Rowdies, Rain Mar Free Jazz Festival

PERUGIA, Italy-The third annual Umbria jazz festival ended on a chilly note this year with 20,000 fans sitting on a mountaintop on a cold, rainy evening waiting for headliner Herbie Hancock who never ap-

Hancock's no-show on Sunday night capped a week of vandalism, political hooliganism and bad weather which have plunged the future of the festival into doubt. There have been calls in the regional assembly of Umbria either to reduce the festival's scope next year or cancel it alto-

"The returns are not all in, but we expect that the festival cost us about \$80,000, which includes all artists' fees and damages," says Luigi Nuzzace, an official at the Umbria tourist office. "Because of the violence and damage. I cannot say whether we will have a festival next year."

The Umbria festival was a sixday, six-night event that moved daily to a different town and village in the Umbria region north of Rome. All the concerts were free-paid for by the region's rul-

ing socialist-communist administration. This year's stars included Sarah Vaughan, the Stan Getz Quartet, Art Blakey's Jazz Messengers, Dizzy Gillespie, Sam Rivers, the Cedar Walton Ouartet, Don Pullen and Enrico Rava, among others.

Because Umbria accedes to the demand of political activists "for free music for the people" it expected to avoid the troubles that have plagued so many music presentations in Italy. But having got their free music, the extremists turned on a local supermarket and a train station for free food and free transportation.

They "liberated" food from a supermarket and later demanded a free train trip to the festival site. There were several arrests which in turn, provoked demonstra-

According to reports here, the reason Hancock refused to perform was because he objected to playing for a non-paying audience, even though he himself was being paid. Hancock apparently argued that free audiences come to an event no matter who is playing and do not respect the individual artist.

Scottish Chain: New Life

LONDON-Scottish retail chain Bruce's Records has been taken over by the Guinness group subsidiary Caledonian Pharmaceutical Holdings. A 76% interest in the chain, which closed four stores in June this year because of financial and market pressures, has been acquired by Caledonian.

Under the new management, the board has been restructured. Broth-

Heath Leaves Gaff: Forms Publishing Co.

LONDON-Andrew Heath has set up his own independent publishing venture. Andrew Heath Music Ltd., following his resignation as managing director of Gaff Management. He will be operating from his flat in London's Marylebone Road.

Plans are for a small roster of songwriters, aiming to build a catalog of mainly U.K. copyrights with international potential. He has also linked up with Rudi Slezak and Horst Schmolzi of Rudolf Slezak Musikverlage. Hamburg, whose catalog embraces German acts such as UFO, Jane and Scorpions.

In addition, the firm will be involved with the publishing arm of Alan Bates' Black Lion and Freedom jazz record labels, and handling Ronnie Bond Music, an advertising jingles operation. Heath has been associated with Bond on a number of campaigns in the past.

Heath's roster boasts two singersongwriters at present: David Shortt, now recording for RCA, and John Cann, a former member of Atomic Rooster who has yet to sign a

Five years with Gaff Management, Heath was professional manager for Sunbury Music prior to that. Working with him at his new company is Carolynne Wyper, previously at Gaff.

ers Bruce and Brian Findlay remain joint managing directors, but they are now joined by Len Roncone, financial director of CPH's retail arm, R. Gordon Drummond.

A first move is to re-open the Bruce's branch in Rose Street. Edinburgh and the rate of expansion afterwards will, says Roncone,

depend on site availability.

Bruce Findlay says: "We're delighted at the takeover. Instead of working for the banks and our creditors, we are working again for Bruce's Records.

"I admit we over-extended ourselves at a time when business was going downhill. The new ownership gives us the facility to develop full potential."

The Drummond chain of retail chemists has itself expanded considerably over the past four years, from 12 outlets to 150. Some 75 are spread through Scotland, the rest in England and Wales. Six of the central Scotland branches already have record departments-and the expertise available to those via the Bruce's Records management is one reason for the takeover.

However. Roncone says the first priority is to expand the Bruce's chain. "The current disk sales slump, partly to blame for the original cut-back of Bruce's stores, is only temporary," he offers.

Fatal Crash

MADRID-Well-known Discos CBS songstress Cecilia was killed in an automobile accident while returning here from a concert Aug. 2. She was 26.

Born Ava Sobrido, she grew up in Philadelphia where her father served as Spanish consul. Early in her career she was a protege of popular Spanish artist Juan Carlos Calderon. Cecilia recorded five LPs for the label, one of which is still to be released

International Labels Split On **New TV Series**

LONDON-U.K. record companies are split in their attitudes to the new television series "Superpop '76" which is currently being independently produced by Mike Mansfield for screening by commercial

Among those backing the show are Bell, EMI, RCA, Magnet, Spark and CBS. But some other companies, notably Pye, GTO, Polydor and DJM, have declined to support the series by paying a fee for their acts to be featured.

The main area of disagreement is over the principle of whether record companies should be expected to underwrite the cost of the shows and, secondly, whether this method of financing a series could be construed as an infringement of Independent Broadcasting Authority regulations which forbid sponsor-

Mansfield takes the view that the regulations refer only to stationoriginated programs and do not cover independent productions.

Eleven shows are being recorded, five scheduled for transmission by London Weekend TV on Saturday mornings, beginning July 31. The remainder are lined up for screening later in the year.

Production is by Mike Mansfield Enterprises and record companies have been asked to contribute about \$8,000 toward the cost of each 17minute slot. Additionally, it is said, the record companies will pay the artists the Musicians' Union scale

Apart from the exposure potential of the series, companies taking part see the possibility of a return on investment through overseas sales Proceeds from sales abroad will be shared between the record companies and the production company. which also offers the chance to produce a special promotional clip as part of the deal for artists.

International Turntable

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signed as April Music talent acquisition manager in London.... Robert White has joined Bell/Arista, U.K., as business affairs manager, a position he previously held at Island Records.

Peter Reichardt has been appointed professional manager of Warner Brothers Music in London. Formerly with Island Records, Reichardt was at one stage involved in the promotion of Elektra/Asylum and Warner Bros. Records repertoire. Prior to joining the record industry he worked in the BBC gramophone library.

John Andrews has been appointed technical director of EMI's Audio Visual Services Division, which runs EMISON and EMITEL. Andrews, a scientist, will also act as a liaison with technologists working in EMI's audio-visual research laboratory and EMI technologists in international operations.

David Mackenzie has been made a director of EMISON. A Canadian, he was previously sales manager with the company and held various positions in publishing and industry marketing before joining EMI in January this year. The Andrews and Mackenzie appointments are part of EMI Audio Visual's expansion in the videodisk and audio/film production markets.



DIAMOND GOLD-CBS singer Neil Diamond, sixth from left, is joined in his room at the Century Plaza Hotel in Los Angeles were top label executives presented him with gold disks from around the world during the company's recent annual convention. The presenters, from left to right, are Maurice Oberstein, U.K., Terence Lynd, Canada, Alain Olivier, Belgium, Tomas Munoz, Spain, Walter Yetnikoff, president, CBS Records Group, Dick Asher, president, CBS Records International, Paul Tesselaar, Netherlands, Peter de Rougemont, vice president, European operations, A. William Smith, Australia and Hilton Rosenthal, South Africa. Not shown are Norio Ohga, Japan and Rudolf Wolpert, Germany.

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Wilson) was held July 24 at the outdoor stadium at Nemu-no-Sato, Mie Prefecture, and drew 4,000 fans. The jazz festival was held under the sponsorship of the Yamaha Music Foundation and continued throughout the night until 5 a.m. the next morning. Paul Bley, who visited Japan for the first time in 1963 with Sonny Rollins, led a trio composed of a bass player Gary Peacock, drummer Barry Altschul, and himself on piano Other Japanese performers besides Sadao Wata nabe Trio were Yosuke Yamashita Trio, Kazumi Watanabe Quartet and Tatsuva Takahashi and Tokyo Union. . . . Toshiba EMI will release on Island label the album "Go" by Stomu Yamashta, Steve Winwood, and Michael Shvieve Aug. 20 On the album, Yamashta is heard on percussion strings and synthesizer, Winwood on piano and guitar, Shvieve on drums, Klaus Schulze on syn thesizer, Rosko Gee on bass guitar and Al Dimeola on guitar. ALEX ABRAMOFF

BUDAPEST

The Szeged open-air concerts in Cathedral Square notched up 80,000 advance ticket sales and ensured sellout business for each of the 16 concerts. Featured on the program were "Tragedy Of Man" by Madach, Johann Strauss' "Zigeunerbaron," Verdi's opera "Nabucco" and a program by the National Hungarian Folk Ensemble.

Celebrated Hungarian actor Zoltan Latinovits, who scored a great success in his first musical 'The Dog Who Was Called Mr. Bozzi'' (Billboard March 27), committed suicide following a nervous breakdown. He was 45 and his death is viewed as an enormous loss to the Hungarian theater. Stepping into the role of Bozzi is new comer Kalman Hollai-Heiser. A new production will open Nov. 5 in the Municipal Operetta The

The 10th Bartok Seminar started Aug. 4 at the Ferenc Liszt Music Academy in Budapest Young violinists, pianists, string quartets and many music teachers attended the event. Most participants-35 artists from 19 countries-attended for the piano class and nearly all will take part in the Liszt-Bartok piano competition in September. They had the opportunity to prac-tice obligatory pieces with professors Paul Kadosa, Lajos Hernady and Istvan Antal. Partici pants were also able to have rehearsals with the Postal Symphony Orchestra under Gyula Nemeth and with piano virtuosi Desso Ranki and

The violin seminar was held by Hungarian born Belgian professor Endra Gertler, assisted by Swedish violinist Nila Pieron and the string quartet seminar was conducted by professors Andras Mihaly and Vilmos Tatrai.

Hungarian girl conductor Katalin Varadi scored considerable success when she took sixth place in the **Gino Marinuzzi** conductors competition held in San Remo, Italy. Varadi received her conductor's diploma three years ago at the Budapest Music Academy and attended a conductor course run by Igor Markewitch in Weimar, East Germany. She received, in addi-

tion to prize money, an invitation to conduct a concert in a big Italian town and a gift of 200 scores offered by the Ricordi publishing house

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WARSAW

Living Blues, the rock group from Holland played here in a huge marquee erected in the heart of the city, with movies shown after each rock concert... U.K. chart group **Mud** here on a series of sell-out concerts. . . . Karel Gott, specially popular here with MOR fans, in for concerts at the Warsaw Congress Hall Aug. 30-31

Renaissance, rock outfit from England, here for Sopot and Warsaw concerts, with particular interest shown in group singer Annie Haslam. . Hungarian group Lokomotiv GT, regular vis itors to Poland, spent two weeks here for concerts in Szczecin . Polish team the Old Timers, traditional group, toured the German Democratic Republic and Switzerland, mostly in ROMAN WASCHKO

New Guidelines For French TV

PARIS-So dissatisfied is the French Government with the three television networks here that it has laid down a series of guidelines aimed at upgrading program quality. The three major programming areas likely to be affected are plays, serials and news reports or docu-

The government has laid down quotas which for the first two networks will increase the number of hours per year, presumably for original works of fiction, from 197 to

Another change is that top viewing time must be occupied either by entertainment, informational or cultural programs. The annual license fee has been increased to \$32 to pay for the changes.

It seems clear that the government wants to see more new names and new faces. Coupled with the call for more entertainment shows at peak time, it should mean that pop music programs will be looking for new talent to break the monopoly enjoyed by the "old familiar" acts.

This is not the first time criticism has been levelled at French tv When French television was divided into three separate companies in 1974, it was hoped this would encourage competition. But the government evidently does not believe that the competition has produced the desired results.



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General News

Disco Disks Boost Sales

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Coast have been disturbed because the East Coast deejays seem to be ahead of them in getting records. We have made up a list of what's selling and in what order it's selling. This is a service that keeps West Coast deejays on top of the disco record happenings.

As a service to its customers, in addition to its own disco survey, the store has a bulletin board with Billboard's weekly disco action charts.

It also rents its front windows to the labels for disco advertising. The latest are 20th Century for Broadway Brass and Atlantic Records for "Lady Bump" and "Disco-Trek" LPs.

Branam notes that disco is trendy and the biggest selling records are the ones with the current trendy

"There have been three major disco trends in the past year. First, there was the reissuing of oldies adding a disco beat, then came the Gloria Gaynor basic sound and then the Van McCoy sound.

"There is some basic disco sound that comes out about every four months, and a large percentage of the records released during that period will have that sound.

"As long as the labels will continue to plug the trend, whatever it is, they will sell records. If they try to stay where they were a year ago, or try to change but not change in the right direction, the records will not be played in discos," he says.

ONLY A FEW ARTISTS

Amherst Entry Into LP Mart Imminent

NEW YORK-Entry into the album field is planned by Amherst Records, division of Buffalo-based Transcontinent Record Sales, a major rack operation owned by Len Sil-

While Silver has held title to the label for several years now, the operation has been active as a singles company only since last May. In that time eight 45s have been released.

"We'll be getting involved with a select few artists," explains Barry Lyons, director of marketing and publicity. The emphasis will be on acts that have already released product, not on total unknowns.

Lyons projects that a year from now the label should have five to six album artists on its roster.

Key to the label's plans is the David LaFlamme Band, just recently signed, LaFlamme, former founder and leader of the now defunct It's A Beautiful Day group, is currently in the studio with his musicians completing an LP. Release of the album is tentatively scheduled for early September. Four albums are covered by the terms of his pact.

Additional albums are planned from such artists as Cock Robin. Sean Elio Santiago and the New City Jam Band. This last grouping features either one-shot deals or commitment to one LP with options to follow.

It's also understood that Amherst is talking with U.K.'s Chip Hawkes and Barry Melton.

The musical direction of the label

with its expansion will basically be in the "pop-rock bag," says Lyons. Involvement in the r&b market will continue, he continues, but will be centered on the Gold Plate, also owned by Silver, and Soul International labels. The latter firm was recently signed to a distribution deal. Its principal is August Moon.

Johnny Lloyd, formerly with Buddah, also was recently named to coordinate and beefup Amherst's overall involvement in black music.

In addition to the above two labels, Amherst also distributes DJM, a deal signed last September.

The bulk of Amherst new recordings will probably be done at Buffalo's Trackmaster Audio. 16-track studio.

Zimmerman

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"No major record company can afford to hang its hat on the single releases of the next month. Not any

Today. Zimmerman keeps in close touch with personnel at the firm's 13 offices. "Once a month, I take either Jim Mazza, vice president of marketing, or Bruce Wendell, vice president of promotion, with me and we'll hit two or three markets. They're really just rap sessions. We get more merchandising ideas out of the field than anywhere else. I came out of the field myself and, for that reason, take a great deal of pleasure in working with our field people.'

Zimmerman took over from Brown Meggs Feb. 1; Meggs was promoted to assistant to president Bhaskar Menon, but has since left the company.

"This company has had its ups and downs over the past three or four years." Zimmerman says. "But they were mostly ups. And now we've got a new marketing and promotion team together and we're all totally involved in the company and totally dedicated to being success-

MCA Peron LP Due

LOS ANGELES-MCA Records will release "Evita," an opera based on the life of Eva Peron, wife of Argentine dictator Juan Peron in Octo-

"Evita" is the first piece Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice have collaborated on since "Jesus Christ Superstar." MCA is formulating special marketing plans to be implemented when the LP is released.

WE BELIEVE. SAY PHILLIES

PHILADELPHIA-Since Kate Smith and her singing of "God Bless America" provided the musical inspiration that brought a championship twice to the Philadelphia Flyers hockey team, the pennant-bound Phillies baseball club has also turned to the musical sound as a good luck charm. The accolade goes to the Lettermen and their singing of "I Believe."

The Phillies insist they first experienced the magic of "I Believe" when the Lettermen dedicated the song to a number of team members visiting the Latin Casino theatre-restaurant. An eight-game winning streak followed after hearing group at the club on May 22. From that night on, at every game, the Letter-men dedicate "I Believe" to their 'special friends in Philadelphia.'

To make sure the song magic keeps working for them, the Phillies invited the Lettermen to be their special guests at a home game at Veterans Stadium July 26.

Jazz Beat

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Adams. The Spotlite material showcases Joe Albany, Red Rodney, Cecil Payne, Al Haig, Duke Jordan, the Jay McShann orchestra with Charlie Parker and Coleman Hawkins among others.

Upcoming releases from Pausa will be by Jean Luc Ponty, Randy Weston, Red Mitchell and Lee Konitz. Label just issued a Gerry Mulli-gan LP cut in Milan. . . . the David Eyges Quartet played the Brook in Manhattan in mid-July. Cellist lead is accompanied by alto and soprano sax, bass and drums.

Count Basie, James Cotton, Jimmy With erspoon, Dizzy Gillespie, Helen Humes and Johnny Shines are among the first acts named for the 19th Monterey Jazz Festival, Sept. 17-19 at the Monterey Fairgrounds. ... Eric Kloss played the Childe Harold Club in Washington, ... Keyboard leader Rio Clemente played Willy's in Greenwich Village. . . . Sonet of Stock holm plans to release five LPs on its British Sonet label this fall. They are all newly recorded and feature Dizzy Gillespie, Barney Kessel, Sonny Stitt/Art Blakey, Al Cohn/Zoot Sims and Lee Konitz, Ruby Braff, Howard McGhee/Illinois Jacquet, Vic Dickenson, Buddy Tate, Paul Quini chette, Jay McShann, Art Farmer and Red Rod-

King Arthur, a club in the San Fernando Valley suburb of L.A., is vying for the "home of big bands" monicker. Club has booked such local aggregations as Bill Holman, Bill Berry, Terry Gibbs, Ed Shaughnessy. . . . The World's Greatest Jazz Band next plays Duke Ellington on its upcoming fall LP. Band recently played for President Ford at the White House

The Las Vegas Jazz Society has worked out a jazz night for one Wednesday a month with Local 369 at the union's headquarters. The first session was July 14. The intention, explains Monk Montgomery, society president, is for jams to develop and rap sessions to lead to better understanding of members.

Paul Tanner has resigned as executive director of the World Jazz Assn. in L.A. due to a serious illness with his wife Bunny, who has worked closely with him in the formation of the organization. Bill Cox, brought in several months ago, now takes over that responsibility.

WNMR-FM in Marquette, Mich., needs LPs for its programming, notes George Wendt, The second annual Santa Barbara Autumn Jazz Festival is slated for Oct.1-3 in the 4.000-seat Santa Barbara County Bowl. R. Denzil Lee, festival creator and executive director says his first acts are Dizzy Gillespie, Stanley Turrentine, Lonnie Liston Smith, John Klemmer, Supersax, Patrice Rushen, Willie Bobo and Irene Kral. The Jazz Seen club will get in the action by keeping an "after hours" club open after the Bowl activities. A Santa Barbara high school group will back Dizzy and Turrentine during the Sunday after-

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FAITH, HOPE & CHARITY—Life Goes On, RCA APL1-1827. A high-quality progressive soul LP with this proficient trio doing ample justice to the writing and production of prolific Van McCoy. The album is a perfect demonstration that high technical skill does not have to cancel out high spirits or strong feelings. Most of the material is determinedly optimistic, with just enough broken love complaints to keep the package from becoming overly syrupy. The group harmonizes prettily and attacks the lyrics with thought-out intelligence. With a fast-

starting single from this LP, the trio looks as if it is moving up to the next major plateau in its career.

Best cuts: "You're My Peace Of Mind," "Life Goes On," "Positive Thinking," "A Time For Celebration," "You've Gotta

Dealers: Make sure your Van McCoy fans know he's heavily involved in this package.



BUCK TRENT—Bionic Banjo, ABC/Dot DOSD-2058. Trent, who has backed Porter Wagoner and Roy Clark, steps into the spotlight with a lively LP, mainly featuring his uptempo five-string banjo playing. Steel and piano help complement Trent's proficient banjo work. Includes his current comedy recitation, "The Wrestling Matches," but "Donald Is A Duck" is even stronger. Radio stations should go strong with "take us-up-to-newstime" instrumental segments culled from this fresh album. And that should spur sales. Plenty of vitality in production, from Glenn Sutton, and in performance, from Trent, result in a well balanced, promising LP.

Best cuts: "Bionic Banjo," "Flint Hill Special," "Trent's Tornado," "Donald Is A Duck," "Tic-Tac-Toe."

Dealers: Trent is coming into his own as a solo entertainer.
Hopefully, DJs will identify Trent when playing his instrumental numbers. This will boost sales.



THE CHARLIE PARKER SIDES - Norman Granz Jam Session, Verve VE2-2508. This is one of the more important jazz reissues this year. The classic Norman Granz jam of 1952 is presented in its entirety and it's a winner. Featured musi-cians are Charlie Parker, Ben Webster, Benny Carter, Johnny Hodges, Oscar Peterson, Barney Kessel, Ray Brown, Flip Phillips, Charlie Shavers and J.C. Heard. With names like these in top form, this LP is important for people getting into classic jazz for the first time, as well as the collector who has lost these sides through the years.

Best cuts: Impossible to pick a few, since they're all clas-

Dealers: Display this prominently, letting buyers know

Spellight.



GRAND FUNK RAILROAD—Good Singin', Good Playin, MCA, MCA-2216. Aside from being Grand Funk's first album on its new label, the curiosity value here is that it was produced by a big daddy of avant-garde rock, Frank Zappa. Actually, on this assignment Zappa merely had to do straight-faced the basics of rock'n'roll which he has been parodying for a decade. Thus, although the overall sound texture is as smooth and slick as the last few albums produced for Funk by Todd Rundgren, another avant-rocker, there are still enough raunchy protest-type cuts to prove that leader-writer Mark Farner still remains in touch with his punk-rock constituency. With tunes like "Don't Let 'Em Take Your Gun," "Big Buns" and "1976," the Railroad serves notice that it isn't about to go uptown on the massive youth following that built it into a smash album act.

Best cuts: "Can You Do It," "Just Couldn't Wait," "Crossfire," "Pass It Around.

Dealers: MCA has a top priority on this one and can be expected to go all out.

Billboard's Recommended LPs

pop

ROGER WHITTAKER—Reflections Of Love, RCA APLI-1853. It remains to be seen how sustained a following Whittaker has built on the basis of his one off-beat MOR crossover hit single. But this followup album of soft, mid-tempo adult ballads shows that the artist-writer has a skilled, versatile command of his genre. Sort of an English Rod McKuen, Whittaker comes up with melodies that show his unusually sweet tenor to best advantage. He is considerably more than Muzak and has a lot to say to his specialized audience. Best cuts: "Before She Breaks My Heart," "Time," "It's Your Love," "Here

GIORGIO-Knights In White Satin, Oasis OCLP 5006 (Casa blanca). Giorgio Moroder, the Munich production whiz behind Donna Summer's hits on this label tries it as an artist. Not surprisingly, the LPs six tracks are long disco jams, mainly instrumentals with vocal interludes that tend towards orgasmic moaning. Even the Moody Blues title tune is broken up into this treatment. Giorgio's hoarse, thick-accented vocals are an obstacle to U.S. acceptance, despite moments of brilliance in the instrumental arrangements. Best cuts: "Knights In White Satin," "In The Middle Of The Knight," "Oh, L'Amour."

BURNING SPEAR-Man In The Hills, Island ILPS 9412. Another good reggae LP by another group that hasn't made its presence particularly well known to the U.S. public yet. There's the usual relaxed, semi-hypnotic musical effect despite bombastic protest lyrics. But it's still somewhat problematic how much of this material the current market will absorb. **Best cuts:** "Lion," "Man In The Hills," "People Get

ELECTRO MAGNETS-E.G.M. SD-1001. Four-man group serves up a mostly instrumental set that is jazz influenced, but will appeal primarily to rock buyers. Material ranges from high-powered hard rock to highly fluid pop, with even one smooth vocal number included. Four songs-to-a-side approach keeps the numbers from rambling. Best cuts: "Salem" (the vocal cut), "Motion," "Nova Scotia."

ENOCH LIGHT & THE BRASS MENAGERIE-The Beauty Of Brass, Project 3 PR2-6017/6018SD. This "best of" three prior LPs runs the gamut of Light's full range of modern brass sound, offering both the sweet and the bold on a solid two-LP

set. Best cuts: "Both Sides Now," "Soulful Strut," "Theme From 'Shaft," "Aquarius," "I Feel The Earth Move," "Proud From 'Shaft,' " "Aquarius, Mary," "MacArthur Park."

RUDY LOVE & THE LOVE FAMILY, Calla CAS1237 (ATV). Solid if not particularly original soul-disco entry from a funky horn-oriented band-and-vocal unit. Rudy Love's throaty vocals owe a bit to Sly Stone. Good all-around r&b listening. **Best cuts:** "Ain't Nothin' Spooky," "Shake Your Tail Feathers," "Does Your Mama Know," "Love Electricity."

DETROIT AFTER HOURS-Vol 1, Trix 3311. This adventurous attempt has paid off. Producer Pete Lowry went into an after-hours blues piano party in Detroit and recorded seven of its attendees. While almost all of them are unknowns, except Boogie Woogie Red, the music is outstanding. Best cuts: Check out all of them.

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BERNIE SENENSKY—New Life, P.M. PMR 006. Senensky is a well-known Canadian pianist whose credits include Art Farmer, Elvin Jones and Joe Williams. Surrounded by bassist Michel Donato and drummer Mary Morrell, Senensky plays exciting piano—sometimes electric, but mostly acoustic. His style is interesting, as his runs are similar to that of a saxophonist. Best cuts: "Lolito's Theme," "Another Gift," "B.B.," "New Life Blues," "Ronnie," "Beloved Gift."

HEINER STADLER-Jazz Alchemy, Labor LRS 7006, Although this LP is a little too esoteric for some tastes, it does have some moments that could excite even the most staunch traditional jazzman. Featuring a trio of Charles McGhee on one and sometimes two trumpets at the same time, bassist Richard Davis and drummer Brian Blake, the music is made up of six pieces for these instruments by composer musician Heiner Stadler. Best cuts: "Still Bebop," "Self Portrait."

LOUIS STEWART & PETER IND-Baubies, Bangles and Beads, Wave LP 12. This duet LP of guitar and bass is highly reminis-cent of the Jim Hall-Ron Carter sessions several years back Stewart is a newcomer with great promise. His guitar stylings. similar to Hall, Jim Raney and even Charlie Christian are very interesting—especially on the uptempo numbers. Ind is a bassist with several interesting moves up his sleeve. Best cuts: "Body And Soul," "Baubles, Bangles And Beads," "Loverman," "Gone With The Wind."

THE JIMMY DAWKINS BAND-Blisterstring, Delmark DS 641. Dawkins is a fine blues guitarist and this LP presents him in a natural setting—with his own quartet aided by famed pianist Sonny Thompson. His guitar work is sometimes quicker than quick and for the first time his vocals are beginning to become his own. FM stations should pick up on this album immediately. **Best cuts:** "Feel So Bad," "Chitlins Con Carne, "Blues With A Feeling," "Ode To Billie Joe."

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First Time Around

BYRON BERLINE & SUNDANCE, MCA, MCA-2217. One of the most successful albums attempting to combine elements of bluegrass country with a contemporary production sound. Berline, a fiddling and picking veteran of key country-rock pioneer groups, manages to lead his new aggregation into the commercial mainstream without sounding too much like the Eagles. The music is easygoing without being dull and makes

for enjoyable listening.

Best cuts: "Lea," "It Hurts So Much," "Cold In California," "Till I Gain Control Again." Dealers: Stock country and pop

HIGH COTTON, Island ILPS9395. It's hard to think of an other Southern rock horn band besides White Trash. But that's exactly what we have here, chockful of tasty jazz-rock riffs. The basic melody structure is elementary rock and the vocals could use more fullness. But there seems to be a lot of energy being channeled here via the Allen Toussaint co-production. This band ought to be able to generate enough per sonal appearance excitement to get somewhere if it can keep

s momentum building. Best cuts: "It All Feels The Same," "Up Yours Mother," 'This Time Around."

Dealers: Good hard rock material.

LA SEINE—Like The River, Ariola America ST-50008. Churning, sometimes thunderous metallic rock from a new group composed of veterans of other U.S. aggregations. Fortunately, the lyrics and the musical construction show that some originality is being brought to the form, rather than a rote repetition of old riffs. Its strongest point is the total sound of each song, rather than any individual singer or instrumentalist

Best cuts: "Tango All Night," "I Want To Believe In You,"
"Let Us Grow," "You Turn Me Around,"

Dealers: A good display bet for college-oriented shops.

Close-Up

JOAN ARMATRADING-A&M SP-4588.

With this, her third I.P. the emergence of Joan Armatrading as one of the most refreshing and talented songwriter/performers becomes apparent. The West Indies-born singer's previous album "Back To The Night" was critically acclaimed and her new LP should establish her as a most important female per-

This LP offers enormous crossover appeal, with each song as diverse in theme and vocal arrangement as its jazz, blues, gospel, pop and folk influences.

Armatrading's voice can be classified as a mix between Phoebe Snow and a funky Joni Mitchell, produc-ing a sound completely her own.

With the excellent production assistance of Glyn Johns, Armatrading appears to have reached her creative maturity, where her lyrically touching tunes work well with Johns' orchestrations.

The first cut, "Down To Zero." is a gospel sounding hymn to those who have reached the top, tasted success and quickly fallen "down to the ground" and back to reality. Armatrading's acoustic guitar and a backup of electric guitars permeates.

"Help Yourself" is a blues/jazz tune with Armatrading touching upon the vocal depth of Billie Holi-

Probably the best cut on the LP is "Water With The Wine," a highly poetic ballad with a most commercially appealing pop sound. Armatrading's lyrics are comparable to the best of Janis lan's and Joni Mitchell's funky love songs. Her vocal chords seem to vibrate, creating a unique sound that goes one step beyond Phoebe Snow

"Love And Affection" is a soul sounding ballad with a jazz flavor highlighted by an all too short sax solo by Jimmy Jewel.

Concluding the first side is "Save Me." which contains the best lyrics on the album and showcases Armatrading's songwriting abilities. The song is a well orchestrated and mellow probe of the human character done in a folk/blues vein.

Side two begins with "Join The Boys," in which a jazz introduction turns to a disco sounding rocker with a danceable beat. Vocally, Armatrading sounds unlike any of her previous tunes.

"Somebody Who Loves" is another lyrical love song similar to "Water And Wine" and one of the most thoroughly enjoyable cuts. Very pop oriented, Armatrading again takes on those Joni Mitchell voice inflections. Clever use of the mandolin and Armatrading's guitar further enhance this pretty lament.

"Like Fire" is a return to jazz and blues, with a good rhythmic assist-ance from drummer Dave Mattacks and slide guitarist Bryn Haworth.

The album concludes with "Tall In The Saddle," a blues lament to a former lover with remembrances of

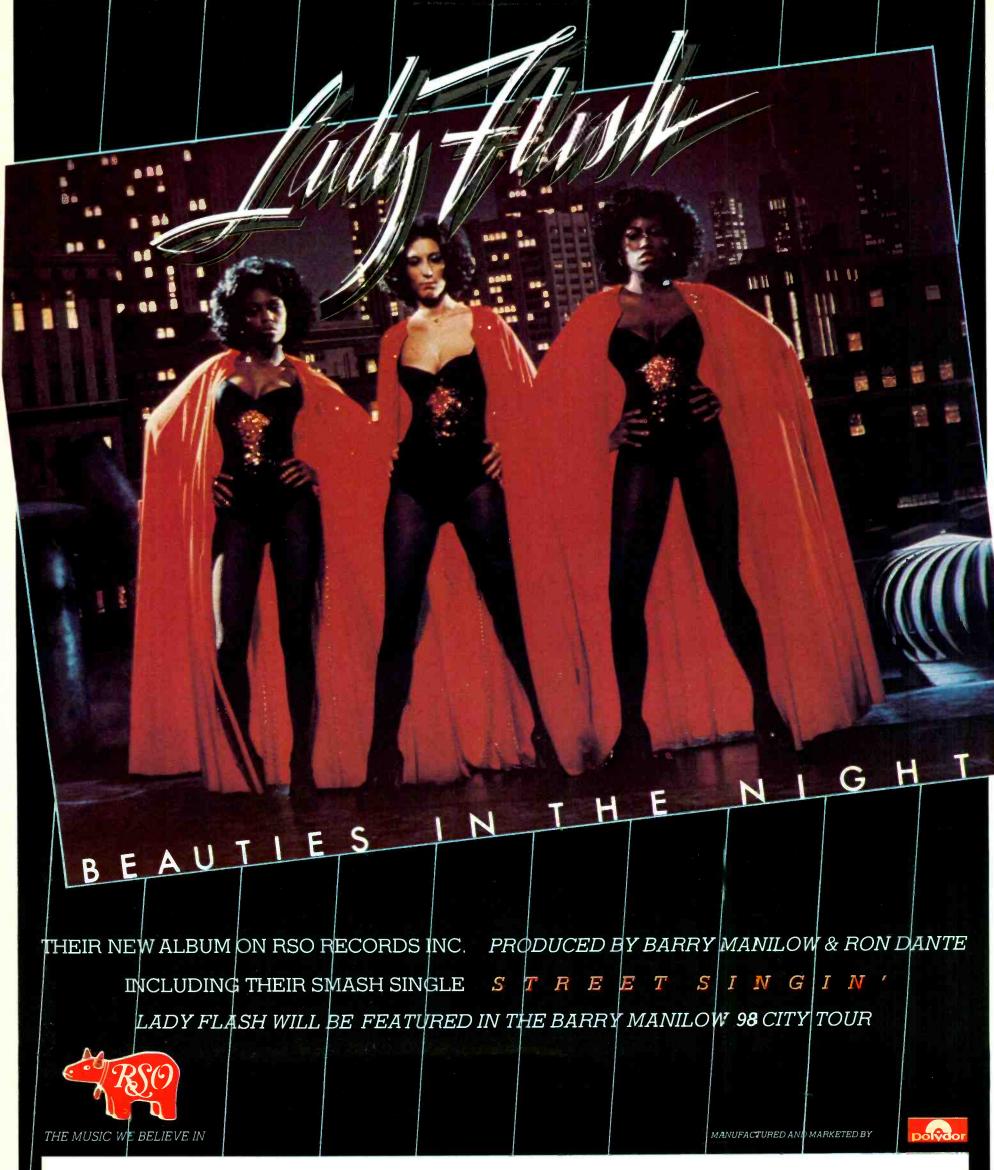
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"Joan Armatrading" is a brilliant work and it is only a matter of time before she gets the national recognition that is deservedly hers.

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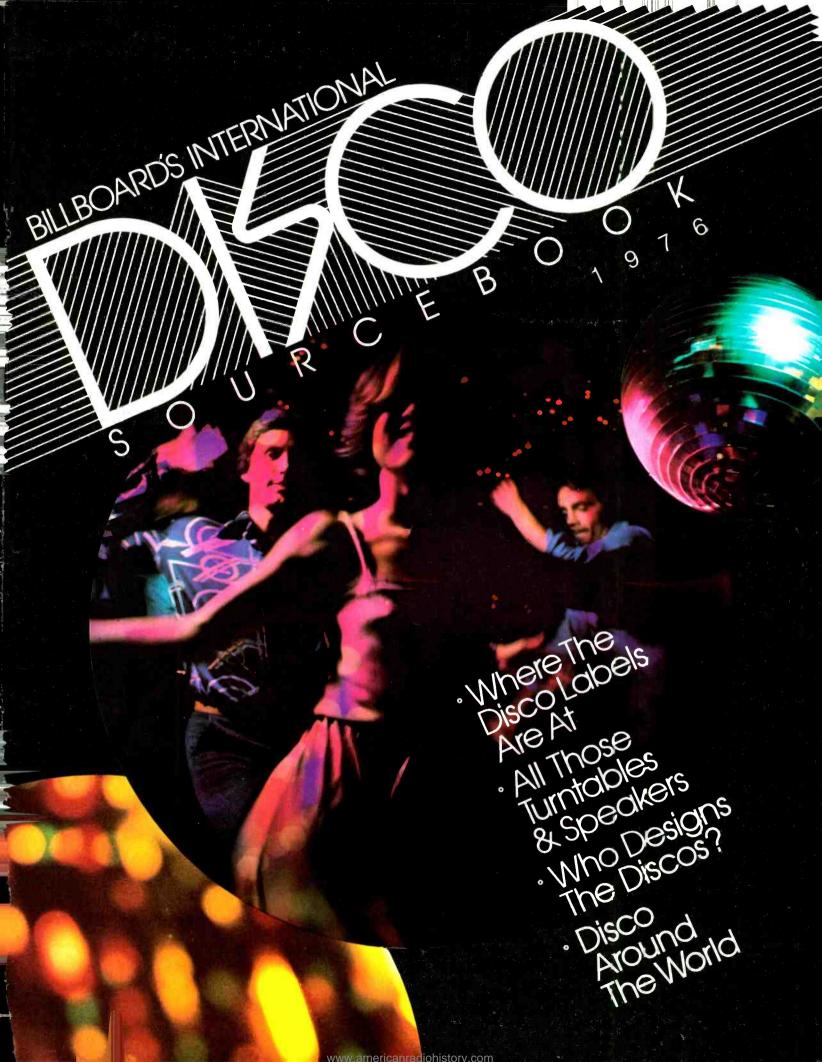
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Nightlife Of The Future

It probably all began because Americans, grown tired of the tedium of the placard-waving, slogan-shouting, message-carrying turmoil of the 1950s, ranted to laugh again, to dance again, to throw their heads back and groove again.

Initially, few observers understood the sweeping significance of the disco boom. Experts of the music industry, grown jaded by time and hyperbole, watched the revolution exploding upon them, mulled it, puzzled over it for a while, then moved to dismiss it as a rehash of a worn-out fad. In coing so they almost missed out.

But the best they were hearing would not go away. . . . it would not die. It was a new beat, exciting, innervating, moving even the passionless to emotional reponse. It was a beat which drew its energy from the parthiness of Latin music, and the relentless, energizing sensuality of African root. . . . and the people were responding, young and old, rich and poor, classy and tacky, all swept along by the joyous rush of musical madness known as disco.

Suddenly discotheques were mushrooming all over New York, and across the country, in hotel ballrooms, steak houses, old age homes, American Legion halls, bars, coffee houses, and old fire stations, and Americans were learning the rudiments of such loose and salacious dance steps as the hustle, the bump and salsa.

In the discotheques around New York where it all began, two songs, "Don't Rock The Boat," by the Hues Corporation, and "Rock Your Baby," by George McRae on the TK label, quietly turned themselves into monsters, and their artists into instant stars. In the process they also taught self-proclaimed music industry experts that there were still markets for successful record merchandising of which they had never dreamed.

Propeled by the sheer force of the disco revolution, these tunes, and others that followed, forced themselves out of the nocturnal environment of strobe lights, gyrating bodies and universal looseness, to the radio playlists and music charts of a startled industry.

Out of the disco-madness that engulfed America with the all consuming force of a fidal wave, new careers were launched, new jobs created, and ideas were sparked. From the midst of this swirl of excitement emerged a new breed of disk jockey, his skills honed to a fine point through awareness of the needs of the audience he served ... an awareness that embodied that uncanny knowledge of when an audience needed to be carried to the pinnacle of ecstass, or brought back to earth to luxuriate in the slow, laid-back beat of slose melody.

They also took the flip sides of records that seldom gained exposure on radic stations to their audiences, and created smash sensations for artists like Gloria Gaynor, whose "Never Can Say Goodbye" racked up sales of more than 150,000 copies in New York alone.

Secondary record companies, more daring than their major label counterparts, began latching onto the trend, and switched their production emphasis to specialization in disco product, thereby gaining unprecedented sales volumes.

As the discos expanded into other major cities like Boston, San Francisco. Los Angeles, Miami, Detroit, Chicago, Houston and Denver, peripheral industries also began to capitalize on the boom. For instance, the stereo component industry which, until discos came along, was drifting placidly—like the water of a becalmed lake, suddenly began reaping a harvest of fruitful gain through the supply of equipment to discos.

Others, the lighting equipment suppliers, interior decorators, package deal suppliers, and disco programmers also began sharing the profits.

Still there were the doubters, the myopic ones that refused to recognize that over one third of Billboard's "Hot 100" charts was comprised of disco product, that disco hits were being spun into gold

Cover scenes and those above from Big Daddy's in Marina del Rey, California with assistance of deejay Peanut and designers Michael Mulne and Brian Edwards of Creative Audio.

disks on the turn of a platter, and that the people's appetite for discomusic and dance was insatiable.

But even the dissenters are being forced into changing their attitudes. In the two short years of their existence, disco club grosses in this country have topped the \$4 billion a year mark, and the record industry, initially slow to action, is more and more reflecting the influence of the disco revolution.

Predictions for the future of this phenomenon include multi-entertainment centers that will feature dancing to disco deejay programming, live entertainment by key disco artists, audio/video disco shows, the creative use of lasers, and coin-operated machines for entertainment.

Disco music is still an embryo despite the radical changes it has brought to lifestyles, and to attitudes of participating businesses. As it moves through constantly changing styles and attitudes, more innovation is being brought into it. The original "disco" beat is changing, big band sounds are entering the scene, and even old ballads are being revived and given a new disco diess.

With this evolution, the word disco may eventually give way to a broader, more descriptive term. Nonethelass, it will remain inimitably, the music of the 1970s. One thing is certain, it is not a fad that will fade into the cobwebs of obscurty, but an unalterable fact that will move on to become a permanent fixture in the realms of phenomenal U.S. entertainment.





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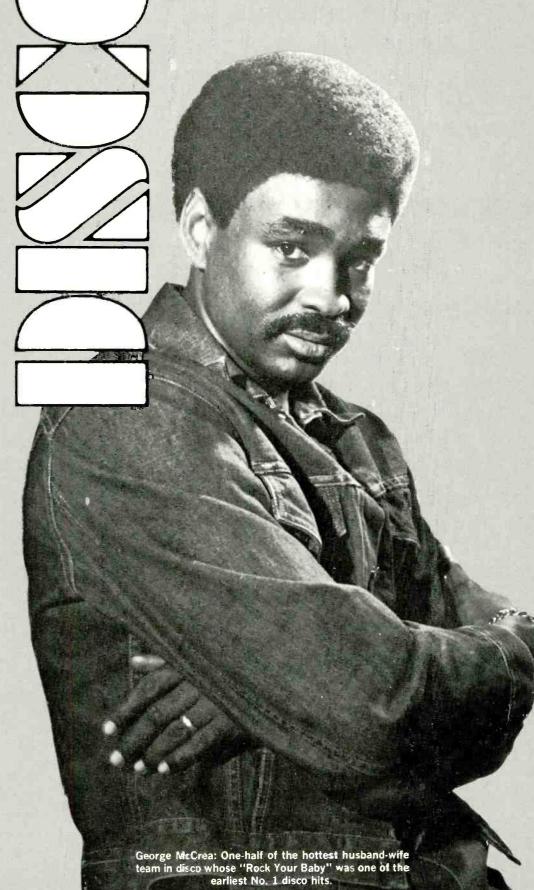




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Over 5000	11%

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Beer/Wine Only	11%
Drinks Only	16%
Beer/Wine & Drinks	68%

ADMISSION CHARGE:

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None	36%
\$.01-\$1	22%
\$1.01-\$2	26%
\$2.01-\$3	5%
Over\$3	11%

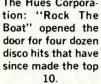
DUES (if club):

None	83%
\$1-\$99	15%
\$100-\$299	1%
\$300-\$500	0%
Over \$500	1%

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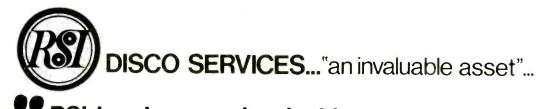






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Band (left) are the only
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disco to string together two consecutive No. 1 singles,
while Barry White
(top) had disco hits before they were called
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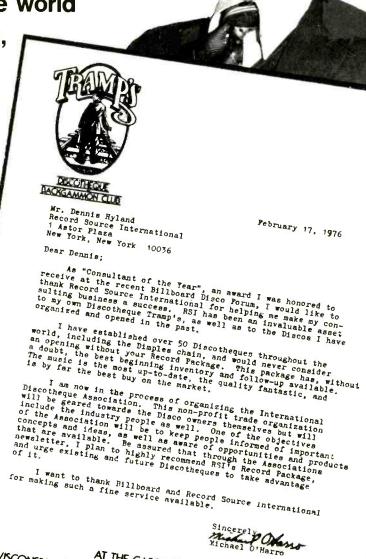
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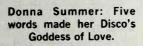
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Under 1500	25%
1500-2499	43%
2500-3499	9%
3500-5000	13%
Over 5000	10%

ALCOHOL:

No Alcohol	1%
Beer/Wine Only	23%
Drinks Only	15%
Beer/Wine & Drinks	61%

ADMISSION

CHARGE:	
None	7%
\$.01-\$1	11%
\$1.01-\$2	21%
\$2.01-\$3	21%
Over \$3	40%

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Hot Chocolate: Believing in miracles brought the group a twomonths in the top 10 single, Sexy "You Thing."

Blue Swede (left) brought that disco sound into the top 10 in 1974 with "Never My Love," while Elton John (below left) got disco, pop and soul play with his 1975 monster, "Philadelphia Freedom."



Silver Convention (left) broke in the discos with "Fly Robin Fly" and then took on r&b and pop with "Get Up And Boogie." The disco wave brought David Bowie (above) his only two top 10 singles and, yes, fame.

DUES (if club):	
None `	60%
\$1-\$99	34%
\$100-\$299	6%
\$300 <u>-</u> \$500	Λ%

Over \$500 0%

DAYS OPEN PER WEEK: Less than 5 10% 22% 5 6 18% 7 50%

CLOSING HOUR WEEKDAYS: Before 2 am

41% 2 am before 3 am 3 am before 4 am 33% 4 am or later

PERCENT DISCO MUSIC:

16% Under 60% 49% 60% Under 80% 31% 20% 10% 80% under 100% 0% 100%

CLUB STATUS:

Permanent 84% Mobile 14% 2% Permanent & Mobile

SQUARE FOOTAGE: Under 5.000

47% 5000-7499 29% 7% 7500-10.000 Over 10,000 17%

CLOSING HOUR WEEKENDS: NUMBER OF TITLES Before 2 am IN BASIC LIBRARY:

Under 500 18% 500-Under 1000 6% 1000-Under 2000 15% 2000-Under 3000 15% 46% 3000 or more

NUMBER OF TITLES ADDED PER WEEK:

Under 20 52% 31% 20 Under 30 30 Under 40 1% 40 or more 16%

OPENING HOUR WEEKENDS:

2 am before 3 am

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Under 40% 40% under 60%

PERCENT 45s:

11% 13% 60% under 80% 30% 80% of more 46%

PERCENT LPs:

82% Under 40% 40% under 60% 7% 5% 60% under 80% 80% or more 6%

PERCENT 12" 45s:

51% Under 5% 36% Over 5% 13%

PERCENT TAPES:

19% 0% Under 10% 44% 37% Over 10%

PERCENT BIG **BAND MUSIC:**

16% 0% Under 10% 50% Over 10% 34%

PERCENT OLDIES MUSIC:

8% 0% 22% Under 10% 10% Under 20% 33% 20% or more 37%

TYPICAL PRICE PAID FOR LPs:

Under \$3 3% \$3 under \$4 7% \$4 under \$5 3% 87% \$5 or more

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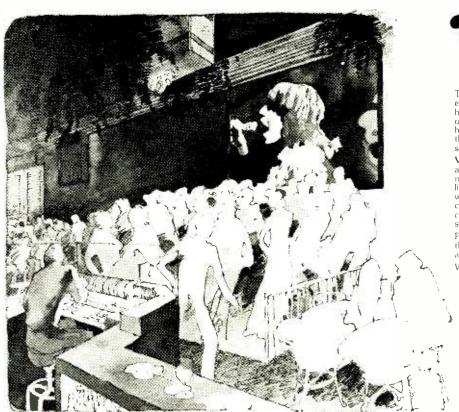
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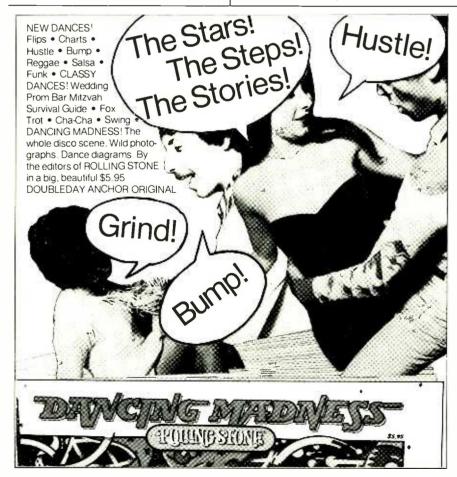
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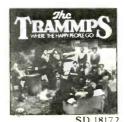
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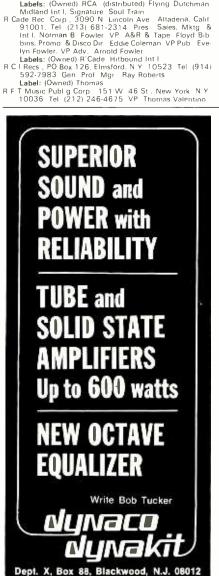
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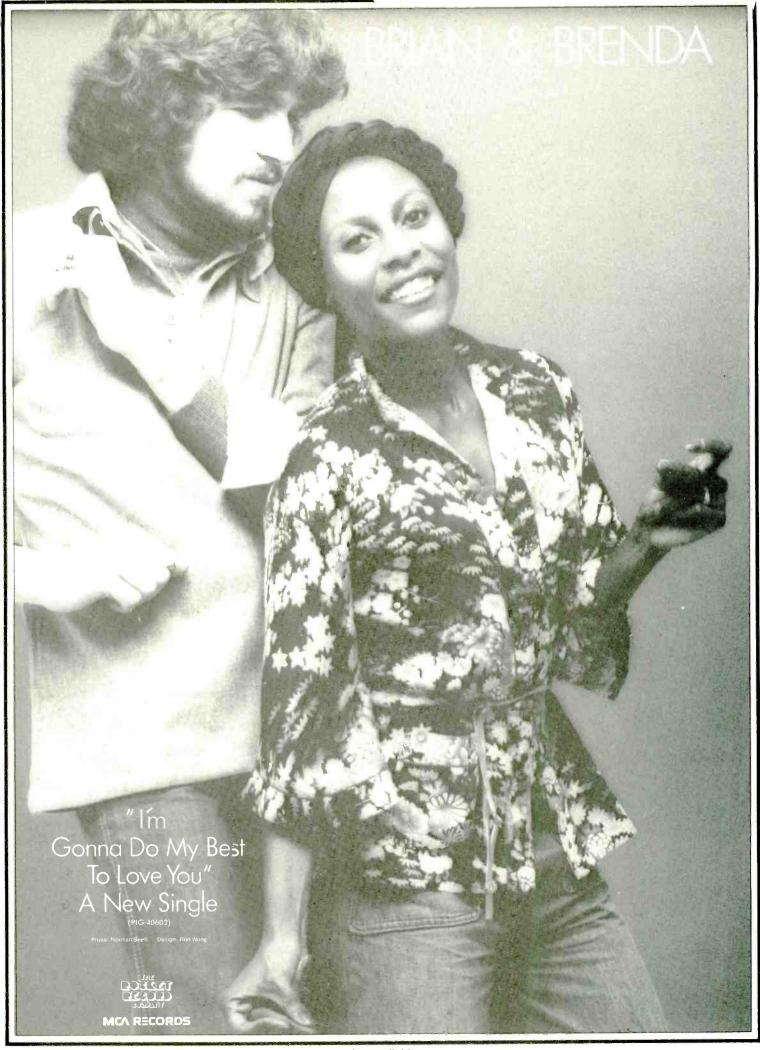
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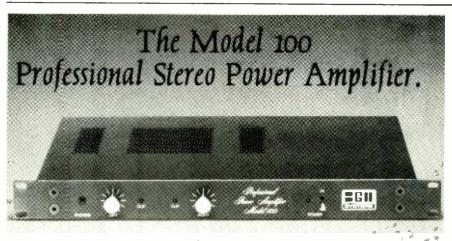
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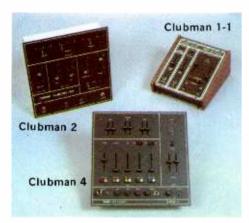
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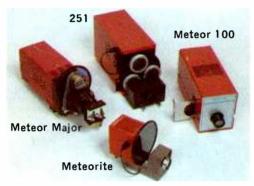


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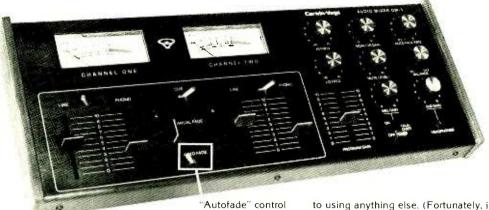
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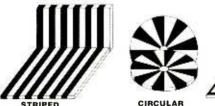
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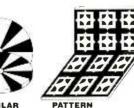
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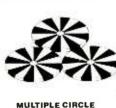
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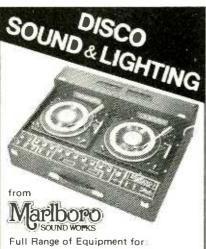
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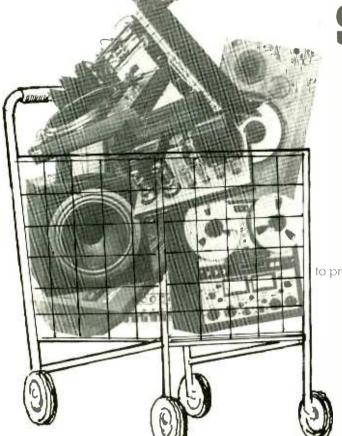
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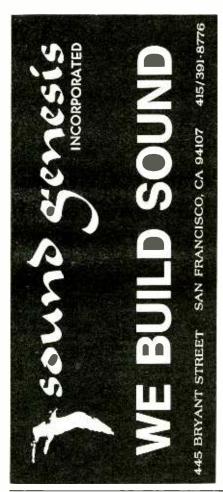
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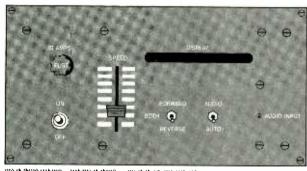
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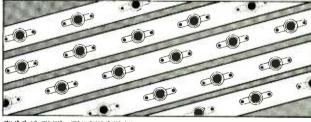
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Condenser
Technics By Panasonic (Panasonic Co.)
Electret
Thomson-CSF
Wireless

Univox (Unicord Inc.) Condenser, Dynamic

equalizers

A D C (Audio Dynamics Corp.)

Audioarts Engig Automated Processes Auto-Tec (United Research Lab. Corp.)

Bogen
Burwen
Cerwin-Vega
Disco-Voice (Disco Assocs, Inc.)

Dolby Dyma Dynaco

Dynakit (Dynaco Inc.)

Kits E S S Equasound Evans CDM

Custom Frazier Furman Sound

G L I (Gerantium Labs. Assocs.)

Heath
J V C America
Klein & Hummel (Gotham Audio Corp.)

Koehn M X R

Stereo Graphic Mariboro Mastering Lab (Audiotechniques Inc.)

McIntosh



Orban/Parasound
Parametric
Pioneer (US Pioneer Electronics Corp.)
Pultec (Pulse Techniques Inc.)
R C A
R I M (DTS-electro-acoustics)
20-Band Ramko Robins S A E Shure Soundcraftsmen Sound & Light Co. Southwest Technical Kits Speck
Audio Spectrum Control
Spectra Sonics Sultan Suntan
Suntan
Technical Audio
Technics By Panasonic (Panasonic Co.)
Thomson-CSF Dynamic Presence
U R E I (United Rec'g Electronics Inds.)
Universal Audio (United Rec'g Electronics Inds.) Univox (Unicord Inc.)

noise reducers

Advent A E G-Telefunken (Gotham Audio Corp.) Ampro Burwen d b x Dolby Dyma Evans CDM Custom Hartley Inovonics J V C America Phase Linea r Hase Linear Pioneer (US Pioneer Electronics Corp.) Sultan

decoders & demodulators

Audionics
Bang & Olufsen
CD-4
Dynaco
Dynakit (Dynaco Inc.)
G L I (Gerantum Labs. Assocs.)
J V C America
Marantz (Superscope Inc.)
Sansui
Southwest Technical
Kits Technics By Panasonic (Panasonic Co.)

headphones

A K G (Philips Audio Video Systems Corp., Audio Div.) Audio-Technica Beyer Dynamic (Meteor Light & Sound Co.) Califone Disco Sound Assocs. E S S Electronic Systems (IAV Standard) Koss Pickering
Pioneer (US Pioneer Electronics Corp.)
Rosner
_____ Custom

Sansui Sennheiser

Sony (Sony Corp of America) Sound & Light Co.

Stax (American Audioport Inc.)

Superex Technics By Panasonic (Panasonic Co.)

jukeboxes

Rock-Ola Rowe Seeburg

LIGHTING

chasers/sequencers

A-1 Amusement
Custom
Aluminerva (Design Circuit Inc.)
10 Channels
American Chase Lighting
From 4 Channels Apple Lighting
Up to 26 Channels
Audio Concepts
From 1-12 Channels

dimmer

Audio Visual Systems C C I (Design Circuit Inc.) 10 Channels Capitol 12-10-3 Channels Capron 10-6 Channels Cosmic Lights
10 Channels
Custom Designed (El Robbo s & Red Rooster Discos)
10 Channels DLS 5 10 Channels Digital Lighting 3 Channels Disco-A-I (Disco Assocs Inc.) 16-4 Channels Disco Scene Custom Disco-Technics Diversitronics 12, 4, 3 Channels Electronic Designers 10 3 Channels Entertronix 12-4 Channels Focalwest 10, 4 Channels Focus Lighting
10 Channels
Gilchrist
8-4 Channels Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp. & Exciting Lighting) Kliegi 9 Channels LTD Lightmaster (Audiotechniques Inc.) 6 Channels Lights Fantastic 10 Channels Litelab 10 Channels 4 & Expandable Channels Mastronix 16, 12, 8, 6, 4, 3 Channels Maytronics 8-4 Channels Meteor 10-4-3 Channels; Tenway Lines & Zoner Modules Mini-Markee 4, 3 Channels Mode (Nimrod Corp.) 10-4-3 Channels Packaged Lighting From 2 & 3 Channels Roctronics

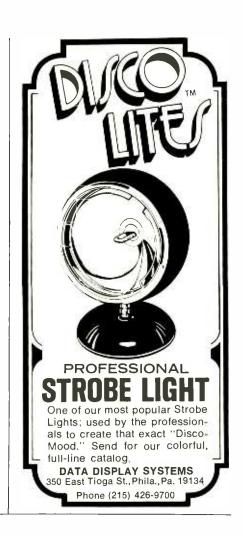
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Schoeler-Akustik (DTS-electro-acoustics)
Basic 4, Up to 12 Channels Science Workshop (Electronic Designers Inc.) Custom Smithall 10-4-3 Channels Roger Squire (Sound By Guy) 10 Channels Swivelier Swivelier
3 Channels
Times Square
12, 10, 4, 3 Channels
Toledo Theatre
12, 10, 4, 3 2 Channels
2001 Inds United Audio Visual Virgolight Up to 12 Channels Visco-1 8 Channels Waldo White 4 Channels Whiteline Design Yorkshire Custom color organs

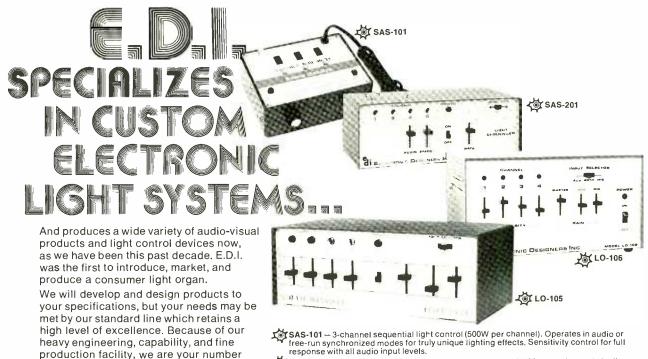
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Bllusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp & Exciting Lighting)

Janbridge 3 Channels Kliegl 9-3 Channels

L T D Lights Fantastic 3 Channels Litelab 4 Channels

Luna Lite (IMS Corp.) 3 Channels

Mariboro 3 & Expandable Channels Mastronix 8, 6, 4, 3 Channels

Maytronics 8-4 Channels

Meteor Sonalite 4, Sonalite 3 Zero 3000 Mode (Nimrod Corp.)

4-3 Channels

R | M (DTS-electro-acoustics)

Roctronics 3 Channels

Schoeler-Akustik (DTS-electro-acoustics)

Science Workshop (Electronic Designers Inc.)
Showco
Custom

Smithall 4-3 Channels

Roger Squire (Sound By Guy) 4 Channels

Swivelier

3 Channels



Virgolight 3 Channels Whiteline Design 4 Channels Yorkshire Custom

dimmer boards

American Chase Lighting Audio Visual Systems C C I (Design Circuit Inc.) Dimmer Fader Capitol Capron
Custom Designed (El Robbo s & Red Rooster Discos)
Digital Lighting Disco Scene Custom Disco-Technics Diversitronics Entertronix Focalwest Focus Lighting Gilchrist Hunt Husion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp & Exciting Lighting) Kliegel L T D Lightmaster (Audiotechniques Inc.)
McDonald s
Custom Meteor Mini-Markee Mode (Nimrod Corp.) Nimrod Packaged Lighting Pragmatech Roctronics Schoeler-Akustik (DTS-electro-acoustics) Science Workshop (Electronic Designers Inc.) Nimrod

Showco Custom Smithall

Smithall
Swivelier
Thumper
Custom
Times Square
Toledo Theatre
2001 Inds.
United Audio Visual
Virrollight Virgolight Whiteline Design

strobes

A-1 Amusement Custom
American Chase Lighting
Audio Concepts C C I (Design Circuit Inc.)

Neon C D S (Cherry! Disco Systems)

Ellipsoidal

Capitol
Custom Designed (El Robbo s & Red Rooster Discos)

D L S Digital Lighting Discotex Diversitronics

Electra Display Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp & Exciting Lighting)

Lights Fantastic Litelab Marlboro Mastronics Maytronics

Mini-Strobe, Midi-Strobe, Maxi-Strobe

Mini-Markee Nimrod Packaged Lighting

Roctronics Schoeler-Akustik (DTS-electro-acoustics) Audio-Controlled Smithall Roger Squire (Sound By Guy) Roger Squire (Sound By C Stroblite Times Square 2001 Inds Whiteline Design Xenon (IMS Corp.) Zenon (Decora Inds. Inc.)

lasers

Panacea Smithall

American Laser Capitol Cosmic Light Danserium Discotex Entertronix Focalwest fillusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp. & Exciting Lighting) L T D

Laser Physics

Lasertronix (Entertronix Inc.) Mastronix Meteor Lazer Effect Nimrod

Roger Squire (Sound By Guy) 2001 Inds.

ultraviolet/blacklight

Capitol Mercury Vapor, Fluorescent Capron Blacklight

Color-Glo (Invisible Ink Man)

Custom Designed (El Robbo's & Red Rooster Discos)

Entertronix

Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp. & Exciting Lighting) Luna Lite (IMS Corp.)

Blacklight Marlboro

Mastronix

Meteor Mini-Markee Nimrod

Packaged Lighting Roctronics Shannon

Stroblite

Times Square Toledo Theatre 2001 inds.

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Comic Lights
Freshel, Ellipsoidal
Custom Designed (El Robbo's & Red Rooster Discos)
Freshel, Ellipsoidal
D L S

Edmund Scientific

Budget Electro-Controls

Halo Kliegi Fresnel, Ellipsoidal

Mastronix McDonald's Custom: Fresnel, Ellipsoidal

Meteor Trilite Flood—Multi-Color

Nimrod Fresnel, Ellipsoidal

Packaged Lighting
Fresnel, Ellipsoidal
Roctronics
Fresnel, Ellipsoidal

Roxter

Pin Sights & Sounds

Smithall

Fresnel, Ellipsoidal

Swivelier Fresnel

Times Square Fresnel, Ellipsoidal 2001 Inds.

follow spot

Custom Designed (El Robbo's & Red Rooster Discos)

Electro-Controls

Kliegl McDonald's

Custom

Nimrod Packaged Lighting Roctronics

Smithall

Times Square 2001 Inds.

track

Audio Concepts C C I (Design Circuit Inc.) 10 Channels

Capitol

Cosmic Lights
Custom Designed (El Robbo's & Red Rooster Discos)
Digital Lighting

Globle Sound Custom Lightolier

Mastronix

McDonald's Custom

Meteor

Nimrod

Packaged Lighting Roxter Mini-Träckless

Swivelier

Times Square 2001 Inds Yorkshire Custom

strip

American Chase Lighting

Animated Display Creators

Audio Visual Systems
Bardwell & McAlister (SOS Photo Cine Optics Inc.)

Cosmic Lights Cosmic Lights
Custom Designed (El Robbo's & Red Rooster Discos)
Digital Lighting
Disco-A-I (Disco Assocs, Inc.)

Disco Scene Discotex Diversitronics Entertronix

Globle Sound Custom He & She Scene

Klieg! Lights Fantastic

Mastronix

McDonald's

Custom

Meteor 10 Channels w/Multi-Colors

Mini-Markee

Nimrod Motronics Packaged Lighting

Roctronics Smithall Swivelier Times Square

Toledo Theatre 2001 Inds. Yorkshire Custom

VISUAL **MATERIALS**

slide libraries

Apple Lighting Aristocrat Discotheques

Hand-painted Audio Visual Systems Blackstone Total Custom Production of Animated Slides; "Atmos-

pheres" — Multi-Media Environment California Group / Charles Burke

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DiscoSound

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McDonald's

Meteor
Colourmatic & Polamatic Kits (81 Slides)
The New York Corp.
Organ Grinder
Pana-Vue (GAF Corp.)
Pig Light Show
Roctoonics
Sounds Unlimited
Sound Unlimited Systems
2001 Prof ins
United Audio Visual
Visco-1

film libraries

Apple Lighting Super 8 Audio Visual Systems

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Discotex
Comedy, Sports, Historic
David Howcroft

16mm

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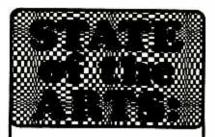
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PROJECTION SYSTEMS

film/movie projectors

Argus
Bell & Howell
Beseler
Buhl Projector
Super 8 Loop
Century Projector
Elmo
G A F
General Audio-Visual
I A V Standard
Kalart Victor
16mm
Kodak (Eastman Kodak Co.)
Marlboro
Optical Radiation
Tokiwa (SOS Photo Cine Optics Inc.)

large screen television/video projectors

Advent
Videobeam
Cinema IV (PM Systems Corp.)
Cinema-Vision (Wolfman Mason's Stereo Unlimited)
Global Video
Image Magnification
Kalart Victor
Magna-Screen (Visco-1 Inc.)
Magnum (Phoenix Mfg.)
Miami Projection
Muniz (Muntz-Elman Mfg. Inc.)
Plonta Cine-Vision (Melody Rec. g Corp.)
Projection Systems Inc
Tandom
Tele-Pro-Sys
Tele-Theatre
Video-Disco
Video-Master (Grant Screen TV Inc.)
Worldwide Entertainment

video tape recorders

Ampex
Concord (Benjamin Electronic Sound Co)
Hitach Shibaden
I V C (International Video Corp)
J V C Inds
Javelin
Panasonic
Philips Audio Video Systems Corp
R C A
Sanyo
Sony (Sony Corp of America)



Tele Mation Cassette

slide projectors

Argus
Beseler
G A F
General Audio-Visual
I A V Standard
Kliegi
Kodak (Eastman Kodak Co.)
E. Leitz
Charles Mayer
Optical Radiation
Q B C (Buhl Optical)
Sawyer's (GAF Corp.)
3 M Co. Visual Prods. Div.
Sound-on-Stide

screens

Capitol
Custom. Motor-Driven
Da-Lite
Table Top, Wall. Ceiling, Electric
Disco Sound Assocs
Custom Sprayed Flakeboard
Draper
Front or Rear—up to 30'x60'
Hudson Photographic
Front Projection—Up to 48"x96"
Kodak (Eastman Kodak Co.)
40"x40"
Charles Mayer
11'xx 14'
Raven
Saturn (Ideal Image Inc.)
High-Gain Video Front Projection
Stellar (Ideal Image Inc.)
High-Gain Video Front Projection
3 M Co., Visual Prods. Div.
Videobeam (Advent Corp.)
Wolfman Mason's Stereo Unlimited
4'x5' Aluminum Screen

special effects projectors

Blackstone
Polarized Animation, Total Custom Logos
Capitol
Danserrum
Lasers
Digital Lighting
Edmund Scientific
Including 2-Wheel
Electra Display
Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int I Corp & Exciting Lighting)
Impulse
Laser
Kliegl
Lightoiler
Lightoiler
Lightoiler
Lightoiler
Charlboro
Mastronix
Charles Mayer
Meteor
Nimrod
Omegatron (Matrix Ents.)
Organ Grinder
Pig Light Show
Roctronics
Swivelier
Times Square
Tutor II (Meteor Light & Sound Co.)
United Audio Visual

liquid projectors

Blackstone
Edmund Scientific
Electra Display
Focus Lighting
Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp & Exciting Lighting)
Lights Fantastic
Marlboro
Mastronix
McDonald's
Meteor
Nimrod
Omegatron (Matrix Ents)
Pig Light Show
Roctronics
Roger Squire (Sound By Guy)
Swivelier
Times Square
Tutor II (Meteor Light & Sound Co.)

projector attachments

Apple Lighting
Blackstone
Polarizers
Capitol
Lenses, Prisms, Cassettes, Wheels
Edmund Scientific
Electra Display
Focus Lighting
Liquid, Cassette for Kodak

General Eng'g Cassette Rotator Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp. & Exciting Lighting) Eclipses, Splodescopes Kliegl Lights Fantastic Trifect, Liquidsplode, Kinerama, Prism Rotators, Total Eclipse; Duoscope, Trio, Prism & Kaleidoscope Lenses; Liquid Wheels, Graphic Cassettes. Kinetic, Liquid for Kodak Marlboro Spinners, Revolver Units, Splitters, Kaleidoscopes, Cas-Prismatic, Polarizing McDonald's Prisms, Wheels, Kaleidoscopes Meteor
Cassettes, Liquisplode, Liquid & Effects Wheels, Po

lamatic, Trifect w/Cassettes, Prism Rotator, Total Edipse, Lazapulse, Mirror Attachment, Kinerama; Kalendoscope, Prism, Duoscope & Alternative Focusing Lenses; Duo, Trio & Prism Clip-On Lenses

Pig Light Show Prisms, Mirror, Color Roctronics Swivelier Lenses, Cassettes, etc.
Times Square
Kinerama, Prism Rotator Tutor II (Meteor Light & Sound Co.)

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Animated Display Creators Capitol

Mirror Balls, Mirror Showers

Capron Design Circuit

Digital Lighting

Custom
Disco Sound Assocs
Discotex
Edmund Scientific

Electra Display

Globle Sound

Custom

Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp. & Exciting Lighting)

KliegI Lights Fantastic Marlboro

Mastronix Mirror/Paddle (Cherry! Disco Systems)

Nimrod

Packaged Lighting Roctronics Sights & Sounds

Smithall

Sound Chamber Star Lite (IMS Corp.)

Sundance Times Square

bubble machines

Animated Display Creators Capitol Capron Digital Lighting Custom

Discotex

Electra Display
Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp. & Exciting Lighting)

Lights Fantastic Marlboro

Mastronix Nimrod

Packaged Lighting Roctronics

Smithall Times Square

fog machines

C D S Cloud 9 (Cherry! Disco Systems) Dry Ice: Remote Control

Capitol

Dry Ice & Liquid Capron Digital Lighting

Custom
Disco Sound Assocs

Discotex Electra Display

Focalwest

Focus Lighting

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Illusion (Illusion Lighting Int'l Corp. & Exciting Lighting)

Marlboro

Packaged Lighting Smithall Times Square Toledo Theatre Custom

signs: computerized/ psychedelic/ illuminated

Audio Visual Systems Blackstone

Polarized Display
C D S (Cherry! Disco Systems)
Centennial Collection (IMS Corp.)

Cosmic Lights

Computerized
Design Circuit
Custom

Digital Lighting

Custom Disco-A-I (Disco Assocs, Inc.)

Disco Scene Discotex

Electra Display

Entertronix Focalwest

Custom

Mastronix McDonald's Mini-Markee

Motion-Graphic (Matrix Ents.)

Motronics Pig Light Show

Roctronics

Showco Custom

Smithall

Sound Unlimited Systems Tarvin

Varaxon

Custom

Virgolight Whiteline Design

Yorkshire Custom

GAMES

video / electronic

A-1 Amusement Score Tables, Custom Cabinets
Allied Leisure

Allstates Atarı

Brunswick
Astro-Hockey
Chicago Coin (Chicago Dynamic Inds. Inc.)

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Video-Eye High (Do Your Own Light Show) Cocktail, Upright Midway Mirco Challenge, Skywar Murrey & Sons Pong Nutting Project Support Ramtek Sega Taito U.S. Billiards Cocktail—Shark, Survival, Upright—Shark United Games Venture Line Venture Technology Robot Volley, Wings Video-Disco Unisonic Visco-1 Wolfman Mason's Stereo Unlimited

pinball

World Wide Dists

Allied Leisure
Bally
Chicago Coin (Chicago Dynamic Inds Inc.)
Discotex
Electronic
Fascination
Gottlieb
Mirco
Spirit of 76

Playmatic (Universe Affiliated Int'l Inc.) Sega Venture Technology Super Flipper Williams

arcade

Allied Leisure
Amusement Electronics
Phaser Electronic Shooting Galleries
Bally
Brunswick
Karate, Photo-Finish
Chicago Coin (Chicago Dynamic Inds. Inc.)
Frantz
Irving Kaye
Meadows Games
Midway
Gun Machines. Driving Games
Mirco
Challenge. Skywar
Presentations South
Electronic Shooting Gallery
Sega
Taito
U B I
Urban Inds
Venture Technology
Star Hockey. Super Flipper

soccer/football (foosball)

Discotex
Electronic
Dynamo
Ebsco
Vulcan
Garlando (Empire Dist'g Inc.)
Irving Kaye
Super Soccer. Hurricane
Leisure Sports
American 76
Mirco
Champion Soccer
Murrey & Sons
Rene Pierre (Peabody's Inc.)
Footsball
U S Billiards
Air Foosball
United Financial
Valley
Pro-Soccer
Venture Technology
Star Hockey

air hockey

Brunswick Air-Hockey, Air-Handball Midway Murrey & Sons U S Billiards Aerojet Jockey, Air Jai Alai

bowling

Murrey & Sons U B I Williams

shuffleboard

American Shuffleboard Irving Kaye Satellite Murrey & Sons Williams

billiards/pool

American Shuffleboard
Brunswick
Dynamo
Ebonite
Fischer
Irving Kaye
Apollo, Stars & Stripes, Klub Pool
Murrey & Sons
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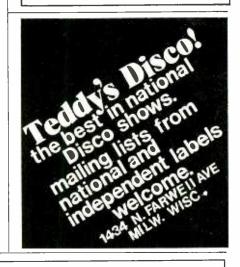
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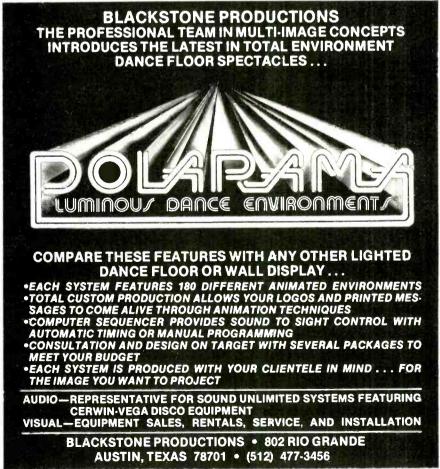
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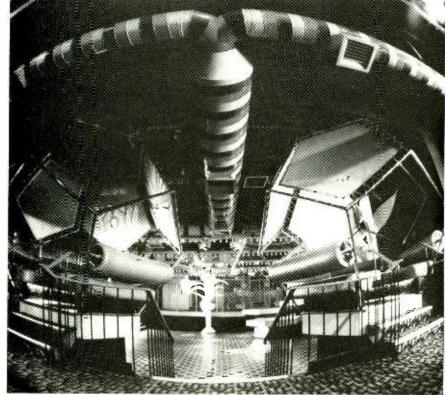
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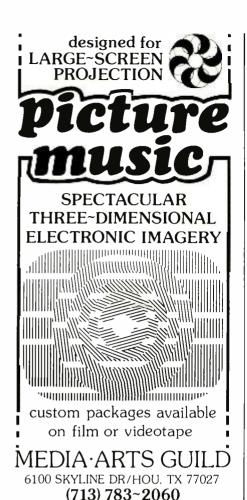
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E M !-Odeon SAIC. Mendoza 1660, Buenos Aires. Tel: 781-4061. Cable: TURNTABLE.

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Mercury, see Phonogram
Microfon Argentina SA, Lavalle 1430, Buenos Aires, Tel. 407010, 49-2560, Pres., Mario R, Kaminsky,
Labels: (Represented) Brunswick, Tamla Motown, 20th

Century (all USA). naso Rec. SA. Corrientes 1904-1906, Buenos Aires 1045. Tel 49-1704, 40-6836, 45-4503 Pres. Roger Lopez: VP Maria M. Vargas: Gen. Mgr.. Eduardo Jorge

Labels: (Represented) H & L. Kudu, Springboard (all

USA).
Philips, see Phonogram.
Phonogram SAIC. Calle Moreno 2038, Buenos Aires. Tel.
48-7709/5524/6728. Mng. Dir John Lear; Sales
Mgr.: Americo Severini.

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Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, Polydor; (represented/ Chelsea (USA), Chrysalis (UK), GTO (UK), Haven (USA), Island (UK), RSO (UK)

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R C A Ltd (Sucursal Argentina), Paroissien 3930. Buenos Aires. Tel 70-4171. Telex: 12-1230. Gen. Mgr.. Horacio Bulnes; Creative Mgr.: Mario Pizzurno, Sales Mgr.. Manuel Silva
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Labels: (Owned) CBS. Epic; (represented) Chess (USA).
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Labels: (Owned). Polydor. (represented). AZ (France). Babylon (USA). Chelsea (USA). Cube (UK). GTO (UK). Glades (USA). People (USA). RSO (UK). Ring-O' (UK). Purple. see EMI.

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Cosme Velho, Rio de Janeiro. Tel. 225-7110. Dir. Gen. David Catlin. Mercury, see Phonogram. Odeon SA (Industrias Eletricas & Musicais Fabrica). Rua Evaristo da Veiga. 20, 20000. Rio de Janeiro. Tel. 252-8032. Cable. TURNI ABLE. Labels: (Owned). Capitol. EMI. Odeon. (represented). ABC. (USA). A&M. (USA). Capitol. (USA). Dark. Horse. (USA). Decca. (UK). Deram. (UK). London. (UK). Ode. (USA). Threshold (UK). Philips. see Phonogram.

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America Tel 81-7667, 81-9883. Mgr Peter Klam

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Disc AZ, 32 Rue Francois 1, 75008 Paris Tel (01)
256 76.76 Telex 290496. Pres. Paul de Senneville:
Mng. Dir Jean-Louis Detty. Ass't to Mng. Dir. Monique Moulin, A&R Mgr. Jean Baudlot.

Labels: (Owned) AZ, (represented) 20th Century (USA).

EM. I, see Pathe Marcon EMI

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K-tel Int'l (France) & Co. 42-44 Rue Lamarck. 75018 Paris.
Tel. (01) 076.41.99 Dir. Gen. Mark Rosenfield
Mercury. see Phonogram
Musidisc-Europe. 99 Rue de la Republique, 92801 Puteaux.
Tel. 775.10.82. Telex. 63946 Pres. Dir. Gen. Philippe
Thomas: Artistique Dir.. Arnauld de Froberville. Promo.
Dir. Adde Joubel. Dir., Andre Joubert

Labels: (Represented) Cadet, Chess, Fantasy, Janus (all

Pathe Marconi EMI, 19 Rue Lord Byron, 75008 Paris. Tel (01) 225 53.00 Pres. Francois Minchin, Dir Gen Mi-

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Labels: (Owned) Pathe Marconi, EMI. (represented)
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(UK), Milestone (USA), PDU (Italy), RAK (UK), Soul
(USA), Tamla (USA),
Philips, see Phonogram SA, 24 Blvd. de l'Hopital, 75005 Paris. Tel (01)
707-7528, Pres Louis Hazan, Gen Mgr Jacques
Caillart: Sales Mgr. Marc Grandemange, Prod Mgr
Roger Maruani.
Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, (represented) Haven
(USA), Island (UK)

(USA), Island (UK)

Polydor SA, 2 Rue Cavallotti, 75882 Paris Cedex 18 Tel (01) 522.05.39, Telex 650522, Mng. Dir. Jacques Kerner; Sales Mgr. Marcel Mangin, Creative Servs. Mgr. Andre Asseo.

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Labels: (Owned) Polydor, (represented) Chelsea (USA).

Cube (UK), GTO (UK), Gull (UK), RSO (USA), Phil Spector Int'l (USA), State (UK), UK (UK)

R C A SA, 9 Av. Matignon, 75008 Paris Tel (01)

359,92,60. Mng Dir. Francois Dacla; Mktg. Mgr.:

Marc Exigar Sales Mgr.: Claude Caumeau.

Labels: (Owned) RCA, (represented) Fania. Flying

Dutchman, Kudu, Midland Int'l. TK, Tom Cat (all USA).

Societe Francaise du Son. 30 Rue Beaujon. 75008 Paris.

Tel (01) 924,19.01 Pres. E.W. Pelgrims de Bigard.

Labels: (Represented) Decca (UK), Deram (UK), London

(USA), Threshold (UK)

(USA), Threshold (UK)
United Artists (France) SA, 48 Av. Victor Hugo, 75783 Paris
Cedex 16, Tel. (01) 727.89 19 Telex 610617 LUA.

Pres. Eddie Adamis.

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Labels: (Owned) Blue Note, United Arrists.

Vogue PIP (Productions Int'les Phonographiques), 82 Rue
Maurice Grandcoing. 93430 Villetaneuse Tel (01)
752.73.00, Cable VOGDISC, Telex 620380, Pres.
Leon Cabat: Gen Mgr Cesar Rossini, Exec. & Mktg
Mgr. Andre Vidal, Sales Mgr. Simon Cabat, Int'l Label
Mgr. Jean-Noel Bourdier.

Labels: (Owned) Vogue, (represented) Fonit-Cetra (Italy), GNP Crescendo (USA), Pye (UK), Roadshow (USA), Roulette (USA), Scepter (USA), Som Copaca-

bana (Brazil)

W E A Filipacchi Music. 70 Av. des Champs-Elysees. 75008 Paris. Tel. (01): 359-12.90. Pres Daniel Filipacchi. Gen. Mgr.: Bernard de Bosson; Sales Mgr.: Geoffroy du

Distribution & accounting branch: 93 Montreuil, 18-30 Rue St. Antoine Labels: (Owned) Asylum. Atco, Atlantic. Elektra, Warner

Bros., (represented) Bronze (UK), Chrysalis (UK), Curtom (USA), Manticore (UK), Rolling Stones (USA).

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tems—Video Tape Recorders.

sasse, Zone Industrielle de Kergonan, 29200 Brest. Tel (98) 02 14 50. Pres. Georges Cabasse
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Canetti, 16 Rue d'Orleans, 92200 Neuilly-sur-Seine Tel
722.06.57 Product Audio-NEUMANN Microphones (Con-

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Product Audio—MUSIQUE INDUSTRIE (MI) Mixers.

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Product Audio—THORENS Turntables
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Product Audio—GARRARD Speakers, Turntables.
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phones. vox. 18 Rue de Nemours, 75011 Paris, Tel (01) Product. Audio-Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Equal-

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Harman-France. 21 Rue de l'Alouette. 94160 St Mande
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Product Audio—TEAC/TASCAM Mixers. Tape Recorders. JBL Amplitiers. Speakers. RABCO Turntables. EMPIRE Styli—Pickup
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Product Audio—STAX Amplitiers. Headphones. YAMAHA Amplitiers. Speakers. Headphones
High Fidelity Servs SA, 14 Rue Pierre Semard, 75009 Paris
Tel (01) 285.00.40
Product Audio—ALTEC-LANSING Mixers (10-6 Inputs.
2-1 Outputs). Amplifiers. Speakers. Microphones (Condenser, Dynamic & Ribbon). Equalizers. Planning/Construction—Consultants, Designers & Installers (Audio).
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Rungis-Cedex Tel 677,04 56 Pres Daniel Guy, Sales
Mgr. Jean-Claude Carre

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Melodium SA, 296 Rue Lecourbe. 75015 Paris Tel (01)
532.50.80. Pres Robert de Luca
Product Audio—Amplifiers. Speakers. Microphones
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(01) 270.30.90. Pres Michel Wetzel.
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C.B. S. Schallplatten. GmbH. Bleichstr. 64-66. D-6000 Frankfurt. Main. 1. Tel. (0611). 13051. Mng. Dir. Rudolf.
Wolpert. Mktg. Sales. Sr. Dir. Michael. H. von. Winterfeldt.

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Deutsche Grammophon Gesellschaft mbH (DGG) (sub of Polydor Int I GmbH). PO Box 301240, Hohe Bleichen 14-16, D-2000 Hamburg 36 Tel (040) 359-61 Telex (02) 163923
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Mgr Hinrich Behnke, Creative Servs Mgr Pali Meller
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Ampex Europa GmbH, Walter-Kolbstr. 9-11 D-6000 Frank-furt / Main Tel (0611) 6-05-81 Telex 413774 Product Audio—Mixers. Amplifiers. Speakers Tape Recorders Microphones (Dynamic). Projection Sys-tems—Video Tape Recorders Audiolive, Kyffhaeuserstr. 10 / 46-48 Cologne 1 Tel (0221) 23-09-10 430-14-25 Owner Klaus Schoen-bohm.

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Labels: (Represented) H&L (USA), Scepter (USA)

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Atlantic, see WEA

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Philadelphia Int I, United Artists (all USA), Bradley's
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Gull (both UK) Capitol, see EMI

Carosello CEMED Recs & Tapes, Galleria del Corso 4, 20122 Milan Tel (02) 794 746 Pres, Gruseppe Gra-mitto Ricci, Gen Mgr. Mario Rapallo Labels; (Owned) Frog. (represented) De-Lite (USA). Rou-

lette (USA) Decca Dischi Italia SpA, Via Brisa 3, 20123 Milan Tel (02) 874 048, 862 057 Labels: (Owned) Decca, Deram, London (represented) Threshold (UK)

Deram, see Decca

Derinin See December 2012 Milan Tel (02) 701 0108 1705 Pres & Gen Mgr Krikor Mintangian. A&R Aurelio Ajroldi. Sales Mgr Amleto Silvestri. Exec Int I Mgr Elisabel Mintangian Labels: (Distributed) Napoleon. (represented) Juptier (German) (Germany)

E M I Italiana SpA, Via Bergamo 315, 21042 Caronno Pertu-sella (Varese) Tel (02) 96.50 701 Cable EMITAL SA-RONNO Telex 33679 Mng Dir John Bush, Financial Branch: 00144 Rome, Viale dell'Oceano Pacifico 46

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Tel (06) 59 17 404 / 703 Cable EMIGRAM Telex

Labels: (Owned) EMI. Capitol, (represented) Arista, Bell. Casablanca Magnet, Private Stock RAK, Rocket

Casablanca Magnet, Private Stock RAK, Rocket Elektra, see WEA Epic, see CBS-Sugar Fiorucci SpA Via Giuseppe di Vittorio 32, 20094 Corsico (Milan) Tel (02) 4482 Contact C Colacicco (Importer, Promoter) Fonit-Cetra SpA, Via Bertola 34, 10122 Turin Tel (011) 57 53 Pres Renato Zaccone. Gen Mgr Giuseppe Lamberto, A&R Dir Mario Zanoletti Int I Dante Notti Branch: 00153 Rome, Via Pietro Roselli 4 Labels: (Represented) Fantasy (USA), Magnet (UK) Milestone (UK), Vogue (France)

Milestone (UK), Vogue (France)
Frog. Carosello.
London, see Decca
Mercury see Phonogram
Omnia SpA. Galleria del Corso. 4, 20122 Milan. Tel. (02)
702.466.701.168 Ming. Dir. Marcello Minerbh.
Label: (Owned) Napoleon (distributed by Durium)
P. D. U. Italiana SpA. Via Senato. 12, 20100 Milan. Tel. (02)
790.971. 783.114. Telex. 25111. Pres. G. Spress.
Gen. Mgr. Roy Tarranti.

Gen Mgr Roy Tarrant
Label: (Represented) Reggae Discotheque
Philips see Phonogram
Phonogram SpA Via Borgogna 2 20122 Milan Tel (02)
796 541 Telex 34096 Mng Dr Alain C Trossat
Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, Polydor (represented) Chelsea (USA), GTO (UK), Haver (USA), SSO (UK), Ring-O (UK), Phil Spector (UK) State (UK) 20th
Century (USA)

(OK) King-O (OK), Print Special (OK), State (OK) 25... Century (USA) Polydor, see Phonogram R C A SpA, PO Box 7158, 00100 Rome, Via Tiburtina, Km 12 00131 Rome Tel (06) 416 041 Telex 61428 Labels: (Owned) RCA Int I: (represented) Flying Dutch-

man (USA)

Record Source Int I (RSI). Piazzale Loreto 9, Milan Tel
28.29 158 Contact Germano Ruscitto (Record Serv-

ices)
Ricordi SpA (Dischi). Via Berchet 2, 20121 Milan Tel (02)
88 81 Pres Gianni Babini. Mng Dir Guido Rignano
Labels: (Owned) Ricordi. (represented) A&M (USA),
Bronze (UK). Buddah (USA), Chrysalis (UK), DJM (UK),
Dark Horse (UK). Jisland (UK), Mainstiream (USA). Manticore (UK). Ode (USA)
Ri-Fi Rec Co., SpA, Corso Buenos Aires 77, 20124 Milan
Tel (02) 273 641. Mng Dir & Gen Mgr. Giovanni
Battista Ansoldi, Int I Mgr. Gianfranco Finamore
Labels: (Represented) Motown. Rare Earth. Tamla (all
USA). Ember (UK).
Saar SrL, Valle di Porta Vercellina 14, 20123 Milan Tel (02)

Saar SrL, Viale di Porta Vercellina 14, 20123 Milan Tel (02) 46 96 251 Pres Walter Guertler, Gen. & Sales Mgr

46 96 251 Pres Walter Guertler. Gen. & Sales Mgr Sergio Balloni. Spark Italiana SrL, Piazza del Liberty 2, 20121 Milan. Tel (02) 796 180 Mng. Dir. Alboerto Carisch Sales Mgr. Romeo Frumento; Admin Mrs. J. Olmi Labels: (Owned) Spark. Blue Jean W. E. A. Italiana SpA. Galleria del Corso. 4, Milan. Tel. (02) 780-856, 780 471 Cable. WEAMIL. Mng. Dir. Giu-

Labels: (Owned) Asylum, Atlantic Elektra, Warner Bros Warner Bros , see WEA.

disco equipment & services

A E G-Telefunken SpA, Via Pirelli 12, 20124 Milan Tei (02) 62 66 Pres Dr. F Angeloni, Sales Mgr. L Tringali, Electroacoustical Dept Chief. Angelo Bosco. Product. Audio—TELEFUNKEN Mixers, Disk Jockey Units/Decks, Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers, Microphones (Condenser, Dynamic. & Ribbon), Equalizers, Noise. Reducers.

Reducers.

Ampex Italiana SpA. Via Flavio Domiziano 10, 00145 Rome Tel (06) 513 8341 Telex. 61492

Branch: 20121 Milan, Via Turati 6 Tel (02) 65 15 41. Telex 35246.

Product Audio—Mixers. Amplifiers. Speakers. Tape Recorders, Microphones (Dynamic). Projection Systems—Video Tape Recorders.

Audio Prods Int I, Via G. Spontini 3, 20131 Milan Tel (02) 27 38 96. 22 81.20 Pres. G. Munafo. Sales Mgr. Roberto Beppato

27 38 96. 22 81.20 Pres G Munafo, Sales Mgr Roberto Beppato Product Audio—INTERFACE Mixers, STUDER Mixers, Tape Recorders, TRIDENT Mixers, EASTLAKE Ampli-fiers Speakers, NEUMANN Microphones (Condense; ORBAN PARASOUND Equalizers, DOLBY Noise Redu-cers, CBS SQ Decoders & Demodulators Davoli Krundaal, Via F Lombard 6-8, 43100 Parma Tel (0521) 73606

Product Audio—Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Microphones.

Exhibo Italiana SrL, Via F. Frisi 22, 20052 Monza. Tel. (039) 36 00 21. Pres. Dr. Anguissola D. Altoe, Sales Mgr.

36 00 21 Pres Dr. Anguissola D'Altoe, Sales Mgr Ing Granito Product Audio—FAYLON Mixers, Equalizers, STELLA-VOX Mixers, Tape Recorders, SENNHEISER Amplifiers, Microphones (Condenser & Dynamic), Headphones, HIFI Galactron Int'l. Via Quarto Negroni 18, Rome Gen Mgr M Romita, Sales Mgr E. Bijl, Adv Mgr G. Lojo-tico.

Product Audio-Mixers, Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers,

Tuners, Equalizers
Italtel Società Italian Telecomunicazioni SpA, Via Alessio di Tocqueville 13, 20154 Milan Tel (02) 43881.
Product Audio—Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Equalization

Product Audio—Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Equalizers
Laboacustica SrL, Via Luigi Settembrini 9, 00195 Rome, Tel. (06) 355,506, 381,965.
Product Audio—TATE Mixers, SQ Decoders & Demodulators; WHARFEDALE Speakers, NAGRA Tape, Recorders, Microphones (Condenser, Dynamic & Ribbon), AUDIO & DESIGN Equalizers, MIKROFONBAU Headphones, Projection Systems—EAI Visual Educom Visitos, Tapas Pagendor.

Video Tape Recorders.
Roje Telecomunicazioni SpA. Via Sant Anatalone 15, 20147

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Milan, Tel: (02) 415.4141. Chief Execs.. C, Roje, E Tunesi, Sales Mgr. Alberto Albertini Product. Audio—CADAC Mixers: AMT Pre-Amplifiers, Turntables, Tonearms, Phono Cartridges, KLEIN & HUMMEL Speakers, Equalizers: LYREC Tape Recorders, SCHOEPS Microphones (Condenser): AUDIO & DESIGN Equalizers, Noise Reducers.

Siemens (Societa Italiana Telecomunicazioni) SpA, Piazzale Zavattari 12, 20149 Milan Tel (02) 43 881. Product: Audio—Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Tape Recorders, Equalizers.

JAPAN

record companies with disco product

Asylum, see Warner Pioneer.

Atlantic, see Warner Pioneer

Attantic, see Warner Pioneer.

CB 5/Sony Inc., 1-4 (Lehigaya-Tamachi, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 162 Tel: (03) 266-5801, Telex J24766, Pres. Norio Ohga: Mng. Dir. Toshio Ozawa: Gen. Mgr. Tatsu Nozaki, Sales Mgr. Shugo Matsuo.

Labels: (Represented) CBS (worldwide). Columbia. Epic. Golden Fleece, Invictus, Maintream, Philadelphia Int'i, T-Neck, TSOP, Thunder (all USA).

Cosdel (Japan) Ltd., Hibiya Park Bldg., 1.8-1 Yuraku-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100 Tel: (03) 271-5861. Labels: (Represented) Durium (Italy), Ranwood (USA)

Elektra, see Warner Pioneer.

Japan Soul Agency, Mena Co-op, 1-13-18 Ghotokuji, Seta-gaya-ku, Tokyo 154, Tel. (01) 426-4333 VP Kazuo Akimoto.

K-tel Int'l (Japan) Ltd., Nihombashi Bldg., 1-2-8 Nihombashi, Tokyo 103. Tel: (03) 274-4391. Gen. Mgr Shogo Ishii

King Rec Co Ltd., 5-40-8 Otsuka, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo Tel (03) 945-2131. Pres. Kazumitsu Machijiri, Gen Mgr Minoru Suzuki. Labels: (Represented) A&M, 20th Century. United Art-

ists (all USA); Decca (UK).

Mercury, see Nippon Phonogram

Mercury. see Nippon Phonogram

Nippon Columbia Co., Ltd., 4-14-14 Akasaka, Minato-ku,
Tokyo 107, Tel (03) 584-8111 Telex 22591 Chm
Kiyoshi Nishi; Pres., Takami Shobochi; Rec, Div. Dir. &
Gen., Mgr. Toshio Kikutsugi, Dir. & Sales Gen. Mgr.
Mitsugu Kumamoto: Admin. Mgr., Tamotsu Hanzawa,
Int'l Repertoire Gen. Mgr., Toshiniko Hirahara, Int'l
Repertoire Deputy Gen., Mgr., Tohru Iwamoto, Licensing Mgr., Hajime Saito.

Labels: (Represented) ABC (USA), Ariola-Eurodisc (Germany), Buddah (USA), Roulette (USA), Virgin (UK)
Nippon Phonogram Co., Ltd., Wako Bildg., 4-8-5 Roppongi,
Minato-ku, Tokyo 106. Tel (03) 403-7511. Cable
NIPHILDISC. Pres., Nobuya Itoh; Sales Mgr., H., Koizumi; Int'l Repertoire Mgr. T., Sekiguchi,
Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, (represented) Haven
(USA), Microfon (Argentina).

(USA), Microfon (Argentina).
Philips, see Nippon Phonogram.
Pioneer, see Warner Pioneer.
Polydor KK. 1-8-4 Ohashi Meguro-ku, Tokyo 153, Tel (03)
462-5131. Pres. Seiichiro Köh, Ming Dir. Motosuke
Tachikawa: Mktg Mgr., Takao Mori, A&R Mgr., Yasuhiro Igarashi, Pop Labah Mgr., Yataro bushi.
Labels: (Owned) Polydor, (represented) Chelsea (USA),
GTO (UK), RSO (UK), Ricordi (Italy), Ring-O (UK), State

(UK).
Teichiku Recs Co Ltd., 1-2 Nishi-shimbashi, Minato-ku,
Tokyo 105 Tel (03) 502-6651 Pres Shigeji Nanko,
Gen., Int'l & Copyright Div. Mgr. Ichiro Kinoue; Sales
Mgr. Minori Ozaki.

Mgr Minori Ozaki.

Labels: (Represented) BBC (UK). Bradley's (UK). Pye (UK). Septer (USA).

10 Recs. Co. Ltd., 1-2-1 Yuraku-cho. Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100. Tel (03) 503-9531 Pres.: Yutaka Shibayama: Gen. Mgr.: Kazuo Hasegawa: A&R Dir.. Takio Akiyama. Sales Mgr. Suehiro Yoshimura.

Labels: (Represented) Black Jazz (USA). Vogue (France).

(France).

Tokuma Musical Inds Co Ltd., 1-2-2 Iwamoto-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101. Tel (03) B62-1381. Pres Yasuyoshi Tokuma. Gen Mgr., Masatoshi Kimura; Sales
Mgr.; Kikumi Kuwata; Int'l Div. Chief Mgr.; Takafumi
Ohkuma; Pop / Jazz Chief Dir. Daniel Nenishkis.

Labels: (Represented) Ember (UK), Strata-East (USA)

Toshiba-EMI Ltd., 2-2-17 Akasaka, Minato-ku, Tokyo 107
Tel (03) 5B5-1111. Pres Noboru Takamiya, Mng
Dirs. H. Tsurumi, M. Kawai.

Labels: (Represented) Arista, Blue Note, Capitol. DeLite, Private Stock (all USA), DJM, EMI, Island, RAK.
Rocket (all UK).

Victor Musical Inds. Inc., Harajuku-Piazza Bldg., 4-26-18

Lite. Private Stock (all USA). DJM, EMI, Island, RAK. Rocket (all UK).
Victor Musical Inds. Inc.. Harajuku-Piazza Bldg., 4-26-18 Jingumae. Shibuya-ku, Tokyo 150. Tel (03) 405-5151 Cable VICRECORD. Telex 242-4293 Pres Toshio Yagisawa. Exec. Dir. Katsunori Kasajima. Gen Mgr. Fumio Shimazaki. Sales Mgr. Tadashi Ohota: Int'l Mng. Dir. Shoo Kaneko
Labels: (Represented). Ariola America. Blue Thumb, Casablanca. Fantasy. H&L. Janus. MCA. Milestone. Motown. Musicor. Ramwood. Phil Spector Int I (all USA). Durum (Italy). Trova (Argentina)
Warner Bros.. see Warner Pioneer
Warner Pioneer Corp. Fuji Bldg., 4-10-11 Roppongi, Minato-ku, Tokyo 106. Tel: (03) 401-7131. Cable WARB-PIONER. Telex. J26876. Pres. Shin Watanabe. Mng. Dirs.. Jushiro Matsuda. Keith Bruce. Int'l A&R Mgr. Hiroki Imao. A&R & Promo. Dir. Tesus Aoyagi.
Labels: (Owned). Asylum. Atlantic. Elektra, Pioneer, Warner Bros. (represented) Bronze (UK), LMN (France). Manticore (UK), Rolling Stones (USA)

disco equipment & services

Aiwa Co, Ltd., 3-24-13 Yushima, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 113 Tel. (03) 835-1201. Pres Yusuke Sambe. Sales Mgr Akira Suzuki: Sales Planning Dept Mgr Nobuhiko Kawamura

Product Audio—Receivers, Speakers, Turntables, Microphones (Condenser, Dynamic & Ribbon), Head-

phones
Dai Ichi Tsushin Kogyo KK, 4-13-3 Osaki, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo 141, Teli (03) 491-2001 Pres Yoshihiro Yamaguchi
Product Audio—McAUDI Mixers.
Japan Soul Agency, Mena Co-op, 1-13-18 Ghotokuji, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo 154 Tel (01) 426-4333, VP Kazuo Akimoto.
Product Planning (Caracaia)

Product: Planning/Construction—Consultants, De-

Product: Planning/Construction—Consultants, Designers
Matsushita Electric Ind I Co. Ltd., PO Box 288, Osaka Central, 1006 Kadoma, Osaka 571 Tet (06) 908-1121
Pres. Masaharu Matsushita.
Product Audio—NATIONAL Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Turntables, Microphones, Equalizers, Headphones.
PANASONIC Mixers, Speakers, Turntables, Headphones; TECHNICS Mixers, Speakers, Turntables, Stylt—Pickup, Tape Recorders, Headpones, Projection
Systems—NATIONAL & PANASONIC Video Tape
Recorders Recorders.

Recorders.

Nippon Columbia Co. Ltd., 4-14-14 Akasaka, Minato-ku.

Tokyo 107 Tel. (03) 584-8111 Pres. Takami Shobochi, Int I Trade Div. Deputy Gen. Mgr. Takayasu Yoshida.

Product Audio—DENON Amplifiers. Pre-Amplifiers, Tuners, Receivers, Speakers, Turntables, Tonearms Phono Cartridges, Styli—Pickup, Tape Recorders, De

Phono Cartridges, Styll—Pickup, Tape Mecorders, Decoders & Demodulators

Otari Electric Co. Ltd., 4-29-18 Minami Ogikubo, Suginamiku, Tokyo 167 Tel: (03) 333-9631 Pres. Masayuki Hosoda: Mgr. Koya Sano
Product, Audio—Tape Recorders.

Primo Co. Ltd., 6-25-1 Mure, Mitaka-shi, Tokyo 181 Tel (0422) 43-3121 Pres. Ichizo Shirota.

Product Audio—Microphones (Condenser, Dynamic & Bibboal.)

Ribbon).

Record Source Int i (RSI), c/o Music Labo Inc., 4F Atlantic Bidg, 2-3-3 Azabudai, Minato-ku, Tokyo 106 Tel (01) 585-3368. Contact Alex Abramoff. (Record Services) 5ansui Electric Co. Ltd, 2-14-1 Izumi, Sugmami, Tokyo 168. Tel (03) 323-1111. Pres Keizo Fujiwara; QS Research & Promo Mgr. Ryosuke Ito. Branch: 11-23 Shimorenjaku, Mitaka-shi, Tokyo 181 Product Audio—Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers, Tuners, Receivers, Speakers, Turntables, QS Decoders & Demodulators, Headphones.

Sega Ents, Inc., PO Box 63, Tokyo 149. Pres. David Rosen, VP, Harry M. Kane.

VP. Harry M. Kane
Product Games—SEGA Video/Electronic, Pinball, Arcade, WILLIAMS Pinball.
Sony Corp., 6-7-35 Kita Shinagawa, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo
141 Tel (03) 448-2111. Pres. Kazuo Iwama, Sony
Shoji Corp. Pres. Norio Ohga, Adv. Mgr. Yasuo Kuroki,
Ass't Mgr. Mitsuru Ohki.
Product Audio—Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers. Turntables, Tape Recorders, Microphones (Condenser & Dynamic), Decoders & Demodulators, Headphones. Projection Systems—Video Tape Recorders
Taito Corp., Central PO Box 1164, Tokyo 100-91, 2-5-3
Hirakawa-cho, Chyoda-ku, Tokyo, 260e EPTRA, Telex

Hirakawa-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo. Cable EPTRA. Telex 22931.

22931.
Product Games—Video/Electronic Arcade
Tamura Seisakusho Co Ltd., Foreign Dept., 1-10-3 Shin-juku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo Tel (03) 356-7211, Pres Itsuya Tamura, Sales Mgr Junichi Noda; Adv Mgr Toshio Ishizaki.

Product Audio-Mixers (12-4 Inputs, 4-1 Outputs).

Product Audio—Mixers (12-4 Inputs, 4-1 Outpurs). Equalizers.

Teac Corp., 3-7-3 Naka-cho, Musashino-shi, Tokyo 180 Tel (0422) 53-1111 Pres.: Katsuma Tani, Sales Mgr Norio Tamura, Adv. Mgr Yoshiro Kuroe Product, Audio—TEAC & TASCAM Tape Recorders.

Projection Systems—TEAC Video Tape Recorders.

Tokyo Ko On Dempa KK, 723 Futako, Takatsu-ku, Kawasaki, 213 Tel; (044) 833-0511 Pres. Tsuneo Okuyama Product Audio—KO ON Headphones

NETHERLANDS

record companies with disco product

Ariola-Eurodisc Benelux BV, PO Box 6033, Kenaustr. 1-3. Haarlem. Tel. (023) 31-92-90. Telex. 41385. Mng. Dir. Wim Schipper, Deputy Mng. Dir.: Anton Witkamp. Labels: (Represented) ABC (USA), A&M (USA). Blue Thumb (USA), Bradley's (UK), Bronze (UK), Dark Horse (UK) Firefly (UK), H&L (USA), Island (UK), Magnet (UK), Manticore (UK), Ode (USA), Virgin (UK) Asylum, see WEA

Asylum, see WEA
Atlantic, see WEA,
B A S F Nederland BV PO Box 1019, Kadestr, 1, Arnhem
Tel; (085) 71-71-71. Telex 45111, Pres R A W,
Slicher; Mgr. W J.L. van Workum; A&R Mgr. A,C
Klimmert; Sales Mgr. G J. Brouwer Pub Mgr., W.S,
Hillenius; Promo, Mgr. L.T W, Vegter,
Labels: (Represented) Dart, President (both UK)
Barclay Nederland NV, Jacobus Pennweg 24, Hilversum
Tel. (02150) 4-80-46, Telex, 43013 Dir. B R Maas-sen

Labels: (Owned) Barclay, Riviera: (represented) Brunswick, Buddah, Dakar, (all USA): Soul Posters (France) art Recs. Int'l BV, PO Box 338, Flevolaan 41, Naarden Tel. (O2159) 4-62-66. Cable EDITORAS Telex 43191 Dir. F. Basart: Ass't Dir. Paul van Rossum. A&R Mgr. Tony Berk, Sales Mgr. B. Stoppelman, Aftist Relations. Jose Marcello: Press Relations. Willem Jan v.d. Wetering: Promo Mgr. Ton van den Bremer Labels: (Owned) Papillon, Park, Poker. (represented) Chorolate City (USA).

Labels: (Owned) Papillon, Park, Poker, (represented) Chocolate City (USA).

Benelux Music Inds., PO Box 70, Uilenweg 38, Weert Tel (4950) 3-56-40, Telex. 51285, Pres. Johnny Hoes, A&R Jacquie Hoes; Gen. Mgr. Hans Timman Labels: (Represented) Blue Jean, Spark (both UK) C B S Grammofoonplaten BV, Stationsplein 82-84, Haarlem Tel (023) 31-92-50, Cable COLRECORD Telex 41051 Gen Mgr. John J Vis, Sales Mgr. George Bischoff, Mktg., Bus Affairs & Special Prods. Dir. Paul F.F. Tesselaar.

Labels: (Owned) CBS, Epic; (represented) DJM (UK), Invited (USA). Philadelphia Int. (USA)

victus (USA), Philadelphia Int I (USA)

C N R (BV Grammofoonplatenmaatschapii), Rembrandtstr.

17-23, Leiden Tel: (01710) 4-42-44 Cable CENER
Telex 32686

Labels: (Represented) Ricordi (Italy). Telefunken (Germany) Capitol, see EMI-Bovema

Capitol, see EMI-Bovema
Decca Distributie BV (Hollandsche), PO Box 7104, Drentestr
11, Amsterdam, Tel. (020) 44-08-88. Telex. 12038.
Mng. Dir., Bill Barents; Pop. A&R. Otto Vriezenberg,
Mktg. Mgr. Rob. Edwards, Nat'l Repertoire. Rene
Stokvis, Pop. Repertoire Prod., Mgr. Hein Hoefnagels
Labels; (Owned). Deram, London, Threshold, (represented). Bang, Hi, LeCam (all USA).
Deram, see Decca.

Deram, see Decca Dureco (Dutch Rec. Co.). Pampuslaan 45, Weesp Tel (02940) 15321. Cable RECMUS Telex 14409 Labels: (Represented) Kudu (USA). Milestone (USA).

Top Tape (Brazil)

i op Tape (trazii)
EM I-Bovema BV, Tulpenkade 1, Haarlem, Tel. (23) 31-9380 Telex. 41257. Mng. Dir.. Roel R. Kruize; Gen. Mgr..
Cees den Daas; Sales Mgr.. Jan Gaasterland
Labels; (Owned) EMI, Capitol; (represented) Arista. Blue.
Note. Fantasy, Gordy, MCA, Musicor. Private. Stock,
RAK, Rare Earth, Rocket, Tamla Motown. United Artists.

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Flektra, see WEA

Elektra, see WEA.
Epic. see CBS.
Eriksound (Nederland) BV, Singel 104, Amsterdam, Tel (020) 23-43-61 Telex 16065, (Distributor—tape)
Labels: (Represented) A&M, BBC, CBS, Chrysalis, DJM, Ember, Epic. GRT, Island, Janus, Pye, Spark, United Artists (all UK); Decca (Germany), RCA (Italy), Roulette (France), Telefunken (Germany), Vogue (France), Inelco Nederland BV, Joan Muyskenweg 22, Amsterdam 1006, Tel (020) 93-48-24 Cable, INTELECT Telex 14622 Mng Dir. Wim Brandsteder, Gen Mgr., Jan Mascini, Sales Mgr. Jaap Beutler, Gen, Label Mgr. Edo Peek

Peek
Labels: (Represented) Buddah (USA). Fania (USA). Flying Dutchman (USA). Gull (UK). Midland Int I (USA).
RCA (USA). Soul Train (USA). TK (USA).
K-tel Int I (Holland) BV. Oude Schipholweg 885. Boesingheliede. Haarlem Tel 02505-683/474. Gen Mgr
Corol Eretting

liede, Haarlem Carol Foster.

London, see Decca Mercury, see Phonogram BV. Moon Base Recs., PO Box 633, Amsterdam Tel (020) 93-33-97

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Negram BV Grammofoonplatenmaatschappij, PO Box 139.
Bronsteeweg 49. Heemstede Tel: (023) 28-07-50
Telex: 41625 Gen Mgr. Edward J de Klerk, Sales
Mgr Ger van der Meys: Promo & Local Prod ns Mgr
Cor Aattink, Gen, Label Mgr. Karel Hendrikse, Import &
Prod, Mgr. Fred Schroeder. Export Mgr. Theo Roos
Labels: (Represented) Bell (UK), Cadet (USA), Casablanca (USA), Chess (USA), Janus (USA).
Papillon, see Basart

Papillon, see Basart

Park, see Basart.

Philips, see Phonogram BV

Phonogram BV, Drentestr 11, Amsterdam-Buitenveldert Tel (020) 44-08-88. Telex 12038 Mng. Dir. Bill Ba-rents. Admin'r Floor Wijngaard, Mktg. Mgr. Rob Ed-wards: Pop Prod. Mgr. Otto Vriezenberg: Prod. Mgr. Ruud Roeben, Rob Greve, Kees Baas; Nat'l Repertoire Rene Stokvis

Rene Stokvis
Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, (represented) All
Platinum (USA), Big Tree (USA), Chess (USA), Chrysalis
(UK), Decca (UK), Dial (USA), Haven (USA), 20th Century (USA).

Phonogram Int'l BV, Gerrit van der Veenlaan 4, Baarn Tel (2154) 1-99-11. Cable. PHONINT Telex 43400 Pres. Pieter R. Schellevis: Sr VP Willem L Zalsman: VP's Willem Back, Joop Bunink, Jan van Houten. Reinhard Klaasen, Rob Stuyt. Ernst van der Vossen

Poker, see Basart

Polydor BV, Verryn Stuartlaan 36, Ryswyk, Tel. (070) 90-76-00. Telex 31481 Gen, Mgr., Evert Garretsen, Nat I A&R Dir. Gerrit den Braber; Prod. Mgr. Nico van Bie-men, Mktg Mgr. Bob Spits, Sales Mgr. Jan Zandhuis, Label Mgrs. Harry Knipschild, Jerry Voisin, Jan van Bart, Adv., Wim Trouw. Labels: (Owned) Polydor, (represented) Chelsea (USA), Cube (UK), GTO (UK), RSO (UK), Ring-O' (UK), State (UK), Phil Spector Int'l (USA).

Riviera, see Barclay

Threshold, see Decca

VIP Recs BV. PO Box 64, Spaarne 55, Haarlem Tel (023) 32-00-55.

Labels: (Owned) VIP, (represented) Ember (UK), Groove Merchant (USA), Pye (UK), Roulette (USA).

W E A Recs. BV, Koninginneweg 49, Hilversum. Tel (02150) 1-54-53. Cable WEARC. Mng. Dir Ben Bun-ders: Gen Mgr., S. Tonino, Prod. Mgr., P de Vos

Labels: (Owned) Asylum. Atlantic. Elektra, Warner Bros Warner Bros , see WEA

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disco equipment & services

Ampex BV, Zamenhofdreej 65A. Utrecht 2505. Tel. (030) 61-29-21. Telex. 47856.
Product. **Audio**—Mixers. Amplifiers. Speakers. Tape. Recorders. Microphones (Dynamic). Equalizers. **Projec**-

Product Audio—Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Tape Recorders, Mucrophones (Dynamic), Equalizers, Projection Systems—Video Tape Recorders
Disco Serv, PO Box 3524, Amsterdam Tel (020) 93-33-97 (Record Services)
Record Source Int'l (RSI), Smirnoffstr. 40, s-Hertogensbosch Contact Johan Hoogenhout Tel 14-78-88. (Record Services)
Selectronic BV, 3-4 Sluisplein, Ouderkerk aan de Amstel Tel (02963) 3838. 3966 Pres. G.J. Muhlenbaumer, Sales Mgr. R. Muhlenbaumer
Product Audio—SCHOELER Mixers (14-5 Inputs. 4-2 Outputs), Disk Jockey Units / Decks, Amplifiers, ALTEC Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers, Speakers, Microphones, Equalizers; BGW Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers; BARTHE & TRANSCRIPTOR Turntables, OTARI Tape Recorders; Lighting—SCHOELER Chasers/Sequencers (14-4 Channels), Color Organs (4 Channels), Dimmer Boards, Spot (Fresnel, Ellipsoidal), Projection Systems—SPINDLER & SAUPPE Slide Projectors POLACOAT Screens (LS60 FM/FR 180), PLUTO Liquid Projectors; Planning/Construction—Consultants (Audio, Lighting, Projection, Flooring, Decor—Total Package), Designers, Installers & Builders (Audio, Lighting, Projection).

NEW ZEALAND

record companies with disco product

Allied Int I Recs. Ltd. 110 Mount Eden Rd., Auckland 1. Tel. 689-979 Telex 2395 Chief Exec. A.J. Vile Labels: (Represented) Dart (UK), Gull (UK), Janus (USA), MCA (USA), Playboy (USA)

(USA). MCA (USA). Playboy (USA)
Asylum. see WEA.
Atco. see WEA
Capitol. see EMI
Direction Dists Ltd. 112 Albert St., Auckland Tel 362295 Cable DIRECORD Mng Dir. Kerry F Thomas,
Gen Mgr Guy D. Morris. Sales Mgr Chris SpencerInight. Dist'n Mgr Laurie J. Bell
Labels: (Represented) Casablanca. Kudu (both USA)
EM I (New Zealand) Ltd., 408 Hutt Rd., Lower Hutt Tel
666-979 Mng Dir. M.S. Wells. Comm'l Dir. B.C
Peace. A&R Mgr. P.H. Buckleigh. Sales Mgr R
Walker.

Walker.

Branches: Auckland, PO Box 1931, 52 High St Tel 75-385 Telex 2421 Mgr Brian Smith—Christ-church, PO Box 10112, Phillipstown Tel 62-735, Telex 4459 Mgr Kt Kingston.

Labels: (Owned) Capitol, EMI, (represented) Arista, Bell, Blue Thumb, Caroline, Cotillion, Decca (UK) Deram, Ember, Gordy, Hi, London, Mainstream, Motown, President, Private Stock, RAK, Sire, Soul Tamla, Threshold, Virgin Virgin

dent. Private Stock, HAK, Sire, Soul Tamla, Threshold, Virgin Elektra, see WEA Festival Recs (NZ) Ltd., 69 Carlton Gore Rd., Newmarket, Auckland Tel. 33-885 Gen. Mgr. Ray Porter, Sales Mgr. Kevin Williams. Labels: (Represented) ABC (USA), A&M (USA), Ariola-Eurodisc (Germany), Blue Note (USA), Chrysalis (UK), DJM (UK), Dark Horse (USA), Fantasy (USA), invictus (USA), Island (UK), Mainstream (USA), Milestone (USA), Island (UK), Mainstream (USA), Milestone (USA), Musicor (USA), Ranwood (USA), Rocket (UK), Spark (UK), 20th Century (USA), United Artists (France, Germany, UK, USA), Vogue (France), K-tel Int I (NZ) Ltd., PO Box 2191, 246 Queen St., Auckland 1, Tel. 371-166, Gen. Mgr. Diana Creighton Mercury, see Music for Leisure & Phonogram Music for Leisure Ltd. Wexford Rd., Miramar. Wellington Tel. 888-080. Telex. 3798. Ming. Dir. J. Graham Broughton, Repertorie Mgr. Gerry A. Beyering, Mktg. Mgr. Brian A. Pitts, Sales Mgr. Stuart Rubin. (Also see Phonogram).

Phonogram)

Phonogram)
Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips. Polydor. (represented) BBC (UK), Ember (UK), Pickwick (USA)
Music World Ltd., PO Box 7134, Christchurch Tel 30-187
Cable MASTERDISC Mng Dir Hoghton Hughes,
Sales Mgr Miss M Lindsay, Promos Mgr Miss R

Labels: (Represented) Damont (UK), Ember (UK), Enterprise (UK), Jupiter (Germany), Scepter (USA), Wand (USA)

(USA), Publish (Germany), Scepter (USA), Wand (USA),
Philips, see Music for Leisure & Phonogram
Honogram Ltd , Wexford Rd., Miramar, Wellington Tel
888-080 Telex 3798 Mng, Dir J Graham Broughton, Repertoire Mgr Gerry A Beyering, Mktg. Mgr
Bran A Pitts, Sales Mgr Stuart Rubin
Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, Polydor, (represented) All Platinum (USA), BBC (UK), Big Tree (USA),
Buddah (USA), CBS (USA), Chelsea (USA), Chess
(USA), Clandge (USA), Columbia (USA), Ember (UK),
Epic (USA), Event (USA), GTO (UK), Golden Fleece
(USA), Haven (USA), Kudu (USA), People (USA), Philadelphia Int I (USA), Pickwick (USA), Poy (UK), RSO
(UK), Ring-O' (UK), Roulette (USA), Stang (USA), State
(UK), TSOP (USA), Spring (USA), Stang (USA), State
(UK), TSOP (USA), Thunder (USA)

Viking Rec. Co. Ltd., PO Box 1431, Wellington, Tel. 859-759, Mng. Dir., Murdoch Riley; Sales Mgr.: Keith

Southern.

Labels: (Represented) BASF (Germany). Ember (UK) W E A Recs. Ltd., 3 Britomart PI, Auckland, Tel² 71-699 Telex 2839, Mng. Dir² Tim Murdoch, Labels: (Owned) Asylum, Atco. Elektra, Warner Bros.

(represented) Rolling Stones. Warner Bros , see WEA

SWITZERLAND

record companies with disco product

Barclay Recs SA, Rue du Roveray 14, CH-1207 Geneva. Tel (022) 36 56 80 Gen. Mgr. Claude Aubert. Labels: (Represented) AZ, Buddah, Soul Posters (all France).

Bellaphon AG, Farbhofstr. 21, CH-8048 Zurich, Tel. (01) 62,74-02 Chief Exec. B, Zivanovic; Gen Mgr. Ernst

Labels: (Represented) Bang, Cadet, Chess, Fantasy,

Labels: (Represented) Bang. Cadet. Chess, Fantasy, Janus. Milestone (all USA)
C B S Schaliplatten AG, Unter Altstadt 10, CH-6301 Zug. Tel (042) 21.62.22. Mgr. Yves Helfenberger. Labels: (Owned) CBS, Epic: (represented) Invictus. Philadelphia Int'l, Salsoul (all USA)
Capitol. see EMI
Chrysalis Recs. Ltd., Klosbachstr. 123, CH-8032 Zurich. Tel (01) 4.7.95.80. Telex. 59448. European Promo. Mgr.. Taddy Marg.

Capitol, see EMI
Chrysalis Recs, Ltd., Klosbachstr. 123, CH-8032 Zurich. Tel
(01) 47 95.80 Telex 59448 European Promo Mgr.
Teddy Meier.

E M I Recs. (Switzerland) AG, Badenerstr 567, CH-8048
Zurich, Tel (01) 54 00.10 Telex 55695
Labels: (Owned) EMI. Capitol: (represented) ABC,
Arista, Bell. Blue Note. RAK, Rare Earth, Tamla Motown.
United Artists.

Epic. see CBS
Finsterwald & Cantacuzene, 70 Av. des Alpes, Montreux.
Tel (021) 62 45.55. Cable DISQUES Admin'r JeanJacques Finsterwald: Gen. Mgr. Ivan Cantacuzene,
Sales Mgr. Alexis Ferrario.
Labels: (Represented) Durium (Italy). Pickwick (USA).
Specialty (UK).

K-tel Int'l AG, Laurenzgasse 5, CH-8035 Zurich. Tel (01)
60 50.50. Gen. Mgr. Victor Cordani.
Mercury, see Phonogram

Metronome Recs. AG, Toedistr. 68, CH-8810 Horgen. 1 Tel
(01) 720 85 07. Telex. 52941. Pres. Juerg Zehnder.
Gen. Mgr. Bruno Moschin. Sales Mgr. Max Gteller
Labels: (Represented) Big Bear (UK), Groove Merchant
(USA), Kudu (USA). Scepter tapes. (USA).

Musikvertrieb. AG, Batlenerstr. 555. CH-8048 Zurich. Tel
(01) 54.97.54. Press. Dr. Jack Dimensteni: A&R Mgr.
Lucien Monnerat. Sales Mgr. Ludwig Schmucki.
Labels: (Represented) ABC (USA). A&M (USA). Ariola
(Germany). Asylum (USA). Ato (USA). Allantic (USA).
Blue Thumb (USA). Bronze (UK), Contempo (USA). Dark
Horse (USA). Decca (UK), Deram (UK). Elektra (USA).
Flying Dutchman (USA), Groove Merchant (USA), Blue Thumb (USA), Bronze (UK). Telefunken (UK).
Threshold (UK). Tom Cat (USA), Virgin (UK).
Threshold (UK). Tom Cat (USA), Virgin (UK)
Philips. see Phonogram.
Phonag Schalliplatten AG, Wartstr. 6, CH-8400 Winterthur
Tel (052) 23 62.31. Gen. Mgr. Helmut Bischof
Labels: (Represented) Gull (UK). Intercord (Germany).
PDU (Italy).
Phonogram AG, Bahnhofstr. 6, CH-8952 Schlieren. Tel: (01)
98.69.45
Labels: (Owned). Mercury. Philips. (represented) All
Paltnum (USA). Big Tree (USA). Chrysalis (UK). Dial

98.69.45

Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, (represented) All Platinum (USA), Big Tree (USA), Chrysalis (UK), Dial (USA), Ember (UK), Haven (USA), 20th Century (USA), Polydor AG, Bahnhofstr 6 C.H.895.2 Schlieren, Tel (01) 730.52.00. Telex: 55530 Gen Mgr. Dr. Juerg M Schwarz, Label & Sales Mgr., Manfred Wipfli, Promo Mgr. Hans-Rudolf Kocher

Labels: (Owned) Polydor, (represented) BBC (UK), Chelsea (USA), DJM (UK), GTO (UK), RSO (UK), Ring-O (UK), State (UK),

WE A Int' (European Artists Relations & Audio / Video Planning Div.), Chillon 16. CH-1820 Montreux Tel (21) 61 64 31 Cable MONTREUXSOUNDS. Chief Exec Claude Nobs.

disco equipment & services

Amiro, PO Box 40, 25 Rt. des Acacia, 1211 Geneva 24 Product Games—UBI Video/Electronic (Cocktail Table), Bowling, Billiards/Pool Romont 29, CH-1701 Fribourg, Tel (037) 22.73, 31 Telex 36196 Product Audio—Mixers, Amplifiers, Speakers, Tape Recorders, Microphones (Dynamic): Projection Systems—Video Tape Recorders
Electro-Voice SA, Roemerstr 49, CH-2560 Nidau, Tel· (032) 51.68, 33 Mng. Dir. L. R. Frandsen Product Audio—ELA Mixers (8 Inputs, 2 Outputs), AMCRON Amplifiers. Pre-Amplifiers, ElectrRo-Voice Speakers, Microphones (Condenser & Dynamic). Planning/Construction—Consultants (Audio). FM Acoustics Ltd. Seestr 91, CH-8702 Zollikon, Tel (01) 65 51.53 Pres Manuel K Huber Product Audio—Amplifiers, Speakers
Filtek Labo Ltd., Postfach 351, Terreau I, CH-2501 Bienne Tel (032) 23 10 62. Pres. F. Koelliker; Mgr. S. Suike, Product Audio—Equalizers.

UNITED KINGDOM

record companies with disco product

A & M Recs, Ltd., A&M House, 136-140 New Kings Rd., London SW6 4LZ Tel. (01) 736-3311 Cable ALPER-MOSS Mng Dir. Derek Green, Commil Dir. John Deacon; Mktg. Mgr., Keith Lewis, Sales Mgr. Bill Groves; Prod Mgr. Jim Chambers, Promo, Mgr., Tony Burfield, Labels; (Owned), A&M; (distributed), Dark Horse, Firefly;

Prod Mgr Jim Chambers, Promo. Mgr., Tony Burfield, Labels: (Owned) A&M: (distributed) Dark Horse, Firefly; (represented) Ode (USA)
Anchor Recs Ltd. 138/140 Wardour St., London W1. Tel (01) 734-8642 Mng, Dir. Ian Ralfini.
Label: (Represented) ABC (USA)
Arista Recs. 49 Upper Brook St., London W1Y 2BT Tel (01) 491-3870. Telex. 28370. Chief Exec.: Tony Roberts, A&R Dir. Andrew Bailey, Sales & Mktg. Mgr. Mike Goldsmid, Label Mgr. Ray Still, Promo Dir. David Bridger: Press & Pub., Dir., Howard Harding.
Asylum, see WEA.
Atlantic, see WEA.
B B C Recs. & Tapes, The Langham, Portland PI., London W1A 1AA, Tel. (01) 580-4468. Cable. BROADCASTS.
BBC Ents. Gen. Mgr., Peter Dimmock, BBC Recs. & Tapes. Dir. Roy Tempest. Sales & Mktg., Mgr. Richard. Robson. Creative Servs. Mgr., Andrew Prewett
Labels: (Owned) BBC, BEEB.
B E B, see BBC.
Big Bear Recs., 190 Monument Rd., Birmingham B16 8UU. Tel. (021) 454-7020. Mng. Dir., Jim Simpson. Birdsnest, see London Tunesmiths.
Black. Magic. Recs. Ltd., 162-176. Canal. St., Nottingham. Tel. (0602) 50693. Mng., Dir., Brian Selby; Sales Dir., John Bratton.

John Bratton

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Label: (Owned) Black Magic.
Blue Jean, see Spark
Blue Note, see United Artists.
Bradley's Recs Lid. (1.2 Bruton St., London W1, Tel. (01)
499-0673 Cable, CALLME Dirs, Stuart Slater, Len
Beadle, Gen, Mgr., Stuart Slater, Len
Beadle, Gen, Mgr., Stuart Slater, Len
Beadle, Gen, Mgr., Stuart Slater, London NW1 8EH,
Label: (Owned) Bradley's Black Label,
Bronze Recs, Ltd., 100 Chalk Farm Rd, London NW1 8EH,
Tel. (01) 267-4499 Cable HITMUSIC Mng, Dir.; Lilian Bron, Gen Mgr., John Cokell; Promo Mgr., Roger
Bolton: Int1 Promo Mgr., Selwyn Turnbull (Licensed to

Island)
Label: (Owned) Bronze
S Recs., 17/19 Soho Square, London W1V 6HE Tel
(01) 734-8181 Cable COLRECORD Telex, 24203
Mng. Dir Maurice L. Oberstein, Sr. Dir, Norman S
Stollman, Admin Dir George Shestopal, A&R Dir,
Dan Loggins, Comm'l Dir, Jack Florey; Mktg. Dir, Tony
Woollcott, Sales Gen. Mgr., John Mair, Dist in Dir, Vic
Richawall Ridgewell.

Labels: (Owned) CBS, Embassy (non-singles only), Epic, (represented) Invictus, Philadelphia Int'I (both USA)

(represented) Invictus. Philadelphia Int I (both USA) Cactus, see Creole Capitol, see EMI Caroline, see Virgin Chelsea, see Wes Farrell & Polydor.
Chelsea, see Wes Farrell & Polydor.
Chrysalis Recs. 388/396 Oxford St., London W1 Tel. (01) 493-9461. Telex. 21753 Dirs. Chris Wright, Terry Ellis, Doug D'Arcy, Terry Connolly. A&R Dir. Roy Eldridge, Promo Dir. Chris Stone, Pres. Chris Briggs, Int'l Opns. Dir. Des Brown, Int I Mktg. Dir. Steve Pritchitt. Pritchitt.

Pritchitt.
Contempo. 42 Hanway St., London W1, Tel. (01) 636-2283 Mng. Dir. John E. Abbey, Promo, Mgr. Bob Kil-bourn, Press Mgr. Anita Ashton, Int'i Mgr. G. Abbey Label: (Represented) Boogle Man (USA).

Cotilion, see WEA.
Cream, see Global
Creole Resc. Ltd. Creole House. 4 Bank Bldgs., High St.,
Harlesden, London NW10 Tel. (01) 965-9223 Cable CREMUS

Labels: (Owned) Creole, Cactus. (represented) Dynamic

(Jamaica).

Crystal, see President

Cube Recs Ltd / The Electric Rec Co.. 19/20 Poland St..

London W1V 3DD. Tel (01) 734-8121 Cable SEXMUS Mng Dir David Platz, Gen Mgr Jeremy Thomas

MUS Mng Dir David Platz. Gen Mgr Jeremy Thomas
Labels: (Owned) Cube. Electric

D J M (Dists). Lid. Jämes House. 71/75 New Oxford St. London WC1A 1DP Tel (01) 836-4864 Cable DE-JAMUS Telex 27135 Mng Dir & Gen. Mgr. Stephen Jämes. Group Bus Co-ord Nicholas J Hampton, Sales Mgr. Les Tomlin
Label: (Owned) DJM

Damont Recs. Ltd., Blyth Rd. Hayes Middx Tel (01) 573-5122 Mng Dir. Monty Presky. Dir. David Miller
Label: (Represented) D&M Sound (USA)

Dart Recs. Ltd., 23 Haymarket, London SW1 Tel (01) 839-6537. Cable SUPASTAR Mng, Dir. Anthony Satchell. Sales Mgr. Brian Seed

The Decca Rec. Co. Ltd., Decca House. 9 Albert Embankment, London SE1 7SW. Tel (01) 735-8111 Cable DECCORD. Telex. 28588. Chm. Sir. Edward Lewis; Dirs. A.E. Cullis. Sir. Martin Flett. A.C. Haddy. W.W. Townsley. Mktg. Dir. P. Goodchild. Pop Prod. Mktg. Mgr. A. Fitter. Pub. & Adv. Mgr. E. M. Roach. Export Mgr. H. Watson, European Sales & Promo Mgr. M. Stellman.

Stellman

Labels: (Owned) Decca. Deram. London. Threshold: (represented) Bang. Brunswick, Hi (all USA)

(represented) Bang, Brunswick, Hi (all USA)
Deram, see Decca.
EM I Recs. Ltd., 20 Manchester Square London W1A 1ES.
Tel. (01) 486-4488 Cable EMIRECORD Ming, Dir.
L.F. Hill, Repertoire & Mktg. Dir. R.A. Mercer, Sales
Dir. M.C. Abbott, Admin. & Servs. Dir. A. Kaupe, Finance Dir. J. M. Tyrrell, Prod'n Dir. R.E. Matthews,
Bus. Affairs. Mgr. L.J. Halt, EMI Pop Gen., Mgr. P.
Watts. US & UK Licensed Labels Gen., Mqr. C. Burn

Branches: Sales Admin., London W1A 1ES, 9 Thayer St.—Int'l Sales, London W1, 35 Duke St. Labels: (Owned) EMI. Capitol: (Licensed domestic) Motown, Mowest, RAK, Rare Earth, Rocket; (represented) Casablanca, Fantasy, MCA, (all USA)

Elektra, see WEA

Embassy, see CBS

Ember Recs. Ltd., Carlton Tower PI, Suite 4, Sloane St., London SW1X 9PZ, Tel: (01) 235-8243. Cable KRUGENT.
Chm.: Jeffrey S. Kruger, Mng. Dir.: J.L. Horton. Sales
Mgr.: Lesite Lewis; PR. Lesley Hamilton (Licensed to

Labels: (Owned) Ember, Specialty

Epic, see CBS

The Wes Farrell Org., 34 Devonshire Mews W., London W1 Tel: (01) 487-5791 Mng. Dir. Chris Webb Label: (Owned) Chelsea (Licensed to Polydor)

G T O Recs. Ltd., 17 Barlow Pl., Bruton St., London W1, Tel (01) 629-8816 Mng, Dir., Dick Leahy, Gen, Mgr. Co lin Hadley; Sales Mgr., Michael Peyton, Int'l Mgr. Allan Watson

Galaxy Recs., 223 Regent St., London W1A 8TD Tel. (01) 734-9768, Chief Exec., Philip R Solomon.

Global Rec. Sales, Canada House Basement, 3 Chepstow St. Manchester Tel. (061) 236-5368. Owner E J Balbier. Chief Exec. R. Cooper, Gen Mgr. Mrs. S. Wilton. Labels: Cream, Swan.

Grounation, see Vulcan.

Gull Entertainments Ltd., 56 S. Molton St., London W1 Tel (01) 629-9869/1069. Mng. Dir. Derek Everett; Dir David Howells.

Immediate, see Nems

Island Recs Ltd., 22 St. Peter's Square, London W6 9NW, Tel. (01) 741-1511 Cable ACKEE Mng. Dir., David Betteridge, Gen Mgr. Fred Cantrell, Mktg. Dir., Tim Clark: Sales Mgr. Peter Misson; Island Artists Gen. Mgr. Dave Domleo, Promo. Mgr. Clive Banks, Int'l Dir Paul Johnson; Int I Gen Mgr. Phil Cooper, Labels: (Owned) Island; (Iicensed domestic) Bronze; (1954) (represented) Fania (USA).

Jay Boy, see President

Jumbo Recs & Tapes, 15 Clifton Gardens, London N15. Contact A. Johns

K-tel Int'l (UK) Ltd., K-tel House, 620 Western Ave., London W3 Tel. (01) 992-8000, Telex. 934195, Mng. Dir. Ian Howard

Klik Recs. Ltd., 2 Library Parade. Craven Park Rd., London NW10, Tel. (01) 965-5970 Chief Exec., Joe Sinclair, Dir Laurence Sevitt: Gen. Mgr.: Mrs. Jean Totham, Sales Mgr., Rudolf Grant

London, see Decca.

London Tunesniths Ltd., 11 Bingham Pl., London W1M 3FE, Tel. (01) 486-7601. Mng. Dir., Michael Weston; Repertoire & Promo, Mgr. Mike Willis Labels: (Owned) Birdsnest, Paladin.

Magnet Recs. Ltd., Magnet House, 22 York St., London W1H 1FD Tel (01) 486-7378 Cable MAGLONDON, Chm & Mng Dir Michael A, Levy, Gen Mgr. Grant Goodchild: Sales Dir. Brian Reza: Promo. Dir. Barry Johnstone: Press Dir.: Judy Totton; Int'l Mgr. Sarah

Mercury, see Phonogram.

Motown Recs., Dunbarton House, 68 Oxford St., London W1 Tel (01) 580-6075 Contacts Ken East, John McCready, (Licensed to EMI), Labels: (Owned) Motown, Mowest, Rare Earth.

Mountain Recs Ltd , Broadbent House, 64-65 Grosvenor St., London W1, Tel· (01) 493-4256, Telex 269398 Chm. W Fehilly, Dir., Derek Nicol, Gen Mgr · Steve Weltman, Label Mgr., Gordon Simpson: Promo Mgr Brian Haines, Pub, Mgr · Shirley Stone.

Mowest, see Motown & EMI

Nems Recs. Ltd., Nemperor House. 3 Hill St., London W1X 8AJ, Tel: (01)629-6341. Cable. NEMSENT. Telex: 21716. Chm.: Patrick Meehan; Dirs.: Tony Calder. Andrew Oldham. Vic Lewis: Mng. Dir., Peter Knight Jr.; Sales Mgr.: Martin Paine; Pronio Dir. Oliver Smallman: Press Geoff Deane. Int'I Co-ord. Pamela Ware Labels: (Owned) Nems. Immediate, Opal

Opal, see Nems

Paladin, see London Tunesmiths

Philips, see Phonogram.

Phonogram Ltd., Stanhope House, Stanhope Pl., London W2 2HH Tel. (01) 262-7788 Cable: PHONREC. Telex 261583 Mng Dir., A J Morris: A&R Dir. N.J. Grainge: Mktg Dir. K.N Maliphant: Sales Mgr. F.R

Labels: (Owned) Mercury, Philips, (represented) All Platinum, Chess, H&L, Haven, Sire (all USA)

Polydor Ltd., 17/19 Stratford Pl., London W1N OBL, Tel-(01) 499-8686, Telex, 27133, Mng, Dir. Freddy Haa-yen, Deputy Mng, Dir.; Tom Parkinson, A&R Mgr. Jim Cook; Mktg, Mgr. Dave Chapman; Sales Mgr. Mike Hitches, Pub, Mgr., Ian Murray; Press. Dir. David

RSO, Phil Spector Int'l; (represented) Kudu (USA)

RSO, Phil Spector Int I: (represented) Kudu (USA)
President Rees, Ltd., Kassner House, 1 Westbourne Gardens, London W2. Tel. (01) 229-3411 Cable: KASSMUSIC Mng. Dir. Edward Kassner: Gen, Mgr. David
Kassner: Sales Mgr. Cliff Fraser.
Labels: (Owned) President, Crystal, Jay Boy, Seville,
Torpedo, (represented) Adelia, Cat. Cotton, Creative
Funk, Dash, Drive, Glades, TK (all USA), Tropical (Jamaical)

Private Stock Recs.. 32 Old Burlington St., London W1X 11.B. Tel (01) 439-7011. Cable PRIVATSTOX. Telex 261396 Gen Mgr Mike Beaton: Admin. Mgr., Ann Berlyn: Prod. Mgr Janice Perry: Promo Mgr. Frank

Pritchard. Recs , ATV House, 17 Great Cumberland Pl. Pritchard.

Recs. ATV House, 17 Great Cumberland Pl., London W1A 1AG Tel (01) 262-5502 Cable PYREC. Telex 28259, Chm Louis Benjamin: Mng Dir Walter S. Woyda: Deputy Mng, Dir Derek Honey; Dir J F, Gill, Int'l Dir.; Fred Marks: Creative Dir. Peter Prince.

Labels: (Owned) Pye Disco Demand, Pye Int'l; (licensed domestic) Ember. Right On!. 20th Century: (represented) Buddah. GNP Crescendo, Grante, Pickwick. Roulette, Scepter. Stax, Wand (all USA); Vogue (France).

(France).
R A K Recs. Ltd., 2 Charles St., Mayfair, London W1X 7HA.
Tel: (01) 492-0654, Mng. Dir. Mickie Most; Gen.
Mgr.; R. Madison, Sales Mgr. D. Crowe (Licensed to

R C A Ltd., Rec. Div., 50 Curzon St., London W1Y 8EU, Tel: (01) 499-3901 Telex: 266579, Mng. Dir., George Lu-kan; Sales Mgr.; Lionel Burdge. Labels: (Owned) RCA Victor; (represented) Tom Cat

(USA)
R S O, see The Robert Stigwood Org. & Polydor.
Rare Earth, see Motown & EMI.
Right On! Recs. Ltd., c/o Pye Recs. Ltd., A&R Dept., ATV
House, 17 Great Cumberland PI, London W1A 1AG.
Tel: (01) 262-5502, (0522) 29160. Chief Execs., Dave
Godin, Alfred Billingham. (Licensed to Pye)
Rocket Rec. Co. Ltd., 40 S Audley St., London W1Y 6AR
Tel (01) 499-9714, Pres John Reid, Ming, Dir: David
Croker; A&R Mgr. Rodger Bain (Licensed to EMI).
Rolling Stones, see WEA.
Ruby's, see Today.

Ruby's, see Today. S.R.T. Prod'ns Ltd., Bankside, 42 High St., Barnet, Herts., EN5 5RU, Tel·(01) 449-1676, Mng. Dir., George Bell-amy, Dir.: Dave Richardson.

amy, Dir.: Dave Richardson.
Seville, see President.
Spark Recs Ltd., 8 Denmark St., London WC2H 8LT Tel.
(01) 836-4524, Cable SOUTHMUSIC Dirs. Robert C
Kingston, T.F. Ward, R.I. (II) & Mrs. M.I. Peer.
Labels: (Owned) Spark, Blue Jean.

Specialty, see Ember.
Phil Spector Int'i, 56 Suffolk Rd., London SW13 Tel (01)
499-8686, 748-2587 Contact Tony Bramwell (Li-

499-8686. 748-2587 Contact Tony Bramwell (Licensed to Polydor).

State Recs., Speen House, Porter & Baker Sts., London W1M 1HY. Tel. (01) 487-5031. Telex. 25740. Chm. Wayne Bickerton: Mng. Dirs. Wayne Bickerton, John Frun; Dirs. Tony Waddington, Ronnie Beck.

Tony Waddington, Ronnie Beck.

(01) 629-9121. Chm.: Robert Stigwood. European Mgr. Chris Youle.

Label: (Owned) RSO (Licensed to Polydor).

Swan, see Global.

Threshold, see Decca. Today Res., Ltd., 3 Telford Rd., London W10. Tel: (01) 969-

Today Recs. Ltd., 3 Telford Rd., London W10, Tel. (01) 969-4949, Cabler TELATT, Telex, 924356 Contacts Milt Samuel, Steve Lishman Label: (Owned) Ruby's. Torpedo, see President.

Label: (Owned) Nuty:

Transatlantic Recs., 86 Marylebone High St., London W1M
A4Y Tel: (01) 486-4353, Cable XTRA, Telex. 25532
Mng. Dir. Nathan Joseph; Gen. Mgr., Jack Boyce;
Sales Mgr., Ray Cooper, Int'l Mgr., Mike Watts.
Label: (Represented) Milestone (USA)
20th Century Recs., 31 Soho Square, London W1 Tel. (01)
437-3236, Gen. Mgr., Dave McAleer; Mktg. Promo.
Mgr., Barry Manstoff. (Licensed to Pye).
U.K. Recs., 48 Grafton Way, London W1P 5LB. Tel: (01)
387-5851, Pres., Jonathan King.
Label: (Owned) UK American.
United Artists Recs. Ltd., 37-41 Mortimer St., London W1A
2JL, Tel (01) 636-1655, Mng. Dir., Martin Davis, Gen.
Mgr., Cliff Busby; Mktg., Mgr., Denis Knowles, Sales
Mgr., Mike Edwards.
Labels: (Owned) United Artists, Blue Note.

Mgr. Mike Edwards.
Labels: (Owned) United Artists, Blue Note.
Virgin Recs, Ltd., 2-4 Vernon Yard, Portobello Rd., London W11 Tel. (01) 727-8070, Mng. Dir.: Richard Branson, Dir., Nikolas Powell; Gen. Mgr.: Simon Draper.
Labels: (Owned) Virgin, Caroline.
Vulcan Recs, Ltd., 49-53 Harrow Rd., London W2 Tel. (01) 402-2121. Chief Execs.: J. Lincoln, W. Shrowder, R. Gilbert; Gen. Mgr.: Chips Richards, Sales Mgr., Mick Harber.

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Pub. Dir.: Moira Bellas.
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Young Blood Recs. (div. of Miki Dallon Ents. Ltd.), 138 New Bond St., London W1Y 9FB. Tel. (01) 493-9681. Mng
Dirs.; Miki Dallon, Gerry Black; Gen. Mgr.; Jan Oloffson.

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A K G Equip Ltd., Eardley House. 182-184 Campden Hill Rd., London W8 Tel. (01) 727-0711.
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Acoustical Mfg. Co. Ltd., St. Peter's Rd., Huntingdon,
Cambs. PE18 70B. Tel. (0480) 52561 Pres. P.J.
Walker: Sales Mgr. R.J. Walker.
Product: Audio—QUAD Amplifiers, Speakers,
Acoustico Ents. Ltd., Space Ways, Trading Estate, Unit. 7,
North Feltham, Middx, TW14 OTZ. Tel.: (01) 751-0141.

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Allen & Heath Ltd., Pembroke House, Campsbourne Rd., Hornsey, London N8 7BR. Tel. (01) 340-3291 Sales Dir.' Andrew Striting.
Product: Audio—Mixers, Disc Jockey Units / Decks, Tape Recorders, Equalizers, Noise Reducers.
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Allotriope Ltd., 90 Wardour St., London W1V 3LF. Tel. (01) 437-1892, Telex: 21624.
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Alpha, see Highgate Acoustics.
Amcron, see Macinnes Labs & Soundcraft Electronics
Ampex Great Britain Ltd... Acre Rd., Reading, Berks, RG2
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Recorders, Microphones (Dynamic): Projections Systems—Video Tape Recorders.
Ampli-Hire, Waysbury Hall, Ferry Ln., Hythe End., Staines,
Middx. Tel. (983) 2055.
Product: Audio—Amplifiers, Speakers, Microphones
(Condenser).

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Ampro. see Leevers-Rich.
Amstrad Electronics. 89 Ridley Rd., Dalston, London E8. Tel.
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Product Audio—Amplifiers.
Ariston, see C.W. & J. Walker.
Armstrong Audio Ltd., Warlters Rd., London N7 OR2 Tel (01) 607-3213 Telex 25209 Mktg. Mgr. B.A Hope Product Audio—Amplifiers. Tuners
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Audio & Design (Rec'g) Ltd., St. Michaels, Shintleld Rd., Shinfield Green, Reading, Berks. Tel. (0734) 84487.
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Product Audio—Speakers, Equalizers, Noise Reducers
Audio Developments, Hall Ln., Walsall Wood, West Midlands WS9 9AU Tel (05433) 5351, Mng. Dir., Peter Leveley. Levesley

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Ravenscourt Gardens. London W6 OTU. Tel (01) 7410998 Cable: THOMLOYD. Telex 887911 Dirs. P.
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Product Lighting—Dimmer Boards. Spot (Fresnel); Special Effects—Mirror Balls (12" Whole & 1/5" Balls), Fog Machines ("Pea Souper"). Planning/Construction—Consultants (Lighting)

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Product: Audio—Mixers, Speakers, Equalizers, Lighting—Controllers
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Product Audio—Mixers, Disk Jockey Units/Decks, Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers, Speakers; Lighting—Chasers/
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Cannon Sound Systems. 5 The Broadway, New Haw, Weybridge, Surrey. Tel. (09323) 46285.
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Product Lighting—Chasers/Sequencers, Track, Projection Systems—Special Effects Projectors (Fuzzlight):
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Surbiton, Surrey KT5 8LS, Tel (01) 390-0051 Sales &
Adv. Mgr. John Lethbridge.
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Cetec Audio UK, Sapphire House, 16 Uxbridge Rd., Ealing, London W5 2BP, Tel. (01) 579-9145 Telex, 935847 Gen. Mgr. Brian C Wills.
Product Audio—Speakers.

Cherry Group, 10 Thornfield Parade, Dollis Rd., Mill Hill. London NW7 1LN.
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Chymes Audio Electronic, 51/51A Ravensbourne Dr. Woodley, Reading, Berks, RG5 4LH, Tel (734) 690-177. Pres Christopher Smith; Sales Mgr. Chris Kelly; Adv. Mgr., Stafford Napier.
Product Audio—Mixers (6 Inputs, 4 Outputs), Disk Jockey Units/Decks, Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers, Speakers, Turntables, Phono Cartradges, Tape Recorders, Microphones, Headphones, Lighting—Color Organs (3 Channels), Strobes, Ultraviolet/Blacklight: Projections
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Citronic Ltd., 7 Market Pl., Melksham, Wilts, Tel (0225) 702-802. Pres R E. Wadman; Sales Dir., David M. Foskett.

Product: Audio-Mixers (6 Inputs). Disk Jockey Units/

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Compact Sound Reproducers Ltd., 57 St. Swithins Rd.,
Bournemouth BH1 3RG, Tel: (0202) 24873.
Product: Audio—Custom. Cabinets.
Compa Lighting Ltd., 398 Lewisham High St., London SE13
Tel. (01) 690-2204. Dir F.D Taylor, Sales Mgr., Mrs

S. Gunn.
Product: Lighting—Chasers / Sequencers (4 Channels).
Color Organs (3 Channels), Strobes: Projection Sys-

tems—Special Effects Projectors; Planning/Construction—Consultants, Designers, Installers & Builders (Audio, Lighting, Projection).
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Product Audio—TENOREL Phono Cartridges, Styli—Pickup; UNISOUND Microphones (Condenser & Dyanmic), Headphones
Connevans Ltd., 1 Norbury Rd., Reigate, Surrey, Tel: Reigate 47571. Ming. Dir., M. H. Evans.
Product: Audio—Microphones (Dynamic), Headphones.
Cookies Disco Centre, 132 West St., Crewe, Cheshire CW1 3HG, Tel: (0270) 4739, 581-202. Co-Owners: C.F. & F.H. Cook.

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Cosmocord Ltd , Acos Works, Waltham Cross, Herts EW8
7NX. Tel Lea Valley (9) 716-6666. Mktg. Dir W E

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Court Acoustics, 50 Dennington Park Rd., Hampstead, London NW6 Tel: (01) 435-0532.
Product Audio—Mixers, Speakers; Planning/Construction—Consultants, Designers, Installers & Builders (Audio, Lighting, Projection).
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Product Special Effects CORE Mixer Balls, Pubble

735-5941 Pres. Bill Pentecost.
Product. Special Effects—GLOBE Mirror Balls, Bubble Machines. Fog Machines.
D G Controls Ltd., Belvedere Rd., Burton-on-Trent, Staffs.
DE13 OLA, Tel (O283) 67011. Mng. Dir., D. Guyett:
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Product. Lighting—Strobes (Xenon Discharge Beacons), Rotating Flashing Beacons
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Product Audio—DJ Mixers, Disc Jockey Units/Decks, Amplifiers, Pre-Amplifiers, Speakers: Lighting—DISC-LITE Chasers/Sequencers (4 Channels), Color Organs (3 Channels). Dahlquist, see Hayden Labs.

Decca Special Prods , Ingate Pl., Queenstown Rd., London SW8 3NT Tel. (01) 622-6677.
Product: Audio—Speakers, Tonearms. Phono Cartifications

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Dee Tee Sounds, 38 York St., Broadstairs, Kent, Tel. (0843)
68520, Pres. D.R. Booth: Sales Mgr. F.M. Booth; Adv.
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Effects—Mirror Balls, Signs, Illuminated.

Disclite, see DJ Electronics.
Discopower, Livingstone PI., Newport, Gwent, South Wales
NPT BEY, Tel (0633) 56908, Pres. N.V. Hazell; Sales
Mgr., H.J. Garlick.
Product, Audio—Disk Jockey Units/Decks, Amplifiers,
Pre-Amplifiers, Speakers, Microphones, Equalizers, Decoders & Demodulators: Lighting—Chasers/Sequencers, Dimmer Boards, Strobes, Ultraviolet/Blacklight;
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Projectors: Special Feters—Signs: Psychedelic/Illuminated; Dance Floors/Walls/Ceilings—Ceilings (Neon,
Incandescent, Custom), Planning/Construction—Designers (Audio, Lighting, Projection),
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Product Planning / Construction—Designers & Installers (Audio, Lighting, Projection).

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Dolby Labs. Inc., 346 Clapham Rd., London SW9 9AP. Tel. (01) 720-1111. Telex 919109. Gen. Mgr.: Gary Holt; Int'l Sales Mgr.: Elmar Stetter.

Product Audio—Noise Reducers.

Dream Mood Lighting Ltd., 20 Constable Rd. Rugby, Warks. Tel. Rugby 372. Dir.: Robin Dalton.

Product Lighting—Controllers (64-Step Light Rope), Chasers / Sequencers (16.8, 4 Channels). Color Organs (4.3 Channels). Dimmer Boards

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Product. Audio—Amphifiers, PA Systems

Eagle Int'l, Precision Centre. Heather Park Dr., Wembley, Middx. HAO 1SU, Tel. (01) 902-8832. Mng. Dir. G. Adler; Mktg. Dir. D.R. Harris, Mktg. Servs. Mgr.: C. Williams

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Product. Audio-Mixers, Speakers, Microphones (Condenser & Dynamic). Equalizers, Headphones. East Anglian Prod'ns, 7 Horsey Rd., Kirby-le-Soken, Frinton-on-Sea. Essex CO13 ODZ Tel (02556) 6252. Pres & Sales Mgr. Ray Anderson; Dir.: Ray Warner; Adv. Mgr.:

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Empire. see Hayden Labs.
Eurotronic, 50 Oldfield Circus, Northolt, Middx. Tel: (01)
864-2254. Pres.: A.J. Bradshaw-White: Mng. Dir, &
Sales Mgr.: R. Dyer: Adv. Mgr. J. Delaney.
Product Audio—Speakers: Planning/Construction—
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Expotus Ltd., 10 Museum St., London WC1. Tel. (01) 836-3747. Telex: 24929.

Product: Audio—Amplifiers, Tuners F A L, see Futuristic Aids. Fairchild, see Jacques Levy. Fantavox, see Adastra Electronics.

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Film Inds, Ltd., Station Ave., Kew Gardens, Surrey, Tel. (01)
940-8078/2336
Product Audio—Microphones (Dynamic & Ribbon).
Flash Kube, see Optikinetics.
Futuristic Aids Ltd., Audio House, 104 Henconner Ln., Leeds
LS13 4LQ, Mng, Dir., P., Carberry
Product Audio—FAL Disk Jockey Units/Decks, Amplifiers, Speakers; Lighting—FAL Color Organs (3 Channels), Spot.
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Garrard Eng g Ltd., Newcastle St., Swindon, Wilts SN1
2LH, Tel. (0793) 5381.
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Gottlieb, see London Coin.
Grampian Reproducers Ltd., Hanworth Trading Estate,
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Gulton Europe Ltd., The Hyde, Bevendean, Brighton, Sussex BN24JU Tel: (0273) 66271. Pres., D.J. Taysom, Gen. Mgr.: M. Lewis.

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Product: Audio—ELECTRO-VOICE Speakers. Microphones (Condenser & Dynamic)
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Harman/Kardon, see Highgate Acoustics.
Harwell Instruments Ltd., 17 Carew St., London SE5. Tel. (01) 737-2066. Co-pres. T.A G. Boswell, M.A. Canta; Sales Mgr.: P.J. Schuster, Adv. Mgr. J. Macmillan-Scott.

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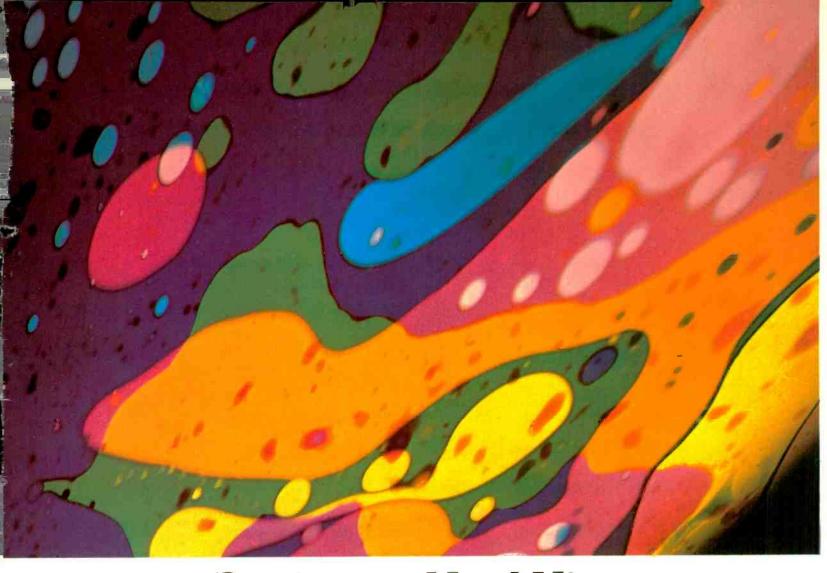
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THE RITCHIE FAMILY—The Best Disco In Town (2:39); producers: Jacques Morali & Ritchie Rome: writers: J. Morali/R. Rome: H. Belolo-P. Hurtt: publisher: Can't Stop, BMI. Marlin 3306 (T.K.).

BARRABAS—Desperately (3:08); producer: Fernando Arbex writer: F. Arbex; publisher: Sunbury. ASCAP. Atco 7059 (At lantic).



TAMMY WYNETTE—You And Me (3:27); producer: Billy Sherrill; writers: Billy Sherrill-George Richey; publisher: Algee, BMI. Epic 8-50264. Sung with a sensitivity that Wynette has never surpassed before, here's a powerful contender for major country chart action with enough polish and professionalism to garner crossover pop action, too. Beautiful string work, a perfect piano contribution and Wynette's voice—sultrier and more soulful than ever—merge into a smooth, classy song.

CHARLEY PRIDE—A Whole Lotta Things To Sing About (2:42); producers: Charley Pride-Jerry Bradley; writer: Ben Peters: publisher: Pi-Gem, BMI. RCA JH-10757. Pride takes an uptempo Ben Peters song and. bolstered by steel and a lively choral background from the Nashville Edition, sings it with fervor.

CONWAY TWITTY—The Games That Daddies Play (3:04); producer: Owen Bradley; writer: Conway Twitty: publisher: Twitty Bird. BMI MCA 40601. Twitty writes and sings his newest—a ballad that builds to an effective climax. Producer Owen Bradley lets some bright and loud steel licks enliven the number.

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TENNESSEE PULLEYBONE—Tonight, The Bottle Let Me Down (3:31); producer: Chuck Neese: writer: Merle Haggard: publisher: Blue Book. BMI. RCA JH-10755.

BILLY LARKIN-Kiss And Say Goodbye (2:56); producer: Nelson Larkin; writer: W. Lovett; publishers: Nattahnam/Blackwood. BMI. Casino GRT-076.

SAMI JO-Take Me To Heaven (2:49); producers: Sonny Limbo-Mickey Buckins; writers: Richard Mainegra-Susan Taylor; publisher: Screen Gems-Columbia, BMI. Polydor PD-14341.

PRICE MITCHELL—You're The Reason I'm Living (3:10); producers: Nelson Larkin-Dick Heard: writer: B. Darin; publisher: Hudson Bay, BMI, GRT 067.

SONNY THROCKMORTON—Roxie (3:39); producers: Scott Turner-Larry Londin; writer: Sonny Throckmorton: publisher: Roger Miller, BMI. Starcrest CRT-073.

JIM FARMER—Misty Mountain Memories (3:06); producers: Major Bill Smith-Jerry Hudson; writer: Jim Farmer: publisher: Softcharsy, BMI. LeCam LC-121-A



ANDY PRATT—If You Could See Yourself (Through My Eyes) (2:53); producer: Arif Mardin: writers: Andy Pratt & Lilian Rubin: publisher: April, ASCAP. Nemperor 007 (Atlantic). Tight production is reminiscent of Mardin's disco hits with the Bee Gees and AWB. Smooth pop backup vocals contrast effectively with the steady beat and with Pratt's charmingly unpolished, slightly ragged lead vocal.

CHARLIE BLEAK—Let Me In (I'm No Stranger) (3:23); producer: Charlie Bleak: writer: Charlie Bleak: publisher: Ivan Mogull, ASCAP. PIP 6523. Excellent electric folk rock that sounds like some of the Byrds' early work. Steady beat, fine melody and overall highly commercial feel make it perfect for AM play, but unlike a lot of these records, this won't drive the post-teens away. Countryish jam halfway through fits into the uptempos cut perfectly.

I BAND—Jungle Walk (3:22); producers. Johnny Powers & Eric Morganson; writer: Buzzy Seaton; publisher: Purusa, ASCAP. Warner Bros. 8243. Duet on this highly rhythmic track features a soulful female singer who sounds like Chaka Khan. The much-repeated chant urges that "everybody do the jungle walk." An electric guitar break in the middle doesn't take away from the overall funky feel.

TATA VEGA—Full Speed Ahead (3:38); producer: Winston Monseque; writers: D. H. Jones, Jr.-W. Brown, Jr.; publisher: Jobete, ASCAP, Tamla 54271 (Motown). Soulful cut has this female act showing off some excellent, funky lower register vocals. A family commercial melodic hook, but there are no gimmicks, just quality vocal work that builds to a wild, noholds-barred finish.

DEJA VU—Be Happy (3:27); producer: Skip Prokop; writer: David Bacha: publisher: C.A.M. U.S.A. BMI. Capitol 4321 Funky. gritty opening gives way to a glorious, sprightly pop melody that notes, "spread a little sun. shine a little light on me." Soulful male vocals keep it from being pap, though. Excellent arrangement features a teasing non-finish.

JIM FARMER—Misty Mountain Memories (3:05); producers: Major Bill Smith & Jerry Hudson; writer: Jim Farmer: publisher: Softcharay. BMI. LeCam 121. Slow. pretty ballad features a strong but gentle laid-back vocal similar to Keith Carradine's "I'm Easy."

POWER PLAY-Do It All The Night (Part I) (3:40); producer: Roy Boston; writer: Beau Power Royal; publisher: ATV. BMI. Pye 123. As with most disco hits, this features highly polished orchestration and slick female backup. What's unique here is that the male lead vocalist speaks instead of sings the steamy words.

MIRAGE—I Had A Fight With Love (3:12); producers: Clayton Ivey and Terry Woodford; writer: Frank Johnson; publishers: Stone Diamond/Song Tailors, BMI. Warner Bros. 8242. Spoken word intro, fairly high-voiced male vocals, and com-

mercial pop approach make this sound like a soul record circa 1972. It's unique, though, in '76, which could be a plus.

RICHARD HEWSON ORCHESTRA—Love Bite (3:21); producers: C. Scott/R. Hewson; writer: Richard Hewson; publishers: Gong Dimension, Diagonal Music, BMI. Splash 201 (Private Stock). Interesting arrangement on this hustle number, as it shifts from a biting opening to a smooth, exceptionally pretty female vocal passage that climaxes and leads into a sax tag. Gorgeous vocal spot steals the show.

BANDANA-Jukebox Saturday Night (3:22); producers: Dennis Lambert & Brian Potter; writers: J. C. Crowley & J. Crocker; publisher: Touch Of Gold Music, BMI. Haven 807 (Arista). A goodtime Beach Boys feel predominates on this highly commercial Lambert & Potter entry. The backup harmonies give way for a countryish, hoe-down break in the middle. Irresistible melody. Not the old song with same title.

LITTLE RIVER BAND—It's A Long Way There (4:16); producers: Glenn Wheatley and The Little River Band; writer: Goble; publisher: Australian Tumbleweed, BMI. Harvest 4318 (Capitol). There's a Crosby, Stills. Nash & Young feel as it shifts from a symphonic. airy opening to a guitar-dominated mid-rock base. Carefully honed folk-rock vocals throughout. This was a major hit in Australia, where the group comes from.

Picks—a top 30 chart tune in the opinion of the review panel which voted for the selections published this week; recommended—a tune predicted to land on the Hot 100 between 31 and 100. Review editor—Nat Freedland.

14 CD-4 Albums Available Aug. 15 Via Sutton-Miller

LOS ANGELES—Sutton/Miller Ltd. has launched a direct shipment campaign to help dealers stock CD-4 discrete quad albums. Brad Miller of Sutton/Miller notified several hundred record dealers that as of Aug. 15 four discrete quad albums by the Mystic Moods on Shadybrook Records and nine Sound In Motion/Environment albums on SoundBird Records would be available.

In addition, a special quad test record (SB4 X002) produced by Lou Dorren, inventor of the quadraplex FM quad broadcasting system now under study by the FCC, is available

"We are willing to fulfill special orders for CD-4 Quadradisc on a direct basis for the time being." Miller told dealers, pointing out that many

dealers have complained of not being able to get the Mystic Moods through normal distribution channels. Sutton/Miller is accepting the orders on a prepaid or COD basis. 25 units per catalog item, with no return privileges. "In order to fulfill your special orders, we are required to make special high-quality press runs, at a premium unit cost," he explains.

This direct distribution is only temporary, he says. "If it becomes big business, my distributors are welcome to it."

The CD-4 Quadradisc test record features test tones, channel identifications, frequency sweeps, demodulator adjustments including separation, plus an explanation of the discrete 4-channel system, plus five music selections. The suggested list price on all of the LPs is \$6.98.

Things Tasting Sour For Lemongello

NEW YORK—Peter Lemongello, the young pop singer who last year bucked established music trends and bulldozed his way to notoriety with a blitz of television commercials, has landed himself in a legal stew in the process.

On a complaint of fraud brought against Lemongello by his advertising agency. Triad Media Associates, a State Supreme Court judge here has issued an order of attachment against the artist's personal and corporate assets.

According to the Triad Media complaint. Lemongello Enterprises has failed to pay some \$95,000 owed to the agency on television advertising for the artist's album "Love '76" released on Lemongello's own label.

released on Lemongello's own label. Triad Media, which held the exclusive promotion contract for the album, also complained to Justice Samuel Rosenberg that the defendant and his associates had released the record at a Manhattan record shop where they were retailed at \$3.99, although the ty commercial offered them exclusively through mail-order at \$6.98 per record.

The complaint further charges Lemongello with breach of contract for "failing to handle and resolve all consumer complaints, failing to handle about 8.000 record orders, and releasing false information claiming that 50.000 copies of "Love 76" had been sold when, in fact, only about 20.000 copies of the LP had been sold.

O'Brien Lyric Contest Winner

LOS ANGELES—Ireland-born Sean O'Brien has been awarded first prize of \$1.000 in the American Song Festival's first lyric competi-

O'Brien's "If Angels Are Listening" not only took top honors, but three other O'Brien lyrics placed in the contest's top 20.

Second prize. \$500. went to Robert Jewell. Anamosa, Iowa: third went to Marc Jablon of Forest Hills. N.Y. and to Dickie Hay. Garden City. Kan.. who tied, and fourth prize was awarded Glen King, Los Angeles.

Winner O'Brien moved to Los Angeles from Dublin in 1964. mca records proudly welcomes and presents a new album by grand funk railroad good singin good playin nlioad good singin olayin includes the impossible single: can you its couldn't wair can you do it pass it around don't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't wair can you do it pass it around don't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't wair can you do it pass it around don't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't wair can you do it pass it around don't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't wair can you do it pass it around don't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't wair can you do it pass it around don't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't let'em take your sun miss my baby the couldn't let'em take your sun love of the couldn't let'em take

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	c	,	MY HEART—Elton John & Kiki Dee (Gus Dudgeon), A. Orson, C. Blanche, Rocket 40585 (MCA) MCA	30	15	14	TEAR THE ROOF OFF THE SUCKER—Parliament (George Clinton), G. Clinton, B. Collins, J. Brailey, Casablanca 856 WBM	70	80	2	DON'T STOP BELIEVIN' — Olivia Newton-John
2	5	7	YOU SHOULD BE DANCING—Bee Gees (Bee Gees, Albhy Galuten, Karl Richardson), Bee Gees, RSO 853 (Polydor) WBM	31	41,	5	GETAWAY — Earth, Wind & Fire (Maurice White, Charles Stepney), B. Taylor, P. Cor, Columbia 3-10373 HAN	☆	83	3	(John Farrar), J. Farrar, MCA 40600 Al (Don't Fear) THE REAPER—Blue Oyster Cult (Murray Krugman, Sandy Pearlman, David Lucas), D. Roeser,
E	4	7	LET 'EM IN—Wings (Paul McCartney), P. McCartney, Capitol 4293 HAN	38	51	3	STILL THE ONE—Orleans (Chuck Plotkin), J. Hall, J. Hall, Asylum 45336 CPP	72	59	6	Columbia 3-10384
办	9	11	YOU'LL NEVER FIND ANOTHER LOVE LIKE MINE—Lou Rawis	39	53	4	SHE'S GONE—Hall & Dates (Arif Mardin), D. Hall, J. Dates, Atlantic 3332 CHA	72	29	0	HONEY CHILD—Bad Company (Bad Company), Raighs, Rodgers, Kirke, Barrell, Swan Song 70109 (Atlantic)
5	6	11	(Kenneth Gamble, Leon Huff), K. Gamble, L. Huff, Philadelphia International 3592 (Columbia/Epic) ROCK AND ROLL MUSIC—Beach Boys	10	52	5	STREET SINGIN'—Lady Flash (Barry Manilew, Ron Dante), B. Manilow, A. Anderson,	73	77	4	FUNNY HOW TIME SLIPS AWAY—Dorothy Moore (Tom Couch, James Stroud, Wolf Stephenson), W. Nelson,
6	2	18	(Brian Wilson), C. Berry, Brother/Reprise 1354 (Warner Bros.)	1	45	6	SPRINGTIME MAMA—Henry Gross	血	84	2	Malaco 1033 (TK) SHOWDOWN — Electric Light Orchestra
4	19	10	LOVE IS ALIVE—Gary Wright (Gary Wright), G. Wright, Warner Bros. 8143 I'D REALLY LOVE TO	42	47	4	(Terry Cashman, Tommy West), H. Gross, Lifesong 45008 B-3 TEDDY BEAR—Red Sovine	办	87	2	(Jeff Lynne), J. Lynne, United Artists 842 POPSICLE TOES — Michael Franks
			SEE YOU TONIGHT—England Dan & John Ford Coley (Kyle Lehning), P. McGee, Big Tree 16069 (Atlantic) WBM	43		12	(Tommy Hill), D. Royal, B. Burnette, T. Hill, R. Sovine, Starday 142 (Gusto) CPP SOPHISTICATED LADY (She's A		88	2	(Tommy LiPuma), M. Franks, Reprise 1360 (Warner Bros.). WB SUPERSTAR—Paul Davis
A	26	6	(Shake, Shake, Shake) SHAKE YOUR BOOTY—K.C. & The Sunshine Band (Harry Wayne Casey, Richard Finch), H.W. Casey, R. Finch, TK 1019 CPP	1	23	12	Different Lady)—Natalie Cole (Chuck Jackson, Maryin Yancy, Gene Barge, Richard Evans),	76			(Paul Davis), P. Davis, Bang 726 (Web IV)
9	8	18	(Manhattans Prod. & Bobby Martin), W. Lovett, Columbia 3-10310 B-3	44	44	14	C. Jackson, M. Yancy, N. Cole, Capitol 4259 CHA THE BOYS ARE BACK IN TOWN—Thin Lizzy	77	56	5	WAKE UP SUSAN—Spinners (Thom Bell), S. Marshall, T. Bell, Atlantic 3341
10	12	19	TURN THE BEAT AROUND—Vicki Sue Robinson (Warren Schatz), P. Jackson, G. Jackson, RCA 10562 HAN	45	34	23	(John Alcock), Lynott. Mercury 73786 (Phonogram) MORE, MORE, MORE (Part 1)—Andrea True Connection (Gregg Diamond), G. Diamond, Buddah 515 CPP	78	NEW ER	TRY	PARTY—Van McCoy (Van McCoy), V. McCoy, H&L 4670 WE
血	13	18	GET CLOSER—Seals & Crofts (Louie Shelton), J. Seals, D. Crofts, Warner Bros. 8190 WBM	46	32	8	ANOTHER RAINY DAY IN NEW YORK—Chicago (James William Guercio), R. Lamm, Columbia 3-10360	70	NEW EN	TRY	HIGH FLY—John Miles (Alan Parsons), J. Miles, B. Marshall, London 20084 CF
血	14	10	THIS MASQUERADE—George Benson (Tommy LiPuma), L. Russell, Warner Bros. 8209 CPP	47	48	9	HOLD ON—Sons Df Champlin (Keith Olsen), B. Champlin, L. Allan, Ariola America 7627 (Capitol) CPP	80	90	2	RESCUE ME — Melissa Manchester (Vini Poncia For Richard Perry Prod.), C. Smith, R. Miner, Arista 0196 B-
13	10	15	AFTERNOON DELIGHT—Starland Vocal Band (Milton Okun), B. Danoff, Windsong 10588 (RCA)	18	58	2	ONE LOVE IN MY LIFETIME—Diana Ross (Lawrence Brown), T. McFaddin, L. Brown, L. Perry, Motown 1398 CPP	81	85	3	THE MORE YOU DO IT
4	20	12	A FIFTH OF BEETHOVEN—Walter Murphy &	49	28	16	I'LL BE GOOD TO YOU—Brothers Johnson (Quincy Jones), G. Johnson, L. Johnson, S. Sam, A&M 1806 HAN				(The More I Like It Done To Me)—Ronnie Dyson (Marvin Yany, Chuck Jackson), M. Yancy, C. Jackson, Columbia 3-10356 CI
自	22	9	(RFT Music Publishing Corporation), W. Murphy, Private Stock 45073 CPP PLAY THAT FUNKY MUSIC—Wild Cherry (Robert Parissi), R. Parissi, Sweet City 8-50225 (Columbia/Epic) CHA	50	40	12	I'M GONNA LET MY HEART DO THE WALKING—Supremes	82	Ц		CAN YOU DO IT - Grand Funk Railroad
16	18	8	BABY I LOVE YOUR WAY—Peter Frampton (Peter Frampton), P. Frampton, A&M 1832 ALM	51	43	10	(Brian Holland for Holland-Dozier-Holland Prod.), H. Beatty, B. Holland, E. Holland, Motown 1391 I NEED TO BE IN LOVE—Carpenters		NEW E		(Frank Zappa), R. Stroet, T. Gordy, MCA 40590 CI GET THE FUNK OUT MA FACE—Brothers Johnson
17	17	15	I'M EASY—Keith Carradine (Richard Baskin), K. Carradine, ABC 12117 CPP	52		15	(Richard Carpenter), R. Carpenter, J. Bettis, A. Hammond, A&M 1828 ALM	84	62	16	(Quincy Jones), Q. Jones, G. Johnson, L. Johnson, A&M 1851 SHOP AROUND—Captain & Tennille
18	3	18	MOONLIGHT FEELS RIGHT—Starbuck (Bruce Blackman, Mike Clark), B. Blackman, Private Stock 45039 HAN	53		5.	TAKE THE MONEY AND RUN—Steve Miller, Band (Steve Miller), S. Miller, Capitol 4260 GOTTA BE THE ONE—Maxine Nightingale		02	10	(The Captain, Toni Tennille), W. Robinson, B. Gordy, A&M 1817
9	7	10	GOT TO GET YOU INTO MY LIFE—The Beatles (George Martin), J. Lennon, P. McCartney, Capitol 4274 WBM	54		5	(Pierre Tubbs), P. Tubbs, United Artists 820 B-3	B	NEW EN	_	ROCK'N ME—Steve Miller Band (Steve Miller), S. Miller, Capitol 4323
20	24	7	SAY YOU LOVE ME—Fleetwood Mac (Fleetwood Mac/Keith Olsen), McVie, Reprise 1356 (Warner Bros.) CPP	55	60	5	HET SHIKEET	86	HEW EN	TRY	SUNRISE — Eric Carmen (Jimmy Jennor), E. Carmen, Arista 0200 WB
21	21	10	LAST CHILD—Aerosmith (Jack Douglas, Aerosmith for Contemporary Communications Corp. & Waterfront Prod. Ltd.), S. Tyler, B. Whitford, Columbia 3-10359 WBM				(BOD Millsap), D. Wolfe, J. Green Jr., GRT 054	如	NEW E		AFTER THE DANCE—Marvin Gaye (Leon Ware), M. Gaye, L. Ware, Tamla 54273 (Motown) CP
22	23	12	YOUNG HEARTS RUN FREE—Candi Staton (Dave Grawford), D. Crawford, Warner Bros. 8181 WBM	57	68	2	RAINBOW IN YOUR EYES—Leon & Mary Russell (Leon & Mary Russell), L. Russell, Paradise 8208 (Warner Bros.) WARD WORK—Let Visite 1	88	92	2	PARTY LINE—Andrea True Connection (Gregg Diamond), G. Diamond, Buddah 538
23	27	11	HEAVEN MUST BE MISSING AN ANGEL (Part 1)—Tavares	58	50	8	HARD WORK—John Handy (Esmond Edwards), J. Handy, ABC/Impulse 31005 STEPPIN' OUT—Neil Sedaka	89	NEW EN	THY	DISCO DUCK (Part 1)—Rick Dees & His Cast Of Idiots (Bobby Manuel), R. Dees, RSO 857 (Polydor)
24	16	13	(Freddie Perren), K. St. Lewis, F. Perren, Capitol 4270 CPP YOU'RE MY BEST FRIEND—Oueen				(Neil Sedaka, Robert Appere), N. Sedaka, P. Cody, Rocket 40582 (MCA) WBM	90	NEW ER	TRY	WE'RE ALL ALONE—Frankie Valli (Bob Gaudie), B. Scaggs, Private Stock 45098 WB
	30	6	(Roy Thomas Baker, Queen), Deacon, Elektra 45318 B-3 SUMMER—war	59	78	2	I CAN'T HEAR YOU NO MORE—Helen Reddy (Joe Wissert), C. King, G. Goffin, Capitol 4312 CPP IF YOU LEAVE ME NOW—Chicago	91	93	2	OUT OF THE DARKNESS—David Crosby & Graham Mash (David Crosby, Graham Mash), C. Degree, G. Nash, D. Crosby, ABC 1219 WB
E C			(Jerry Goldstein), S. Alle, H. Brown, M. Dickerson, J. Goldstein, L. Jordan, C. Miller, L. Oskar, H. Scott, United Artists 834 CHA	61	64	7	(James William Guercio), P. Cotera, Columbia 3-10390 CPP DON'T TOUCH ME THERE—Tubes	92	NEW ER	TRY	ROCKY MOUNTAIN MUSIC—Eddie Rabbitt (David Malloy), E. Rabbitt, Elektra 45315
26	36	9 7	IF YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN—Neil Diamond (Robbie Robertson), N. Diamond, Columbia 3-10366 CPP	62	73	5	(Ken Scott), Nagle, Dorknocker, A&M 1826 WBM MAGIC MAN—Heart	93	NEW ER		THE PRINCESS & THE PUNK—Barry Mann (Dennis Lambert, Brian Potter), B. Mann, C. Well, Arista 0194 CI
28	29	10	LOWDOWN—Boz Scaggs (loe Wissert), B. Scaggs, Dz Paich, Columbia 3-10367 WBM SOMETHING HE CAN FEEL—Aretha Franklin	63	67	2	(Mike Flicker), A. Wilson, N. Wilson, Mushroom 7011 CPP NO, NO, JOE—Silver Convention	94	NEW EN	TRY	ROSE OF CIMARRON — Poco (Poco, Mark Harman), R. Young, ABC 12204
	35	9	(Curtis Mayfield), C. Mayfield, Atlantic 3326 WBM A LITTLE BIT MORE—Dr. Hook	M	74	4	(Michael Kunze, Silvester Levay), S. Levay, S. Prager, Midland International 10723 (RCA) DOCTOR TARR & PROFESSOR	95	63	19	SILLY LOVE SONGS—Wings
30	33	8	(Ron Haffkine), B. Gosh, Capitol 4280 CPP WHO'D SHE COO—Ohio Players				FETHER—Alan Parsons Project (Alan Parsons), E. Woolfson, A. Parsons, 20th Century 2297	96	66	22	(Paul McCartney), P. McCartney, Capitol 4256 MISTY BLUE—Dorothy Moore
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	46	4	(Bob Reno), G. Benson, Midland International 10623 (RCA) WITH YOUR LOVE—Jefferson Starship	166	76	5	YOU TO ME ARE EVERYTHING—The Real Thing (Ken Gold), K. Gold, M. Denne, United Artists 833 CPP	66	100		(Baker Harris & Young Prod.), A. Felder, T.G. Conway, Salsoul 2008 (Caytronics)
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33	37	9	WHAM BAM—Silver (Tom Sellers, Clive Davis), R. Geils, Arista 0189 CPP	68	72	4	SUNSHINE—Hamilton, Joe Frank & Dennison (John D'Andrea), B. Findon, G. Wilkens, Playboy 6077 B-3 STRUTTIN' MY STUFF—Elvin Bishop	99	NEW, EN		LISTEN TO THE BUDDAH—Ozo (Kaplan Kaye), K. George, DJM 1012 (Amherst)
अ	42	7	DEVIL WOMAN—Cliff Richard (Bruce Welch), K. Authors, T. Britten, Rocket 40574 (MCA) CHA	00	12	,	Allan Blazek, Bill Szymczky), E. Bishop, P. Aaberg, Capricorn 0256 (Warner Bros.) HAN	100	38	11	C'MON MARIANNE—Donny Osmond (Mike Curb), L. Russell Brown, R. Bloodworth, Kolob 14320 (Polydor) CF

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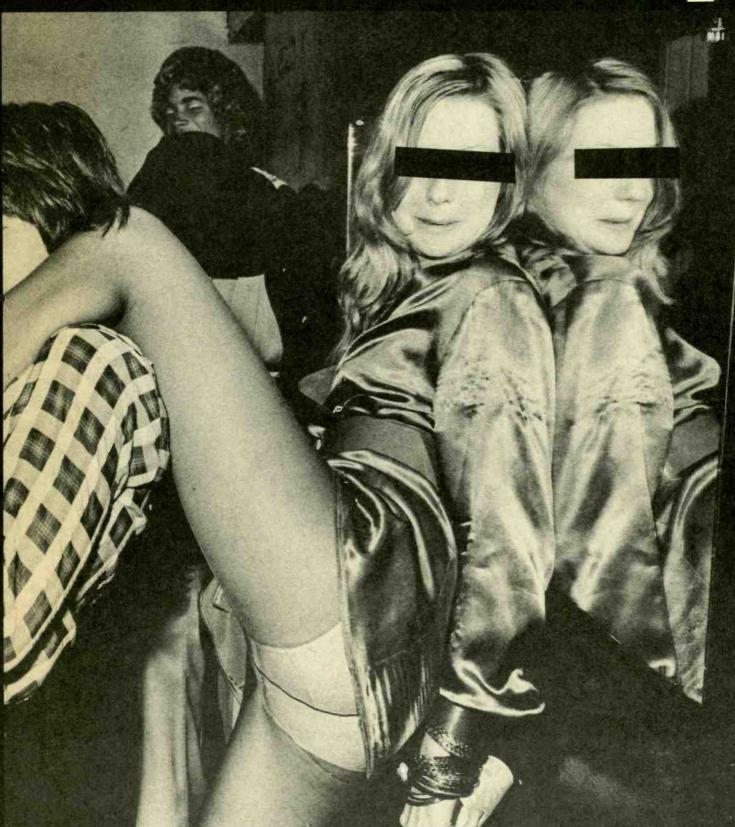
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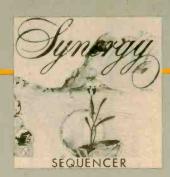
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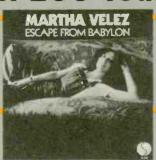
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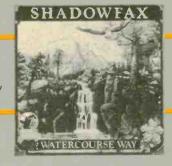
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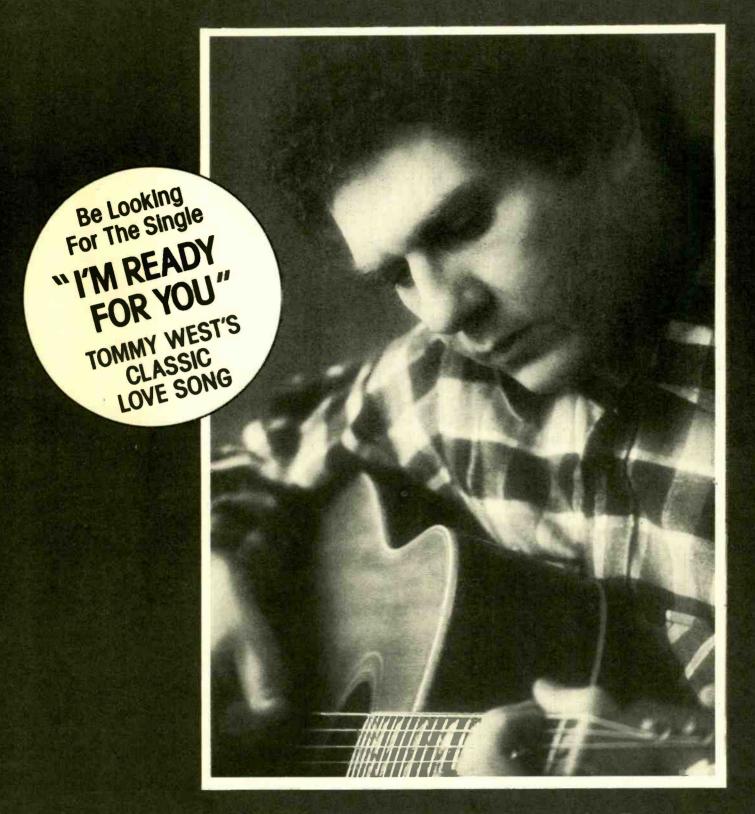
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RECORDS AND TAPES

Ram's Platters Win Legal Use Of Name

ters Inc., the 21-year-old corporation founded by personal manager Buck Ram and the original members of the group, has won its most important legal victory yet in an eight-year fight to exclusively use that name professionally.

Federal District Judge C. Stanley Blair decided in favor of the Five Platters Inc. in a trademark infringement suit filed in Baltimore in May 1973, granting a permanent injunction against defendants Van Pressley Jr. and Bernard Purdie, performers in a group known as the New Century Platters; Alva Ford Thompson. Alexandria, Va., booker; Metropolitan Talent Agency, Thompson's firm, and New Century Corp., a company which handled the New Century Platters.

The defendants are enjoined from using the name the Platters with Judge Barnes denying their appeal to be allowed to use the name through already-booked engage-ments extending through 1976. In addition, he granted the plaintiff \$1 in compensatory damages and \$3,000 as exemplary and punitive damages. The Five Platters are entitled to recover costs, but not attorney's fees, he ruled.

The decision upheld the Platters' right to use its service mark, registered with the U.S. Patent Office five days after the trial's start, because the plaintiff corporation had worked consistently to uphold and protect the standards originally set by the act.

The name the Platters Judge Barnes ruled, has not become generic. The three-year unauthorized use of the Platters name by the defendants caused confusion in the mind of the public, which could only be remedied by the injunction, Judge Barnes held.

Barnes further denied the defendants' motion for a new trial.

The Five Platters Inc., was established by Ram and the original five group members in 1956. Judge Barnes ruled that each of the four members who had sold their share to Ram had received sufficient consideration. Original Platter member Herb Reed continues as a share-

The Five Platters have instituted suit approximately 20 to 25 times in the past nine years over alleged unauthorized use of the name

InsideTrack

Is RCA readying an album price raise? . . . Paul David is bullish on the record industry. He is opening seven new Camelot stores nationwide in 20 days from late July through August. . .. Is Pat Pinolo rejoining one-time MCA Records cohort Artie Mogull as national promo chief at UA Records since Ray Anderson departed? . . . The Smothers Brothers intend to part as an act after a 17year association.... Motown "95% certain" of opening a branch operation in Detroit, following the split with Merit Music there (Billboard, July 31), according to sales chief Mike Lushka.

The Funky Kings is the correct name of the new Arista act which Clive Davis is highlighting in his Dialogs. The Allman Brothers Band splitting up. Gregg Allman's increasing amount of time spent in Los Angeles and a rift over a former band official are cited as reason for the breakup. Lamar Williams, bass; Chuck Leavell, keyboard, and Jaimoe, drums, have formed a group called Sea Level. Guitarist Richard Betts has solo projects in . Maynard Ferguson got international tv time when he blew his own version of "Taps" at the end of the Montreal Olympics. ... RCA press agents Eliot Horne and Ian Dove teaming to produce a cartoon feature for the Music Journal called "Hiptionary."

Lou Reed recording an October album for Arista....
Susan Minsky and Mark Shimmel scoring the film, "Brotherhood Of Death." ... Cannonball Adderley being honored with a WRVR, New York, contest. Judges are John S. Wilson, Art D'Lugoff of the Village Gate. Sonny Fortune, Father Norman O'Connor and Nat Adderley.

UA breaking the American Flyer via a national promo

tour, in which they'll personally deliver its new album in nine cities. Along with the album, label will bestow quill pens and kites, which carry the logo. ... Celebrities thronged the Atlantic Records' soirce celebrating Bobby Short's new album, "My Personal Property," a collection of Cy Coleman songs at the Hotel Carlyle, New York. Florence LaRue Gordon of the Fifth Dimension helped judge the Miss Black America contest in Gary, Ind., July 31. . . Al Martino performs the theme song of "Death Hunt," an ABC-TV film set for fall showing. . . The Broadway department stores, which are phasing out of records and tapes (Billboard, Aug. 8) have been buying direct for about a year. Their last rack was ABC Record

& Tape Sales.
Seven ABC Records executives visited Houston last week to help celebrate a day of appreciation to the city which provided the label with Freddy Fender, Doug Sahm, Jimmy Buffet, Roy Head, Delbert McClinton, Terry Reed and the Amazing Rhythm Aces. Sire Records claims a sellout for its Wednesday (11) pairing of its Ramones and Flamin' Groovies at the L.A. Roxy. Jimmy Buffet has bought a Colorado home and will now split his time between there and Florida. . . Is a religious record combine conferring with a long-time indie label about amalgamation? . . . Marks Music claims it has 35 standards being used for films and commercials currently. . . . Jackie (Halton) and Ken Norton, the heavyweight who still seeks the world title, welcomed a daughter, Kenisha, at Cedars-Sinai Med Center in L.A. last Wednesday. Mother is a former Motown Records secre-

Govt. Vs. Illegal Dupers

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mittees agree means making a new recording of the music, and not du-

plicating an existing one.

The duplicators have peppered the U.S. Federal District Courts with suits against the Justice Dept. and its policy. They have chosen to ignore the major U.S. Appeals Court infringement rulings for music publishers in the Third, Fifth, Ninth and Tenth Circuits, which led to the Justice policy announcement.

The tapers also ignore the Su-preme Court's January 1975 refusal to review the defeat of Colorado Magnetics by Marks Music in the Tenth Circuit Appeals Court. In this belwether case, the Solicitor General wrote the High Court that its decision would in effect confirm the Justice Dept.'s intent to prosecute in these cases.

The unauthorized duplicators have been led in battle by their top crusader, David Heilman of E-C Tapes, who lost his suit for injunction against the Justice policy in Federal District Court for East Wisconsin in May 1975 but is coming back for another try

Taper Thomas Gramuglia, husband of Ginette, is the spokesman for what he calls the Independent Record and Tape Assn. of America. Gramuglia pleaded for duplication rights in testimony before the Kastenmeier House subcommittee during copyright revision hearings and

Mike Fink, also claiming to speak for an Independent Record and limelight, with his challenge to Justice to prosecute (Billboard Aug. 7).

The tapers are now on a new tack since courts have largely dismissed duplicator demands for injunctions against Justice Department. They want hearings by three-judge panels, and for advisory rulings on future tapings said to be under "threat" by the Justice policy.

The new approach is to claim that the court rulings against them do not include specific language, expressly banning the duplicators' posed" use of compulsory licensing to copy the pre-1972 recordings.

Express language against the use of the copyright law's compulsory li-censing to make unauthorized copies of existing recordings will be part of the copyright revision legislation expected to pass this year.

The Senate Judiciary committee report on S.22 points out that this was the original intent of Congress and the major U.S. Appeals Court decisions in Fourth Circuits have correctly construced that intention.

MILDRED HALL

Clapton LP Soon

LOS ANGELES-Eric Clapton's next album for RSO Records will be released in September with plans for a U.S. concert also in the works. Among the artists appearing on the LP is Bob Dylan, who wrote the song "Sign Language" specifically for Clapton and sings backup on the

Tape Assn. in Vermont, is now in the

established itself as the world's largest religious record/tape entity and Jarrell F. McCracken, president/ founder, credits the amazing, continuing growth to its increasing selfsufficiency in the total marketing "In 1964, we put on our first eight

LOS ANGELES-Word Inc. has

Word-only salesmen to supplement a variety of distribution and promo-1974, we were selling direct in the 48 continental states through 15 salesmen. Now, we have 23 sales representatives, including five supportive regional directors. I look for the sales representative total to grow even more," McCracken observes.

"By 1970, Word could feel more general interest in religion in the U.S. and sacred music was no longer a stepchild in the secular market.

'Yet it was so specialized we could not utilize normal marketing techniques. There was a constant fight,

Klemmer To UCLA

LOS ANGELES-Saxophonist John Klemmer, who has abandoned his avant-garde jazz style, will perform at UCLA's Royce Hall Aug. 28. Appearing with him will be Milcho Leviev. piano: John Smith, bass: Chester Thompson, drums; and Hal Gordon, percussion.

for example, to get our share of store display, even in religious book stores. We had to convince the religious book store that our product was as important as the books they carried." McCracken points out.

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23 Salesmen Spread the Word

By JOHN SIPPEL

"And we could not lose sight of the racks and resurgent retailer growth. Word's sales force spends 60% of its time in approximately 3,500 religious book stores. Word found it needed a different kind of salesperson. Today, only one of our 23 salesmen has record/tape industry experience. First of all, I look for religious commitment. We are a religious company.
"With the addition of Canaan and

then the contemporary Myrrh product, I found too that I could no longer burden a salesman with the entire printed music and book and record/tape catalog of Word.

"Our 23-man staff now concentrates and the results are encouraging. The individual salesman was spending too much time on his store visit and he couldn't be expert in so many fields," McCracken says.

The record/tape regional staff, begun six months ago, has added its fifth man, Dave Aldeber, who covers the Northeast from New Jersey. Previously appointed were: Cy Jackson, Los Angeles; James High, Waco; Tom Ramsey, Atlanta and John Moore, Chicago. Three times yearly Word Inc. holds sales meetings. A December gathering in Waco is following by spring regional meetings. A second national conclave takes place yearly in conjunction with the Christian Booksellers' convention.

Radio promotion, too, has improved with the concentration provided by the self-sufficient organization, McCracken states. Dan Johnson acts as national director corporately. He is assisted by Frank Edmondson, who works on Myrrh: Bob Crawford, Canaan; and Marian Needham and Gary Elrod, who are record and radio coordinators for MOR and contemporary stations, respectively. McCracken esti-mates there are 300 full-time sacred music stations nationally.

A 12-Inch Rocket

LOS ANGELES-Rocket Records is releasing its first 12-inch disco promotional record by Brian & Brenda Russell called "Gonna Do My Best To Love You." The single is from a forthcoming LP by the duo, Word Called Love.

The commercial single will have the short version of the song on one side, with the flip side featuring the six-minute disco version.

Executive Turntable

promotional manager at Acuff-Rose Publications and sales manager for Hickory Records. . . . Lyn Phillips has been named general operations manager of the various business organizations owned by Tom T. Hall. ... Sam Honigberg, one-time Billboard Chicago reporter, has left the Los Angeles office of Rogers.

Cowan & Brenner. He will probably open his own public relations firm. David Martin has joined Sound III Management to assist in artist acquisition and career development. He formerly held positions with RCA Records and Pye Records in London. . . . Ramon Hervey, who edited several British fan magazines for the past three years. has joined the Motown press corps as writer/publicist in L.A. while Mike Harris, last with Record World, has been added as a contemporary publicist.

Nehi Sells Rackjobbing To Handleman

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Chuck Smith. Handleman vice president of finance, when contacted at presstime, said that his firm "has purchased certain of the assets of the rackjobbing division of Nehi Record Distributing."

The Handleman acquisition gives that firm the important Gemco chain of 40-plus record/tape departments in Arizona and California. The chain is a plum account, providing between \$6 and \$8 million gross business in recorded product annually and is exceptional in that it pays consistently in the first 30 days.

There are six major Peaches

stores, each of which carries an inventory believed to range from \$125,000 to \$250,000. There is also a

small store in Hollywood. The Dallas store is a downtown converted grocery supermart, estimated at 9,000 square feet. This is Heiman's second attempt to establish in Texas.

Approximately a year ago, he tried to lease a traffic location in Dallas. At that time, the Daily brothers, who along with their father, H.W. Daily, operate the two oldest independent label distributorships in the state, Big State, Dallas, and H.W. Daily Inc., Houston, grabbed the location and opened their only mammoth Texas location.

Heiman will be competing directly at his location with huge Sound Warehouse store, a growing record/tape chain operated out of Oklahoma City.

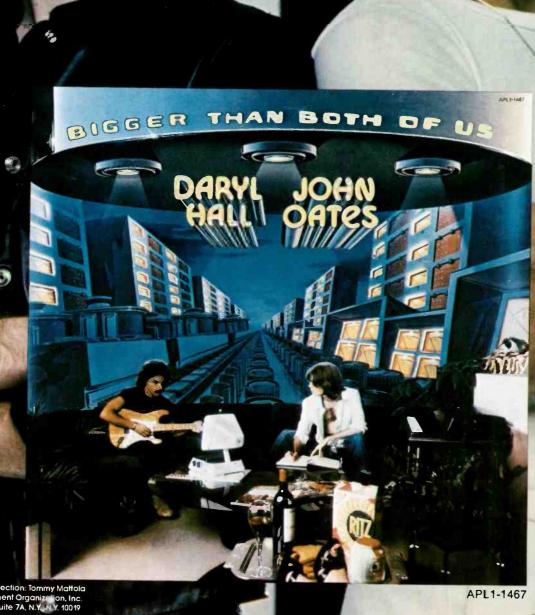
Nehi's rack arm recently took a damaging blow in Texas when J.L. Marsh, the Heilicher Bros. rack firm, took over from 15 to 20 Globe discount store record/tape departments from the Nehi rack warehouse in Houston. Globe operated stores served by Nehi in Louisiana. Texas and New Mexico.

Frank Miko, vice president of Nehi, speaking for the firm in the absence of Tom Heiman, says that the Houston warehouse has been closed. He says that Nehi will continue to serve its Peaches store chain from its Los Angeles warehouse by

And he confirms that rack employes of Nehi will be absorbed in the local Handleman organization.

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