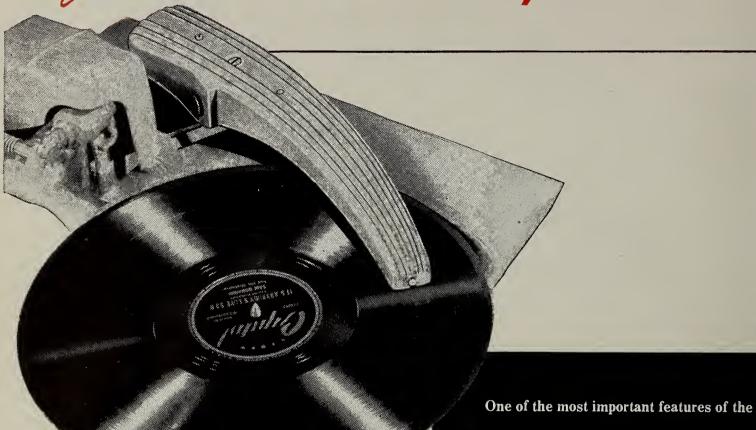
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List Price vs. Collections



By Bill Gersh

"COINTOONS"

Just prior to World War II the average phono was listed at approximately \$500 to the trade. It will also be recalled by the music machine ops of that period that collections from these phonos averaged around \$5 and \$6 per week.

Now, after World War II, automatic phonos are price listed around the \$800 to \$900 mark. But, present averages are anywhere from \$10 to \$20 per week.

Tho the price of the machines is almost double, collections are better than double former averages.

Of course, there are those who proclaim that in prewar days the average music machine operator was well on his way to bankruptcy. Yet, the music field continued to grow. In fact, it outstripped every other division of the trade.

It is also well to remember, as another music op puts forth, that pre-war overhead was nothing like it is today. Comparatively speaking—it might be somewhat less than it is today, but not enough less to make a very marked difference.

The answer then, as well as the answer now, is that those men who applied themselves to the business of selling the public automatic music were successful.

The others, who dabbled about in it, because their competitors were in it, or because they believed that it might prove profitable when mixed with the rest of their equipment, or for whatever other reason they may have had for entering into the automatic music industry, found it unprofitable.

In short, then, the answer to the problem of music today as against the problems engendered in the music business during pre-war days, are almost similar in every respect.

Overhead is higher today — but collections are higher.

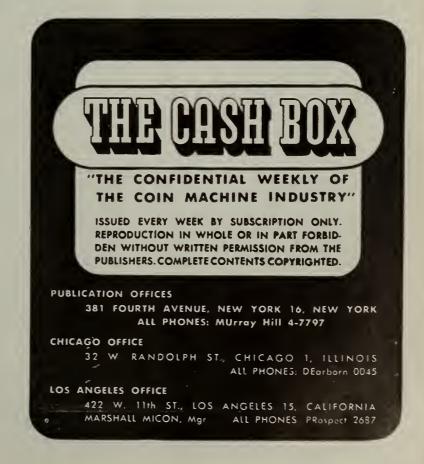
Machines cost more today — but earn more.

In fact, today operators have learned that automatic music is necessary to retail locations and these ops have also made it their business to obtain a greater share of the commission percentage split between themselves and the location owners.

From every standpoint, the automatic music op has developed into a better business man. This cannot be said (on as large a scale) for the operators of pre-war days. Most of the boys then held onto music for whatever commission they could get at that time.

Studying the problem from all angles, the music operator of today is much better off than the pre-war operator. Tho his machines have increased almost 100% in cost, his collections have increased far more and, due to more businesslike operating methods, he has been able to increase his profits far, far above pre-war times.

Therefore, it is no longer a question of list price vs. collections, but, more a problem of greater effort, harder work and better business methods.



ROADSIDE SPOTS LOOK FOR BIGGEST BUSINESS BOOM

Travelers Aid Society Reports It Will Increase Present Force Four Times to **Meet Biggest Summer Vacation Travel** in History. Banks Report Vacation Savings Biggest in Their History. Ops Urged to Set Roadside Spots.

CHICAGO - With the news report just released by the Travelers Aid Society that it will increase its present force four times greater than it is in preparation for what this agency believes will be the biggest traveling season the vacation months have ever known in all American history, the coin machine trade once again comes in for some of the most profitable locations.

Not only has the Travelers Aid Society optimistically issued what it believes is a report that will probably cause much surprise in the nation, but the banks where "vacation savings funds" are gathered together during the winter months report that they have more money on deposit in vacation funds than ever before in their history.

Combining these two reports there is every reason to believe that this will be one of the travelingest vacation periods in the history of the nation. Not only are the train and plane people expecting to accommodate unusually large crowds of vacationers this year, but the roadways of the country are being prepared for what is believed to be one of the big post-war travel years which has been predicted for some many months.

This means, to the coin machine business, that the roadside spots will probably be among the most profitable this summer vacation season of 1947 than ever before in the history of this field. It also means that every operator in the nation should now begin to make arrangements for roadside locations so that he will be prepared when this traveling gets under way.

Executives of the Travelers Aid Society expect that a great deal of the vacation travel, which is expected to take place during the summer months, will be by automobile. These people predict more crowded highways than any time in the history of the country. They also believe that this will be a test of what traffic the highways of the nation can handle, and that the years to come will find even more cars on national highways than what is expected to take place during the summer season

For many years coin machine ops have found the roadside stands among the most profitable spots in their territories. These were always good moneymakers and now with the reported travel boom sure to get under way there is no doubt that they will prove better than ever.

In former years some ops pulled machines off city locations to place them in the country and in roadside stands. This year, it is believed, most coinmen will let their machines remain in city spots and will add to these with new equipment in the roadside locations. This should help tremendously to boost income for the operators and will, probably, bring about the beginning of what the coin machine industry has been calling. "the boom period".

Most important is the fact that the average roadside spot has turned into more or less an eating "palace" and this has allowed for placement of better equipment than was used in former years on the old sort of stands

that popped up on national highways everywhere in the country. With these larger and more elaborate spots the ops are in position to place the finest sort of equipment. This means that phonos, pin games, consoles. counter machines and almost every type of vending machine along with much other equipment which is suitable to certain areas should be used.

Ops report that the eating spots are the most profitable on the road. These are the places, they explain, where the traveler will stop long enough to get a bite or a complete meal and rest up before continuing his trip. "This means," one noted op stated. "that the average place on the road can accommodate much more than one type of machine and, usually, the place earns as much from its coin machines as it does from any other part of its merchandise sales set-up.'

Operators are urged by coin machine leaders to prepare themselves for this great summer vacation travel which the Travelers Aid Society predicts will come into being and also which the bankers of the nation believe will see more spending than during any other vacation season.

From every standpoint this looks like one of the greatest years in history for the roadside location. Those ops who already have these spots tied up should arrange for the finest type of equipment. Other ops who are planning on such locations to open very soon should arrange to get equipment suitable to the places and also arrange for the finest machines possible to attract the greatest volume of patronage.

SCHOOLS FOR MECHANICS

Associations Plan to Set Up Schools for Mechanics to Help Ops. Ask Mfrs to Help by Sending Engineers to Teach Instructors. Report Vets Eager to Enter

"Schools for Mechanics" were suggested by The Cash Box four years ago.

CHICAGO — Manufacturers here report that they have been receiving notification from various leading operators' associations regarding the creation of "Schools for Mechanics".

This suggestion was first offered to the trade by The Cash Box over four years ago. At that time there was a dearth of mechanics in the field and the operators, as well as the jobbers and distributors urged that The Cash Box suggestion be immediately adopted so that "Schools for Mechanics" would come into being to help the operators to progress.

If the average operator wants to purchase more machines he must have mechanics to take care of them for him. The one and only way in which he can be sure to obtain good mechanics is either to offer greater salaries than anyone else in his area or to teach new men how to take care of his coin operated equipment.

The average operator just hasn't the time anymore to teach new-comers to the field how to take care of machines. He would much rather pay someone else to do the job. Also, many leading organizations have been approached by veterans' representatives to teach former soldiers and sailors the art of taking care of coin operated equipment.

Some leading jobbers and distributors as well as such associations as the Music Guild of America in Newark, N. J. have arranged for programs whereby vets have been trained to be mechanics. Among the very first of the distributors to start such a plan was Hirsh Coin Machine Co. in Washington, D. C.

The ops' associations are asking the manufacturers to send them their

engineers to teach instructors they have chosen the various technical details of the different types of equipment on the market so that these instructors, in turn, can pass this information on to those newcomers whom they are teaching the intricacies of mechanics of the industry.

Certain manufacturers have stated that any man well equipped with an electrical education can quickly and easily pick up the various intricate details of coin operated equipment. His experience and knowledge, plus what he can learn from the average coin machine mechanic, will assure him being a proved and outstanding mechanic himself in a short time, they believe.

It is also interesting to note here that many ops have given up the idea of extending or enlarging their routes because of the fact that they did not have the mechanical personnel with which to add more machines to their present operations. This, is greatly due to the fact that good mechanics are, as yet, extremely scarce and the average coin machine operator is forced to teach whatever men he can obtain as much of the rudiments he can give them in quick time to help his present mechanical force.

From all over the country there has come word that veterans would very much like to enter into the industry as mechanics. Some of the manufacturers have vets working for them at this time learning various trades such as apprentice tool and die makers, electronic experts, etc. But the average distributor, jobber and operator hasn't had the time nor the help to go into such a program, even tho this

was suggested to him in the past.

There is no doubt of the value of "Schools for Mechanics" for this industry from more than one standpoint, as has been written many times in the past by The Cash Box. A central school should be located in Chicago where the manufacturers could send their engineers to teach students. The manufacturer is more than willing to defray the cost to have his engineers spend an evening or two per week to help with such schooling for he realizes what this means to his future equipment as well as the present machines he has on the market.

In addition to this central "School for Mechanics" there should also be schools located in various strategic centers such as New York, Dallas, Los Angeles, Seattle, Detroit, New Orleans, Boston, Baltimore, etc.

The phono manufacturers have been among the most progressive in this regard. They have always conducted schools for their distributors and operators and have urged that all mechanics be sent to them for a complete course in their equipment.

The vending machine manufacturers have also made it their business to teach their new operators all about their equipment.

Now the amusement machine manufacturers are turning to this sort of teaching. But, this does not mean that the average new man, who wants to enter this field as a mechanic, can do so by attending individual classes here and there thruout the nation. It is, therefore, better to have schools located in central and strategic cities so that he can get to them for complete teaching regarding the mechanics of all the equipment in the field.

MORE OPS AGREE "BUST EM UP BESTPLAN

Admit Old Equipment Not Bringing Good Returns Nor Gaining Favor for Industry. Ask that Broad, National Program be Started to Rid Trade of Ten Year Old Machines.

CHICAGO - As the idea to bust up ten vear old equipment spreads thruout the field, more and more ops have been writing in to The Cash Box to report that they, too, agree with this plan wholeheartedly.

It is surprising to note that the average op realizes what a detriment such old equipment is to the entire industry generally. Not only have certain leading magazines and newspapers begun to call juke boxes in this category, "screech boxes", but the operators themselves now agree that as far as tonal quality and attractiveness these machines are no longer of any comparative value to them as against the new machines.

Regardless of how hard an operator works to keep a ten year old machine in repair and looking as attractive as possible, it will never equal the quality, the attractiveness nor the interesting appeal of the new and modern machines which are being presented to the market.

In the pinball field the new machines are, of themselves, eliminating these ten year old games. They have proved that they can earn anywhere from 100% to 300% more than the old machines and, therefore, the ops are replacing them, for it more than pays to get such old equipment off location. The worst thing that can happen to an operator of pinball machines is to have such old games which absolutely lose the interest of the players and thereby lose the players to the games.

In the phono field, for some reason or other, ops have been hanging on

to the old P-10's, 412's, 616's, 716's, 24's, 600's, 500's, Windsors, Monarchs, Rex, Royales, Dance Masters, Zephyrs and others in the ten year old category. Not one of these has the fine tonal quality of the new type phonos. Not one of these the attractiveness, the appearance, the interest nor the earning power.

It is, the ops who have been writing The Cash Box claim, a definite fact that the new machines will outearn the old equipment everytime. Furthermore, from the standpoint of depreciation alone it doesn't pay the operator to continue on with these old machines. He can no longer remove depreciation like he can from new equipment and this, in itself, is part of his profit factor which he should consider from a financial standpoint to arrange that only new machines cover his route.

Not only do more and more ops agree with the suggestion of The Cash Box that ten year old machines be bust up and removed entirely from the market, even from the possibility of export, but they hope that the leaders in the field will enter into a broad, national program to make this possible so that trade-ins will be arranged making it worthwhile to pull these old machines off locations and turn them in against new equip-

Some of the country's leading distributors, both in the amusement and music fields, have been conducting a program along these lines for sometime now. One noted distrib advises that pinballs he has been taking in trade are bust up right in his place and never again re-sold. A noted music distrib makes the same report.

Therefore, it seems that many in the field have adopted this plan on their own account, regardless of whether their competitors or others also take it up. This means that eventually the field will be rid of old machines. But, to assure this happening with greater speed for the benefit of the entire industry, a national plan should be arranged so that all distribs would follow thru and get this sort of equipment off the market just as speedily as possible.

Those operators who have made arrangements to get rid of these ten year old machines have found that, on the average, their earnings have perked up and they have proved to themselves that the location owners as well as the general public favor the better new equipment and appreciate the change which the new machines make in the location.

To continue to hold the location owner's favor, respect and admiration, it is up to the operator to rid himself of equipment which is only holding him back in the location's estimation.

As more and more ops agree with the suggestion which The Cash Box has made that ten year old machines be traded in and bust up just as fast as possible the leaders in the field are reported to be following thru with ideas to help this plan get into the speediest possible action.



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1. HEARTACHES

AP-1045—Gordon Macrae CA-372—Joe Alexander CO-37305—Harry James Orch, DE-25017—Ted Weems Orch, KI-598—Cowboy Copas ME-3057—Bobby True Trio

DE-23714—Al Jolson DE-23799—Guy Lombardo Orch. MA-1107—Louis Prima Orch.

CA-368—Andy Russell

ME-3036—Anita Ellis

MGM-10001—Jimmy Dorsey Orch.
NA-9026—Red McKenzie
SI-15065—Ray Bloch Orch.
SO-2005—Ted Straeter
VI-20-2175—Ted Weems Orch.

2. ANNIVERSARY SONG

MGM-10003—Kate Smith MU-428—Artie Shaw Orch. SI-15075—Larry Douglas SO-2004—George Towne Orch. VI-20-2126—Tex Beneke-Miller Orch.

3. LINDA

SI-15106—Larry Douglas SO-2006—Bob Chester Orch. VI-20-2047—Charlie Spivak Orch.

CA-362—Paul Weston Orch. CO-37215—Buddy Clark—Ray Noble Orch. ME-3058—Chuck Foster Orch.

MY ADOBE HACIENDA

KI-609—Billy Hughes MA-1117—Eddy Howard ME-3057—Bobby True Trio RH-101—The Esquire Trio VI-20-2150—Billy Williams

CA-389—The Dinning Sisters CO-37332—Louise Massey CT-8001—Jack McLean DE-23846—Kenny Baker EN-147—The Cossman Sisters

5.

HOW ARE THINGS IN GLOCCA MORRA?

ME-3056—Harry Babbitt SI-15064—Johnny Long Orch. SO-3043—Bob Houston VI-20-2121—Tommy Dorsey Orch.

CA-345—Martha Tilton CO-3722-3—Buddy Clark DE-23830—Dick Haymes MA-12009—Georgia Gibbs

6. GUILTY

MU-428—Artie Shaw-Mel Torme SI-15090—Monica Lewis VI-20-2109—Johnny Desmond

BW-821—Nick Delano CA-324—Margaret Whiting MA-1106—Tony Mottola Four ME-3042—Tony Martin

7. MANAGUA NICARAGUA

SI-15086—Julie Conway SO-3032—The Gordon Trio VI-20-2026—Freddy Martin

CO-37214—Kay Kayser DE-23782—Guy Lombardo ME-5016—Two Ton Baker

8. I'LL CLOSE MY EYES

ME-3046—Jack Fina Orch. MU-15097—Teddy Walters SI-15066—Johnny Bothwell Orch. VI-20-2109—Johnny Desmond

CA-342—Andy Russell CO-37213—Dinah Shore DE-23756—Hildegarde MA-1093—Mildred Bailey

9. IF I HAD MY LIFE TO LIVE OVER

MA-7218—Bob Johnston TW-1001—Larry Vincent

CA-389—The Dinning Sisters CO-37302—Buddy Clark DE-23855—Bob Eberly

10. MAM'SELLE

ME-5048—Frankie Laine MGM-10011—Art Lund RA-10014—Marshall Young Orch. SI-15093—Ray Bloch Orch.

CA-396—The Pied Pipers DE-23861—Dick Haymes EN-257—Derry Falligant MA-7217—Ray Dorey



"April Showers" "If I Had My Way" GUY LOMBARDO ORCHESTRA (Decca 23845)

That the Guy Lombardo ork is a great money-maker on the phonos just so long as it has a worthy song to play is an established fact. Well, the boys have come up this time with not one but two such ditties. Top side for the trade at the moment is "April Showers," which Al Jolson sang back to national popularity in the flicker "The Jolson Story." With Jimmy Brown handling the vocal on this one, Guy and his lads combine to make danceable, listenable music in the warm style they've become famed for. The flip, "If I Had My Way," is another oldie that'll ring up memories and coinage among the strong Lombardo territories. Jimmy again handles the vocal stint on this side and help wrap up the platter as a good package for the legion of phonomen who have been getting top results with Lombardo recordings.

"Sentimental Journey" "Guilty" ELLA FITZGERALD (Decca 23844)

An item certainly worthy of top attention from the trade is this re-issue of Ella Fitzgerald's famed "Sentimental Journey," which was a top item with servicemen overseas during the war. That hers is one of the best interpretations of the haunting memory stirrer is an established fact. And ops can do no wrong by giving it a whirl. Musicmen with routes running in the larger cities of the nation are especially encouraged to place it in spots that cater to a more transient audience. Backing the side is "Guilty," already established among the nation's top hits, and certainly able to snatch plenty of action on its own before or after the top deck is introduced.

"I'm Gonna Write A Letter To My Baby" "Josefine" BASIN STREET BOYS (Exclusive 293)

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● Lookin' for combo kicks, you'll find it with this crew! The Basin Street Boys render nostalgic, lilting music with "I'm Gonna Write A Letter To By Baby". You'll like the way the crew handles this rhythmic blues tale, with that deep throated chanting dominating all thru. Ditty has class for that mass of race spots waiting for coin play. It's slow stuff with the story weaving around the title, and add the picked up beat in the second chorus—you've got something. On the flip with "Josefine," crew knocks out melody bout their baby "Josefine." It's in that somber mood that sets the kids down a bit. We peg the topside tune, and so will you.

"Meet Me At No Special Place" "Ivy"

RAY McKINLEY ORCH. (Majestic 7223)

Ditty headed way up high is this current plug tune titled, "Meet Me At No Special Place," by the Ray Mc-Kinley ork. Ray chants the vocal on this one, in light mean manner, to rate this an extra special place in your phonos. It's slow rhythmic music done up brown by the maestro, of the brand that dancers love. Ray's boys blend well in the background to fill out this piece. On the other side with "Ivy," from the forthcoming flicker of the same name, choir-boy Teddy Norman steps out to offer effective ballading, while the maestro throws in a touch of Latin. "Meet Me At No Special Place" is the one you're gonna hear about.

DISK O'THE WEEK

"Peg O' My Heart"
THE HARMONICATS
(Vitacoustic 1)



THE HARMONICATS

In case you didn't know (and the further you are away from Chicago the less chance there is that you do), grab hold of a batch of wax labeled "Peg O' My Heart" by the Harmonicats. It was not until this past week that this reviewer could put his hands on a copy, but now we know why it has already taken Chicago (where it was born) by storm. That it is the best interpretation of the tune goes without saying. It is unique. Three harmonicas, and a rhythm section make the melody one hears, and genuine greatness is the word for it. The way this platter threatens to catch the entire nation by storm, one should have little concern as to the locations where it should be placed. Probably every one of yours will demand it. Just in case you feel you've placed the tune before, and, as a result, there'll be little call for it, stop such thinking. This is different. And if you wonder why an all instrumental of little more than three harmonicas could get such action, be advised that so did we. But now we've heard it. You do the same. The flip, "Fantasy Impromptu" is of minor importance when compared to the top deck.

"Toorie On His Bonnet" "Saloon" EVELYN KNIGHT (Decca 23854)

Here's one that will match the pace with any of 'em. Chirp Evelyn Knight steps out here to do a pair that will definitely drag the boys' hands out of their pockets. It's "Toorie On His Bonnet" and "Saloon," pair of sides that will fit like a glove in any—saloon. Plug tune, is as the title indicates, a light Irish melody which Evelyn pipes pretty for the brass-rail boys. Backside, with "Saloon," has been a favorite for oh so long; and the way our chanteuse does it makes it one that can't miss. You're losing out on coin-play if you don't grab this pair.

"Willie" "Speaking Of Angels" ELLIOT LAWRENCE (Columbia 37320)

Bright platter on the wax horizon looms big with "Willie," as the El'iot Lawrence ork show pipe-lass Rosalind Patton to good advantage. Gal has that teasing quality in her tonsils which makes you wanna "set-a-while". Ditty is topped off by some unique orchestration out of the Lawrence hit-bag, altho the chanteuse takes top honors. "Speaking of Angels" showers balladeer Jack Hunter with orchids for some fine first rate work with this romantic bit. Ditty won't stop traffic, but nevertheless deserves your listening time. You'll like "Willie,"

"Midnight Masquerade" "It's Dreamtime" CARMEN CAVALLARO ORCH. (Decca 28852)

Melody made by Carmen Cavallaro appears to be gaining wider and more enthusiastiv audiences, according to all reports, and this wax product should help out not little bit. Offering "Midnight Masquerade," a click ballad keyed to score best wherever romancers gather, Carmen's piano sets a sweet mood for the vocal, capably delivered by Bob Allen. The flip, "It's Dreamtime," is by now well known both to the trade and to the public. Another lush ballad, it owes much of what popularity it enjoys to its inclusion in the flicker "I'll Be Yours," and, as such, serves as an effective second to the top deck. Thanks to Carmen's music makers, the disk is suitable for both dancers and listeners.

"Gotta Get Me Somebody To Love" "What Am I Gonna Do About You" BING CROSBY (Decca 23850)

Many months ago, this department pegged Bing Crosby's "Gotta Get Me Somebody To Love" as a "Disk O' The Week," and urged that ops place it wherever Western-type melody ranked high in phono favor. Well, it has just been released again, this time with a new backing—and a much better one at that. And once again we urge the trade to get next to the side, and not only for your Western music customers. The ditty is being featured in the click flicker "Duel In The Sun," and, as a result, there should be much plugging and much demand created for it. Bing does a top notch job on the vocal, and the Les Paul Trio are great on the instrumental support. The flip features the same combo delivering "What Am I Gonna Do About You," a click romantic ballad, and the whole platter comes up as something worthy of heavy praise for all concerned. You won't go wrong by giving this disk a ride.

"Hi De Ho Man" "Necessity" CAB CALLOWAY (Columbia 37312)

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Long missing from the phonos, Cab Calloway comes up with one that might turn the tide and put the beam on the boy again. "Hi De Ho Man," with that Cab howling away while his boys chant the refrain, shows the maestro up to good advantage with this ditty. Jump beat that the kids will go crazy over makes this one for the ice-cream parlor trade a natural. In that familiar Cotton Club warbling style, Cab's many fans are bound to play this. "Necessity" on the backside turns up right for the baton-twirler, with the boss piping all thru in splendid pitch. Ditty is from the hitshow "Finian's Rainbow," which of course, will add to its possibilities. Latch on to the topside tune!

"Solitude" "There Is No Greater Love" BILLIE HOLIDAY (Decca 23853)

ops throughout the nation know about. "Solitude," never was better—and what with the oldie style leading the parade, we don't see how this tune can miss. Lady Day still has that same tone and quality that rates this waxing as top drawer material. The chirp still has that high pitch that blends so well with the rhythmic pattern this thing sets. On the backing we find "There Is No Greater Love," ditty currently enjoying peak success in the phonos. Billie's vocal will match up with the best of them and where music lovers gather, this one is bound to get heavy attention. Both sides can be used as terrific filler material, with "Solitude" taking the spotlight.

THE CASH BOX MILL

"The Man Who Paints The Rainbow In The Sky" "Unless It Can Happen With You"

FRANKIE CARLE ORCHESTRA

(Columbia 37311)

• "The Man Who Paints The Rainbow In The Sky" can well be compared to "The Old Lamplighter," insofar as style is concerned. It's another memory stirrer and, as such, is bound to get better than adequate action. What's more the way Frankie Carle and his lads interpret the melody helps out more than a little bit. Marjorie Hughes, who warbles the bal-Marjorie Hughes, who warbles the ballad, provides a very workmanlike lyric, all helping out to produce a better than adequate waxing. The flip, "Unless It Can Happen With You," is another pleasant romantic ballad capably performed by Frankie and the men. With Marjorie Hughes on the lyrics, the whole package comes up completed as something you can take or leave. We'd call it a strong filler. a strong filler.

> "Mam'selle" "Mah-Zel" MARSHALL YOUNG (Rainbow 10014)

• One the better versions of "Mam'selle" to be heard around is done here by Marshall Young, a promising new vocalist. Already established among the nation's top romantic ballads, Marshall does it top romantic ballads, Marshall does it with the free and easy style the tune demands. In this he is well assisted by the house ork behind him. The flip, "Mah-Zel," is the new novelty (a recent "Sleeper Of The Week" that is now getting very heavy plugging in the East by its publisher. As done here by Marshall and a vocal combo in the person of the Dennis Sisters, the ditty starts s'ow to wind up with plenty of zip and enthusiasm. Peg this as one of the better "Money's-worth" to be bought today.

"His Feet Too Big For De Bed" "Jack, Jack, Jack" ANDREWS SISTERS (Decca 23860)

The Andrews Sisters put in a strong bid to win big phono favor via the waxing of this great little pair of novelties tabbed "His Feet Too Big For De Bed" and "Jack, Jack, Jack." Supported by a really hep arrangement, the girls go enthusiastically calypso to give "His Feet . . ." the kind of treatment that wins plenty of play wherever good novelties score. The flip, "Jack, Jack, Jack (Cu-Tu-Ru-Gu)" has a Latin beat, but the way the Andrews do it, the ditty The Andrews Sisters put in a strong but the way the Andrews do it, the ditty emerges as a first class vehicle for action as a strictly American pop. If you've been seeking a good Andrews Sisters platter, this one should do better than merely fill the bill.

"Whiffenpoof Song" "Streamliner" GEORGE PAXTON ORCH. (Majestic 7224)

• Tune headed high on our list this week rates orchids to the George Paxton week rates orchids to the George Paxton ork for knocking out some terrific orchestration besides this comer "Whiffenpoof Song". Grabbing the lime, balladeer Dick Merrick vocals deep and fair to make the ditty a coin-culler in your boxes. It's an oldie and revivals being the theme today, this is one that should be heard. On the flip with an all instrumental jog, George renders melodic timing to knock out stuff that the kids might go for. Brass takes a ride here with a piano riff in the middle. Topside tune is the one they'll play.

SLEEPER OF THE WEEK

"I Wish I Didn't Love You So" DICK FARNEY (Majestic 7225)



● Here's a tune we pick to score in the big time once it gets around. Labeled "I Wish I Didn't Love You So," it's from the forthcoming flicker "The Peri's Of Pauline," and, as a result, should get plenty of hearing in time to come. As it is, it's a crackerjack romantic ballad that's loaded up with an excellent melody and excellent lyrics, and the way it's offered here by Dick Farney on the vocal, it all adds up to a click disk. As for Farney, he shows plenty of talent and sings this with the free and easy style that appears to be gaining big in public favor. By all means get out and give this platter a ride. It's the first cutting we've heard of the tune, and it has all the earmarks of growing into a great big thing. Let the customers take it from there, and we're sure they'll prove us right. The flip, "My Young And Foolish Heart" is a pleasant romantic ballad, and, as done here, should fit well as a filler after the top deck has had its guts played out.

"The Whiffenpoof Song" "The Sweetheart Of Sigma Chi" ROBERT MERRILL (RCA 10-1313)

 For a long time we've been waiting for a great "Whiffenpoof Song," and, for a very heavy proportion of phonos, this one may well be it. Featuring the voice of Robert Merrill, assisted by a first class male choir, the side emerges as a youdon't-want-to-be-without-it item for any operator who has spots that cater to the high school and college trade, as well as customers who gather in taverns to reminisce and compare memory notes. Because this ballad is certainly a great vehicle for the more nostalgic, and because commencement time with its "old school tie" attitude is approaching, the side certainly should have a place among the locations named. The flip, "The Sweetheart Of Sigma Chi" is a well known ballad well suited for the same spots as the top deck and should prove an effective backing when the top side has been worn white. By all means give this disk careful consideration.

"Cu-Tu-Ru-Gu" "Illusion" XAVIER CUGAT ORCHESTRA

(Columbia 37319)

Avier Cugat, probably the best known of those who provide music with a Latin accent, comes up on his latest wax offering with a top ditty in "Cu-Tu-Ru-Gu (Jack, Jack, Jack)". That you are bound to hear plenty of call for this tune is definite. It is being heavily plugged via practically all mediums, and successfully. On this version, Cugat's men offer a pleasing arrangement, but not up to the standard set by Enric not up to the standard set by Enric Madriguera. Nonetheless, the side should do very well thanks to Cugat's reputation. The vocal, contributed by the Boyd Triplets is strictly American, and that should help to give the interpretation wider acceptance. The flip "Illusion," is a very pleasing romantic ballad in Latin tempo and style. Done vocally by Dorothy Porter, it shows up as a promising item if adequately plugged if adequately plugged.

"That's My Desire" "Humoresque Boogie" HADDA BROOKS (Modern 147)

 Singing low and pretty in a blue theme, chirp Hadda Brooks offers ops current sougsation riding the wave for a harrel of coin-play. "That's My Desire," now familiar to so many ops, shows our gal Hadda in top form as she tilts the scales with this melodic ballad. You'll have to pick your spots with this one have to pick your spots with this one, altho the lass shows as well as the other cookies kicking the gong around. On the backing, with an all instru, Hadda tickles a mean piano with "Humoresque Boogie." If you have spots that go for this stuff, give it a whirl. We like Hadda with the topside tune.

"Water Faucet" "Call The Police" JIMMIE LUNCEFORD

(Majestic 1122)

Majestic 1122)

Novelty cookie offered ops this week shows Jimmie Lunceford and his boys in high style with the platter titled "Water Faucet." Chanting the lyrics all thru the side is Jack Carruthers aided by a vocal four, who make pleasant listening. Jack does a dialogue sketch here a la "Richard," which might set the pace. With the refrain echoing "Drip - Drip - Drip," the ditty is one that race record fiends might like. On the backside with more novelty stuff, "Call The Police" shapes up fair. Aimed at race spots, ops that cater to this brand might find it to their liking. The pair is there for the asking, so go to it.

"These Things Are Love" "I've Been Around" TINY BRADSHAW (Savoy 650)

• Stuff aimed at the race spots is this latest pair by the Tiny Bradshaw crew, which seems destined for big things. which seems destined for big things. Well loaded with possibilities is the pair labeled "These Things Are Love" and "I've Been Around," with maestro Tiny taking the pitch on both cookies. Topside tune hogs the lime—with Tiny pitching woo on some real low down blues. Tenor sax wails away in the background to give the ditty flavor. Jazzophiles will eat this stuff—it's that good. On the backing with "I've Been Around," Tiny sets the tempo low and slow again, while his boys chip in to round out the side. "These chip in to round out the side. "These Things Are Love" echoes coin—so lend an ear.

What's Hot ON THE RECORDS THE TOP TEN JUKE BOX TUNES THRUOUT THE NATION For the Week of April 28, 1947

New York

- 1. HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)
 2. THE FRECKLE SONG
 (Larry Vincent)
 3. MAM'SELLE
 (Ant Lund)

- (Art Lund)
 A SUNDAY KIND OF LOVE
 (Claude Thornhill)
 LINDA

- (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble)
 MANAGUA NICARAGUA
 (Freddy Martin)
 IVY

- (Jo Stafford) ADOBE HACIENDA

- (Eddy Howard)

 9. ALL JOLSON RECORDINGS

 10. IF I HAD MY LIFE TO LIVE OVER
 (Larry Vincent)

Johnstown, Pa.

- 1. MY ADOBE HACIENDA
- (Eddy Howard)
 HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)
 LINDA
- (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble)
 MIDNIGHT MASQUERADE

- 4. MIDNIGHT MASQUERADE
 (Sammy Kaye)
 5. THAT'S MY DESIRE
 (Frankie Laine)
 6. ANNIVERSARY SONG
 (Guy Lombardo)
 7. GLOCCA MORRA
 (Buddy Clark)
 8. SANTA CATALINA
 (Freddy Martin)
 9. MOON FACED, STARRY EYED
 (Freddy Martin)
 10. MANAGUA NICARAGUA
 (Guy Lombardo)

Woodburn, Ore.

- 1. MY ADOBE HACIENDA (Eddie Howard)
- LINDA
- (Mat Dennis) ANNIVERSARY SONG
- (Al Jolson) FOR SENTIMENTAL REASONS

- (Ella Fitzgerald)
 LIGHT OF THE SILVERY MOON
 (Ray Noble)
 POLONAISE BOOGIE

- (Hadda Brooks)
 MANAGUA NICARAGUA
 (Freddy Martin)
- GÙILTY
- (Johnny Desmond)
- IT'S A GOOD DAY (Phil Harris)
- PREACHER & THE BEAR (Phil Harris)

Detroit, Mich.

- 1. HEARTACHES · (Ted Weems)
 2. MY_ADOBE HACIENDA
- (Eddy Howard)
 FOR SENTIMENTAL REASONS
- (Eddy Howard) LINDA
- (Ray Noble) GUILTY
- (Tony Martin)
 I'LL CLOSE MY EYES
- (Andy Russell) OH, BUT I DO
- (Harry James) SUGAR BLUES
- (Clyde McCoy)
 BLACKFOOT BOOGIE
- (Freddy Slack)
 ANNIVERSARY SONG
- (Tex Beneke)

Chicago

- 1. PEG O' MY HEART
 (The Harmonicats)
 2. HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)

- LINDA
- (Ray Noble) ANNIVERSARY SONG
- (Al Jolson)
- ADOBE HACIENDA
- (Eddy Howard)
 TOO MANY TIMES
 (Eddy Howard)
 MANAGUA NICARAGUA
- (Guy Lombardo) GLOCCA MORRÁ
- (Dick Haymes)
- GÙILTY
- (Tony Martin) SANTA CATALINA (Eddy Howard)

Minneapolis, Minn.

- MAM'SELLE
- (Ray Dorey) ANNIVERSARY SONG
- (Al Jolson)
 HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)
 GUILTY

- (Margaret Whiting)
 GLOCCA MORRA
 (Martha Tilton)
 MY ADOBE HACIENDA (Eddy Howard)
- LÌNDA
- (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble)
 BLESS YOU
 (Eddy Howard)
- SONATA
- (Three Suns)
 I'LL CLOSE MY EYES
 (Mildred Bailey)

Miami, Fla.

- ANNIVERSARY SONG
- (Kate Smith) LINDA
- (Ray Noble)
 MANAGUA NICARAGUA
 (Guy Lombardo)
 GLOCCA MORRA
 (Sammy Kaye)
 HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)
 GUILTY
 (Ella Fitzgerald)

- (Ella Fitzgerald)
 MY ADOBE HACIENDA
 (Eddy Howard)
 IT'S A GOOD DAY
 (Phil Harris)
 YOU CAN'T SEE THE SUN

- (The Charioteers)
 I'LL CLOSE MY EYES
- (Andy Russell)

Washington, D. C.

- 1. HEARTACHES (Ted Weems) 2. LINDA
- (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble) 3. MAM'SELLE
- (Art Lund)
 ANNIVERSARY SONG
 (Al Jolson)
 MY ADOBE HACIENDA
- 5.
- (Eddy Howard) GLOCCA MORRA
- (Dick Haymes)
 GUILTY

- (Tony Martin)
 MIDNIGHT MASQUERADE
 (Eddy Howard)
 APRIL SHOWERS
 (Al Jolson)
 MANAGUA NICARAGUA
 (Freddy Martin)

Los Angeles

- 1. MAM'SELLE
- (Art Lund)
 HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)
- LINDA

- (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble)
 SANTA CATALINA
 (Freddy Martin)
 THAT'S MY DESIRE
 (Frankie Laine)
 THAT'S HOW MUCH I LOVE YOU
- (Frank Sinatra)
- ANNIVERSARY SONG
- (Tex Beneke)
 MOON FACED, STARRY EYED
 (Freddy Martin)
 HIS FEET TOO BIG FOR DE BED
- (Stan Kenton)
 ACROSS THE ALLEY FROM THE (Mills Bros.)

Hartford, Conn.

- 1. ANNIVERSARY SONG
 (Al Jolson)
 2. HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)
- GUILTY

- GUILTY
 (Ella Fitzgerald)
 GLOCCA MORRA
 (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble)
 I'LL CLOSE MY EYES
 (Dinah Shore)
 IF I HAD MY LIFE TO LIVE OVER
 (Bob Eberle)
- LINDA
- (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble)
 MY ADOBE HACIENDA
 (Eddy Howard)
 JALOUSIE
- (Three Suns) LAZY RIVER

Montgomery, Ala.

- 1. HEARTACHES
 (Ted Weems)
 2. ANNIVERSARY SONG

(The Mills Bros.)

- (Andy Russell)

 I WANT TO BE LOVED
 (Savannah Churchill)
 WOODCHOPPER'S BALL

- (Woody Herman)
 GLOCCA MORRA
 (Dick Haymes)
 MANGUA NICARAGUA
- (Kay Kyser) THAT'S HOW MUCH I LOVE YOU
- (Frank Sinatra) LINDA
- (Charlie Spivak)
 FOR SENTIMENTAL REASONS
 (Eddy Howard)
 GUILTY

Rochester, N. Y.

(Margaret Whiting)

- 1. HEARTACHES
- (Harry James) ANNIVERSARY SONG
- (Louis Prima) 3. LINDA
- (Buddy Clark-Ray Noble)
 GUILTY
- (Tony Martin)
 MAM'SELLE 5.
- (Art Lund)
 MY ADOBE HACIENDA
 (Eddy Howard)
 I'LL CLOSE MY EYES
- (Page Cavanaugh Trio) GLOCCA MORRA (Dick Haymes)
- IT'S A GOOD DAY
- (Gene Krupa) 10. MANAGUA NICARAGUA
- (Guy Lombardo)



Lindy's, on 51st Street and Broadway, can properly be termed the midnight Command Post of the entire music business. Everybody goes there, to eat cheese-cake, drink coffee and talk—especially talk. So one midnight during this past week we went there, took up a position in a forward area of the tremendous room, and, fortified with a bourbon and soda rather than the inevitable cheese cake and coffee, began our own little action to gather the stuff from which these columns are made.

In no time at all we had company. Irving Katz, an Apollo Records sales chief, sat down and began to spill news. He told us that Connee Boswell, recently added to the label's talent roster, had cut a thing called "Chi Baba Chi Baba," and everybody up there is hailing it as one of the best things ever cut under the Apollo imprint, Incidentally, Hy Stegel, Apollo prexy, has returned from the Manual County where the steer the first the West Coast where he closed the final

aspects of the pact with Charlie Barnet
... Next to show where Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Obendorfer (he's the local MGM sales promotion chief) and we talked about Van Johnson's recording of "Good Night, Sweetheart." which MGM released this week. There was much difference of opinion as to the worth of the record, Frank, of course, boosting it. Having heard the platter, we realize why there might well be that difference of opinion. Lots better vocalists than Johnson are running around hungry, but, then again. Van's name as a drawing card can't be discounted.

Catching a late bite after his last show at this city's Hotel Commodore was Louis Prima, and with Louis was his manager, Max Schall. Of course we talked about records, and especially about a single record that Louis made recently for release sometime in July or August. The tune was written by capable Sunny Skylar, who will feature it as his first song when he opens his own publishing firm in the near future. We heard Louis' disking of it, and all we can say is that the trade is due for a big surprise

Gathered at another table we spotted Ben Bart and Harry Lenetska, who man-

age The Ink Spots. Brushing off our query as to what happened to the Spots on records, Ben advises us that he pacted The Rayens with the National label. The The Ravens with the National label. The combo is now appearing in a Broadway theatre. In addition, Ben tells me he is seeking to enlarge distribution of his Hub Records, and would especially like to get more coverage in the South for his "race" line . . . Over at the bar, where the man in the white coat, obligingly insured us against discomfort from thirst, we were joined by Johnny Green, of the Stept, Inc. music pubbery. He handed us a copy of "Smoke Dreams," from which the firm expects big things. And speaking of pubberies, we're told that one of the biggest in the Alley is about to go under . . . Which brings up the fact that the music publishers are moaning about the tremendous drop in Dished out with spasms of French accent, aided and abetted by The Four Hits. She screams, she yells . . . about that boogie-woogie piano pounder upstairs. moaning about the tremendous drop in sheet music sales, and the record manufacturers are doing likewise over what CAP. 380 their own sales figures have been adding up to . . . We hear that Ted (Heart-aches) Weems will offer "Violets" as his first release under the Mercury label . . . Capitol execs are excited about Sam Donahue's forthcoming "I Never Knew," the oldie that's being featured as the background musical theme in the flicker "Johnny O'Clock." Seen along coinrow this past week was Al Middleman, head man of the Sterling and Juke Box labels . . . Johnny Halonka and Gloria Friedman, of Runyon Sales Co. of New York, are impatiently await-Co. of New York, are impatiently awaiting the first shipment of the Harmonicats' disking of the "Peg O' My Heart" clickeroo . . . and we did our good turn of the week by getting a number of disk jock friends to ride it over local air waves, including Ted Husing and Barry Gray . . . While at Lindy's, Barry told us he'd enot it on his Saturday afternoon. us he'd spot it on his Saturday afternoon



Cleveland Ops Honor Cavallero Vox Records



CLEVELAND, O. — Honored at a luncheon tendered by The Cleveland Phonograph Merchant's Association this past week was Carmen Cavallero, popular Decca recording artist. Standing beside Carmen is Gary Weber, president of E & W Distributing

Columbia To Open **Mexico City Plant**

NEW YORK - Mounting record demands in the Latin-American market have led Columbia Records, Inc., to set up its first foreign plant, in Mexico City it was disclosed late this past week.

Edward J. Wallerstein, president of Columbia has returned from an inspection tour of the new factory, and reported brisk progress. Expecting to have the plant in operation with approximately 15 to 20 presses working late this summer, Wallerstein pointed out that the new plant will use masters from this country, until such time that Latin-American artists can do on the spot waxing in Mexico City.

Prompting the diskery to set up its new facility was the request of Jose Salazer, Columbia distributor in Mexico City. Unable to meet the growing demand to adequately supply the booming market, it is believed the distributor conferred with Columbia officials regarding a new factory operation in Mexico.

The Mexican plant will be under the direction of Michael S. Kestler

Howard Hits Royalty Jackpot With Majestic

CHICAGO — Indicative of the popularity of band leader and Majestic recording artist Eddy Howard is the announcement made here this past week by E. A. Tracey, president of Majestic Records, Inc., revealing that royalties paid to Howard on the basis of sales of his Majestic Records for the month of March, 1947 amounted to \$26,681.55.

Eddy Howard has long been a favorite in the middle west, but his sensational rise to national fame began a year ago with the release of his first Majestic recording—"To Each His Own."

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His orchestra was voted the "Best Orchestra of 1946," by the Automatic Music Industry of America, in a music poll sponsored by The Cash Box.

Novel Disk Set-Up

NEW YORK — Marking a new development in the poular platter field, Vox Records announced to the trade their Records announced to the trade their signing of an exclusive agreement with Radio Station WNEW, this city, for the recording and packaging of the station's Saturday night "Swing Session".

The agreement signed last week between George Mendelsohn and WNEW manager Bernice Judis, calls for the printing of at least four albums per year.

The first album, cut last week, fea-

The first album, cut last week, featured many noted jazzmen. Featured are Buddy Rich, Chubby Jackson, Bill Harris, Charlie Ventura, Fats Navarro and many others.

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I—A SUNDAY KIND OF LOVE

FRANKIE LAINE (Mercury 5018)

2—I WANT TO BE LOVED

> SAVANNAH CHURCHILL (Manor 1046)

3—THAT'S MY DESIRE

> FRANKIE LAINE (Mercury 5007)

4—THEM THERE EYES

ROY MILTON
(Roy Milton 201)

5—HAWK'S BOOGIE

ERSKINE HAWKINS (Victor 20-2169)

6—OLD MAID BOOGIE

EDDIE VINCENT (Mercury 8028)

7—FOOLISHLY YOURS

> SAVANNAH CHURCHILL (Manor 1046)

8—SOMEDAY SWEETHEARAT

JOE LIGGINS (Exclusive 238)

9—THAT'S GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME

PEARL BAILEY (Columbia 37280)

10-GLORIA

JOHNNY MOORE'S THREE BLAZERS (Exclusivė)





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Ops Call For Vinyl Disks

Claim It Is Only Answer To Problem Of Poor Record Wear

NEW YORK — That music operators are a long way from general satisfaction over the amount of play currently being rendered by the majority of records now being produced is well known both to cointrade leaders and the heads of the record industry.

That some effort to improve the quality and play-giving properties of their platters is being made by many of the labels is also well known, with many recording companies going all out to plug the increased shellac content of their product.

Nonetheless, one suggestion that has been offered the cointrade for improving the situation appears to be gaining wider and heavier support from all directions, and a great many of the leading op quizzed in recent weeks by The Cash Box have come to agreement that there is only one answer to end the entire problem: That is for the record manufacturers to provide the music op trade with vinylite pressings.

It should be explained at this point that the term "vinylite" is actually a trade-mark for a plastic product produced by the Bakelite corporation, that is frequently used to describe all unbreakable records. There are a number of plastic compositions which have qualities similar to those of vinylite, but few of them are known by name.

Few music ops have had occasion to use these "unbreakables." Apart from those manufactured as classical or children's recordings, they have been circulated largely among record reviewers, disk jockeys, etc. However, those operators who have obtained them report amazingly successful wear when compared to the shellac product. In addition, those who have used another type of "unbreakable," namely vinyl records with aluminum cores, such as those which have been produced by a Detroit manufacturer. These, too, have registered astounding wear.

At the present time a number of leading manufacturers are toying with the idea of releasing "unbreakables" to the phono trade. Most of the larger manufacturers have the facilities and are producing such disks for sale to the public. However, what has blocked their use on phonos to any important extent has been the price factor; in addition, few such records have been offered for sale to them which would warrant the increased cost.

Countering the complaint of the price factor, manufacturers point out that the material that goes into the manufacture of an "unbreakable" is too high to even consider cutting current prices they must now charge for it. For this situation, they point out that there is a critical shortage of the material required and the prices they must pay to even press an "unbreakable" are almost as high as what ops are paying for shellac platters. Most claim they would have to charge double their current prices for an "unbreakable" if they were to put it out in place of shellac disks.

On the other hand, there is a feeling among some manufacturers that it could be done, and at a cost whereby the music operator would be required to pay but a few cents more per record than they are now. These manufacturers are bending every effort toward that accomplishment, and they are of the feeling that they will have favorable news for the trade soon.

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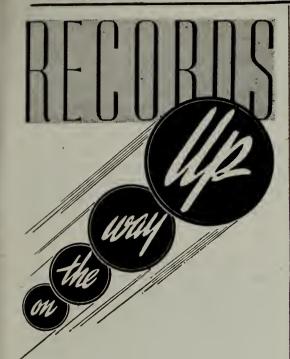
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(Listed Alphabetically)

I WONDER, I WONDER I WONDER

EDDY HOWARD ORCH.

(Majestic)

THE MAN WHO PAINTS THE RAINBOW

RAY DOREY

(Majestic 7217)

MIDNIGHT MASQUERADE

EDDY HOWARD ORCH.

(Majestic 1117)

ROSES IN THE

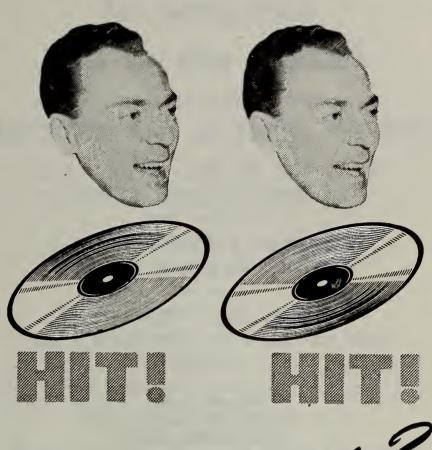
FRANKIE CARLE ORCH.

(Columbia 37252)

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Briefs -

Jack Leonard, Majestic Records balladeer has renewed his contract . . . Tony Martin's initial waxing for RCA Victor was made at the recording company's studios in Hollywood this past April 10, sez Jim Murray, big boss at the plattery, and can be expected on the market shortly . . . Murray also announced the signing of Beryl Davis, British singing import, and Bill Johnson and His Musical Notes.

Eric Bernay, formerly president of Keynote Records, this past week returned from a lengthy Florida vacation. Eric has been seen talking with numerous figures in the music biz of late... Joe Gerl, president of Sonora Radio & Television, into New York to confer with union officials regarding the impending strike at Sonora's plant in Meriden, Conn.

Donald Gabor, president of Continental Records off on an extended trip to Detroit, Chicago and Cleveland. Gabor will supervise the opening of the plattery's new branch distributing office in Detroit, and plans on attending the gala Cleveland Phono Ops Convention May 5th . . . DeLuxe Records, Linden, N. J., in big expansion plans aimed at music ops the nation round.

Name artists flocking to the forth-coming big event over at Atlantic New York Corp. . . . Billy Eckstine to cut a couple of sides for both MGM and National, filling out his commitments with the latter diskery . . . Eli Oberstein, RCA Victor recording chief, back in New York after flip to the filmland . . . Credit Irving Fink, Brooklyn Amusement Machine Co. much of the success of "If I Had My Life To Live Over."

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Decca Traffic Chief Leads Fight To Gain Lower Freight Rates On Disks

NEW YORK — Aiming at reducing the freight rates on records now being borne by manufacturers, distributors, music operators and retailers in practically all sections of the country, S. M. Gasster, general traffic manager of Decca Records, headquartered here, has communicated with representatives of a number of leading record manufacturers, suggesting that they meet for a discussion of the freight rate problem with the purpose of working together to obtain what he believes are warranted rate reductions.

Principal target for the manufacturers would be to reduce the shipping classification now being used in the movement of records from Class 2 to Class 3, for both truck and rail carriers. This, in turn, would reduce the freight rates now being carried by both the manufacturers and music operators to a very appreciable extent when examined over an entire year's total.

Gasster holds the belief that this freight reduction is more than warranted when it is considered that from the time the classifications were first fixed on phonograph records, the amount of tonnage shipped by the platteries has increased many times over; at the same time, he points out, the amount of claims entered against the carriers (an important item in

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considering rate reductions) have come to a very small percentage.

A leader in traffic rate adjustments, Gasster was instrumental in obtaining a reduction of freight rates for phonograph records shipped within the New England states, and he is now seeking to bring about comparable reductions for freight rates on records thruout the country.

To best accomplish this purpose, Gasster believes that a solid front among the record manufacturers would be an utmost advantage in negotiations with the railroad and trucking groups concerned.

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"Scars Upon My Heart"
TOMMY SOSEBEE

(Apollo 140)

A genuine tear jerker is this offering tabbed "Death By The Roadside," as done by Tommy Sosebee. Reciting the tale of the drunk driver who runs down his own child, Tommy warbles it with no holds barred, and if such a tune will go in your locations, it's possible that the deck will prove a big click. The flip, "Scars Upon My Heart," is another ditty aimed at leaving not a dry eye within earshot, tho this one has the less limited aspects of life to draw its message from. Considering the content of this disk, ops should choose their spots carefully in considering it for placement. It's certain that Tommy's performance will create good action wherever the tunes are acceptable.

"New Milk Cows Blues"

"Moonshine Polka"

MOON MULLICAN

(King 607)

One of the better things heard this week is this latest Moon Mullican waxing tabbod "New Milk Cow Blues." Mixing a folk and blues rhythm, Moon warbles the ditty in wholly agreeable style, while the Showboys, on the instruments, add neat support to his efforts. The flip, "Moonshine Polka," is a gay and lively ditty that'll go well wherever folk type polkas are in demand. By all means peg this as a disk you should hear, and it's very probable you'll find it one you'll want to place.

"The Wreck Of The Old 97"
"Deep In The Bottom Of The Sea"

FRED KIRBY

(Sonora 3038)

• Well known and among the greats of folk musicdom is "The Wreck Of The Old 97." Done here by Fred Kirby, accompanied by the Mountaineers, the side comes up as an item with plenty of zip and go. Kirby's performance on the ditty is right on the track all the way thru and he does it up right to score well with all the folks who know the tune and for all the youngsters who don't. The flip, "Deep In The Bottom Of The Sea," serves well as a vehicle for Kirby and should serve well as a secondary side to feature when the top deck is thru.

"Look In The Looking Glass"
"Oklahoma City"
LOUIE AND THE INNIS CLAN

(Sterling 207)

Louie Innis plays the part of the bashful lover on the side of this platter tabbed "Look In The Looking Glass," and he scores well enough in a very folksy, but very passionless, style. Supplying the melody on the string instrument background is the Innis Clan, and, tho the music they make is no serenade, their performance is adequate and workmanlike. The flip "Oklahoma City," has a pleasant bounce, and Louie warbles his tribute to that locality to the advantage of all concerned. Especially an item for Oklahoma areas, ops in other territories should find it an adequate filler.



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Sonora Execs Negotiate; Strike Deadline Extended

NEW YORK - Latest developments in the impending strike at Sonora Records indicate that an agreement will be entered into early this week.

Monroe Postrel, press chief at Sonora, announced that Joe Gerl, president of the firm, has arrived in New York to confer with union officials in this city, and at the firm's plant in Meriden, Conn.

The impending strike, involving approximately 250 employees, would, if called, immediately curtail the production of the plattery's disks. Demands of the employees, ranging from increases in wages to health and insurance benefits, might also affect the firm's low price

"Negotiations will run through April 29th, and we feel that a definite settlement will be made by Wednesday," Postrel said.

Union officials, when contacted by The Cash Box, would not disclose just what the demands of the Sonora employees are. The plant is organized by the United Construction Workers (AFL), Local 50, affiliated with the United Mine Workers Union. The union has extended its strike notice deadline until April 30th.

Signature Inks New Talent

NEW YORK — Alan Dale, ballader, and a new band unit headed by Warren Covington were signed to recording contracts late this past week, it was announced by Signature Records, this city.

Dale, formerly with the George Paxtou ork, has already waxed his first side, titled "My Heart Is An Open Window," to be released shortly.

Covington was plucked out of the Ray Bloch crew, when the latter maestro "found" him.

Continental Issues New Series-List At 60c

NEW YORK-Continental Records, this city, announced to the trade late this past week the issuance of a new series of records to retail at a 60c list.

"We feel that the demand for a lowerpriced label is strong enough to warrant our putting out this new line," said Donald H. Gabor, president of the firm. "We plan on using the best talent on our roster, and will continue to give the buying public, music operators and our dealers, records of the same high quality as is used in our higher priced line," he continued.

Joe Dosh, plug singer for the label, will cut the first side in the new series. Gabor disclosed, with a tune titled "As Long As I'm Dreaming."

"Continental will continue to put out our 75c line, both for domestic and foreign consumption," Gabor added. "At present our production facilities will be able to cope with the increased demand for our records, which should be the result of our decrease in prices," said the prexy.



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Anniversary Song
CO-37305—HARRY JAMES ORCH.
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DE-2SD71—TED WEEMS O.—ELMO TANNER
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MA-1111-EDDY HOWARD O. Dan't Tell Her What's Happened to Me

MG-10001—JIMMY DORSEY ORCH.

There is No Greater Love

NA-9026—RED McKENZIE

If 1 Had My Life to Live Over

SI-15065—RAY BLOCH ORCH.

What Am I Ganna Do About You? SO-2005—TED STRAETER ORCH.

That's Where f Come in VI-20-2175—TED WEEMS ORCH. Piccola Pete 88.8 128.8 120.8 2-Lindo

CA-362-PAUL WESTON ORCH. Roses In the Rain CO-37215-RAY NOBLE ORCH. (FT)

Love is a Rondom Thing DE-23864-GORDON JENKINS O. Maybe You'll Be There

ME-3058-CHUCK FOSTER ORCH Roses In The Rain MU-428—ARTIE SHAW ORCH.

Anniversary Song SI-1S106—LARRY DOUGLAS SI-15090-MONICA LEWIS

SO-2006-BOB CHESTER ORCH. Roses In The Roln
VI-20-2047—CHARLIE SPIVAK ORCH.

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VI-20-2109-JOHNNY DESMOND 3—Anniversary Sang 128.1 154.2 155.7 CA-368-ANDY RUSSELL (WITH PAUL WESTON ORCH.) My Best to You CO-37289—WOODY HERMAN O.

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No Time CO-37234-DINAH SHORE

Heoriaches, Sodness and Tears
DE-23799—GUY LOMBARDO O.
Uncle Remus Said
DE-23714—AL JOISON

Avalon MA-1107—LOUIS PRIMA O. That's How Much I Love You ME-3036—ANITA ELLIS

I'm Yours MU-428—ARTIE SHAW ORCH. Guilty SI-1S075—LARRY DOUGLAS

The Girl That I Morry
SO-2004—GEORGE TOWNE ORCH. Sonato VI-20-2126-TEX BENEKE O.

4-Managua, Nicaragua 71.3 97.9 108.0

CO-37214-KAY KYSER O. That's the Beginning of the End
DE-23782—GUY LOMBARDO O.
What More Can I Ask For?
ME-S016—TWO TON BAKER
SI-15086—JULIE CONWAY & CHICKERING FOUR

if I Had My Life To Live Over SO-3032—THE GORDON TRIO

VI-20-2026—FREDDY MARTIN O.
Heaven Knaws When

5-Mam'selle 70.6

CA-396-PIED PIPERS It's the Same Old Dream
CO-37343—FRANK SINATRA

Mom'selle DE-23861—DICK HAYMES Stello By Storlight MA-7217—RAY DOREY

Man Who Points The Roinbaw

MGM-10011—ART LUND
Sleepy Time Gol
S1-15093—RAY BLOCH ORCH. It's So Nice To Be Nice

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Oh, But I Do DE-23844—EDDIE HEYWOOD ORCH.

Sentimental Journey
MA-1106—TONY MOTTOLA FOUR

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ME-3042—TONY MARTIN Dreomland Rendezvous
MU-423—ARTIE SHAW ORCH.

Anniversory Song
SI-1S090—MONICA LEWIS Exactly Like You VI-20-2109—JOHNNY DESMOND

I'll Close My Eyes 7-How Are Things in

68.5 82.3 88.1 Glocca Morra? CA-345-MARTHA TILTON

CO-37223—BUDDY CLARK

If This Isn't Love

DE-23830—DICK HAYMES

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MA-12009—GEORGIA GIBBS

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Necessity
ME-3056—HARRY BABBITT Oshkosh, Wisc.
SI-18064—JOHNNY LONG ORCH.
Lost Night On The Bock Parch
SO-3043—808 HOUSTON WITH ORCH.

VI-20-2121—TOMMY DORSEY O.
When I'm Not Near the Girl I Love
VI-45-0011 (P-167) RUSS CASE O.
That Great Come and Get it Day

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8-I'll Close My Eyes
CA-342-ANDY RUSSELL It's Dreamlime

11's Dreamtime
CO-37213—DINAH SHORE
My 8el Am!
DE-23756—HILDEGARDE
There's No Holding Me
MA-1093—MILDRED BAILEY
Me and the Blues
ME-3046—JACK FINA
Save Me A Dream

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SI-15066-JOHNNY BOTHWELL ORCH. 1 Won't Promise
SO-3034—RAY ANTHONY ORCH.

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CA-389-DINNING SISTERS If I Had My Lite to Live Over CO-37332-LOUISE MASSEY

DE-23846—RUSS 8AKER ORCH.
This Is The Night
MA-1117—EDDY HOWARD ORCH. Midnight Masquerade
ME-3D54—BO88Y TRUE TRIO

Heartaches
VI-20-2150—BILLY WILLIAMS Ain't Ganna Leave My Love No More

VO-785—ART KASSEL ORCH. The Echo Said No 10-Santo Catalino 24.7 13.6 24.6 CO-37328-MODERNAIRES-PAULA KELLY
MA-1114-EDDY HOWARD ORCH.

Don't Tell Me That Story VI-20-2136-FREDDY MARTIN ORCH. Say So

11-I Want to Thank 18.5 Yaur Falks 22.9 14.2 CA-356-KING COLE TRIO

You Should Hove Told Me CO-372S1—FRANK SINATRA Why Shouldn't It Hoppen to Us DE-23851—INK SPOTS

J Wasn't Meant for Love MA-1105—EDDY HOWARD & ORCH, Too Many Times St-15084—LARRY DOUGLAS

Why Did It Have To End So Sean

SO-2007—SAXIE DOWELL ORCH.
Sh-h, The Old Man's Sleepin'
VI-20-2117—PERRY COMO
They's Where I Come In

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If Takes Time
VI-20-2176—FREDDY MARTIN ORCH. What Good Would The Moon 8e?
MU-462—TEDDY WILSON QUARTET

Time After Time 17.8 10.3

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CO-36571—MAREK WEBER ORCH.

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Hora Staccatto 14-That's Where I Came In 17.1 5.9 8.4 CA-355-JO STAFFORD-P. WESTON O.

Give Me Samething to Dream About CO-37290--DICK JURGENS O. It's Dreamtime
DE-23809—INK SPOTS

MA-7211—RAY McKINLEY O.
Howdy Friends
ME-5021—JACK FINE
Maybe Yau'll Be There
SI-15108—LARRY DOUGLAS I Can't Get Up The Nerve To Kiss You VI-20-2117—PERRY COMO

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MA-1113—LOUIS PRIMA O.
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Who Cares What People Say

16—That's Haw Much

12.3 I Lave You 13.5 CA-363—ALVINO REY ORCH,
Why Don't We Say We're Sorry
CO-37231—FRANK SINATRA I Got a Gal I Lave DE-46028--RED FOLEY

Rye Whiskey
MA-11D7—LOUIS PRIMA ORCH.

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ME-6031—WALLY FOWLER ORCH. Brawn Eyes a Cryin' in the Roin VI-20-1948—EDDY ARNOLD ORCH.

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Chained to a Memory
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CA-337-JO STAFFORD Through A Thousand Dreams
CO-37219—CLAUDE THORNHILL ORCH.

A Sunday Kind of Love
DE-23747—CARMEN CAVALLARO ORCH.
Through A Thousand Years
MA-1D90—THE THREE SUNS

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ME-3045—TONY MARTIN

Years and Years Ago SO-2004—GEORGE TOWNE

Anniversory Song VI-20-2033—PERRYCOMO VI-20-2033—PERKICOMO
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VI-20-2010—L. GREEN ORCH,
I Haven't Got A Worry in the W

18-Song of Sangs 8.9 5.2 11.9 VI-20-2142-PERRY COMO

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CO-37188—DINAH SHORE Yau'il Always 80 the One 1 Love
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Make Me Know II

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Open the Door, Richard

DE-23809—INK SPOTS

That's Where I Came In

ME-5011—STEVE GIBSON & RED CARS

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VI-20-2053—VAUGHN MONROE O.

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CA-387—STAN KENTON ORCH.

Across The Alley From The Alamo
CO-37289—WOODY HERMAN

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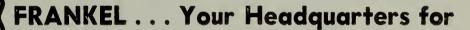


J. A. (ART) WEINAND

CHICAGO — Art Weinand, sales manager of Rock-Ola, left this city on Monday, April 21st and was present at the opening of the new display rooms of J. J. Golumbo and Co., 1119 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, Mass.

While in the East, Art will visit Mortimer Schwartz, of Mortimer Sales Company. Montreal, Quebec. Mortimer Sales Company is the Rock-Ola distributor for the Canadian territory.

Prior to his departure, Art and David C. Rockola, president of the firm, were hosts to two distributors who visited the Rock-Ola plant here. They were A. J. LaBeau of LaBeau Novelty Sales Co., St. Paul, Minn., and H. Zorinsky, of H. Z. Vending & Sales Co., Omaha, Neb.



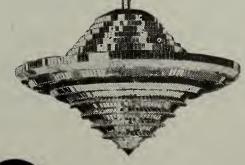


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Allite Names Graf Production Chief

CHICAGO - Announcement was made this week by Jack Nelson, Sales Director for Allite Mfg. Corp. of Los Angeles, that George Graf, ace production man, has joined Allite as Director of Production to speed delivery of Strikes 'N' Spares Bowling Alley.

Graf comes to Allite with an excelbackground of production lent achievements. For several years he had charge of production at Majestic Radio Company as Works Manager, where he held the record of manufacturing 6,500 complete console radios a day. He also was connected with Gulbranson Piano Company for several years as Works Manager and also held the position of Works Manager for Rockola Mfg. Corp. for several years.

During the war he served for almost three years with the War Department as a senior engineer, supervising production in many manufacturing plants producing vital war equipment. Graf is one of the very few men to be awarded a citation by the War Department for production accomplishment. This award was bestowed upon him for achieving the record of never missing a schedule in any job under his supervision.

With the addition of George Graf as Production Manager, new production lines of the most modern manufacturing equipment have been set up to increase production that has already started.

"We are glad to have Mr. Graf in our organization," said Bill Schrader, President of Allite, "as we know we have the best man obtainable for our particular job. His past record of combining quality with quantity is an asset that any concern can be well proud of. Working together in harmony with Duane Price, Chief Engineer, and Jack Nelson, Sales Director, we feel that our organization is now complete with the best talent an organization could possibly have. Production plans are going ahead of schedule and with the addition of Mr. Graf we expect to go even faster and produce more Strikes 'N' Spares in a shorter length of time."

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Charities, the Madonna House Settlement has been in existence for 37 years. The photograph reproduced above helped acquaint the public with the importance of the juke box to teen agers, when it appeared here recently in "The New York Post."

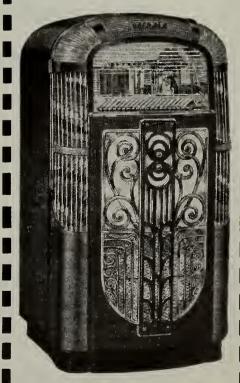
Tradio Names

ASBURY PARK, N. J. -Rockafeller, Tradio Sales Coordinator, has announced the appointment of six additional distributors for the firm's coin operated radio, "Tradioette," said to be the first coin operated intimate music restaurant radio, and "Tradiovision," a coin operated television set.

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Paster With 'Havana'



CHICAGO — Herman Paster, of Mayflower Distributing Co., Minneapolis, poses with "Havana," United Manufacturing Company's new game, which he viewed while in this city.

Monty Becker Earns Favorable Press For Biz

SPRINGFIELD, MASS. — Contributing his bit to develop better public relations for the coin machine industry in this territory, Maurice (Monty) Becker, well known coinman headquartered here, was the recent subject of a lengthy feature story in "The Springfield Union," leading newspaper here.

Operating one of the largest routes in New England, Becker's name is also well known on local sport pages as manager of crack YMHA basketball teams in the past.

In its discussion of Becker's part in the coin machine business, the story was most favorable, describing details of its operation as to both pin balls and music, and pointing to the business as "flourishing", due in no small part to Becker's foresight and business planning.

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CMI Asks Public Relations Cooperation From Radio & Movies

CHICAGO - Coin Machine Industries, Inc., through its Public Relations Bureau, this past week took an important step in efforts to create a more favorable reflection for the entire industry via the powerful mediums of motion pictures and radio.

In a letter signed by James T. Mangan, director of the CMI Public Relations Bureau, it was pointed out to leaders in both fields that they must be aware of the full power they controlled and the responsibility they have to the tremendous audiences they address.

In addition, Mangan asked that these leaders consider, too, their responsibility to the material or subject matter they communicate to these audiences.

Forwarded to the heads of 1,000 radio stations and to all the leading motion picture studios, the letter included the following salient remarks:

"When you issue a moving picture or a radio program, with a title having words in it like 'Gangster,' 'Outlaw,' 'Murder,' 'Gambler,' or other words with a forbidden allure to them, you always have a good moral point to make, a point like 'Crime doesn't pay' or 'The regular guy always wins out.' But in the making of this point, you may employ ways and means that involve a great deal of harmful propaganda for a large group of Americans who never aid anything to hurt you, and who are in exactly the same kind of business activity as yourself.

"For example:

"The normally gifted movie or radio writer thinks nothing at all about employing devices such as coin machines in such pictures to carry the suggestion of criminality, badness per se, or outlawry.

"It seems that to these writers a pin game or a juke box or a coin operated machine of any kind is the universal symbol of gangdom. So the play goes on-making its good point, no doubt-but using the coin machine industry as the sacrificial goat, without its ever having been given a chance to defend or explain itself.

"In addition to this direct insult to the people whose entire livelihood is secured from coin machines, there is also that vast segment of the American public which uses and likes the service of coin machines. There are 75,000,000 Americans who patronize coin machines every week, consider the machines an essential part of the American economy, like their timesaving features, their democratic nature. These 75,000,000 coin machine users are also your customers. What muse be their feelings when they hear or see you using machines in a bad or forbidden context? SIMPLY THAT THERE MUST BE SOMETHING THE MATTER WITH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THEMSELVES BECAUSE THEY ALWAYS THOUGHT THAT THE MACHINES WERE INNOCU-OUS DEVICES OF RECREATION OR SERVICE AND NOTHING ELSE.

"Considering these factors, won't you agree that it would be more polite to take a more tolerant attitude towards the machines, and at least half the time TREAT THEM AS GOOD AND NATURAL AMERICAN PRODUCTS serving a good and not a nasty purpose?

"All we ask is consideration, a good "looking-at", so that you may be sure that our medium is essentially the same as your own, and that a blow below the belt to us is ultimately nothing more than a selfinflicted wound.

"We have over 50,000 individually operated businesses, and the owners of many of these businesses are also interested in movie theatres and occasionally sponsor radio programs. We are more closely related to you than you know."

Mangan closed his letter with the statement that every member of the coin machine industry would appreciate a reply to the statements expressed above from the radio and motion picture heads to whom they had been addressed.

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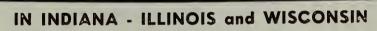
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simple, easy-to-understood score system and fast action, 'Rocket' earnings are the highest ever known in the novelty field."

"Rocket" is described as convertible for novelty or free play operation, also convertible for five or three ball play.

Wurlitzer Launches Third Great Step In Its National Ad Campaign

Complete 'Point of Purchase' Campaign Introduced to Music Merchants at Nationwide Dinner Meetings

NO. TONAWANDA, N. Y. — Hard on the heels of its expanded national consumer magazine campaign and its enlearged outdoor billboard program, Wurlitzer has launched Step 3 in its drive to increase phonograph play and profits for Wurlitzer Factory Approved Music Merchants

This latest step is a complete Point-of-Purchase program available to Wurlitzer Music Merchants at cost and launched in spectacular style at a series of 40 dinner meetings from coast to coast.

As explained by Wurlitzer's Vice-President and Director of Sales, M. G. Hammergren, "The purpose of this program is the same as the aim of our full-color, full-page campaign in Life, Look, The Saturday Evening Post, Redbook, Farm Journal, American Weekly, True Confessions and True Romance. And its purpose is identical to that of our nation-wide billboard effort. That aim is to educate people to appreciate that Wurlitzer Music offers Musical Fun for Everyone and to stimulate them to go Everyone and to stimulate them to go



Gold Lacquered Permanent Wall Frame with 4 changes of 4 colored play-promoting cards per year furnished free to Wurlitzer Music Merchants.

where they can enjoy it whenever they are in the mood for entertainment.

"But," continues Mr. Hammergren, "There is a minor difference. While our national magazine and billboard advertising is designed to get people to go to Wurlitzer locations, our Point-of-Purchase advertising is to encourage them to play the phonograph more after they get there."

well Wurlitzer conceived and introduced its Point-of-Purchase program is evidenced by the landslide of orders for the material now pouring into the factory from Wurlitzer Music Merchants all over the country," he de-

Each dinner meeting was presided over by a Wurlitzer Distributor. Each group was addressed by the Distributor, a Factory Sales Representative and a representative of Wurlitzer's Advertising Agency.

Pictured on a giant display board was

all the material composing the new Pointall the material composing the new Point-of-Purchase program. Speakers outlined the material, its uses, its low cost to the Music Merchant and its proved effectiveness in stimulating play on and profits from Wurlitzer Phonographs. Then followed a 35-minute, full-color, sound movie depicting the material in action.

It is doubtful if this business has ever seen so well-integrated, so fastmoving, so interesting or thoroughly convincing a set-up as Wurlitzer presented in those 40 meetings to its Music Mer-

Orders for Point-of-Purchase materials were taken on the spot, with most ship-



Cheerful, colorful play-promoting table cards and tents, part of a vast array of Point-o-Purchase advertising provided Wurlitzer Music Merchants at Cost.

ments moving out of central warehouses assuring speedy delivery and immediate use of the many units involved.

Those units, available individually or in package deals, consisted of Musical Note Mixer Sticks, Musical Note Beer Coasters, Single and Four-page Menus featuring Wurlitzer's Sign of the Musical Note and slogan, handsome electric Flasher Signs for windows, counters or back bars, attractive Table Cards and Table Tents, Direct Mail Pieces for Music Merchant to prospective location mailing, Nectkies featuring the Sign of the Musical Note for presentation to bartenders, waiters and location owners.

Also offered at cost are three-inch and eight-inch woven cloth Musical Note in-



Flasher Sign displaying Wurlitzer's Sign of the Musical Note for back bars, counters, windows and walls.

signias for servicemen's jackets, shop coats, athletic team shirts, location drapes and valances.

A new line of Music Merchant business cards, letterheads and phonograph identification cards are also presented as well as fourteen nine-inch and three-inch decals for widespread display of the Wurlitzer emblem—all furnished without cost to Wurlitzer Music Merchants.

One of the newly introduced items that created considerable attention, and it is also provided without cost, is a large gold lacquered Wall Frame to be installed in locations. Into this frame go a series of beautifull full-color cards designed to stimulate play on the Wurlitzer and these, too, are furnished Wurlitzer Music Merchants without cost.

Each Music Merchant attending the meeting was presented with a copy of Wurlitzer's new Sales Manual. First half of the Manual is a graphic and pictorial presentation of the entire Wurlitzer Music story to be used in influencing location owners to install Wurlitzer Music.

Second half of the Manual consists of Second half of the Manual consists of a catalog of the Point-of-Purchase material. Each unit is illustrated and described. The pages also include four series of newspaper advertisements and a series of telephone book ads all set for Wurlitzer Music Merchants to run in their own communities.

"All in all, the Plan is sound, complete and beyond any doubt should show itself in action as a real moneymaker for Wurlitzer Music Merchants," a spokesman for the firm declared.



Menus, Coasters and Mixer Sticks comprise part of a complete line of Point-of-Purchase advertising that will remind location goers that Wurlitzer Music is available for their pleasure.

Following the meeting series, four field representatives will cover the country working with Wurlitzer Distributors, their own salesmen and the Music Mer-chants they service, in a continuing effort to see to it that Point-of-Purchas program material is put into use, kept in use, and replaced when used up.

Coupled with and dovetailed into Wurlitzer's national magazine and billboard campaigns, there is no question of the power of this program, "Wurlitzer offi-cials emphasized."It compares favorably with any similar effort by the nation's leading advertisers in all fields. It is, by far, the most complete promotional program ever undertaken by any commercial phonograph manufacturer for the benefit of the men who buy and operate his machines."

Its success, for all concerned, is assured.

Bally Sales Rep Served 8 Presidents



Thomas J. Callaghan of Bally Mfg. Co., points out to Pat Krueger, Chicago beauty, the inscription and details of the third inauguration seal presented to him by the late Franklin D. Roosevelt.

CHICAGO — Thomas J. Callaghan joined the Bally Staff as Special Sales Representative a year and a half ago, and he brought with him, to line the walls of his spacious office, many of the mementoes from his career as former Head of the Chicago office of the U. S. Secret Service.

The ex-Secret Service Chief is a genial, friendly man with a manner that puts everyone immediately at ease. He believes that as the industry has grown, the character of the men associated with it, has grown—and he has noticed over the last five years the power and authority manifested by members of the industry.

A personal friend of Ray Maloney for many years, Callaghan modestly felt, when first approached, that his training was unsuitable for a job in private industry, but Maloney considered him a natural. The President of the Bally Manufacturing Co., had the vision to see how a man with Callaghan's insight into people and ability to judge character, as well as his years of training in handling all kinds of personalities, would make him a top-notch salesman.

Callaghan will soon start on a series of trips for Bally which will take him all over the country. Travelling on these special trips will seem like old times. For many years he served in the capacity of special bodyguard to eight different Presidents.



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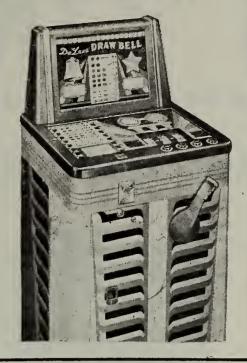
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Waggener Joins **Vendors** Distributors

MIAMI, FLA.—Robert M. Waggener, former president of the Coin Machine Acceptance Corporation, has become associated with Vendors Distributors, Inc., as vice president in charge of sales, it was announced this past week by Frank Q. Doyle, president of the coin machine firm, headquartered here.

In announcing the appointment, Doyle said: "We are proud to have Mr. Waggener with us. He is well known as an able coin machine leader, and I know he will have much to contribute to the good advantage of our customers and our firm."

Vendors Distributors, Inc., includes among its lines Aireon Manufacturing Corp., "Pop" Corn Sez Vendors, Coin-O-Matic Cashiers, Bert Mills Coffee Machines, and various other types of merchandising machines.

Cointax Bili Introduced In Pa.

HARRISBURG, PA.—A bill has been introduced in the House here by Rep. J. Edward Waldron seeking an anual tax of \$10 on pins and \$15 on

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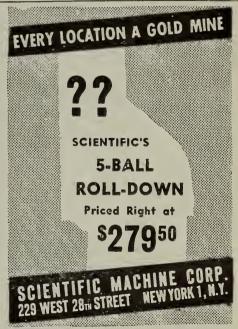
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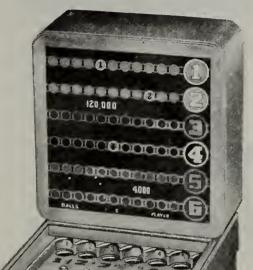
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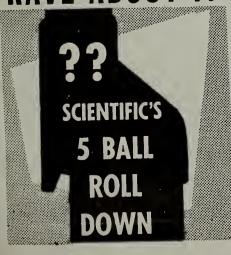
NEW YORK and PHILADELPHIA -Two old pals celebrated birthdays this past week on the same day, April 23. Jack Mitnick (top) salesmanager of Runyon Sales Company hits the half century mark; and Joe Ash, Active Amusement Machines Co., Philadelphia won't tell.





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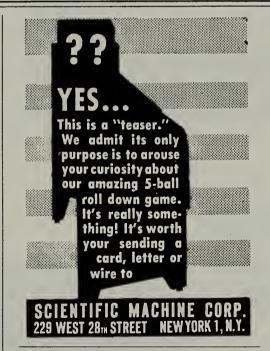


BEN COVEN

CHICAGO—One of the most interesting stories to come out of this area in sometime is that related by Ben I. Coven of Coven Distributing Co., this city, distributors for Bally Manufacturing Co.

Coven stated, "Since my return to the office here from our big showing in Milwaukee at the Wisconsin Phonograph Operators Association convention, we have been deluged with wires, letters and phone calls for Bally Rocket games which we were the first to show in our suite at the Hotel Pfister on Monday, April 14.

"Everyone of these ops", Coven continues, "wanted Rockets in a hurry. That simply jammed us up and



we didn't know how we were going to get them into Wisconsin as speedily as they wanted them. But", Coven continued, "our shipping department here reminded us that we can use the speediest train passing thru the Wisconsin country, the Rocket, and so we made our first shipments of Bally Rockets on the Rocket into Wisconsin.

Immediately after the first shipments were made, Coven reports, the firm sent wires to all the Wisconsin ops along these lines, "Rocket Rolls Rockets".

This clicked so well that the firm has been using this wire with all the Wisconsin ops. "From now on," Ben Coven reports, "we are going to ship all Bally Rockets via the famous Rocket train into Wisconsin."

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1—Horoscope
1—Sky Blazer
1—Band Wagon
1—ABC Bowler

8—Goalees

1—On Deck
1—Doremi
1—Dixie
1—Bowlaway
1—Zig Zag
1—Bombardier
1—G.I. Joe
1—Double Play
1—Captain Kidd
1—Wild Fire
1—Four Roses
1—Hi Hat

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IT'S THE DAWN OF A NEW ERA IN AUTOMATIC SELLING!

Stein Reports To M G A On His Recent Mid-West Tour

NEWARK, N. J. — At a General Meeting of the Music Guild of America held here on April 24th, LeRoy Stein, executive director of the powerful New Jersey music operators' trade group, delivered a complete report on music association activities and problems he encountered during his recent mid-Western tour which took him to Indianapolis, Bloomington (Ill.), Chicago, Milwaukee and Cleveland.

Highlight of Stein's address was the call for more effective cooperation from phonograph manufacturers and distributors with the music operator in aiding him to merchandise the musical entertainment he sells to the public.

Declaring that the manufacturers and distributors as a group have "practically shirked" their responsibility to the music operator once the machine was sold and delivered to him, Stein pointed out that he knows of no other industry in which there is "such an appalling lack of effort demonstrated by the manufacturers and distributors as a group" to assist with the problems of their customers, the operators, as a group.

"Too often," Stein declared, "members of the automatic music industry have regarded the juke box as so much wood, plastic and machinery, created merely to be placed somewhere, to collect income automatically and, in turn, dispense entertainment automatically. All well and good. But," he remarked caustically, "we have yet to create a customer who will buy that entertainment as automatically as it is sold."

Stein then went on to touch upon the competiton facing the automatic phonograph in the person of radio and television. "The time is already well under way when we must recognize that the type of automatic entertainment we sell must actually be sold," Stein said.

He then called upon the MGA membership to support a move that would create a public relations service exclusively for the music division of CMI thru which manufacturers and distributors could participate in building up the demand for automatic music among the public.



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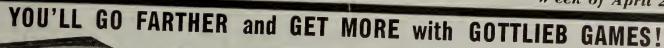
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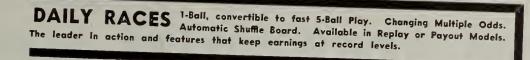
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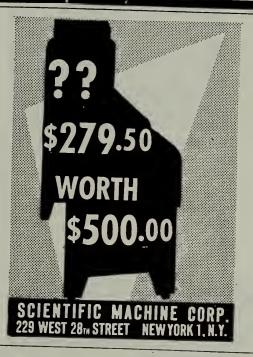
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With Charlie Schlicht, chief of the Music Division for Mills Industries, Inc., looking on, Nat Cohn explains to ork leader and M-G-M recording artist Blue Barron some of the outstanding features of the new Mills "Constellation" phonograph

In the lower cut at left, Nat is flanked by a pair of outstanding cointrade figures in this area. Al Denver, president of the Automatic Music Operators Association, this city, and (right) Sidney Levine, attorney for the well known trade group.

NEW YORK - Nat Cohn and Earl Winters, Modern Music Sales Corp., this city, played host to hundreds of guests who turned out to view the first showing of Mills' "Constellation" phonograph in this territory.

Starting at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday, April 23, music operators, record

manufacturers and recording artists began to flow into Modern's showrooms, and kept on coming until late in the day. The party was up to the usual "Modern Style" with plenty of refreshments and entertainment to keep all the guests happy.

Charley Schlict, Manager of the Music Division of Mills Industries. was on hand to greet the New York operators.

"The operators showed great enthusiasm about the 'Constellation' and placed orders for quite some machines," reported Nat Cohn.

Assisting Cohn and Winters at the affair were Dick Goodspeed, factory technician, Jack Cooper, Eddie Kornfield, Frank Fellor, and Henry Segars.

Gottlieb Re-Elected CMI President

Jones, Williams & Wolberg Are Named Directors At Annual Meeting; Hood, Chrest, Gensburg & Gilmore Re-Elected



D. GOTTLIEB

CHICAGO - At the annual meeting of Coin Machine Industries, Inc., for the election of Directors held here on April 22, Mr. Herb Jones of Bally Manufacturing Co., and Mr. Harry Williams of the Williams Manufacturing Company were elected Directors for three-year terms to succeed Mr. F. H. Parsons of Buckley Music System, Inc., and Mr. Wm. Rabkin of the International Mutoscope Corp., whose terms had expired. Mr. Lou Gensburg of Genco Manufacturing & Sales Co., was elected for a threeyear term to succeed himself. Mr. Sam Wolberg of Chicago Coin Machine Co., was elected for a two-year term to succeed DeWitt Eaton of AMI, Inc., who had resigned.

At the Director's Meeting which followed, the present officers were re-elected for the ensuing year as follows: Mr. Dave Gottlieb, D. Gottlieb and Company, President; Mr. R. W. Hood, H. C. Evans & Co., Vice President; Mr. John Chrest, Exhibit Supply Co., Treasurer; and Mr. James A. Gilmore, Secretary-Manager.

Other Directors of CMI are Messrs. R. W. Hood, John Chrest, Walter Tratsch, Dave Gottlieb and Jas. A. Gilmore.

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The by-laws of the Association were changed to provide for holding the annual meeting hereafter, on the second day of the Annual Coin Machine Convention. The next Convention will be held January 19-20-21-22, 1948, at the Sherman Hotel. The annual meeting will, therefore, be held January 20, 1948.

Complete financial audit on Coin

Machine Industries, Inc., and also on Coin Machine Industries Public Relations Bureau, was read to the Association members and unanimously endorsed. Dave Gottlieb and James T. Mangan spoke on Public Relations, Mangan giving a detailed report of the operation of the CMI Public Relations Bureau for the past six months.

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NAAMO Mechanic School Starts May 5

NEW YORK — The School for Mechanics, sponsored by the National Association of Amusement Machine Owners, will start May 5th at the Manhattan Trade Center, located here. This school, sanctioned by the Veterans Administration, under the G.I. Bill of Rights and conducted by the New York City Board of Education, is for veterans only, who have finished a fifty week course in radio repairs and maintenance.

At a NAAMO Executive meeting, held in the Roosevelt Hotel, Wm. Rabkin, Al Rodstein, Al Meyers, Herb Weaver, Max Schaffer, Mike Munves and F. McKim Smith outlined the course. Final details were arranged on April 22nd at a meeting between Wm. Krangel, John F. Nowak and A. P. Henry of the Board of Education and F. McKim Smith and Al Blendow of NAAMO.

One major change has been made in previously announced plans. In order to assure more thorough training, the course has been extended to twenty-four weeks. As the school is being sponsored by NAAMO, for its members, selection of students will be made by a NAAMO Committee consisting of Smith of Atlantic City, Blendow of New York and Al Rodstein of Philadelphia on April 29th at the Manhattan Trade Center.

NAAMO's first vice-president, Al Rodstein, is also scheduled to make an early trip to Chicago to enlist the support of the manufacturers in this project.

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Philadelphia Ops Assn. Name New Officers

PHILADELPHIA, PA. — The Philadelphia Phonograph Operators Association announced the reorganization of their group at a meeting held this past week.

The following men were elected to office, effective April 17th: William L. King, President Jack Sheppard, Vice-President, M. Harry Stern, Secretary, Louis Klein, Treasurer.

Elected to the Board of Directors were: Raymond C. Bernhardt, Philip Frank, Aaron Cooper, Herman Scott, Ben Fireman, Harold Reese, and Eugene Leavey.

Mr. King formerly was president of the organization in 1942, and replaces Ray Bernhardt who resigned after five years, due to business demands.

"Mr. Bernhardt's work in the past five years has been of sterling quality, and we are indeed grateful to him for his untiring efforts", said James O'Brien, manager of the association. "As a member of the board of directors, Bill King's efforts were always recognized, and it is generally felt that Bill will rise to greater heights as president of this organization", O'Brien continued.

Cleveland Ops Announce Program For Convention



JACK COHEN

CLEVELAND, O. — Jack Cohen, Chairman of the Banquet Committee for the Ohio State Phonograph Operators Association, announced the program for the forthcoming convention this past week.

The signing of bandleaders Eddy Howard, Gene Krupa and the Murphy Sisters, to provide the entertainment portion of the show was also disclosed.

Highlighting the convention will be panel discussions with phonograph and record manufacturers, a Hit-Tune Party co-sponsored with the Cleveland Press with Howard, Krupa, etc. appearing, and a gala dinner with floor shows by all the appearing artists.

"We are practically sold out at this time", said Cohen, "and are left with only a handful of tickets which are being held for out of town guests who may decide to come at the last minute". "There will be operators from Wisconsin, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and other parts of Pennsylvania, along with the host of people expected from Ohio", he continued.

Minn. Anti-Slot Bill Passed

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN. — The Minnesota senate, this past week adopted by a 48 to 18 vote, a measure banning bell machines. In conjunction with the antislot machine bill, another measure assuring action in the event of violation of the new bill, was also passed. The senate rejected an amendment to the bill, proposing to forbid the manufacture or storage of gambling devices in Minnesota.

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Backers of Scott Bill Push For Public Hearing Now

NEW YORK — It was learned here this past week that proponents of the Scott Bill (H.R. 1269) are making every effort to have the House of Representatives' Committee on the Judiciary schedule a public hearing on the measure.

The bill, which would amend the present copyright laws so as to strike out the section which now protects music operators from paying royalties to performance rights groups such as ASCAP, BMI, etc., poses a direct threat to the very livelihood of every coinman concerned with the operation of a phonograph route. That this is so is unaimously agreed upon by all leaders in the industry who have been asked for an interpretation of the measure.

Late this past week, Maurice J. Speiser, general counsel for the National Association of Performing Artists, disclosed that he has communicated with Representative Scott, requesting that the congressman inform him of the date to be set for the hearing. This was interpreted by several observers as a method of "putting on the heat" to bring the bill out of committee before a Congressional adjournment could put an end to it for this session. Should the present session of Congress end prior to the bill passing the committee, proponents of the measure would have to draw up a new one and have it introduced in Congress again.

Speiser pointed out that he intends to notify all who are concerned with the bill as soon as a public hearing is scheduled, and he invites any representative of the coin machine industry who would like to be heard to communicate with him at 630 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

"We intend to win this fight," Speiser declared, "but we want to win it fairly; and that means hearing all sides that should be heard."

Meanwhile, cointrade leaders here asked that music op groups communicate with the members of the Committee On The Judiciary who are from their territories. It is this committee that holds the present fate of the Scott Bill in the balance.

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Factory Sales Reps To Visit Rock-Ola Distribs In East

CHICAGO — Jack Cox, Special Sales Representative, and Jack Barabash, Sales Staff, of Rock-Ola headquarters in this city, will leave on a two week trip to the larger Eastern cities.

Rock-Ola distributors to be visited,

are Hub Enterprises, Baltimore.
Maryland, Seacoast Distributors, New
York City and Elizabeth, New Jersey.
B. D. Lazar Company, Pittsburgh,
Pennsylvania, and Scott-Crosse Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.



Most impressive to every visitor here in town is the way the pinball field has zoomed to a new high mark. "The manufacturers," as leading coinmen themselves report, "are turning out hit after hit. They are producing the finest machines that have as yet come out of this area in many, many years." And the result is that they are reviving the entire amusement machine field. A great many ops, who never before operated pins, are now in the field with them. And others are coming in, too, as the news spreads that the pin games are bringing back bigger and better collections. It is also interesting to note that the manufacturers are driving on ahead and are planning their new games far in advance. This means that coinmen can be assured one of the best years that they've ever enjoyed.

We received a great many phone calls this past week from coinmen all over this this area and also from Gwen Desplenter of CMI Public Relations Bureau asking us more about the Rev. Father Gordon Gehring's article which appeared in the Bloomington, Ill. papers wherein the Rev. Father criticized the city's raids on slots in 15 clubs from his pulpit. Many reprints of this article were called for by interested coinmen and Miss Desplenter of CMI public relations tells me that they will make prints of it. The article originally appeared in the April 14 issue of *The Cash Box* on Page 26.

Irv Blumenfeld of the "3 Generals" of General Vending, Baltimore, Md., popped into town this past week and seemed to pop out just as fast . . . Hymie Zorinsky of Omaha, Neb. was also in town attending the NATD convention at the Palmer House and called around to say "hello" to the coin machine factories here. As per usual, Hymie was dressed in the very height of sartorial splendor—and he still had that cigar sticking out of his face . . . Gary Weber of E & W Distribs, Cleveland, O. was in town and enjoyed a long talk with Barnet (Shugy) Sugerman of Runyon Sales Co., N. Y. and Newark, as well as with John Haddock of AMI, Inc. He was all pepped up after this little conference and reported that the firm were planning many new plans on greater Model "A" sales.

Harold Midyett of Tennessee Music Distribs., Union City, Nashville and Memphis, Tenn. also came to town this past week and reported that things were going great down below the Mason Dixon line. Harold was full of pep, vim and vigor and said thae it looked like a great year for all hard working distributors... Over at D. Gottlieb & Co. they now have a "Doctor" in the house. None other than "Dr." Nate Gottlieb. It seems that this past week a zillion phone calls came in to "Dr." Nate Gottlieb from coinmen all around the country asking him to make a quicker date with "Maisie" for them. Nate claims that the demand for new equipment is exceeding even their rosiest dreams. "Just can't be halted anymore, so it seems". Nate reports.

Grant Shay of Bell-O-Matic is mighty proud of that new, full color circular on their "Jewel Bell" and all those who have seen it agree he should be very, very proud of this job. "We've got a zillion more colorful ideas like this one", Grant claims . . . One of the larger advtsg agencies here in town is preparing four color ads to pop with a new juke box. They won't as yet give the name of the machine nor of the firm making it but just ask the trade to wait and see . . . Art Weinand of Rock-Ola, who just got back from a long and hard trip thruout the West, rushed out again this past week to be present at Jerry Golumbo's big opening in Boston, Mass. on Monday (April 21). Art also stated that he would continue on up to Montreal

from Boston to see how things were going in Canada. Tommy (Ting-Ling) Callaghan of Bally Mfg. Co. "always has his meter running" at least that's what Mrs. Callaghan remarked the other week in Milwaukee. Now the boys who have been asking him what the "T" is for in his monicker have learned that it means "taxicab". "The kind I don't get for those guys who come out here and bother me to death", or some such excuse he uses . . . One of the funniest events of this past week was the rush of Harry Williams and Tony Gasparro who seem to take their CMI duties so seriously that the cyclone they created in the lobby of the Bismarck Hotel had everyone half scared to death. They were on their way to the CMI meeting—BUT they were one week AHEAD OF TIME . . . Sam Stern of Scott-Crosse, Phila., Pa., our regularest Chi commuter popped into town this past week wearing yellow gloves. Real sartorial elegance.

Don Kintzel of Cointrol tells me that they have their Zodi horoscope machine on a test location in Texas where it is taking in from \$15 to \$20 per day. He also advises that Michigan territory went to a real "swami" from India. One of those fortune telling guys who is absolutely nuts over the machine. He's placing production models around on locations very soon to get complete reaction . . . Haven't heard from Al Sebring of Beacon Coin Changer in sometime now and am wondering whether Al is all set to pop with some production surprises . . . Howard (Curley) Pretzel of CMAC must be getting older and older, from what the boys tell me. Now when Curley pulls into town at 3 in the dawning he quickly seeks out the softest bed he can find and sleeps and sleeps. No more last drinks with the gang.

The boys over at Coven are talking nothing else but "Rocket." Art Cady, Ed Wikoff, Bob Schaeffer along with the boss, Ben Coven make a very interesting quartet. Someone should write lyrics and music for the boys so that Ben can lead them off in one of those old Bally tunes like "What'll we do in '32?-play Ballyhoo". It's about time someone brought some singing sales back into the field once again . . . Music ops here are going wild over that "Peg O' My Heart" tune as done by the "Harmonicats" three boys who graduated from Borrah Minevich's Harmonica Rascals and clicked big at Helsing's here in Chicago before the Vitacoustic people discovered them and put them on records . . . Bud Breitenstein of Bally seems to be putting on even more weight. "I love to eat", or something like that is what the boys tell me he's saying these days.

Georgie Jenkins over at Bally is also one of the busiest of the busy guys around this man's town. Georgie is all hot and bothered about those phones being shut down just when Bally comes out with "Rocket". It's terrific", he hollers at everyone within hearing distane. Why? Because he wants to make himself heard about the noise of those Western Union boys rushing in wires to him, — he claims, with more and more orders.

Ken (Wilky) Wilkinson of San Antonio expected in town... Billy DeSelm of United Mfg. Co. talks about the wonderful reception the firm has received on their new "Havana" game and that many distribs are wiring for more even before completely sold out of their first lot... Gene Bates of Pace Mfg. Co. back on the job and receiving visitors every day. Gene is in speedy action again... Harry Brown of American Amusement who just returned from visiting in Idaho and Nevada started right to New York City where Harry awaits some very important news.



The board of directors of the New York Music Operators Association spent an entire session in discussion about the Scott Bill, H. R. 1269 recently introduced into the House of Representatives. (This bill, reported in detail appeared in *The Cash Box*, issues of April 14 and 21—and the current issue, would amend the copyright act of 1909, thus making it possible for numerous groups to extract fees for playing recorded music on coin operated machines). The New York organization is taking action, and hope all other music associations and everyone connected with the music machine division will also take similiar action.

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Nat Cohn and Earl Winters, Modern Music Sales Corp., ran one of their typical parties on Wednesday, April 23, introducing the Mills' "Constellation" phono to local operators. The showing started early and kept on going until late at night. Plenty of refreshments and entertainment for the visitors. Charley Schlicht, manager of the music division for Mills Industries, came in from Chicago to attend. Schlicht will be a busy man from now on—flying thruout the country to attend other showings. Harry Fromkes, Eddie Heller and Herb Hendler of Rainbow Records were on hand with some of their recording artists. Larry Clinton, Vogue artist, Blue Barron, M-G-M records, and other recording stars put in an appearance.

Dave Stern and Tom Burke, Seacoast Distributors (Rock-Ola distributors) played host to L. LeSturgeon, Southern Music Corp., Durham and Charlotte, N. C., also distributor for Rock-Ola. Stern and LeSturgeon spent quite some time talking about mutual friends from the South . . . Ben Becker, Jack Semel, Jack Rubin and Barney Kahn seen in a huddle on the corner of Tenth Avenue and 42nd Street . . . Sam Stern, Scott-Crosse Co., Philadelphia, returns from his Chicago trip . . . Another coinman who spent some time in Chicago was Jack Fitzgibbons of Jafco, Inc. . . . Jack Mitnick of Runyon

Sales Company and Joe Ash, Active Amusement Machines Co., Philadelphia, two old cronies, celebrated birthdays the same day, April 23. Mitnick hit the half-century mark, but looks and acts like he did twenty years ago.

Ben Becker, Tri-State Sales Company and Pioneer Distributing Company (Bally distributors) telling his customers about the wonderful reaction received on Bally's new novelty game "Rocket" . . . George Young, Norfok, Va. distributor cames in to visit with us. George had just arrived from Syracuse, N. Y., where he and Cliff Bailie of Rex Amusement Co., had an old fashioned get-together . . . Dave Lowy and Phil Mason, Dave Lowy Company, traveled out to Hirsh Coin Machine Corp., Washington, D. C. (Packard distributors) one day this week and we understand completed a deal, purchasing a number of used phonos, running into quite a cash figure. We saw Lowy and Mason after their reurtn, and from every outward appearance evidently got out of Washington safe and sound . . . Joe Eisen and Sid Mittleman, Joe Eisen & Sons (Packard distributors) take advantage of the nice sunshiny weather and pay the 10th Avenue coinmen a visit.

LeRoy Stein, manager of the MGA (Music Guild of America) New Jersey phono ops assn. returned from his visits thru the middle west. It's reported Stein made a terrific speech at the Milwaukee meet of Wisconsin operators. The Scott Bill also came up for discussion at the regular membership meeting of MGA on Thursday, April 24... Barney (Shugy) Sugerman, Runyon Sales Co., can usually be found in the New York office every afternoon. Shugy tells us that music ops are buying considerable AMI equipment, and he is able to accomplish a great deal by being in the city helping out the sales staff.

The Washington Coin Machine Corporation (Washington coin machine association) will hold its Second Annual Dinner on April 29 at the Hamilton Hotel, Washington, D. C. Festivities begin at 7:30 P.M., and in addition to the membership, Ben Rodins, banquet chairman, reports that a great many outstanding visitors will attend. The meet held in 1946 was addressed by Homer E. Capehart and Bill Gersh.



Bill Schrader, of the Allite Manufacturing Company, has his factory really going in high gear, and from what we hear these new "Strikes N' Spares" are really rolling on the assembly lines, and samples and sizable shipments should be on the way to the various distribs throughout the country. Bill plans an announcement very soon in which the complete list of national distribs will be published.

Bill Happel Jr., of Badger Sales, plans on a trip up to Big Bear Lake this weekend to combine a bit of fishing and visiting with the ops in that territory. He hopes to stir up a bit of action to get the ops to replace their old worn out equipment with new and fresh games. Jack Leonard, of the Badger parts department, is one very happy hombre these days; after hunting for more than 13 months, he found an apartment. "Ah, life is wonderful," says Leonard.

Dropped in to take a look see at the new factory and offices of the Pantages Wired Music, and saw how the cabinets are assembled and tested. A really amazing sight, it looked very much like an automobile assembly line in Detroit. "Hum" Brokamp conducted the tour of the plant and stressed the production facilities. The plant is capable of turning out a very large number of these cabinets daily, according to Brokamp.

Paul Laymon is all set to move into his nice new offices and shops but is being held up by the telephone strike. The new place is across the street (about 150 feet away) from his present showrooms. "If it isn't one thing it's twenty others," moans Paul. Laymon has a sample of the new Bally "Rocket," a swell new five ball which is getting lots of nice comments from the ops calling around the Laymon

place.

Bill Williams, of the Williams Distributing Company, has been selling lots and lots of the new Williams "Tornado." Bill tells us that he wishes the factory could supply the volume of games he has orders for. He keeps himself very busy calling on the jobbers and distribs and is keeping them in a happy frame of mind until the games can get here . . . Frank Navarro just back from a visit to his offices and showrooms in Mexico City, Frank is distributing the new Aireon phono and "Bang-A-Fitty" bowling game . . . David Klor, of the Ray-o-Matic Corp., reports that the sales of the firm's coin operated radio has been on the increase from week to week ... Bill Wolf, of the M. S. Wolf Dist. Co., has taken off for his Seattle offices and will be gone for the next ten days. Al Silberman, just back from a trip through the midwest, is looking after things in the local offices. We hear that Golden Williams, now looking after things for the firm in San Diego, is due back in town after the first, when she will take charge of the office here.

Ray Powers of E. T. Mape has been displaying some really swell used phonos and games which have been completely reconditioned and refinished and are being offered at very attractive prices. Ray tells us that the demand for the firm's new conversion cabinet is very great with new orders pouring in right along. Len Baskfield, vice pres. of the firm, spent a few days in town on a visit from the Bay

City . . .

Among the ops shopping along coin row this past week were: Jack Teal, Long Beach; Harold Sharkey, Los Angeles; R. G. Patterson, San Bernandino; E. H. Butler, Los Angeles; T. S. Broadbert, Fresno; J. M. Dyer, Los Angeles; S. J. Burris, Montebello; B. N. Hart, Los Angeles; S. R. Hopkins, Banning; Ben Korte, Glendale; Claude Sharpensteen, Yuma, Arizona; Art Weiss, Arcadia.

C. W. Coleman, of Crystallete Radio of Long Beach, has the firm's plant going at full blast turning out the new and improved coin operated radio and plans an important announcement soon . . . Jack Gutshall has been doing lots of visiting out in the territory, calling on the boys and talking over their problems and making suggestions to improve the business at their locations. Jack tells me that he has convinced many of the ops that one answer to improving collections at their locations is to change equipment, replace the old worn out pieces with new. Many of the ops have called at Jack's place and have reported that the collections have increased as much as 100% where new equipment replaced old. The Cash Box strongly advocates this point of view to all ops everywhere . . . Merle Connell, of Quality Pictures is having the firm's studios remodeled and enlarged for a number of "super colossal" musical numbers, which he plans on producing for 16 M.M. coin films. Connell plans on shooting within the next two or three weeks, when the carpenters have finished . . . Len Micon, of Pacific Coast Distributing Co., is rapidly on the mend and plans on returning to his offices within the next ten days to two weeks . . . Al Bettleman, of C. A. Robinson, is rapidly becoming champ high scorer on the new Genco "Advance Rolls." Al has been practicing quite regularly and is about ready to issue a few challenges . . . According to rumors hereabouts, Dick Gallagher, Sam Ricklin, I. B. Gayer and a number of other music ops are planning on withdrawing from the present M.O.A.S.C. and forming a new association. There are at present three music op associations, all pulling in opposite directions, which in the final analysis doesn't do too much good for any of the groups. A friendly merger of all groups for their common good would, I believe, be the sensible thing to do . . . Lou Chudd, of Holiday Distributors, plans on an extended three months trip to the east coast to plug the firm's line of records. Chudd plans on flying to Cuba and Puerto Rico while on his trip . . . Nels Nelson expects some goods news on the Aireon phono any day now and expects to take lots of orders. He has seen a preview of the new machine and believes it will be in great demand . . . Charles Fulcher, manager of the local Mills Sales offices, plans on calling on many of the local ops to take over the firm's swell line of games, Fulcher expects to sell lots and lots of the new Mills phonograph.

William "Bud" Parr, of Solotone, reports increased production of the firm's new Mirror-Tone now that they have substituted a wooden cabinet for the steel. Bud believes that this new change will

increase and improve the tone quality.



One thing which everybody notices these days is the lack of smiles on ops' faces when "shortages" come up. Most of the boys, sweating out badly needed equipment for more than a year, can't see anything funny about non-delivery . . . Dale Riemer, doughty head of Missouri Tavern Supply down in Springfield, has bought in with Carl Trippe on Carl's largest phonograph route in central South Missouri. This will consolidate two big interests, according to the new partners.

The Missouri Amusement Machine Association got together in the middle of the week for a much delayed meeting which had hung fire for a few weeks. A tensely interesting program was on the roster, centering around the recent edict that all one-balls must be removed from University City; suburb to the northwest of St. Louis. They're gambling machines, the city fathers have ruled, and have advised pinball ops that the one balls must go or the whole shebang will be ostracized. So there is a parade of pickup trucks coming in St. Louis with profitable one-balls scheduled for city locations instead . . . No. 2 topic as the ops gathered was location troubleslocation jumping, and the recently uncovered trend toward selling location owners various types of coin operated equipment. The association went on record against this practice, pointing out that when the location owner runs his own equipment the spot is gone for good. "We believe a lot of these machines are sold by mechanics who have access to used equipment, and see a chance to earn \$50 or so on the side," one sage op declaimed. "Fortunately, not too many location owners are willing to absorb the maintenance and replacement risks of their own equipment."

Maynard Todd, Rockola field goodwill merchant, was in the 49th State over last week, visiting prominent ops such as Andy McCall, of McCall Novelty Company, Barney Neal, Lou and Joe Morris. Todd's gladhanding, we hear, helps to offset much of the ire aroused in the boys who have empty spots staring them in the face . . . The CMI Show film, which was due two weeks ago, didn't show. It's promised for the next conclave, however, according to Del Veatch, when a few CMI speakers will be on hand to lend spice to the movie.

Bill Hollenbeck, of Cape Girardeau, buzzed a few distributors showrooms this past week in his big new plane. Bill still holds the title as the only flying operator in the midwest, and claims he saves money darting in and out of St. Louis. Bad weather kept him clamped on the ground most of the winter, however.

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Cecil Adams former ace mechanic of the H. J. Gulck Co. just got himself hitched. Good luck Cecil . . . Snooks Harrison of the Howard Sales Co. is sporting a new nose, and it's plenty cute. A little plastic surgery and presto a new personality. On him it looks good . . . Henry Klein of Sioux Falls, So. Dakota, is no longer in the business, having sold his route to Ray Sturgeon of the same city. Henry plans to keep busy with his carnival. Good Luck, Henry!

Clayton Norberg of the C & N Sales Company, Mankato, Minn., in town with his hand in a sling. Started with a scratch which was neglected and then blood poisoning. He's getting along fine and that's the important thing . . . We just heard that Art Johnson, Glenwood, Minn., sold his route to Bob More of Willmar, Minn., last month. Art is spending all his time at his tavern and it looks as if Bob is going to work a little harder.

Con Kaluza of Browerville, Minn. in town for just the day calling on a few jobbers . . . Art Hawks and his wife of Yankton, So. Dakota, in town for a few days' shopping, etc. Art just started in the business and with a big bang . . . Mr. J. Couilhan, who runs the Excelsior Amusement Park at Excelsion Minn., is praying for warm weather and plenty of sunshine when he officially opens the park.

J. H. Bessler of the Hy-G Music Co. home ill with a bad cold . . . Frank Davidson of Spooner, Wisc., in town for the day calling on a few distributors ... Dick Cabot from Dakota, Minn., in town for the day . . . J. Koers of the Rushmore Amusement Co., Rapid City, So. Dakota, in town for a few days calling on a few distributors . . . Harry Harrison critically ill of pneumonia at Brainard, Minn. Doctors are giving him an even chance of pulling through.

Don Bruington, of Onamia, in town and ready to have his launch put on the lake for cruising and fishing . . . Van Specialty Co., Bismarck, No. Dak., is now known as the Westrum Bros. Music Co. . . . J. E. McNiece, of the Mpls. Rifle Sport on his feet again after spending two months in bed. Mac suffered a heart attack about two months ago, and it didn't look too good. Nice going, Mac . . . L. Linz, of Linz-Scheer, Hayward, Wisc. in town for a few hours.

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